

CFR 0153

Helen Stevens Clemenson

APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM DOCUMENT

NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT

Helen Stevens Clemenson, Route 2, Box 238, Eugene, Oregon

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PRESENT OWNER OR OWNER - MANAGER

Same

NAME OF OWNER ON OR PRIOR TO 1858

William M. Stevens

CHAIN OF OWNERSHIP AND RELATIONSHIP TO DATE

James A. Stevens - 1846-	1847	William M Stevens - Heard	Hixey v. (Jones)
William Stevens -		James A Stevens -	Emily F (Greenwood)
Welby Stevens -		welby Stevens -	Ida E (Goodale)

Helen Stevens Clemenson-

RELATIONSHIP OF PRESENT OWNER

Great Great Granddaughter

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: DESIGNATE IF PART OF LAND GRANT; HOMESTEAD, DONATION LAND CLAIM, OR HOW ACQUIRED:

Donation Land Claim No. 46, Section 17 Township 17 S, Range 3 W.W.M. 22

gave original W.M. Stevens D.L.C
47 acres

RECORDS:

May 11, 1854 Mentions the W.M. Stevens
reference in the Government survey note

The above information is true to the best of my knowledge.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1958

P.M.M.

Helen Stevens Clemenson

- (5) D. K. Mosby, Route 1, Box 532, Cottage Grove, Oregon. Farm consists of 207.64 acres of the original David Mosby Donation Land Claim in Section 36, Township 20 South, Range 3 West, Willamette Meridian, Section 1, Township 21 South, Range 3 West Willamette Meridian, Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 2 West, Willamette Meridian and Section 31, Township 20 South, Range 2 West, Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (6) Mr. Frank W. McCulloch, Route 3, Eugene, Oregon. Farm consists approx. 24.30 acres of the original John McCulloch and Thomas McCulloch Donation Land Claim No. 45, Township 18 South, Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (7) Mr. Ben W. Inman, Route 1, Box 143, Junction City, Oregon. Farm consists of 33 acres of the original 320 acres of the original Joel C. and Sophia Inman Donation Land Claim No. 43 of Sections 7 & 8, Township 17 South, Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (8) Gordon H. Hale and D. Wayne Hale, brothers, 2600 Main Street Springfield, Oregon. These brothers have joint ownership in the original Calvin T. Hale and Molla Hale Donation Land Claim in Section 23, Township 17 South, Range 7 West, of the Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (9) Mrs. Helen Stevens Clemenson, Route 2, Box 238, Eugene, Oregon. Approximately 40 acres of the original William Stevens D.L.C. No. ~~59~~ 46, of Section 22, Township 17 South, Range 3 West, Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (10) Mrs. Ethel Chrisman Scott, Route 1, Box 334, Cottage Grove, Oregon. This farm consists of 280 acres of the original John Ward McFarland Donation Land Claim No. 59, parts of Sections 19, 20, 29, and 30 of Township 20 South, Range 3 West, Willamette Meridian, Lane County Oregon.

We have a few more applications that have not been checked by this office but will be sent in later. Along with this letter we are enclosing the original applications they made out, this includes the names sent in to your office at an earlier date. If it had been known earlier that you wanted the original applications we would have been a little more careful in filling them out but we thought this was only for our files so you will just have to excuse the appearance.

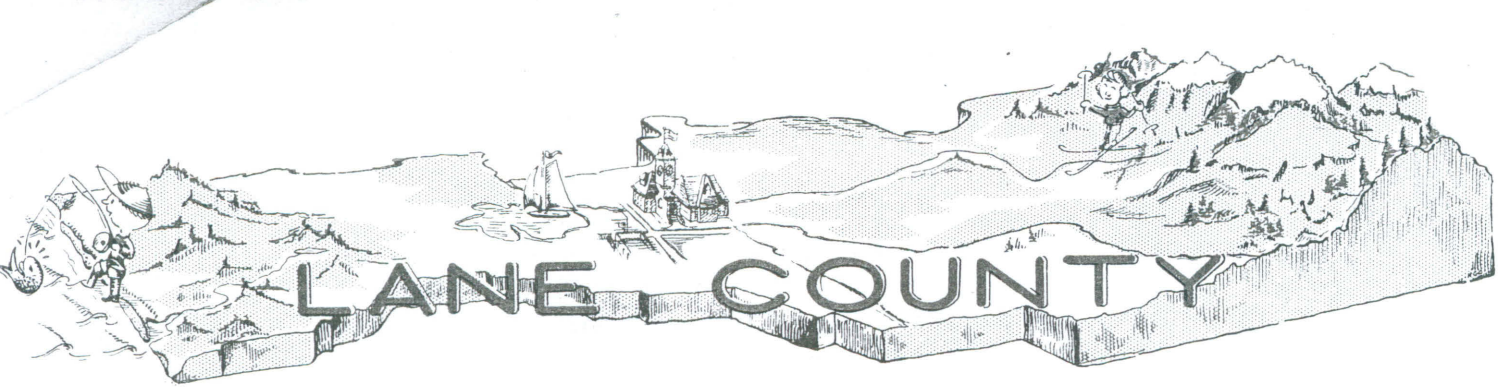
Sincerely,



Ralph Petersen, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners

Encl: 14
/cnj

cc: Pioneer Historical Society, Eugene

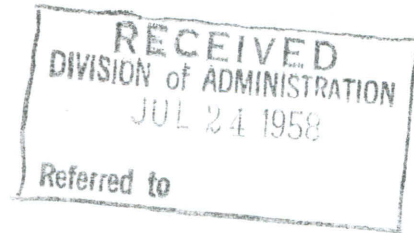


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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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July 21, 1958

Mr. Robert J. Steward, Director
State Department of Agriculture
Salem, Oregon



Dear Mr. Steward:

The following persons have made applications to the Board for the Century Farm Document. Their applications have been checked by our office for accuracy and approved.

- (1) Mr. Ulysses W. Ellmaker, Route 2, Box 266, Veneta, Oregon. Farm consists of 75 acres of the original Levi Zumwalt D. L. C. which his Grandfather, Enos Ellmaker, purchased in 1857. This is located in Section 29, Township 17 South, Range 5 West, Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (2) Lillian Ayres Cox, 605 Ayres Road, Eugene, Oregon. The farm consists of 40 acres in the original Sarah S. Benson Donation Land Claim No. 42, in Section 17, Township 17 South, Range 3 West, Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (3) Lee B. Thomas, Route 2, Box 346, Eugene, Oregon. Farm consists of 12 acres of the original Johnathan and Jeanette Thomas Donation Land Claim in Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 3 West of the Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.
- (4) Farmer C. Hale, Route "F", Box 94, Noti, Oregon. Farm consists of over 100 acres of the original Calvin T. Hale Donation Land Claim No. 37, Section 23, Township 17 South, Range 7 West, Willamette Meridian, Lane County, Oregon.

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Mrs. Clemenson Receives Scroll From Governor

A Springfield area woman, Mrs. Larry Clemenson of Game Farm Road, was among others who were honored at the State Fair for still living on a "100-year farm" as part of the promotion for the 1959 centennial program.

Governor Robert D. Holmes presented Mrs. Clemenson (Helen Stevens) an appropriate scroll, since her great-grandfather obtained his donation land claim on Christmas Day, 1847, and it is on this land which the Clemensons still live today. Her father, Welby Stevens, served as a mayor of Springfield in the 1900's, and along with his father, James Stevens, continued to live on the original land claim.

Also allowed to shake the governor's hand was a Clemenson grandson, Douglas James Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Moore, also of Game Farm Road. Accompanying Mrs. Clemenson to Salem was her husband, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Moore, and two other grandsons, Steven and Gary Moore.