



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.

Kenneth Schnell and Jean Wise Schnell

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 Kenneth Schnell and Jean Wise Schnell

Address Route 5 Newton Iowa 50208
R.R. P.O. State Zip

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

Township Sherman County Jasper

Number of acres in the farm at present 160

Date of original purchase by member of your family August 19, 1874

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 13 Township 80 North, Range 20 West of the 5th P.M. Iowa

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Henry Tiedje and Albinus Tiedje</u>	<u>Great Grandfather Henry</u>
<u>Magdalena Tiedje Widow of Henry</u>	<u>Great Grandmother of Jean</u>
<u>John Tiedje</u>	<u>Grandfather of Jean</u>
<u>Elise Tiedje Wise</u>	<u>Mother of Jean</u>
<u>Kenneth and Jean Wise Schnell</u>	<u>Owners</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

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? Morris and Anna Flock

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of land per acre? _____

Where was the first owner born? _____

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

Was this a homestead? _____

Did the first owner farm the land? _____

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

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? 1912

What are the farm's crops or products? Corn, beans, oats and hay - cattle

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

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.

Renetta Schull
Jean Vise Schull
(Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of June 19 75.

My Commission expires
9/10-1977

C. Chamberlain
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

