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Zella M. Burkhart

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through her father refronther) Isaach From nous Eliza Jane Monderson Miss Zella M. Burkhart Joneson Joseph Many, OREGON of 1851. my sister and inherited from our mother her share in the original donation land claim which has been continuously in cultivation I there are blanks may we have some also for These Lattie & Morgan und her brother Mr. Elgat Mogen who still own a frest of the plonation land, charge of Mellen their grandfather Mellen Morgan, Iregon pronon of 1847. Mess Lette and My Elga Morgan inherited from whein father

MISS ZELLA M. BURKHART Jaseph Stilliam Said farm continues to be in cultivation. Bock the Froman and the Morgan farms are in Linn Country

June 13, 1958

Miss Zella M. Burkhart 623 West Ninth Avenue Albany, Oregon

Dear Miss Burkhart:

All authorization for qualification in the Century Farm Program is handled by the County Judge in the county of the farm being entered. In your case we suggest you contact the Linn County Judge. His word is final on all entries.

Thank you for your letter and good luck.

Sincerely,

Michael Haggerty Field Representative

MH:jp

Albany, Oregon July 1, 1958

I, Zella M. Burkhart, being first duly sworn depose and say that at the present time I own 87.06 acres of the original D.L.C. of my grandfather, Isaac R. Froman and my grandmother, Eliza Jane Froman, Said claim being taken up by my grandparents in the year 1852.

The part that I own at the present time is described as follows: Sec. 22 T. 11 S.R. 3 W, in two parcels, consisting of 77.56 acres, les 7.5 acres that is owned by my sister, Miss Verle E. C. Burkhart, plus 17 acres in the same section, township, and range, consisting of 87.06 acres.

I further swear that I acquired some of this property by virtue of purchasing property from the heirs of Isaac R. Froman and Eliza Jane Froman, and that my mother Lola A. Burkhart, who died March 14, 1955, was the owner of some of this property, and upon her death, I then became an heir to a part of this property which give me in all 87.06 acres, and at the present time, I, Zella M. Burkhart and my sister, Miss Verle E. C. Burkhart, are the sole owners and operators of this farm.

I further state upon oath that I am operating said farm and have continued to operate said farm, continually, since the same has been acquired by me by purchase and heirship.

Owner

Miss Zella M. Burkhart 623 W. 9th Albany, Ore.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of July, 1958.

Notary Public for Oregon

My/Commission Expires: April 11, 1960

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STATE OF OREGON
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
SALEM

July 8, 1958

Judge E. G. Arnold Linn County Courthouse Albany, Oregon

Dear Judge Arnold:

This will acknowledge receipt of affidavits for Zella M. Burkhart and Verl E. C. Burkhart, for Century Farm Program honors.

Thank you for these affidavits.

Sincerely yours.

Buhla C. Grabow Secretary to Genevieve Morgan Informational Representative

bg cc - Thomas Vaughan

## August 18, 1958

Miss Zella M. Burkhart 623 W. 9th Albany, Oregon

Dear Miss Burkhart:

Thank you for your letter of August 11. By this time you will have received the joint letter from us and the Department of Agriculture answering your question regarding the presentation of certificates.

You will shortly receive a personal invitation from the State Fair Commission and further details of the ceremony.

We are hopeful that both you and Miss Verl E. C. Burkhart can be present to represent the Froman donation land claim. If not, some representative of your family could receive the certificate for you.

Thank you for your interest in the Century Farm program.

Very sincerely,

Judith E. Scharf Public Services Representative

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