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Post Office Department
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL
Washington

RETURN TO
DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY

Postmaster,

RED HOOK,

N.Y.

JUN 28 1943

The following information is required in order that your post office may be shown in its proper location on postal maps. Please complete this form immediately and return it without delay with the map or sketch described on the reverse side. A letter of reply is not necessary.

Walter Myers
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL.

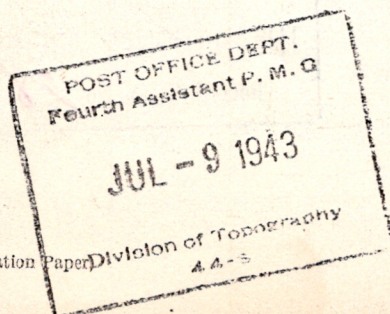
1. Street address of post office 10 South Broadway County Dutchess
2. Township Red Hook (If location is described by section, township, and range, fill in line 3.)
3. _____ quarter of section _____ Township _____ N. or S. _____ Range _____ E. or W. _____
4. Nearest adjoining county Columbia How far: Shortest air distance? 4.5 By road? 4
P.O. Located on _____
5. Nearest U. S. or State highway Route # 9 Direction from P. O. East Distance Highway
6. Name of nearest railroad station Barrytown N.Y. Name of railroad New York Central
7. Distance by road to railroad station 3.16 Mi Direction from post office West
8. Shortest air distance to nearest tracks 3 mi Direction from post office West
9. Streams or bodies of water nearest to your office:

Name	Direction from post office	Distance
<u>Hudson River</u>	<u>West</u>	<u>3.20</u>

10. Post offices nearest to your office (one in each general direction):

Name	County	Direction from your office	Distance by road
<u>Rhinebeck N.Y.</u>	<u>Dutchess</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>6 mi</u>
<u>Pine Plains N.Y.</u>	<u>Dutchess</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>15 mi</u>
<u>Clermont N.Y.</u>	<u>Columbia</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>8 1/2 mi</u>
<u>Barrytown N.Y.</u>	<u>Dutchess</u>	<u>West</u>	<u>3.16 mi</u>

11. How is mail supplied to your office? Star Route From where? Barrytown N.Y.
(Railroad, star route, rural route, etc.)



(Date) July 8, 1943

(Signed) _____

Postmaster.

Post office Red Hook, N.Y.

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IMPORTANT.—A map showing the location of your post office must be submitted with the return of this paper. A highway map such as prepared by State, county, or local agencies is preferred, if it can be furnished without expense to the Department. Be sure, however, to mark on it the exact site of the post office, placing a small dot in the proper square or block and on the proper side of the street.

If no map can be furnished it is necessary to draw a sketch on one of the diagrams below.

INSTRUCTIONS

These diagrams are furnished simply to make it easier to draw a sketch that will show correct distances from your post office.

SQUARE DIAGRAM

Use this diagram if your post office is located in an area described by section, township, and range, and you have filled in line 3 on the other side. Otherwise use the circular diagram.

Place a small dot representing your post office in the proper quarter-section and fill in the blanks for township and range numbers.

Then draw the following features:
(Note that one-half inch on the paper equals 1 mile on the ground.)

a. Adjacent post offices (show with small dots and name).

b. Railroads (show by single line with cross marks; name).

c. Highways (show by double lines close together and mark U. S. and State numbers; name in margin the post office to which each road leads).

d. Rivers, creeks, lakes, etc. (show by wavy lines and name).

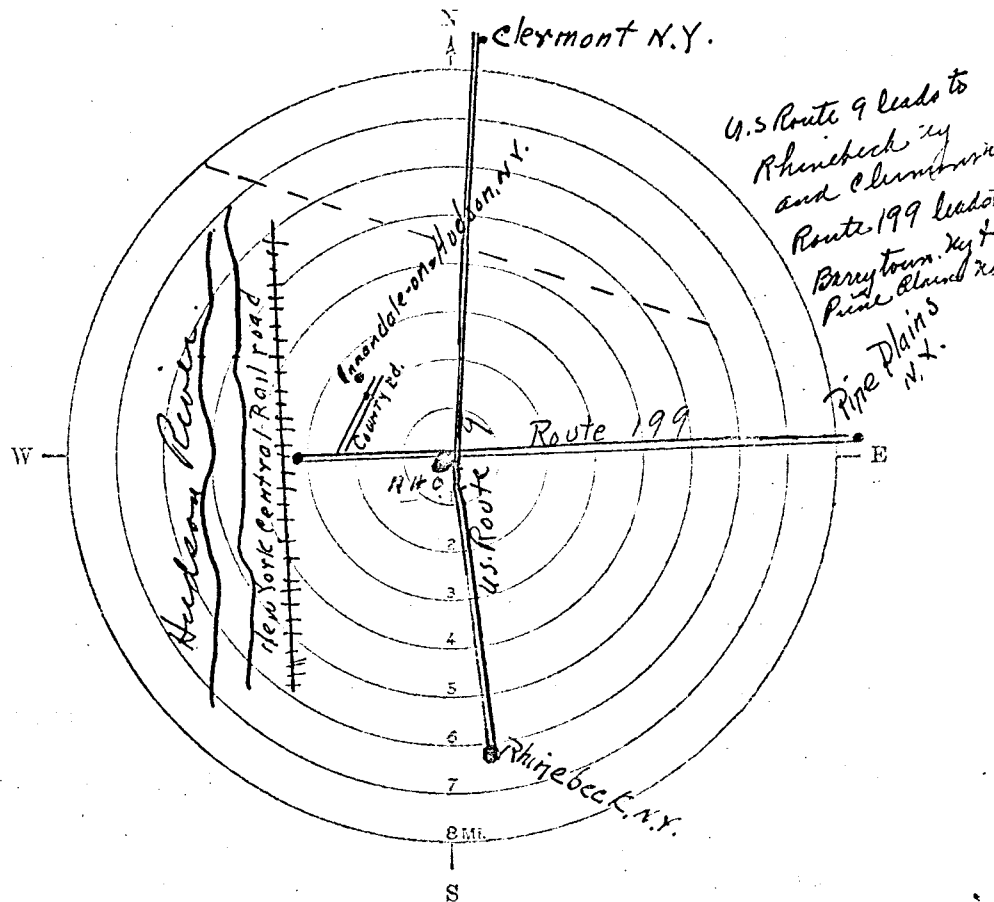
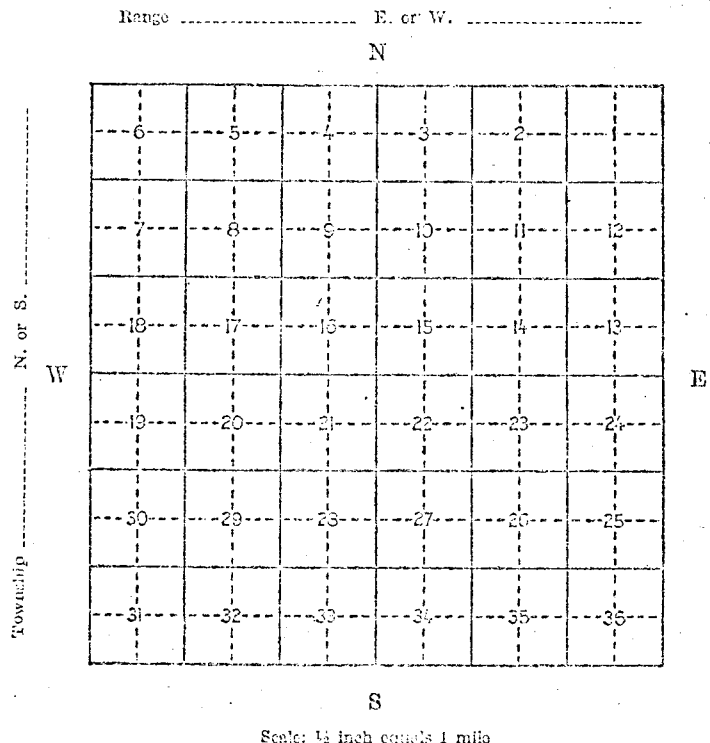
e. County line (show by dashes).

CIRCULAR DIAGRAM

Use this diagram if your post office is NOT located in an area described by section, township, and range.

Let the dot in the center of the circle represent your post office.

Then draw the features a, b, c, d, and e, as described above. (Note the scale of this diagram: One-quarter inch equals 1 mile.)



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