



Iowa American Revolution Bicentennial Commission



CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Ownership within the same family for 100 or more years by July 4, 1976 of at least 80 acres of the original Iowa farmland.
2. Present owner must be related to original owner.
3. Application must be notarized and submitted by July 4, 1975.

One Century Farm marker per farm will be furnished by Iowa Farm Bureau. Additional markers may be purchased upon request.

One Century Farm Certificate will be awarded per farm by Iowa Department of Agriculture. Additional certificates may be requested.

Name of Present Farm Owner David R. Allspach and Richard H. Allspach

Address RFD, Baxter, Iowa 50028  
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Address of Farm, if different from above Same  
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Township Independence County Jasper

Number of acres in the farm at present Eighty (80)

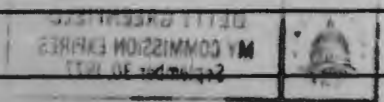
Date of original purchase by member of your family July 16, 1873

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) \_\_\_\_\_

The W $\frac{1}{2}$  of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section No. 1 Township 81North Range 20 West containing 80 acres more or less.

List all family owners, to present, beginning with original:

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Frederick Sanderman</u>	<u>wife's grandfather</u>
<u>Charles Sanderman</u>	<u>father-in-law</u>
<u>Anna Sanderman Allspach</u>	<u>wife</u>
<u>David R. &amp; Richard H. Allspach</u>	
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NOTE: Request for additional information on reverse side.

APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM MARKER AND CERTIFICATE

Information you may be able to add to this form, while not essential to Century Farm Certification, will be most valuable to future historians. The questions below are offered only as a guide, so please feel free to add any other data, especially family or pioneer stories concerning the farm and area around it.

From whom was the farm purchased? C.B. Mendenhall & Emiline Mendenhall

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of land per acre? \_\_\_\_\_

Where was the first owner born? Germany?

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Sheboygan, Wisconsin

Was this a homestead? no

Did the first owner farm the land? yes

Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? \_\_\_\_\_  
portion of the present dwelling

When was the present home built? 1880

What are the farm's crops or products? corn, soybeans, oats and hay

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation Newton Daily News, Newton, Iowa 50208

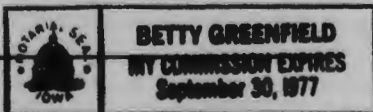
I (we), \_\_\_\_\_  
being duly sworn, depose and say that the statements on this application are true and correct with regard to the land described above.

David R. Allsopch  
Richard H. Allsopch  
(Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 19 75.

My Commission expires

Betty Greenfield  
Notary Public in and for the  
Betty Greenfield



County of Marshall State of Iowa

Send to: Iowa Department of Agriculture  
State House, Des Moines, Iowa 50319  
Submit by July 4, 1975

