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THE POSTMASTER GENERAL.

#### ORDER OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL.

OFFICE OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL,  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 1, 1911.

ORDER No. 5874.

Postmasters are authorized to deliver all letters arriving at their respective post offices between December 16, 1911, and January 1, 1912, inclusive, which are addressed plainly and unmistakably to "Santa Claus," without any other terms or expressions identifying the person for whom such letters are intended, to responsible institutions or individuals in the town or city of address who may desire to use them exclusively for philanthropic purposes. In the event that these letters are requested by more than one such institution or individual the postmaster shall distribute them in such proportion as he may deem proper.

FRANK H. HITCHCOCK,  
Postmaster General.

#### Arms Transmissible to Costa Rica by Parcel Post.

OFFICE OF SECOND ASST. P. M. GEN.,  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 2, 1911.

Referring to the item Parcel Post, on pages 9 to 12 of the Postal Guide for August, 1911, notice is hereby given that arms may now be sent from this country to Costa Rica by parcel post.

Postmasters and other postal officials will please take due notice of the foregoing.

JOSEPH STEWART,  
Second Asst. P. M. Gen.

#### POST OFFICE SITES CHANGED.

##### INDIANA.

Morocco—To the west side of Clay street, between State and Washington streets. Effective Dec. 1, 1911. [2 oct

##### TEXAS.

Celina—To building 36 rods from the railroad station. Effective Nov. 15, 1911. [2 nov

##### WISCONSIN.

Fence, Florence Co., 6 rods NE., on 39266. Effective Nov. 15, 1911. [1 nov

#### SUMMER POST OFFICES.

Round Mountain, Maine, will close Nov. 15, 1911.

#### STATIONS AND BRANCHES.

##### Established.

##### WASHINGTON.

Seattle—Effective Nov. 16, 1911:  
Station No. 2, at Holly avenue and Rainier Boulevard (Brighton).  
Station No. 6, at Rainier avenue and Cloverdale street (Dunlap). [1 nov

#### SPECIAL SERVICE DISCONTINUED.

##### NEW MEXICO.

Selden, Dona Ana Co., from Dona Ana. Correct order of Oct. 31, 1911 (Bul. 9660), so as to state the name of office as Selden, instead of Seldom.

##### VIRGINIA.

Barco, Surry Co., from Bacons Castle. From Nov. 15, 1911. [3 nov

#### ORDER OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL.

OFFICE OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL,  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 1, 1911.

ORDER No. 5873.

The Department has prepared a special registry stamp of 10-cent denomination, which will be recognized by postmasters and employees of the postal service for prepayment of the fee on registered matter, domestic or foreign; but ordinary postage stamps may be used to prepay the registry fee when registry stamps are not available. Section 803 of the Postal Laws and Regulations, edition of 1902, is amended accordingly.

FRANK H. HITCHCOCK,  
Postmaster General.

#### REGISTRY STAMPS.

OFFICE OF THIRD ASST. P. M. GEN.,  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 1, 1911.

1. A new 10-cent stamp of special design, intended to identify mail matter to which it is affixed as being registered, has been prepared, and the Postmaster General's Order No. 5873, of November 1, 1911, directs its use for that purpose, still permitting the use of ordinary stamps for the purpose when registry stamps are not available.

##### DESCRIPTION.

The new registry stamp is a rectangle on end, the size of the design being approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$  by  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch, and the color light blue. The design shows an eagle with extended wings, perched upon a rock, within a circle set in a panel of plain lines. Above the circle, and following its curve, the words "United States Registry" appear in two lines, and in the two lower corners the denomination, "10," appears within small circles, with the word "Cents" between.

2. Postmasters will keep a supply of these new registry stamps on hand, and encourage their use by patrons of the registry service. The stamps will be issued to postmasters in lots of ten or multiples of ten. Postmasters will include a supply in their next requisition on Form 3201, writing the word "Registry" plainly opposite the item. Requisition should not be made for registry stamps alone, unless accompanied with a satisfactory explanation as to why ordinary stamps, due stamps, stamp books, postal cards and plain stamped envelopes are not included. When any variety of stamp supplies is needed, the postmaster should inventory his stock and include in the requisition all varieties likely to be needed in the ensuing three to nine months, depending upon his storage facilities, and not exceeding the number of stamps that can be adequately protected. This will avoid the necessity for frequent requisitions and will be advantageous to the postmaster as well as to the Department. See paragraphs 4, 10, 11, 13 and 14, pages 36, 37 and 38, and paragraph 11, page 51, of the July, 1911, Postal Guide; also Section 356, P. L. and R.

3. The registry stamps will be offered for sale to the public beginning December 1, 1911. Postmasters who receive supplies earlier will not place them on sale before that date.

4. The registry stamps are not good for postage or special delivery.

JAMES J. BRITT,  
Third Asst. P. M. Gen.

#### MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE ESTABLISHED.

##### MARYLAND.

218070. Rosaryville to Duley, 1.25 ms., as often as required. From Nov. 1, 1911. [27 oct

#### MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE CHANGED.

##### OKLAHOMA.

253113. Hallett to 153022, .32 m. From Oct. 23, 1911, establish service to 153016, .32 m. [16 oct

##### WASHINGTON.

271148. Krupp to 171040 (crane), .14 m. State distance to crane as .28 m. [27 oct

##### WEST VIRGINIA.

216030. Point Pleasant to 131074, 1.47 ms.; 116010, .53 m., and 116013, .52 m. State distance between Point Pleasant, W. Va., and Kanawga, Ohio, as .83 m.; to 131074 as 1.66 ms., and to 116010 and 116013 (Union Station) as .41 m. [16 oct

#### MAIL MESSENGER SERVICE DISCONTINUED.

##### CALIFORNIA

276082. Capay to 176015. From Oct. 31, 1911. [16 oct

##### COLORADO.

265109. Dayton to 165041. From Oct. 31, 1911. [24 oct

##### MISSISSIPPI.

228001. Holcut to 124068. From May 31, 1911. [16 oct

##### NEW YORK.

207759. Fluvanna to 107135. From Nov. 15, 1911. [24 oct

207820. McClure Settlement to 107001. From Oct. 21, 1911. [16 oct

##### PENNSYLVANIA.

210478. Seek to 110100. From Oct. 21, 1911. [16 oct

210598. Cresson to 110001. From Nov. 4, 1911. [24 oct

##### WASHINGTON.

271125. Olympia to 171032 and 371002. Modify order of Aug. 24, 1911 (Bul. 9614), so as to state discontinuance as from Sept. 24, 1911. [16 oct

#### STAR SERVICE CHANGED.

##### IDAHO.

70134. Lenore to Reubens. From Nov. 16, 1911, increase service to 7 t a w between Lenore and Gifford. [3 nov

##### MONTANA.

68310. Watson to White Sulphur Springs. Modify order of May 20, 1911 (Bul. 9522a), so as to state an increase of 9.80 ms., instead of 4.50 ms. [3 nov

##### NEW MEXICO.

67235. Puerto to Pleano. Correct order of Oct. 12, 1911 (Bul. 9645), so as to state a decrease instead of an increase of 8.25 ms.

##### SOUTH DAKOTA.

59233. Hot Springs to Lithia. From Nov. 16, 1911, require carrier to travel the Marty road on the trip from Hot Springs, instead of on the trip from Lithia; no change in distance. [2 nov

#### STAR SERVICE DISCONTINUED.

##### VIRGINIA.

14727. Simpsons to Pilot. From Oct. 31, 1911. [25 oct

##### WASHINGTON.

71113. La Push to Mora. From Sept. 15, 1911. [15 sept

#### STEAMBOAT SERVICE SCHEDULES.

##### WEST VIRGINIA.

16100. Creston to Owensport (n o)  
Lv C daily ex Sun 1.15 p m  
Ar O by 5 p m  
Lv O daily ex Sun on receipt of mail from train 772, due 8.20 a m, but not later than 9.20 a m  
Ar C in  $\frac{3}{4}$  hrs  
Effective Oct 27, 1911 [25 oct

#### STAR SERVICE SCHEDULES.

##### CONNECTICUT.

6105. New Preston to New Milford  
Lv N P daily ex Sun 2.30 p m  
Ar N M by 5.15 p m  
Lv N M daily ex Sun on receipt of mail from train due 8.22 a m, but not later than 9.30 a m  
Ar N P in  $\frac{1}{4}$  hrs  
Effective Nov 1, 1911 [28 oct

6129. Glastonbury to East Glastonbury  
Lv G daily ex Sun 7.30 a m and 4 p m  
Ar E G by 8.45 a m and 5.15 p m  
Lv E G daily ex Sun 9.45 a m and 5.25 p m  
Ar G by 11 a m and 6.40 p m  
Effective Nov 4, 1911 [1 nov

##### MASSACHUSETTS.

4178. Bolton to Hudson  
Lv B daily ex Sun 6.15 a m and 4 p m  
Ar H by 7.15 a m and 5 p m  
Lv H daily ex Sun 8.15 a m and 5.15 p m  
Ar B by 9.15 a m and 6.15 p m  
Effective Nov 1, 1911 [28 oct

##### MICHIGAN.

37268. Newhall to Newhall RR Sta (n o)  
Lv N daily ex Sun 5 a m  
Ar RR Sta by 5.30 a m  
Lv RR Sta daily ex Sun on receipt of mail from train due 5.29 a m, but not later than 7 a m  
Ar N in  $\frac{1}{4}$  hr  
Effective Nov 4, 1911 [1 nov

##### NEW HAMPSHIRE.

2159. Sunapee to Sunapee Station (n o)  
Lv S daily ex Sun 7 a m, 11 a m and 3.30 p m  
Ar S S by 7.45 a m, 11.45 a m and 4.15 p m  
Lv S S daily ex Sun on receipt of mail from trains due 7.49 a m, 11.51 a m and 4.22 p m, but not later than 8.25 a m, 12.20 p m and 5 p m  
Ar S in  $\frac{1}{4}$  hr  
Effective Nov 3, 1911 [31 oct

2229. Jackson to RR Station (n o)  
July 1 to Sept 30  
Lv J daily ex Sun 5 a m, 9.30 a m, 2.10 p m and 5 p m  
Ar RR Sta by 5.45 a m, 10.15 a m, 2.55 p m and 5.45 p m  
Lv RR Sta daily ex Sun 11.25 a m, 2.35 p m, 3.50 p m and 6.30 p m  
Ar J by 12.10 p m, 3.20 p m, 4.35 p m and 7.15 p m  
Oct 1 to June 30

Lv J daily ex Sun 5.15 a m and 5 p m  
Ar RR Sta by 6 a m and 5.45 p m  
Lv RR Sta daily ex Sun 11.10 a m and 3.45 p m  
Ar J by 11.55 a m and 4.30 p m  
Effective Nov 1, 1911 [28 oct

#### POSTMASTERS COMMISSIONED.

Presidential Office Commissioned October 31, 1911:

James F. M. Greene.....Hillsboro, Ill

Fourth-Class Money-Order Office Commissioned Nov. 1, 1911:

Thomas L. Thurston.....Iditarod, Alaska

#### ACTING POSTMASTERS DESIGNATED.

Approved Nov. 2, 1911.

†A. E. Fuller.....Klamichi, Okla  
Effective Oct. 24, 1911.

†Money-order office.