

CFR 0594

Ferdie Hudemann

A-26-99

Umatilla

(Old Form)

APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM HONORS
Deadline for Filing Application - ~~May 1, 1998~~
July 1, 1999

(Please print or type)

Telephone: Redacted for Privacy

Your Name Ferdie Hudemann

Your Address Redacted for Privacy

(Street, Route or Box #, City, Zip, and County) → Umatilla

Location of Farm 12 miles NE of Pendleton Or.

To qualify as a Century Farm, a farm must have a gross income from farm use of not less than \$1000 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding application for Century Farm honors. Does your farm meet this qualification? yes

Name of family member(s) who was founder or original owner of farm: Julius Hudemann

Founder gained ownership of farm in (year) March 1 1989
(Attach verifying documentation, see Rule 9)

Founder came to Oregon from Illinois McLean Co.

Who farms the land today? Our Nephew Mark Perkins

Relationship to original owner in-law Nephew

Are any of the original buildings still in use? yes

If yes, which ones? Home Bunk House, Machine Shed, wagon shed, Shop, wood shed & Wash House.

If you know crops or livestock raised on farm one hundred years ago, please list Wheat, oats, Barley, Orchard, Mules, Pigs

What do you raise on the farm today? Wheat Barley

How many generation live on the farm today? One

Please list names Ferdie Hudemann
Marge Hudemann - wife

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

Ferdie Hudemann

Signature of Owner

Grandson to Julius. H.

Please return forms to: Century Farm Program, Oregon
Historical Society, 1200 S. W. Park Ave., Portland, OR 97205
Telephone (503) 306-5215

Grandson - Julius Hudemann - Original Owner - 1889
His Son Henry Hudemann 2nd Operator 1906 - 1937
His Grandson Ferdie Hudemann 3rd Operator 1937 - 1990 and Owner

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HOMESTEAD PROOF—TESTIMONY OF WITNESS.

Henry Eggers, being called as witness in support of the Homestead entry of *Julius W. H. Hudemann* for *NW/4 Sec 33 Tp 4 N. R 33 E Wm*, testifies as follows:

Ques. 1.—What is your name, age, and post office address?

Ans. *Henry Eggers. 34 years. Warren Oregon*

Ques. 2.—Are you well acquainted with the claimant in this case and the land embraced in his claim?

Ans. *I am. Yes sir.*

Ques. 3.—Is said tract within the limits of an incorporated town or selected site of a city or town, or used in any way for trade or business?

Ans. *No sir, no sir.*

Ques. 4.—State specifically the character of this land—whether it is timber, prairie, grazing, farming, coal, or mineral land.

Ans. *Farming land.*

Ques. 5.—When did claimant settle upon the homestead and at what date did he establish actual residence thereon?

Ans. *March 1st 1889. at the same time.*

Ques. 6.—Have claimant and family resided continuously on the homestead since first establishing residence thereon? (If settler is unmarried, state the fact.)

Ans. *Yes sir.*

Ques. 7.—For what period or periods has the settler been absent from the land since making settlement, and for what purpose; and if temporarily absent, did claimant's family reside upon and cultivate the land during such absence?

Ans. *None at all.*

Ques. 8.—How much of the homestead has the settler cultivated and for how many seasons did he raise crops thereon?

Ans. *All of it. five crops 5 seasons.*

Ques. 9.—What improvements are on the land and what is their value?

Ans. *House \$500. Barn \$200, Sheds \$100. 2 wells \$300, 3 miles fencing \$200. Orchard of 100 trees \$100. 150 acres broke \$300.*

Ques. 10.—Are there any indications of coal, salines, or minerals of any kind on the homestead? (If so, describe what they are, and state whether the land is more valuable for agricultural than for mineral purposes.)

Ans. *None to my knowledge.*

Ques. 11.—Has the claimant mortgaged, sold, or contracted to sell, any portion of said homestead?

Ans. *Not that I know of.*

Ques. 12.—Are you interested in this claim; and do you think the settler has acted in entire good faith in perfecting this entry?

Ans. *I am not. I do.*

Henry Eggers

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing testimony was read to the witness before being subscribed and was sworn to before me this *30th* day of *March*, 189*4*

[SEE NOTE ON FOURTH PAGE.]

Wm. Martin
County Judge

(The testimony of witnesses must be taken at the same time and place and before the same officer as claimant's final affidavit. The answers must be full and complete to each and every question asked, and officers taking testimony will be expected to make no mistakes in dates, description of land, or otherwise.)

Homestead Affidavit

Act March 3rd 1890

Office, Clerk County Court

for Umatilla County, Oregon

^{W. H.}
I, Julius Hudemann of Umatilla County

Oregon, having filed my Homestead Application No. 5152 do solemnly swear that I am a naturalized citizen of the United States and the head of a family

that said Application No. 5152 is honestly and in good faith made for the purpose of actual settlement and cultivation, and not for the benefit of any other other person, persons or corporation, and that I will honestly and faithfully endeavor to comply with all the requirements of law as to settlement, residence and cultivation necessary to acquire title to the land applied for; that I am not acting as agent of any person, corporation or syndicate in making this entry, nor in collusion with any person, corporation or syndicate, to give them the benefit of the land entered, or any part thereof, or the timber thereon that I do not apply to enter the same for the purpose of speculation, but in good faith to obtain a home for myself, and that I have not directly nor indirectly made, and will not make any agreement or contract in any way or manner with any person or persons, corporation or syndicate whatsoever, by which the title I may acquire from the Government of the United States should inure, in whole or in part, to the benefit of any person, except myself; that I am now residing on the land I desire to enter, that I have made a bona fide improvement and settlement thereon, that said settlement was commenced March 1, 1889 that my improvements consist of House, Breaking, Fencing 2 wells, Cellar, stable and granary and the value of the same is \$925. that owing to distance I am in-

OREGON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

July 13, 1999

Mr. Ferdie Hudemann
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Dear Mr. Hudemann,

I received your application for the **Century Farm & Ranch Program** last April (please note the new name for the program). The deadline for applications was shifted to July 1 this year, so I have just now completed the initial review of the materials at this time. A total of 13 applications were submitted this year.

Since you submitted your application on a 1998 form, you didn't notice the subtle change in the guidelines adopted this year. We are now requiring both documentation of initial acquisition of the property and the *Statement of Affirmation* signed by a notary public. Your application includes a copy of the Homestead Proof-Testimony of Witness, dated March 30, 1894. This document fulfills the first requirement, but I still need you to submit the signed *Statement of Affirmation* form at your earliest convenience. I have attached this form along with the current guidelines and application form for your reference. It is not necessary for you to submit a new application form.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,



Rick Read
Field Services Coordinator
503-306-5215

Oregon Historical Society - Field Services
CENTURY FARM & RANCH PROGRAM

STATEMENT of AFFIRMATION

I, Ferdie Hudemann,

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hereby affirm and declare that the farm/ranch which I own at

12 mi NE of Pendleton Or. Adams Dr 97810

in the County of Umatilla,

shall have been owned by my family for at least 100 years, as specified in the qualifications for the Century Farm & Ranch Program, on or before December 31, 1999. Further, I hereby affirm that this property meets all other requirements for Century Farm/Ranch honors.

Ferdie Hudemann July 15 - 1999
Signature of Owner Date

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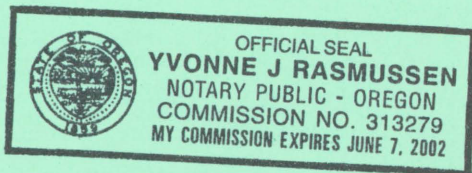
Certification by Notary Public

State of Oregon

County of UMATILLA

Be it remembered, that on this 15th day of JULY, 19 99, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and state, personally appeared the within named FERDIE HUDEMANN, known to me to be the identical individual described in and who executed the within instrument and acknowledged to me that -----he----- executed the same freely and voluntarily.

In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year last above written.



Yvonne J. Rasmussen
Notary Public for Oregon

My Commission Expires 6/7/00