



Post Office Department,

TOPOGRAPHER'S OFFICE,

Washington, D. C. July 28, 1897

Please answer at once

Sir:

To enable the Topographer of this Department to determine, with as much accuracy as possible, the relative positions of Post Offices, so that they may be correctly delineated on its maps, the Postmaster General requests you carefully to answer the questions below, and furnish the diagram on the other side, returning the same as soon as possible, verified by your signature and dated, under cover to the Topographer's Office, Post Office Department.

Respectfully, etc.,

Topographer P. O. Dept.

TO POSTMASTER AT Germanatown, Mason Co., Ky BRACKEN Co.

The (P. O. Dept.) name of my Office is Germanatown

If the town, village, or site of the Post Office be known by another name than that of the Post Office, state that other name here: None

My Office is situated in _____ part of _____ Township, or in _____ quarter of Tract

No. _____ Township, County of Mason or Bracken

State of Ky Line between Mason + Bracken Cos runs through the town

The name of the most prominent river near it is this

The name of the nearest creek is Little Bracken

My office is 1/2 miles from said river, on the South side of it, and is at the head of said creek, on the _____ side of it.

My Office is on Mail Route No. _____

My Office is a Special Office supplied from _____ miles distant.

The name of the nearest Office on my route is Fernleaf, and its distance is 3 1/2 miles, by the traveled road, in a East direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest Office, on the same route, on the other side, is Brookville and its distance is 6 miles in a West direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest Office off the route is _____, and its distance by the most direct road is _____ miles in a _____ direction from this, my Office.

My Office is at a distance of _____ from the track of the _____

_____ Railroad, on the _____ side of the railroad.

My Office is 190 miles, air-line distance, from nearest point of my County boundary.

(Signature of Postmaster)

(Date)

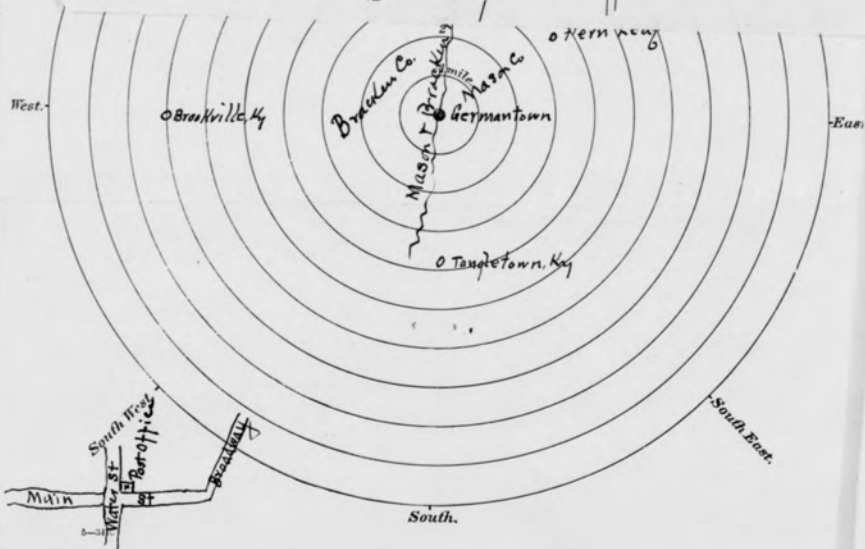
2) Please give the location of the P.O. Building streets - Po. Cor. Main + Water Sts

J. W. Pepper
Aug 2, 1897

GERMANTOWN KY

DIAGRAM

Scale 30 Feet to an Inch



Division of Reorganization

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Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Washington March 20, 1915.



SIR:

In order that the site of your post office may be accurately represented upon the post-route maps, it is requested that you carefully answer the questions below and furnish a sketch, according to instructions on opposite side of paper, which should be returned to this Division as soon as possible. Respectfully,

*For change of site
ch. to Mason Co.*

To Postmaster at

*Germantown
Bracken Co.
Ky.*

J. J. Hansley
Fourth Assistant Postmaster General.

The name of my post office is *Germantown, Kentucky*

If the town, village, or site of the post office be known by another name than that of the post office, state that other name here: _____

My post office is situated in the *Eastern* ~~part~~ of _____ Township
or in _____ quarter of tract _____ Number _____ Township

County of *Bracken* State of *Kentucky*

The name of the nearest river is *Ohio* and the post-office building is at a distance of *Eleven* miles on the *South* side of it.

The name of the nearest creek is *Bracken* and the post-office building is at a distance of *headwaters start here* on the _____ side of it.

The name of the nearest office ~~on my route~~ is *Brooksville, Ky.* and its distance is *Six* miles, by the traveled road, in a *West* direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office ~~on my route~~, on the other side, is *Augusta Ky.* and its distance is *Eleven* miles, in a *North* direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office not on my route is *Muirsvale Ky.* and its distance is *Six* miles, by the traveled road, in a *N. E.* direction from this, my office.

The post-office building is on the *South* side of the _____ Railroad, and at a distance of *Eleven* miles from the track.

The railroad station name is *Augusta*

My post office is *Twenty feet* air-line distance, *West* from the nearest point of my county boundary.

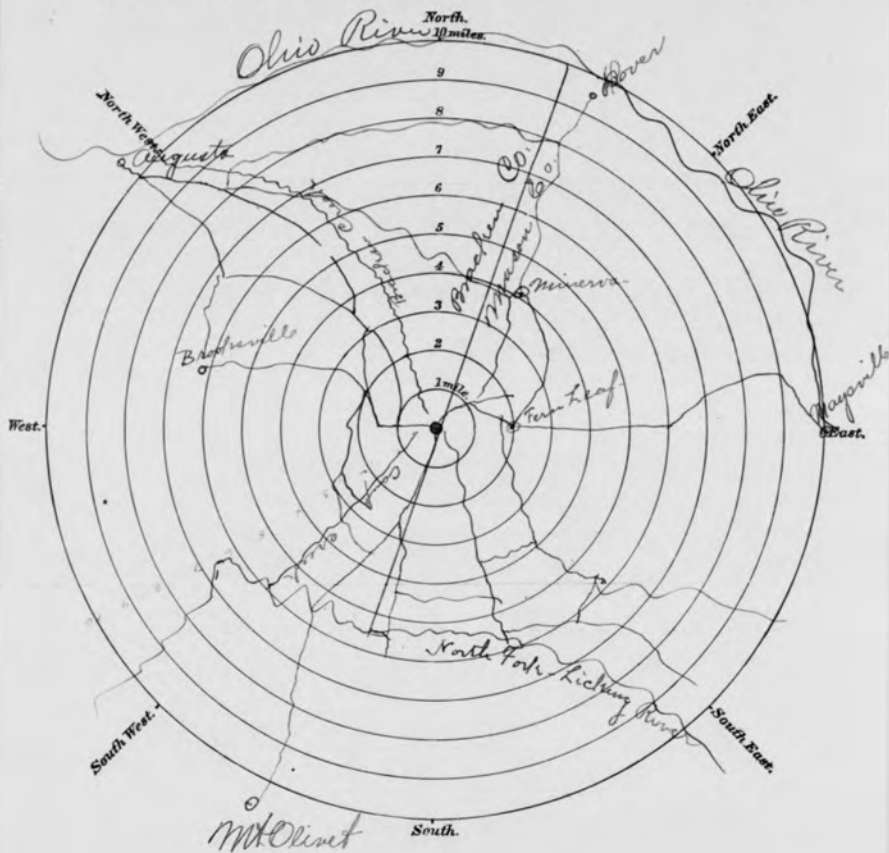
Postmaster: *Thornton A. Ragsdale*

Date: *3/23/1915*

DIAGRAM, EXPLANATION, AND INSTRUCTIONS.

The dot in the center of the 1-mile circle represents the site of the post office.
 The surrounding offices should be carefully located by placing dots on or between the mile circles at the exact distance, and in the right direction, from the post office, and their names plainly written.
 Draw distinctly the railways, roads, rivers, and creeks.

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Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL
Washington March 6, 1918.

NOT TO BE USED FOR THE
DIVISION OF EQUIPMENT
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MAR 15 1918
TOPOGRAPHY BRANCH

Postmaster, Germantown
Mason Co to Brookville
Ky.

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In order that the site of your post office may be accurately represented upon the post-route maps, it is requested that you carefully answer the questions below and furnish a sketch, according to instructions on opposite side of paper, which should be returned to this Division as soon as possible.

FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General.

The name of my post office is Germantown, Ky.

If the town, village, or site of the post office be known by another name than that of the post office, state that other name here: _____

My post office is situated in the _____ part of _____ Township,
or in _____ quarter of tract _____ Number _____ Name _____ Township,

County of Boeckw State of Ky

The name of the nearest river is Ohio River and the post-office building is at a distance of two miles on the S side of it.

The name of the nearest creek is North Fork and the post-office building is at a distance of two miles on the N side of it.

The name of the nearest office on my route is _____ and its distance is _____ miles, by the traveled road, in a _____ direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office on my route, on the other side, is _____ and its distance is _____ miles, in a _____ direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office not on my route is Brookville Ky and its distance is six miles, by the traveled road, in a W direction from this, my office.

The post-office building is on the _____ side of the _____ Railroad, and at a distance of _____ from the track.

The railroad station name is _____

My post office is 50 yards, air-line distance, W from the nearest point of my county boundary.

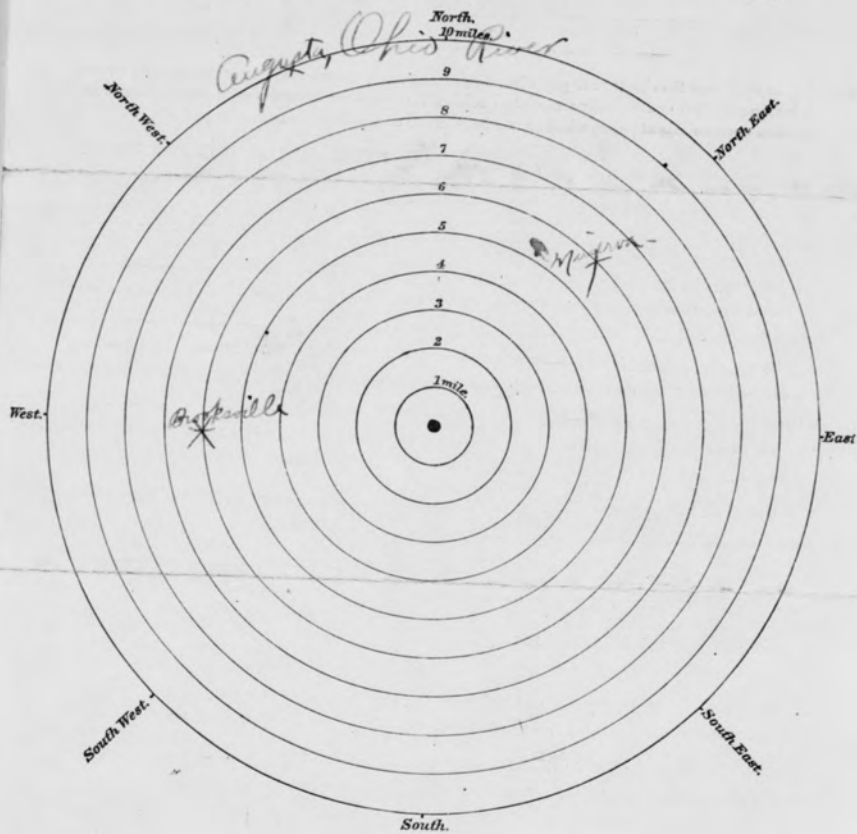
Postmaster: Harry S. Packer

Date: 3-11-18

DIAGRAM, EXPLANATION, AND INSTRUCTIONS.

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Draw distinctly the railways, roads, rivers, and creeks.

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DIVISION OF
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
TOPOGRAPHY BRANCH

Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

G.

Washington

OCT 20 1930

Oct. 4, 1930

Postmaster, Germantown

Bracken Co. Ky

for new site at
road 120 ft. E.

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FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL.

The name of my post office is Germantown, Ky.

If the town, village, or site of the post office be known by another name than that of the post office, state that other name here: _____

My post office is situated in the west part of Town Hall Township,
or in _____ quarter of tract _____ Number _____ State of _____ Name _____ Township _____
County of _____

The name of the nearest river is _____ and the post-office building is at a distance of _____ on the _____ side of it.

The name of the nearest creek is _____ and the post-office building is at a distance of _____ on the _____ side of it.

The name of the nearest office on my route is _____ and its distance is _____ miles, by the traveled road, in a _____ direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office on my route, on the other side, is _____ and its distance is _____ miles, in a _____ direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office not on my route is _____ and its distance is _____ miles, by the traveled road, in a _____ direction from this, my office.

The post-office building is on the _____ side of the _____ Railroad,
and at a distance of _____ from the track.

The railroad station name is _____

The air-line distance from my post office to the nearest point of my county boundary is _____ miles
in a _____ direction.

Postmaster: Mrs M. G. Fultz

Date: Oct 6/30

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Sketch map enclosed,



Bracken Alley,

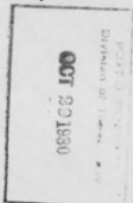
Bracken County, Mason County,

Broadway St.

MAIN STREET

Two Lick Alley,

Old Location, 120 ft. TOWN
New Location- HALL



County

Brantown and North Fork Turnpike Road.

Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL
Washington

RETURN TO
 DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY

Postmaster,

GERMANTOWN,

JUL 20 1939

KY.

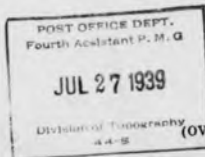
The following information is required in order that your post office may be shown in its proper location on postal maps. Please complete this form immediately and return it without delay with the map or sketch described on the reverse side. A letter of reply is not necessary.

S. M. Hurdum
 FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL.

- Street address of post office MAIN County BRACKEN
- Township X (If location is described by section, township, and range, fill in line 3.)
- X quarter of section X Township X N. or S. X Range X E. or W. X
- Nearest adjoining county MASON How far: Shortest air distance? _____ By road? _____
OFFICE IS ON THE BRACKEN-MASON LINE
- Nearest U. S. or State highway Ky No 10 Direction from P. O. _____ Distance _____
POSTOFFICE IS ON ROUTE No 10
- Name of nearest railroad station MAYSVILLE Ky Name of railroad C. O. - L. N.
- Distance by road to railroad station 12 MI Direction from post office EAST
- Shortest air distance to nearest tracks ABOUT 8 MI. Direction from post office EAST.
- Nearest streams or bodies of water (state whether river, creek, branch, lake, ocean, etc.):

Name	Direction from post office	Distance
<u>NORTH FORK</u>	<u>SOUTH</u>	<u>6 MI.</u>
<u>OHIO RIVER.</u>	<u>EAST</u>	<u>12 MI.</u>
- Post offices nearest to your office (one in each general direction):

Name	County	Direction from your office	Distance by road
<u>BROOKSVILLE Ky</u>	<u>BRACKEN</u>	<u>WEST</u>	<u>7 MI</u>
<u>AUGUSTA Ky</u>	<u>BRACKEN</u>	<u>NORTH WEST</u>	<u>12 MI</u>
<u>MAYSVILLE</u>	<u>MASON</u>	<u>EAST</u>	<u>12 MI</u>
<u>SARDIS</u>	<u>MASON</u>	<u>SOUTH</u>	<u>11 MI.</u>
- How is mail supplied to your office? STAR ROUTE From where? MAYSVILLE Ky
(Railroad, star route, rural route, etc.)



(Date) JULY 25 - 1939

(Signed) Mrs. E. O. Benjamin Postmaster.
 Post office Germantown, Ky.

IMPORTANT.—A map or sketch showing the location of your post office must be submitted with the return of this paper. A printed map, such as prepared by the county or city engineer, is preferred, if it can be furnished without expense to the Department. Be sure, however, to mark on it the exact site of the post office, placing a small dot in the proper square or block and on the proper side of the street.

If a separate map cannot be furnished it is necessary to submit a sketch as described below.

These diagrams are furnished simply to make it easier to draw a sketch that will show correct distances from your post office.

SQUARE DIAGRAM

Use this diagram if your post office is located in an area described by section, township, and range, and you have filled in line 3 on the other side. Otherwise use the circular diagram.

Place a small dot representing your post office in the proper quarter-section and fill in the blanks for township and range numbers.

Then draw the following features: (Note that one-half inch on the paper equals 1 mile on the ground.)

- Adjacent post offices (show with small dots and name).
- Railroads (show by single line with cross marks; name).
- Highways (show by double lines close together and mark U. S. and State numbers; name in margin the post office to which each road leads).
- Rivers, creeks, lakes, etc. (show by wavy lines and name).
- County line (show by dashes).

CIRCULAR DIAGRAM

Use this diagram if your post office is NOT located in an area described by section, township, and range.

Let the dot in the center of the circle represent your post office.

Then draw the features a, b, c, d, and e, as described above. (Note the scale of this diagram: One-quarter inch equals 1 mile.)

MASON CO AND BRACKEN CO
LINE RUN THRU THE
POST OFFICE.

