CHAP. 21.—An act to establish certain post-routes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following are hereby established as post-routes:

ALABAMA.

From Monroeville, via Newtown Academy, to Pine Apple.
From Rutledge, via Helicon, Argus, Arcadia, Strata, Mount Carmel, and Hickory Grove, to Leetohatchee.
From Ozark via Westville, Daleville, High Bluff, and High Falls, to Geneva.
From Abbeville, via Currenton's Bridge and Echo, to Ozark.
From Troy, via Union Hill, to Clayton.
From Pine Apple, via Butler Springs and Menningham, to Greenville.
From Haynerville, via Braggs, Farmersville, and Pleasant Hill, to Pleasant Hill Station.
From Garland, via Starlington and Butler Springs, to Monterey.
From Sturdevant, via Cowpen's New Site, Goldville, Emuckfaw, and Daviston, to Louina.
From Rockford to Sturdevant.
From Fredonia to Buffalo.
From Wedowee, via High Shoals and State Line, Georgia, to Franklin.
From Wedowee, via Wood's Ferry, Louina, Double Head, Milltown, and Bethlehem, to Buffalo.
From Rockford, via Weogufka, and Marble Valley, to Childersburg.
From Ashland, via Garry, Middle Ridge, Bluff Springs, Pinekneyville, and Hackneyville, to Sturdevant.
From Wetumpka, via Syke's Mills and Traveler's Rest, to Rockford.
From Lincoln to Talladega.
From Edwardsville, via Rosewood, Oak Level, Grantley and Rabbit-town, to Jacksonville.
From Edwardsville, via Corn Grove and De Armersville, to Oxford.
From Ashland, via Copper Mines, Flat Rock, Delta, Chulaflinnee, Arbacoochee, Bell's Mills, and Webbog, to Edwardsville.
From Five Mile, via Havana and Green Spring, to Acron.
From Brush Creek, via Morgan Spring, to Marion.
From Indian Hill, via Ironville and Jericho, to Marion.
From Tuscaloosa, via Northport, Fernvale, McConnell's, Moore's Bridge, Newtonville and Davis Creek, to Fayette Court House.
From Huntsville, via Brick School-House and Madison Cross Roads, to Simmon's Store.
From Huntsville, via Balch's Mill, Cluttsville, and Centre Hill, to Athens.
From Frankfort, via Blue Lick, Pleasant Site, and Rock Creek, to Cherokee.
From Auro to Big Pond.
From Allsborough to Dickson.
From Wilhite's, via Jones's Chapel, to Houston.
From Houston, via Thorn Hill and Haley's, to Pikeville.
From Blountsville, via Hanceville, Ryan's Creek, and Spring Hill, to Houston.
From Ashland, via Coleta, Waldo, and Iroha, to Talladega.
From Allen's Factory to Jasper.
From Elkmont to Pettusville.
From Florence to Lexington.
From Pikeville to Pierce's Mills.
From Warrior Station, via Hulsey's Stand, Pinhook and Democrat, to Jasper.
From Rogersville, via Lexington, to Appleton, Tennessee.
ARKANSAS.

From De Witt to Lonoke.
From Hope Station, via Clayton, Falcon, Lamartine, to Magnolia.
From Camden, via Rosston, to Hope Station, on the Cairo and Fulton railroad.
From Prescott to Centre Point.
From Brinkley to Clarendon.
From Desark to Augusta.
From Lewisville to Texarcana.

CALIFORNIA.

From Strawberry Valley, via Scales Diggings, to Port Wine.
From Yreka, via Humbug Creek and Buckeye Bar, to Oak Bar.
From Middletown to Uncle Sam.
From Cottonwood to Vilas's Mill.
From Fort Bidwell to Reno, Nevada.

COLORADO.

From Granada to Fort Union, New Mexico.

DAKOTA.

From Medary to Lake Benton, Minnesota.
From Dell Rapids to Wicklow.
From Medary, via Lake Village, Sisseton and Richville, to Breckenridge, Minnesota.
From Yankton, via Walshtown, to Lake Kampuska.
From Fargo to Norman.
From Firesteel to Lake Kampuska.
From Lodi to Yankton.
From Wahpeton to St. Ransom.
From Ziskou to Scotland.

DELAWARE.

From Felton to Whibleysburgh.
From Harrington to Union Corner, in the State of Maryland.

FLORIDA.

From Aucrum to Jasper.
From Black Creek to Crawfordville.
From Dunn's Lake, via Woodland, to Pilatka.
From Fort White, via Itchetucknee, to Lake City.
From Archer, via Wacahootee, to Flemington.
From Gainsville, via Gordon, to Waldo.
From Gainsville, via Barnes' Store and Pineville, to Archer.
From Newnansville, via Noble's Hill, to Fort White.
From Etoniah to Pilatka.

GEORGIA.

From Waverly Hall to Warm Springs.
From Carrolton via Powder Springs and Dark Corner, to Villa Rica.
From Hazelhurst via Feronia, to Dorminy's Mill.
From Alapaha to Irwinville.
From Dublin via McRae, to House Creek.
From Hawkinsville and Vienna, via Drayton and Dauville, to Americas.
From Greenville to Hogansville.
From Waynesborough to Forest Hall.
From Sparta to Linton.
From Mount Airey to Clarkesville.
From Dahlonega, via Porter Springs (Jefferson Logan's) to Blairsville.
From Temperance to Chancy.

**ILLINOIS.**

From Wellington, via Fountain Creek and Ash Grove, to Buckley.
From Cain, via Goose Island, Thebes, East Cape Girardeau, and Clear Creek, to Jonesborough.
From Granville to Peru.
From Kampsville to Pearl Station.
From Pearl Station, via Bee Creek and Kampsville, to Hardin.
From Montrose, Iowa, via Nauvoo, to Adrian.

**INDIANA.**

From Deedsville to Perrysburg.

**IOWA.**

From South English to Harper.
From Pella, via Peoria, to New Sharon.
From Ottumwa, via Ormansville, Ash Grove, and Soap Valley, to Unionville.
From Batavia to Abingdon.
From New London to Columbus Junction.
From Guthrie Centre, via Coon Rapids and Carrolton, to Glidden.
From Cherokee, via South O'Brien and Pringhar, to Sheldon.
From Tracor, via Crystal and Badger Hill, to Liscomb.
From St. Charles, via New Virginia, to Osceola.

**KANSAS.**

From Eldorado to Tesdale.
From Wilson, via Sylvan Grove, Vesper, Pottersburgh, Ingalls, and Blue Hills, to Beloit.
From Granite Bluffs, via Long Island, Norton Centre, and Graham Centre, to Ogallah.
From Eldorado, via Towanda and Benton, to Wichita.
From Capiona to Sabetha.
From Ballard Falls to Waterville.
From Dow Creek to Americus.
From McPherson, via Delmore, to Roxbury.
From Clyde, via Seapo, to Belville.
From Darlington to Newton.
From Vinton to Junction City.
From Lost Creek to Fort Lincoln.
From Dodge City to Camp Supply.
From Jewell, via Ionia and Crystal Plain, to Gaylord.
From Aubrey, via Wea, to Louisburg.
From Empire, via Farms, to Crooked Creek.
From Peabody, via Swopes Mills, Plumbgrove, and Cairboo, to Towanda.
From Dodge City, via County Seat of Ford, Clarke and Comanche Counties, to Medicine Lodge.
From Parks Fort to Norton.
From Hutchinson, via Westminster, to Leonville.
From Longton, via Indian Creek, to Charlestown.
From Clyde, via Kimball City, to Cuba.
From Russell, via Paradise Creek and Rooks Centre, to Logan.
From Coffeyville, via Osage Agency, Sac and Fox Agency, Wa-pa-latha Isabelle to Cherokee Town, in the Chickasaw Nation, there to connect with route from Atoka to Fort Sill, Indian Territory.

Kentucky.

From Mayfield, via Pottsville, Lowe's Kansas, to Viola.
From Tompkinsville, via Dicken's Landing, to Judio.
From Barbourville, via Paynes, to Bushes Store.

Louisiana.

From Bonner, via Vienna and Greensboro, to Homer.
From Homer to Haynesville.
From Vienna, via Greensboro, Colvin, Sherrod, Tulip, Athens and Eureka, to Germantown.
From Trenton to Mars Hill.
From Bonner, via Shiloh, to Sparsville.
From Bonner, via Vernon and Winnfield, to Alexandria.
From Arcadia to Homer.
From Arcadia, via Liberty Hill, to Sabine.
From Mount Lebanon, via Athens, to Homer.
From Mount Lebanon, via Sparta, Sabine, and Pine Ridge, to Winnfield.
From Monroe to Brewsterville.
From Shreveport to Conchetta.
From Mansfield to Conchetta.
From New Iberia to Loreauville.
From Covington, via Manderville Bayou, La Comb, and Bow Fonca, to Indian Village.

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Maine.

From Bethel to Albany.
From East Auburn, via Turner Centre, to East Turner.

Michigan.

From Reed City, via Brookside, Chase, and Summitville, to Baldwin.
From Plainfield, via Iosco, to Fowlerville.
From Houghton to Atlantic Mine.
From Big Prairie to Morgan Station.
From Bad Axe to Lamotte.
From Tyre to Cass City.
From Hartland, via Highland, to Highland Station.
From Ortonville, via Oakwood, to Thomas Station.

Minnesota.

From Hancock Station to Appleton.
From Worthington to Shetek.
From Richwood to White Earth.
From Wabashaw to Alma, Wisconsin.
From Fergus Falls, via Clitherall and Otter Tail City, to Perham.
From Winnebago City to Saint James.
From Fairmount to Estherville.
From Blooming Prairie to Dodge Centre.
From Blooming Prairie to Geneva.
From Wells to Northwood.
From Wadena to Parker's Prairie.
From Lynd to Lake Benton.
From Lake Benton to Plandreau.
From Scamblor or Pelican Lake to Audubon.
From Murray Centre, via Lowville and Lake Sarah, to Winona and Saint Peter Railroad.

**MISSISSIPPI.**

From Lamar, via Early Grove and Mount Pleasant, to Rossville, Tennessee.
From New Albany, via Molino, Claysville and Dumas, to Ripley.
From Greenwood, via Leigh's and Garvin's, to Johnsonville.
From La Grange, via Bellefontaine, Monte Vista, Hopewell and Bemela, to Pittsburgh.
From La Grange, via Fame and Hohenlinden, to Houston
From Louisvile, via New Prospect and Pensacola, to La Grange.
From Torka, via Oak Ridge, Conway, Thomastown and Newport, to Goodman.
From Carthage, via Standing Pine, High Hill, New Ireland and County Line, to Lake.
From Raleigh, via Shongela, Pineville and Homewood, to Forest.
From Paulding, via Shady Grove, Montrose, and Garlandville, to Newton.
From Morton, via Polkville, Dobsonville, Rocky Creek, Overby's and Mays Mills, to Westville.
From Columbia to Monroe.
From Ellisville to Waynesborough.
From Friar's Point to Jonesboro.

**MISSOURI.**

From Pattonsburg Station, via Pattonsburg, Burr Oak, Hamptonville, Martinsville and Jewett, to Allendale.
From Breckenridge, via Proctorville, Catawba, Osterville, Black Oak, Tinney's Grove, New Hope and Morton, to Hardin.
From Springfield, via Chastain's, Dutch Store, White Oak Springs, Reed's Store, White River, Buckner's Mill, Blind Stand, to Harrison, in the State of Arkansas.
From Lamar, via Nashville, Medoc, Georgia City and Gatesburg, to Minersville.
From Nevada, via Milford, Medlen's Mill, Newport, Sylvania, to Greeufield.
From Mount Vernon, via Heaton, Haven's and Rock Prairie, to Dadeville.
From Cassville to Dadeville.
From Commerce, via Hamburg and Benton, to Morley.
From Libertyville to Knob Lick.
From Dexter, via Cotton Hill, Clarkton, Kennett and Cotton Plant, to Homersville.
From New Madrid to Sikeston.
From Bloomfield to Castorville.

**MONTANA TERRITORY.**

From Phillipsburg to the Rock Creek Mines.

**NEBRASKA.**

From Cottonwood, via Wayland, Creswell, Pleasant Home, and Woolard, to Lone Tree.
From Table Rock, via New Home, to Beatrice.
From Plum Creek to Arrapahoe.
From Donnewbrook to Loup City.
From Aurora to Lone Tree.
From Townsend to Laona.
From Holland to Hickman.
From Era to Empire.
From Saint Helena to Gayville, Dakota.
From Schwedt, via Bismarck, to West Point.
From Zurich to Grand Island.
From Wild Turkey, via Lebanon, to Valley Grange.
From Red Willow to Valley Grange.
From Red Willow, via Culbertson, to the western line of the State.
From Crowellton, via Huntsville, to Loup City.
From Plumb Creek, via Williamsburg and Orleans, to Granite Bluffs, Kansas.
From Springdale to Willow Springs.
From North Loup, via Ord, to Northwest corner of the State.
From Edgar, via Oxbow, Nelson, Superior, and Reubens, to Jewell, Kansas.
From Ortan, via Stromburg, to Clarkville.

Nevada.

From Oceana, via Betavia, to Bolivia City.
From Humboldt Wells, via Spruce Mountain, Shelbourne, Duck Creek, Mineral City and Patterson, to Pioche.
From Mill City to Central Mining District.

New Hampshire.

From Antrim to North Branch.
From Brookline to Townsend, Massachusetts.

New Mexico.

From Santa Fé via Peñasco to Taos.
From Las Vegas via Sapello to Mora.

New York.

From Rome to Lowell.
From Saugerties via Quarryville to Palenville.
From Saugerties via Unionville West Saugerties and Plattskill Clove to Hunter.
From Dry Brook to Dean's Corner.

North Carolina.

From Hendersonville to the Forks of Pigeon.
From Bakersville to Johnsons' City, Tennessee.
From Ashville, via Democrat, to Flaggponds, Tennessee.
From Cunningham's Store to Woodlawn.
From Cashier's Valley via Henry Jackson's Joy's Tannery and George's Mill to Walhalla, South Carolina.
From China Grove via Bastian's Cross Roads, Helig's Mill, Drys Mill, Reidenour's, to Kendall's Store.

Ohio.

From New Matamoras to Lawrence.

Oregon.

From Eugene City via McKenzie, Salt Spring, Deschutes Wagon Road, and Santiam Road, to Upper Ocheco.
From Antelope Valley via John Day's River, Butte Creek, Lone Rock, Willow Creek, to Hepner's—
From Canyon City to Winnemucca, Nevada.
From Oakland via Cole's Valley, French Settlement, to Looking Glass.
From Lebanon, via Harris Ranch, Pilgrims' Camp, to Crawfordsville.
From Scio, via Mount Pleasant, Jordan Valley, to Fox Valley.
From Canyon City via Susaville, North Fork, John Day, Willow Creek to Scotts.
From Newport via Seal Rock on beach of Pacific Ocean, Mouth of Alsea River and Peak's Mill to Alsea Valley.

PENNSYLVANIA.

From Bakerstown via Mars Post-Office at Parks Mills, to Evansburg and Harmony to Beaver.
From Beallsville via Zollarsville and Lippincott, to Waynesburgh.
From Fisher's Ferry via Augusta, to Seven Points.
From North Wharton to Forest House Post-Office.
From Newton Hamilton, via Vineyard Mills and Germany Valley to Shirleysburg.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

From Rock Hill to Lancaster Court House.
From Chester to Lancaster Court House.

TENNESSEE.

From Speedwell, via Head of Barren, to Clear Springs.
From Thorn Hill, via Anderson, Daltons, and McHenry Brays, to Sneedville.
From Lawrenceburg to Loretto.
From Centreville to Ivy's Mills.
From Centreville to Burns' Station.
From Butler, via Granville Stouts to Roar Mountain.
From Showers Cross Roads via James Powells', North Fork Camp Ground, to mouth of Elk, in North Carolina.
From Camden, via Chereville, Etna, and Hawesville, to Decaturville.
From Decaturville, via Hawesville, Sugar tree and Coxburg, to Camden.
From Henderson Station via Mifflin, to Lexington.
From Henderson Station via Jack's Creek and Centre Point, to Saltillo.
From Lawrenceburg to Loretto.
From Centreville to Ivy Mills.
From Centreville to Britts Landing.
From Pulaski to Brick Church.
From Columbia, via Sauta Fe and Lick Creek, to Burns Station.
From Purdy to Stantonville.
From McKenzie via Como, Cottage Grove, and Crossland, Kentucky, to Murray, Kentucky.
From McKenzie via Macedonia, Winsetts' Mills and Fount's Store, Sandy Hill.

TEXAS.

From Lovelady, via Pennington and Centralia, to Homer—
From Anahuenac to Turtle Bayou.
From Greenville to Terrell.
From Leon Springs in Bexar County, to Curry's Creek.
From Burnet, via Backbone Valley, to Fredericksburg.
From Double Horn, via Smithwick's Mills and John B. Williamsou's, to Liberty Hill.
From Floresville to Pleasanton.
From Eagle Pass, via Penderencia, Coriza, and South Ranch, to Laredo. From San Antonio to Ranch del Alamo on the Rio Grande River. From Centre Station to Las Vegas.

Vermont.
From Morrisville, via Centreville, Eden, Lowell, and Westfield, to North Troy.

West Virginia.

Wisconsin.

Wyoming Territory.
From Cheyenne, via Fort Petterman to Bozeman in the Territory of Montana. From Cheyenne, via Pole Creek, Horse Creek, Hawk Springs and Red Cloud Agency, to Whetstone Agency, Dakota Territory.

Approved, February 4, 1874.

Feb. 4, 1874. CHAP. 22.—An act in relation to the lines of telegraph connecting the Capitol with the various Departments of the Government.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the lines of telegraph, connecting the Capitol with the various Departments in Washington, constructed under and by virtue of the act of Congress approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and for other purposes," be, and the same are hereby, placed under the supervision of the officer in charge of the public buildings and grounds; and that the said officer be authorized and empowered to make rules and regulations for the working of said lines. And the Secretary or Head of each Executive Department, and the Congressional Printer, are hereby authorized to detail one person from their present force of employees to operate the instruments in said Departments and printing office, and each House of Congress may provide for the employment of an operator in their respective wings of the Capitol, at a compensation not exceeding one hundred dollars per month, during the sessions of Congress.

Approved, February 4, 1874.