



Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship
in conjunction with
Iowa Farm Bureau Federation

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Secretary of Agriculture

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

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Eligibility Requirements;

1. Ownership within the same family for 100 or more years by July 4, 1991 of at least 40 acres of Iowa farmland.
2. Present owner must be related to a person who owned the land at least 100 years ago.
3. Application must be notarized and submitted by June 1, 1991.

- 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 for each legal farm owner by Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship. Additional certificates may be purchased.
- A state-wide Century Farms Award Ceremony is held at the Iowa State Fair every year. You will receive notice as to the time and date of the ceremony in July. If you should have any questions, please call this office at (515) 281-5323.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

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Name of Present Farm Owner Lucille Moore

Address of Century Farm,

Township Richland Century Farm County Jasper

Number of acres in farm at present 80 Acres

Date your ancestors first purchased this land August 5th 1890

Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation The Newton Daily News

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

21-79-17 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 - NE 1/4 SE 1/4

List all ancestors who owned this land, beginning with original:

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO PRESENT OWNER
Springer Dixon	Great Grand Father
Ellen Cline	Grand Mother
Harry A. Cline	Father
Lucille Moore	Owner

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? Samuel Orebaugh & Mary Orebaugh

How many acres were in the original parcel? 200 Acres

What was the cost of land per acre?

Where was the first owner born? Springer Dixon was from Pennsylvania and came to Fairbury County of Livingston, State of Illinois

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? His daughter ELLEN (Dixon) Cline & family came to live on the farm in 1890 when it was bought by Springer Dixon and given to them for life

Was this a homestead? no

Did the first owner farm the land? Ellen Cline & family farmed the land

Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Ellen's husband - Charles Cline

Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?

no the original home was torn down in 1990

part of the original home was build before 1890

When was the present home built?

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

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

Lucille Moore (Signature(s) of Applicants(s))

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May 1991

My Commission expires 2/1/93

Paul R. Vandusen Notary Public in and for the

County of Jasper State of Iowa

Send to: Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship Century Farms Program Wallace Building Des Moines, IA 50319