



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 Karl F. Dammeier and Martha Marie Dammeier

Address #1 Newton Iowa 50208
R.R. P.O. State Zip

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

Township Mariposa County Jasper

Number of acres in the farm at present 160

Date of original purchase by member of your family October 31, 1870

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) _____
The Southwest Quarter of Section 32 Township
81 North of Range 18 West of the 5th P.M.
Jasper County, Iowa

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Richard Dammeier</u>	<u>grandfather</u>
<u>Fred H. Dammeier</u>	<u>son</u>
<u>Emma M. Dammeier</u>	<u>mother</u>
<u>Karl F. Dammeier</u>	<u>grandson (current present owner)</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? William Mundhenker and wife Wilhelmine Mundhenker

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of land per acre? \$ 16⁰⁰

Where was the first owner born? Germany

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Freeport, Illinois

Was this a homestead? yes

Did the first owner farm the land? yes

Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? yes

Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? yes

When was the present home built? 1871

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

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

I (we), Karl F Dammeier and Martha Marie Dammeier being duly sworn, depose and say that the statements on this application are true and correct with regard to the land described above.

Karl F Dammeier

Martha Marie Dammeier
(Signature(s) of Applicant(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July 1975.

My Commission expires Sept 30, 1975
Robert R Caldwell
Notary Public in and for the

County of Taylor State of Iowa

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

