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NEW YEAR GREETINGS



TO EACH AND EVERY ONE of the 365,000 employees of the Postal Service I offer cordial greeting and best wishes for the New Year. Greetings have come to me from them in such numbers during the holiday season as to make it hopelessly impossible for me to make individual replies. I very heartily reciprocate the thousands of expressions of good will that have come to me. May the New Year bring to all of you the fullest measure of prosperity and happiness.

Harry S. New.

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The Following Notices Were Issued from the Office of the Postmaster General

HARRY S. NEW, POSTMASTER GENERAL

STORAGE OF NO. 1 NONLOCKING SACKS

In order to relieve congestion in the several mail bag depositories all postmasters of first-class offices are hereby directed to store in their office, so far as facilities will permit, all No. 1 sacks equipped with nonlocking cord fasteners received by them and not actually needed for use at their office. Bundles of surplus No. 1 sacks must be opened and sorted by them, the No. 1 nonlocking sacks to be separated and packed separately and placed in storage, the other surplus sacks and pouches to go forward to regular designated depositories.

Care must also be exercised in examining these sacks to see that no mail matter is left therein before placed in storage.

Semimonthly reports in the form of a letter are to be addressed to the general superintendent, Railway Mail Service, reporting the number of sacks so stored, these reports to be headed "Report of No. 1 sacks equipped with nonlocking fasteners stored." Storage of these sacks is to commence immediately after Christmas and should continue until all available storage space is filled.

This is a matter that must be given very careful attention by all concerned.

PUNCHING HOLES IN BABY CHICK CONTAINERS

It seems that it has been the practice of some postal employees to punch out the holes stamped for ventilating purposes in baby chick containers that were not completely punched through.

Apparently, it is not understood by these employees that when the baby chicks are shipped only such ventilation holes are opened by the shipper as are deemed necessary to provide sufficient ventilation from point of shipment to destination. All employees are therefore cautioned against continuing this practice, as the shipper is in a better position to judge how many holes should be punched, and if more are punched the chicks are likely to be chilled and thus cause losses en route.

Postmasters and officials of the Railway Mail Service will therefore please issue the necessary instructions to insure against any cause for complaint from this source in the future.

AMENDMENTS TO THE POSTAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS

The amendments are printed on one side of pages at the back of the supplements, and should be clipped therefrom regularly each month, as they are intended for pasting directly opposite the sections amended or for pasting in a blank book, the margin of each section amended being marked with the number of the insert affecting that particular section. The following subjects are treated in the amendments published this month:

Insert No.

317. Classification and salaries.

FRAUD ORDERS

Fraud orders have been issued against the following concerns and parties:
 Advertising Rugs & Clothing Co. and Charles H. Yarham, district manager, and their officers and agents as such, at Des Moines, Iowa.
 Mark Kleeden, Cortez Brokerage Co., Victor Rexilius, manager, Victor Rexilius, M. Morgan, and their officers and agents as such, at Amarillo and Wichita Falls, Tex., Tonopah, Nev., and Denver, Colo.
 Joe M. Warren, development, and Joe M. Warren, and his officers and agents as such, at Brownwood, Tex.

H. C. Dickey, independent oil operator, and H. C. Dickey, and his officers and agents as such; and Schleicher County Development, Tom Gray's Schleicher County Development, Thomas H. Gray, and T. H. Gray and their officers and agents as such, at Fort Worth, Tex.

Miss E. Wizemann, at Mulhouse, Alsace, France.

Attention of postmaster is called to the notice of the issuance of a fraud order against the Tribond Sales Corporation at New York, N. Y., contained in the June, 1925, Supplement to the United States Official Postal Guide.

Fraud Order No. 2028, issued June 2, 1925, against the Tribond Sales Corporation, and its officers and agents as such, is now in full force and effect.

All mail addressed to the said concerns and parties should be returned to senders stamped "Fraudulent: Mail to this address returned by order of Postmaster General"; and no money orders payable to said concerns and parties should be issued, paid, or certified.

"ENDLESS-CHAIN" SCHEMES FORBIDDEN

"Endless-chain" enterprises designed for the sale or disposition of merchandise or other things of value through the circulation or distribution of "coupons," "tickets," "certificates," "introductions," and the like, are held to embrace the elements of a lottery and also to be fraudulent. Matter of every kind relating to such enterprises should be excluded or withdrawn from the mails and treated in accordance with sections 531, 562, and 580 of the Postal Laws and Regulations. (See secs. 373 to 374, Postal Laws and Regulations of 1924.)

The Following Notices Were Issued from the Bureau of the First Assistant Postmaster General

JOHN H. BARTLETT, FIRST ASSISTANT

COMMENDATION FOLLOWS EFFECTIVE COURTEOUS SERVICE

The department is very much pleased with the unsolicited commendation given the service by a man engaged in a business involving an extensive use of the mails, following a visit made by him to the post offices at Evansville, Memphis, New Orleans, Raleigh, Birmingham, Atlanta, Jacksonville, Miami, Greenville, Raleigh, Richmond, Roanoke, New York, Boston, Utica, Binghamton, Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Charleston, and Cincinnati.

He says:

"The uniform courtesy and sincere effort manifested on the part of all offices visited was most agreeable.

"We feel that the average layman has little conception of the gigantic smooth running machine held intact and in readiness at all hours of the day or night for the handling and dispatching of his mail. He, of course, realizes that a piece of mail is delivered to his local post office or deposited in a convenient drop box and he also knows that it invariably gets to its destination on time.

"However, he little realizes or sometimes seems to appreciate the system that makes this service possible at a very minimum expense. Boiled down, it is self-evident that of the thousands of employees in the mail service there is just one major purpose in mind—service."

SNOW REMOVAL

In most cities it is the duty of the home owner or landlord, under penalty of the law, to remove snow from the sidewalks in front of their properties, and it is likewise the duty of civic authorities to clear streets to such an extent as to make them passable. Postmasters are therefore urged to call this matter to the attention of both property owners and civic authorities in their respective cities whenever there is a disposition to lag in removing snow, reminding them that failure to do so may result in suspension of mail deliveries. This also applies to paved walks or steps which necessarily have to be traversed by the carrier in order to reach the mail receptacle or door slot. It is his interests that command our attention, that he may throughout the entire winter season render a service satisfactory to all his patrons.

The aim and purpose of the entire personnel of the Postal Service is to handle and deliver the mail as expeditiously as possible, regardless of weather conditions, and to this end the department has authorized the employment of additional help in the way of man power and vehicles whenever needed. However, our high purposes can not be accomplished without the cooperation of our patrons in removing snow from steps and sidewalks speedily and making streets passable immediately after every snow storm.

I feel sure that if postmasters will handle this question diplomatically so that the patrons and civic authorities will recognize the benefit to themselves there will be very little, if any, difficulty in securing the full cooperation of all concerned.

DELIVERY OF PERISHABLE MATTER ON SATURDAY AFTERNOONS, SUNDAYS, AND HOLIDAYS

In connection with the receipt of perishable matter such as edibles, flowers, etc., the attention of postmasters is directed to the notice printed on page 3 of the January, 1927, Supplement to the Official Postal Guide, under the heading of "Perishable matter—Delivery in post offices."

Postmasters and postal clerks, particularly at parcel-post windows, must advise mailers of perishable parcel post that such parcels should be sent by special delivery when it appears that in the ordinary course of transmission through the mails they will arrive at office of destination on Saturday afternoons, Sundays, or holidays.

Postmasters and clerks at offices receiving perishable parcel post on Saturday afternoons, Sundays, and holidays are likewise cautioned that such matter must be given special-delivery service, whether or not special-delivery stamps are affixed. If the special-delivery fee is not paid by the sender an effort must be made to collect it from the addressee. In all such cases, the messenger or other employee making delivery should leave a slip notice with addressee explaining the necessity for charging the extra fee and asking cooperation in having such matter mailed as special delivery in the future. It is believed that this course will be more effective than having the messenger make the explanation personally.

In all cases where perishable parcel post not bearing special-delivery stamps is specially delivered the sender must be sent a card notice to the effect that "As parcel mailed by you to (give name and address of addressee) contained perishable matter and was received (late Saturday, or on Sunday, or a holiday, as the case may be) it was necessary to give it special-delivery service and to collect the special-delivery charges from the addressee. In the future, all perishable matter mailed so as to reach destination late Saturday afternoon, or on a Sunday or holiday should be sent as special delivery with the special-delivery postage prepaid and affixed."

DAMAGE TO PARCEL POST

It is the purpose of the department so far as humanly possible to deliver all mail matter in the same condition in which it was originally mailed. This is not always done. Sometimes the fault is something over which we have no control, but more frequently it is not.

The first cause of damage to parcels in the mails is improper or insufficient wrapping or packing. This can easily be avoided by receiving clerks more carefully examining improperly wrapped or packed parcels, and refusing to accept them when it is manifest that they will not reach destination without damage,

taking into consideration, of course, the character of the contents. When a parcel is refused on this account, it should not be done in a curt or gruff manner, but explanation should be made to the patron in order that he may appreciate our viewpoint and realize that it is to his advantage to have his parcel in proper order before mailing.

Assuming that a parcel is properly wrapped or packed, the next greatest source of damage is rough handling. Parcels should never be thrown when they will land on trucks, floors, or other hard surfaces, thus subjecting them to crushing or breakage. This applies both to clerks on the workroom floor and carriers in delivery.

A little care and foresight in the handling of parcels will not only prevent a considerable aggregate loss to the patrons of the Postal Service, but will avoid much criticism and complaint of the service itself.

PENSION LETTERS (ACT OF AUGUST 17, 1912) NOT TO BE FORWARDED

Section 590, paragraph 4, Postal Laws and Regulations, provides that letters from the Bureau of Pensions bearing instructions referring to the act of August 17, 1912, may not be forwarded to another office, nor placed in lock or call boxes, nor delivered by city or rural carriers into receptacles on their routes.

It has been brought to the attention of the department that in many instances, particularly at the smaller offices, such mail is being forwarded contrary to the provisions of the regulation above cited.

Postmasters should not under any circumstances forward a letter of this description. When the addressee is temporarily absent, the postmaster may deliver such a letter to his authorized agent, or to some one who has been in the habit of receiving his mail with his knowledge or consent, or to any other responsible person who presents the addressee's written order. After such delivery the letter can be remailed to new address by being placed under new cover, but such remailing is not "forwarding" within the meaning of the prohibition.

The department can not condone the action of postmasters who persist in violating the regulations in this respect, and it must be realized that these regulations are mandatory and admit of no exceptions.

DISPATCH TO WRONG OFFICE

It is noted that a number of post-office clerks are apparently unaware that East Pittsburgh, Pa., is an independent post office and continue to make up and dispatch mail in packages and sacks labeled to the Pittsburgh, Pa., post office.

The attention of clerks should be called to this erroneous dispatch and informed that if continued it may result in the imposition of serious disciplinary measures.

STRIP LABELS—SACK-ROUTING SYSTEM

In order to expedite the work of labeling sacks incident to the delivery of parcel post under the sack-routing system, there have been adopted for general use by post offices where parcels are delivered under this system strip labels, five labels to the strip, providing for four items, namely, route number, division, number of sacks, and number of outside pieces.

Requisition for a four months' supply of these strip labels, Form 4415, should be made on the Fourth Assistant, Division of Equipment and Supplies.

SIMILAR POST OFFICE NAMES

The department is in receipt of reports that mail is missent as follows:

Office of address	Office to which missent
Brentwood Heights, Calif	Brentwood, Calif.
Whitehall, Mont	Whitetail, Mont.
Aberdeen, S. C. (n. o.)	Aberdeen, N. C.
Waterville, Ohio	Westerville, Ohio.
Lamar, S. C.	Laurens, S. C.

The service will please exercise care in the distribution of mail to and from these offices in order that the missending of mail may be minimized.

UNDELIVERABLE MAIL—REASON FOR NONDELIVERY TO BE INDORSED THEREON WHEN RETURNED TO SENDER

Notwithstanding the notice published on page 7 of the September, 1927, Supplement to the Guide, on the above subject, complaints are being received in the department to the effect that the reason for nondelivery of undeliverable mail is not plainly indorsed on such mail when it is returned to the sender.

All postal employees are again directed to read the instructions contained in the Guide notice above cited, and in future when returning undeliverable mail to see to it that the full and complete reason for the nondelivery is clearly indorsed on each piece of such mail.

Postmasters are urged to make frequent checks to see that these instructions are being observed, and to apply disciplinary measures whenever it is found that clerks are not fully complying with the above instructions.

OPERATING CANCELING MACHINES

The proper operation of a canceling machine is a work requiring considerable experience and skill. It is essential not only that the postage on every piece of mail be canceled, in order that the Government may lose no revenue, and that a careful watch be kept to see that the postmark is clear and distinct, but that the mail be so run through the machine as to avoid the possibility of mutilation and damage, and as necessary the machine should be adjusted to thin and thick letters and cards.

Consequently, in order to avoid loss of revenue through the reuse of uncanceled stamps, as well as criticism from the public on account of damaged mail or illegible postmarks, as a general proposition only experienced employees skilled in the operation of such machines should be assigned thereto, and they should be held responsible for the proper cancellation of mail on their machines during their respective tours of duty.

OPERATING SAFES ON FACTORY NUMBERS

The attention of the department has been called to the fact that some postmasters are permitting safes to be operated on the combination numbers assigned at the factory when the safes are shipped.

This should never be done, as the factory numbers are quite generally known. Upon receipt of a safe the combination numbers should be changed at once. Failure to do so may result in loss for which the postmaster would be responsible due to contributory negligence.

The changing of numbers is a simple operation, and full directions as to the method of changing numbers come with every safe. Should assistance in changing the combination numbers be required, the matter should be taken up with the custodian if the safe is used in a Federal building, or with this department if the safe is used in leased or rented quarters.

The particular attention of postmasters at offices located in Federal buildings is invited to the burglar-proof reserve stamp safe furnished by the Treasury Department. This safe has two combination locks, either of which will operate the safe. When such safes are received both combination locks should be changed from the factory shipping numbers, and except in rare instances where two persons must be present for locking and unlocking, the door should be operated alternately on one lock. If any defect in operation is observed, the matter should be reported to the Office of the Supervising Architect, through the custodian of the Federal building.

CORRECTION OF POST-OFFICE LISTS

In connection with the instructions which have been published in the Guide from time to time regarding the correction of mailing lists (see p. 3, October, 1926, and p. 2, January, 1927, Supplements to the Guide), postmasters are informed that upon application information also should be furnished relative to the proper post offices of address for villages and towns without post offices which are shown in atlases, gazetteers, telephone directories, and similar publications. This

service should include the indication of discontinued post offices and furnishing names of post offices serving such places. When lists of such places are submitted for correction or the addition of the proper post offices serving the places named, the information should be furnished, provided, however, that the owners of such lists shall bear all expense incident thereto, including return postage. The charge for clerical services involved shall be made at the rates provided in paragraph 2 of section 508 of the Postal Laws and Regulations for the correction of mailing lists.

Postmasters are directed to give this as much publicity as possible without expense to the department.

CORRECTION OF MAILING LISTS

As correspondence received from postmasters indicates that they do not clearly understand the action to be taken upon requests received for the correction of mailing lists consisting of only a few names, and in some cases of only one name, it has been decided that the interests of all concerned will be best served by setting forth the department's attitude in this matter.

Postmasters are required to furnish up-to-date addresses of their patrons, whether one name or many are involved, upon receipt of requests from list owners, so long as such names are a part of bona fide mailing lists of reputable firms or individuals, and provided these requests are submitted on slips or cards, one name to a slip or card, which should be of the dimensions of a United States postal card, with the name of the owner of the list stamped thereon by the owner in order that no mistake will occur in reassembling the slips or cards for return to the owner.

The department can not consistently discriminate between long and short mailing lists when the names form a part of the circularizing or advertising index of business names or individuals. For instance, a firm may have a mailing list of 50 names, and all but two or three of the addresses may be known to be correct. Under the provisions of section 508, paragraph 2, Postal Laws and Regulations, the owner may have such a partial list corrected to avoid the additional expense of having the entire list verified when only a few names and addresses require correction.

The genuineness of these lists in cases where there may be doubt must be determined by postmasters after careful inquiry. When there may be reason to doubt the genuineness of a list from an unknown out-of-town firm or individual, communication should be had with the postmaster of the firm's or individual's home town or city in order to determine their standing and responsibility. If upon investigation it is found that such a list is legitimate, but that its size has been reduced to a few names simply to avoid a charge at the authorized rate of 65 cents per hour, an understanding should be reached with the owner that the time consumed in revising such lists will be allowed to accumulate until the fractional parts of an hour total one hour or more, when a charge of 65 cents per hour will be made.

Postmasters must be careful to charge only for the actual time consumed in correcting the list and in no case should such charge be out of proportion to the amount of work performed. In connection with this matter attention is invited to the notice printed on page 2 of the January, 1927, Supplement to the Postal Guide.

APARTMENT-HOUSE MAIL RECEPTACLES

List of manufacturers and distributors of one or more designs of apartment-house mail receptacles approved by the Post Office Department, with trade names of boxes

Art Brass and Plating Works, 417 Railroad Avenue South, Seattle, Wash.—“No. 16, Horizontal”; “4, Vertical.”

Auth Electrical Specialty Co. (Inc), 422-430 East Fifty-third Street, New York, N. Y.—“No. 12” and “No. 36.”

James C. Beer, 2229 East Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach, Calif.—“Eureka Mail Box.”

Cole Metal Products Co., 33 Crescent Street, Long Island City, N. Y.—“Cole.”

Columbia Metal Box Co., 226 East One hundred and forty-fourth Street, New York, N. Y.—“Model B.”

- Connecticut Telephone & Electric Co., Meriden, Conn.—“United.”
 Corbin Cabinet Lock Co., New Britain, Conn.—“No. 1712” and “No. 1714.”
 S. H. Couch Co., Norfolk Downs, Mass.—“No. 53” and “No. 73.”
 Coy Manufacturing Works, 3101-3109 South Canal Street, Chicago, Ill.—
 “77-B.”
 L. P. Cross, Gary, Ind.
 Edwards & Co., One hundred and fortieth and Exterior Streets, New York,
 N. Y.
 Graybar Electric Co., 100 East Forty-second Street, New York, N. Y.—
 “1927-No. 77.”
 Francis Keil & Son (Inc.), 401-425 East One hundred and sixty-third Street,
 New York, N. Y.—“Keil.”
 Keyless Lock Co., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Klix Specialty Co., post-office box 221, Chicago, Ill.
 Kolstad Mail Box Co., 318 West First Street, Duluth, Minn.
 The Mail Receptacle Co., 149 Broadway, room 538, New York, N. Y.—
 “Security Mail Receptacle No. 1”; “Security Mail Receptacle No. 2.”
 NePage, McKenny Co., Armour Building, Seattle Wash.—“Nemco No. 2.”
 Pryne & Co., 822 East Clanton Street, Los Angeles, Calif.—“Type A” and
 “Type B.”
 Samson Electric Co., Canton, Mass.—“Samson No. 23.”
 Standard Electric Manufacturing Co., 925-941 Wrightwood Avenue, Chicago,
 Ill.—“Standard.”
 Standard Sales & Manufacturing Co., 103 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y.
 Stanley & Patterson, 150 Varick Street, New York, N. Y.—“De Veau.”
 Star Metal Box Co. (Inc.), 238-246 Forty-sixth Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.—
 “Star.”
 United States Mailevator Co., Yonkers, N. Y.
 The United Metal Box Co., 40-36 Twenty-second Street, Long Island City,
 N. Y.—“United.”
 Universal Pressed Steel Co., Everett, Mass.—“Type 40.”
 James H. Ward & Son (Inc.), Buchanan, Mich.—“Ward Pivoted Mail Box,
 Type 30.”
 The H. Welsch Co., post-office box 256, El Paso, Tex.
 H. Wilhelm, 70-72 Frost Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.—“Wilhelms.”

CLEAN-UP OF UNSIGHTLY MAIL BOXES

Reports are still being received from postmasters who have assisted the department in its campaign to replace dilapidated mail boxes with new and neatly arranged groups of boxes. The department now desires to express its appreciation to the postmasters named below:

Mr. R. L. Mason, acting postmaster, South Pasadena, Calif., who sent in three photographs and report of improvements made along this line.

Mr. A. R. Barrett, postmaster, Rock Hill, S. C., who reports that his rural carriers grouped, painted, and stenciled the boxes on their routes. The department desires to thank these rural carriers.

Mr. T. A. Watson, acting postmaster, Fond du Lac, Wis., who reports the progress of the work being done at his office on mail boxes.

Mr. George S. Robb, postmaster, Salina, Kans., who transmitted report and newspaper article relative to improvements in this respect at his office.

Mr. E. S. Coulter, postmaster, Essex, Conn., who reports the boxes at his office in excellent condition.

The Following Notices Were Issued from the Bureau of the Second Assistant
Postmaster General

W. IRVING GLOVER, SECOND ASSISTANT

CONTRACT AIR MAIL SERVICE

On December 17, 1927, service was inaugurated on two additional contract air mail routes as follows:

ROUTE C. A. M.-20 (PART), BUFFALO TO CLEVELAND, 180 MILES

Westbound *	Dec. 17, 1927	Eastbound *
	(Eastern time)	
2.25 p. m.	Lv. Buffalo, N. Y. ----- Ar.	2.05 p. m.
4.15 p. m.	Ar. Cleveland, Ohio ----- Lv.	12.15 p. m.

ROUTE C. A. M.-24, CHICAGO TO CINCINNATI, 270 MILES

Southbound *	Dec. 17, 1927	Northbound *
6.00 a. m. C. T.	Lv. Chicago, Ill. ----- Ar.	5.45 p. m. C. T.
7.55 a. m. C. T.	----- Indianapolis, Ind. -----	4.00 p. m. C. T.
10.00 a. m. E. T.	Ar. Cincinnati, Ohio ----- Lv.	3.45 p. m. E. T.

* Daily.

DIVISION OF RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE

NONFRAGILE PARCEL-POST PACKAGES—DISTRIBUTION OF

After careful consideration and investigation it has been decided that non-fragile parcel-post packages smaller than an ordinary shoe box and weighing less than 4 pounds shall no longer be kept separate in distribution to be combined in sacks with ordinary papers for the same State or post office, but instead shall be combined and distributed with the larger parcels.

In post offices where direct sacks are made, the smaller parcels are to be included in the sacks with the larger parcels, and the residue dispatched to terminals, to be combined in the same manner. It is believed that this method will materially expedite the movement of this class of mail in transit and in delivery.

Postmasters and supervisory officials of the Railway Mail Service will therefore please issue the necessary instructions to have the distribution of parcel-post mails made in this manner throughout the service effective at once.

DIVISION OF FOREIGN MAILS

BABY (DAY OLD) CHICKS TO CANADA

The department is in receipt of a notice issued by the Ottawa office to postmasters in Canada governing the acceptance of baby chicks in that service in the parcel-post mails for the United States, which notice is quoted below for the information of postmasters in this service when accepting baby chicks destined for offices in Canada:

"Live day-old chicks may be accepted from the 1st of April to June 15, except in British Columbia, where the mailing period will be from March 15 to May 31, at the risk of the sender, for transmission at parcel-post rates to places within Canada and the United States, provided the package in which they are

contained is properly prepared and that delivery can be made to the addressee within 36 hours from the time of posting.

"Day-old chicks must not be accepted for transmission if baggage-car service, 'catch-post' service, or service by water route is necessary; this does not include short water routes which are virtually ferry services. Shippers should consult the district superintendent of postal service for information as to places to which the day-old chicks may be sent.

"Parcels containing day-old chicks can not be insured.

"Shipments of day-old chicks are to be transported outside of mail bags. It is recommended that the shipper affix a legibly written or printed notice to each such package, giving the following instructions, which postal employees are to carefully observe:

"Day-old chicks. This side up. Handle with special care.

"Do not give food or drink to the chicks while in transit.

"Dispatch as quickly as possible and deliver to addressee promptly upon arrival at office of destination.

"Do not place package in mail bag or cover with other mail matter.

"Do not place near hot pipes, stoves, or radiators or expose to cold winds or hot sun.

"As far as possible protect them from all extremes of heat or cold."

The Canadian administration has advised that in past seasons a number of shipments were made from the United States to points in Canada which could not be delivered within the 36-hour period, with the result that some of the chicks were dead when delivered; and postmasters should take care that shipments of baby chicks are accepted only for those places in Canada which are ordinarily reached within 36 hours.

In the circumstances, ordinary (not insured) parcels containing baby chicks will be accepted at the sender's risk when destined for points in Canada during the seasons of the year specified in the excerpt quoted above. Each parcel so received should bear a label, legibly written or printed, giving the same information as that required of Canadian shippers.

SPECIAL-DELIVERY SERVICE WITH BRITISH GUIANA, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 1928

Effective February 1, 1928, articles (registered and unregistered) in the regular mails (letters, post cards, printed matter, commercial papers, and samples) addressed for delivery in British Guiana will be given the benefit of special-delivery service *when prepaid 20 cents, in addition to the regular postage*, by United States special-delivery or other stamps affixed to each article.

The envelopes or covers of articles intended for special delivery in British Guiana should have affixed labels reading "Expres (special delivery)." However, until a supply of the said labels can be secured from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, Division of Equipment and Supplies, the articles should in all cases be marked in red ink "Expres" directly below but never on the stamps.

Insufficiently prepaid articles intended by the senders for special delivery in British Guiana, posted in letter boxes and drops, should be marked by postmasters "Not in special-delivery mail" and dispatched onward to destination as ordinary mail matter whenever such articles can not be returned to the sender for the deficiency in fee without seriously delaying the dispatch thereof.

Articles mailed in British Guiana which are intended for special delivery in this service will be marked "Expres" or have labels affixed bearing that word.

Special-delivery articles received from British Guiana will be subject to the same conditions in their delivery as special-delivery articles in the domestic service, attention being invited especially in this connection to section 1043, Postal Laws and Regulations, 1924, concerning the holding at the post office, to be called for by the addressee, of special-delivery mail believed to contain large sums of money or securities which can not be delivered without unusual risk.

SPECIAL-DELIVERY SERVICE FOR CUBA

It appears that many letters addressed for delivery in Cuba which are intended by the senders to be specially delivered to the addressees are prepaid only 10 cents in addition to the regular postage.

Postmasters will give as much publicity as possible, without expense to the department, to the fact that the fee for the special delivery of letters and other articles in the regular mails to Cuba is the same as that for all other foreign countries; that is, 20 cents in addition to the regular postage.

It should be pointed out to all interested in the special-delivery service to Cuba and other foreign countries that articles which are forwarded without the full prepayment of the special-delivery fee are not specially delivered and the extra postage that has been prepaid is wasted.

SPECIAL-DELIVERY ARTICLES FOR CUBA

Many articles addressed for delivery in Cuba which are intended by the senders to be specially delivered to the addressees and are fully prepaid for such delivery are not marked "Expres" and do not have labels "Expres" affixed.

Postmasters will give as much publicity as possible, without expense to the department, to the requirement that special-delivery articles for Cuba and other foreign countries with which special-delivery service is in force must have "Expres" labels affixed, or be marked "Expres" in red ink directly below, but never on the stamps. Compliance with this requirement is necessary in order to provide for instant observance of the fact that the articles are to be specially delivered, and thereby assure their expeditious handling.

SPECIAL-DELIVERY SERVICE WITH ECUADOR

Articles (registered and unregistered) in the regular mails (letters, post cards printed matter, commercial papers, and samples) addressed for delivery within the carrier-delivery limit of the following cities in Ecuador: Ambato, Azoguez, Babahoyo, Cuenca, Esmeraldas, Guaranda, Guayaquil, Ibarra, Latacunga, Loja, Machala, Quito, Riobamba, and Tulcan, will be given the benefit of special-delivery service *when prepaid 20 cents in addition to the regular postage* by United States special-delivery or other stamps affixed to each article.

The envelopes or covers of articles intended for special delivery in Ecuador should have affixed labels reading "Expres (special delivery)." However, until a supply of the said labels can be secured from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, Division of Equipment and Supplies, the articles should in all cases be marked in red ink "Expres" directly below but never on the stamps.

Insufficiently prepaid articles intended by the senders for special delivery in Ecuador which are posted in letter boxes or drops should be marked by postmasters "Not in special-delivery mail" and be dispatched onward to destination as ordinary mail matter whenever such articles can not be returned without seriously delaying the dispatch thereof.

Articles mailed in Ecuador which are intended for special delivery in this service will be marked "Expreso" or have labels affixed bearing that word and will be subject to the same conditions in their delivery as special-delivery articles in the domestic service, attention being invited especially in this connection to section 1043, Postal Laws and Regulations, 1924, concerning the holding in the post office, to be called for by the addressee, of special-delivery mail which is registered and is believed to contain large sums of money or securities that can not be delivered without unusual risk.

DUTIABLE ARTICLES BEING INCLUDED IN "PRINTS" MAILS TO GREECE

The postal administration of Greece has advised that various articles of value, such as pieces of cloth, handkerchiefs, gloves, penholders, and other articles of merchandise are being inclosed with printed matter transmitted in the "prints" mails to that country.

Postmasters are directed to issue instructions at their offices that a careful watch be kept to prevent the inclosure of other articles in packages of printed matter for foreign countries prepaid at the printed matter rate of 1 cent for each 2 ounces or fraction of 2 ounces.

INSURANCE COMPANIES IN THE UNITED STATES DOING BUSINESS IN MEXICO MUST COMPLY WITH THE GENERAL LAW FOR INSURANCE COMPANIES ISSUED IN MEXICO ON MAY 25, 1926

The postal administration of Mexico has advised this department that, under the general law for insurance companies issued in Mexico on May 25, 1926, mail matter from insurance companies in the United States not authorized in Mexico and destined for delivery in that country, containing receipts or notices of premiums on policies, will be allowed delivery, provided the envelopes are marked "Esta correspondencia no contiene propaganda para contratar seguros" (this correspondence does not contain advertising for contracting policies).

The notice of this office, printed on page 9 of the Postal Guide for December, 1926, is modified accordingly.

AIR-MAIL ROUTES OF THE LONDON-TO-CONTINENT SERVICE WHICH ARE STILL IN OPERATION DURING THE WINTER

This department has been advised by the postal administration of Great Britain that the air-mail service on certain routes from London to the Continent have been suspended during the winter, and only those shown in the subjoined table will be available until further notice. Special attention is called to the fact that the air fee shown in the fourth column of that table is *in addition* to the ordinary postage, special-delivery, or registration fee.

Mail matter intended for dispatch by the above-mentioned air-mail service should be prominently marked in the upper left-hand corner of the envelope or cover with the words "Par avion (By air mail)—London to Continent," so that the articles in assorting may not be overlooked.

Articles for Morocco and western Algeria should, in addition, be plainly marked immediately below the above-mentioned marking with the indication "Par avion de Toulouse," meaning "By air mail from Toulouse," and articles for Dakar should be marked in the same place on the cover with the indication "Par avion de Toulouse a Dakar," meaning "By air mail from Toulouse to Dakar."

All mail articles for this service will be dispatched to New York for onward transmission from that exchange post office.

Postmasters will please cause due notice of the foregoing to be taken at their offices and the widest publicity, without expense to the department, to be given thereto.

Country of destination	Mail closes at the London general post office	Route	Air fee (additional to ordinary postage, special-delivery, or registration fee)	Observations: Principal places served with some indication of the probable time of delivery or of transit, and of the probable gain over the ordinary mail, given regular flight
Africa: North—Algeria (West), Morocco (French Zone), Tangier, Tetuan, Larache.	6 p. m.-----	Ordinary to Toulouse; route 16.	8 cents up to ½ ounce. 16 cents up to 3½ ounces. 8 cents each additional 3½ ounces or fraction.	Tangier and Casablanca second evening or third morning after dispatch (gain of 2-4 days). Oran second evening or third morning after dispatch. Algiers third or fourth morning after dispatch.
West—French Guinea, Senegal, Gambia, Belgian Congo, Sierra Leone.	6 p. m. each Wednesday.	-----do-----	20 cents up to 1 ounce. 24 cents up to 1 ounce. 28 cents up to 3½ ounces. 32 cents up to 7 ounces. 12 cents each additional ounce or fraction.	Dakar 4 days (gain 6-9 days), Gambia (Bathurst), French Guinea (Konakry), in probably every week an earlier arrival or a later posting for the same arrival with average saving of about 4 days. Sierra Leone, a gain of several days in the week when there is no ordinary dispatch by fast steamer on Wednesday. Belgian Congo in the week following an ordinary dispatch by French Packet, a later posting to overtake that packet at Dakar.
Arabia—North-East (Persian Gulf).	Same as Persia.	-----do-----		

Country of destination	Mail closes at the London general post office	Route	Air fee (additional to ordinary postage, special-delivery, or registration fee)	Observations: Principal places served with some indication of the probable time of delivery or of transit, and of the probable gain over the ordinary mail, given regular flight
Belgium.....	8.15 a. m.....	Route 6.....	4 cents per ounce.	Brussels same afternoon. Antwerp same afternoon or evening.
Bulgaria.....	11 a. m.....	Route 3; from Paris by night train.	8 cents per ounce.	Sofia third morning after dispatch.
Denmark.....	6.15 a. m.....	Route 11; from Hamburg by night train.	6 cents per ounce.	Copenhagen next morning.
Finland.....	do.....	do.....	12 cents per ounce.	Helsingfors next afternoon (gain of 1 day).
France.....	11 a. m.....	Route 3.....	4 cents per ounce.	Paris same evening.
Germany:				
(a) Most parts.....	(a) 6.15 a. m..... 8.15 a. m.....	(a) Route 11..... Route 6.....	do.....	Cologne same afternoon or evening. Hamburg same evening. Berlin next morning. Dresden, Breslau, Königsberg, and many other places next day.
(b) Part.....	(b) 1.30 p. m. (except Saturday).	Ordinary to Cologne; routes 9 and 10.	do.....	(b) Frankfort, Mannheim next afternoon. Berlin, Munich, next afternoon, if prepaid for special delivery.
Greece.....	11 a. m. Tuesday and Thursday.	Route 3; from Paris by night train.	8 cents per ounce.	
Holland.....	6.15 a. m.....	Route 11.....	4 cents per ounce.	Amsterdam and Rotterdam same afternoon.
India—North-West.....	6 p. m. each Thursday.	Ordinary to Egypt; route 17; from Basra by sea.	12 cents per ounce.	Karachi 14 days (gain of about 2 days). Provinces served with advantage—Baluchistan, Kashmir, northwest frontier, Punjab, Sind.
Iraq.....	do.....	Ordinary to Egypt; route 17.	6 cents per ounce.	Baghdad 7 days (gain of 16 days), Basra 7½ days (gain of 13 days).
Italy.....	11 a. m.....	Route 3; from Paris by train.	do.....	
Yugoslavia.....	do.....	Route 3; from Paris by night train.	8 cents per ounce.	
Norway.....	6.15 a. m.....	Route 11; from Hamburg by night train.	6 cents per ounce.	Oslo second morning after dispatch.
Persia.....	6 p. m. each Thursday.	Ordinary to Egypt; route 17 from Baghdad or Basra by ordinary services.	do.....	Isfahan (about 10 days), etc. Mohammerah, Bushire, Bunder Abbas a gain of up to 9 days. The air mail normally connects at Basra with the fast Saturday steamer and the slower Sunday steamer or Monday steamer to various Gulf ports.
Spain.....	11 a. m.....	Route 3; from Paris by night train.	4 cents per ounce.	
Sweden.....	6.15 a. m.....	Route 11; from Hamburg by night train.	6 cents per ounce.	Malmo next morning. Stockholm second evening after dispatch, if prepaid for special delivery. Accelerated delivery throughout Sweden.
Switzerland.....	11 a. m.....	Route 3; from Paris by train.	4 cents per ounce.	
Turkey.....	do.....	Route 3; from Paris by night train.	8 cents per ounce.	

- Route 3. London-Paris (noon service).
6. London-Brussels-Cologne.
9. Cologne (morning service) Frankfort-Munich.
10. Cologne (morning service) Berlin.
11. London-Rotterdam-Amsterdam-Hamburg.
16. Toulouse-Casablanca-Oran (Algeria) Dakar.
17. Gaza-Baghdad-Basra.

SCHEDULE OF THE CAIRO-BASRA AIR MAIL SERVICE

Eastbound		Westbound
6.00 ¹ a. m. Thursday.....	Lv.....Cairo.....Ar.	4.45 ¹ p. m. Sunday.
9.00 ¹ a. m. Thursday.....	Lv.....Gaza.....Ar.	1.30 ¹ p. m. Sunday.
5.30 ² p. m. Thursday.....	Ar.....Baghdad.....Lv.	6.00 ² a. m. Sunday.
7.00 ² a. m. Friday.....	Lv.....Baghdad.....Ar.	5.00 ² p. m. Saturday.
10.00 ² a. m. Friday.....	Ar.....Basra.....Lv.	1.30 ² p. m. Saturday.

¹ Local official time, 2 hours ahead of Greenwich.
² Local official time, 3 hours ahead of Greenwich.

The aerial dispatches for the east arriving at Port Said on Wednesday by the Peninsular and Oriental Line are now directed to Cairo by rail the same day and arrive soon enough for delivery to the airplane leaving Cairo the following morning.

RETURN RECEIPTS

It has been noticed that postmasters are failing to complete Form 3870 (return receipt) to include the name and address of the mailer.

Inasmuch as the omission of this information either results in the delay or failure of the return receipt to reach the mailer, it is requested that the utmost care be exercised in the future to see that the cards are properly completed before dispatch with the article to which they refer.

PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE TRANSPORTATION BY UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SERVICE OF ARTICLES IN THE REGULAR MAILS FOR FOREIGN COUNTRIES, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1928, UNDER THE PROVISIONS ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 10, 1927, BY THE INTERNATIONAL AIR MAIL CONFERENCE OF THE HAGUE

In addition to letters and packages paid at the letter rate, post cards (single or reply-paid), commercial papers, samples of merchandise, and prints of all kinds (including raised prints for the blind), ordinary and registered, which are mailed in this country to foreign countries or which are received from foreign countries for delivery in this country or for dispatch through this country to countries beyond, may be transmitted by the United States Air Mail Service.

Regardless of its classification, each article must be prepaid for such transmission at the postage rate or fee applicable to letters, as set forth in sections 2 and 3 on page 174.

Registered articles are subject, in addition to the postage, to the regular registry fee, and indemnity will be paid in connection therewith under the same conditions as for other registered articles.

Special delivery at the place of destination is not covered by the air-mail postage. If special delivery is desired, as well as transmission by air, an extra fee (20 cents to all countries with which special-delivery service is in force) must be paid.

INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID OR UNPREPAID AIR MAIL ARTICLES

In case of insufficient prepayment, air mail articles are sent by the air route when the charges paid represent at least the amount of the aerial surcharge.

Any deficiency in postage on articles forwarded by air mail shall be collected from the addressee at the double rate, with a minimum charge of 10 centimes gold (2 cents).

In the case of total lack of prepayment (both ordinary postage and air mail postage or fee), or when the prepayment is less than the amount of the air mail postage or fee, articles intended to be transmitted by air mail are subject to the same treatment as are totally unpaid or insufficiently prepaid ordinary articles, including their forwarding by the ordinary means when sufficiently prepaid therefor, or their return to the senders for the necessary additional postage, in appropriate cases, and the computation of postage due thereon on the same basis as ordinary articles.

When articles marked to be sent by air mail are sent forward by the ordinary means, either because of insufficient prepayment or when the transmission by

United States air mail is ended and they are to be dispatched onward to destination only by the ordinary means, every annotation relative to the transmission by the air route must be canceled officially by means of two heavy transverse lines.

DELIVERY OF AIR-MAIL ARTICLES

Air-mail articles from foreign countries must be delivered as quickly as possible and must at least be included in the first delivery following their arrival at the office of destination.

Special delivery air-mail articles must be delivered by special messenger in the same manner as other special-delivery articles.

REDIRECTION AND RETURN OF AIR-MAIL ARTICLES

Air-mail articles from foreign countries addressed to persons who have changed their residence are forwarded to the new destination by the ordinary means unless the addressee, has expressly requested their redirection by air mail and has paid in advance, to the forwarding office, the aerial postage for the new route. Undeliverable air-mail articles are returned to origin by the ordinary means.

If the redirection or return is made by the ordinary means, every annotation relative to the transmission by the air-route must be canceled officially by means of two heavy transverse lines.

FRANKING PRIVILEGE FOR CORRESPONDENCE OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS AND OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF CONSULATES OF PAN AMERICAN COUNTRIES

As the postal administration of Peru has granted the franking privilege to the official correspondence of United States consuls and vice consuls when acting as consuls, the words "and Peru" in the parentheses in the sixteenth line of the notice of this office which bore the above caption and was published in the December, 1927, Postal Guide as Change No. 92, and the same words in that "Change," that is, "and Peru" in the parentheses at the end of the seventh and at the beginning of the eighth line at the top of page 45 of the said Guide, should also be deleted.

The Following Notices Were Issued from the Bureau of the Third Assistant Postmaster General

ROBERT S. REGAR, THIRD ASSISTANT

DIVISION OF CLASSIFICATION

FORMS 3540 AND 3548 NOT BEARING NAMES OF POST OFFICES SENDING NOTICES

This office is in receipt of card Form 3540 addressed to Mrs. N. L. Gilliland, 405 South Main Street, Lenoir, N. C. The card does not show what class of mail is being held for postage nor the amount of postage due. The card is postmarked but only the initials "N. C." and the date "Dec. 12" are legible.

Form 3540 has been sent by a postmaster under date of December 27, 1927, to E. P. Reed & Co., Rochester, N. Y., stating that a parcel mailed by that company addressed to S. S. Smith is unclaimed. The card, Form 3540, however, does not bear the name of the office sending it nor the amount of postage required for the return of the parcel and the card is illegibly postmarked.

Form 3540 addressed to Speer Drug Co., 213 North Front Street, Wilmington, N. C., has been sent by a postmaster advising that company that a parcel addressed to the Speer Drug Co. is being held as undeliverable, 9 cents being indicated as the amount of postage required for the return of the undeliverable parcel. The notice is illegibly postmarked and does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent.

Form 3540 has been sent by a postmaster to the Seiberling Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, stating that two pieces of printed matter are being held as undeliverable,

the amount of postage indicated as necessary for the return of the matter being 12 cents. This card is not postmarked and does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent.

Form 3548 has been sent to Robt. F. Shipley, care of Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co., Billings, Mont., stating that a letter addressed to him is being held for 2 cents postage. The card does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent nor is it postmarked.

Form 3548 has been sent to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mulvaney, Billings, Mont., informing the addressees that a letter is being held for 2 cents postage. The card does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent nor is it postmarked. It appears to have been sent by the same postmaster as the notice referred to in the preceding paragraph.

Form 3548 has been sent to Miss Lucy Walborn, Second Street, Towanda, Pa., advising Miss Walborn that a letter is being held for 2 cents postage. The card does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent and it is not postmarked.

Form 3548 has been sent to H. N. Barnard, care of Rupp Bowman Co., Toledo, Ohio, advising Mr. Barnard that a parcel of merchandise addressed to him is being held for 4½ cents postage. The form does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent and is not postmarked.

Form 3548 has been sent to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Henderson, Temple, Okla., stating that a letter for the addressees is being held for 2 cents postage. The card does not bear the name of the post office and State from which it was sent and it is not postmarked.

The postmasters at the offices from which the notices above referred to were sent will promptly communicate with the addressees and in each case inclose another Form 3540 or 3548, as the case may be, completely and properly filled out.

POSTAGE MUST BE PREPAID ON PARCELS RETURNED BY ADDRESSEES TO SENDERS

It appears that some postmasters are erroneously accepting and dispatching parcels presented by addressees for return to the original mailers without prepayment of the return postage. The misunderstanding apparently arises from the practice of certain business concerns of mailing merchandise to prospective customers with the understanding that it may be returned if after examination it is not desired. Such parcels usually bear a pledge to pay the return postage if undeliverable and the recipients erroneously assume that under this pledge they may examine the parcels and, if they do not desire to keep them, return them without prepaying the return postage. As a matter of fact, this pledge applies only to parcels which are not delivered.

There is no provision of the Postal Laws and Regulations under which matter, after it has been delivered to the addressee and examined by him, can be returned to the sender by mail charged with the return postage to be collected on delivery. Such parcels may not be remailed by the addressee without a new prepayment of postage and the parcels should be inclosed in a new envelope or wrapper to assure prompt transmission.

PLANTS AND PLANT PRODUCTS ADDRESSED TO PLACES IN MISSISSIPPI

Postmasters in the State of Mississippi are informed that Durant is no longer a terminal inspection point for mail shipments of plants and plant products shipped into that State and that the complete list of such terminal inspection points in Mississippi is as follows:

A. & M. College.	Houston.	Poplarville.
Biloxi.	Jackson.	Senatobia.
Brookhaven.	Laurel.	Starkville.
Cleveland.	Meridian.	Tupelo.
Corinth.	Moss Point.	West Jackson.
Grenada.	Natchez.	Yazoo City.
Gulfport.	Ocean Springs.	
Holly Springs.	Pascagoula.	

Upon receiving the required postage as prescribed by paragraph 3, section 468, Postal Laws and Regulations, parcels containing plants and plant products subject to terminal inspection should be sent to the inspection point nearest the office of address.

DIVISION OF STAMPS

STAMPED WINDOW ENVELOPES TO BE SOLD IN FULL BOX LOTS

Postmasters are advised hereafter to restrict the sale of unprinted stamped window envelopes to full box lots or multiples thereof, and only on condition that the purchaser agrees to place his return card thereon before mailing, as required by the instructions in paragraph 111, page 21, of the Official Postal Guide.

The enforcement of this rule is necessary because an excessive amount of mail in plain window envelopes is being constantly received in the Dead Letter Office as unmailable matter where the sender failed to place his name and address on the envelopes before mailing. This condition is largely due to the sale of window envelopes in small quantities to patrons who have no facilities for printing their return cards thereon. As there does not appear to be any real need for the use of window envelopes by those whose mailings are too small to justify the purchase of 500 envelopes at a time in sizes Nos. 5 and 13, or 250 in Nos. 7 and 8, the sale of window envelopes in less than full box lots, and under the other conditions herein specified, will be discontinued.

REQUISITIONS FOR POSTAL CARDS TO BE PROPERLY PREPARED

Many requisitions are being received in the department from postmasters for No. 8 1-cent sheet postal cards in cases of 10,000 in lieu of cases of 12,000 as specified for the packing of such cards in paragraph 16, page 33, of the current Postal Guide.

Although No. 8 1-cent cards in sheets as now manufactured contain 40, instead of 48, cards to the large sheet, no modification has been made in the total number of 12,000 cards to the case, which will continue until further notice.

Requisitions are also frequently received for postal cards when the quantities called for, or value extended, indicate that the item has been entered on the wrong line, causing uncertainty as to whether sheet or cut cards are desired or whether No. 8 1-cent single or No. 6 1-cent reply cards are to be furnished.

To avoid these irregularities in the future, postmasters will please see that the items on card requisitions are carefully checked before being sent to the department and that the stock packing is adhered to.

NEW SIZE STAMP COIL NOW AVAILABLE

Postmasters are advised that the department is now in a position to supply coils of 2-cent stamps containing 3,000 stamps each for use in special stamp-affixing equipment requiring coils of larger size than those heretofore available. The stamps are sidewise perforated and wound with the gummed side of the strips on the outside. The coil is approximately $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter and contains a core having an inside diameter of $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches. Because of the special arrangement, the new coil is not suitable for use in ordinary style vending and affixing machines. The sale price will be \$60.18 per coil. Until further notice, the new coil will not be available in any denomination or style other than as herein specified.

Postmasters having demand for coils of the new size may submit requisitions for the quantities needed.

DIVISION OF REGISTERED MAIL

TEMPORARY DISCONTINUANCE OF THE ACCEPTANCE OF COLLECT-ON-DELIVERY REGISTERED PARCELS FOR CERTAIN POST OFFICES IN MEXICO

The postal administration of Mexico has advised that for special reasons the collect-on-delivery service has temporarily been discontinued in the following post offices in Mexico:

Aguililla, Mich.	Ometepec, Gro.
Amatitan, Jal.	Paracuaro, Mich.
Apatzingan, Mich.	Petatlan, Gro.
Arteaga, Mich.	Pichucalco, Chis.
Atenguillo, Jal.	Pinotepa Nacional, Oax.
Ayo El Chico, Jal.	Puerto Vallarta, Jal.
Ayutla, Gro.	Pungarabato, Gro.
Calvillo, Ags.	Sanchez Roman, Zac.
Cd. Manuel Doblado, Gto.	San Dimas, Dgo.
Coalcoman, Mich.	San Gabriel, Jal.
Cocula, Jal.	San Juan Del Teul, Zac.
Colotlan, Jal.	Talpa De Allende, Jal.
Cotija, Mich.	Tamazunchale, S. L. P.
Coyuca De Catalan, Gro.	Tancanhuitz, S. L. P.
Cuquio, Jal.	Tancitaro, Mich.
El Salto, Dgo.	Tecolotlan, Jal.
Gutierrez Zamora, Ver.	Tecpan De Galeana, Gro.
Huetamo De Nunez, Mich.	Temaxcaltepec, Mex.
Jalpa, Zac.	Tenamaxtlan, Jal.
Juchipila, Zac.	Tenosique, Tab.
La Dura, Son.	Teocuitatlan, Jal.
Martinez De La Torre, Ver.	Tlajomulco, Jal.
Mascota, Jal.	Tonila, Jal.
Mexicacan, Jal.	Tototlan, Jal.
Misantla, Ver.	Union De San Antonio, Jal.
Nautla, Ver.	Union De Tula, Jal.
Nochixtlan, Zac.	Yahualica, Jal.

Pending the receipt of further instructions, postmasters will refrain from accepting collect-on-delivery parcels addressed to the post offices in Mexico mentioned above. The list of post offices, branches, stations, and postal agencies in Mexico in the Money Order Register of August, 1927, is modified accordingly.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF SENDER MUST APPEAR ON REGISTERED MAIL

The instances in which the name and address of the sender have been omitted on mail accepted for registration have been sufficiently numerous to attract the attention of the department.

The special attention of postmasters and postal employees is therefore directed to section 860 of the Postal Laws and Regulations which requires that all mail accepted for registration in the United States, whether domestic or international, shall bear the name and address of the sender.

No exceptions have been permitted to the requirements of this section and it is expected that the provisions of the section will be complied with at all times.

ERRONEOUS ACCEPTANCE OF PARCELS ADDRESSED TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES FOR INSURANCE OR TRANSMISSION AS C. O. D. MAIL

Parcels addressed to foreign countries other than Mexico can not be sent collect on delivery. They can not be sent as insured mail to any foreign countries other than Canada, Great Britain and northern Ireland, the Irish Free State, Newfoundland (including Labrador), the Netherlands, and Portugal (including Madeira and the Azores). (See arts. 112 to 134, pp. 134 to 139, of the July,

1927, Postal Guide relative to international insurance and C. O. D. services.) It is expected that international-insurance service will be established with other foreign countries in the near future, of which due notice will be given.

Parcels erroneously accepted as insured or C. O. D. mail addressed to foreign countries with which insurance or collect-on-delivery service has not been established (including C. O. D. parcels addressed to the Canal Zone and the Philippine Islands), received in transit, must be conspicuously indorsed "Returned, insured contrary to instructions," or "Returned, sent C. O. D. contrary to instructions," as may be proper, and returned to the mailing office. Report these irregularities to the Third Assistant Postmaster General, Division of Registered Mails.

Postal employees involved should be on the alert to avoid the acceptance for insurance or transmission as C. O. D. mail of parcels addressed to foreign countries with which such services have not been established. Since no indemnity may be paid on account of the loss, rifling, or damage of parcels addressed to foreign countries which are *erroneously* accepted for insurance or transmission as C. O. D. mail, the postal employees at fault may be held personally responsible for any loss resulting from the erroneous acceptance of the parcels.

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1928, CLAIMS FOR INDEMNITY WILL BE PAID BY CHECKS ON TREASURER OF UNITED STATES—NO NOTICE TO POSTMASTERS OF PAYMENT OR DISAPPROVAL TO BE FURNISHED BY PAYING OFFICE

Effective January 1, 1928, claims for indemnity involving domestic insured and C. O. D. mail will be paid by means of checks drawn on the Treasurer of the United States instead of by voucher checks drawn on national banks as at present.

No notice of payment or disapproval will be sent to the postmaster at the office of mailing when the sender is the claimant, and no notice will be sent to either the postmaster at the office of mailing or the postmaster at the office of address when the addressee is the claimant. Postmasters at the offices of mailing will close their records on receipt of notice from postmasters at offices of address that the claim papers have been sent to the proper paying office, and postmasters at the offices of address will close their records when the claim papers are sent to the proper paying office. The instructions contained in article 316, pages 167 and 168 of the July, 1927, Postal Guide, regarding the sending of notices of payment or disapproval are rescinded.

The provisions of article 230, page 156 of the July, 1927, Postal Guide, will not be affected and when claim papers are forwarded from one post office to another, the postmaster forwarding the claim papers will notify the postmaster from whom the claim papers were received as to the disposition made thereof, using Form 3819 for the purpose.

ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS FOR INDEMNITY INVOLVING INSURED OR C. O. D. PARCELS MAILED AT OR ADDRESSED TO THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Effective January 1, 1928, claims for indemnity involving insured or C. O. D. parcels mailed at or addressed to post offices in the Virgin Islands will be adjusted by the postmaster at San Juan, P. R., instead of by the postmaster at St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, if the payees are located in the Virgin Islands or Porto Rico; but where the payees are located elsewhere in the United States, the claims for indemnity are to be adjusted by the postmaster at New York, N. Y., as at present.

Article 301, paragraph (e), page 166, of the July, 1927, Postal Guide, is amended to read as follows:

"(e) *Virgin Islands.*—Effective January 1, 1928, claims for indemnity involving parcels mailed at or addressed to post offices in the Virgin Islands, upon completion, should be sent to the postmaster at San Juan, P. R., if the payees are located in the Virgin Islands or Porto Rico; but if payment is to be made elsewhere in the United States, the claims for indemnity should be transmitted to the postmaster at New York, N. Y.

IMPROPER TREATMENT OF C. O. D. PARCELS AT ADDRESS OFFICES

The department continues to receive complaints to the effect that undeliverable C. O. D. parcels are being prematurely returned to the senders or are being held for periods in excess of those indicated in the sender's return requests.

The sender should at once be notified (on Form 3540) when a C. O. D. parcel is refused or the addressee is unknown or can not be found at the place to which the parcel is addressed, or the parcel is addressed to a street address or locality that does not exist at the office of address. After such notice has been sent the parcel should, unless instructions to the contrary are received from the sender, be held for the time indicated in the sender's return request, but not to exceed 30 days, or for 30 days if no period is stated and then, if undelivered, returned to the sender, rated up for collection of the return postage.

Postmasters are requested to give their personal attention to this matter with a view to eliminating the complained of irregularities. In this connection attention is invited to the requirements of article 183, page 148, of the July, 1927, Postal Guide.

The Following Notices Were Issued from the Bureau of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General

H. H. BILLANY, FOURTH ASSISTANT

ADVERTISING MATTER FOR DELIVERY ON RURAL ROUTES

It is not believed that as full use is made of the opportunity afforded merchants, manufacturers, and other business concerns to inform patrons of rural delivery of the products they have to offer, as would be the case if it were generally known with what little trouble advertising matter may be prepared and mailed for delivery by rural carriers.

When it is desired to send a piece of advertising or other matter as ordinary mail to every box holder on a rural route, the name and box number of the addressee may be omitted, provided each piece is definitely addressed in the following manner:

Box holder,
Route 1,
Bristol, Tenn.

postage at the proper rate is fully prepaid thereon, and all the pieces for the same route are put up by the mailer in a package labeled, preferably by means of a facing slip, as follows:

For distribution to box holders,
Route 1,
Bristol, Tenn.

Postmasters are permitted to furnish information as to the number of rural routes at their offices and the number of boxes served by each carrier, after satisfying themselves that such information is not to be used for any improper or unlawful purpose. Information as to the number of boxes on the routes throughout the country is not available at the department.

As a valuable service at low cost is available to those who probably would be glad to make use of it if they were aware of its availability, postmasters are requested to bring to the attention of the business men of their communities the advantages offered by this method of advertising, and to secure for it as much publicity through the local press and otherwise as they may be able to obtain without cost to the department.

CAREFUL HANDLING OF "BOX-HOLDER" MAIL REQUIRED

The attention of postmasters and rural carriers is particularly called to the preceding article under the caption, "Advertising matter for delivery on rural routes." This article is intended to bring about an extended use of the mails in the manner suggested and as provided for by paragraph 5 of section 457, Postal Laws and Regulations of 1924.

It is necessary and expected that matter addressed and mailed under the conditions stated shall be handled with the same care and consideration as is required with respect to other mail.

Carriers should deposit but one piece in each box on their routes, and where the number furnished is sufficient will see to it that one is deposited in each and every box. On the other hand, where the number furnished is greater than the number of boxes, the number in excess is to be returned to the post office for proper disposition. In no circumstances is this or any other class of mail to be carelessly handled or destroyed by carriers.

DATA REQUIRED TO BE KEPT ON FORM 4240 BY RURAL CARRIERS

As there seems to be doubt in the minds of postmasters and rural carriers as to the record required to be kept on Form 4240, trip report of rural carrier, it is deemed appropriate to state that the carriers on routes that are served daily except Sunday are to keep a complete record of the items on the face of the form, except those relating to lock-pouch mail carried. They are not to keep any of the data mentioned on the reverse of the form, except during the first 15 days in the month of May of each year. The carriers on tri-weekly routes, however, will include in their reports a record of the mail delivered and collected by them each schedule day.

PARKING SPACE FOR RURAL CARRIERS

Appeals are frequently made to the department that definite action be taken toward having suitable parking space provided in the vicinity of post offices for the conveyances of rural carriers, and that they be given the right to use such space for such time as may be necessary before and after serving their routes.

In view of the fact that the regulations of the department require that rural carriers report at post offices with their conveyances before beginning service over their routes and shall return in their conveyances to the post office after completing service over their routes, obviously parking space is absolutely necessary.

The matter is brought to the attention of postmasters, who are instructed to arrange, if practicable, for the use by rural carriers of as much of available parking space about the post-office building as may be essential for the rural carriers during the portions of each day that it is needed by them. If only the streets or public spaces are available for parking, postmasters will request the local authorities to extend the rural carriers the privilege of using public space convenient to the post office, pointing out that this is very necessary in view of the weight and volume of the mail that they must carry between the office and their vehicles.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN THE GROUPING OF BOXES

Reports received indicate that much interest is being manifested by postmasters, postal employees, and patrons of the Postal Service in the effort being made by the department to have boxes in suburban and rural areas grouped and reerected on stands, constructed along lines previously recommended in supersedure of the irregular arrangement so often observed along the highways.

We especially acknowledge the cooperation in this good work of the following rural carriers:

- Edward Collens, rural carrier, route A, Summerfield, Fla.
- Charles Butterbaugh, rural carrier, No. 3, Oregon, Ill.
- John Lehman, rural carrier, route B, Gary, Ind.
- Edmond M. Bowers, rural carrier, No. 1, Rockwell City, Iowa.
- Charles L. Melody, rural carrier, No. 2, Rockwell City, Iowa.
- Abram L. Hunt, rural carrier, No. 3, Rockwell City, Iowa.
- Frank W. Hicks, rural carrier, No. 4, Rockwell City, Iowa.
- Andrew Hansen, rural carrier, No. 6, Rockwell City, Iowa.
- Myron E. Whitney, rural carrier, No. 5, Waterloo, Iowa.
- Charles K. Wilson, rural carrier, No. 1, Rush City, Minn.
- Elmer Robinson, rural carrier, No. 3, Rush City, Minn.
- Vivian O. Campbell, rural carrier, route B, Collins, Miss.
- Otto B. Ankershell, rural carrier, No. 1, Marston, Mo.
- Harry G. Anderson, rural carrier, No. 1, Havelock, Nebr.

Ernest T. Pittman, rural carrier, No. 3, Whitakers, N. C.
 C. A. Kelly, rural carrier, No. 1, Fordville, N. Dak.
 Ira S. Ebersole, rural carrier, No. 1, Chambersburg, Pa.
 David H. Zarger, rural carrier, No. 11, Chambersburg, Pa.
 Bert A. Hester, rural carrier, No. 6, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.
 Claude Reagan, rural carrier, No. 1, Brownwood, Tex.
 E. B. Clardy, rural carrier, No. 2, Brownwood, Tex.
 C. L. Allcorn, rural carrier, No. 3, Brownwood, Tex.
 W. G. Harris, rural carrier, No. 4, Brownwood, Tex.
 J. C. Aubrey, rural carrier, No. 5, Brownwood, Tex.
 A. D. Stephenson, rural carrier, No. 6, Brownwood, Tex.
 Walter L. Underwood, rural carrier, route A, Pleasanton, Tex.
 E. J. Traylor, rural carrier, No. 1, Lynchburg, Va.

ADDITIONAL RURAL ROUTES ON WHICH THE MAIL BOXES OF ALL PATRONS HAVE BEEN PAINTED

We have recently been informed that on the following routes all of the mail boxes maintained by the patrons have been painted white in accordance with prior requests:

	Route No.		Route No.
Compton, Ill.....	1	New London, N. C.....	1, 2
Nobile, Ill.....	1	Whitakers, N. C.....	3
Oregon, Ill.....	3	Fordville, N. Dak.....	1
Gary, Ind.....	B	Hillsboro, N. Dak.....	3
Rockwell City, Iowa.....	1, 2, 3, 4, 6	Greencastle, Pa.....	1
Waterloo, Iowa.....	5	Mill Village, Pa.....	1
Clyde, Kans.....	2	Somerset, Pa.....	4
Ogallah, Kans.....	2	Sioux Falls, S. Dak.....	6
Silver Spring, Md.....	1	Oakdale, Tenn.....	2
Rush City, Minn.....	1, 3	Pleasanton, Tex.....	A
Springfield, Minn.....	4	Lynchburg, Va.....	1

This makes 926 routes on which this work has been completed.

CONCERNS AUTHORIZED TO MANUFACTURE AND SELL MAIL BOXES FOR USE ON RURAL AND STAR ROUTES

The following list shows the manufacturers of mail boxes, the respective shipping points, and the prices of the two sizes of boxes, as manufactured in accordance with specifications mentioned in section 813, Postal Laws and Regulations:

Manufacturer	Shipping point	Prices f. o. b. post office or cars
American Sheet Metal Works, Carrollton Avenue and Edinburgh Street, New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.	No. 1, \$1.50.
Cincinnati Pump Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.....	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	No. 1, \$1.20.
Deshler Mail Box Co., Deshler, Ohio.....	Deshler, Ohio.....	No. 1, \$1.75.
H. E. Hessler Co., 508-516 North Salina Street, Syracuse, N. Y.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	No. 1, \$1.50.
Johnson Manufacturing Co., Irene, S. Dak.....	Irene, S. Dak.....	No. 1, \$3.00.
Kolstad Mail Box Co., 402 West First Street, Duluth, Minn.....	Duluth, Minn.....	No. 1, \$4.00. No. 2, \$5.50.
Northwestern Mail Box Co., 5029-5035 McKissock Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.	St. Louis, Mo.....	No. 1, \$1.75. No. 2, \$4.00.
Northwestern Sheet Metal Mfg. Co., 149-153 West Spokane Street, Seattle, Wash.	Seattle, Wash.....	No. 1, \$1.25.
Pacific Stove & Stamping Co., Hood and Cushman Streets, Tacoma, Wash.	Tacoma, Wash.....	No. 1, \$1.25.
Phillips & Buttorff Mfg. Co., Nashville, Tenn.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	No. 1, \$1.50.
Schmid Bros., Conestoga and Filbert Streets, Lancaster, Pa.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	No. 1, \$1.50.
S. C. Sherry Co. (Inc.), Englewood, N. J.....	Englewood, N. J.....	No. 1, \$3.00.
Superior Sheet Metal Works Co., 3201 Roosevelt Avenue, Indianapolis, Ind.	Indianapolis, Ind.....	No. 1, \$1.75. No. 2, \$3.75.
The Madewell Pipe & Culvert Works, East Twelfth Street and Twenty-fifth Avenue, Oakland, Calif.	Oakland, Calif.....	No. 1, \$1.50.
The Superior Stamping Co., Second and Elm Streets, Cincinnati, Ohio.	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	No. 1, \$1.50.
United States Mail Box Co., Owensboro, Ky.....	Owensboro, Ky.....	No. 1, \$2.00. No. 2, \$3.50.
Western Steel Products Co., Duluth, Minn.....	Duluth, Minn.....	No. 1, \$1.50. No. 2, \$3.50.

REGISTRY CHANGES

DISPATCHES OF REGISTERED MAIL CLOSED WITH ROTARY LOCKS

The following should be added to the list of third and fourth class offices, branches, and stations, and Navy mail clerks in possession of rotary-lock keys, printed on pages 118 to 122, inclusive, of the July, 1927, Postal Guide:

Post offices, branches, and stations:

- Akiak, Alaska.
- Blenville, La.
- Borger, Tex.
- Cairo, N. Y.
- Calhoun City, Miss.
- Clarkdale, Ariz.
- Classified Financial Sta. No. 4, Los Angeles, Calif.
- Columbus, Mont.
- Damariscotta, Me.
- Elmwood Sta., Syracuse, N. Y.
- Erwin, N. C.
- Fayette, Miss.
- Federal Reserve Sta., Atlanta, Ga.
- Fort Huachuca, Ariz.
- Gasport, N. Y.
- Grantsburg, Wis.
- Jasper, Fla.
- Jonesville, Mich.
- Limon, Colo.
- Luling, La.
- Monticello, Ga.
- Odessa, Tex.
- Pelahatchie, Miss.
- Pelham Manor, Ind. Br., New York, N. Y.
- Perryton, Tex.
- Pleasanton, Kans.

Post offices, branches, and stations—Continued.

- Point Place Contract Br., Toledo, Ohio.
- Raceland, La.
- Ramona, Calif.
- Rialto, Calif.
- Ridgefield, N. J.
- Rolling Fork, Miss.
- Saint Albans Br., Jamaica, N. Y.
- Saint James, La.
- Saint Martinsville, La.
- Sallis, Miss.
- San Ysidro, Calif.
- Shortsville, N. Y.
- Shubuta, Miss.
- Sumrall, Miss.
- Texhoma, Okla.
- Vacherie, La.
- Wallace, N. C.
- Waterproof, La.
- West Point, Va.
- Woolsey Sta., Long Island City, N. Y.
- Zama, Miss.

Navy mail clerks:

- U. S. S. Bruce.
- U. S. S. Preston.
- U. S. S. Reuben James.
- U. S. S. Saratoga.

The following should be removed from the list of third and fourth class offices, branches, and stations, and Navy mail clerks in possession of rotary-lock keys, printed on pages 118 to 122, inclusive, of the July, 1927, Postal Guide:

Navy mail clerks:

- U. S. S. Altair.
- U. S. S. Argonne.
- U. S. S. Eagle No. 35.

Navy mail clerks—Continued.

- U. S. S. Oklahoma.
- U. S. S. Seattle.
- U. S. S. Tracy.

INDEPENDENT BRANCH POST OFFICES AND STATIONS

Designated since the publication of or omitted from the July, 1927, Postal Guide up to December 31, 1927. See sections 288 and 947 of the Postal Laws and Regulations of 1924

State	Branch or station	Post office to which attached
Alabama	Albany	Station Decatur.
Florida	Manatee	Branch Bradenton.
New Hampshire	Sugar Hill	Station Lisbon.
New Jersey	Bogota	Branch Hackensack.
West Virginia	South Charleston	Branch Charleston.

LATEST CHANGES IN POST OFFICES

June 1 to December 31, 1927

NOTE.—This list, taken in connection with the list of offices in the GUIDE for July, 1927, shows the offices in operation. Former monthly lists should be disregarded.

Commencing with the August supplement to the POSTAL GUIDE, the radical sign (√) before the name of an office will indicate information not previously published.

- A. Alphabetical list.
- S. State list.
- C. County list.
- N. New name of office.
- D. Office established since publication of July GUIDE and afterwards discontinued or name changed.
- Domestic money-order offices.
- † International money-order offices.
- ° Postal-savings depositories.
- § Summer offices.
- || Winter offices.

PARCEL POST CHANGES. The unit number appears between the office and the county.

ALABAMA	Correction	
<i>Established and names changed</i>	Yarbo, insert A. list.	73172 Garber* 2677..... Johnson
38938 Majestic* (N) 2031..... Jefferson	{Former Muscle Shoals name changed.	73246 √ Kay* 2627..... Searcy
38938 Muscle Shoals* 2123..... Colbert	ALASKA	74315 Waterloo*, 2681..... Nevada
38957 Nitrate Plant* (N) 2124..... Colbert	<i>Established</i>	<i>Station, Clarksville</i>
38048 Old Spring Hill* 2134..... Marengo	05727 √ Girdwood 3, 61-149.	72865 College.
38249 Saraland* 2187..... Mobile	05676 King Cove* 3, 55-162.	<i>Sites changed</i>
<i>Stations, Decatur</i>	<i>Discontinued</i>	Harper Springs, Sevier, now in Howard County.
38603 °Albany† (Ind.).	05538 Ferry 4, 64-149..... Nenana	Murillo, Searcy, now in Van Buren County.
38619 C. O. D.	05652 Riddiford 3, 60-150..... Lawing	<i>Discontinued</i>
38608 No. 1.	05712 Roosevelt 4, 64-150..... Nenana	72045 Anrep*, Jefferson..... Bayou Meto
38612 No. 2.	05658 Saltchuck*, 1, 56-133..... Kasaan	74646 Beasley, Poinsett..... Tyronza
38618 No. 3.	ARIZONA	74378 Bluetip*, Stone..... Marcella
<i>Station, Eufaula</i>	<i>Established and names changed</i>	72919 Creigh, Monroe..... Marvell
39103 C. O. D.	05036 Halloysite* (N) 4278..... Apache	72963 Dee*, Craighead Jonesboro..... Denton*, Lawrence..... Imboden
<i>Names changed</i>	05106 Harqua 4632..... Maricopa	73016 Drab, Hempstead Blevins..... Douglas*, Lincoln..... Gould
39536 √ Haig* to Majestic.	05441 Katherine* 4828..... Mohave	74651 El Central, Desha..... Ferguson
38987 Muscle Shoals† to Nitrate Plant.	05147 Marble Canyon 4525..... Coconino	74447 Fairview*, Dallas..... Manning
<i>Number changed</i>	05316 Parker Canyon* (N) 4436..... Santa Cruz	73508 Legels*, Bradley..... Ingalls
√ Coal Bluff, unit 2085 not 2135.	05172 Olberg* 4532..... Pinal	73528 Linville*, Franklin..... Ozark
<i>County seats changed</i>	05392 Portal* 4285..... Cochise	73569 Lyko, Lincoln..... Gould
Alexander City, not Dadeville, is now (ch.) of Tallapoosa County.	05458 Tacna 4783..... Yuma	74638 McFerren*, Mississippi..... Osceola
Ashville to be omitted as (ch.) of St. Clair County.	05281 √ Williams Camp 4432..... Gila	73602 Mante*, Madison..... Huntsville
Montevallo, not Columbia, is now (ch.) of Shelby County.	05461 Woolaroc 4282..... Greenlee	73665 Modoc*, Phillips..... Elaine
Eufaula is also (ch.) of Barbour County.	<i>Station, Phoenix</i>	73809 Palmer*, Monroe..... Holly Grove
<i>Discontinued</i>	05377 No. 4.	73917 Quinn*, Union..... El Dorado
39700 Albany†, Morgan..... Albany Station, Decatur	<i>Names changed</i>	74017 Ryan*, Lonoke..... England
38239 Bloomfield Madison..... Elon	05036 Chambers* to Halloysite.	74137 √ Stillwater, Yell..... Onyx
39630 Coal Fire*, Pickens..... Reform	05316 Parker Canon* to Parker Canyon.	74199 Todd, Lincoln..... Meroney
38617 Gatewood*, Baldwin..... Muscogee, Fla.	<i>Discontinued</i>	74204 Tollette*, Howard..... Mineral Springs
39529 Institute*, Wilcox..... Snow Hill	05108 √ Date Creek*, Yavapai..... Hillside	74270 √ Village*, Columbia..... Magnolia
39539 √ Lathrop*, Pickens..... Reform	05436 √ Gillespie Dam, Maricopa..... Arlington	<i>Stations, Little Rock</i>
38891 Mackey*, Cherokee..... Leesburg	05105 Hillcamp, Gila..... Fort Apache	72103 No. 1.
39034 Nymph*, Conecuh..... Evergreen	05120 Hunt*, Apache..... Concho	72107 No. 5.
<i>Stations, Albany</i>	05143 Light*, Cochise..... Pearce	72115 No. 11.
39598 No. 1.	05387 Sahuarita*, Pima..... Continental	<i>Corrections</i>
39701 No. 2.	05247 Stoddard*, Yavapai..... Mayer	73596 (A. & M. College, R. Sta. Magnolia), insert p. 432.
39702 No. 3.	ARKANSAS	Abner, supplied from Murfreesboro not Rabell, p. 1143.
	<i>Established</i>	Bellefield, supplied from Trumann not Herman, p. 1143.
	72029 Allfriend*, 2676..... Newton	CALIFORNIA
	72035 √ Aly (Reest.) 2679..... Yell	<i>Established and names changed</i>
	74669 Diaz* 2477..... Jackson	80014 Agoura..... 5230 Los Angeles
	73148 Forum 2726..... Madison	80414 Belmae Park* 5573..... San Mateo
		80428 Berry Creek*..... 5469 Butte
		80622 Carey..... 5230 Los Angeles
		82427 Cypress..... 5181 Orange
		80706 Dellekert..... 5369 Plumas
		80863 Frazier Park*..... 5229 Kern

81092 June Lake 5273 Mono
 81247 Lake Alpine* 5372 Alpine
 81413 ✓ Midland 4831 Riverside
 81255 North Hollywood† (N) 5180 Los Angeles
 81703 Redwood Estates 5524 Santa Clara
 80807 Rosemead† 5180 Los Angeles
 81838 Sharon* 5374 Madera
 82017 Van Duesen 5030 San Bernardino
 82092 Whitlow 5718 Humboldt
Station, Berkeley
 80322 Elmwood.†
Station, Huntington Park
 81027 C. O. D.
Station, Inglewood
 81071 No. 3.
Stations, Los Angeles
 82641 No. 74.
 82642 No. 75.
 82643 No. 76.
 82644 No. 77.
Station, Owensmouth
 82382 Girard.
Branch office, Riverside
 81208 March Field.
Station, San Diego
 82443 C. Ray St. between University Ave. and Wightman St.
Station, San Jose
 81528 No. 8.†
Station, Santa Barbara
 81312 ✓ No. 4.
Stations, Stockton
 80643 No. 4.†
 80644 No. 5.†
Station, Van Nuys
 82302 Cahuenga Park.
Station, Wilmington
 82215 No. 2.
Name changed
 81255 Lankershim† to North Hollywood.
Station, San Fernando
 81894 Mission Acres (Rural) to Sepulveda (Rural).
Site changed
Station, San Francisco
 80110 K to 135 New Montgomery St.
Discontinued Mail to
 82811 Blue Nose*, Siskiyou.....
 80498 ✓ Bucks*, Plumas..... Quincy
 81318 Constantia*, Lassen..... Doyle
 80719 Desert*, San Bernardino..... Nipton
 80721 Dewitt*, Lassen..... Wendel
 80780 Ellsworth*, San Joaquin..... Escalon
 82244 Leliter*, Kern..... Inyokern
 81376 ✓ Masonic*, Mono..... Bridgeport

81417 Millsaps, Glenn..... Orland
 82239 Mount Dome*, Siskiyou.....
 81527 Northwestern*, Mendocino Willits
 81562 ✓ Old Diggins, Shasta..... Redding
Branch office, El Monte
 80807 Rosemead.
Stations, Los Angeles
 82629 Cahuenga Park.
 81127 Girard.
Corrections
 ✓ Al Tahoe, Eldorado County, omit. §, S. list.
 Byron Hot Springs, not Byron Hot Canyon Springs. Contra Costa County, C. list.
 Canyon, Contra Costa County, insert C. list.
 81048 ✓ Indio not 1048, S. list.
 81050 ✓ Inglewood not 1050, S. list. (Palms) Los Angeles County, insert C. list.

COLORADO

Established and name changed
 30509 Grand Mesa§ 4120 Delta
 31167 Ione* 3818 Weld
 30871 Sams* 4122 San Miguel
 30942 Skyway 4170 Mesa
 30597 Starbuck 3869 Jefferson
 30949 Trappers Lake 4069 Garfield
 31295 ✓ Vim* (N) 3717 Weld
Name changed
 31295 Spurgin* to Vim.
Number changed
 Sinbad, unit 4221, not 4271.
Discontinued Mail to
 30008 ✓ Alder*, Saguache..... Villagrove
 31280 Buster*, Baca..... Graft
 30445 Estelene*, Baca..... Utleyville
 30468 Forkscreek*, Jefferson..... Golden
 30795 Piedra, Archuleta..... Dyke
 31019 White Rock, Pueblo..... Fowler
Correction
 Overland Park, Denver County, insert C, list.

CONNECTICUT

Established
 32491 Marble Dale* 685..... Litchfield
Station, New London
 32903 No. 3.
Corrections
 (Wesleyan) Middlesex County, insert C. list.
 (Wesleyan, Sta. Middletown) insert A. list.

DELAWARE

Established
Station, Frankford
 33642 Bayard (Rural).
Station, Wilmington
 33519 No. 16.

Discontinued Mail to
 33003 Ashland*, New Castle..... Hookeasin
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Established
Station, Washington
 33236 ✓ Naval Hospital.

FLORIDA

Established and names changed
 78219 Amelia City 1487 Nassau
 78230 Arbuckle 1494 Highlands
 78314 Brighton 1494 Highlands
 78342 Canaveral Harbor 1442 Brevard
 78364 Collier City* (N) 1647 Collier
 79004 ✓ Danville (N) 1588 Union
 78457 Delray Beach† (N) 1396 Palm Beach
 78687 Homosassa Springs* 1641 Citrus
 79512 ✓ Howey In The Hills* (N) 1541 Lake
 79216 Lake Placid† (N) 1494 Highlands
 78777 Lemturner 1538 Duval
 79091 Satsuma* (N) 1539 Putnam

Branch Office, Bradenton
 78328 °Manatee† (Ind.).
Station, Bradenton
 78333 Braden Castle.
Station, Palatka
 78970 ✓ C. O. D.
Station, Saint Petersburg
 79608 No. 1.
Stations, Tampa
 79920 Harmony Center (Rural).
 79921 No. 14.

Name changed
 78364 Caxambas* to Collier City.
 78457 Delray† to Delray Beach.
 79512 ✓ Howey* to Howey In The Hills.
 79216 Lake Stearns† to Lake Placid.
 79004 ✓ Putlum (D) to Danville.
 79091 Satsuma Heights* to Satsuma.

Station, Tampa
 79915 Hancock (Rural) to Orient Park (Rural)
Number changed
 Hardeetown, unit 1639, not 1640.

County seat changed
 Chipley, not Vernon, is now (ch.) of Washington County.

Discontinued Mail to
 78372 Belleair*, Pinellas..... Clearwater
 78390 Clara*, Taylor..... Carbur
 78556 Flintrock*, Jefferson..... Scanlon
 78567 Fort Bassinger, Highlands..... Cornwell
 78723 Juniper*, Gadsden Quincy
 78823 °Manatee† Manatee Br. Bradenton
 78828 Marco*, Collier..... Collier City

78924 Ochlockonee*, Leon..... Tallahassee
 79039 Rio*, Martin..... Jensen
 79088 Santos*, Marion..... Ocala
 79141 Sumica*, Polk..... Lake Wales

Station, Lake Wales
 79363 A.
 Station Manatee

78839 Braden Castle.
 Corrections
 Alachua, not Alchua, post office and county, p. 973.
 Highland City, not Highlands City, Polk County C. list.
 Inert (ch.) after Ocheecheebee, Ocheechee County C. list.
 Istokpoga, supplied from Lake Istokpoga, not De Soto City, p. 1149.

GEORGIA

Established and name changed

06840 Goggins* (N) 1782...Lamar
 06848 Graves* (N) 1835...Terrell
 Station, Rocky Ford
 07386 Hilltop (Rural).
 Station, Waycross

07401 No. 1.
 Names changed
 06840 Goggansville* to Goggins.
 06848 Graves Station* to Graves.
 County seats, changed

Arlington not Morgan is now (c. h.) of Calhoun County.
 Woodbine, not Saint Marys, is now (c.h.) of Camden County.

Discontinued Mail to
 06429 Blitchton*, Bryan...Eldora
 06595 Cooksville*, Heard.....Hogansville
 06882 Harrisburg*, Walker.....Summerville
 07231 Oakland*, Meriwether...Gay
 07284 Phelps, Whitfield...Dalton
 07543 Teloga, Chattooga.....Summerville

Station, Rocky Ford
 07386 Hilltop (Rural).
 Corrections
 Alto, Habersham County, insert 2 routes, C. list.
 Alto, Banks County, omit C. list.
 Liberty County, the second Fleming, should be Flemington, C. list.
 Riverdale, Clayton, not Cayton County, S. list.

HAWAII

Discontinued
 Branch Office, Honolulu
 X1112 U. S. Marine Barracks, Guam.

IDAHO

Established
 03055 Page 4953.....Shoshone
 Number changed
 03348 Moore, not 03348.

Discontinued Mail to
 03930 Bayhorse*, Custer.....Challis
 03575 Idmon*, Clark.....Spencer
 03305 Lotus (D), Benewah.....Saint Maries
 03366 Newsome*, Idaho.....Clearwater
 03603 Sheik, Valley-Meyers Cove

ILLINOIS

Established and name changed

11599 Everett...2114.....Lake
 13084 Thackeray* 2172.....Hamilton

Stations, Berwyn

13443 No. 7.
 13444 No. 8.
 13445 No. 9.

Station, Chicago

10513 Northcenter†.
 Branch Office, East Saint Louis

11420 Monsanto.
 Station, East Saint Louis
 11419 No. 15.

Station, Joliet

11841 No. 8.
 Station, Maywood

12487 No. 3.
 Station, Villa Park

13160 No. 1.
 Name changed
 Stations, Chicago

10182 North Halsted † to Montana Street.
 10141 Wacker Drive † to City Hall

Discontinued Mail to

11069 Bloomfield*, Johnson.....Vienna
 11977 Galesville*, Piatt.....Mansfield
 13382 Mount Greenwood†, Cook...Chicago
 13079 Terra Cotta*, McHenry.....Crystal Lake
 13134 Unionville*, Massac.....Brookport

Station, Chicago

10130 Montclare.
 Corrections
 Belmont Heights, Cook County, omit () C. list.
 Beverly, insert A, list.

INDIANA

Established
 Station, Greencastle

35064 C. O. D.
 Station, Hammond

84705 Hessville.
 Station, Indianapolis

34160 North Indianapolis.
 Station, Logansport
 35990 No. 8.

Station, Muncie
 34503 No. 1.
 Station, Valparaiso
 35707 No. 2.
 Site changed
 Station, Evansville
 34026 C. to 602 Evans Ave.

Discontinued Mail to

34094 Blackhawk*, Vigo Pimento
 34886 Foltz*, Jefferson...Dupont
 35009 Hessville*, Lake...Hammond
 35157 Logan*, Dearborn...Guilford
 35188 Main*, Perry...Saffaras
 35184 Magley*, Adams...Decatur
 35461 Pulaski*, Pulaski...Winamac
 35465 Queensville*, Jennings...North Vernon
 35695 Vandalia*, Owen...Poland
 35728 Waverly*, Morgan...Mooresville

IOWA

Established

Station, Newton
 65354 C. O. D.
 Station, Waterloo
 65378 No. 7.

Discontinued Mail to

64087 Balfour*, Mills...Glenwood
 65199 Luray*, Marshall...Haverhill
 65582 Shady Oak*, Webster...Fort Dodge
 65863 Tipperary*, Lucas...Purdy

Correction

Insert (ch) after Emmetsburg, Palo Alto County, C. list.

KANSAS

Established and name changed

93490 Teterville* 2972.....Greenwood

Branch office, Topeka

92103 Washburn.
 Name changed
 Station, Pittsburg

93677 Normal to 93122 College.
 Number changed
 Thrall, unit 2973 not 2972.

Discontinued Mail to

92630 Clinton*, Douglas...Lawrence
 92699 Dillwyn*, Stafford...Macksville
 92786 Flush*, Pottawatomie...Saint George
 93166 Moodyville, Pottawatomie...Blaine
 93218 North Cedar, Jefferson...Valley Falls

Station, Topeka

92102 B.
 Corrections
 Cedar Bluffs, insert A, list.
 Fall, Leavenworth County omit C. list.

KENTUCKY

Established and names changed

66057 Alumbaugh...1723...Estill
 66082 Arnett...1724...Owsley
 69637 Clipper (N) 1924...Taylor

68975 Coral Ridge* (N) 1922
 Jefferson
 67103 Dallo 1824 Russell
 67122 Deerlick* 2074 Logan
 67520 Gesling 1672 Carter
 69449 ✓ Green Road 1725 Knox
 67614 Gulston 1675 Harlan
 67671 Heisey* 1573 Pike
 67724 Hiltonian 1874 Perry
 67768 Horse Lick 1774 Rockcastle
 67883 Jump 1623 Floyd
 68457 Omega* 1825 Pulaski
 67694 Pioneer* (N) 1874* Perry
 68764 Rockhouse 1574 Pike
 68808 Royrader 1724 Jackson
 68828 Sadler 1974 Grayson
 68930 ✓ Sizerock 1874 Leslie
 69113 Three Point 1875 Harlan
 69161 Twentysix 1873 Morgan
 68113 Wheeler* (Re-est.) 1725 Knox

68244 West Prestonsburg* (N) 1623 Floyd
 69343 Widecreek 1723 Breathitt
 69375 ✓ Willis Creek 1875 Clinton
 69342 Wilstacy 1873 Breathitt

Station, Hazard

67701 Walkertown.

Names changed

67694 Heiner* to Pioneer.
 68244 Middlecreek* to West Prestonsburg.
 69637 ✓ Purvistown to Clipper.
 68975 South Park* to Coral Ridge.

Number changed

West Paducah, unit 2224, not 2226.

Site changed

Cumberland Falls, Whitley, now in McCreary County.

Discontinued Mail to

67126 Defries, Hart Canmer
 67505 Garrich, Knox Gray
 69450 Gearheart, Floyd Orkney
 67603 Grissom, Christian Kirkmansville
 67742 Highplains*, Breckenridge Big Spring
 67741 Holloway*, Ballard Barlow
 67873 John, Pike Gulnare
 68689 Redash*, Whitley Jellico, Tenn.
 68986 Speck*, Adair Casey Creek
 69106 ✓ Terrill, Madison Kingston

Corrections

✓ Cumberland Falls, omit § S. list.
 Mercer, Muhlenberg County, insert C. list.
 Poor Fork C. Cumberland, insert p. 1146.
 Orinoco, supplied from Balfry, not Ep, p. 1146.
 69153 ✓ Tracebranch, Knox 1723 omit p. 543.

LOUISIANA

Established and name changed

45704 Istrouma* 2488 East Baton Rouge
 45965 ✓ Neita (re-est.) 2537 Saint Landry

Branch office, Shreveport

46703 Cedar Grove† to Cedar Grove, Station.

Number changed

Hicks unit 2636, not 2686.

Sites changed

Stations, New Orleans

45102 B. to 4317 Carondelet Street.
 45104 D. to 3240 Dauphin Street.

Discontinued Mail to

45012 Albemarle* Assumption Napoleonville
 45013 Alberta*, Bienville Castor
 46442 Alfalfa*, Rapides Boyce
 45241 ✓ Bob, Grant Pollock
 46434 Buhler, Calcasieu De Quincy
 45484 Ellis*, Acadia Crowley
 45796 Levert*, Saint Martin Martinville

45797 ✓ Lewis*, Caddo Vivian
 45859 Magda*, Rapides Alexandria
 45948 ✓ Mount Pleasant*, Caldwell Columbia
 46035 Pickering† Vernon Leesville
 46502 Rexmere, Ayoyelles Moreauville
 46202 Solitude*, West Feliciana Saint Francisville
 46247 ✓ Tattoo, Rapides Bruce
 46449 Tucker*, East Baton Rouge Deerford
 46322 Wardville*, Morehouse Beekman

Branch office, Baton Rouge

45307 Istrouma.

Correction

✓ Dubuisson, supplied from Bunkie not Whiteville, p. 1146.
 Frost insert in Livingston County C. list.
 ✓ Garland, supplied from Bunkie not Whiteville, p. 1146.
 Hall, insert in Livingston County C. list.
 Frost Hall, omit Livingston County, C. list.
 Tinus, not Tunis, Saint Helena County, C. list.

MAINE

Established and names changed

94875 Franklin Road* (N) 159 Hancock
 94716 Lakeside§ 309 Kennebec
 95232 Pownal* (N) 361 Cumberland

Names changed

94875 North Hancock* to Franklin Road.
 95232 West Pownal* to Pownal.

Number changed

94496 Dover, Foxcroft, not 94406 S. list.

Discontinued Mail to

94613 ✓ Gotts Island*, Hancock McKinley
 94695 ✓ Keens Mills*, Androscoggin Turner Center
 94720 Larone, Somerset Fairfield Center
 94865 North Cutler, Washington East Machias
 95018 ✓ Sandy Creek*, Cumberland Bridgton
 95305 ✓ Stronghold, Somerset Hartland

95284 ✓ West Georgetown, Sagadahoc Georgetown
 95244 Wheelock*, Aroostook Fort Kent

Correction

Greenville Piscataquis County, not Greenville S. list.
 ✓ Mayfield, Piscataquis, not Somerset, County S. and C. lists.
 ✓ Owls Head, Knox County not Olws Head, C. list.

MARYLAND

Established

56169 Cobb Island§ 1022 Charles
 56389 Issue 1022 Charles
 56780 Upper Hill* 923 Somerset

Station, Frederick

56008 C. O. D.

Discontinued Mail to

56041 Bartholows*, Frederick Mount Airy
 56075 ✓ Blakistone*, Saint Marys Bushwood
 56174 ✓ Collington*, Prince Georges Bowie
 56429 Laurel Grove*, Saint Marys Mechanicsville
 56519 Motters*, Frederick Rocky Ridge
 56543 New Germany*, Garrett Grantsville
 56841 ✓ Woodwardville*, Anne Arundel Odenton

Station, Centerville

56144 Starkeys (Rural).

MASSACHUSETTS

Established

60866 Dodgeville* 465 Bristol

Stations, Boston

60923 No. 154
 60340 ✓ No. 171

Station, Holyoke

61715 No. 11.

Station, New Bedford

61695 Parcel Post.†

Station, Norwood

61284 No. 1.

Station, Randolph

61320 North Randolph.

Discontinued Mail to

60881 East Carver*, Plymouth North Carver
 60882 East Deerfield*, Franklin Deerfield
 61345 North Prescott*, Hampshire Millington
 61373 South Brewster*, Barnstable Brewster
 61424 South Worthington*, Hampshire Huntington

MICHIGAN

Established and name changed

08664 Birch Beach §1612 Sanilac
 08733 Oalspar 1906 Schoolcraft
 09309 Les Cheneaux Club 1737 Mackinac

09872 Munuscong (N) 1756..... Chippewa	Station, Rochester	14741 Canady*, Pemiscot..... Caruthersville
09881 Traunik 2006..... Alger	28402 C. O. D.	14752 Carlow*, Daviess..... Lock Springs
08954 Walsh 1956..... Schoolcraft	Name changed	14976 ✓ Dormis*, Ozark Lawndale
Station, Adrian	Branch office, Minneapolis	15405 Hough*, New Madrid..... Matthews
08019 ✓ C. O. D.	27109 Richfield† to Richfield Sta- tion.	16773 Mark, Marion..... Taylor
Station, Ann Arbor	Station, Minneapolis	15737 Medoc*, Jasper..... Oronogo
08420 No. 3.	27101 Bloomington† to Blooming- ton-Lake.	15973 Patsy*, Crawford Steelville
Station, Detroit	Discontinued	16245 Sedan*, Douglas Duckhart
08694 Strathmoor.†	Mail to	16369 Sunlight*, Washington..... Belgrade
Station, Grand Rapids	27778 Etter*, Dakota..... Eggleston	16458 Upalika*, Wayne..... Williamsville
08253 Parcel Post Annex.†	28566 Island Park§ Hennepin..... Mound	16546 Westover*, Crawford..... Steelville
Names changed	28020 Iverson, Carlton..... Carlton	16617 ✓ Zanoni, Ozark..... Luna
09872 Munuskong to Munuscong.	28634 Vermillion Dam*, Saint Louis..... Buyck	Corrections
Stations, Detroit	Correction	Huntersville, supplied from Grayridge, omit p. 1148.
08872 Hazel Park† to Hazel Park Branch.	28777 Schroeder not 38777.	Pocahontas, not Pocohon- tas, A. list.
08105 Maxwell Avenue† to Har- per Avenue Station.	✓ Shoreham R. Sta. Detroit Lakes not Detroit, pages 596, 935.	Princeton, not Princetor, Mercer County, S. list.
Station, Flint	MISSISSIPPI	Sonnette, omit A. list.
08219 Parcel Post to Parcel Post Annex.	Established	MONTANA
County seat changed	98262 ✓ Bruce 2281..... Calhoun	Established
Reed City, not Hersey, is now (ch) of Osceola County.	97087 ✓ Pineview 2235..... Jones	49283 Duderanch§ 4408..... Park
Discontinued	97436 ✓ Waxhaw 2431..... Bolivar	Number changed
Mail to	Station, Columbus	Kabo, unit 4253, not 4303.
08729 Calderwood*, Ontonagon.. Trout Creek	98163 ✓ C. O. D.	Site changed
08852 Cutcheon*, Missaukee..... Lake City	Station, Natchez	Kabo, Chouteau, now in Blaine County.
08908 Duffield*, Genesee..... Swartz Creek	97408 C. O. D.	County seat changed
09047 Gilbert*, Wexford Manton	Discontinued	Wolf Point, not Poplar, is now (ch.) of Roosevelt County.
09186 ✓ Hunters Creek*, Lapeer... Metamora	98085 Balucta, Scott..... Beach	Discontinued
09246 Johns Wood*, Chippewa... Drummond	98068 Barbara, Perry..... New Augusta	Mail to
08291 Longpoint, Cheboygan..... Topinabee	98339 Clacks*, Tunica..... Robinsonville	49954 Ashmoor*, Chouteau..... Genou
09356 Maltby†, Ogemaw..... South branch	96528 Fenton*, Hancock..... Pass Christian	X8136 Freewater*, Phillips..... Malta
09549 Osier*, Delta..... Trenary	96531 Finkbine*, Rankin..... Puckett	49772 Muir*, Gallatin Livingston
08656 Swan Creek, Saginaw..... Saginaw West Side	96564 ✓ Garden City*, Franklin... Knoxville	X4162 ✓ Newton Grove*, Yellow- stone..... Pineview
Branch office, Detroit	96568 George*, Yazoo..... Holly Bluff	49526 Nihill*, Wheatland..... Hedgesville
08174 Leesville	96571 Geren*, Leflore..... Money	Correction
Corrections	96638 Harworth*, Sharkey..... Satarita	Archer insert A. list.
Dollar Bay, Mich not Mica, A. list.	96826 ✓ Lorenzen*, Sharkey..... Mont Helena	Christina insert A. list.
Eames, is now supplied from Pontiac not Orion, p. 1147.	97026 Orvisburg*, Pearl River... Hillsdale	Ferdig not Fredig, Toole County, S. list
(Eight Mile Road) Macomb County, omit C. list.	97127 Rawles Springs*, Forrest... Hattiesburg	Round Butte not Rount Butte, A. list.
✓ (Hazel Park) Wayne Co., omit C. list.	97144 Rex*, Bolivar..... Scott	Sonnette, insert A. list.
✓ (Hazel Park) Oakland Co., insert C. list.	Corrections	NEBRASKA
MINNESOTA	A and M College, insert A. list	Established
Established	Hathorn, insert A. list.	Station, Alliance
27423 Almelund 2807..... Chisago	MISSOURI	28601 C. O. D.
27589 Cedar Mills* 2809..... Meeker	Established	Station, Columbus
27987 Holler *2851..... Koochiching	14966 Devils Elbow*, 2573..... Pulaski	28201 No. 1.
28386 ✓ Prinsburg 2859..... Kandiyohi	16177 Round Spring*, 2474..... Shannon	Station, Kearney
28487 Santiago 2707..... Sherburne	16291 Smallett*, 2625..... Douglas	25905 C. O. D.
28781 ✓ Side Lake 2853..... Saint Louis	Station, Kansas City	Name changed
Station, Hibbing	14306 D. 3106 Indiana Ave.	Branch office, Lincoln
27915 Kitzville.	Station, Marshall	25201 University Place† to Uni- versity Place Station.
	18503 C. O. D.	

Site changed
Station, Lincoln
 25202 A. to SE. Cor. 12th & R Sts.
Discontinued *Mail to*
 25964 Hoffland*, Sheridan
 Antioch.
 26176 Norris, Hayes Culbertson
 26268 Prentice*, Cherry Mullen
Station, Omaha
 25133 Harney†
Correction
 Cadams not Cadmas, A. list.

NEVADA

Established
 47804 Upper Rochester 5188
 Pershing
Stations, Reno
 47606 C. O. D.
 47607 Parcel Post.
Corrections
 Cleveland Ranch, supplied from Aurum, p. 1148.
 Tippett, supplied from Ivapah not Ubapah, Utah, p. 1148.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Established and names changed
 01321 East Wolfeboro* (N) 461
 Carroll
 01668 Wolfeboro Falls* (N) 461
 Carroll
Station, Lisbon
 01421 Sugar Hill†. (Ind)
Names changed
 01321 East Wolfeboro* to East Wolfeboro.
 01668 Wolfeboro* to Wolfeboro Falls.
Discontinued *Mail to*
 01023 Bemis*, Carroll Bartlett
 01090 East Alstead*, Cheshire Alstead
 01417 Little Boars Head*, Rockingham Rye Beach
 01593 Sugar Hill†, Grafton
 Sugar Hill, Sta. Lisbon

Corrections

01563 South Acworth not 83015, S. list.
 South Acworth not South Ackworth, A. list.

NEW JERSEY

Established and names changed
 90109 √ Brookside 817 Morris
 90245 Erlton* 869 Camden
 90338 Harrington Park† (N) 717
 Bergen
 90905 Runnemede* 869 Camden
Station, Arlington
 91997 No. 9.
Station, Caldwell
 90142 √ No. 1.

Branch office, Elizabeth
 90598 Roselle Park.
Station, Elizabeth
 90577 Union Square.†
Station, Gloucester City
 90346 √ No. 3.
Station, Ocean City
 90694 C. O. D.
Station, Orange
 91311 No. 10.
Station, Passaic
 91419 C. O. D.
Station, Phillipsburg
 90731 No. 2.
Station, Ridgefield Park
 90934 No. 1
Station, Summit
 90992 √ C. O. D.
Station, Trenton
 91818 C. O. D.
Station, Union City
 91264 No. 10
Station, Wildwood
 91096 No. 8.
Name changed
 90338 Harrington† to Harrington Park.
Discontinued *Mail to*
 90664 New Village* Warren
 Stewartsville
Station, Camden
 90425 Runnemede (Rural).
Stations, Elizabeth
 90504 √ No. 2.
 90513 √ No. 11.
 91238 √ No. 20.
 91245 √ No. 21.
Station, Rutherford
 90913 √ No. 5.

NEW MEXICO

Established and name changed
 04035 √ Augustine 4130 Socorro
 04691 Buena Vista 3877 Mora
 04082 Chupadero 4026
 Rio Arriba
 04106 Cordova* 3928 Rio Arriba
 04147 √ Cunico 3775 Colfax
 04169 Dusty 4131 Socorro
 04176 El Morro* 4178 Valencia
 04256 √ Hernandez (Reest) 3978
 Rio Arriba
 04926 La Union* 4035 Dona Ana
 04442 √ Paguato* (N) 4078 Valencia
 04467 Pown 4180 ie T. Catron
 04515 √ Romeroville 3877
 San Miguel
 04524 Rutherford* 4025 Rio Arriba
 04758 √ Water Canyon (N) 4080 Socorro

Names changed
 04442 √ Paquato* to Paguato.
 04758 √ Water Canon* to Water Canyon.
Numbers changed
Unit
 Dulce 4025 not 4075
 Ensenada 3975 not 4025
 √ Haynes 4128 not 4076
 Ramah 4178 not 4228
 Soham 3928 not 3878
 Swastika 3775 not 3828

Site changed

√ Haynes, Sandoval now in Rio Arriba County.

Discontinued *Mail to*

04071 Breece, McKinley
 Thoreau
 04706 Cloverdale*, Hidalgo
 Animas
 04284 √ Jicarilla, Lincoln Ancho
 04499 √ Miera*, Union Clapham
 04513 Rodey*, Dona Ana Hatch
 04574 Taft*, De Baca Fort
 Sumner
 04765 Tres Ritos, Taos
 Penasco

Correction

Abo, omit A. list.

NEW YORK

Established and names changed

22561 Eagle Lake* 5711 Essex
 22609 Fair Harbor 5687 Suffolk
 23201 Latham* 713 Albany
 23230 Lily Dale † (N) 1264
 Chautauqua
 23804 Point Vivian* 910
 Jefferson

Stations, Brooklyn

24889 Rugby.
 24890 No. 246.
 24891 No. 247.
 24892 No. 248.
 24893 No. 249.
 24894 No. 250.
 24895 No. 251.
 24896 No. 252.
 24897 No. 253.
 24898 No. 254.
 24899 No. 255.
 24903 No. 256.
 24904 No. 257.

Stations, Flushing

24921 No. 32.
 24922 √ No. 33.
 24923 √ No. 34.
 24924 √ No. 35.

Station, Iion

23061 West Hill.

Branch office, Jamaica

24656 Saint Albans.†

Stations, Jamaica

24654 No. 50.
 21766 No. 51.
 21767 No. 52.
 21768 √ No. 53.
 21769 √ No. 54.

Station, Long Island City

91787 Woolsey†.

<p><i>Branch Offices, New York</i></p> <p>20596 U. S. S. Argonne. 20595 U. S. S. Brazos. 20599 U. S. S. Chaumont. 20598 U. S. S. Omaha. 20600 U. S. S. Penguin. 20601 U. S. S. Saratoga. 20419 U. S. S. Utah.</p> <p><i>Station, New York</i></p> <p>20597 Seamen's Church Institute.†</p> <p><i>Station, Port Chester</i></p> <p>21865 No. 4.</p> <p><i>Station, Staten Island</i></p> <p>24348 Annadale.</p> <p><i>Station, West Albany</i></p> <p>24929 Colonie (Rural). <i>Name changed</i></p> <p>23230 Lilly Dale† to Lily Dale. <i>Station, Brooklyn</i></p> <p>21101 Barren Island to South Flatlands. <i>Site changed</i></p> <p><i>Station, New York</i></p> <p>20129 F. to 221-229 E. 34th St. <i>County seat changed</i></p> <p>Rome is also (ch) of Oneida County. Saint George station of Staten Island not New Brighton (n. o.) is now (ch) of Richmond County. <i>Discontinued Mail to</i></p> <p>21020 ✓ Alder Brook*, Franklin... Loon Lake</p> <p>22024 Barbourville, Delaware Deposit</p> <p>22592 East Marion*, Suffolk Greenport</p> <p>23074 Ira Station*, Cayuga... Cato</p> <p>24501 West Fort Ann* Washington, Fort Ann</p> <p>24682 Yankee Lake*§, Sullivan Wurtsboro</p>	<p><i>Stations, Gastonia</i></p> <p>75912 Highland (rural). 75918 West Gastonia.</p> <p><i>Station, Greensboro</i></p> <p>75310 Post Office Annex.</p> <p><i>Station, Hendersonville</i></p> <p>76406 North End. <i>Station, Hillsboro</i></p> <p>76249 West Hillsboro* (Rural). <i>Station, Laurinburg</i></p> <p>76391 ✓ C. O. D. <i>Station, Lincolnton</i></p> <p>76396 Goodsonville (Rural). <i>Station, Washington</i></p> <p>77801 C. O. D. <i>Station, Wilmington</i></p> <p>75507 Carolina (Rural). <i>Discontinued Mail to</i></p> <p>75727 ✓ Chandler*, Montgomery... Atkinson</p> <p>75864 ✓ Delway*, Sampson... Rosehill</p> <p>76212 ✓ Hewitts*, Swain... Nantahala</p> <p>75803 Covington, Richmond... Mount Gilead</p> <p>76139 Grove Hill*, Warren... Mountain View</p> <p>76358 Mimosa, Polk... Saluda</p> <p>76643 Ocean*, Carteret... Bogue</p> <p>76673 Ostwalt, Iredell... Troutmans</p> <p>76773 ✓ Prices Creek, Yancey... Gap</p> <p>76912 Sans Souci*, Bertie... Windsor</p> <p>77069 Sweetwater*, Watauga... Leander</p> <p><i>Station, Gastonia</i></p> <p>77495 No. 1. <i>Establishment rescinded</i></p> <p>76913 Santeetlah...1728... Graham <i>Corrections</i></p> <p>Darkridge, not Darkbridge, A. list. Higdonville, Macon not Mason County S. list. Nettleknob, Nash County, omit C. list.</p>	<p><i>Branch office, Cleveland</i></p> <p>19848 Heights.†</p> <p><i>Stations, Cleveland</i></p> <p>19848 ✓ Night.†</p> <p>19845 No. 127.</p> <p>19847 No. 128.</p> <p><i>Station, Cuyahoga Falls</i></p> <p>18234 No. 2.</p> <p><i>Station, Columbus</i></p> <p>17344 Mount Vernon Avenue. <i>Station, Hamilton</i></p> <p>17098 East End. <i>Station, Mansfield</i></p> <p>17721 No. 1. <i>Branch office, Toledo</i></p> <p>17548 Point Place. <i>Station, Warren</i></p> <p>17803 C. O. D. <i>Station, Willoughby</i></p> <p>19676 Willobee (Rural). <i>Site changed</i></p> <p><i>Station, Columbus</i></p> <p>17304 B. to 2525 N. High St <i>Discontinued Mail to</i></p> <p>18264 ✓ Dixie*, Perry... Shawnee</p> <p>18353 Evergreen*, Gallia... Bidwe</p> <p>18533 Harpers Station, Ross... Frankfor-</p> <p><i>Station, Columbus</i></p> <p>17336 Arcade. <i>Station, Hamilton</i></p> <p>17692 No. 1. <i>Station, Youngstown</i></p> <p>17811 Pine Hollow. <i>Correction</i></p> <p>Woodland Park, Clermont County, omit §, S. list.</p>
<p><i>Branch offices, New York</i></p> <p>20462 U. S. S. Huron. 20538 U. S. S. Kidder. 20532 U. S. S. Scorpion. 20455 U. S. S. Seattle.</p> <p><i>Station, Syracuse</i></p> <p>21505 ✓ A. <i>Corrections</i></p> <p>Bristol Center, Ontario, insert * S. list. Cleverdale, Warren County omit § S. list. Dewittville, insert A. list. Hawkeye, Clinton County, omit § S. list.</p> <p>NORTH CAROLINA <i>Established</i></p> <p>77207 Waterville*...1877...Haywood <i>Stations, Asheville</i></p> <p>75138 No. 4. 75148 No. 5. <i>Station, Charlotte</i></p> <p>75213 No. 7.</p>	<p>NORTH DAKOTA <i>Discontinued Mail to</i></p> <p>98051 Bierman*, Slope... Rhame <i>Corrections</i></p> <p>Millerton, omit A. list. Sweetbriar, not Sweet- briar, Morton County, S. list.</p> <p>OHIO <i>Established</i></p> <p><i>Station, Akron</i></p> <p>17620 No. 17. <i>Station, Canton</i></p> <p>17659 Parcel Post. <i>Branch Office, Cincinnati</i></p> <p>17110 Wyoming.</p>	<p>OKLAHOMA <i>Established and name changed</i></p> <p>62454 Church...2827... Adair</p> <p>62042 Claud* (N) 3129... Stephens</p> <p>63614 Pearsen...3028 Pottawatomie</p> <p>63645 Pettit...2827... Cherokee</p> <p>63294 Roxana*...3126... Logan</p> <p>63495 Wamego*...3028 Pottawatomie</p> <p><i>Station, Lawton</i></p> <p>63204 C. O. D. <i>Station, Seminole</i></p> <p>63335 C. O. D. <i>Names changed</i></p> <p>62042 Ara* to Claud. <i>Station, Sulphur</i></p> <p>63398 Platt Park to No. 1.</p>

Discontinued Mail to
 62304 ✓ Bickford*, Blaine..... Hitchcock
 63760 Brown*, Bryan..... Silo
 62415 Carson*, Hughes..... Lamar
 62445 Cheek, Carter..... Brock
 63841 Crum Creek*, Pushmataha..... Stanley
 62895 ✓ Kinlock, Marshall..... Madill
 63814 Liberty, Sequoyah..... Muldrow
 63274 Riverside* Beaver..... Beaver
 63347 Simon*, Love..... Oswalt
 63584 Zafra*, Le Flore..... Hatfield, Ark.

Station, Guymon
 62742 Pony Creek (Rural).

OREGON

Established and name changed
 50045 Beaver... Marsh 5512..... Klamath
 50089 Buell... 5658..... Polk
 50384 Gaylord... 5783..... Coos
 50375 Glencullen... 5808..... Multnomah
 50373 ✓ Gleneden Beach... 5759..... Lincoln
 50808 Lehman... 5208..... Umatilla
 50989 Niagara*... 5559..... Marion
 50709 North Junction... 5459..... Wasco
 50761 Pondosa*... 5108..... Union
 50815 Sams Valley*... 5614..... Jackson
 51158 Signal*(N)... 5611..... Lane
 51003 Wemme... 5508..... Clackamas

Station, Astoria
 50404 No. 4.

Station, Eugene
 50702 No. 1.

Stations, Portland
 50170 No. 51.
 50171 No. 52.
 50172 No. 53.
 50173 No. 54.

Name changed
 51158 Landax* to Signal.

Site changed
 50112 F to 1182 Union Ave. North.

County seat changed
 Medford, not Jacksonville, is now (ch) of Jackson County.

Discontinued Mail to
 51007 Buck Fork, Douglas..... Myrtle Creek
 51187 Caverhill, Grant..... Long Creek
 50245 Copperfield*, Baker..... Homestead
 51106 Idaville\$, Tillamook..... Bay City
 50837 Simnasho*, Wasco..... Wapinitia
 50842 Skullspring, Malheur..... Harper

Correction
 Pendleton, insert A. list.

PENNSYLVANIA

Established and names changed
 40091 Lake Ariel † (N)... 866..... Wayne
 41514 Bedford Valley*(N)... 1219..... Bedford
 44375 Hoban Heights (N)... 916..... Wyoming
 41323 Lake Lynn† (N)... 1319..... Fayette
 43554 Richeyville... 1368..... Washington
 44479 Zerbe*... 967..... Schuylkill

Stations Altoona
 40496 No. 20.
 40497 No. 21.
 40498 No. 22.

Stations, Ardmore
 40093 No. 1.
 40097 No. 2.

Station, Bethlehem
 40908 Tenth Avenue. †

Station, Pittsburgh
 40409 Bloomfield. †

Station, Wilkes-Barre
 40794 No. 11.

Station, Woodlawn
 44460 Hall Farms. †

Names changed
 40091 Arielt to Lake Ariel.
 41323 Cheat Haven† to Lake Lynn.
 41514 Cumberland Valley* to Bedford Valley.
 44375 Whites Ferry to Hoban Heights.

Branch office, Wilkes-Barre
 40798 °Parsons† (Ind) to North End Station.

Discontinued Mail to
 40938 Austinburg*, Tioga..... Knoxville
 44571 ✓ Benningers, Northampton..... Walnutport
 41326 ✓ Cherrygrove*, Warren..... Clarendon
 41384 Coal Bluff*, Washington..... Courtney
 41456 Cornplanter*, Warren..... Kinzua

41569 Dents Run*, Elk Driftwood
 41587 Dias, Indiana..... Dilltown
 41806 Doubling Gap, *§. Cumberlandland..... McCrea

41065 Gray*, Somerset..... Boswell
 42221 Hepler*, Schuylkill..... Klingerstown
 42358 Isabella*, Chester..... Elverson

42332 Jamison City*, Columbia..... Benton
 42031 Millwood*, Westmoreland..... Derry
 43007 Mount Alverno, Delaware..... Lenni Mills

43618 Rough and Ready*, Schuylkill..... Klingerstown
 43651 Ruthford*, Cambria..... Beavertdale
 43786 Sherman*, Wayne..... Deposit, N. Y.

43959 Stoopville, Bucks..... Wrightstown
 44079 ✓ Tohickon*, Bucks..... Kellers Church
 44277 Weisenburg*, Lehigh..... Kutztown

44371 Wick*, Butler..... Keisters
 41760 Yvonne*, Potter..... Westfield

Corrections
 Falts, Wyoming County, insert 2 routes, C. list.
 43805 Shoemakersville not 3305 p. 735

Straight, supplied from Johnsonburg not Instanter, p. 1150.

PORTO RICO

Established
 X2188 Central San Vicente 04.
 X2199 Palo Seco (Re-est) 04.

Corrections
 X2111 Catano not Z2111.
 X2112 Cayey not Z2112.

RHODE ISLAND

Established
 Station, Newport
 47014 C. O. D.

Discontinued Mail to
 47013 Arnold Mills*, Providence Valley Falls, Br. Pawtucket
 47328 ✓ West Greenwich Center, Kent..... Greene

Correction
 47400 Westerly, not 7400, S. list.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Established
 59354 ✓ Hiotts... 1433..... Colleton
 59621 Red River 1429..... York
 59698 Shulerville* 1332..... Berkeley
 50810 ✓ Witherbee... 1332..... Berkeley

Discontinued Mail to
 59843 ✓ Causey, Horry..... Nichols
 59714 Suttons*, Williamsburg..... Andrews

59519 ✓ Moselle*, Colleton..... Islandton
 59735 Tindal*, Sumter... Sumter

Stations, Columbia
 59102 ✓ No. 1.
 59104 ✓ No. 3.
 59105 ✓ No. 4.

Corrections
 Caesars Head, Greenville County, omit § S. list.
 Horry, supplied from Conway not Allen, p. 1151.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Established
 29045 Bear Butte* 3680..... Meade
 29128 Camp Galena\$ 3661..... Custer
 29513 Patricia... 3462..... Bennett

Station, Mitchell
 29501 C. O. D

Number changed
 ✓ Opal, unit 3559 not 3609.

Discontinued Mail to
 29756 Blaha, Bon Homme..... Scotland
 29202 Elbon*, Haakon..... Philip

29198 Endlee*, Perkins..... Date	Station, Abilene	Discontinued	Mail to
29351 Kaspar*, Hyde..... Onida	52024 McMurry	48018 ✓ Bloomington, Washington	Saint George
29464 Mullen*, Gregory..... Lucas	Station, Brownsville	48075 ✓ Enoch*, Iron..... Cedar City	48443 Wheelon Box Elder.....
29591 Sheffield*, Beadle..... Huron	53116 C. O. D.	48442 Winterquarters Carbon.....	Scofield
<i>Corrections</i>			
Artas, 2 insert in Campbell County C. list.	Stations, Fort Worth	<i>Correction</i>	
Artas 2, Butte County, omit C. list.	52471 ✓ No. 18.	Wellington Carbon County, omit †, insert * S. list.	
Meade, Fort, P. O. Fort Meade, omit Lead County, p. 1158.	52494 ✓ No. 19.	VERMONT	
✓ Plana, supplied from Bath, not Aberdeen, p. 1151.	Branch office, Houston	<i>Established and name changed</i>	
TENNESSEE			
<i>Established and names changed</i>			
57011 ✓ Alanthus Hill 1875.....	Station, Laredo	02724 o Ely† (N) 561.....	Orange
57798 Daus 1878..... Hancock	Station, Nacogdoches	<i>Name changed</i>	
57804 Waldensia* † (N) 1827.....	53895 ✓ North Street.	02724 o South Fairlee† to Ely.	Discontinued
	Name changed	02570 ✓ Holden*, Rutland.....	Mail to
Station, Knoxville	52702 Columbia† to East Columbia.	02648 North Orwell*, Addison.....	Pittsford
57305 No. 5.	County seats changed	VIRGINIA	
Name changed	Crane is now (ch) of Crane County.	<i>Established and names changed</i>	
57504 Daysville* to Waldensia.	Spearman, not Hansford (n. o.) is now (ch) of Hansford County.	83246 Basye* 1221.....	Shenandoah
Branch office, Memphis	Discontinued	83338 Blairs* 1275.....	Pittsylvania
57402 Binghamton to Binghamton† Station.	52424 Blocker, Harrison.....	83683 Creeds* 975.....	Princess Anne
Number changed	52472 ✓ Breckwalker, Stephens.....	84548 Hartfield* (N) 973.....	Middlesex
Brush Creek, unit 1976 no 1926.	52654 Call Junction*, Jasper Call	84262 Home Creek 1574.....	Buchanan
Site changed	52626 Chalk Mountain*, Erath.....	84268 ✓ Hooes 1072.....	King George
Gennett, Campbell, is now in Scott County.	52679 ✓ Clauene, Hockley.....	84464 ✓ Mountain View* (N) 1424	Giles
Discontinued	52730 Corinth*, Denton.....	84843 Pirkey † (N) 1222.....	Greene
58006 Hanging Limb*, Overton.....	52914 Duster*, Comanche.....	85285 Sandy Point* 1022.....	Westmoreland
58240 Match* Maury.....	53103 Gap*, Comanche.....	85990 ✓ Suiter 1474.....	Bland
58749 ✓ Witt*, Hamblen.....	53132 Gibtown*, Jack.....	85428 Stanleystown* 1325.....	Henry
Morristown	53144 Glass* Somervell.....	Station, Fredericksburg	
Branch office, Memphis	52957 Elmdale*, Taylor Abilene	84217 C. O. D.	Station, Lynchburg
57430 Nonconnah.....	53224 Guys Store*, Leon.....	83001 Parcel Post Annex.	Station, Portsmouth
Correction	53256 Harriet, Tom Green.....	83194 No. 8.	Stations, Richmond
Pocahontas, not Pcochontas A. list.	53258 Harrisburg†, Harris, Harrisburg Branch, Houston.	83238 No. 37.	
† Former Waldensia discontinued.	53412 Jiba*, Kaufman Kaufman	83240 No. 38.	Names changed
TEXAS			
<i>Established and name changed</i>			
52448 Bonus 2990.....	53468 Kiam, Polk.....	84464 ✓ Lawton* to Mountain View.	
52702 East Columbia† (N) 2940	53659 ✓ Lynchburg*, Harris.....	84548 Lot to Hartfield.	
Brazoria	53815 Mission Valley* Victoria.....	84843 Nimrod to Pirkey.	County seat changed
52949 Electric City* 3477.....	54039 Parker*, Johnson.....	Rosslyn, not Fort Myer Heights, is now (ch.) of Arlington County.	Discontinued
53072 Freer 3243.....	54084 ✓ Pickett*, Liberty.....	83072 ✓ Antlers*, Mecklenburg.....	Mail to
53156 Gewhitt* 3477.....	54408 Sexton, Sabine.....	83326 ✓ Birdwood*, Albemarle.....	Boydton
Hutchinson	54428 Signal Hill*, Hutchinson.....	84372 ✓ Joel, Buchannan.....	Davenport
53212 Gruver 3476.....	54644 Trevat* Trinity.....	84498 ✓ Lignite*, Botetourt.....	Oriskany
53529 ✓ La Blanca 3196.....	X3576 Pelly.	84531 Lois*, Fauquier.....	Bealeton
53930 Noelette* 3477.....	Corrections	84587 Maccrady*, Smyth.....	Saltville
54062 Pelly* 2839.....	Becton, insert A. list.	84672 ✓ Melrose*, Campbell.....	Gladys
54101 Pomeroy* 3478.....	Eldridge, not Edridge, A. list.	84814 ✓ Neill*, King George.....	Dahlgren
54375 Sanford* 3477.....	Jeddo, supplied from Rossanky not Waelder, p. 1151.	84968 Paloalto, Highlands.....	Head Waters
54374 Santa Rosa* 3146.....	UTAH	84972 Panier, Spotsylvania.....	Granite Springs
Cameron	Established		
54681 Tulsa* 3685.....	48025 Bryce Canyon 4573.....		
54673 Umbarger* 3579.....	Garfield		
54885 Wickett* 3635.....			
54883 Wink* 3685.....			

85022 Peters, Scott
Fort Blackmore
85102 ✓ Pistol, Russell
Swords Creek
85120 Ramsey, Dickenson
McClure
85282 Sanville*, Henry Bassetts
85325 Shadyside, Northampton
Machipongo
85431 Star*, Carroll Hillsville
85660 Vontay*, Hanover Dabneys
85772 Willowbrook*, Louisa
Buckner
85789 Witt*, Pittsylvania Blairs
Establishment rescinded
84038 Massanova* 1171
Rappahannock

Correction

✓ Baywood, Grayson, not
Bawood, S. list.
✓ Luttrellville, not Luttre-
ville, A. list.
✓ Mount Heron, Buchanan,
not Mount Hebron, A
and C, lists.
Pocahontas, not Pocohontas
A. list.
† Former Pirkey discontinued.

WASHINGTON

Established and name changed

71548 Casey* 5206 Walla Walla
71657 Copalis Crossing 5754
Grays Harbor
71062 ✓ Maple Valley* (N) 5554
King

Stations, Aberdeen

70714 No. 5.
70717 ✓ No. 6.

Station, Chehalis

71006 No. 1.

Stations, Everett

70213 Beverly Park (Rural).
70214 C. O. D.

Station, Kelso

70990 No. 2.

Stations, Seattle

70381 No. 58.
70382 No. 59.
70383 No. 60.
70384 No. 61.
70385 No. 62.

Station, Spokane

70421 No. 15.

Names changed

71082 ✓ Maplevalley* to Maple Val-
ley.

Branch office, Tacoma

70630 Camp Lewis† (Ind.) to
Fort Lewis.

Site changed

Plum, Ferry, now in Lin-
coln County.

Discontinued
70034 Arletta*, Pierce Gig Harbor
71615 ✓ Bonita, Douglas Azwell
70620 Burnett*, Pierce
South Prairie
71059 Manzanita, Kitsap
Port Blakely
71118 Montgreen, Lewis Riffe
71184 ✓ Palouse Falls*, Adams
Hooper
71523 Pomona*, Yakima Yakima
71313 Saratoga*, Island Langley
71557 ✓ Tower, Cowlitz Castlerock
71442 Vance*, Lewis Randle
Station, Bellingham
70106 No. 4.

WEST VIRGINIA

Established

86047 Abbie* 1420 Doddridge
86011 Adlai 1470 Pleasants
86054 Anjean 1422 Greenbrier
86762 Cirtsville* 1473 Raleigh
86987 Edmond* (Re-est.) 1472
Fayette
87180 Glenfork 1523 Wyoming
88602 Madeleine 1473 Raleigh
88701 Otsego 1473 Wyoming
87946 Point Lick* 1472 Kanawha
88191 Sir Johns Run 1169
Morgan
88193 Skelt 1371 Webster
88302 Towne 1473 Fayette
88450 Wharton 1523 Boone
88460 Whitby 1473 Raleigh
88472 Wikel* 1424 Monroe
88500 ✓ Windsor Heights 1418
Brooke
88503 Wire Bridge* 1421 Braxton
Station, Charleston

86104 C. O. D.
Station, Fairmont
86307 C. O. D.
Site changed
Bays, Braxton now in
Nicholas County.

Discontinued *Mail to*

86038 Alonzo, Logan Henlawson
86289 Beech Glen, Nicholas
Swiss
86703 Camp*, Doddridge
West Union
86874 Curtin†, Nicholas
Woodbine
87145 Garten*, Fayette
Fayetteville
87040 Giles*, Kanawha Dawes
87276 ✓ Heatherman*, Kanawha
Queen Shoals
87411 Jonben, Raleigh Fireco
87466 Kingsville, Randolph
Coalton
87496 Lashmeet*, Mercer Rock
87513 ✓ Leet, Lincoln Rector
87567 Lomax, McDowell Yukon
87702 ✓ Micajah, Wyoming
Algonquin
87739 Moore*, Tucker
Porterwood
87892 Patton, Greenbrier
Ronceverte
88096 Russet, Calhoun
Grantsville
88244 ✓ Spruce Hollow, Calhoun
Bigbend

88237 Standard*, Kanawha
Gallagher
88477 Wilding*, Jackson
Ravenswood

Corrections

Maxine insert A. list.
✓ Scherr, not Scheer, A. list.

WISCONSIN

Established and names changed

36121 Blueberry* 250 Douglas
37344 Dico* (N) 2407 Sawyer
37130 Germantown † (N) 2162
Washington
36567 Kennedy*† 2407 Price
36586 Loretta* 2407 Sawyer

Stations, Fond du Lac

36302 No. 1.
36313 No. 2.
36324 No. 3.

Stations, Green Bay

36413 C. O. D.
36408 ✓ No. 3.
36412 ✓ No. 4.

Station, Kenosha

36627 Brookside (Rural).

Branch Office, Milwaukee

37379 Wauwatosa.†

Stations, Milwaukee

37381 No. 127.
37392 No. 128.
37395 No. 129.
37396 No. 130.

Name changed

37130 South Germantown † to
Germantown.

Site changed

✓ Koshkonong, Rock, now in
Jefferson County.

Discontinued *Mail to*

36287 Dairyland*, Douglas
Kingsdale, Minn.
36435 Hilda*, Shawano Navarino
37266 Wauwatosa†, Milwaukee
Wauwatosa Branch,
Milwaukee

Stations, Wauwatosa

37274 No. 1.
37352 No. 2.
37353 No. 3.

Correction

✓ Boscobel not Boso, A. list.

WYOMING

Established

89502 Calpet* 4364 Sublett
89512 ✓ Cowden 3809 Crook
89530 Kara 3810 Crook
89360 Turnerville 4413 Lincoln
89505 Wyocolo 3966 Albany

Number changed

Kendall, unit 4312, not 4362.

† Former Kennedy changed to
Dico.

CHANGES AFFECTING THE OFFICIAL POSTAL GUIDE FOR JULY, 1927

CHANGE No. 110.

The following changes should be made in the list of articles appearing under the subheading "Prohibitions" of the item "Australia parcel post" beginning on page 215:

The eighth paragraph should begin with: "All reproductions" instead of "All the reproductions"; and the words "inasmuch as" in the second line should be changed to "provided that."

The ninth paragraph should read "Electric snuff (sneezing powder)" instead of "Electric muff."

Omit the paragraph "Cotton tow."

The fifth paragraph on page 216 should be changed to read as follows: "All goods provided with or accompanied by a false suggestion in regard to the manufacturer, or a false suggestion of the guaranty of the quality."

The ninth paragraph should be changed to read as follows:

"Imitations of brandy and other liquors or wines and their essences. Flavors, oil, extracts and juice of hops and all similar articles, as well as their substitutes or imitations, whether simple or combined with some other material in any way, and in condition for use in the manufacture of beer, in the brewing industry, or to be added to beer. Hop economizer, ambres, optanin, and extract of Dublin stout (A. Boake, Roberts & Co. (Ltd.)) come under this proclamation. Essence of lager beer."

The ninth paragraph from the bottom of the page should read "Sequarine" instead of "Saccharine."

Delete the third paragraph from the bottom, reading "Complete system of personal influence, etc."

The tenth paragraph on page 217 should begin with "Second-hand clothes" instead of "Clothes of occasion."

Replace the paragraph "All plants * * * from New Zealand" by the following:

"However, the Minister of Commerce and Customs may authorize the importation of ornamental plants, or of special new species of deciduous fruit trees (including fruits or seeds), under such conditions as he may see fit to impose."

In line 28 on page 218 beginning with "The objects and plants," replace the words "inasmuch as" by "provided that."

Omit on page 219 the paragraph "Cottonseed" and the three paragraphs, (a), (b), and (c) following it.

Add the following at the end of list:

Feathers and skins of the "Grebe" family of birds.

Preparations containing more than 0.1 per cent of heroin or cocaine, or 0.2 per cent of morphine. Pipes for smoking opium, and their accessories.

Advertisements of prohibited articles.

Numerous publications adjudged obscene or seditious.

CHANGE No. 111.

Parcel-post packages for Belgium, Dutch (Netherlands) East Indies, France, and Indo-China which are over 42 and not over 44 inches in length must not exceed 24 inches in girth, parcels over 44 and not over 46 inches in length must not exceed 20 inches in girth, and parcels over 46 and up to 4 feet in length must not exceed 16 inches in girth. Parcels of these dimensions are the largest that can be inclosed in the largest sacks used for the dispatch of mails to foreign countries. Accordingly, the paragraphs concerning dimensions in the sub-items "Parcel post" of the items "Belgium" on page 226, "Dutch (Netherlands) East Indies" on page 264, and "France" on page 278, should be changed to read as follows:

"Maximum length of parcels is 4 feet, provided that parcels over 42 and not over 44 inches in length are restricted to 24 inches in girth, those over 44 and not over 46 inches to 20 inches in girth, and those over 46 and up to 4 feet to 16 inches in girth."

and the fifth paragraph under the table in the subitem "Parcel post" of the item "Indo China, French," on page 307 should be changed to read:
 "Allowable dimensions.—For a parcel weighing up to 11 pounds, greatest length in any direction, 2 feet, and greatest volume 1 cubic foot, however, all parcels containing parasols, canes, charts, plans, or similar articles, may attain 3 feet 6 inches in length and 8 inches in diameter. A parcel weighing more than 11 pounds, may be 4 feet in length provided that parcels over 42 and not over 44 inches in length are restricted to 24 inches in girth, those over 44 and not over 46 inches to 20 inches in girth, and those over 46 inches and up to 4 feet to 16 inches in girth."

CHANGE No. 112.

This office has just been informed that dutiable articles are prohibited in the letter mails to Bolivia. Accordingly, Bolivia should be added to the list in section 31 on page 183, and "Dutiable articles" should be added to the subitem "Prohibitions" of the item "Bolivia in regular mails" on page 229.

CHANGE No. 113.

The following should be added to the information appearing under the items concerned and to section 63 on page 203:

Parcel-post packages addressed for delivery in British India, Czechoslovakia, French Settlements in Oceania, Indo-China, Madagascar and dependencies, Mauritius, Norway, and St. Pierre and Miquelon MAY be sealed with wax, lead seals, or otherwise.

CHANGE No. 114.

The following sentence should be added at the end of the item "Combination packages" on page 173.

"However, combination packages addressed for delivery in Canada the two parts of which are inseparably attached are acceptable if they otherwise conform to the conditions prescribed in this paragraph."

CHANGE No. 115.

The following supersede those articles now shown as prohibited in the regular and parcel-post mails to Cyprus on pages 255 and 256:

Eggs of grasshoppers; salt (other than table and rock salt); coins of silver, copper, and other metals, and gold coins antedating the reign of Queen Victoria, and all other coins which are not legally valid in Great Britain; imitation coins and all articles such as trinkets or coins resembling coins legally in circulation; firearms not accompanied by a special authorization from the Government; saccharine may be imported up to the weight of 2 pounds with the previous authorization of the chief sanitary officer; old clothes for sale; trees, plants, and flowers; green and dried fruits and vegetables; used or wornout cotton known under the name of "flock"; unroasted earth nuts; Japanese shaving brushes; bees, honey, and substances containing uncooked honey without a license; motion-picture films, except with a license previously obtained in writing from the commandant in chief of the police; silk worms, silk-worm eggs, except by previous permission from the director of agriculture; dangerous drugs, except by previous permission from the superior medical officer.

For information concerning varnish, paint, turpentine, lacquer, and similar substances, see item "Great Britain and Northern Ireland."

Carbon paper will be accepted in the parcel-post mails under the same conditions governing Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

CHANGE No. 116.

Dutiable articles may now be sent in the letter mails to Finland under the conditions set forth in section 30 on page 182. Accordingly, the name of that country should be added to the list in that section and deleted from the list in section 31 on page 183; and the first part of the subitem "Prohibitions" of the item "Regular mails" under "Finland" on page 276 should be changed to read "Dutiable articles accepted (see p. 182)."

CHANGE No. 117.

The following modifies the information now appearing under the subheading "Prohibitions" in the regular mails to Palestine:

In the second line, delete the item in parenthesis reading as follows: "(except sporting rifles, which may be imported by permission of the police authorities)."

CHANGE No. 118.

The item "Poland" on page 197 is modified as follows:

	Gross
Letters for the first 20 grams or fraction thereof	50
Letters for each additional 20 grams or fraction thereof	30
Single post cards, each	30
Other articles per 50 grams, equal to 2 ounces	10
Printed matter in relief for use of the blind, per 500 grams	5
Charge for registration	50
Charge for return receipt	50

CHANGE No. 119.

The item "Switzerland" on page 198 of the Postal Guide for July, 1927, is modified as follows:

The postal administration of Switzerland has advised this department that the rate of postage applicable to printed matter, to commercial papers, and to samples or merchandise in the international service, effective January 1, 1928, will be reduced from 10 to 7½ centimes per 50 grams, with a minimum of 15 centimes for samples and of 30 centimes for commercial papers.

CHANGE No. 120.

The maximum length for parcel-post packages addressed for delivery in Chile, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras (Republic of), Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, El Salvador, and Spain, is increased from 3 feet 6 inches to 4 feet, and the maximum length for parcel-post packages addressed for delivery in Argentina is decreased to 4 feet. However, parcels over 42 and not over 44 inches in length must not exceed 24 inches in girth, parcels over 44 and not over 46 inches in length must not exceed 20 inches in girth, and parcels over 46 and up to 4 feet in length must not exceed 16 inches in girth. Packages of these dimensions are the largest that can be inclosed in the largest sacks used for the dispatch of mails to foreign countries.

Accordingly, the eighth paragraph of the subitem "Parcel post" of the item "Argentina" on page 212, should be changed to read as follows:

"Round (spherical) parcels must not exceed 19 inches in diameter. Parcels may be 4 feet long, provided that parcels over 42 and not over 44 inches in length do not exceed 24 inches in girth, parcels over 44 and not over 46 inches in length do not exceed 20 inches in girth, and parcels over 46 and up to 4 feet do not exceed 16 inches in girth."

and the following paragraph should be inserted after the paragraph or paragraphs relative to "Routing" under the subitem "Parcel post" of the items "Chile" on page 244, "Dominican Republic" on page 263, "Ecuador" on page 267, "Guatemala" on page 299, "Honduras (Republic of)" on page 302, "Mexico" on page 339, "Panama" on page 359, "Paraguay" on page 360, "Peru" on page 363, "El Salvador" on page 380, and "Spain" on page 390:
 "Parcels may be 4 feet long, provided that parcels over 42 and not over 44 inches in length do not exceed 24 inches in girth, parcels over 44 and not over 46 inches in length do not exceed 20 inches in girth, and parcels over 46 and up to 4 feet do not exceed 16 inches in girth."

CHANGE No. 121.

The following modifies the information now appearing under the item "Trans-Jordan" on page 401:

Parcel-post packages will be accepted for delivery in Trans-Jordan up to a weight limit of 22 pounds.

Parcel-post packages weighing more than 11 pounds but not more than 22 pounds will be subject to the postage rate of 14 cents a pound or fraction thereof plus a transit charge of \$2.10 per parcel.

CHANGE No. 122.

The first sentence of the subheading "Prohibitions" (regular mails) of the item "Switzerland (including Liechtenstein)" on page 395 should be transferred to the subheading "Observations."

CHANGE No. 123.

Corrections and changes in postmasters' salaries, effective July 1, 1927 (July Postal Guide, pp. 1081 to 1142, inclusive)

State	Office	From—		To—	
		Class	Salary	Class	Salary
Indiana.....	Idaville.....	3	\$1,300	3	\$1,400
Michigan.....	Goodrich.....	3	1,100	3	1,200

CHANGE No. 124.

The offices listed below were advanced from the fourth to the third class effective January 1, 1928, and the salaries of the postmasters fixed as stated.

Office:	Salary
Country Club Estates, Fla.....	\$1,400
St. Clair Shores, Mich.....	1,800
Holmes Park, Mo.....	1,300
Castle Hayne, N. C.....	1,700

AMENDMENTS TO THE POSTAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS

[Issued since the publication of the 1924 edition]

ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY

[See page 1168 of the July, 1927, Postal Guide for the list of Inserts Nos. 1-291, inclusive, covering the amendments for three years]

Insert No.	Order No.	Date of order	Sections amended	Insert No.	Order No.	Date of order	Sections amended	Insert No.	Order No.	Date of order	Sections amended
		1927				1927				1927	
292	5569	June 18	317	301	5812	Aug. 17	575				
293	5584	June 22	124	302	5844	Aug. 22	1330	309	6050	Oct. 22	1629½
294	5591	do	48	303	5854	Aug. 31	688	310	6090	Nov. 5	457
295	5710	July 22	1072	304	5912	Sept. 17	638	311	7022	Nov. 14	1440
296	5710	do	1076½	305	5952	Sept. 27	167	312	7023	Nov. 16	208
297	5733	July 27	28	306	5666	Sept. 2	460	313	7034	Nov. 18	1454
298	5785	Aug. 8	209	307	6018	Oct. 13	674	314	7035	Nov. 16	209
299	5789	Aug. 11	717	308	6039	Oct. 14	301	315	7048	Nov. 23	1074½
300	5790	do	460					316	7054	Nov. 26	1074
								317	7073	Dec. 2	660

ARRANGED BY SECTIONS

[See page 1169 of the July, 1927, Postal Guide for the list of inserts Nos. 1-291, inclusive, covering the amendments for three years]

Section amended	Paragraph amended	Insert No.	Section amended	Paragraph amended	Insert No.	Section amended	Paragraph amended	Insert No.
28	3	297	317	1	292	1072	2	295
48	4	294	457	6	310	1074	1	316
124	5-9	293	460	2(c)	306	1074½	7	315
167	5	305		5(c)	300	1076½	31-34	296
208	3	312	575	4½	301	1330	5	302
209	4	298	638	1	304	1440	2	311
		314	660	3	317	1454	2	313
301	1	308	674	2	307	1629½	1-3	309
			688	1	303			
			717	1	299			

AMENDMENTS TO THE POSTAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS

ORDER No. 7073.

DECEMBER 2, 1927.

Section 660 of the Postal Laws and Regulations is amended by adding the following paragraph as paragraph 3:

"3. * * * *Provided*, That hereafter the marine letter carriers assigned to the Detroit River postal service shall be paid \$300 per annum in excess of the highest grade for carrier in the city delivery service. * * * (Act approved March 1, 1921.)"

RECOVERY OF STOLEN MONEY ORDER FORMS

Blank domestic money order forms printed for the use of the offices named below, reported in the Postal Bulletin as stolen, have been recovered. Postmasters should correct their records accordingly.

State	Post office	Serial numbers	Date of recovery
Arkansas.....	Fort Smith, Station 4.....	2091 to 2200.....	Dec. 14, 1927
Michigan.....	Saginaw West Side, Station 3.....	24923 to 25000.....	Dec. 7, 1927
Missouri.....	Worland.....	26783 to 26800.....	Do.
Virginia.....	Round Hill.....	49895 to 50000.....	Nov. 8, 1927



The Holidays Over



Now that the holidays are over and we are settled down to routine work again, having recovered our breath from the rush so that we can speak deliberately, we wish to tell all those in the service laboring with us how much we appreciate the wonderfully loyal and patriotic spirit with which they have put over the enormous task of handling the unprecedented volume of Christmas mail. ¶ We have tried to be as considerate in our cooperation with the service as possible, and to make the work as easy and cheerful as is consistent with the best of service. ¶ We sincerely appreciate your cordial spirit and trust it will continue throughout the year, and that the service will not only be better, but that you will be happier for giving better service, and the public will better appreciate the remarkable work you are doing.

John H. Bartlett

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