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(No. 40.)

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,

TOPOGRAPHER

CONTRACT OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 7th, 1870.



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 to fill up the spaces and answer the questions below, and return the same, verified by your signature and dated, under cover to this Office.

Respectfully, &c.,

Wm. Ross
Second Assistant Postmaster General.

To POSTMASTER AT *Indian Springs*
Campbell Co *Ch. to Ross*

The (P. O. Dept.) name of my office is

Indian Spring Ky

* Its local name is

It is situated in *Alexandria* Precinct Township

County of *Campbell*, State of *Kentucky*

The name of the most prominent river near it is

Ohio river

The name of the nearest creek is

Eight mile

This office is $\frac{1}{4}$ miles from said river, on the *South* side of it, and is

$\frac{1}{2}$ miles from said nearest creek, on the *East* side of it.

The name of the nearest office on route No. is *Newport*, and its distance is *Eleven* miles, by the traveled road, in a *Western* direction from this my office.

The name of the nearest office, on the same route, on the other side, is *Castney Pond* and its distance is ~~ten~~ miles in a *Eastern* direction from this my office.

The name of the nearest office off the route is *Newport*, and its distance by the most direct road is *Eleven* miles in a *Western* direction from this my office.

This office is at a distance of *ten* miles from the *Benton* Station of the *Ky central* Railroad, on the *Northern* side of the railroad.

State, under this, the names of all other offices near your office, in different directions from it, and their distances from it by the most direct roads. *New Palestine 2 miles east of this side of River Alexandria 6 miles South*

* If the town, village, or site of the Post Office, be known locally by another name than that of the Post Office, state that other name here, that it may be identified on any published map of the State (or Territory) if appearing thereon.
† If a diagram of the township (or, where the land is not so divided, a sketch map,) showing the precise location of your office, together with the adjoining Post Offices, towns or villages, the roads, railroads, and larger streams or creeks, in addition to the above verbal description, will be useful, and is desired.

A correct map of the locality and adjacent country might be furnished by your County Surveyor, but this must be without expense to the Post Office Department; it being, however, for the general interest and advantage of the community to have the Post Offices correctly located on the maps, it may be expected that this will be cheerfully furnished on proper application.

State (on margin of this sheet) whether there is on file at your county seat (court-house), or in the hands of your County Surveyor, a map of the county.

State also the present Surveyor's name and Post Office address.

(Signature of Postmaster) -

Wm. J. Pyle

(Date) -

Feb 26th 1870

Rec'd to Mr. Borden
Jan. 23 '89.

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Post Office Department,

TOPOGRAPHER'S OFFICE

Washington,

Jan 9



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 to fill up the spaces below, and the diagram on fourth page, returning the same, verified by your signature and dated, under cover to this Office.

Respectfully, &c.,

David Enright

Topographer P. O. Dept.

To POSTMASTER AT

Ross,

Campbell Co.,

Ky.

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

Ross

* Its local name is

Indian Springs

It is situated in the

East

quarter of Section No. 22, in Township of

Hayfield

(north or south), Range

(east or west), County

of Campbell, State of Ky.

The name of the most prominent river near it is Ohio

The name of the nearest creek is Eight mile

This Office is 4/4 miles from said river, on the South side of it, and is 1/8

miles from said nearest creek, on the East side of it.

The name of the nearest Office on route No. 82, 138 is Camp Spring, and its distance is 3 miles, by the traveled road, in a South West direction from this my Office.

The name of the nearest Office, on the same route, on the other side, is California Ky. and its distance is 7 miles in an East direction from this my Office.

The name of the nearest Office off the route is Sunset Mine Ohio, and its distance by the most direct road is 3 miles in a West North direction from this my Office.

This office is at a distance of 323 ft from the track Station of the M. & B. S. Railroad, on the North South side of the railroad.

State, under this, the names of other Offices near your Office, in different directions from it, and their distances from it by the most direct roads. Alexandria in South direction 6 miles
New Palestine Ohio 3 miles North East direction
California Ky East direction about 7 miles
Sunset Mine Ky West direction 3 miles
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, that it may be identified on the map of the State (or Territory).

A diagram of the township and sections (or, where the land is not so divided, a sketch map), showing the precise location of your Office, together with the adjoining Post Offices, towns, or villages, the roads, railroads, and larger streams or creeks, in addition to the above, will be useful, and is desired. (See diagram blank accompanying this, to be filled up.)

(Signature of Postmaster.)

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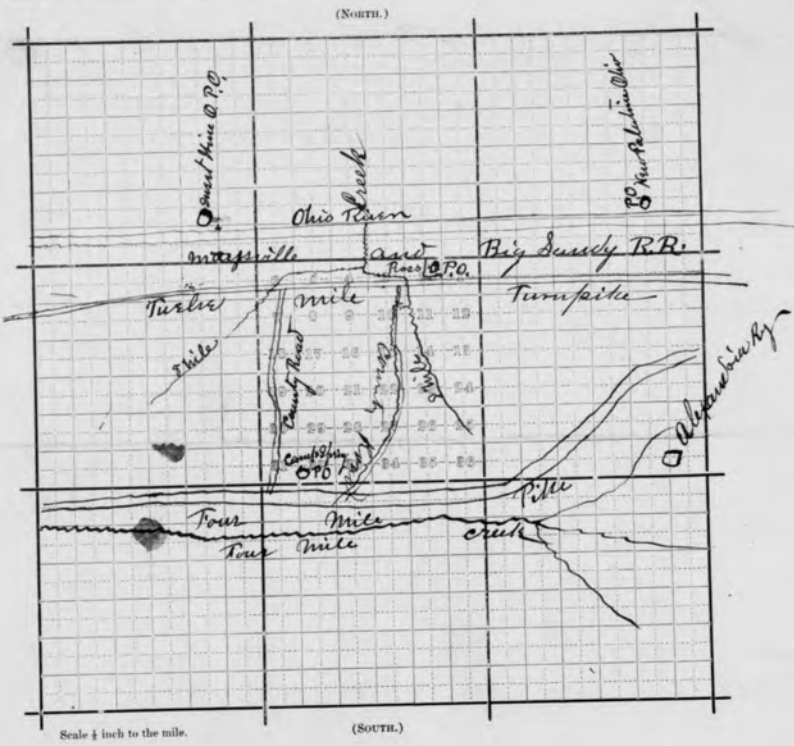
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Diagram showing the site of the Ross Post Office
 in 3rd dist of Playfuld Range of Principal
Meridian, County of Campbell, State
 of Ky, with the adjacent Townships and Post
 Offices.

It is requested that the exact site of the proposed, or existing Post Office, as also the roads to the adjoining Offices, and the larger streams or rivers, be marked on this diagram, to be returned as soon as possible to the Post Office Department. If on, or near a railroad, mark the railroad and adjacent Station accurately.



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DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY



Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL
Washington



Jan 2, 1914

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,

formerly Indian Springs

To Postmaster at ROSS
Campbell Co,
Ky.
Ross

John L. Bunker
Fourth Assistant Postmaster General

The name of my post office is _____
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 post office is situated in the _____ part of Campbell County Township,
or in _____ quarter of tract _____ Township,
County of Campbell, State of Ky

The name of the nearest river is _____, and the post-office building is at a distance of 1 fourth mile on the South side of it.

The name of the nearest creek is Eight Mile, and the post-office building is at a distance of four hundred yds on the East side of it.

The name of the nearest office on my route is none from this office
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 South side of the C. O. Railroad,
and at a distance of 200 yds from the track.

The railroad station name is Ross

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

Postmaster: Virginia M. Hart
Date: Jan 2, 1914

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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