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(LOCATION PAPER.)

Post Office Department,

OFFICE OF THE FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL,
DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., 190 .

SIR: Before the Postmaster ^{Yoder} decides upon the application for the establishment of a post office at _____, County of El Paso, State of Colorado, it will be necessary for you to carefully answer the subjoined questions, 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 be not on any mail route, only a "Special Office" can be established, to be supplied with mail from some convenient point on the nearest mail route by a special carrier, for which service a sum equal two-thirds the salary of the postmaster 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 appended certificate as to the practicability of supplying the proposed office with mail.

Very respectfully,

Please make it a Star Route.

J. H. Ristow

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General.

To Mr. A. F. Yoder
care of the Postmaster of Garbure, who will please forward to him.

STATEMENT.

The proposed office to be called Yoder

Notice directions for selecting post office names on next page.

It will be situated in the SE quarter of Section 19, Township 13 (North or South), Range 61 (East or West), in the County of El Paso, State of Colorado.
It will be on or near route No. 65205, being the route from Bayton Colo. to Ellicott Colo., on which the mail is now carried 6 times per week.

Will it be directly on this route?—Ans. No.

If not, how much would its supply on this route increase the distance necessarily traveled by the carrier in going once over the route? 21 miles

If not on any route and a "Special Office" is wanted, from what office to be supplied? Garbure

The name of the nearest office to the proposed one, on one side, is Garbure, its distance is 1 1/2 miles in a N. W. direction from the proposed office.

The name of the nearest office, on the other side, is Garbure, its distance is fully 10 1/2 miles in a West by North direction from the proposed office.

The name of the other nearest office to the proposed one is Ellicott, its distance by the most direct road is 12 1/2 miles in a S. W. direction from the proposed office.

The name of the most prominent river near it is _____

The name of the nearest creek is _____

The proposed office will be _____ 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 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific

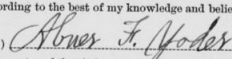
If on the line of or near a railroad, on which side will the office be located: how far from the track; and what is, or will be, the name of the station?—Ans. 90 ft. N. E.

Give the population to be supplied by the proposed office.—Ans. From 60 to 70, not positive whether will be 100 or 120

If it be a village, state the number of inhabitants.—Ans. _____

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.

ALL WHICH I CERTIFY to be correct and true, according to the best of my knowledge and belief, this 18th day of March, 1904.

() Sign full name.) Abner F. Yoder 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. (This must be signed by Postmaster at nearest office.)

Harriett Ellicott

Postmaster at Ellicott

Colo

(OVER.)

At a "special office," the postmaster is authorized to employ a carrier to supply the office as often as practicable, for a sum not exceeding two-thirds of the postmaster's compensation.

Applications for post offices should be accompanied by petition for the citizens interested.

DIVISION OF
POSTMASTERS' APPOINTMENTS

PROPOSED LOCATION OF POST OFFICE

IN REPLYING
MENTION INITIALS AND DATE

Post Office Department

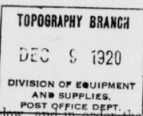
FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Washington

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Nov 19, 1920.

Postmaster,



Sir:

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.

Yoder (Post Office) El Paso Colorado (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 place is not known by any other name*
 The post office, if changed to the proposed site, would be *3* miles *South East* from its present location. *to N.E. & Cent of*
 The post office would be situated in the *S.E. 1/4* of section No. *9* in Township *14 S* Range *6 E* of the *6th* principal meridian, County of *El Paso* State of *Colorado*
 The name of the nearest river is *Aransas*, and the post-office building would be at a distance of *5 1/2* miles on the *South* side of it.
 The name of the nearest creek is *none* and the post-office building would be at a distance of *none* on the *South* side of it.
 The name of the nearest office on the same route as this post office is *Rush* and its distance is *9* miles, by the traveled road, in a *East* direction from the proposed site of this office.
 The name of the nearest office on the same route, on the other side, is *Colham Colo* and its distance is *18* miles, in a *NW* direction from the proposed site of this office.
 The name of the nearest office not on the same route as this post office is *none* and its distance is *none* miles, by the traveled road, in a *North* direction from the proposed site of this office.
 The post office building would be on the *North* side of the *Highway going East from* and at a distance of *9* miles from the track. The railroad station name is *none*
 The post office would be *9* miles *East* from the nearest point of my county boundary.

Signature of Postmaster:

R. S. Haynes

Date: *Nov 22, 1920*

Handwritten note: The place is not known by any other name

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

DIAGRAM, EXPLANATION, AND INSTRUCTIONS.

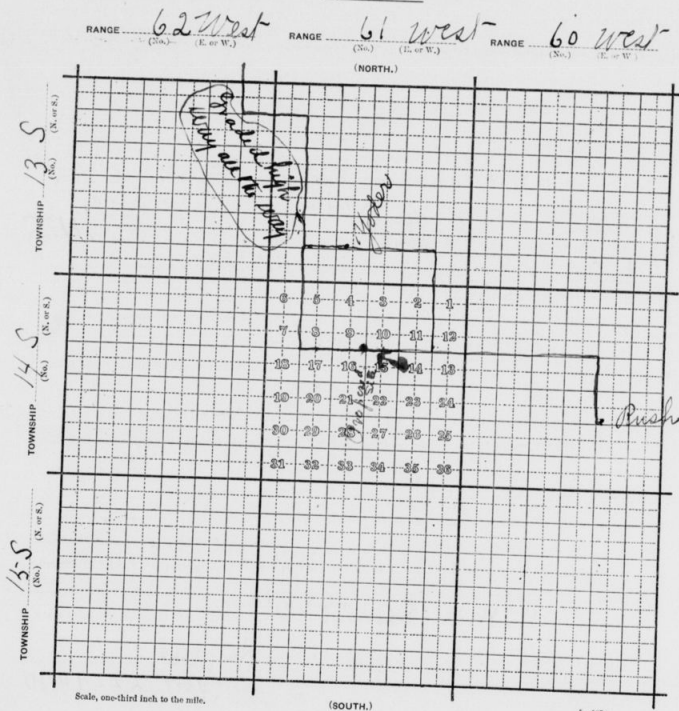
Indicate upon the diagram the proposed site of the post office by placing a dot in the proper quarter section.

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 S.E. quarter of section No. 9
in Township 13 S. Range 61 W. of the 6th principal meridian.

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



The Red line is the proposed Star route & the Black line the present Star route

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Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL
Washington

RETURN TO
 DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY

Postmaster,

YODER,

OCT 17 1941

COLO.

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.

Nellie Myers
 FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

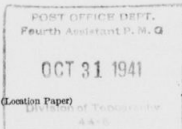
1. Street address of post office Yoder County El Paso
2. Township _____ (If location is described by section, township, and range, fill in line 3.)
3. SE 4 quarter of section 9 Township 14 N. or S. _____ Range 61 E. or W. _____
4. Nearest adjoining county Lincoln How far: Shortest air distance? 7 miles By road? 7 miles E.
5. Nearest U. S. State highway 94 Direction from P. O. South Distance 30 ft.
6. Name of nearest railroad station Rock Island Name of railroad Calhan
7. Distance by road to railroad station 18 miles Direction from post office N. W.
8. Shortest air distance to nearest tracks 14 miles Direction from post office North
9. Streams or bodies of water nearest to your office:

Name	Direction from post office	Distance
<u>none</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>

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

Name	County	Direction from your office	Distance by road
<u>Rush</u>	<u>El Paso</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>7 miles</u>
<u>Colo. Springs</u>	<u>El Paso</u>	<u>west</u>	<u>33 "</u>
<u>Calhan</u>	<u>El Paso</u>	<u>Northwest</u>	<u>18 "</u>
<u>Tacony</u>	<u>S. Pueblo</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>22 "</u>
11. How is mail supplied to your office? <u>Star Route</u>	From where? <u>Calhan</u>		

(Railroad, star route, rural route, etc.)



4901-2-112 (Location Paper)

(Date) Oct 23-41
 (Signed) R. H. Haynes Postmaster.
 Post office Yoder
 (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).

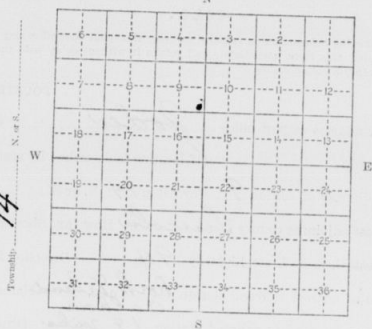
CIRCULAR DIAGRAM

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

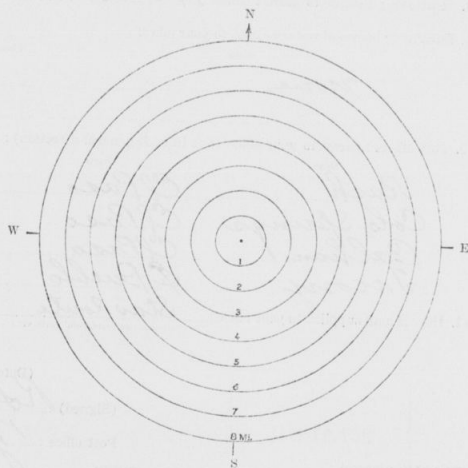
Let the dot in the center of the circle represent your post office.

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.)

Range 61 E. or W. _____



Scale: 1/2 inch equals 1 mile



Scale: 1/4 inch equals 1 mile

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

Yoder
El Paso Co.
Colo.

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:

My post office is situated in the South-west quarter of section No. 28, in Township 13 S.
Range 11 W., of the 6th principal meridian, County of El Paso
State of Colorado

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 Rush
and its distance is 12 1/2 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 Calhan
and its distance is 14 1/2 miles, in a N. W. direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office not on my route is Burt
and its distance is 5 1/2 miles, by the traveled road, in a N. W. direction from this, my office.

The post-office building is on the W. side of the Star Route ~~Railroad~~
and at a distance of 5 rd from the road.

The railroad station name is _____

My post office is 9 1/2 mi air-line distance, West from the nearest point of my county boundary.

Postmaster:

Edith E. Walden

Date:

March 2, 1914

DIAGRAM, EXPLANATION, AND INSTRUCTIONS.

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 *South West* quarter of section No. *28* in Township *13 S.*, Range *61 W.*, of the *6th* principal meridian.

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

