## CFR 1092

Daniel R. & Charlene L. Haury



# **Century Farm & Ranch Program Application**

Date 30 MAY 2005
Type of designation (please check) Century Farm   Century Ranch
Legal owner's name DAWEL R. + CHARLENEL - HAURY
(Please attach contact information if different than legal owner)  Mailing address  Mailing address
Telephone Redacted for Privacy E-mail address
County MARION Location of farm or ranch (distance from nearest town) APROX, / MILE EAST OF GREENONHAMPAEN LANE
Township $\frac{75}{75}$ Range $\frac{2}{2}\omega$ Section $\frac{52}{520}$
Original family owner(s) or founder(s) TACOL STANFFER WIFE JOSE PHINE GERIC STANFFER
Date (year) this farm or ranch was acquired by founder(s)  (Attach verifying documentation. See Application Qualification #7)
Founder(s) came to Oregon from Jacob STANFFER FROM SWITZERLAND JOSEPHINE GERIC  STANFFER ALSACE REGION OF FRANCE  Who farms or ranches the land today? BRET D. HANRY GREAT GRANDS ON
Relationship to original owner (See Appl. Qualification #5. Please explain lineage) GREAT GRAN 500
Are any of the original buildings still in use? Yes \( \Bar{\text{No}}\) No Listed on National Register? \( \Bar{\text{Yes}}\) Yes \( \Bar{\text{No}}\) No
If yes, please describe
History of crops or livestock raised on farm or ranch (use additional pages, as needed) CLOVER HAY + SEED WHEAT. OATS STRAWBERRIES, HORSES FOR FARMING MILK COWS PIGS CHICKENS  DAN HAMRY GAEW BUSH BEANS SWEET CORN STRAWBERRIES SUGAR SIEET SEED WHEAT, OATS  MARION SERRIES, GRASSSED  How many generations live on the farm or ranch today?
Please list names and birth years BRET D. HAURY 7/14/59 BRET D. HAURY JR. 10/18/86 STEPHANIE HAURY 9/2/84 JURDAN HAURY 10/29/87

[Please submit two or three pages of family history narrative, including, but not limited to generational transfers of the farm or ranch. You are also encouraged to submit photos of the property.]

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## **Statement of Affirmation**

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## **Century Farm & Ranch Program Application Guidelines**



#### Background

The Century Farm & Ranch Program started in 1958, on the eve of the Statehood Centennial Celebration, to honor farm and ranch families with century-long connections to the land and recognize Oregon's rich agricultural heritage. The program is administered through the Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation and partially funded through a partnership with the Oregon Farm Bureau, Oregon Department of Agriculture, and the Oregon Historical Society. All applications are added to the Oregon Historical Society (OHS) Library and provide valuable information about settlement patterns, livestock and crop choices, building design, and family history. Successful applicants receive a special certificate, with acknowledgement by the governor of Oregon and the director of the Oregon Department of Agriculture. A metal roadside sign identifying their historical Century Farm or Century Ranch property is also available at the owner's expense.

#### Qualifications

- 1. Only the legal owner(s) of the property may apply for the Century Farm or Century Ranch honor.
- 2. Your farm or ranch must have been operated continuously in the same family for 100 years or more. A farm or ranch settled any time 100 years ago or earlier will be eligible if it meets other requirements
- 3. The farm or ranch must have a gross income from farming or ranching activities of not less than \$1,000 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding the application.
- 4. You must live on the farm or ranch, or if you live off the property, you must actively manage and direct the farming or ranching activity on the land. If the entire farm or ranch has ever been rented or leased, it may not qualify.
- 5. The line of ownership from the original settler or buyer may be through children, siblings, or nephews and nieces. Adopted children will be recognized equally with other descendants.
- 6. Applications must be submitted on official forms provided by the Century Farm and Ranch Program with all questions completed. Applicants must submit additional descriptive information on other family history details not specifically requested in the application (**two or three pages of narrative**). Copies of historical photographs are encouraged. All information, including photos, will be deposited in the OHS Library for future reference.
- 7. All applications must include verification of continuous ownership for 100 years. Acceptable forms of proof include a document (either original or photocopy) showing date of earliest ownership. This may be provided through a Donation Land Claim, Deed of Sale, or Homestead Certificate. Other records, subject to review, include Family Bible, diary entry, or correspondence.
- 8. Applications must be signed and certified by a Notary Public.
- Deadline for returning applications is June 1 of the current year. All applications postmarked by midnight of that date will be considered.

A \$50 non-refundable fee is required with each application. This fee covers administrative costs and includes one certificate. Additional certificates may be ordered at the time of application @ \$15 each. Make checks payable to **Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation** or **OAEF**.

#### Where To Send Completed Application Packets

When you have completed the form and gathered the necessary documentation, please send the pages titled **Application** and **Statement of Affirmation** and your documentation, with fee payment, to:

Century Farm & Ranch Program
Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation
3415 Commercial Street SE
Salem, OR 97302

(Suggestion: Make a file copy of your completed application form before mailing.)

#### **Review Process and Notification**

All applications are checked for completeness by the program coordinator. They are reviewed in June by the Program Board. Following the review, all applicants will be notified about their status by mail.

#### **Honoring Ceremony**

Successful applicants are invited to a special ceremony at the Oregon State Fair in Salem and receive a certificate, with acknowledgement by the governor of Oregon and the director of the State Department of Agriculture. The certificate has the name of the farm or ranch in calligraphy and is suitable for framing (11 x 14 inches).

#### Still Have Questions About the Program?

Please contact Glenn Mason, Program Coordinator, at 503-297-5892 or orcentury@juno.com

Note: A source to help you research a farm or ranch history, <u>American Farms: Exploring Their History</u>, written by R. Douglas Hurt, published by Krieger Publishing Co., Malabar, FL, originally printed in 1996, is available at some Oregon libraries or through interlibrary loan.

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A MAP ShowING THE 76 ACRE PORTION Which IS

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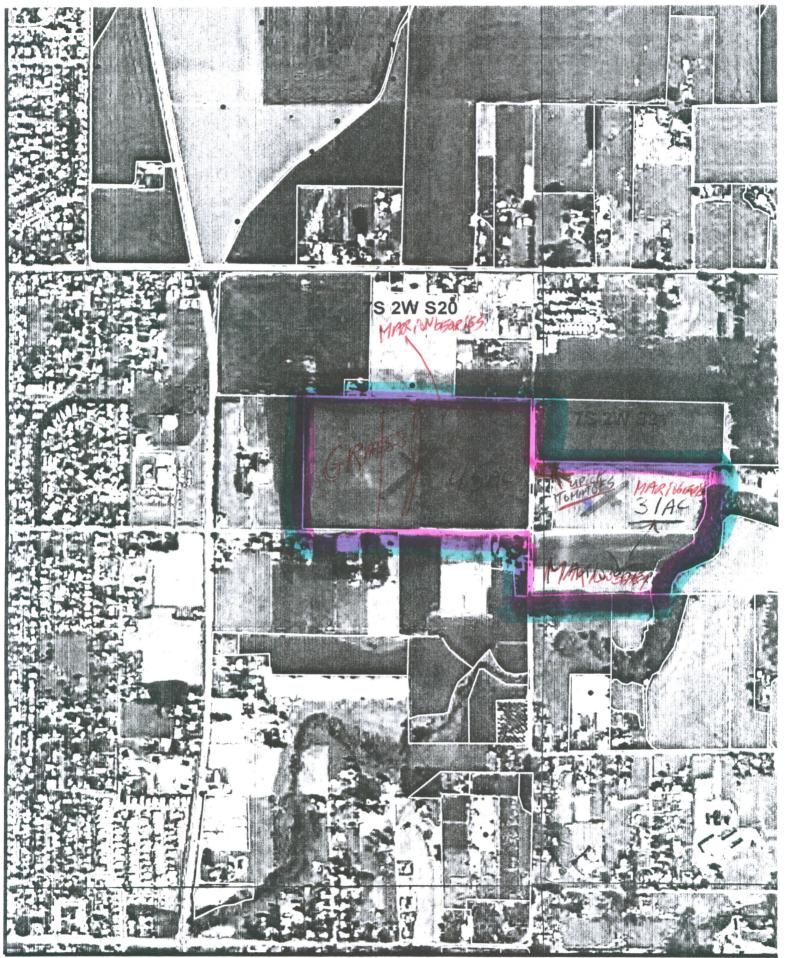
### Alma Stauffer

Feb. 26, 1907 - Dec. 28, 2003

SALEM - Alma Stauffer of Salem, Oregon, died on Sunday, December 28, 2003, at the age of 96. She was born on February 26,

1907, in Salem, to Jacob and Josephine Gerig Stauffer, the sixth of seven children. She grew up on the family farm, east of Salem, where she lived her entire life. She was preceded in death by her parents and sisters and brothers. Alma graduated from Salem High School and Oregon College of Education, now Western Oregon University. She also graduated from Biola Bible School, now Biola University. She taught elementary grades in Polk and Marion Counties for 48 years, including West Salem, Hazel Green, Rickey, Auburn, Four Corners, Swegle, and Sunnyside. Following retirement from teaching, Alma worked at the Bible Book House for some years. She has always had a great love for children. She enjoyed continued contact with former students. Alma is remembered by former students as an outstanding teacher. She is survived by seventeen nieces and nephews and their families. She was a lifelong member of Emmanuel Bible Church, 8512 Sunnyview Road, N.E. Interment will take place at the Pratum Cemetery at 10 a.m., Mon., Jan. 5. A memorial service will follow at the church at 11 a.m. Contributions in her memory may be made to the Church or the Union Gospel Mission. Arrangements are by Howell-Edwards-Doerksen with Rigdon-Ransom Funeral Directors.

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CAROLINE STANFFER HANRY BORN 1903 IN THIS HOUSE

FMMA GRACE STANFFER HERSCH 1905

ALMA STANFFER 1907

JACOB STANFFER JR. 1909

METAL MACHINE Shed





#### "Stauffer Family Roots"

On March 15, 1860 in the town of St. Louis in the Alsace region of France was born Jacob Stauffer to his parents, Peter Stauffer and Katharina Roth. Jacob was the third of at least 5 children. Jacob arrived in the United States on February 12, 1884 where he worked as a farmer and cheese maker in Ohio. He became a United States citizen in 1889. Jacob's bachelor brother, Peter, also came to the United States at some point and lived with Jacob in Salem, Oregon.

Meanwhile, Jacob's wife-to-be, Josephine Gerig, was born March 16, 1872 in the Alsace region of France or Germany (the borders changed rather often during that time). Her parents were Peter Gerig and his second wife, Rosa Rich, who were married on May 23, 1871. Peter Gerig and his first wife, Marie Rich, had two children: Peter, Jr. born in 1868 and Joseph born in 1869. Josephine was the oldest of 17 children born to Peter and Rosa. Peter and Rosa had six children born in Europe: Josephine, Katherine born in France in 1873 and died at one month of age, Nicholaus born in Germany in 1874, Mary born in Germany in 1875, Christian born in Germany in 1877 and died at one month of age, and Jacob born in Switzerland in 1878. Peter and Rosa, along with their four surviving children and Peter's sons from his first marriage, came from Alsace and arrived in Bluffton, Ohio between 1878 and 1882. Three children were born in Ohio: Daniel in 1882, Samuel in 1883, and David in 1884 (David died at 1 month of age). The family then moved from Ohio to Kansas in 1884, where Anna was born in 1886, Amos in 1888 (Amos died at 2 1/2 years of age from burns suffered in a fireplace tragedy), Menno who lived 1 day in 1889, and Menno's twin, Valentine. When they moved to Oregon in 1890 or 1891 they traveled by train to San Francisco. From there they came by ship to Portland. The family then settled in the Hayesville area of Salem. The last three children were born in Oregon: Fred in 1891, Lena in 1894, and Sarah in 1895 (Sarah died before the age of one). Somewhere along the line Emma was also born, and died in 1890. Only ten out of the 17 children lived to maturity.

Jacob moved to Oregon in 1892 where he married Josephine March 31, 1892 in Salem, Oregon. Jacob and Josephine settled in the Pratum area of Salem and quickly started on their family. Joseph was born in 1893 followed quickly by Clara (who, as it has been told, was born premature and blind) who

died at 16 days old in 1894, Lydia in 1895, Daniel in 1902, Caroline in 1903, Emma Grace in 1905, Alma Joyce in 1907, and finally Jacob William in 1909. All of the children were born at home with Caroline, Emma, Alma, and Jacob being born in the home where Alma still lives. Emma, Alma and Jacob were allowed to choose their own middle names when they were old enough.

Jacob was a lifelong farmer who never drove a car. He was also known as a beautiful yodeler, according to his daughter Alma. Jacob and Josephine were founding members of the Pratum Mennonite Church where they attended church every Sunday, arriving in their horse drawn buggy. Josephine was a kind woman who loved children, especially her grandkids. She always had a kind word and hug readily available, along with some of her family famous Honey Cookies. Jacob died on January 3, 1939 from a heart attack, and Josephine on September 12, 1951 from a stroke. Jacob and Josephine's grandson, Dan Haury, still owns and works the family land along with his son, Bret.

Joseph married Elizabeth Adeline Ropp in 1928 in Albany, Oregon where they made their home. Joseph dug graves for a living and Elizabeth was a homemaker. Joseph and Elizabeth had 10 children: Levi, Edna, Paul (died at 15 days old), Edwin (Ed), Ruth, Inez, Joseph (Joe), Mary, Shirley and Gary. Mary, Shirley, and Gary were the only children born in a hospital. Joseph and Elizabeth's children gave them 25 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren. Joseph was a compassionate, humble, tenderhearted man that people liked to be around. When questioned about his large family his answer was, "my wealth is in my children." Elizabeth was a wonderful gardener, keeping a beautiful yard and garden until she died and doing the majority of the work herself. Elizabeth passed on the love of gardening to a large portion of her children and grandchildren. Joseph died in 1966 and Elizabeth in 1996.

Lydia married Adam John Hofstetter in 1935 in Salem, Oregon. Lydia met Adam when she worked in his home as a nurse taking care of Adam's mother and father. Lydia is remembered for loving children. She was very funny and loved to get down and play. Lydia and Adam were unable to have children of their own. Adam worked as a carpenter and for a time at the co-op/warehouse that was owned by Fred Hersch. Lydia died in 1960. Adam remarried and moved to central Oregon, where he died in 2002. Offer America death, he moved to Maunt Angel and then to Salegu, where he died in 2002.

Daniel married Violet Hatfield in 1940 in Salem, Oregon. Daniel and Violet had no children. Daniel worked as a farmer on his father, Jacob's land. Daniel died in 1982 and Violet in 1986.

Caroline married Gilbert Haury in 1927 in Salem, Oregon. They settled in Salem and had five children: Josephine (Jo), Adeline, Elmer, Daniel (Dan), and Daryle. Carrie and Gilbert have 20 grandchildren, many great-grandchildren, and some great-grandchildren. Gilbert worked on Jacob's farm for a time before acquiring his own farm and Carrie was a homemaker. Gilbert died in 1967 and Carrie in 1993.

Emma married Fred Hersch in 1937 in Salem, Oregon in the Stauffer home. Emma and Fred also settled in Salem. This was a second marriage for Fred, his first wife having died from Leukemia. Emma and Fred were unable to have children. Emma died in 1997 and Fred in 1977. Emma and Fred's nephew, Daryle Haury, now owns the Hersch farm.

Alma never married and still lives in the old homestead where she was born. Alma attended Biola Bible Institute of Los Angeles and Western Oregon State College, where she became a teacher. Alma for a time taught in a one-room schoolhouse in Polk County. She taught school for about 40 years, ending her career at a private school in Salem.

Jacob, the only child to move away from the greater Salem area, moved to Chicago, Illinois in his late teens, where he attended Moody Bible Institute. He married Vivian Jones in 1935 in Chicago, Illinois. They made their home in Chicago, where they had three children: Sondra, Linda and Lee. Jacob made his living as a pastor and an accountant. Jacob and Vivian's children gave them 9 grandchildren and also some great-grandchildren. Jacob died in 1982 and Vivian is still living and recently celebrated her 95th birthday with a large party.

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