

JAMES W. MARSHALL,
First Assistant Postmaster General.

To Mr. John H. Prop
Care of the Postmaster of Covington, who will please forward to him.

STATEMENT.

The proposed office will be called South Covington Cato Mill
[The name of the candidate for postmaster should not be applied as the name of a post office. It is preferable that the name be a WILLIAM
or PERMANENT name, which must not be the name of any other office in the State; and you should aim to select a name not appropriated
to any office in the United States.]

It will be situated in the _____ quarter of Section _____, Township _____

Range _____, in the County of Kenton, State of Kentucky

It will be on _____ route No. 9606, being the route from Covington to Lexington
to Cato Mill on which the mail is now carried 2 times per day

The contractor's name is G. H. Pundelton Post K.C.R.

Will it be directly on this route?—Ans. yes.

If not, how far from and on which side of it?—Ans. _____

How much will it INCREASE the travel of the mail one way each trip?—Ans. none

Where will the mail leave the present route to supply the proposed office?—Ans. not at all

Where intersect the route again?—Ans. nowhere

What post office will be left out by this change?—Ans. none

The name of the nearest office to the proposed one, on the same route, is Covington
its distance is three miles, in a northwesterly direction from the proposed office.

The name of the nearest office on the same route, on the other side, is Vicksburg
its distance is fourteen miles, in a southerly direction from the proposed office.

The name of the nearest office to the proposed one, is Letcher Springs
distance by the most direct road is three miles, in a southerly direction from the proposed office.

The name of the most prominent river near it is Ohio and Licking

The name of the nearest creek is Bank Lick

The proposed office will be three miles from said river, on the south side of this & west of side of it, and will be one miles from said nearest creek, on the north side of it.

If near a railroad, state on which side the office will be located, how far from, and the name of the station or depot.
Ans. Three or four hundred yards West South Cov.

If it be a village, state the number of inhabitants.—Ans. about five hundred

Also, the population to be supplied by proposed office.—Ans. about One thousand (1000)
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.

A correct map of the locality might be furnished by the county surveyor, but this must be without expense to the Post Office Department.

ALL WHICH I CERTIFY to be correct and true, according to the best of my knowledge and belief, this 7th
day of Oct, 1872

I CERTIFY that I have examined the foregoing statement, and that it is correct and true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

St. Easton Act Postmaster of Covington Wm
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