



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 IRA F. and Velda G. Warner

Address 1 Bonaparte, Iowa 52620
R.R. P.O. State Zip

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

Township Bonaparte County Van Buren

Number of acres in the farm at present 199 acres

Date of original purchase by member of your family March 16, 1853, filed 3/21/1853.

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

The South 1/2 of the North West 1/4 of Sec. 2, Twp. 68,
Range 8, Van Buren County.

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Peter Weyer</u>	<u>Great-Great-Uncle to Ira</u>
<u>John Weyer</u>	<u>Great Grandfather to Ira</u>
<u>Frank A. and Mary E. Warner</u>	<u>Ira's parents</u>
<u>Ira F. and Velda G. Warner</u>	<u>(present owners)</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
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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? From Ira's parents, Mr + Mrs Frank A. Warner

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 acres

What was the cost of land per acre? Appraised at \$10⁰⁰ per acre.

Where was the first owner born? New Jersey

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? not known

Was this a homestead? No

Did the first owner farm the land? as far as we know

Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no information

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? 1922.

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

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation The Record-Republican
Bonaparte, 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.

Ira Warner
(Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of July 1975.

My Commission expires

9-30-76

Don W. Richardson
Notary Public in and for the

County of Van Buren State of Iowa

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

