Post Office Department,

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OFFICE OF THE FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL, APPOINTMENT DIVISION.

Sir: Before the Postmaster General decides upon the application for the establishment of a post office

Washington, D. C., _______, 190 .

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| | of, 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 be not on any mail route, only a "Special Office" can be established, to be supplied with mail from some convenient point on the nearest mail route by a special carrier, for which service a sum equal two-thirds the salary of the postmaster 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 appended certificate as to the practicability of supplying the proposed office with mail. Very respectfully, |
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| | Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. |
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| e, fo | care of the Postmaster of, who will please forward to him. |
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| as practicabl | The proposed office to be called |
| ten : | Notice directions for selecting post office names on next page. |
| 10 51 | It will be situated in thequarter of Section, Township(North or South) |
| 3 | Range (East or West), in the County of Sun ble , State of Hullicky. |
| - | It will be on or near route No |
| pe | to on which the mail is now carriedtimes per week. |
| y t | Will it be directly on this route?—Ans. NOT DU LUY TO US |
| dd | If not, how much would its supply on this route increase the distance necessarily traveled by the carrier in going once over |
| carrier to supply | the route? |
| I to | If not on any route, is a "Special Office" wanted?—Ans. And To be supplied from Bedford The name of the nearest office to the proposed one, on one side, is Bedford |
| rrie | its distance is miles in a & direction from the proposed office. |
| | The name of the nearest office, on the other side, is ASSOM |
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| en | its distance by the most direct road is miles in a W |
| authorized to emplo- ster's compensation | The name of the most prominent river near it is The name of the nearest creek is Nistelli Creek |
| con | The proposed office will be 136 miles from said river, on the 6 and |
| r's | side of it, and will be on from the miles from said nearest creek, on the side of it. |
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| ls i | 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 |
| ter | the name of the station?—Ans. Give the population to be supplied by the proposed office.—Ans. 9 3 7 |
| the | If it be a village, state the number of inhabitants.—Ans. |
| postmaster of the pos | |
| | and other post offices, towns, or villages near it, will be useful, and is therefore desired. |
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| | I CERTIFY that I have examined the foregoing statement, and that it is correct and true, to the best of my knowledge and benefit (This must be signed by Postmaster at nearest office.) |
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ile. (South.) INSTRUCTIONS RELATIVE TO NAMES OF POST OFFICES.

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Attention is called to the following order issued by the Postmaster General, dated April 9, 1894:

"Ordered, No. 114.—To remove a cause of annoyance to the Department and injury to the Postal Service in the selection of names for newly established post offices, it is hereby ordered, that from this date only short names or names of one word will be accepted. There may be exceptions when the name selected is historical, or has become local by long usage, but the Department reserves the right in such cases to make the exception or not as it sees proper. Names of post offices will only be changed for reasons satisfactory to the Department."

The prefix of "East," 'Old," "New," "North," "South," or "West," to the name of a post office is bijectionable; as also is the addition of "Burg," "Center," "City," "Corners," "Creek," "Cross Roads," "Depot," "Hill," "Hotel," "Hollow," "Junction," "Mill," "Mound," "Peak," "Plains," "Point," "Port," "Rock," "River," "Run," "Ridge," "Store," "Station," "Springs," "Town," "Vale," "Valley," or "Village," and all other prefixes or additions, as such prefixes or additions are liable to lead to confusion and delay in transmission of the mails.

Delay may often be avoided by here submitting in order of preference several names as the one first selected may be rejected by the Department.