



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 Robert O. Guthrie and Martha J. Guthrie,

husband and wife

Address Rural Route # 2, Newton, Iowa 50208
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Address of Farm, if different from above Rural Route # 2, Newton, Iowa 50208
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Township Palo Alto County Jasper

Number of acres in the farm at present 199.5

Date of original purchase by member of your family May 11, 1854

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 8-79-19; and
S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 5-79-19

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Elizabeth Guthrie</u>	<u>Great Great Grandmother</u>
<u>Isaac N. Guthrie</u>	<u>Great Grandfather</u>
<u>Charles G. Guthrie</u>	<u>Grandfather</u>
<u>May E. Guthrie</u>	<u>Grandmother</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.

The Government in part, and from James E. Linnick in part

From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? 40 Acres and 160 Acres

What was the cost of land per acre? \$31.25 and \$50.00

Where was the first owner born? Pennsylvania

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Pennsylvania

Was this a homestead? The 40 acres was

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? Yes,
the kitchen of the dwelling house.

When was the present home built? 1854

What are the farm's crops or products? Corn, Soy Beans, Cattle and Hogs

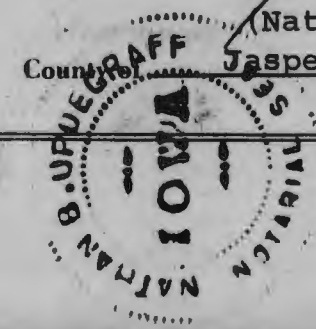
Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation Newton Daily News

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

Robert O. Guthrie
(Robert O. Guthrie) (Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of December 19 75.

My Commission expires 9-30-78
Nathan B. Updegraff
Notary Public in and for the
(Nathan B. Updegraff)
Jasper State of Iowa



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

