



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 Lewis A Waheman

Address Otho 1 Otho Iowa 50569
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Address of Farm, if different from above Otho 1 Otho Iowa 50569
R.R. P.O. State Zip

Township Otho County Webster

Number of acres in the farm at present 160 A

Date of original purchase by member of your family Sept 4-1868

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, or tax statement) Sec 32 Township 88
north of Range No 28 west of the 57th PM

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

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
<u>Halsey Waheman 1868</u>	<u>Great grand father</u>
<u>Melzar Waheman 1889</u>	<u>grand father</u>
<u>Henry Waheman 1926</u>	<u>father</u>
<u>Lewis Waheman now 1963</u>	

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? Daniel Higgins

How many acres were in the original parcel? 40 acres

What was the cost of land per acre? consideration \$ 600.00

Where was the first owner born? State of Pennsylvania

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? State of 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? worked as carpenter

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? 1890 and 1891

What are the farm's crops or products? corn and Beans and hay

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation The Dodge messenger

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.

Lewis A. Waheman

(Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June

My Commission expires



Notary Public in and for the

County of Webster State of Iowa

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

