



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 Earl M. and Allen F. Schweinebart *Schwienebart*

Address RR#1 Baxter Iowa 50025  
R.R. P.O. State Zip

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

Township Independence County Gasper

Number of acres in the farm at present 141 acres

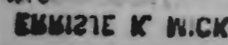
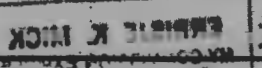
Date of original purchase by member of your family Feb 10, 1873

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) Northwest Fractional

quarter, Township 81, range 20 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> p.m. also  
the East 3/4 of the North West quarter of the South West quarter  
of Section 29 Township 81 Range 20 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> p.m. containing  
in all one hundred and seventy two acres more or less.

List all family owners, to present, beginning with original: Book #6 page 436

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Fred Schweinebart 1873</u>	<u>grand father</u>
<u>William Schweinebart 1926</u>	<u>Father</u>
<u>William's wife Helen Schweinebart 1959</u>	<u>father &amp; mother</u>
<u>Earl &amp; Allen Schweinebart 1963</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? Fred Petermayer

How many acres were in the original parcel? 172 acres

What was the cost of land per acre? \$23.25

Where was the first owner born? Germany

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? \_\_\_\_\_

Was this a homestead? yes

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? \_\_\_\_\_

The Barn and granary are in use at this time

When was the present home built? 1925

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

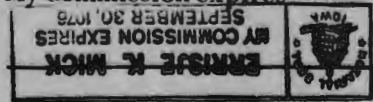
Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation Clinton Daily News

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

Erlene Leonard  
(Signature(s) of Applicant(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 19 75.

My Commission expires



Errisje K. Mick  
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

