



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 ~~Rex and Agnes Peacock~~

Address 1 Keosauqua Iowa 52565  
R.R. P.O. State Zip

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

Township Van Buren and Chequest County Van Buren

Number of acres in the farm at present 114.87

Date of original purchase by member of your family May 15, 1854

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) \_\_\_\_\_

SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 24-69 11 and \_\_\_\_\_  
The West Fractional Half of SW 1/4 of Sec. 19-69-10  
containing 74.87 acres

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
Obadiah and Jane Valentine	from Government
My grandfather Clark Peacock Peacock	bot it in 1854
<i>I got it in 1956 from my Mother</i>	<i>Minnie Peacock</i>
<i>My Father got it in 1916</i>	<i>--Henry Peacock</i>

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? Obadiah & Jane Valentine

How many acres were in the original parcel? 114.87

What was the cost of land per acre? My grand father paid 900<sup>00</sup>

Where was the first owner born? Ireland

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

Was this a homestead? No

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? 1933

What are the farm's crops or products? corn - beans - hay - pasture

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation  
Van Buren Register - Keosauqua, Ia  
or Banapuris Record Republican - Banapuris, Iowa

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

Isaac Rex Carock  
 (Signature(s) of Applicant(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of November, 1975

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_  
Hollis Elliott  
 Notary Public in and for the State of Iowa  
 Clerk of the District Court

County of Van Buren State of Iowa

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

