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Post Office Department

FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Washington

RETURN TO
DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY

Postmaster,

SEP 15 1939

BETHESDA,

OHIO.

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.

[Signature]
FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

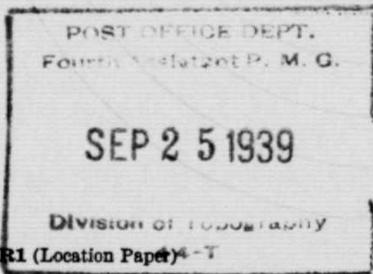
- Street address of post office Main Street, County Belmont,
- Township Goshen (If location is described by section, township, and range, fill in line 3.)
- N.E. quarter of section 23 Township 7 N. or S. _____ Range 5 E. or W. _____
- Nearest adjoining county Guernsey How far: Shortest air distance? 8 1/2 By road? 12. MI
- Nearest U. S. or State highway State R. 147 Direction from P. O. north Distance .40 mi.
- Name of nearest railroad station Bethesda, Name of railroad Baltimore & Ohio.
- Distance by road to railroad station .20 mi. Direction from post office South-West
- Shortest air distance to nearest tracks 200 ft. Direction from post office South
- Nearest streams or bodies of water (state whether river, creek, branch, lake, ocean, etc.):

Name	Direction from post office	Distance
<u>Ohio River</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>20 Mi.</u>
<u>Captina Creek</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>10.27 mi.</u>

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

Name	County	Direction from your office	Distance by road
<u>Spidel,</u>	<u>Belmont</u>	<u>West</u>	<u>3.05 mi.</u>
<u>Morristown,</u>	<u>Belmont,</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>3.06 mi.</u>
<u>Belmont,</u>	<u>Belmont,</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>2.00 mi.</u>
<u>Jerusalem</u>	<u>Monrow,</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>15.00 mi.</u>

11. How is mail supplied to your office? Railroad, & Star Route From where? Barnesville,
(Railroad, star route, rural route, etc.) & Bellaire, O.



(Date) September 21 - 1939.

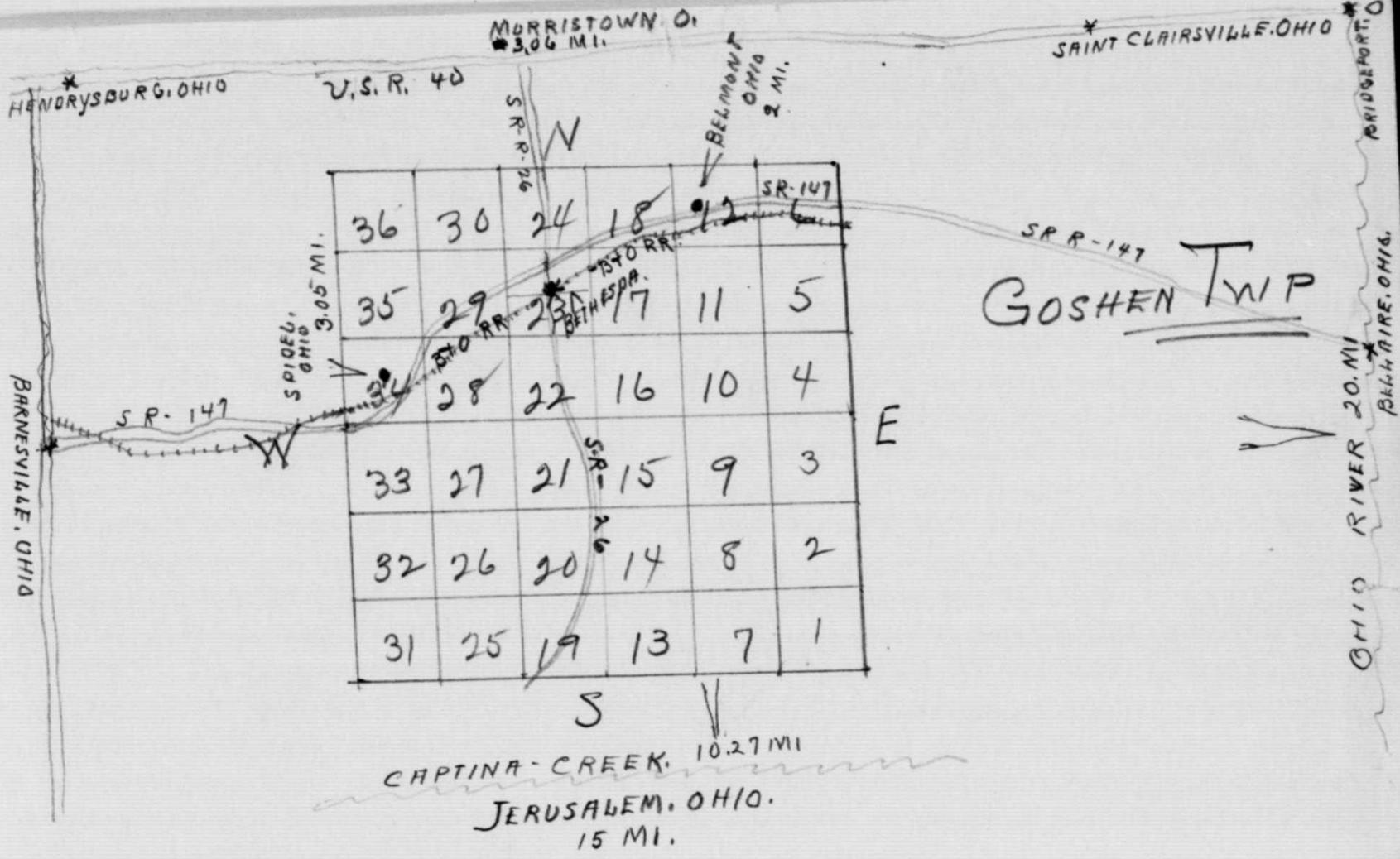
(Signed) H. Harley Bolon.
Postmaster.

Post office Bethesda, Belmont Co. Ohio.

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U. S. ROUTE # 40

MORRISTOWN, OHIO.

3.06 MI.

STATE ROUTE # 26

2 MI. BELMONT, OHIO.

STATE ROUTE - # 147.

LAKE ST

CHURCH ST

MAIN ST

WASH ST

POST OFFICE

BETHESDA, OHIO, CORP.

SPRING ST.

MAIN ST

STATE ROUTE # 26

BYO RR.

BYO DEPOT

SPIDEL, OHIO

3.05 MI.

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10.27 mi

State Route # 148.

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE

FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON AUG 14 1907

DIVISION OF TOPOGRAPHY



Sir:

In order that the Department may determine, with as much accuracy as possible, the relative positions of Post Offices, so that they may be correctly delineated on its maps, please carefully 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.

Very respectfully,

[Handwritten Signature]

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General.

To POSTMASTER AT Bethesda,
Belmont Co.,
Ohio.

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

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: Springmouth (In legal papers is sometimes used)

The P. O. is situated in the About the center quarter of Section No. 23, in Township 7 Gosbury (north or south), Range 5 (east or west), County of Belmont, State of Ohio

The name of the most prominent river near it is Ohio

The name of the nearest creek is Captina

This Office is 20 miles from said river, on the West side of it, and is 4 miles from said nearest creek, on the North side of it.

My Office is on Mail Route No. 131001 This is the RPO Number

My Office is a Special Office supplied from _____, _____ miles distant.

The name of the nearest Office on my route is _____, and its distance is _____ miles, by the traveled road, in a _____ direction from this, my Office.

The name of the nearest Office, on the same route, on the other side, is _____ and its distance is _____ miles in a _____ direction from this, my Office.

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

The name of the nearest railroad is Band O. R.R.

If on the line of or near the railroad, on which side and how far from the track is your Office located? North side about 40 ft

(Signature of Postmaster.)

Chas C Lams
(Date.) Aug 21st 1907

Diagram showing the site of the Bethesda Post Office
 in Township Goshen (N. or S.), Range 5 (E. or W.),
 of 81 Principal Meridian, County of Belmont, State
 of Ohio, with the adjacent Townships and Post Offices.

It is requested that the exact site of your Post Office, as also the roads to the adjoining
 Offices, and the rivers and creeks, be marked on this diagram, to be returned as soon as possi-
 ble to the Topographer's Office, Post Office Department. If on, or near a railroad, mark
 the railroad and adjacent Station accurately.

In localities not surveyed by the U. S. Land Office, a **sketch** map is requested.

(NORTH.)



Scale $\frac{1}{4}$ inch to the mile.

(SOUTH.)

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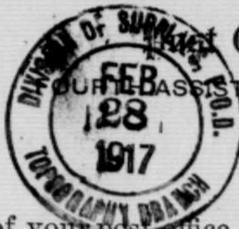
B. Bethesda O
 BB. Belmont O on the east
 S. Speidel O on the west

} all on Band O.R.R.

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Office Department

FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Washington Jan 10, 1917.

SIR:

In order that the site of your post office may be accurately represented upon the post-route maps, it is requested that you carefully answer the questions below and furnish a sketch, according to instructions on opposite side of paper, which should be returned to this Division as soon as possible.

Respectfully,

For change of site.

To Postmaster at

*Bethesda
Belmont Co,
Ohio*

James M. Phillips

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General.

The name of my post office is BETHESDA, Belmont Co., OHIO.

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: _____

My post office is situated in the N. West quarter of section No. 23, in Township 7 Range 5, of the 81 1st principal meridian, County of Belmont, State of Ohio

The name of the nearest river is Ohio River, and the post-office building is at a distance of 20 1/2 mi. on the W side of it.

The name of the nearest creek is Ben Fork, of Captina Creek, and the post-office building is at a distance of 3 mi. on the N side of it.

The name of the nearest office on my route is Belmont, Ohio, and its distance is 2 miles, by the traveled road, in a E direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office on my route, on the other side, is Speidel, Ohio, and its distance is 2, 1/2 miles, in a W direction from this, my office.

The name of the nearest office not on my route is Morristown, Ohio, and its distance is 3 1/2 miles, by the traveled road, in a N direction from this, my office.

The post-office building is on the N side of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and at a distance of 100 ft from the track.

The railroad station name is Bethesda,

My post office is 9 mi, air-line distance, E from the nearest point of my county boundary.

Postmaster:

James M. Phillips

Date: Feb. 27, 1917.

