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Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL
Washington

RETURN TO
DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY

Postmaster,

RUSH,

COLO.

OCT 17 1941

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.

FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL.

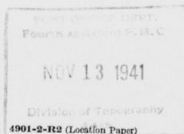
1. Street address of post office (RUSH) Highway 94 County El Paso
2. Township 14 (If location is described by section, township, and range, fill in line 3.)
3. 36 quarter of section 10 Township 14 N. or S. South Range 60 E. or W. West
4. Nearest adjoining county Lincoln How far: Shortest air distance? 3M. By road? 3M.
5. Nearest U. S. or State highway 26 Direction from P. O. NORTH Distance 23 Miles
6. Name of nearest railroad station SIMLA Name of railroad Rock Island
7. Distance by road to railroad station 25 Miles Direction from post office NORTH
8. Shortest air distance to nearest tracks 23 Miles Direction from post office NORTH
9. Streams or bodies of water nearest to your office:

Name	Direction from post office	Distance
<u>HORSE CREEK</u>	<u>NORTHEAST</u>	<u>12 MILES</u>

10. Post offices nearest to your office (one in each general direction):

Name	County	Direction from your office	Distance by road
<u>Yoder</u>	<u>El Paso</u>	<u>WEST</u>	<u>7 Miles</u>
<u>SIMLA</u>		<u>NORTH</u>	<u>25</u>
<u>KARVAL</u>	<u>Lincoln</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>40</u>
<u>Kendrick</u>	<u>Lincoln</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>11</u>

11. How is mail supplied to your office? Star Route (Railroad, star route, rural route, etc.) From where? Calhan, Colo.



(Date) Nov. 10 1941
(Signed) Wm. B. Back Postmaster.
Post office Rush, Colo.

(OVER)

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IMPORTANT.—A map showing the location of your post office must be submitted with the return of this paper. A highway map such as prepared by State, county, or local agencies 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 no map can be furnished it is necessary to draw a sketch on one of the diagrams below.

INSTRUCTIONS

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.)

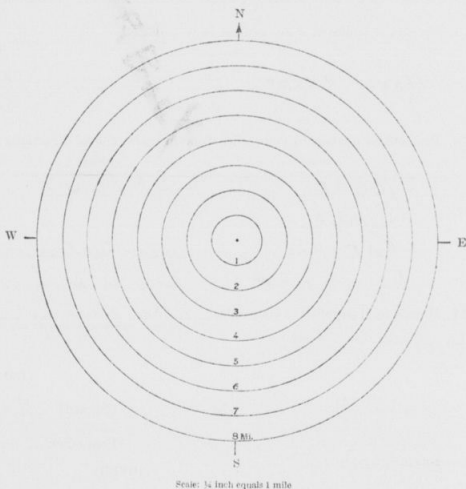
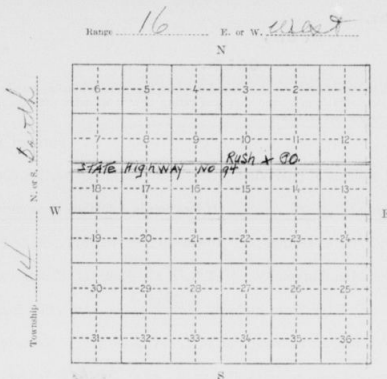
- Adjacent post offices (show with small dots and name).
- Railroads (show by single line with cross marks; name).
- Highways (show by double lines close together and mark U. S. and State numbers; name in margin the post office to which each road leads).
- Rivers, creeks, lakes, etc. (show by wavy lines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



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PROPOSED CHANGE IN LOCATION OF POST OFFICE

DIVISION OF
POSTMASTERS' APPOINTMENTSIN REPLYING
MENTION INITIALS AND DATE

Post Office Department

FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Mrs. Grace G. Book, P.M.

Rush,

Colorado,

Washington

Mar. 4, 1927

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Smsx Madam:-

With reference to the proposed change in site of the post office named below, and in order that the office if changed to the proposed location 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 the First Assistant Postmaster General, Division of Postmasters' Appointments, as soon as possible.

Respectfully,

FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

RUSH

EL PASO

COLORADO,

(Post Office.)

(County.)

(State.)

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

The post office, if changed to the proposed site, would be 10.650 F., air-line distance, North from its present location. (N, S, E, or W.)

The post office would be situated in the South-E quarter of section Ten, in Township Fourteen-S Range Six-W of the Sixth principal meridian, County of El Paso. (R. or S.)

State of Colorado

The name of the nearest river is Arkansas, and the post-office building would be at a distance of Sixty miles on the North side of it. (N, S, E, or W.)

The name of the nearest creek is Horse Creek, and the post-office building would be at a distance of Fourteen miles on the West side of it. (N, S, E, or W.)

The name of the nearest office on the same route as this post office is Yoder, Colorado, and its distance is Five miles, by the traveled road, in a West direction from the proposed site of this office. (N, S, E, or W.)

The name of the nearest office on the same route, on the other side, is Kendrick, Colorado, and its distance is Eleven miles, in a South-E direction from the proposed site of this office. (N, S, E, or W.)

The name of the nearest office not on the same route as this post office is Ramah, Colorado, and its distance is Twenty miles, by the traveled road, in a North direction from the proposed site of this office. (N, S, E, or W.)

The post office building would be on the South side of the Rock Island Railroad, and at a distance of 22 miles from the station. The railroad station name is Ramah.

The post office would be 10.650 miles, air-line distance, West from the nearest point of my county boundary. (N, S, E, or W.)

Signature in full Grace G. Book

Date:

If the State is surveyed designate the proposed site of the office on this page.

DIAGRAM, EXPLANATION, AND INSTRUCTIONS.

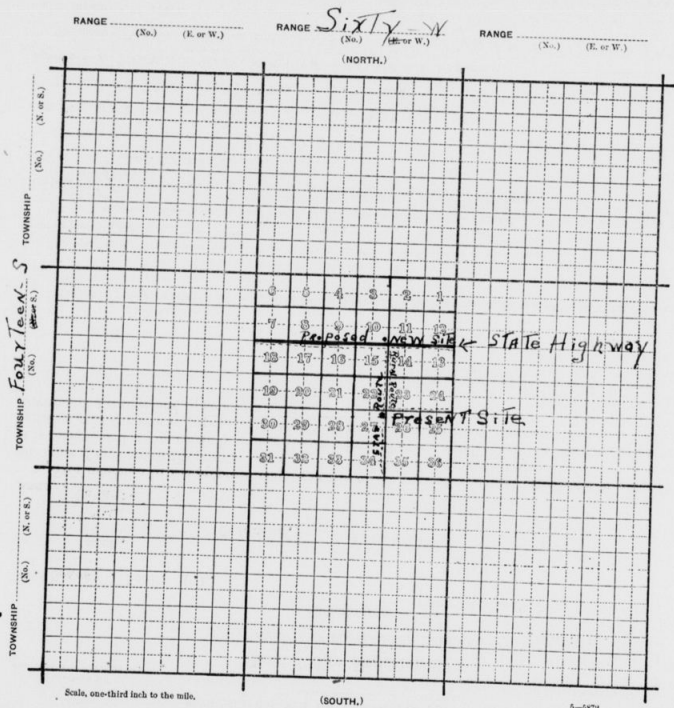
Indicate upon the diagram the proposed site of the post office by placing a dot in the proper quarter section.

The surrounding offices and the present site of this office should be accurately located and the names plainly written.

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

The post office would be situated in the South East quarter of section No. Ten in Township Fourteen ^(N. or S.) Range Sixty ^(E. or W.) of the Sixth principal meridian.

In localities not surveyed by the U. S. Land Office, a sketch map is requested.



Division of Supplies
DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY

Office No 30862

R.



Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Washington FEB 20 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,

To Postmaster at

Rush

El Paso Co.,

Colo.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General.

The name of my post office is

Rush.

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 N.E. quarter of section No. 27, in Township 14 S., Range 60 W., of the 6th principal meridian, County of El Paso, State of Colorado.

The name of the nearest river is Arkansas, and the post-office building is at a distance of Twenty miles on the North side of it.

The name of the nearest creek is Horse Creek, and the post-office building is at a distance of Ten miles on the West side of it.

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

The name of the nearest office on my route, on the other side, is Ypder, and its distance is 13 miles, in a N.W. direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office not on my route is Tampa, and its distance is 10 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 C.R.I. Railroad, and at a distance of 22 miles from the track.

The railroad station name is Simla.

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

Postmaster: Robert N. Edgington

Date: Feb 27 - 1914

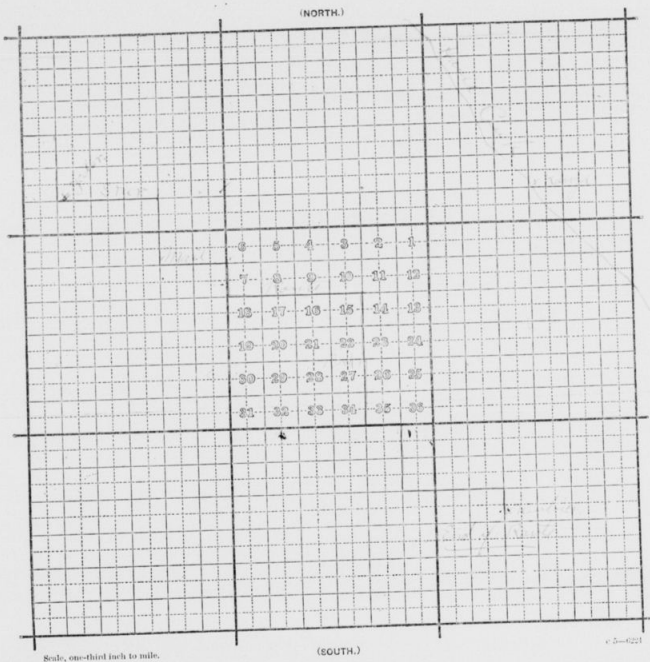
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Indicate upon the diagram the site of the post office by placing a dot in the proper quarter section.
The surrounding offices should be accurately located and the names plainly written.

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

The post office is situated in the N. E. quarter of section No. 27.
in Township 14. S. Range 60. W. of the 6th principal meridian.
N. or S. E. or W.

In localities not surveyed by the U. S. Land Office, a sketch is requested.



Arkansas River

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Post Office Department

FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

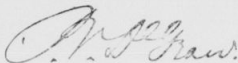
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DEC. 4, 1911.

Sir:

In order that this office may determine, with as much accuracy as possible, the relative positions of post offices, so that they may be correctly delineated on its maps, please carefully 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.

Respectfully,



Fourth Assistant Postmaster, General.



POSTMASTER AT RUSH,

EL PASO CO.

COLO.

The (P. O. Dept.) name of my 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: _____

The P. O. is situated in the N. E. quarter of Section No. 27, in Township 14 (north or south), Range 8 E (east or west), County of El Paso, State of Colo.

The name of the most prominent river near it is None nearThe name of the nearest creek is "

This Office is _____ miles from said river, on the _____ side of it, and is _____ miles from said nearest creek, on the _____ side of it.

My Office is on Mail Route No. 65239

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

The name of the nearest Office on my route is Altam, and its distance is 7 1/2 miles, by the traveled road, in a N. W. direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest Office, on the same route, on the other side, is Hendrick and its distance is 2 1/2 miles in a S. E. direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest Office off the route is Malons, and its distance by the most direct road is 10 miles in a S. W. direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest railroad is C. & N. R. 26 miles

If on the line of or near the railroad, on which side and how far from the track is your Office located? _____

(Signature of Postmaster.)

Robert N. Edgington

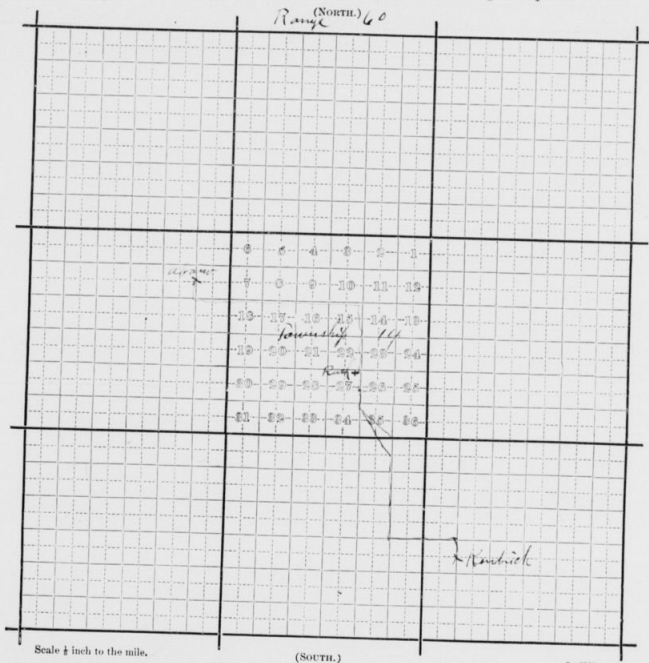
(Date.)

Dec 18 1911

Diagram showing the site of the Rice Post Office
 in Township 10 (N. or S.), Range 60 (E. or W.),
 of Principal Meridian, County of El Paso, State
 of Calo, with the adjacent Townships and Post Offices.

It is requested that the exact site of your Post Office, as also the roads to the adjoining
 Offices, and the rivers and creeks, be marked on this diagram, to be returned as soon as possi-
 ble to the Topographer's Office, Post Office Department. If on, or near a railroad, mark
 the railroad and adjacent Station accurately.

In localities not surveyed by the U. S. Land Office, a sketch map is requested.



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

(SOUTH)

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Location of Proposed Post Office

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS

Post Office Department

IN REPLYING
MENTION INITIALS AND DATE

OFFICE OF FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Washington

Nov 30 1907

Christian, J. Rush
Albano

Sir:

With reference to the proposed establishment of a post office at

Sec 22 town 14 Range 60, El Paso, Colorado.

you are requested to supply promptly, on this form, the information and the plot called for, and to cause the proper certificate (page 3) to be correctly filled out.

Respectfully,

J. H. Hitchcock
First Assistant Postmaster General.Rush
Name, county, and State:

Sec 22, Town 14 Range 60, El Paso, Colorado.

Nearest mail route to proposed office (if not on a railroad):

Star route No. 65203, from Kendrick
to Calhan; Two times a week.

Nearest railroad: Calhan; 27 miles; North West

Nearest station: Calhan; 27 miles; North West

Nearest post offices on same route: Kendrick; 7 miles; South East

Albano; 7 miles; North West

Nearest post office not on route: Kanza; 9 miles; North East

Nearest prominent river: none; ; ;

Nearest creek: none; ; ;

Office from which mail can best be supplied, if proposed office is

not on a mail route (see page 4): Albano

Village to be supplied with mail, if any: Country settlement

118; 4 to 3 miles; all directions

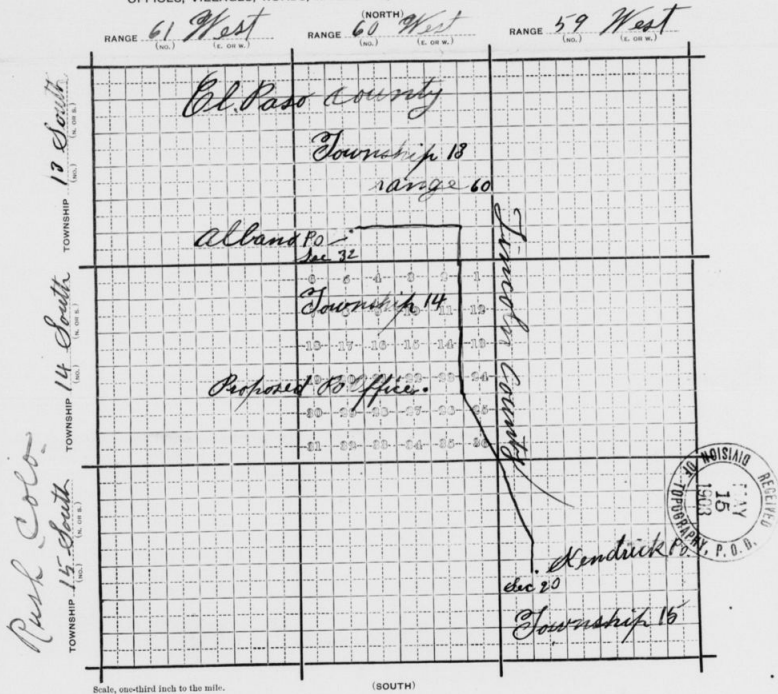
Total population to be supplied with mail:

Location: Township 14 ; range 60 West of the 6th principal meridian; section 22 ; S.E. quarter.

I believe the foregoing statements to be correct.

John M Mortimer Kendrick Christian F. Rush
Postmaster at (OFFICE NEAREST TO PROPOSED OFFICE) Proposed Postmaster.

PLOT SHOWING THE LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED POST OFFICE, WITH THE ADJACENT POST OFFICES, VILLAGES, ROADS, RAILROADS, MAIL ROUTES, RIVERS, AND CREEKS



If the locality has not been surveyed by the United States Land Office, a sketch map should be furnished.