



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 Gladys F. Woods, Edna Woods Pratt, Lorena M. Woods, Shirley Woods Schweet, Max R. Woods, Beverly Woods Allmin, Larry G. Woods

Address R.F.D., Mitchellville, Iowa 50169
R.R. P.O. State Zip

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

Township Washington County Jasper

Number of acres in the farm at present 151.80

Date of original purchase by member of your family March 15, 1855

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) The Southeast Quarter of Section 18-79-21, Jasper County, Iowa, except Lot 3 thereof

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>John A. Woods</u>	<u>Great Grandfather</u>
<u>Anzey Woods</u>	<u>Great Grandmother</u>
<u>William H. Woods</u>	<u>Grandfather</u>
<u>Lucretia N. Woods</u>	<u>Grandmother</u>
<u>Roma Woods & Gertrude Woods</u>	<u>Aunts</u>
<u>Hugh B. Woods, Fern W. Zwart, Harry Woods, Raymond A. Woods, Lawrence W. Woods, William J. Woods Brown and Paul Everett Woods Brown</u>	<u>Uncles, aunt, brothers, sister and nephews.</u>
<u>Present owners shown above.</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? Thomas P. Engleman and Catharine J. Engleman
(original entrants in 1855).

How many acres were in the original parcel? 320

What was the cost of land per acre? \$3.125

Where was the first owner born? Blount County, Tennessee

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Shelbyville, Indiana

Was this a homestead? no, but he built the first home here.

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? no

When was the present home built? 1916

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

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation _____

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

Gladys F. Woods
Signature(s) of Applicant(s)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June 19 75.

My Commission expires

Sept. 30, 1977

William J. Conwell, Jr.
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

