

SALEM MAN CALLED TO INSTALL SYSTEM OF COMPENSATION

F. W. Hinsdale Leaves for
Ontario Where Law for
Protection Is Adopted.

WILL RETURN IN 60 DAYS

Secretary of Oregon Industrial Accident
Commission Has Had Much Experi-
ence in Dealing With Problem.



F. W. Hinsdale.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., May 13.—F. W. Hinsdale, Secretary of the Oregon Industrial Accident Commission, has been given 60 days leave of absence to go to Ontario, Canada, to assist in installing a general system for the administration of a workmen's compensation law, recently enacted by the legislative assembly of the Ontario province. He expects to leave this last of this month. Mr. Hinsdale, who was formerly chief auditor of the Washington Industrial Accident Commission, is rated as an expert in this line of work, and attracted the attention of the Ontario officials when he was called, along with a number of other experts, including Miles M. Dawson of New York and J. Harrington Boyd of Ohio, to give testimony when William R. Meredith, chief justice of the province, who was commissioned to draft the act, was holding hearings in connection with his investigation of various compensation laws.

The Ontario act is compulsory, with separate classifications of industries. Mr. Hinsdale says that very extensive powers have been delegated to the commission as to rates to be charged each class. There will be between 20,000 and 25,000 employers subject to the act, as the industries of the capital invested in manufactures in Canada. The commissioners will be appointed for 10 year terms. They have not yet been appointed, but Mr. Hinsdale will begin his work of installing the system under the direction of Chief Justice Meredith.

P. F. Garnet, chief accountant of the Washington commission, has been secured to take Mr. Hinsdale's place.

U. of O. Graduate Good Marksman

Lieutenant Williams May Secure Com-
mission in Regular Army as Result
of Exceptional Aptitude.

Fort Stevens, May 13.—Seventeen officers and 11 enlisted men of the Oregon Reserves are taking examinations in the basic course at Fort Stevens, one man for electrical sergeant, and Lieutenant Williams, additional adjutant, is taking the additional courses prescribed for range and communicating officers.

This young civil engineer, a graduate of the University of Oregon and a technical institution at Schenectady, N. Y., is displaying marked aptitude for artillery work and it is thought that he may secure a commission in the regulars.

The records secured by the reserves during the current week are such as to make the regulars look to their laurels and they have demonstrated beyond a shadow of a doubt that the reserves are a most valuable adjunct to the best defense personnel of the United States army.

Says Grand Jury Is Arousing Suspicion

Attorney Logan Tells Why He Is in
Favor of Union Avenue Approach to
Interstate Span.

T. A. Ketchum, foreman of the grand jury was a great talker for the Henshaw franchise two years ago, which was denied by the people," said Attorney John F. Logan, in behalf of the Union Avenue approach to the interstate bridge at the meeting of the county commissioners yesterday.

"We are being hounded by investigations, and the grand jury is arousing suspicion by its actions. Mr. Ketchum is a property owner on the Peninsula and is interested in the Derby street and Patton Avenue approaches.

"I think that the commission should once and for all decide on the long avenue approach. The money is left, use it for the other approach. I am interested in the Union Avenue line and the property on it, but I think it is the best that could have been selected."