



Post Office Department,

TOPOGRAPHER'S OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., Dec. 3, 1895.

Sir:

To enable the Topographer of this Department to determine, with as much accuracy as possible, the relative positions of Post Offices, so that they may be correctly delineated on its maps, the Postmaster General requests you carefully to answer the questions below, and furnish the diagram on the other side, returning the same as soon as possible, verified by your signature and dated, under cover to the Topographer's Office, Post Office Department.

Respectfully, &c.,

Edward A. Askie  
TOPOGRAPHER P. O. DEPT.

To POSTMASTER AT Blue Mound (Blue Mound)  
Livingston Co.,  
Missouri

The (P. O. Dept.) name of my Office is Blue Mound

If the town, village, or site of the Post Office be known by another name than that of the Post Office, state that other name here: None

The P. O. is situated in the South East quarter of Section No. 25, in Township 5 N (north or south), Range 24 E (east or west), County of Livingstone, State of Missouri

The name of the most prominent river near it is Grand River  
The name of the nearest creek is Mound Creek  
This Office is 2 1/2 miles from said river, on the sw side of it, and is 1 1/2 miles from said nearest creek, on the west side of it.

My Office is on Mail Route No. (488) 45-310  
My Office is a Special Office supplied from \_\_\_\_\_ miles distant.  
The name of the nearest Office on my route is Hatch, and its distance is 4 miles, by the traveled road, in a sw direction from this, my Office.  
The name of the nearest Office, on the same route, on the other side, is James and its distance is 2 1/2 miles in a sw direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest Office off the route is Hatch, and its distance by the most direct road is 4 miles in a sw direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest railroad is W.M. & P.

If on the line of or near the railroad, on which side and how far from the track is your Office located? \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Postmaster.) J. M. Morris

(Date.) Dec 10 1895