



Post Office Department,

OFFICE OF THE FIRST ASSISTANT P. M. GENERAL,

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15, 18 91

SIR: Before the Postmaster General decides upon the application for the establishment of a post office at _____, County of Franklin, State of N.Y., 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 should not be on any mail route now under contract, only a "Special Office" can be established there, to be supplied with mail from some convenient point on the nearest mail route by a special carrier (see section 733, Postal Laws and Regulations of 1887), for which service a sum equal to two-thirds of the amount of the salary of the postmaster at such office 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 inclosed certificate as to the practicability of supplying the proposed office with mail, and return the same to the Department.

Very respectfully,

J. S. Clarkson
First Ass't Postmaster General.

To Mr. Wm M. Call
care of the Postmaster of Milton, who will please forward to him.

STATEMENT.

The proposed office to be called

Leipert

Select a short name for the proposed office, which, when written, will not resemble the name of any other post office in the State.

It will be situated in the _____ quarter of Section _____, Township _____ (North or South), _____ Range _____ (East or West), _____ in the County of Franklin, State of N.Y.
It will be on or near route No. _____, being the route from _____, on which the mail is now carried _____ times per week.

Will it be directly on this route?—Ans. _____
If not, how far from it?—Ans. _____

If not on any route, is a "Special Office" wanted?—Ans. yes. To be supplied from Milton, N.Y.

The name of the nearest office to the proposed one, on one side, is _____

its distance is four miles in a east direction from the proposed office.

The name of the nearest office, on the other side, is Franklin

its distance is five miles in a west direction from the proposed office.

The name of the other nearest office to the proposed one is Beulah

its distance by the most direct road is 4 1/2 miles in a south direction from the proposed office.

The name of the most prominent river near it is Algo

The name of the nearest creek is Leipert creek

The proposed office will be 5 1/2 miles from said river, on the south side of it, and will be one miles from said nearest creek, on the north side of it.

The name of the nearest railroad is _____

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. _____

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

Also, the population to be supplied by the proposed office.—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.

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 _____ day of Feb., 1891.

(If Sign full name.)

William M. Call 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.

Postmaster at _____

(OVER.)

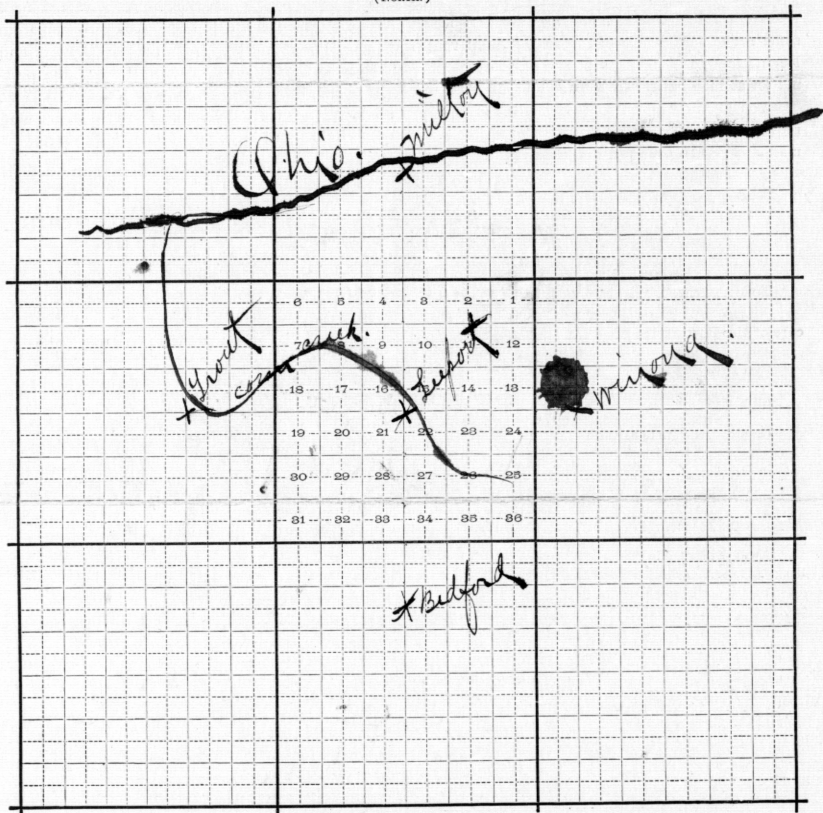
Be careful to answer the inquiries fully and accurately, or the case will not be acted upon.

Applications for post offices must be accompanied by petitions of the citizens interested.

Diagram showing the site of the Post Office,
 in Township (N. or S.), Range (E. or W.) of Principal
 Meridian, County of , State
 of , with the adjacent Townships and Post Offices.

It is requested that the exact site of the proposed or existing Post Office, as also the roads to the adjoining offices, and the larger streams or rivers, be marked on this diagram, to be returned as soon as possible to the Post Office Department.

(NORTH.)



Scale $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to the mile.

(SOUTH.)