

CFR 0759

Bert W. Chambers

To qualify as a Century Farm a farm must have not less than 10 acres with a gross income from farm use of not less than \$500 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding application for Century Farm honors.

APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM HONORS--1976
(Rules Attached)
Deadline for filing application: July 1, 1976

PLEASE PRINT

Your name (Mr., Mrs., Miss) Bert W. Chambers

Your address: Route 1186 NE Scrauel Hill Rd. P.O. Box _____ Town ALBANY

Location of farm: 1186 N.E. Scrauel Hill Rd. _____ LINN 97221
(Address) (County)

Acres in your farm today: 94.81 Acres in original farm: ~~670~~ 639.95

Does your farm comply with the definition at top of page? yes

Name of family member who was founder or original owner of farm (please print): _____

MATTHEW C. Chambers

Year founder settled on farm? 11-37-866 Where did he come from? Bridport Vermont

How many families have farmed this land? 3

Are any of original buildings still in use? no

Who farms land today? You? yes 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? Grandson

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

Horses, cattle, hogs + chickens - Wheat, oats + corn

What do you raise on farm today? Cattle, sheep + hogs + pasture

How many generations live on the farm today? (Names) Bert W. Chambers

Has the farm ever been rented? No How many times has original farm been divided? 2

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

Mail to: Oregon Dept. of Agriculture
Agriculture Bldg., Salem, OR 97310

Bert W. Chambers
(Signature of owner)

Submitted by Beit Chambers

(Name and Address)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Matthew Chambers settled here in 1847. The Knox family settled on the farm north of here. Knox Butte was named after them. My Grandfather married ~~at Knox~~ ~~Margaret~~ Margaret Knox in 1861 and ~~got~~ filed for the donation land claim in 1866.

Matthew Chambers was county clerk of Finn County in 1851

CERTIFICATION OF OWNERSHIP OF CENTURY FARM

I hereby certify that the farm for which Bert W. Chambers
(Owner's name and address)
1186 NE Sczavel Hill Rd. Albany, Oregon

is applying for Century Farm Honors, has been in his family continuously for
100 or more years.

Del W. Riley, Linn County Clerk
By - Virginia J. Putnam
Chief Deputy
* ~~County Commissioner~~ Recorder

June 16, 1976
(Date)

*Please strike office not applicable