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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF FOREIGN MAILS,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14, 1896.

The International Bureau of the Universal Postal Union at Berne, Switzerland, has officially promulgated, at the request of the Postal Administration of Russia, the following information, viz:

"By virtue of the new Russian Customs Regulations, articles of printed matter published abroad in a mixed language, i. e. in some foreign language with additional Russian text, will not be admitted into Russia without paying customs duty, unless the additional Russian text consists solely in quotations, extracts or detached phrases having no individual meaning by themselves.

"Consequently, articles under band (i. e. unsealed) mailed abroad destined for Russia containing printed matter in some foreign language mixed with Russian, which do not answer exactly to the above described conditions, will be considered as liable to customs duties and returned to origin by the Russian exchange offices in virtue of the provisions of paragraph 2, b, of Section 3 and of Section 4 of Article 16 of the Universal Postal Convention of Vienna."

Postmasters will cause due notice of the foregoing to be taken at their offices.

By direction of the Postmaster General.

N. M. BROOKS,

Superintendent of Foreign Mails.

The British Colonies of Ascension and Saint Helena Members of the Universal Postal Union.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,

OFFICE OF FOREIGN MAILS,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 15, 1896.

The adhesion, on the 1st of October, 1896, of the British Colonies of Ascension and Saint Helena to the Universal Postal Union Convention and the Regulations for its execution, signed in Vienna on the 4th of July, 1891, has been announced through the proper Diplomatic channel, together with the information that the following postage rates will, for the future, be applicable in those Colonies, to articles contained in the mails exchanged between said Colonies and the other Countries and Colonies embraced in the Union, viz:

LETTERS, per half-ounce, 2½ pence..... (= 5 cents.)

POSTAL CARDS, Single, one penny..... (= 2 cents.)

PRINTED MATTER, COMMERCIAL PAPERS and SAMPLES of MERCHANDISE, per 2 ounces, one half-penny, with a minimum charge of 2½ pence per package upon COMMERCIAL PAPERS, and 1 penny per package upon SAMPLES of MERCHANDISE.

The entrance of the Colonies of Ascension and Saint Helena to the Postal Union makes no change in the postage rates and conditions now applicable to articles mailed in the United States addressed for delivery in those Colonies; the Postal Union regimen having been extended to said correspondence by the Postmaster General's Order dated November 30, 1894.

By direction of the Postmaster General.

N. M. BROOKS,

Superintendent of Foreign Mails.

POST OFFICE NAMES CHANGED.

VIRGINIA.

Dry Fork Depot, Pittsylvania Co., to Dry Fork. [2 oct 96]

POST OFFICES ESTABLISHED.

ARIZONA.

Livingstone, Gila Co., Route 68145, Globe, 28 ms. S. E., Cline, 33 ms. N. E. [17 sept 96]

NEW MEXICO.

Garfield, Donna Ana Co., special from Rincon, Route 165006, 15 ms. S. E. [19 sept 96]

POST OFFICE SITE CHANGED.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Friedens, Somerset Co., ½ m. E., on Route 10927. [3 oct 96]

STAR SERVICE ESTABLISHED.

ALABAMA.

Route 24817. Newburg to Stout, 3 ms. and back, twice a week, by a schedule of not to exceed 1 hour running time each way. From November 18, 1896, to June 30, 1900. [15 oct 96]

MISSISSIPPI.

Route 26673. Ratliff to Cummings, 5½ ms. and back, twice a week, by a schedule of not to exceed 2 hours running time each way. From November 21, 1896, to June 30, 1900. [15 oct 96]

OHIO.

Route 32026. Wolfpen to Pomeroy, 5 ms. and back, six times a week, by a schedule of not to exceed 1½ hours running time each way. From November 16, 1896, to June 30, 1899. [15 oct 96]

STAR SERVICE CHANGES.

ALABAMA.

Route 24587. Omega to Highridge. From November 2, 1896, change service so as to supply Mascotte, between Post oak and Mount Hilliard, increasing distance 2½ ms. [15 oct 96]

WASHINGTON.

Route 71350. Ives to Methow. From November 2, 1896, increase service to six times a week. [15 oct 96]

RAILROAD SERVICE CHANGES.

CALIFORNIA.

Route 176090. Plumas Junction (n. o.) to Beckwith. Sierra Valleys Rwy. Co., 20.07 ms. From November 9, 1896, state service to end at Clairville, Cal., increasing distance 10.63 ms. [15 oct 96]

R. P. O. SERVICE ESTABLISHED.

In effect October 5, 1896, R. P. O. service was established on the line of the Rochester Rwy. Co. from the Rochester, N. Y., General Post Office on Park and North Avenues and St. Paul Street. Distance one way 7.73 ms. The line to be known as the ROCHESTER, N. Y., EAST SIDE R. P. O. [16 oct 96]

In effect October 5, 1896, R. P. O. service was established on the line of the Rochester Rwy. Co. from the Rochester, N. Y., General Post Office on Lake, West and South Avenues. Distance one way 7.57 ms. The line to be known as the ROCHESTER, N. Y., WEST SIDE R. P. O. [16 oct 96]

SPECIAL SERVICE DISCONTINUED.

ALABAMA.

Mascotte, Bullock Co., from Mount Hilliard. From October 31, 1896, on Route 24587. [15 oct 96]

Stout, Franklin Co., from Newburg. From November 17, 1896, on Route 24817. [15 oct 96]

MISSISSIPPI.

Cummings, Itawamba Co., from Ratliff. From November 20, 1896, on Route 26673. [15 oct 96]

OHIO.

Wolfpen, Meigs Co., from Pomeroy. From November 14, 1896, on Route 32026. [15 oct 96]

MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE ESTABLISHED.

ARKANSAS.

Route 247051. Scanlan, Crittenden Co., from Steamboat Landing, Route 47098, 1 m., often as required. From October 26, 1896. [15 oct 96]

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Route 253041. Marble, Cherokee Nation, from Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf R. R. Route 153004, 1 m., often as required. From November 2, 1896. [15 oct 96]

MISSOURI.

Route 245249. Monteer, Shannon Co., from Current River R. R. Co. Route 145066, .27 m., often as required. From October 21, 1896. [15 oct 96]

MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE CHANGES.

NEW YORK.

Route 207460. Rhinebeck, Dutchess Co., from Rhinecliff, N. Y., 2½ ms., often as required. Establish service to New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Route 107011, including an exchange with Mail Messenger on Route 207696, at R. R. Station 107011 from October 26, 1896. [15 oct 96]

WEST VIRGINIA.

Route 216047. Henderson, Mason Co., from Point Pleasant, W. Va., and Kanawha & Michigan Rwy. Route 116010, 1 m., often as required. In lieu of service to Kanawha & Michigan Rwy. Route 116010 state service to Ohio River R. R. Route 116013. From October 19, 1896. [15 oct 96]

MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE DISCONTINUED.

INDIANA.

Route 233208. Sheridan, Hamilton Co., from Louisville, New Albany & Chicago Rwy. Route 133038. From October 24, 1896. [15 oct 96]

Route 233321. Burdick, Porter Co., from Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Rwy. Route 131095. From October 24, 1896. [15 oct 96]

CHANGES IN STAR SCHEDULES.

ALABAMA.

Route 24359. Springville to Clay. Lv Springville Tue and Fri upon arrival of train No. 3, but not later than 1.30 p m

Ar Clay in 3 hours
Lv Clay Tue and Fri 9.30 a m
Ar Springville by 12.30 p m [14 oct 96]

Route 24538. Gaston to Tompkinsville. Lv Gaston daily ex Sun 12.30 p m
Ar Tompkinsville by 7.30 p m
Lv Tompkinsville daily ex Sun 4.30 a m
Ar Gaston by 11.30 a m [14 oct 96]

Route 24806. Newsite to Hamlet. Lv Newsite Tue, Thur and Sat 2 p m
Ar Hamlet by 3.20 p m
Lv Hamlet Tue, Thur and Sat 4 p m
Ar Newsite by 5.20 p m [14 oct 96]

FLORIDA.

Route 23210. Bostwick to Harlem. Lv Bostwick Tue, Thur and Sat 1 p m
Ar Harlem by 4 p m
Lv Harlem Tue, Thur and Sat 7.15 a m
Ar Bostwick by 10.15 a m [13 oct 96]

MICHIGAN.

Route 37107. Wolfcreek to Pentecost. Lv Wolfcreek daily ex Sun 10.30 a m
Ar Pentecost by 11.30 a m
Lv Pentecost daily ex Sun 12 m
Ar Wolfcreek by 1 p m [14 oct 96]

MISSISSIPPI.

Route 26592. Scranton to Mossport. Lv Scranton daily 6 a m and 11.45 a m
Ar Mossport by 7.15 a m and 1 p m
Lv Mossport daily 9.30 a m and 4 p m
Ar Scranton by 10.45 a m and 5.15 p m [14 oct 96]

MISSOURI.

Route 45857. Mountingrove to Sunnyside. Lv Mountingrove daily ex Sun 10 a m
Ar Sunnyside by 7 p m
Lv Sunnyside daily ex Sun 8.30 a m
Ar Mountingrove by 5.30 p m [13 oct 96]

Route 46012. Flatcreek to Marionville. Lv Flatcreek daily ex Sun 4.30 p m
Ar Scholten by 7 p m
Lv Scholten daily ex Sun 6 a m
Ar Marionville by 9.30 a m
Lv Marionville daily ex Sun 10 a m
Ar Scholten by 1.30 p m
Lv Scholten daily ex Sun 1.45 p m
Ar Flatcreek by 4.15 p m [14 oct 96]

CHANGES IN STAR SCHEDULES.

NEBRASKA.

Route 57231. Sidney to Camp Clarke. Lv Sidney daily ex Sun 7.30 a m
Ar Camp Clarke by 7.30 p m
Lv Camp Clarke daily ex Sun 5.30 a m
Ar Sidney by 5.30 p m [12 oct 96]

Route 57305. Verdigris to Niobrara. Lv Verdigris daily ex Sun on arrival of train No. 9, but not later than 10.30 p m
Ar Niobrara by 12.30 a m
Lv Niobrara daily ex Sun 7.45 a m
Ar Verdigris by 9.45 a m [10 oct 96]

NEW YORK.

Route 8228. Hartman to Glens Falls. Lv Hartman daily ex Sun 10 a m
Ar Glens Falls by 12 m
Lv Glens Falls daily ex Sun 1.30 p m
Ar Hartman by 3.30 p m [13 oct 96]

Route 8269. Hydeville to Whitney Point. Lv Hydeville daily ex Sun 2.30 p m
Ar Whitney Point by 3.30 p m
Lv Whitney Point daily ex Sun 4.30 p m
Ar Hydeville by 5.30 p m [13 oct 96]

Route 8291. Wyandale to Springville. Lv Wyandale daily ex Sun 7 a m
Ar Springville by 9 a m
Lv Springville daily ex Sun 10.30 a m
Ar Wyandale by 12.30 p m [13 oct 96]

TENNESSEE.

Route 27196. Libertyhill to Maynardville. Lv Libertyhill Mon, Wed and Fri 11.30 a m
Ar Maynardville by 3.30 p m
Lv Maynardville Mon, Wed and Fri 7 a m
Ar Libertyhill by 11 a m [10 oct 96]

Route 27214. Salem to Limestone Springs. Lv Salem Tue, Thur and Sat 12.30 p m
Ar Limestone Springs by 4.30 p m
Lv Limestone Springs Tue, Thur and Sat 9 a m
Ar Salem by 12 m [13 oct 96]

Route 27727. Graham to Pinewood. Lv Graham daily ex Sun 10.17 a m and 5.05 p m
Ar Pinewood by 11.17 a m and 6.05 p m
Lv Pinewood daily ex Sun 8.57 a m and 3.45 p m
Ar Graham by 9.57 a m and 4.45 p m [13 oct 96]

Route 27817. McKenzie to Gypsy. Lv McKenzie Tue, Thur and Sat 7.30 a m
Ar Gypsy by 11.30 a m
Lv Gypsy Tue, Thur and Sat 12 m
Ar McKenzie by 5 p m [13 oct 96]

POSTMASTERS COMMISSIONED.

Commissioned October 1, 1896.

PRESIDENTIAL.

Charles C. Collier.....Blocton, Ala
James R. Crowe.....Sheffield, Ala
Richard H. Mobley.....Williamsburg, Iowa
Albert F. Derouen.....Jennings, La
Oliver H. Phillips.....Dodge Center, Minn
John H. Hanson.....Lake Benton, Minn
Wm. P. Christensen.....Olivia, Minn
John Cranker.....Perrysburg, Ohio
David Trump.....Montoursville, Pa
Thomas J. Butler.....Mount Jewett, Pa
R. Lindsay Kent.....Verona, Pa
Barney O'Neill.....Howard, S Dak

Commissioned October 6, 1896.

Edgar Nichols.....Benton Harbor, Mich

Commissioned October 15, 1896.

FOURTH CLASS OFFICES.

Money-Order Offices.

Teresa Conway.....Danville, Cal
Arthur Latreille.....Evangeline, La
Charles S. Wells.....Coatsville, Mo

Site Changed.

John L. Saylor, Friedens, Somerset Co., Pa

Not Money-Order Offices.

John D. Crabtree.....Hazelgrove, Ark
Alex'r M. Bertholf.....Ord, Iowa
Thomas I. Moore.....Pocahontas, Miss
Hamilton H. Ross.....Franklin Depot, N Y
Charles Keisling.....Nettle Carrier, Tenn
Benjamin F. Gambill.....Bolivar, Tex
George M. Hall.....Great Bridge, Va

Post Office Name Changed.

Rutledge Carter, Dry Fork, late Dry Fork Depot, Va

New Offices.

James H. Curnutt, Livingstone, Gila Co., Ariz
Meyer Hirsch, Garfield, Donna Ana Co., N Mex