



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 Glen A. Prindle

Address 104 West Zickel, Monroe, Iowa 50170
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Address of Farm, if different from above 1 Reasner, Iowa 50232
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Township Elk Creek County Jasper

Number of acres in the farm at present 295

Date of original purchase by member of your family February 20, 1869

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) South 1/2, South East 1/4 Section 13 and North 1/2 North East 1/4 Section 24 all in Twp. 78 North of Range 19 West 5th P. M. Jasper County, Iowa.

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Freston Chambers</u>	<u>Grandfather</u>
<u>Della Chambers Prindle</u>	<u>Mother</u>
<u>Glen A. Prindle</u>	<u>Present owner</u>

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? Elijah Calhoon

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of land per acre? ?

Where was the first owner born? Indiana

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? He never lived on this farm, he lived near Galesburg, Iowa and operated this farm from there.

Was this a homestead? No.

Did the first owner farm the land? Yes.

Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? He never had much schooling but by home study he was able to educate himself so that he was able to pass the examination and be admitted to the bar to practice law in Iowa.
Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? No.

When was the present home built? 1913

What are the farm's crops or products? Corn and Soy beans.

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation Newton Daily News & Monroe Mirror.

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.

Glen B. Prindle
(Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March 19 75

My Commission expires Sept. 30, 1975
Wayne Gouless
Notary Public in and for the

County of Jasper State of Iowa

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

