

SMITH NAMED SUCCESSOR TO MR. CARLETON

Post as Marion County Superintendent Resigned After Thirteen Years

SALEM WOMAN SLATED

Larger Field of Usefulness Lures Official Into Accepting Offer

After serving 13 years as school superintendent for Marion county, Walter M. Smith yesterday tendered his resignation to the county court, effective September 1. Mr. Smith has accepted the po-

sition of assistant state superintendent of public instruction in the office of State Superintendent J. A. Churchill.

Mrs. M. L. Fulkerson probably will be named as Mr. Smith's successor, he having recommended her.

"It is not without reluctance that I accepted the offer of Mr. Churchill as assistant in his office," said Mr. Smith in regard to his resignation. "My resignation was rendered because of the larger field for usefulness in the office of the state superintendent of public instruction. The position also pays a larger salary."

Sees Pupils Grow Up.

"I regretted to leave the office of county school superintendent, for since my incumbency began 13 years ago I find attachments painful to sever. I have many good friends throughout the county among students and teachers. I know of many students whose acquaintance was obtained when they were in the sixth grades, and who are now students in high schools. Some

of the students whom I first met several years ago have returned to teach in some of my schools. In my new position, aided by my 13 years experience as county superintendent, I hope to be of assistance in furthering education in the state of Oregon."

Mr. Smith goes to his new position equipped with experience gained from a life time's work in educational circles. Since his graduation from the state normal school in 1899, he has devoted his time to school work. Seven years after his graduation he was principal of a grade school in Salem, and prior to that had taught in the rural schools.

Standards Are Raised.

As county school superintendent, Mr. Smith has been actively engaged in raising the standards of the rural schools, in equalizing the expenditures of the schools of the county, and in the promotion of the Parent-Teachers' association.

Mary L. Fulkerson, county supervisor under Mr. Smith, is strongly recommended by the retiring county superintendent for appointment to his unexpired position. Mrs. Fulkerson has served in her present capacity for two years. She is vice president of the State Teachers' association. The specialty of Mrs. Fulkerson is work in the elementary grades. It was the opinion of Mr. Smith that Mrs. Fulkerson is the logical person for his successor.

NEW SAWMILL IN DALLAS

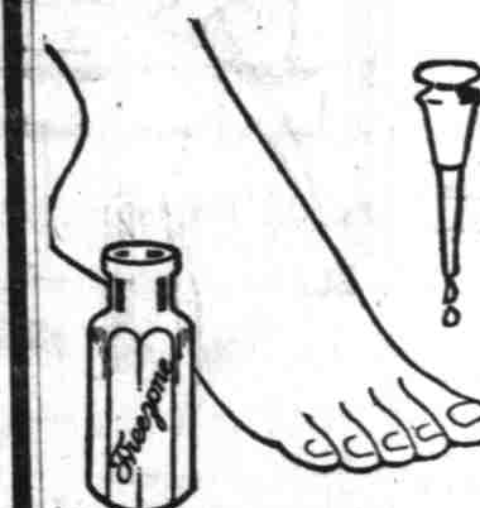
DALLAS, Or., Aug. 25.—As rapidly as construction can be pushed the new sawmill of the Willamette Valley Lumber company is rising near the location of the one destroyed by fire last month. It will have the most modern conveniences and is to be equipped to cut 150,000 feet daily. The plant will probably be in operation by November 1.

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RAILROADS AND SHIPPERS WILL TALK TOGETHER

Conference Will be Called in Portland to Study Freight Rates

EQUALITY IS SOUGHT

Mills Continue Operations Notwithstanding Unfavorable Conditions

Increased freights and cancellation of orders in great volume incident thereto, comprise the big problems now confronting the lumber industry.

The transcontinental roads and West Coast Lumbermen's association have reached an agreement for a joint conference on the permanent freight tariffs which the carriers will file with the interstate commerce commission within the next two or three months.

This conference will be held in Portland, at a date to be agreed on after both carriers and shippers have had an opportunity to put their problems in definite form.

Competition Desired.

The arranging of this conference has inspired the industry with the hope that it may result in a re-establishing of competitive conditions which will permit the west coast shippers selling in long-haul markets on an approximately equal basis with short-haul producers.

In the meantime it is interesting to note that a recent large order for railroad ties placed for account of eastern railways has been diverted from rail to water delivery by the purchasing roads.

Under the adverse influence of increased freight charges, new business at west coast mills has fallen off sharply.

Reporting to the association for the week ending August 21, 129 mills show a total loss of 35 per cent in new business for rail delivery.

Notwithstanding unfavorable shipping conditions, mills generally will continue manufacturing for a time, absorbing losses for a month or so until they ascertain what the permanent rate policy of the transcontinental roads is to be.

Production Short.

The 129 mills above referred to produced 76,824,235 feet of lumber for the week ending Aug. 21. That production was about 15 per cent below normal.

New business totaled 53,837,361 feet, of which a considerable volume is for water delivery. The total of new business was 40 per cent below normal. Orders for rail transportation which have been running in excess of rail deliveries, dropped to 26 per cent below rail shipments.

All shipments totaled 67,539,512 feet. The movement by rail was 1602 cars; by domestic cargo, 2,656,409 feet; by export cargo, 4,812,797 feet.

Unshipped balances total \$179 cars for transcontinental delivery; domestic cargoes, \$9,175,349 feet; export, \$8,367,511 feet.

REPORT SAID TO BE UNTRUE

Polk County People Said to Resent Actions of Highway Commissioners

DALLAS, Or., Aug. 26.—(Special to The Statesman.)—The report circulated by Simon Benson, chairman of the state highway commission, that there was a movement on foot in Polk county to recall Judge Asa B. Robinson and Commissioner T. J. Graves because of their alleged refusal to complete the grade of the Dallas-Salem highway, is said to be untrue.

The county court declares it has never refused to grade any of the roadway on the Salem-Dallas road and is ready at all times to prepare the roadbed for hard surfacing. The court has spent more than \$10,000 in preparing the roadway already paved from the Salem bridge to Brunk's corner, a distance of about six miles, and is willing to have the money ready to pay for the grading of the balance of the distance when the commission finished the job.

The action of the commission in ordering the discontinuance of the paving on the road for this year is believed by many people of the county to be a move on the part of Mr. Benson to lay the blame on the county court with the idea that it may arouse the people in action against the court, have the members recalled and a new court elected which might be in favor of the program of paving in Polk county as outlined by the highway commission. If true, this plan apparently is bound to fall through, for it is believed there has never been a time when the population of the county stood behind the court in dealings with the highway commission as it does now.

The Dallas-Salem highway is not mentioned in the proceedings of the Polk county citizens against the highway commission to compel it to build the Pacific highway through Polk county, as voted by the legislature and the people.

STAYTON NEWS

STAYTON, Or., Aug. 26.—Mrs. M. J. Crabtree and little son came down from their cabin home at camp 14 and spent the week-end with relatives in Stayton. Mrs. E. T. Matthieu has been

spending the week at the farm home of her daughter, Mrs. C. N. Forrette.

Miss Wilma Ware is in Salem for a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young. San Francisco and wife left on Saturday for their home in Los Angeles after a two months' visit in Stayton. They are making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. M. A. Stayton and daughter Leone entertained a party of friends at dinner Friday evening in honor of Herbert Staab, who celebrated his 24th birthday on that day. Covers were laid for six.

Miss Minnie Miller of Portland spent several days last week in Stayton visiting old friends and reviewing old scenes. Miss Miller was a resident of Stayton 35 years ago.

Several Stayton people drove to Silver Creek falls Sunday and spent an enjoyable day at that point. People from all over the county gathered there, it being the scene of the blacksmiths' picnic. The day was spent in visiting the falls, lunching and pitching horseshoes.

John Braun and wife, H. J. Marking and wife, Jacob Spaniol and wife, and some friends from the east, left Saturday afternoon for a trip over the Columbia river highway. They went as far as Cascade Locks and returned Sunday.

Miss Cora Turnage left recently for her home after a two weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Nott, in Stayton.

Miss Ruth Roy returned from Portland Monday where she spent the week-end.

Harvesting is about completed in this section. The yield, though fairly good, was not as heavy as had been expected.

A. S. Davis of Astoria is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis, this week.

Miss Andrae Knowlton of Grand

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Commercial and Court Streets Formerly Chicago Store

Rapids, Mich., is passing a few days in Stayton with friends while en route to lower California where she will spend the winter.

START BRANCH PLANT ALBANY, Or., Aug. 25.—While a new building is being erected here for the Alco Wood Products

company, recently destroyed by fire, the firm will operate a plant at Springfield. A planing mill has been purchased for this purpose.

Shop Where The Crowds Buy

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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ECONOMY TOPS Per dozen.....25c	RIBBONS 25 PER CENT OFF	JAR RUBBERS Per dozen.....5c
MISSES HOSE 30c value for.....29c	BROOMS \$1.00 Brooms.....50c 36c Brooms.....22c	ARMOUR'S LIGHTHOUSE Washing Powder, 15c value for.....4c

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