

CFR 0178

Mrs. Tobias Jacobson

U.S. Census Definition of a Farm: 10 acres or more with agricultural sales of \$50 or more a year; or, if less than 10 acres, sales of at least \$250 a year.

APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM HONORS--1965
(Rules attached)

Deadline for filing application: June 15, 1965

PLEASE PRINT

Your name (Mr., Mrs., Miss) MRS TOBIAS JACOBSON

Your address: Route 1 P.O. Box _____ Town JUNCTION CITY

Location of farm: T-16 - Sec 14 - R. 5 LANE
(Address) (County)

Acres in your farm today 80. Acres in original farm 160.

Does your farm comply with U.S. Census definition at top of page? YES

Name of founder of farm (please print): JOHN WOOLDRIDGE

Year founder settled on farm? APRIL 1 - 1854. Where did he come from? TRIGG CO. KENTUCKY

How many families have farmed this land? I am the 4th generation which has farmed

Are any of original buildings still in use? NO

Who farms land today? MY HUSBAND? A renter _____? A manager _____? Other _____

If you own the farm but live in town, do you manage the farming operation? _____

What relation are you to the original owner? GREAT GRANDDAUGHTER

If you know crops or livestock raised on farm 100 years ago, please list _____

What do you raise on farm today? RYE GRASS - WHEAT - OATS - BARLEY

SOME CATTLE

How many generations live on the farm today? (Names) ONE

Has the farm ever been rented? NO. How many times has original farm been divided? 4

PLEASE list on separate page attached other historical facts you know about this farm.

Do you declare that the statements made above are accurate and correct to the best of your knowledge? YES

Norma D. Jacobson
Signature of Owner

SUBMITTED BY: MRS. Tobias Jacobson
(Name and address)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
(320A. Land claim)

The original farm was divided between my grandmother and her brothers. as my grandparents grew too old to farm three of their sons bought the property - one of which was my father. Some time later he bought eighty acres from his brother making him a total of 160A. At my mother's death this will be divided between my sister Melma Helmboldt and myself - eighty acres to each of us.

I don't know what was grown on the original farm and don't know where I can find out. But I do remember the orchard. The Columbus day storm took down the last tree.

The original land claim was 320 acres - in Sections 11 and 14 - Township 16 S - 5 W.

My grandmother married James Riley Purkerson. My father's name was Norman L. Purkerson.