

## postal bulletin

Directives and Forms Division, Washington, DC 20260 PB 21109—April 7, 1977—12 Pages

## 13-Cent Lindbergh Flight Commemorative Stamp

Description. The 13-cent Lindbergh Flight commemorative stamp will be first placed on sale at Garden City, NY 11530 on May 20, 1977. Because of new first-day cover procedures, it is important that all offices begin selling these stamps on May 21, 1977.

Do Not Sell Before May 21, 1977.



Size: 1.44 x 0.84 inches. Issued in sheets of 50.

Colors: Yellow, magenta, cyan, black tone, purple line, and black line.

Marginal markings: Six plate numbers, Mail Early in the Day, and Mr. ZIP. Designer: Robert E. Cunningham.

Collectors. First-day cover cancellations may be obtained by one of the following methods:

a. Customers Affixing Stamps. Collectors may purchase stamps at their local post offices and affix them to their envelopes. All envelopes must be addressed. Peelable address labels are recommended and a filler card of postal card thickness should be inserted in each cover. Orders must be postmarked by June 4, 1977, and should be addressed to: First Day Cancellations, Postmaster, Garden City, NY 11530. No remittance is required.

b. Postal Service Affixing Stamps, Request first-day cancellations from: Lindbergh Flight Stamps, Postmaster, Garden City, NY 11530 (see PSM, section 257.2). Requests must be postmarked not later than June 4, 1977. Remittance is required for the face value of each stamp.

Selected United States mint stamps will be available at the Philatelic Sales Branch, Washington, DC 20265 beginning May 21, 1977.

Supply. All post offices under the

#### **MAS Procedure Change**

Postal supervisors, managers, and postmasters who have completed the three-week resident phase (two) of the Management Action Series (MAS) and are presently in the final phase (three) of MAS training (on-the-job application) are reminded that the one-day followup MAS seminar has been deleted from the program.

All installation heads who are currently holding otherwise completed MAS Performance Record Cards should forward these cards to the Management Academy, PST&DI, 7900 Wisconsin Ave., Washington, DC 20014, for issuance of a MAS Certificate of Completion. Postmasters should canvass their employees who have attended MAS to determine if they are ready to have their performance records signed and submitted for certification.—Employee Relations Dept., 4-7-77.

automatic distribution system will receive an initial supply of the stamps. Before requisitioning additional stamps (item 437), consider that the stock should be depleted prior to July 20, 1977, at all post office outlets—except designated philatelic windows and postal stores.

Post offices with 950 or more revenue units requiring additional bulk quantities: immediately requisition on Form 3356 from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

All post offices requiring additional stamps in less than bulk quantities: requisition on separate Form 17 from designated sectional centers.

Punels. A limited number of 8½ by 11½-inch commemorative series stamp panels will be available at a later date only through mail order from the Philatelic Sales Branch, Washington, DC 20265. The panels are printed on heavy art paper suitable for mounting and sell for \$2.50 each.

Postmasters are requested to post a copy of this notice in a prominent place pending arrival of USPS bulletin board posters. When posters are received, remove this notice.—
Customer Services Dept., 4-7-77.

#### Dating of Computerized Labels

Section 334.326 of the POSTAL SERVICE MANUAL requires that labels on pouches containing registered mail must be dated.

Effective April 1, 1977, this requirement will be discontinued and the Postal Service Manual will be amended accordingly. All requirements for dated pouch or sack labels and facing slips have been eliminated.

The Computerized Label Printing Division in Topeka, Kansas, is automatically converting the remainder of the nation's dated sequence sets to undated sequence sets. Postal units receiving undated sequence sets should request that they be discontinued after converting to bulk sets of labels.—Mail Processing Dept., 4-7-77.

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## Use of MM Letter Tray and Sleeve

The fibreboard MM letter tray and sleeve currently in use throughout the country was ordered for two specific purposes:

- 1. The transportation of all machinable letter mail between cities authorized by Headquarters to participate in the Letter Tray Program; and
- 2. The traying of machinable letter mail by mailers participating in the Presort Program for shipment direct to non-local sectional center destinations.

No other uses for the tray are authorized at this time. Destination post offices not authorized to participate in the Letter Tray Program, which receive presorted letter trays from mailers, should forward the trays and sleeves to the nearest facility authorized to participate in the program. In many cases, this will be the State Distribution Center serving that area. If possible, the trays should not be shipped empty, but should be filled with mail to be processed at the office where the trays are being sent.

The following is a list of offices currently authorized to participate in the Letter Tray Program:

	, -		
AL	Birmingham		Trenton
	Montgomery		South Jersey
AK	Anchorage	NM	Albuquerque
AR	Little Rock		Albany
AZ	Phoenix	***	Bronx
CA	Alhambra		Brooklyn
0/1	Inglewood		Buffalo
	Long Beach		Flushing
	Los Angeles		Hicksville
	Oakland		
-			Jamaica
	Pasadena		JFK AMF
	Sacramento		New York
	San Diego		Rochester
	San Fran-		Syracuse
	cisco	***	Westchester
	San Jose	NC	Charlotte
	Santa Ana		Greensboro
	Van Nuys	ND	Fargo
~~	Whittier	OH	Akron
CO	Denver		Cincinnati
CT	Hartford		Cleveland
	New Haven		Columbus
DC	Washington		Dayton
DE	Wilmington		Toledo
FL	Jacksonville	OK	Oklahoma
	Miami		City
	Orlando		Tulsa
	Tampa	OR	Portland
GA	Atlanta	PA	Harrisburg
HI	Honolulu		Philadelphia
ID	Boise		Pittsburgh
IL	Chicago		Southeastern
	(GPO, N		PA
	Sub.)	PR	San Juan
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	Indianapolis		Providence
IA	Des Moines		Columbia
KS	Wichita	SD	Sioux Falls

#### Mail Service to Vietnam

Expansion of mail service to Vietnam to include all postal union mail classes (letters, letter packages, post cards, matter for the blind, printed matter, and small packets) was announced in Postal Bulletin 21105 on February 10, 1977. The U.S. Department of Commerce limits the items mailed to Vietnam as letter packages, printed matter, and small packets to the following:

Printed books, pamphlets, and miscellaneous publications, including bound newspapers and periodicals; children's picture and painting books; newspapers and periodicals, unbound, excluding waste; music books; sheet music; calendar blocks, paper; and advertising printed matter exclusively related to developed motion picture film, books, miscellaneous publications, newspapers, and periodicals.

Commercial phonograph records, recorded; and prerecorded phonograph records reproducing, in whole or in part, the content of printed books, pamphlets, and miscellaneous publications, including newspapers and periodicals.

Motion picture film and sound track, exposed and developed.

Exposed and developed microfilm reproducing, in whole or in part, the content of printed books, pamphlets, and miscellaneous publications including newspapers and periodicals; children's picture and painting books; music books; sheet music, and calendars.—Rates & Classification Dept., 4-7-77.

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KY	Louisville	TN	Knoxville
LA	New Orleans Shreveport	5	Memphis Nashville
ME	Portland	TX	Austin
MD	Baltimore Prince Georges		Dallas El Paso Fort Worth
MA	Boston Springfield		Houston San Antonio
MI	Detroit Grand Rapids	UT	Salt Lake City White River
MN	Minneapolis St. Paul	VA	Junction Norfolk
MS	Jackson		No. Virginia
MO	Kansas City St. Louis	WA	Richmond Seattle
MT	Billings		Spokane
NE	Omaha	WV	Charleston
NH	Manchester	WI	Madison
NV	Las Vegas		Milwaukee
NJ	Hackensack Newark	WY	Cheyenne

-Mail Processing Dept., 4-7-77.

#### **Cancellation on Currency**

April 13, 1977, will mark the first anniversary of the circulation of the new \$2 bill.

All post offices with postmarking devices, including stations and branches, are reminded that they should cooperate with collectors by honoring requests for hand cancellations on items of currency—provided that at least the first-class rate in postage is canceled. (The normal color ink used for these devices should be used and no changes made.) The stamps need not be affixed to the currency but may appear next to the currency on a common backing piece.

This service is available on a handback basis when customers submit their currency with first-class postage affixed. All requests for 100 or more cancellations on one day from any one customer must be approved in advance by the Stamps Division and are subject to a nominal handling fee for which the Stamps Division, United States Postal Service, Washington, DC 20260 will invoice the customer. Requests for this currency/ postage cancellation handback service on days when offices are closed will not be approved.—Customer Services Dept., 4-7-77.

#### Dispatch of International Surface Parcel Post Via Air Service

A considerable amount of international surface parcels are being received at the San Francisco Airport Mail Facility which should have been routed to the Oakland Exchange Office via surface transportation.

In many instances, the surface parcels have a Label 4, U.S. Priority Mail, affixed. At no time should a Label 4 be applied to a surface parcel, since Label 4 is intended for use only on priority parcels.

The dispatch of international surface parcels by air results in substantial increased transportation costs to the Postal Service plus additional costs if they are inadvertently dispatched via air to the overseas destination.

Special caution should be exercised by personnel handling parcel mail to preclude the dispatch of surface parcels via air transportation.—Mail Processing Dept., 4-7-77.

## Internal Revenue Levy as Applied to USPS Employees

The Tax Reform Act of 1976 significantly changes payroll processing of Internal Revenue levies.

Effective March 1, 1977, affected taxpayers will be allowed minimum exemptions from levies served to attach their wages. A bi-weekly exemption of \$100 is allowed for the taxpayer, plus \$30 for each additional dependent. Example: a taxpayer with two qualifying dependent exemptions (spouse and child) will receive a total exemption from levies equal to \$160. The exemption from levies will be applied to the net amount of an employee's wages after all deductions have been taken, with the exception of extra Federal or State income tax, financial allotments, and garnishments for alimony or commercial debts (where applicable). (Garnishments for courtordered child support payments are exempt from IRS levies.) The new law also makes levies continuous until the liability is satisfied. Thus, each pay period, wages in excess of the exempt amount will be withheld until the liability is satisfied or Internal Revenue Service (IRS) discontinues the levies.

In the near future, IRS will establish a system whereby a copy of the levy and a three-part IRS Form 668-P, Statement of Personal Exemptions, will be served on the taxpayer/employee at his/her home address. This exemption form should be promptly completed in accordance with instructions on the reverse side of the employee's copy.

Parts 1 and 2 of the form will be submitted to the employing office for insertion of the finance number in the lower right portion of the form and transmission to the servicing postal data center.

Part 3 of the form will be retained by the employee along with the copy of the levy for his/her records. It is imperative that the Statement of Personal Exemption be processed expeditiously to ensure that proper credit is given in determining wages exempt from levy. Where the form is not received or is received too late for processing at the PDC with the initial levy deduction, only the \$100 taxpayer exemption will be applied. Forms received late will be processed in the next pay period following receipt. Credit for any additional ex-

#### **Airmail Endorsements**

The New York Bulk & Foreign Mail Center reports that offices throughout the country continue to send foreign destined air parcels and letter-class airmail to their office. Volumes of missent air parcels amount to 25 sacks daily, which not only must be needlessly processed at the Foreign Mail Center, but also reflect delayed receipt at AMF Kennedy, NY.

A significant portion of the air parcels lack any sort of airmail endorsement though the postage is paid at the correct foreign airmail rate.

In an effort to remedy this chronic problem, postmasters should satisfy themselves of the following:

1. That accepting clerks screen international air pracels for proper airmail endorsements.

2. That correct separation and labeling is performed at all acceptance points to keep airmail of all types separated from BMC-bound shipments of domestic mail.—Customer Services Dept., 4-7-77.

#### Discontinuance of Savings Bonds Sales

At the request of the Treasury Department, the Postal Service discontinued over-the-counter sales of Series E Savings Bonds on March 26, 1977. Cost considerations, and the availability of other issuing outlets, made it desirable to end this 42-year-old program in the 234 post offices where the service was still provided.

All post offices will continue to redeem savings stanips presented for cash payment as directed in 172.2 of the Postal Service Manual. (Issuance of savings stamps was discontinued in 1970.) Any unresolved local customer questions related to discontinuance of bond sales should be answered locally, if possible. Questions of a national policy nature may be addressed directly to the Assistant Postmaster General, Customer Services Department, U.S. Postal Service, Washington, D.C. 20260.—Customer Services Dept., 4-7-77.

emptions will be given at that time. When a new form is submitted to change exemptions, the PDC will process it in the pay period following receipt. No retroactive exemption credits will be granted. Exemption forms may be obtained at the local IRS office.—Finance Dept., 4-7-77.

## Refund of Retail Services Fees

Form 3533, Application and Voucher for Refund of Postage and Fees, will no longer be used to refund fees for retail services which have not been performed, or which have been collected in excess of the lawful rate. Refunds of postage paid by stamps, permit imprints or meter impressions, unused meter impressions, and unused units set in a meter, will continue to be refunded on Form 3533. Refund of box key fees will remain in accordance with Postal Service Manual 169.414.

Refunds for retail service fees are to be documented on Form 3532, Refund of Fees for Retail Services, which is available at the area supply centers. Form 3532 is to be made available to customers making a claim for refund. The customer will initiate Form 3532. The refund will be approved and witnessed. Form 3532 will be returned to the customer for submission to the window service section for payment. The customer will sign the Form 3532 as a receipt for the funds.

The amount refunded will be charged to AIC 535, Refund of Fees—Retail Services. Form 3532 will be retained to support the office copy of the Statement of Account.

The most frequent use of Form 3532 will be for authorized refunds of lockbox or caller service fees. See Postal Service Manual 169.554. Other accounts which are classified as Retail Service and for which refunds are sometimes made, include:

Description	AIC
Annual Bulk Mailing Fees.	
Stamps by Mail Fee	122
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The Postal Service Manual will be revised to reflect these changes.— Finance Dept., 4-7-77.

All Express Mail Offices

## Retrieval of Express Mail Pouches From Customers

Many Programmed Express Mail customers receive Express Mail but do not dispatch by Express Mail. When delivering Programmed Express Mail shipments to such customers, the delivering employee should retrieve the empty Express Mail pouches from previous deliveries and return them to the delivery unit.—

Customer Services Dept., 4-7-77.

#### OPPORTUNITIES AS MAS MASTER INSTRUCTOR

New opportunities are available for eligible supervisors, managers, postmasters, and certain technical specialists to serve as Master Instructors for the Management Action Series (MAS). Applications may be submitted at any time throughout the year to the Executive Secretary of the MAS Selection Board. The Executive Secretary will convene the MAS Selection Board normally on a quarterly basis to review all applications received prior to the end of the postal quarter. Applications received after the end of the postal quarter will be considered at the next review session.

#### **ROLE OF THE MASTER INSTRUCTOR**

The role of the Master Instructor is different from the traditional class-room trainer in that MAS is undertaken in a simulated back-home work environment. The Master Instructor, working with a small group (8–10) of newly-appointed managers, post-masters, etc., is expected to fulfill a variety of roles during the MAS training program, such as that of a boss, peer, subordinate, or advisor, depending on the work environment situation presented at a particular time.

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

A. Master Instructor-Supervisor. The minimum eligibility requirement is an initial-level supervisory (or higher-level managerial) assignment for at least two years, in functional areas such as mail processing, delivery services, customer services, maintenance, finance, employee and/or labor relations, vehicle operations and maintenance, etc.

B. Master Instructor-Manager. The minimum eligibility requirement is an assignment as a manager of other supervisors or managers for at least two years, in functional areas such as mail processing, delivery services, customer services, maintenance, finance, employee and/or labor relations, vehicle services, etc.

C. Master Instructor-Postmaster. The minimum eligibility requirement is an assignment as a city delivery postmaster for at least three years.

D. Master Instructor-Technical. The minimum eligibility requirement is an assignment as a technical specialist or manager of a technical activity for at least three years in an

area such as vehicle accident investigation, engineering, safety, etc.

#### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Eligible USPS employees may apply for this assignment by completing Form 2591, Application for Employment, showing the applicable program (Master Instructor-Supervisor, Master Instructor-Manager, Master Instructor-Postmaster, or Master Instructor-Technical). Employees must submit applications to their immediate supervisors. Employees who have applied as a result of previous Postal Bulletin announcements, but who have not been selected as Master Instructors, must reapply if they wish to be considered.

#### PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS

The applicant's immediate supervisors must complete Form 2577, Estimate of Potential. Both Forms 2591 and 2577 are forwarded through management channels to the Regional Postmaster General. (Applications for employees of Headquarters, and of field units reporting to Headquarters, are forwarded through management channels to the appropriate group or department head.)

Written recommendations by these various levels of management, including the applicant's immediate supervisor, should accompany the application and estimate of potential. The recommendations, either supporting or not supporting the individual's selection as a Master Instructor, should include appraisals of the employee on each of the criteria listed below in item C under Selection Procedure.

The complete file on each applicant is then forwarded to the Executive Secretary of the MAS Selection Board, Management Academy, PST&DI, 7900 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20014. The Executive Secretary acknowledges receipt of the file.

#### SELECTION PROCEDURE

The selection of MAS Master Instructors is exempted from the procedures of Publication 194, Guide to Promotion and Reassignment. Master Instructors are selected in accordance with the following procedures:

A. Equal Opportunity. In all phases, employees must be considered without regard to race, color, re-

ligion, age, sex, national origin, political affiliation, or membership in supervisory or other managerial organizations. All individuals involved are responsible for affirmative action in the recommendation, consideration, and selection of qualified minority and women candidates.

B. Composition of the MAS Selection Board. The Board consists of the following:

—Senior Assistant Postmaster General, Operations, Chairman;

—Senior Assistant Postmaster General, E&LR, member;

—A Regional Postmaster General, or designee, member;

Senior Assistant Postmaster General (Finance, Administration, or Manpower & Cost Control, if an individual is being considered for a Master Instructor assignment in one of these functional areas), member:

—Assistant Postmaster General, or Department Head in the functional area (if requested by the responsible SAPMG), member;

Director, Office of Human Resources, Employee Relations Department, member;

—Director, PST&DI, Executive Secretary of the MAS Selection Board; and

—Field Director, Management Academy, ex-officio member.

C. Preliminary Screening and Selection. The MAS Selection Board screens all eligible applications to make a preliminary selection of Master Instructor candidates. Criteria include, but are not limited to, evidence of the following:

—A high level expertise in a functional area;

-Superior job performance;

Ability to effectively communicate work requirements to subordinates;

—Ability to effectively plan, execute, and control resources to achieve organizational improvement goals;

-Managerial initiatives;

Recent managerial self-development;

 Ability to achieve and maintain productivity and service requirements under demanding conditions;

-Effective interpersonal relation-

—Development of subordinates;

- —Ability to work effectively with other organizational units;
- —Consistently increased responsibilities;
- —Skills in various other functional areas;
- -Ability to instruct others;
- —Interest in serving as a Master Instructor.

The Board is responsible for choosing candidates for the next phase of the selection process. Those Master Instructor candidates not selected for the next phase in the selection process are notified by the Executive Secretary.

- D. Training and Final Selection. Candidates for selection as Master Instructors receive up to one week of intensive training in the Management Action Series program at the Management Academy, PST&DI, in Bethesda, MD. During the training period, each candidate is assessed and interviewed by members of the Management Academy Staff and MAS Selection Board. Final selections are based on:
- The candidate's skills as demonstrated during participation in training and evaluation sessions;
  Assessment of the candidate's probable effectiveness as a Master Instructor;
- The candidate's continued interest in serving as a Master Instructor;
  The number and kind of vacancies available.

#### **ASSIGNMENT**

A. An employee who is offered and accepts a position as a Master Instructor is appointed for two years to the rolls of the Management Academy, with duty station in Bethesda, MD. (near Washington, D.C.), New York, Philadelphia, Los Angeles, Oakbrook, IL (near Chicago), or Memphis. Where any of the preceding duty stations would be unacceptable or if a preference should exist, this should be indicated at the time of application. All Master Instructor appointments are at the individual's present grade and salary.

B. During the employee's assignment as a Master Instructor, the position held before the assignment may be filled only on a temporary basis, pending the employee's return or permanent assignment to a different position. Current promotion and reassignment procedures must be followed in making any selection for temporary appointment, since the ap-

pointment may become permanent if the position is vacated.

Any temporary postmaster vacancy created by the selection of a postmaster as a Master Instructor is filled by an officer-in-charge assignment until the postmaster returns from the Management Academy assignment or is permanently reassigned to another position. The 120-day limitation on an OIC assignment is waived for this program.

Management is encouraged to use the temporarily vacated position for developmental purposes to broaden employees' experiences and assist in their career development.

C. Master Instructors will be considered for promotional opportunities, along with other qualified candidates, as if they were encumbering the position held before assignment to the Management Academy. If the employee is selected for promotion, the Management Academy is to be notified to process the personnel action.

D. The Management Academy is responsible for processing step increases and for evaluating performance under the merit system for Master Instructors. The installation head notifies the Academy of any merit increase scheduled for the employee at the time of appointment.

E. During the two-year assignment, Master Instructors go on field assignments, the objectives of which are to insure that they maintain current familiarization with postal environment, to enhance career development and advancement opportunities, and to acquire in-depth experiences and functional skills necessary to participate in the development and updating of training programs. The overall length of this phase of the Master Instructor's assignment normally averages four weeks divided into two segments.

F. Master Instructors, during their assignment with the Management Academy, participate in various cross training and developmental programs to broaden their skills as postal managers.

#### DURATION OF ASSIGNMENT

A. While the Master Instructor assignment is for two years, nominal adjustments may be made to accommodate the needs of individual Master Instructors in order to minimize relocation inconveniences and facilitate a more orderly transition into the new job assignment. An employee may be

#### Postage Meter Tape

Several instances of the use of unauthorized tape in customer postage meters have been reported.

When meter stamps are printed on tape, only tape approved by the Postal Service may be used. Tape must meet the absorption and adhesion properties contained in Federal Specification UU-T-1331A (Tape Postage Meter).

Tapes bearing smeared impressions or dog-eared corners should be brought to the attention of the meter license holder to determine if the tape has been approved by the Postal Services.—Rates & Classification Dept., 4-7-77.

considered for another assignment as a Master Instructor three years after completing the MAS assignment.

B. A memorandum of understanding, which specifies the foregoing provisions of the assignment will be signed by both the employee and the home installation head before the person is assigned to the Academy as a Master Instructor.

C. USPS Headquarters has the option at any time to return employees to their home installations with 30 days advance notice to the employee and the installation head. Employees may request return to their home installations prior to completion of the two-year assignment. If the requests are approved, the return travel and relocation expenses will be paid by the employee (unless USPS Headquarters elects to pay the expenses, as provided in Handbook M-9, Travel, in the best interest of the U.S. Postal Service).

#### PROGRAM COSTS

All costs for the MAS Master Instructor program are funded by the Management Academy, including costs for:

- Preselection interviews and training;
- -Relocation to the Master Instructor's duty station;
- Salary and benefits while assigned as a Master Instructor;
- Relocation to the Master Instructor's original duty station at completion of the two-year assignment;
   and
- —Any other expenses related to the above as authorized by Handbook M-9.—Operations Group and Employee Relations Dept., 4-7-77.

#### POST OFFICE CHANGES NO. 11

(Supplemental to 1977 Directory of Post Offices, Publication 28:)

Abbreviations: B=Branch. C=City Delivery. Conv.=Converted. CPO=Community Post Office. Dis.=Discontinued. DOPO=Directory of Post Offices. Estab.=
Established. F=Finance. IC=Independent City. MOU=Money Order Unit. MPO=Main Post Office. MR=Mailing Restrictions (from Part 126 PSM) apply.

NP=Nonpersonnel. NZCD=National ZIP Code Directory. RB=Rural Branch. Reso.=Rescinded. RS=Rural Station. S=Station. x=Classified. (Contract stations and branches do not have the symbol "x" following the symbol for type of installation.)

State	Name of post office	County/parish	Name of station, branch, or unit	Туре 8/В	ZIP	Change	Effective date	Explanation of change
CA	Fresno	Fresno	Hughes	8	93705	Add	3-18-77	S estab.
00	Denver	Denver	Airmail facility	S	80207	Add	4-15-77	8 estab.
L	Orlando	Orange	Lake Buena Vista	В	32830	Add	6- 1-71	B estab. To correct NZCD & DOPO.
A	Altanta	Dekalb	Emory University	В	30322	Add	3-15-77	B estab.
II II	Saginawdo	Saginawdo	Castle Federal	8x 8x	49606 49606	Delete		8x name changed. No change in ZIP Code.
С	Spring Lake	Cumberland	Olde Farm	CPO	28390	Delete	9-30-76	CPO disc.
C	Newland	Avery	Ingalis	CPO	28657	Delete	9-30-76	CPO disc.
H	Columbusdodo.	Franklindodo	B	Sx Sx Sx	43202 43202 43215	Delete Add Delete	4-12-77 4-12-77 5- 2-77	Sx name changed. Sx disc.
H	do	do	State Street Downtown	8x 8x	43215 43215	Add	5- 2-77 5- 2-77	Sx name changed.
X	Lake Creek	Delta	Charleston	CPO	75424	Delete	2-17-77	CPO disc.

-Customer Services Department, 4-7-77.

All Maintenance Capable Offices

#### Building Shutdown and Startup Maintenance Bulletins

Maintenance Bulletins MMO-15-77, Building Shutdown, and MMO-18-77, Building Startup After Fuel Shutoff or Curtailment, were printed and distributed without Energy Document Control Numbers. Holders of these bulletins should make pen and ink additions as follows:

MMO-15-77 has Energy Document Control Number R-77-321.

MMO-18-77 has Energy Document Control Number R-77-322.— Mail Processing Dept., 4-7-77. Installations Served by WASC

## Move of WASC Supply Operations

The move to Building 302 of the supply operations of the Western Area Supply Center is expected to occur between May 1 and May 15, 1977.

There will be no change in requisitioning cycles; however, offices whose normal requisitioning cycle is May 1-5, and offices ordering later (such as during the May 15-20 cycle) may experience a slight delay until the workload is current. Emergency requests will be handled as in the past by calling on FTS 752-5104 or 105.—Procurement & Supply Dept., 4-7-77.

#### Annual Inspection of Rural Routes

All rural routes must be inspected once each calendar year. The previious policy concerning authority for scheduling rural route inspections is rescinded.

Effective immediately, the responsibility for scheduling the annual inspection of rural routes shall rest with the Regional Postmaster General. This authority may be delegated to districts, management sectional centers, or postmasters at associate post offices at the discretion of the Regional Postmaster General.

Postal Service Manual section 353.347 shall be amended accordingly.—Delivery Services Dept., 4-7-77.

# ATTACH RETURN RECEIPTS NEXT TO ADDRESS OF DESTINATION ON NUMBERED INSURED PARCELS

All Personnel Processing Mail For Dispatch Abroad

#### Foreign Order Notice 67

Keep all foreign order notices for use as reference.

A. A false representation order has been issued against:

LONDON NW 1 6EA, U.K.

World Telex Edition
The International Telex Directory
34 Ivor Place

Do not dispatch any mail to the above. Endorse it: Return to Sender: Order Issued Against Addressee for Violation of False Representation Law.

B. A lottery order has been issued against:

CANADA

Toronto, Ont.

RMA Services

41 Roehampton Ave.

Weather Bingo

41 Rochampton Ave.

IRELAND

Clontarf, Dublin

McHugh, Charles 89 Kincora Ave.

Do not dispatch any mail to the above. Endorse it: Lottery Mail and Return it to Sender.

If such mail bears no return address, treat it as undeliverable and dispose of it in accordance with 159.4, PSM. This notice may be posted at the outgoing primary and it must be posted on the Foreign Order Board at all sectional centers and designated International Exchange Offices.—Judicial Officer, 4-7-77.

## GSA Self-Service Stores Purchases

At the end of each accounting period, total the tickets received resulting from purchases made at GSA self-service stores.

Send the GSA tickets with a memorandum to:

Director Attn: Contractual Services Branch Postal Data Center P.O. Box 14401

P.O. Box 14401 St. Louis, MO 63180

Include in the memo the total of these tickets, the postal installation finance number, the GSA address code, and the GSA credit card number of your office.

This Postal Bulletin notice supersedes the instructions published in Postal Bulletin 21106, 2-24-77.—Finance Dept., 4-7-77.

Post Offices With Philatelic Windows and Centers

#### Form 3300

The April/May issue of Form 3300, Stamps Available and Philatelic Order List, will not be delivered to your office until after April 15.

Advise customers that the February/March order form may be used after the March 31 expiration date, but that the following items are no longer available:

Column A-

\$12.32 Bicentennial Mint Set and Album.

Column C-

10¢ Seafaring Packet.

Column D-

13¢ Interphil 76

13¢ Telephone Centennial

13¢ Chemistry

13¢ Benjamin Franklin.

Column E-

13¢ John F. Kennedy.

Your assistance in this matter will minimize the number of refunds which must be issued for out-of-stock items.—Customer Services Dept., 4-7-77.

#### **Business Reply Mail**

Postmasters are authorized to weigh business reply mail (BRM) to determine the piece count of quantities of identical BRM. (See 145.573, PSM.) Since BRM is usually less than one ounce, care must be taken to select a sample large enough to give an accurate piece weight for computing the total piece count. Section 131 of the Postal Service Manual will be amended to reflect this change.—Rates & Classification Dept., 4-7-77.

#### **Domestic Orders**

False Representation. Enforced by postmasters at cities listed.

State/City NC, Pine Level

Name Covered
Carolina Sales Company
P.O. Box 190

P.O. Box 190

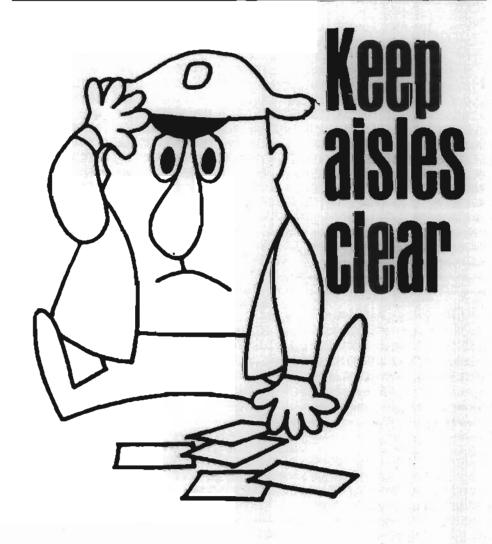
NY, Lewiston ....

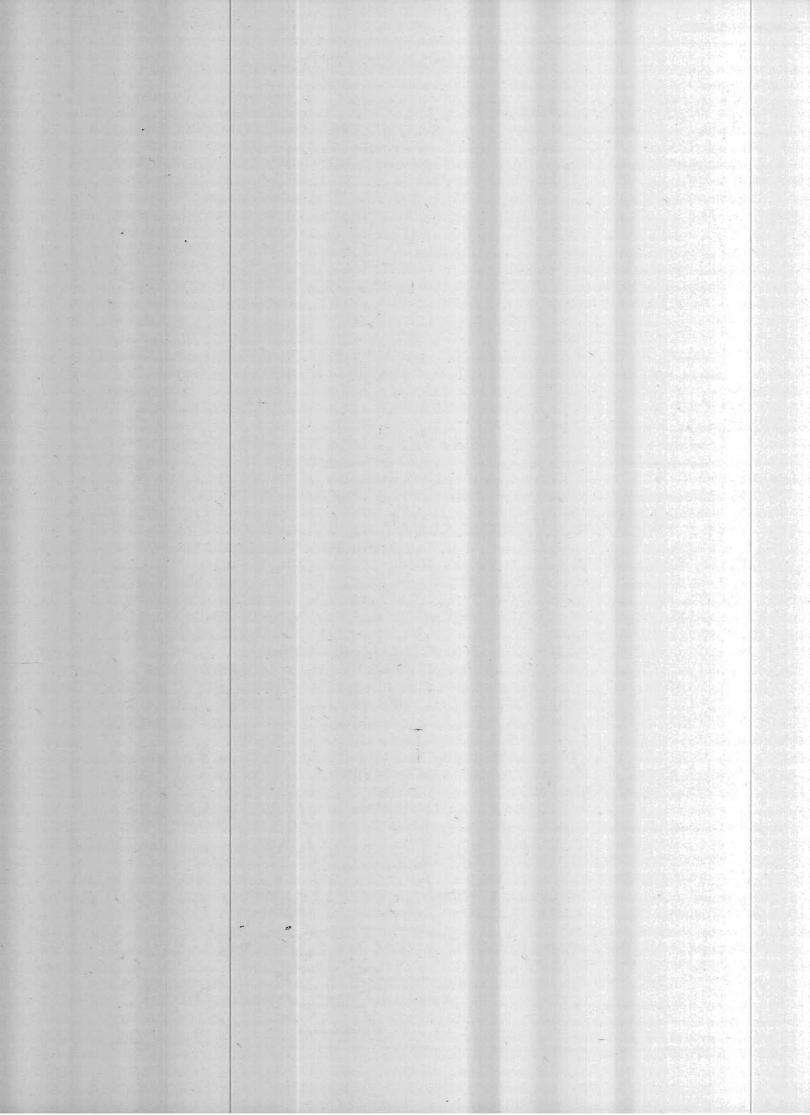
Bargain Hunter's Beview 421 Center Street

P.O. Box 386

NY, Tupper Lake\_ Box 1313

-Judicial Officer, 4-7-77.





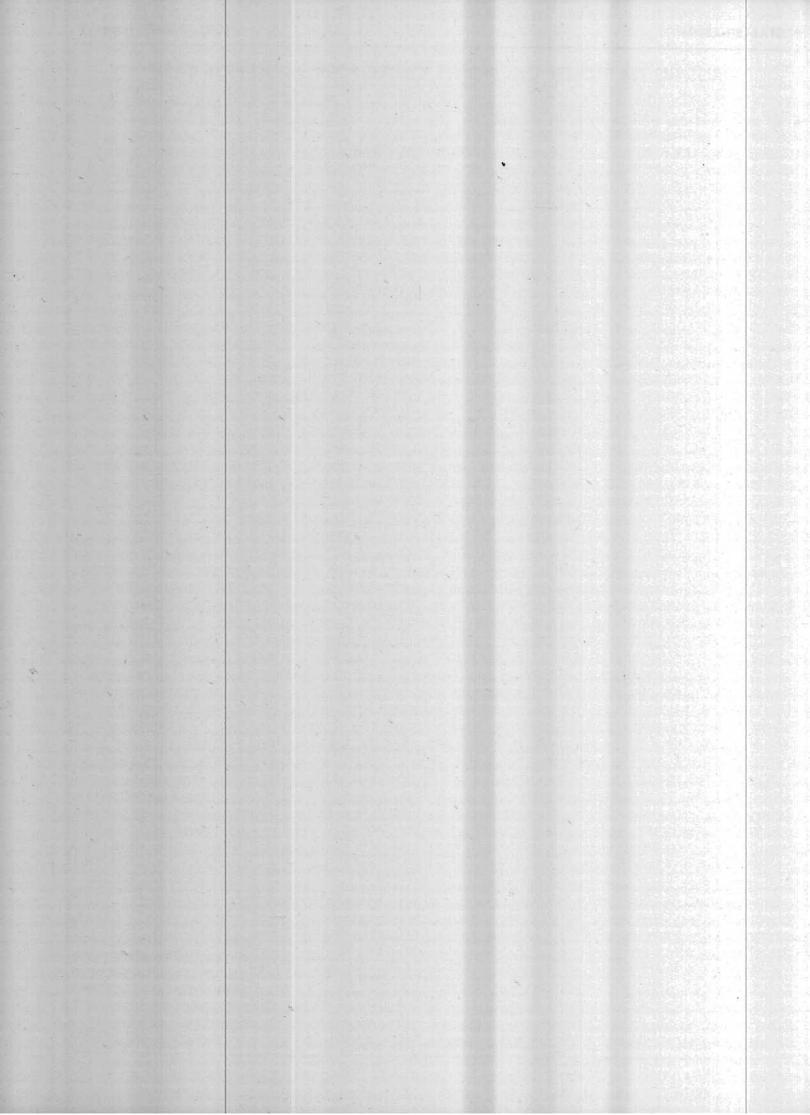
#### MISSING OR STOLEN U.S. MONEY ORDER FORMS-DO NOT CASH

To be posted and used by window clerks. As directed, destroy previous notices. Insert any interim notices in sequence.

A. New Style. (Listed below.) The actual serial numbers consist only of the first 10 digits. Destroy the PB 21108 article.

B. Old Style. The listing from PB 21108 is still valid.

C. Counterfeit. The listing from PB 21108 is still valid.



#### Warning Notice—Unrecovered Stolen Canadian Money Order Forms

(To be posted and used by window clerks. As directed destroy previous notices. Insert any interim notices in sequence.)
The following money orders are valid and should not be cashed: (1) All card type orders. (2) New style orders 000,000,001—179,999,999.
Advise holders to send them to Canada Post Office, Ottawa, Canada, KIA OB1.

The new money order serial numbers consist of the first nine digits. The 10th digit is a check digit only. Destroy the PB 21108 article.

180,446,855 to 180,446,866	209,190,001 to 209,195,000	238,758,669 to 238,758,730
182,975,501 to 182,976,200	210,301,801 to 210,302,000	239,162,130 to 239,162,200
183,457,601 to 183,458,300	210,835,285 to 210,835,300	239,863,796 to 239,863,870
183,769,412 to 183,769,500	210,935,633 to 210,935,700	239,864,826 to 239,864,900
185,028,741 to 185,028,800	212,900,201 to 212,900,300	240,362,301 to 240,362,600
186,446,001 to 186,446,500	213,345,001 to 213,345,100	242,545,470 to 242,545,800
186,820,405 to 186,820,900	213,504,865 to 213,505,000	243,408,101 to 243,408,200
188,460,651 to 188,460,700	216,823,954 to 216,824,000	243,920,027 to 243,920,100
188,669,520 to 188,670,000	217,621,979 to 217,622,100	244,343,084 to 244,343,100
189,205,701 to 189,205,800	217,622,401 to 217,622,800	244,583,557 to 244,583,600
189,217,169 to 189,217,400	217,979,501 to 217,979,600	245,740,589 to 245,740,600
189,278,454 to 189,278,464	218,660,066 to 218,660,700	245,767,347 to 245,767,400
189,357,868 to 189,357,878	219,494,026 to 219,494,130	247,636,179 to 247,636,200
190,053,526 to 190,054,000	219,692,001 to 219,692,100	247,649,190 to 247,649,200
192,099,601 to 192,099,800	224,126,989 to 224,127,100	247,760,081 to 247,760,100
196,116,101 to 196,116,600	226,781,246 to 226,781,400	250,442,960 to 250,443,000
198,036,801 to 198,036,900	226,073,655 to 226,073,700	252,143,862 to 252,143,900
198,520,743 to 198,520.800	227,129,004 to 227,129,400	252,494,635 to 252,494,700
199,531,501 to 199,531,600	227,564,701 to 227,564,800	253,094,279 to 253,094,400
199,662,401 to 199,662,500	229,000,595 to 229,000,600	253,181,800 to 253,181,900
199,662.562 to 199,662,600	229,083,686 to 229,083,700	253,532,321 to 253,532,400
199,843,031 to 199,843,050	229,428,120 to 229,428,300	253,641,268 to 253,641,300
200,400,512 to 200,400,600	230,004,990 to 230,005,200	254,680,851 to 254,680,900
200,467,313 to 200,467,500	230,143,701 to 230,144,000	254,706,319 to 254,706,400
201,328,601 to 201,329,300		
201,963,699 to 201,963,800	231,387,001 to 231,387,500	259,412,918 to 259,412,954
201,980,250 to 201,980,299	232,017,701 to 232,017,800	261,923,801 to 261,924,000
202,545,957 to 202,546,000	234,067,232 to 234,067,300	261,707,201 to 261,707,400
207,218,569 to 207,218,600	235,833,783 to 235,833,800	263,414,901 to 263,415,800
208,872,242 to 208,872,257	237,386,845 to 237,387,000	266,472,561 to 266,472,860

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WASHINGTON, DC 20260 OFFICIAL BUSINESS

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