

Post Office Department,

OFFICE OF THE FIRST ASSISTANT P. M. GENERAL,

Appointment Division,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

July 20 1887

Sir: Before the Postmaster General decides upon the application for the establishment of a post office at _____, County of Campbell, it will be necessary for you to carefully answer the subjoined question get a neighboring postmaster to certify to the correctness of the answers, and return the location paper to the Department, addressed to me. If the site selected for the proposed office should not be on any route now under contract, only a "Special Office" can be established there, to be supplied with mail from some convenient point on the nearest mail route by a special carrier (see section 733, Postal Laws and Regulations of 1887), for which service a sum equal to two-thirds of the amount of the salary of the postmaster at such office will be paid by the Department.

You should inform the contractor, or person performing service for him, of this application, and require him to execute the inclosed certificate as to the practicability of supplying the proposed office with mail, and return the same to the Department.

Very respectfully,

S. W. Sheffield

First Asst Postmaster General.

To Mr. Henry Koeninger

care of the Postmaster of Camp Springs, who will please forward to him.

STATEMENT.

The proposed office to be called

Trace
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Select a short name for the proposed office, which, when written, will not resemble the name of any other post office in the State.

It will be situated in the _____ quarter of Section _____, Township _____ (North or South) _____ Range _____ (East or West) _____, in the County of Campbell, State of Virginia.
 It will be on or near route No. 1203, being the route from Hardy to Camp Springs, which the mail is now carried _____ times per week.
 Will it be directly on this route?—Ans. No.
 If not, how far from it?—Ans. 3 Miles.
 If not on any route, is a "Special Office" wanted?—Ans. Yes. To be supplied from Carrollton.
 The name of the nearest office to the proposed one, on one side, is Carrollton its distance is 3 Miles miles in a Southern direction from the proposed office.
 The name of the nearest office, on the other side, is Clayton its distance is 4 Miles miles in a Western direction from the proposed office.
 The name of the other nearest office to the proposed one is Clayton its distance by the most direct road is _____ miles in a Western direction from the proposed office.
 The name of the most prominent river near it is Yapoc miles from said river, on the _____ side of it, and will be _____ miles from said nearest creek, on the _____ side of it.
 The name of the nearest railroad is C. & O.
 If on the line of or near a railroad, on which side will the office be located; how far from the track; and what is, or will be, the name of the station?—Ans. Between any & h
 If it be a village, state the number of inhabitants.—Ans. About 100
 Also, the population to be supplied by the proposed office.—Ans. About 100
 A diagram, or sketch from a map, showing the position of the proposed new office, with neighboring river or creek, roads, and other post offices, towns, or villages near it, will be useful, and is therefore desired.
 A correct map of the locality might be furnished by the county surveyor, but this must be without expense to the Post Office Department.

ALL WHICH I CERTIFY to be correct and true, according to the best of my knowledge and belief, this fifth day of August, 1887 (Sign full name.) Henry Koeninger Proposed P. M.

I CERTIFY that I have examined the foregoing statement, and that it is correct and true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

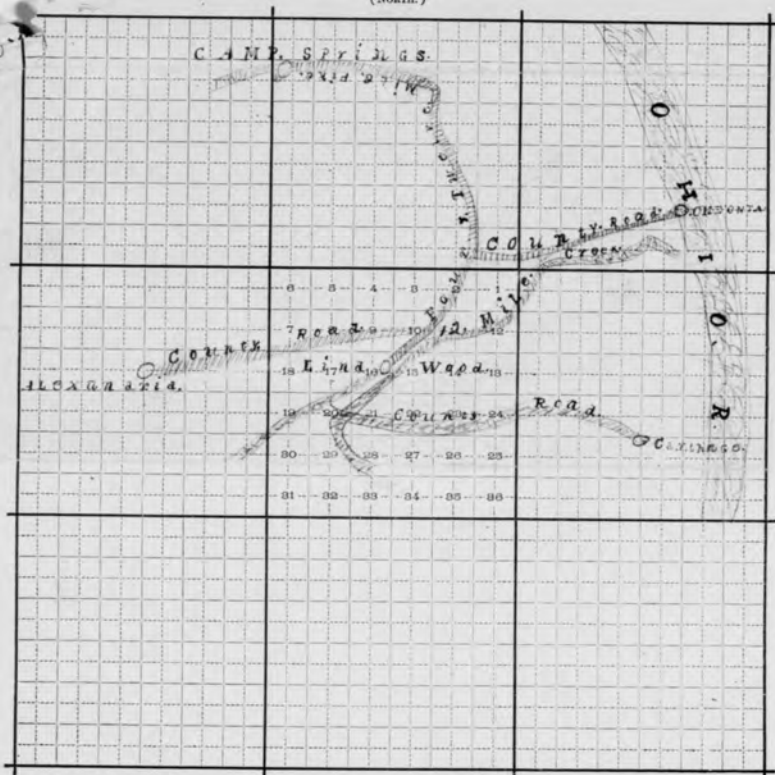
W. H. H. The Postmaster of Hardy
Campbell Campbell Co. Ky

Be careful to answer the inquiries fully and accurately, or the case will not be acted upon.

Diagram showing the site of the Lindwood Post Office,
 in Township _____ (N. or S.), Range _____ (E. or W.) of _____ Principal
 Meridian, County of Campbell, State
 of Kentucky, 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
 possible to the Post Office Department.

(NORTH)



Scale $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to the mile.

(SOUTH.)

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