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THE NEW YORK STATE DOANE PROJECT

By Maris Tirums

I refer to the on-going effort to assemble as complete a list as possible of all Doane cancelers used in New York State as the "*Doane Project*." In mid 1993, I volunteered to assume the role of "Doane coordinator" for our state. Before that time, Jack Haefeli had been the New York Doane coordinator, and all of my work was added to the body of information that Jack had already compiled.

The *Doane Project* has made large strides, to the point where I believe the Empire State Postal History Society will be asked later this year to undertake the publication and distribution of a new reference book on New York State postal history, dealing with Doane cancellations.

Information for the *Doane Project* has been supplied by many people, and I am grateful to all of them for their interest, and for their generosity in taking the time to report data to me about their Doane canceled covers. However, and I cannot emphasize this too strongly, a great deal of information is still unknown, and much of the accumulated data can still be improved. I urge everyone reading this to contribute to the *Doane Project* by reporting the following facts about any covers you have with a Doane cancel:

- post office or town name
- Doane cancel type
- number within killer bars
- full date in cancel
- unusual ink color, inverted date, or other unique feature if such exists.

BACKGROUND

The U.S. Post Office Department was aware that the clarity of the metal handstamps used by many post offices to cancel mail in the late 19th century and early years of the 20th century was very poor. Cancellations were often incomplete, blurred, faint, and otherwise unreadable. Cover collectors realize, I think, that this was so as examples of sharp, clear postmarks from this period are in the minority.

After experimenting with newly designed handstamps, the Post Office Department began to supply a relatively small number of fourth class post offices with a rubber handstamp for canceling mail. The handstamps were comprised of a circular date stamp at the left and five horizontal, parallel bars at right. The three middle bars were broken to create a gap in the center of the killer bar portion of the cancellation, and in this gap was placed a number. This canceler later became known as a Type 1 Doane canceler, or simply Doane.

TYPE 1

The initial general distribution of Type 1 Doane cancelers started in autumn of 1903. Newly established post offices between August 28 and September 28, 1903 were supplied with this canceler. Also, existing post offices which requested replacements for their old cancelers during this same short period were also supplied with a Type 1 canceler.

The precise number of post offices which received a Type 1 canceler is not known. The Post Office Department announced that some 500 offices were supplied with them on an experimental basis. It is also known that about 250 post offices were established nationally during the August 28 to September 28 period. As for replacement cancelers, an estimated 850 offices requested new cancelers during September 1903. Thus, the hypothetical maximum number of offices across the United States supplied with a Type 1 canceler is 1600.

TYPE 2

Type 2 Doanes replaced the Type 1 design. Type 2's differed from their predecessors in one key respect:

* instead of five bars in the killer bar portion of the canceler, there were now four sets of thin parallel bar giving the appearance of four "hollow" bars.

Type 2 Doanes are slightly larger in diameter than the Type 1's, but this difference is too small to be relied upon for identification.

Type 2 Doane cancelers were distributed to new post offices established from September 29, 1903 into the summer of 1905. As with the Type 1's, the Type 2 were supplied to offices which requested replacement cancelers during this period.

Type 2 Doanes were distributed for about 22 months, and are the most common of the three types finally used.

TYPE 3

Type 3 Doane cancelers were the last

of the three types used, and they were supplied to new post offices established after July 1, 1905 until the autumn of 1906. Type 3's were also used as replacements for existing offices as well as for newly established post offices.

The Type 3 Doane cancellation is recognizable by the following features:

- the four killer bars were solid rather than being four sets of thin parallel bars - the "hollow" appearance of the Type 2 killer bars was thus changed;
- the Type 3 circular date stamp portion is the largest of the three types, and measures 31 to 32 mm;
- Type 3 Doanes used only block lettering whereas the earlier types sometimes used Romanesque "serifed" lettering.

DOANE CENSUS

La Posta, journal of United States postal history, has been instrumental in promoting the collection and publication of data on Doane cancellations. Richard W. Helbock, editor of La Posta, published a book entitled United States Doanes, A Catalog of Doane Cancellations Used in United States Post Offices, in 1993 which provided lists by states of all known Doanes, and useful introductory information about these cancels.

Helbock's book includes information about the nationwide total number of Doanes. The census figures are based on some facts and some reasoned assumptions. The estimated census numbers are as follows:

TYPE 1 - distributed during approximately one month to a total of **1600** new and existing post offices;

TYPE 2 - distributed during approximately 22 months to a total of **17,500** new and existing post offices; and

TYPE 3 - distributed during approximately 16 months to a total of **7500** new and existing post offices.

Helbock estimates the national total number of Doanes to be 30,000 within an estimated 5-10 % of the actual number.

How many of these are New York State Doanes? Helbock's figures indicate that almost 1200 New York Doanes exist. The list that follows has a little over 700 listings. My intuitive belief, based on having worked on the *Doane Project* during the last 18 months, is that the 1200 figure is high, but inasmuch as more digging is needed, we undoubtedly still have unreported post offices which will expand the current list.

THE DOANE PROJECT INVITES YOU

This is a compilation of information that virtually every E.S.P.H.S. member can help with. Many of you have already been very helpful with Doane data. I urge one and all, who have not already done so, to send me inventories of your Doane canceled covers. I have already indicated the data that every report should include.

What if part of the cancellation is illegible? Report only the information that you feel confident about being able to determine, but report the cancellation nevertheless.

What if the date of the cancellation falls within the earliest and latest dates already shown in the table? Report the cover anyway! Because -

1. your report may confirm or challenge an existing listing that may be based on only a few previous reports; and
2. your report will be added to the inventory being compiled which will be useful in determining relative scarcity.

CAUTION

The Doane cancelers were eventually replaced by standard four-bar cancelers at many post offices. The four-bar cancelers look very much like Type 3 Doanes, except of course, that they have no number within the killer bars. It is not hard to confuse a Type 3 Doane with a four-bar cancel. If you cannot detect the presence of a number within the killer bars, it most likely is **not** a Doane, and you should not report it.

If the cancel has five killer bars, it is most likely a Type 1 Doane. If the cancel has four "hollow" killer bars, it is almost definitely a Type 2 Doane. But if the cancel has four **solid** killer bars and no discernible number within the bars, it should be regarded as a four-bar cancel rather than a Doane.

SEND YOUR DATA TO ME

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KEY TO MASTER LIST OF DOANE CANCELS

The Master List of Doane cancels has six columns:

- Column 1: Name of post office (which is usually the name of the town where the post office is located)
- Column 2: County where post office was located indicated by three-letter abbreviation (same abbreviation as used by Smith & Kay in *Postal History of New York State*)*
- Column 3: Doane cancel TYPE
- Column 4: Number found in killer bars of cancel
- Column 5: The earliest reported date of usage of the cancel**
- Column 6: The latest reported date of usage of the cancel

* See the list of New York State counties and the corresponding abbreviations.

** If only one report for a Doane cancel has been received, the date of usage will appear as the EARLIEST date of usage in COLUMN 5, and no date will appear in COLUMN 6.

• This heavy dot is used to indicate that the information is not available. Depending on the clarity of the cancel, often the number in the killer bars or the full date cannot be read. In a few cases, the Doane type is uncertain.

NEW YORK STATE COUNTIES & THEIR ABBREVIATIONS

Albany	ALB	New York	NEW
Allegany	ALL	Niagara	NIA
Bronx	BRN	Oneida	ONE
Broome	BRO	Onondaga	ONO
Cattaraugus	CAT	Ontario	ONT
Cayuga	CAY	Orange	ORG
Chautauqua	CHA	Orleans	ORL
Chemung	CHM	Oswego	OSW
Chenango	CHN	Otsego	OTS
Clinton	CLI	Putnam	PUT
Columbia	COL	Queens	QUE
Cortland	COR	Rensselaer	REN
Delaware	DEL	Richmond	RIC
Dutchess	DUT	Rockland	ROC
Erie	ERI	St. Lawrence	SAI
Essex	ESS	Saratoga	SAR
Franklin	FRA	Schenectady	SCE
Fulton	FUL	Schoharie	SCO
Genesee	GEN	Schuyler	SCU
Greene	GRE	Seneca	SEN
Hamilton	HAM	Steuben	STE
Herkimer	HER	Suffolk	SUF
Jefferson	JEF	Sullivan	SUL
Kings	KIN	Tioga	TIO
Lewis	LEW	Tompkins	TOM
Livingston	LIV	Ulster	ULS
Madison	MAD	Warren	WAR
Monroe	MNR	Washington	WAS
Montgomery	MNT	Wayne	WAY
Nassau	NAS	Westchester	WES
		Wyoming	WYO
		Yates	YAT

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Academy	ONT	3	1	SEP 12 1907	
Acra 2	GRE	2	3	AUG 12 1910	
Acra 3	GRE	3	3	JUL 24 1906	AUG 20 1912
Adams Basin	MNR	3	4	OCT 20 1910	DEC 28 1911
Adirondack	WAR	2	2	OCT 18 1905	AUG 22 1907
Alabama	GEN	1	3	AUG 1 1905	● ● 1907
Alburg	FRA	2	1	AUG 16 1906	
Alma	ALL	3	2	MAR 30 1907	MAR 7 1908
Alpine	SCU	3	5	AUG 22 1907	APR 8 1912
Alsen	GRE	3	4	JUL 30 1907	NOV 29 1910
Alton 2	WAY	2	4	FEB 19 1907	
Alton 3	WAY	3	4	SEP 4 1908	DEC 24 1909
Alvord	HAM	2	2	AUG 25 1906	AUG 8 1912
Amawalk	WES	1	3	OCT 6 1905	OCT 11 1908
Amboy Center	OSW	3	2	MAY 4 1906	NOV 21 1907
Amenia Union	DUT	3	●	MAR 25 1908	
Ampersand	FRA	2	3	AUG 4 1905	SEP 1 1907
Ancram	COL	3	5	FEB 17 1906	MAR 21 1907
Antlers	HAM	2	1	JUL 3 1905	JUN 8 1920
Apulia Station	ONO	2	4	NOV 24 1905	NOV 20 1912
Ashford	CAT	2	2	SEP 16 1907	DEC 16 1907
Ashokan	ULS	3	4	AUG 21 1906	
Assembly Park	ONO	2	2	AUG 15 1904	AUG 18 1915
Athol Springs	ERI	3	3	JUL 24 1907	NOV 17 1908
Atwell	HER	1	1	AUG 13 1906	JUN 16 1909
Avosting	ULS	2	1	SEP 29 1905	AUG 16 1910
Axton	FRA	3	●	FEB 19 1909	
Ayers	FRA	3	1	JUL 4 1906	JUL 1 1913
Bannerhouse	FRA	2	1	SEP 12 1905	JUN 27 1910

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Barnes Corners	LEW	2	2	NOV 19 1906	JUL 6 1907
Barnharts	SAI	3	1	JUL 12 1906	AUG 6 1908
Barrytown	DUT	3	3	FEB 9 1906	SEP 25 1908
Bartlett Carry	FRA	3	2	SEP 16 1905	AUG 29 1908
Barton	TIO	3	●	FEB 21 1907	
Bates 2	SCO	2	3	NOV 6 1906	OCT 3 1907
Bates 3	SCO	3	3	APR 21 1907	NOV 3 1913
Bay Pond	FRA	2	2	AUG 12 1905	DEC 10 1906
Bearsville	ULS	2	2	DEC 21 1906	JUL 22 1909
Beaver Dams	SCU	2	3	AUG 10 1905	FEB 7 1910
Beaver Falls	LEW	3	4	JUN 12 1906	JUL 1 1908
Beaver River	HER	3	4	AUG 7 1907	AUG 6 1908
Beerston	DEL	3	2	OCT 2 1906	AUG 12 1909
Beicher	WAS	1	2	DEC 23 1903	JUL 20 1911
Bemus Heights	SAR	2	4	JUL 13 1906	
Benson Center	HAM	2	3	FEB 6 1904	JUL 27 1909
Big Moose	HER	3	6	JUL 23 1906	OCT 29 1907
Bigelow	SAI	1	2	DEC 14 1909	
Birdsall	ALL	3	1	OCT 30 1907	SEP 22 1911
Black Rock	CLI	2	●	NOV 11 1905	
Blackbrook	CLI	2	2	NOV 2 1909	
Blodgett Mills	COR	2	3	JUN 29 1906	MAR 27 1909
Blossvale	ONE	3	3	SEP 18 1906	FEB 9 1910
Bluff Point	YAT	●	●	JUL 22 1908	
Bolton	WAR	2	3	AUG 21 1905	● ● 1910
Boomertown	CHA	2	●	JAN 20 1908	
Boquet	ESS	3	2	JUL 29 1907	JUL 21 1911
Borodino	ONO	3	3	MAY 11 1906	FEB 26 1920
Boston	ERI	1	3	OCT 12 1904	

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Bowmansville	ERI	2	2	JUL 10 1906	NOV 24 1910
Bradley	SUL	2	1	DEC 1 1906	SEP 12 1916
Brandon	FRA	2	1	OCT 2 1905	DEC 18 1905
Brant	ERI	3	•	MAY 3 1910	
Brasher Iron Works	SAI	3	2	OCT 26 1907	MAY 13 1908
Brasie Corners	SAI	2	2	JUL 10 1907	DEC 3 1910
Broome Center	SCO	3	1	SEP 6 1907	JUL 27 1908
Brushton	FRA	3	9	JUL 28 1906	DEC 21 1911
Sullivanville	ORG	2	3	AUG 28 1905	MAY 2 1912
Burlingham	SUL	3	3	MAY 15 1909	AUG 28 1912
Burlington	OTS	3	3	MAY 18 1909	
Burnwood	DEL	2	2	MAR 19 1907	JAN 11 1909
Callicoon Center	SUL	3	3	AUG 27 1905	JUL 20 1907
Camelot	DUT	2	1	OCT 14 1905	JUL 8 1911
Cameron	STE	3	•	SEP 1 1906	
Canada Lake	FUL	3	2	AUG 1 1906	AUG 20 1908
Carlton Station	ORL	2	3	FEB 8 1905	
Carrollton	CAT	2	3	NOV 5 1905	MAY 5 1907
Cascade	ESS	2	2	JUL 25 1905	AUG 3 1909
Catatonk 1	TIO	1	1	DEC 24 1906	JUN 2 1910
Catatonk 2	TIO	2	1	OCT 19 1905	NOV 12 1910
Catawba	STE	3	4	JUL 31 1906	AUG 16 1910
Caton	STE	3	1	DEC 22 1906	JAN 23 1907
Catskill Station	COL	3	4	OCT 9 1905	JUN 22 1910
Cayuga	CAY	2	•	AUG 26 1908	
Cayuta	SCU	2	3	APR 3 1907	JAN 6 1911
Ceylon	COR	3	1	JUN 22 1907	• • 1912
Chatham Center	COL	3	3	SEP 6 1906	DEC 27 1911
Chauncey	WES	2	1	MAR 17 1907	NOV 26 1907

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Chazy Lake	CLI	2	1	JUL 30 1907	AUG 17 1910
Chemung Center	CFM	3	1	• • 1909	
Chepachet	HER	3	2	AUG 20 1908	• • 1911
Childswold	SAI	2	2	FEB 15 1907	JAN 16 1911
Chipmonk	CAT	2	3	APR 22 1906	FEB 17 1913
Circleville	ORG	3	3	AUG 13 1906	DEC 31 1907
Clare	SAI	2	1	JAN 22 1908	APR 25 1912
Clarksboro	SAI	3	1	SEP 13 1907	JUN 20 1913
Clarksville	ALB	3	4	JUL 12 1906	JUL 23 1919
Clayburg	CLI	3	•	NOV 28 1906	NOV 11 1907
Clearview	CAY	2	1	NOV 24 1905	JUL 3 1914
Clermont	COL	3	2	AUG 28 1906	NOV 12 1906
Clintondale	ULS	2	5	JUL 7 1905	OCT 9 1914
Coeymans Hollow	ALB	2	2	SEP 11 1906	AUG 5 1910
Collinsville	LEW	3	1	AUG 20 1906	JUN 26 1907
Columbia	HER	3	2	JUN 28 1909	MAR 30 1910
Columbus Rural Sta (Sherburne)	CFN	2	•	APR 20 1907	
Comstock	WAS	3	3	JAN 19 1906	JUL 10 1907
Conewango 2	CAT	2	•	OCT 17 1905	
Conewango 3	CAT	3	•	NOV 12 1908	
Congers	ROC	3	5	OCT 15 1906	DEC 30 1907
Conklingville	SAR	3	3	SEP 30 1907	JUN 25 1912
Constable	FRA	2	5	JUL 17 1906	NOV 14 1910
Coopers Plains	STE	3	4	FEB 9 1907	MAR 21 1908
Copake Iron Works	COL	3	5	JUL 13 1906	APR 16 1908
Coram 1	SUF	3	1	SEP 26 1909	AUG 5 1910
Coram 2	SUF	3	2	APR 14 1906	JAN 1 1912
Corbettsville	BRO	2	2	NOV 23 1904	OCT 12 1907

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Corinth	SAR	1	●	MAY 28 1907	
Cornwallville	GRE	2	3	AUG 20 1904	SEP 28 1906
Coveville	SAR	3	1	APR 11 1913	
Crafts	PUT	2	2	DEC 14 1906	JUN 10 1908
Cragsmoor	ULS	3	4	AUG 23 1906	AUG 4 1909
Craigeclare 2	SUL	2	3	MAR 11 1907	
Craigeclare 3	SUL	3	3	MAR 24 1906	AUG 28 1908
Craigsville	ORG	2	2	AUG 11 1905	MAY 24 1913
Cranberry Creek 2	FUL	2	3	DEC 23 1905	SEP 3 1908
Cranberry Creek 3	FUL	3	●	JUL 15 1909	
Cranesville	MNT	3	2	AUG 29 1906	JAN 25 1913
Craterclub	ESS	3	1	JUL 5 1907	
Crawford	ULS	2	1	AUG 26 1907	AUG 26 1908
Crescent	SAR	2	3	MAY 4 1908	AUG 17 1908
Crittenden	ERI	3	3	AUG 23 1907	DEC 31 1908
Cuddebackville	ORG	2	2	OCT 19 1905	FEB 11 1908
Dahlia	SUL	2	1	DEC 1 1908	FEB 15 1910
Daysville	OSW	2	2	JUN 18 1906	MAY 3 1907
Denver	DEL	2	1	JAN 9 1906	JUL 29 1907
Depauville 2	JEF	2	5	AUG 19 1905	MAR 20 1906
Depauville 3	JEF	3	5	JUN 20 1906	DEC 23 1911
Depeyster	SAI	3	3	MAR 30 1907	MAY 21 1912
Dewitt	ONO	1	2	APR 13 1906	APR 18 1908
Dover Furnace	DUT	3	3	DEC 13 1906	DEC 11 1909
Dresden Station	WAS	2	2	JAN 4 1905	SEP 4 1916
Durhamville	ONE	2	5	MAY 31 1906	JAN 30 1907
Eagle	WYO	3	3	AUG 3 1908	
Eagle Bay	HER	2	3	JUN 27 1906	AUG 31 1906
Eagle Nest	HAM	2	1	AUG 4 1905	AUG 11 1908

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
East Avon	LIV	2	3	JAN 1 1906	AUG 12 1908
East Beekmantown	CLI	3	●	DEC 20 1911	
East Beekmantown	CLI	2	2	AUG 14 1906	
East Berne	ALB	2	2	JUL 24 1906	DEC 23 1920
East Bethany	GEN	2	3	NOV 21 1903	OCT 29 1913
East Cobleskill	SCO	3	2	FEB 10 1906	JAN 1 1913
East Durham	GRE	2	3	AUG 26 1905	● 1907
East Freetown	COR	3	2	SEP 8 1908	APR 23 1913
East Greenbush	REN	3	4	AUG 20 1908	JUN 6 1911
East Guilford	CHN	2	●	JUL 30 190●	
East Jewett	GRE	2	2	JAN 16 1907	OCT 2 1911
East Marion	SUP	3	●	DEC 23 ●	
East Meredith	DEL	2	4	MAR 28 1906	JUL 5 1912
East Poestenkill	REN	2	1	SEP 3 1907	NOV 7 1912
East Salamanca	CAT	2	1	MAR 26 1907	OCT 14 1908
East Williamson	WAY	1	2	NOV 20 1907	FEB 22 1909
East Windsor	BRO	3	3	JAN 24 1907	DEC 19 1910
Eastview	WES	2	2	SEP 17 1906	NOV 1 1907
Ebenezer	ERI	2	3	JUL 11 1906	DEC 31 1907
Edgewood 2	GRE	2	1	AUG 22 1905	OCT 27 1906
Edgewood 3	GRE	3	●	Jan 2● 1908	
Elka Park	GRE	2	3	SEP 26 1905	JUL 25 1908
Elkreek	OTS	3	2	DEC 31 1906	OCT 12 1910
Ellenburg	CLI	2	3	FEB 27 1906	JAN 24 1910
Ellenburg Center	CLI	2	5	AUG 16 1905	AUG 16 1920
Elmont	NAS	2	2	MAR 3 1906	APR 28 1909
Elnora	SAR	2	2	NOV 11 1907	APR 14 1911
Empire 2	COL	2	3	MAY 2 1907	
Empire 3	COL	3	3	JUL 23 1906	SEP 18 1908

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Encos	ONE	2	1	OCT 3 1907	OCT 8 1908
Erin	CHM	3	3	NOV 29 1907	DEC 24 1918
Escopus	ULS	3	6	AUG 15 1907	
Exeter	OTS	3	1	FEB 20 1907	NOV 25 1907
Fairground 2	SUF	2	4	AUG 13 1907	
Fairground 3	SUF	3	4	APR 12 1906	SEP 13 1907
Fancher	ORL	2	3	JUL 9 1906	APR 27 1907
Farmers Mills	PUT	1	1	MAY 28 1904	JUL 9 1910
Farmersville Station	CAT	3	5	FEB 28 1907	NOV 22 1909
Fentonville	CHA	3	1	JAN 22 1907	NOV 15 1909
Fineview 2	JEF	2	6	APR 4 1907	
Fineview 3	JEF	3	3	SEP 20 1906	JUL 11 1911
Fishcreek	ONE	2	1	OCT 16 1905	JUL 19 1909
Fleming	CAY	1	2	JAN 4 1906	JUN 18 1908
Forest Glen 2	ULS	2	2	OCT 2 1907	SEP 10 1909
Forest Glen 3	ULS	3	2	OCT 2 1907	SEP 7 1908
Forestburg	SUL	3	1	NOV 5 1908	AUG 12 1912
Forks	ERI	1	2	● 1907	FEB 20 1909
Fort Hunter	MNT	2	4	MAY 21 1905	DEC 24 1907
Fort Terry	SUF	2	5	AUG 7 1905	NOV 29 1909
Fourmile	CAT	2	2	DEC 26 1905	JUL 19 1907
Franklin Depot	DEL	3	2	JUL 9 1907	JUN 27 1908
Franklinton	SCO	3	3	AUG 7 1906	APR 27 1914
Freetown Corners	COR	2	1	FEB 12 1907	
Fremont Center	SUL	2	3	AUG 22 1905	MAR 23 1910
French Woods	DEL	3	1	JUL 9 1907	JUL 12 1912
Fullers	ALB	2	2	OCT 24 1905	DEC 29 1909
Galway	SAR	3	5	APR 15 1906	DEC 22 1908
Gardiner	ULS	2	5	JUN 20 1905	AUG 20 1907

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Garoga	FUL	1	1	DEC 1 1906	NOV 23 1909
Gates	MNR	2	2	NOV 28 1905	NOV 28 1908
Gayhead	GRE	2	2	● 1907	AUG 9 1909
Genoa	CAY	2	5	JAN 25 1906	DEC 4 1914
Getzville	ERI	2	2	NOV 3 1909	
Glasco	ULS	2	5	SEP 18 1905	JUN 3 1909
Glen Eyrie	WAS	3	1	JUL 15 1907	AUG 29 1921
Glenco Mills	COL	3	1	APR 7 1906	JAN 20 1915
Glenmore	ONE	2	2	DEC 21 1904	APR 8 1916
Glens Falls	WAR	2	4	JUL 13 1907	
Glenspey	SUL	2	4	JAN 15 1908	OCT 20 1909
Glenwood 2	ERI	2	3	MAR 18 1907	FEB 26 1909
Glenwood 3	ERI	3	3	DEC 29 1909	
Goldenbridge	WES	3	5	AUG 13 1906	OCT 4 1906
Gouverneur	SAI	2	1	FEB 7 1909	SEP 27 1910
Grafton 2	REN	2	3	JUL 12 1907	SEP 19 1918
Grafton 3	REN	3	3	SEP 20 1912	
Granite	ULS	3	1	MAY 1 1908	JUN 14 1912
Grapeville	GRE	2	2	JUL 31 1905	AUG 14 1907
Gravesville	HER	3	1	JUL 27 1907	JUN 5 1913
Gray	HER	2	2	JAN 8 1906	JUL 6 1907
Great Bend	JEF	3	3	APR 6 1906	JUL 6 1914
Green Ridge	RIC	2	1	JUL 18 1905	
Greenfield Center 1	SAR	1	2	AUG 24 1905	SEP 5 1905
Greenfield Center 3	SAR	3	2	AUG 20 1906	DEC 27 1915
Greenville Center	GRE	2	2	AUG 28 1906	APR 18 1908
Greenwood	STE	3	5	SEP 27 1907	DEC 19 1907
Greig	LEW	3	●	MAR 14 1912	
Grindstone	JEF	2	2	AUG 19 1907	APR 6 1909

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Grooville	SUL	3	2	JAN 28 1907	JUL 16 1912
Haillesboro	SAI	2	3	OCT 14 1904	OCT 30 1909
Halcottsville	DEL	1	3	SEP 2 1905	NOV 17 1906
Halfmoon	SAR	3	2	JUL 2 1907	JUL 20 1909
Halsey Valley	TIO	2	3	JUL 5 1905	DEC 19 1912
Hamlin	MNR	1	3	JUL 6 1907	
Harford Mills	COR	3	3	DEC 15 1911	APR 20 1915
Harriettstown	FRA	1	2	JUL 27 1906	JUL 4 1910
Hasbrouck	SUL	1	1	AUG 3 1906	AUG 28 1907
Hauptpaug	SUF	2	3	DEC 25 1905	JUL 5 1909
Hawkeye	CLJ	2	1	JUL 27 1907	AUG 8 1910
Hawkinsville	ONE	3	2	AUG 8 1906	JAN 9 1911
Hector	SCU	2	4	SEP 1 1905	MAR 30 1918
Henrietta	MNR	2	4	FEB 1 1905	JAN 20 1915
Herring	JEF	2	2	JAN 9 1907	DEC 25 1911
Hinnansville	OSW	2	●	MAY 29 1906	
Hollywood	SAI	2	1	JAN 7 1907	JUL 31 1911
Holmesville	CHN	2	2	JUL 23 1906	JUL 25 1907
Hope	HAM	2	1	OCT 24 1906	JUN 26 1907
Horicon	WAR	2	3	MAR 10 1906	MAR 4 1909
Horseshoe 1	SAI	1	2	SEP 8 1905	FEB 21 1906
Horseshoe 3	SAI	3	4	JAN 2 1906	JUN 26 1906
Horton	DEL	3	3	JAN 5 1906	DEC 7 1909
Howard	STE	2	3	MAY 29 1908	
Howells	ORG	2	4	JUL 29 1905	JUL 5 1909
Howes	BRO	2	1	OCT 15 1906	MAR 21 1910
Hughsonville	DUT	3	4	MAR 26 1906	JUN 8 1908
Humphrey 2	CAT	2	2	● ● 1906	FEB 8 1910
Humphrey 3	CAT	3	●	JAN 21 1909	

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Humphrey Center	CAT	3	2	AUG 9 1911	DEC 30 1913
Hunts Corners	COR	2	●	APR 18 1905	
Hurricane	ESS	3	4	JUL 8 1908	AUG 22 1908
Hynds ville 2	SCO	2	3	OCT ● 1905	DEC 19 1906
Hynds ville 3	SCO	3	●	JAN 4 1909	
Independence	ALL	3	1	APR 17 1909	
Indian Falls 2	GEN	2	2	AUG 19 1907	NOV 27 1911
Indian Falls 3	GEN	3	2	APR 23 1910	
Ira	CAY	2	3	SEP 7 1908	APR 1 1909
Ironville	ESS	2	2	OCT 14 1905	JUN 28 1909
Iroquois	ERI	2	3	FEB 2 1907	SEP 22 1909
Jackson Corners	DUT	2	2	APR 5 1906	DEC 29 1911
Jerome	SCO	2	1	APR 14 1906	AUG 3 1909
Jerusalem 2	ALB	2	2	JAN 31 1906	
Jerusalem 3	ALB	3	2	NOV 3 1906	JAN 3 1909
Kalurah	SAI	2	1	APR 28 1904	JUN 3 1910
Kempton	FRA	3	1	NOV 21 1905	AUG 3 1908
Kenmore 2	ERI	2	3	● ● 1906	APR 17 1908
Kenmore 3	ERI	3	2	● ● 1910	
Kerhonkson	ULS	3	5	FEB 7 1906	SEP 13 1913
Ketchums Corners	SAR	2	2	JUN 18 1906	APR 5 1909
Keuka 2	STE	3	2	OCT 1 1906	AUG 21 1909
Keuka 4	STE	3	4	JUL 11 1911	
Kidders	SEN	2	2	● ● 1906	FEB 13 1913
Killawog	BRO	2	3	JUN 28 1906	JUN 15 1912
Kirkwood	BRO	3	2	AUG 18 1906	OCT 1 1908
Kitchawan	WES	3	3	APR 13 1910	SEP 1 1915
Knapp Creek 1	CAT	1	3	FEB 14 1906	OCT 25 1909
Knapp Creek 2	CAT	2	●	FEB 8 1912	JUL 3 1913

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Kortright	DEL	3	2	SEP 25 1906	DEC 23 1915
Kyserike	ULS	2	1	AUG 22 1905	APR 25 1913
Lackawack	ULS	3	3	JUL 7 1906	APR 10 1909
Lagrangeville	DUT	2	3	MAR 10 1905	MAR 3 1908
Lake 2	ORG	2	2	JUL 29 1906	
Lake 3	ORG	3	3	JUN 20 1907	
Lake Clear	FRA	2	1	AUG 25 1907	SEP 9 1907
Lake George Assembly	WAR	3	4	AUG 27 1905	AUG 23 1910
Lake Grove	SUF	3	4	AUG 4 1906	SEP 25 1906
Lake Hill	ULS	3	2	DEC 21 1906	SEP 23 1908
Lake Kushaqua 2	FRA	2	1	DEC 22 1905	SEP 26 1908
Lake Kushaqua 3	FRA	3	1	NOV 10 1908	
Lake Placid Club 2	ESS	2	4	SEP 23 1905	OCT 18 1908
Lake Placid Club 3	ESS	3	4	AUG 5 1907	AUG 1 1908
Lake Pleasant	HAM	3	●	JUL 20 1906	
Lake Ronkonkoma	SUF	2	1	Apr 25 1907	DEC 28 1907
Lake View	ERI	2	●	SEP 21 1908	
Lamson	OMO	2	2	NOV 8 1907	SEP 4 1909
Larkfield	SUF	3	6	AUG 23 1907	APR 8 1908
Lava	SUL	2	1	AUG 25 1910	AUG 10 1911
Lawyersville	SCO	2	2	NOV 10 1905	SEP 2 1912
Leedsville	DUT	2	2	OCT 18 1905	MAY 29 1909
Lefever Falls	ULS	2	1	MAR 27 1906	JUL 7 1911
Lincoln	WAY	2	2	JUL 8 1904	OCT 5 1907
Linlithgo	COL	3	3	DEC 5 1906	AUG 26 1907
Linoleumville	RIC	2	5	SEP 25 1906	DEC 25 1907
Little Britain	ORG	3	3	DEC 22 1906	SEP 12 1910
Little York	COR	3	3	MAY 14 1906	SEP 1 1909
Livingston Manor	SUL	3	15	SEP 19 1906	DEC 11 1907

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Lobdell	CLI	2	1	NOV 19 1907	APR 10 1912
Lock Berlin	WAY	2	2	FEB 18 1905	JUN 26 1916
Lockwood	TIO	2	4	SEP 2 1903	NOV 23 1909
Longbow	SAI	1	1	OCT 7 1907	DEC 14 1909
Longyear	ULS	2	3	APR 22 1905	JUN 25 1909
Louisville Landing	SAI	3	2	FEB 12 1909	DEC 20 1911
Lowman	CHM	2	2	JAN 12 1905	AUG 4 1910
Mabbettsville	DUT	1	2	JUN 6 1903	AUG 17 1903
Macedon Center	WAY	3	3	MAR 26 1910	DEC 21 1910
Machias Junction	CAT	3	3	NOV 21 1907	JUN 27 1908
Mallory	OSW	3	●	OCT 6 1909	
Malta	SAR	2	1	FEB 28 1906	DEC 1 1906
Maltaville	SAR	2	1	SEP 6 1905	NOV 28 1908
Maple Springs	CHA	3	●	AUG 7 1908	
Maplewood	SUL	3	3	JUL 17 1906	DEC 22 1909
Mariposa	CHN	3	1	AUG 30 1907	DEC 13 1910
McColloms	FRA	3	1	JUN 30 1906	AUG 15 1913
McLean	TOM	3	5	JUN 5 1907	APR 6 1912
Meadowbrook	ORG	3	3	JAN 29 1907	MAY 12 1911
Medusa	ALB	2	3	OCT 18 1905	MAY 12 1909
Mendon 2	MNR	2	4	AUG 6 1906	FEB 13 1912
Mendon 3	MNR	3	4	JUL 10 1912	
Meridian	CAY	●	●	NOV 28 1911	
Merrick	NAS	3	4	AUG 24 1907	JAN 13 1910
Merrickville	DEL	2	2	APR 14 1906	JUL 13 1908
Merrillsville	MAD	2	1	APR 17 1907	
Mertensia	ONT	3	1	JAN 6 1911	DEC 24 1912
Messengersville	COR	2	1	JUL 5 1906	MAY 1 1908
Middlefield	OTS	2	3	NOV 1 1905	APR 15 1909

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Millwood	WES	2	2	SEP 21 1904	SEP 19 1908
Mineral Springs	SCO	3	2	APR 9 1906	DEC 26 1911
Minerva	ESS	3	3	MAY 4 1907	JUL 15 1913
Moffitsville	CLI	2	2	AUG 11 1906	JUN 30 1908
Moir	FRA	3	9	OCT 8 1906	JUN 20 1911
Mongaup Valley	SUL	2	3	JUN 5 1905	MAY 13 1909
Monterey	SCU	2	●	DEC 24 1907	
Moodna	ORG	2	1	JUN 5 1906	
Moore Mill	DUT	2	3	SEP 20 1904	JUN 8 1907
Morehouseville	HAM	3	3	AUG 13 1906	JUL 31 1911
Moriah	ESS	3	9	MAY 1 1909	
Mount Hope	WES	2	●	FEB 11 1908	
Mount Ivy	ROC	3	2	APR 14 1906	MAY 1 1911
Mount Lebanon	COL	3	3	SEP 17 1906	AUG 9 1910
Mount Marion	ULS	3	3	SEP 3 1906	AUG 11 1911
Mount Riga	DUT	3	2	DEC 21 1909	
Mount Ross	DUT	3	2	MAY 20 1908	MAR 11 1914
Mount Vision	OTS	●	●	AUG 4 1909	
Mountainview	FRA	2	2	AUG 12 1905	AUG 24 1907
Mountainville	ORG	2	●	JUN 21 1907	
Murray Isle	JEF	3	2	AUG 19 1906	AUG 27 1910
Napoli	CAT	2	3	DEC 3 1904	FEB 15 1908
Natural Dam	SAI	3	4	JUL 9 1908	APR 6 1912
Nelliston 2	MNT	2	4	OCT 3 1908	
Nelliston 3	MNT	3	4	JUL 20 1906	APR 13 1908
New Baltimore Station 3	GRE	3	3	FEB 8 1908	
New Baltimore Station 2	GRE	2	3	SEP 20 1906	APR 15 1908
New Baltimore	GRE	1	3	JAN 9 1908	

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New Bridge	SAI	3	1	FEB 14 1908	AUG 19 1908
New Hackensack	DUT	2	3	SEP 1 1905	JUL 15 1925
New Hampton	ORG	2	3	AUG 25 1905	OCT 3 1906
New Lebanon Center	COL	1	2	AUG 4 1905	AUG 14 1908
New Lisbon	OTS	2	2	APR 12 1906	JUN 9 1910
New Milford	ORG	3	3	SEP 27 1906	JUL 4 1911
Newcomb	ESS	3	●	MAY 21 1907	
Neweiden	SUL	2	2	FEB 27 1905	JAN ● 1912
Newtonville	ALB	2	1	AUG 27 1906	APR 8 1913
Nile	ALL	3	●	OCT 28 1907	
Niobe 2	CHA	2	3	JUL 30 1906	APR 15 1908
Niobe 3	CHA	3	3	FEB 7 1908	
Niskayuna	SCE	3	3	JUL 30 1908	AUG 10 1908
Normansville	ALB	3	4	MAR 6 1905	
North Argyle	WAS	3	2	SEP 3 1906	
North Bay	ONE	2	3	MAY 8 1905	FEB ● 1907
North Bolton	WAR	3	1	AUG 7 1906	
North Boston	ERI	1	2	DEC 31 1906	DEC 25 1908
North Clymer	CHA	3	4	DEC 25 1905	MAY 2 1911
North Greenwiche	REN	2	1	AUG 16 1905	
North Hoosick	REN	2	3	JAN 2 1905	AUG 16 1907
North Hudson	ESS	3	2	NOV 12 1906	APR 16 1907
North Lansing	TOM	2	2	JAN 27 1908	OCT 7 1910
North Lawrence	SAI	3	●	MAR 22 1908	
North Manlius	ONO	3	3	OCT 15 1906	
North River	WAR	3	●	APR 12 1912	
North Rush	MNR	3	2	DEC 13 1907	NOV 30 1908
North Sanford	BRO	2	2	JUL 13 1907	DEC 15 1908
North Spencer 2	TIO	2	2	FEB 14 1908	DEC 23 1911

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North Spencer 3	TIO	2	3	JUN 15 1910	
North Stockholm	SAI	2	3	JUN 8 1905	MAY 4 1909
North Western	ONE	2	2	MAY 7 1906	FEB 21 1907
Northampton	FUL	3	3	SEP 4 1907	DEC 23 1911
Northwood 2	HER	2	2	OCT 30 1905	MAY 15 1913
Northwood 3	HER	2	3	● 1907	DEC 21 1911
Nyando	SAI	3	2	JUN 4 1906	MAY 3 1909
Oakbeach	SUF	3	●	AUG 21 1908	
Oaks Corners	ONT	3	3	APR 18 1907	APR 3 1919
Ohio	HER	2	2	SEP 12 1906	AUG 30 1909
Old Chatham	COL	2	4	MAR 11 1905	APR 5 1912
Old Westbury	NAS	2	5	SEP 23 1905	APR 19 1913
Olivera	ULS	3	2	JUL 26 1906	OCT 15 1908
Onchiota	FRA	3	2	APR 18 1906	JAN 19 1912
Ontario Center	WAY	1	3	SEP 27 1906	
Oquaga Lake	BRO	3	3	JUL 25 1906	SEP 21 1908
Orangeburg	ROC	3	●	AUG 17 1907	
Orleans	ONT	2	3	OCT 23 1905	DEC 23 1909
Oscawana	WES	3	2	JUL 29 1907	DEC 23 191●
Oswegatchie	SAI	2	5	JUL 15 1905	JAN 9 1907
Otselic	CHN	1	2	SEP 7 1907	JUN 25 1909
Otterlake 2	ONE	2	2	SEP 4 1906	
Otterlake 3	ONE	3	2	AUG 13 1906	AUG 27 1909
Ovid Center	SEN	2	2	APR 17 1906	SEP 9 1909
Owasco	CAY	2	3	FEB 17 1904	APR 23 1909
Owlshhead	FRA	2	3	NOV 21 1905	MAY 12 1908
Panama	CHA	3	5	MAR 22 1907	FEB 20 1911
Parksville	SUL	2	5	● 1905	AUG 18 1910
Pattens Mills	WAS	2	4	JUL 18 1906	

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Pattersonville	SCE	2	3	AUG 27 1906	MAR 28 1907
Peekamose	ULS	2	2	AUG 2 1909	DEC 16 1910
Pelham	WES	2	2	DEC 22 1908	
Pembroke 2	GEN	2	3	FEB 27 1907	JUL 30 1908
Pembroke 3	GEN	3	3	JAN 9 1908	SEP 16 1908
Pennellville	OSW	3	2	APR 16 1908	SEP 16 1910
Pepacton	DEL	3	1	AUG 10 1907	MAY 31 1912
Perch River	JEF	2	2	DEC 22 1905	JUN 29 1911
Perry Center	WYO	2	3	NOV 20 1905	JUN 4 1909
Phillips Creek	ALL	3	1	JUL 12 1907	
Phillipsport	SUL	3	3	AUG 16 1906	SEP 4 1907
Phoenix Mills	OTS	2	4	JUN 5 1905	DEC 11 1911
Pierrepont Manor	JEF	2	5	NOV 17 1905	JUL 3 1907
Piffard	LIV	2	3	JUN 18 1906	MAY 3 1910
Pikeville	ALL	2	●	DEC 24 1907	OCT 28 1909
Pinelake	FUL	2	2	SEP 2 1905	AUG 3 1912
Pinnacle	FUL	2	1	AUG 1 1906	MAY 10 1909
Pitcher	CHN	2	3	AUG 16 1904	AUG 21 1906
Plainville	ONO	2	3	NOV 22 1904	APR 14 1906
Plattekill	ULS	3	3	MAY 5 1906	AUG 9 1911
Pleasantville 2	WES	2	4	JUN 5 1905	SEP 29 1909
Pleasantville 3	WES	3	4	MAR 11 1912	
Plymouth	CHN	3	2	SEP 17 1905	SEP 6 1909
Pocantico Hills	WES	3	5	DEC 24 1907	AUG 5 1911
Poelsburg	COL	3	1	MAR 29 1906	JAN 29 1907
Point Lookout	NAS	3	1	AUG 13 1906	AUG 29 1910
Point Rock	ONE	3	2	SEP 27 1906	APR 1 1908
Point Vivian 2	JEF	3	2	AUG 28 1914	
Point Vivian 4	JEF	3	4	AUG 16 1906	AUG 7 1912

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Richland 2	OSW	2	5	NOV 15 1906	DEC 22 1909
Richland 3	OSW	3	6	MAR 11 1910	
Riparius	WAR	2	3	AUG 27 1906	JUL 21 1909
Riseleys	ULS	3	1	JUL 25 1906	AUG 20 1906
Rochester Junction	MNR	2	•	JUL 3 1907	
Rockdale	CHN	2	•	OCT 30 1905	OCT 22 1909
Rockland	SUL	3	•	AUG 1 1906	
Rockville	ALL	2	1	MAY 31 1906	DEC 28 1910
Rockwells Mills	CHN	2	3	DEC 23 1904	AUG 6 1912
Rockwood	FUL	2	2	FEB 15 1907	DEC 14 1909
Roscoe	SUL	3	10	NOV 1 1905	SEP 19 1907
Rose 1	WAY	1	•	MAY 29 1908	
Rose 3	WAY	3	5	AUG 22 1907	FEB 13 1911
Roseboom	OTS	2	3	NOV 21 1906	SEP 14 1910
Roslyn 2	NAS	2	17	AUG 8 1905	SEP 17 1906
Roslyn 3	NAS	3	18	MAR 13 1906	NOV 7 1907
Roszburg	ALL	2	2	APR 9 1907	APR 1 1910
Rossie	SAI	2	3	AUG 12 1905	AUG 14 1909
Rudeston	HAM	1	•	JUN 14 1905	
Russia	HER	1	2	SEP 18 1903	SEP 6 1925
Ruth	SCO	2	1	AUG 24 1907	DEC 20 1907
Sabael	HAM	2	1	AUG 17 1905	OCT 8 1912
Sabattis	HAM	2	4	SEP 11 1905	AUG 30 1906
Sacandaga Park	FUL	3	3	AUG 17 1905	AUG 10 1907
Sagamore 2	WAR	2	3	JUL 8 1905	AUG 21 1905
Sagamore 3	WAR	3	3	AUG 17 1906	AUG 12 1910
Sgaponack	SUF	3	4	DEC 20 1905	AUG 3 1906
Saint Johns	ROC	2	•	JUL 10 1908	
Salisbury	HER	2	2	AUG 3 1905	APR 16 1908

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Pomona 1	ROC	2	1	DEC 6 1906	
Pomona 3	ROC	2	3	AUG 23 1906	JUL 6 1908
Pond Eddy	SUL	3	2	FEB 21 1908	
Ponds	MNR	3	1	JUL 19 1906	JUL 27 1908
Pope Mills	SAI	2	2	SEP 27 1907	JAN 12 1911
Port Dickinson	BRO	3	•	NOV 11 1910	
Poughquag	DUT	1	3	MAR 15 1905	OCT 19 1905
Presho	STE	2	2	MAY 28 1906	MAR 29 1913
Preston	CHN	3	1	NOV 13 1906	OCT 24 1911
Protection	ERI	2	3	JAN 22 1907	
Purdy Station	WES	2	5	AUG 5 1905	FEB 4 1908
Purling	GRE	3	5	AUG 22 1906	AUG 27 1911
Putnam Station	WAS	2	2	AUG 18 1905	FEB 28 1908
Rainbow Lake	FRA	2	2	JUL 23 1905	JAN 18 1913
Ramapo	ROC	3	4	AUG 24 1906	MAY • 1910
Ramblersville	QUE	3	1	MAR 30 1908	AUG 9 1909
Randall	MNT	2	3	OCT 5 1905	NOV 13 1906
Raybrook	ESS	3	5	JAN 16 1907	MAR 6 1907
Raymondville	SAI	2	5	JUL 13 1907	OCT • 1908
Rayville	COL	3	1	JUL 2 1906	AUG 7 1911
Reber	ESS	3	2	JUL 30 1906	JAN 18 1909
Redfield	OSW	2	3	SEP 13 1905	FEB 20 1913
Redford	CLI	3	4	OCT 12 1906	APR 15 1909
Remsenburg	SUF	2	3	SEP 15 1905	JUL 22 1907
Rensselaer	REN	3	1	AUG 13 1906	SEP 7 1906
Retsof	LIV	2	5	SEP 8 1906	
Rexville	STE	3	3	AUG 11 1909	
Rexville	STE	3	3	SEP 6 1907	AUG 11 1909
Rices	JEF	3	1	AUG 21 1908	JUL 20 1912

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Salisbury Center	HER	3	●	OCT 23 1911	
Salt Springville	OTS	3	2	JAN 8 1907	APR 11 1911
Sand Lake	REN	3	3	DEC 23 1905	JUN 3 1919
Sanford Corners	JEF	3	2	SEP 6 1906	FEB 17 1909
Saranac	CLI	2	5	OCT 4 1905	● ● 1919
Schroon River	ESS	2	1	SEP 8 1906	JUN 4 1907
Sciota	CLI	2	2	SEP 28 1907	JUN 21 1910
Scotchbush	MNT	1	1	MAR 28 1907	
Scotchtown	ORG	3	1	AUG 11 1906	JUL 11 1907
Scott	COR	2	3	FEB 13 1906	NOV 30 1910
Scottsburg	LIV	3	3	MAY 13 1907	JAN 19 1911
Seaford	QUE	3	5	NOV 8 1906	DEC 21 1912
Seneca	ONT	3	5	FEB 21 1907	OCT 17 1907
Severance	ESS	2	2	AUG 31 1905	SEP 18 1913
Sheds	MAD	2	2	JUL 20 1907	DEC 31 1909
Sheldrake	SEN	2	3	AUG 10 1905	JUN 1 1908
Sheridan	CHA	2	4	APR 8 1909	AUG 16 1912
Shinnecock 2	SUF	2	2	SEP 1 1906	SEP 27 1916
Shinnecock 3	SUF	3	2	SEP 1 1906	JUL 3 1908
Shokan	ULS	3	4	JUN 20 1907	APR 8 1909
Shoreham	SUF	3	3	JUL 15 1907	SEP 10 1908
Silver Bay	WAR	3	●	JUL 28 1908	
Silver Lake Assembly	WYO	2	3	JUL 15 1905	AUG 26 1907
Silvernails	COL	2	3	MAR 24 1904	JAN 26 1912
Skaneateles Falls	ONO	3	5	FEB 14 1907	
Slate Hill	ORG	3	3	APR 12 1906	AUG 2 1912
Slide Mountain	ULS	3	2	JUL 30 1907	
Smithboro	TIO	3	3	NOV 14 1906	DEC 28 1910
Smiths Basin 2	WAS	2	3	AUG 28 1905	SEP 25 1908

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Smiths Basin 3	WAS	3	3	SEP 24 1908	MAR 21 1919
Smiths Landing	GRE	2	●	SEP 11 1905	
Smithtown	SUF	2	4	JUL 25 1905	FEB 7 1907
Smithville Flats	CHN	2	5	JUL 7 1906	NOV 14 1912
Sodus Center	WAY	2	3	DEC 22 1905	SEP 22 1909
Solon	COR	2	2	APR 19 1907	SEP 18 1909
South Apalachin	TIO	2	1	DEC 22 1906	JUN 30 1910
South Bethlehem	ALB	3	●	SEP 13 1911	
South Bombay	FRA	2	1	JUL 17 1905	FEB 24 1906
South Columbia	HER	3	3	FEB 13 1907	JUN 26 1909
South Dover	DUT	1	1	JAN 6 1909	DEC 24 1910
South Durham	GRE	3	2	AUG 30 1906	MAY 14 1913
South Edmeston	OTS	3	4	MAY 26 1906	MAR 11 1911
South Gilboa	SCO	2	2	NOV 3 1905	JUL 2 1910
South Granby	OSW	2	2	JUL 9 1906	DEC 23 1909
South Hammond	SAI	2	3	JUN 5 1907	MAY 6 1908
South Hartford	WAS	3	●	OCT 9 1912	
South Haven	SUF	3	2	APR 9 1906	OCT 26 1906
South Horicon 2	WAR	2	2	DEC 26 1907	DEC 28 1907
South Horicon 3	WAR	3	●	MAY 2 1910	
South Jefferson	SCO	2	1	JAN 29 1907	JUL 1 1910
South Lima	LIV	2	3	AUG 2 1906	JAN 23 1909
South Livonia	LIV	3	3	JAN 16 1908	APR 5 1910
South Millbrook	DUT	2	4	MAY 22 1905	MAY 19 1911
South Oxford	CHN	2	3	JAN 14 1907	SEP 13 1910
South Schodack	REN	2	2	DEC 3 1907	JUL 28 1908
South Schroon	ESS	2	2	AUG 28 1905	OCT 15 1910
South Wales	ERI	3	3	DEC 24 1907	DEC 23 1912
Sparrow Bush	ORG	2	3	JUL 7 1904	SEP 18 1908

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Thomson	WAS	2	2	DEC 5 1907	MAY 3 1909
Tiooga Center	TIO	2	4	MAY 1 1906	AUG 27 1912
Tiona	BRO	2	1	AUG 24 1906	APR 7 1908
Toddsville	OTS	2	2	AUG 10 1907	NOV 28 1911
Tompkins Corners	PUT	2	1	JUL 28 1906	MAY 20 1907
Town Line	ERI	2	3	MAY 4 1907	APR 6 1912
Towners	PUT	3	4	MAY 2 1907	SEP 3 1907
Tribes Hill 2	MNT	2	3	SEP 25 1905	OCT 14 1908
Tribes Hill 3	MNT	3	3	JAN 14 1906	SEP 7 1907
Trout Creek	DEL	2	3	OCT 16 1906	SEP 2 1907
Trudeau 2	ESS	2	1	MAR 4 1904	JAN 15 1908
Trudeau 3	ESS	3	2	JAN 12 1906	JUL 12 1907
Tunesassa	CAT	2	3	JUN 19 1905	OCT 8 1908
Tyrone	SCU	3	3	AUG 11 1906	JUL 20 1907
Unadilla Forks	OTS	3	4	SEP 6 1906	DEC 23 1911
Undercliff 2	ESS	2	2	AUG 26 1904	MAR 15 1906
Undercliff 3	ESS	3	2	AUG 16 1909	AUG 4 1911
Union Society	GRE	3	2	SEP 12 1906	MAY 18 1910
Upper Lisle	BRO	2	3	NOV 15 1905	APR 12 1906
Upper Red Hook	DUT	2	3	JUL 7 1904	DEC 26 1911
Upper Saint Regis 1	FRA	2	1	AUG 21 1905	SEP 12 1906
Upper Saint Regis 3	FRA	2	3	AUG 20 1906	
Uriton	GRE	3	4	JUL 30 1906	AUG 23 1907
Ushers	SAR	2	1	DEC 31 1908	JUL 18 1912
Valley Stream 2	NAS	2	●	AUG 23 1906	
Valley Stream 3	NAS	3	5	AUG 25 1906	AUG 15 1910
Verona	ONE	3	6	AUG 26 1907	NOV 29 1909
Verona Station	ONE	2	2	SEP 2 1904	AUG 13 1906
Versailles	CAT	1	1	FEB 4 1905	SEP 14 1906

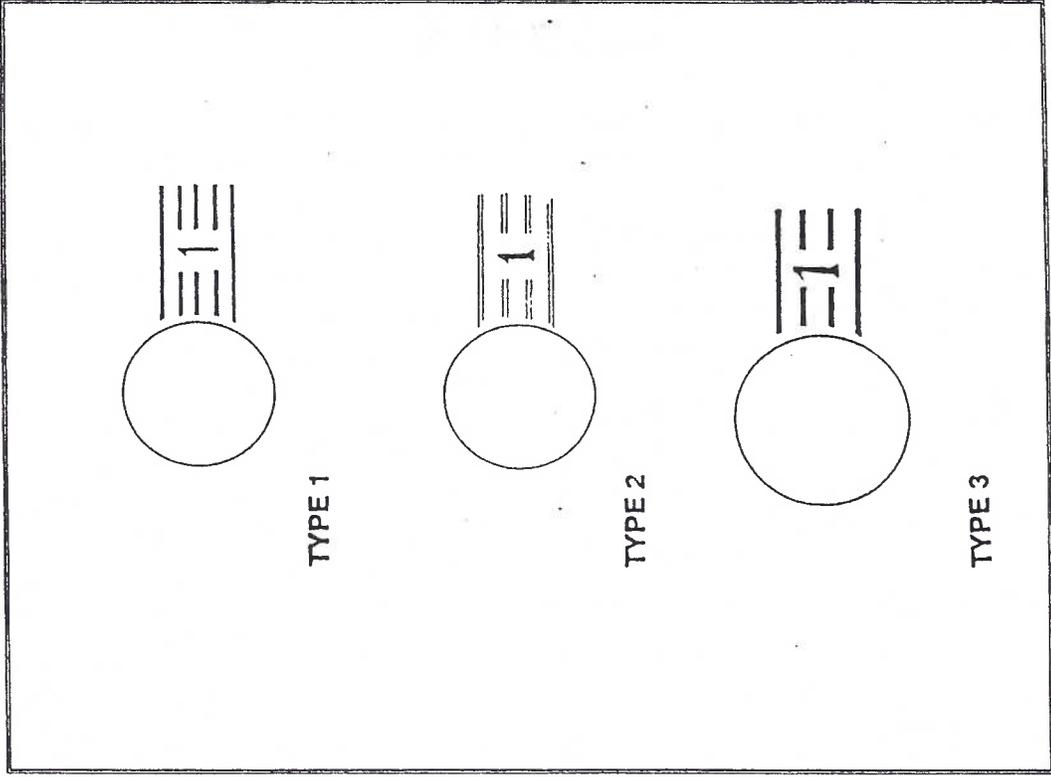
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Sprakers	MNT	3	5	MAY 4 1906	OCT 10 1911
Spring Mills 2	ALL	2	2	JUN 11 1906	APR 7 1914
Spring Mills 3	ALL	3	2	JAN 8 1909	OCT 21 1909
Springglen	ULS	3	3	APR 12 1906	AUG ● 1906
Springs	SUF	2	3	JUL 10 1906	MAY 20 1910
St. Bonaventure	CAT	3	●	SEP 23 1907	
Stella Niagara	NIA	2	●	JUN 27 1911	
Stephentown	REN	2	4	FEB 2 1906	JUN 4 1912
Stittville	ONE	2	●	JUL 24 1908	
Stockbridge	MAD	2	3	SEP 27 1906	DEC 30 1912
Stockport	COL	2	4	DEC 22 1905	OCT 4 1909
Stockwell	ONE	2	2	JUL 18 1907	AUG 9 1909
Stone Arabia	MNT	3	2	APR 23 1906	JAN 8 1907
Stoneco	DUT	2	3	AUG 20 1906	OCT 19 1908
Stony Ford 1	ORG	2	1	DEC 19 1910	APR 12 1912
Stony Ford 3	ORG	2	3	DEC 30 1905	OCT 18 1909
Stormville	DUT	3	3	MAY 7 1906	AUG 19 1918
Streetroad	ESS	2	2	FEB 26 1906	SEP 7 1909
Strykersville	WYO	3	3	OCT 10 1906	SEP 4 1908
Stuyvesant Falls	COL	2	4	AUG 21 1905	JAN 2 1908
Summitville	SUL	3	4	MAR 22 1907	AUG 18 1909
Surprise	GRE	2	1	AUG 1 1906	AUG 25 1909
Suydam	COL	2	1	OCT 6 1906	DEC 20 1910
Swartwood	CHM	3	2	NOV 21 1906	JUL 30 1907
Swormville	ERI	2	4	OCT 16 1907	JAN 11 1909
Taberg	ONE	3	4	MAR 19 1907	NOV 14 1907
Talcville	SAI	2	2	JUL 24 1906	JUN 26 1931
The Corner	ULS	3	3	FEB 22 1907	AUG 17 1907
Thompson Ridge	ORG	3	2	JUL 19 1906	FEB 26 1907

POST OFFICE	CO	TYP	NUM	EARLIEST	LATEST
Vestal Center	BRO	3	2	APR 16 1908	DEC 22 1913
Vienna 3	ONE	3	3	SEP 5 1907	SEP 17 1909
Vienna 4	ONE	3	4	JAN 10 1910	
Vineyard	CHA	2	3	DEC 16 1904	
Vintonton	SCO	1	1	JUN 12 1907	APR 19 1910
Virgil	COR	1	1	MAY 11 1907	MAY 14 1907
Wadhams	ESS	3	3	JUN 7 1906	JUL 31 1909
Wading River	SUF	2	4	DEC 20 1905	JUN 12 1909
Waits	TIO	2	1	MAY 30 1906	DEC 28 1911
Wales	ERI	2	2	DEC 25 1907	MAR 3 1910
Wales Center	ERI	2	3	OCT 29 1906	
Wallace	STE	2	4	SEP 20 1907	AUG 6 1912
Wampsville	MAD	2	2	JAN 4 1909	MAR 24 1910
Wardenclyffe	SUF	3	3	AUG 24 1905	
Water Valley	ERI	2	1	MAR 30 1907	AUG 18 1910
Webatuck	DUT	3	2	MAR 28 1906	OCT 25 1906
Webster Station	MAD	2	2	AUG 1 1906	DEC 25 1907
Wedgewood	SCU	2	1	SEP 14 1904	
Wellsburg	CHM	2	5	SEP 12 1905	MAY 16 1910
West Bergen 2	GEN	2	1	APR 22 1906	FEB 11 1910
West Bergen 3	GEN	3	1	JUN 13 1916	
West Branch	ONE	3	2	MAY 12 1906	DEC 24 1916
West Burlington	OTS	2	2	MAR 22 1907	NOV 12 1912
West Camden	ONE	3	3	SEP 10 1906	SEP 4 1907
West Candor	TIO	3	1	JAN 31 1908	FEB 13 1910
West Conesville	SCO	2	1	● 1906	DEC 28 1911
West Danby	TOM	2	3	MAY 28 1906	JUN 19 1919
West Day	SAR	2	1	MAR 15 1907	JUL 28 1908
West Exeter	OTS	2	3	JUN 27 1908	DEC 10 1908

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West Galway	FUL	3	2	OCT 14 1905	APR 29 1910
West Henrietta	MNR	3	2	JUL 19 1906	AUG 22 1912
West Kendall	ORL	2	●	SEP 26 1908	
West Lebanon	COL	2	3	AUG 27 1907	SEP 5 1910
West Martinsburg 2	LEW	2	2	AUG 16 1907	DEC 23 1911
West Martinsburg 3	LEW	3	●	JUN 1 1912	
West Park	UTS	3	5	MAR 20 1906	MAR 28 1915
West Pierpont	SAI	3	2	JUN 30 1908	MAR 19 1909
West Saugerties	UTS	2	1	SEP 9 1904	AUG 25 1905
West Seneca	ERI	2	1	SEP 8 1904	APR 14 1906
West Side	WAR	3	1	JUL 22 1906	JUL 1 1919
West Union	STE	2	2	SEP 7 1907	FEB 3 1911
West Walworth	WAY	2	3	JUL 30 1906	OCT 27 1909
Westday	SAR	2	1	JUL 6 1908	
Westford	OTS	3	●	DEC 29 1906	JAN 13 1908
Westville Center	FRA	2	3	DEC 23 1903	AUG 22 1911
Wheeler	STE	1	2	NOV 22 1907	
Whippleville	FRA	2	2	MAR 8 1906	AUG 22 1911
White Lake Corners 3	ONE	3	●	APR 8 1914	AUG 14 1914
White Lake Corners 2	ONE	2	3	JUL 19 1905	AUG 3 1914
Whiteface	ESS	3	●	AUG 1 1908	
Whitesville	ALL	3	●	JUN 1 1908	
Willseyville	TIO	3	2	DEC 23 1911	
Wilmut	HER	2	2	APR 7 1906	JAN 22 1908
Wingdale	DUT	3	5	MAR 29 1906	DEC 16 1907
Winterton	SUL	2	2	SEP 28 1904	APR 13 1909
Wood	ORG	2	3	MAR 19 1908	
Woodbury	NAS	2	3	JUN 15 1906	DEC 4 1912

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Woodbury Falls	ORG	3	3	MAY 24 1906	JUL 11 1911
Woodford	DEL	3	1	FEB 13 1908	MAR 25 1910
Woodville	JEF	2	3	JUL 21 1911	MAR 19 1913
Worth	JEF	2	2	MAR 28 1907	AUG 11 1911
Wright 1	WAS	2	1	SEP 13 1905	JAN 10 1910
Wright 4	WAS	2	4	JUL 18 1908	JUL 7 1909
Wynantskill	REN	3	5	JUN 12 1907	AUG 15 1912
Yorktown	WES	3	●	FEB 24 1908	SEP 3 1910
Yulan 2	SUL	2	3	AUG 29 1905	JUL 31 1906
Yulan 3	SUL	3	3	JUN 11 1906	



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NEW YORK STATE ROUTES FAM #1 AND CAM 20

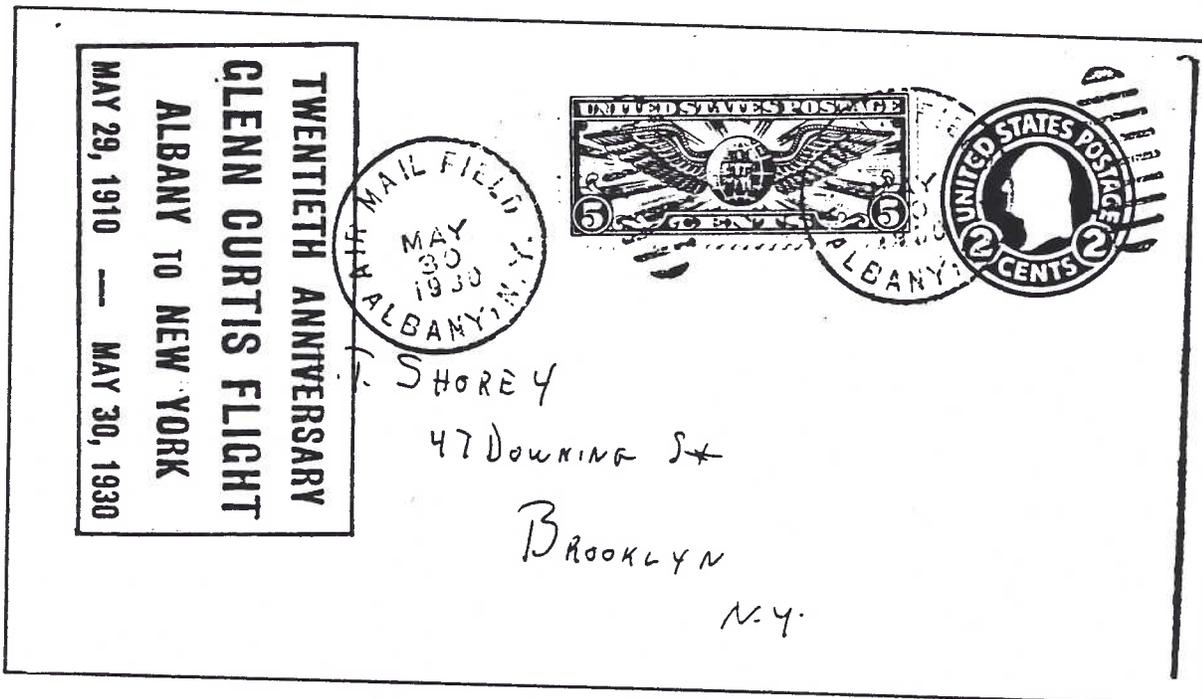
by Martin Margulis

Experimental flights, carrying mail were well under way by 1912. Some carried a lot of mail, but for only short distances. While, in theory, this showed that air mail was practical, it took the much improved technology brought about by World War I to make what was possible an actuality.

After the War surplus planes and pilots existed in abundance. Those with the right characteristics were put into use carrying both mail and passengers. By 1924 we find the start of large airlines which are still with us—American & United Airlines.

there was limited demand for the service. This is especially true as the passenger rode in an open cockpit.

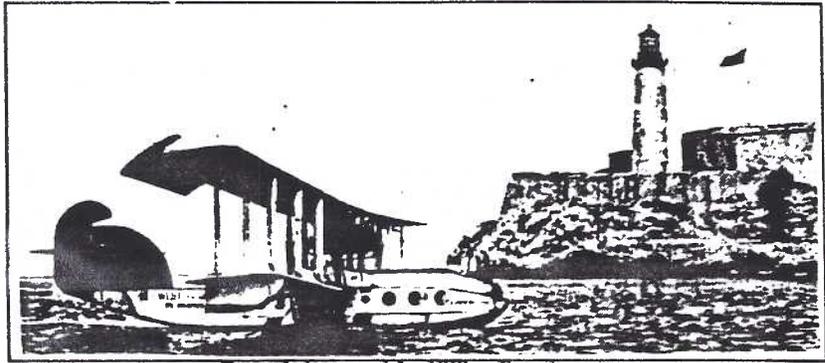
In 1922 and for part of 1923 Aeromarine Airlines had a New York City to Detroit special service. The planes, which had interior seating for passengers flew up the Hudson River Valley to Montreal with a stop at Albany. From Montreal it flew across (actually down the middle) of the Great Lakes (Lakes Erie and Ontario), to Buffalo to Detroit. It also offered sight seeing flights over Lake Erie. Unfortunately, the Airline had overexpanded



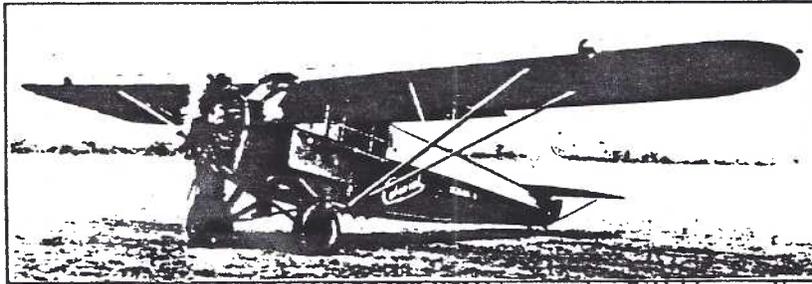
The first flight to Albany from New York City took place, with stops en route, on May 29-30, 1910. It carried no mail. Even after the war air speeds were slow, about 100 miles per hour, and the average speed including stops reduced this to 75 miles per hour. In as much as this was not a great improvement over the Twentieth Century Ltd. and not nearly as comfortable,

and ceased service in September 1923.

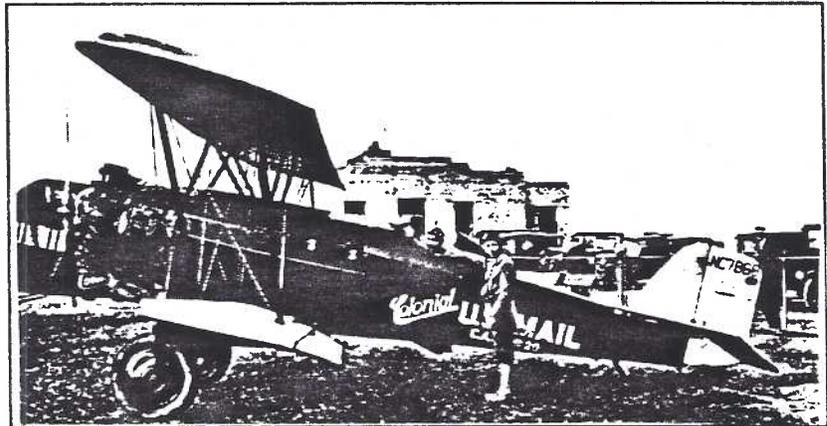
On December 17, 1927, Colonial Western Airways Inc. began passenger, mail and express service between Cleveland, Ohio and Albany, New York via Erie, Pennsylvania and Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Utica, and Schenectady, New York using Pitcairn PA-5 and mostly Fairchild FC-2 planes.



Type of plane used for NYC to Detroit route.



Canadian Colonial Airways' Fairchild FC-2W2 NC8004 was used on FAM-1 between New York and Montreal. (Smithsonian Institution)



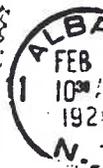
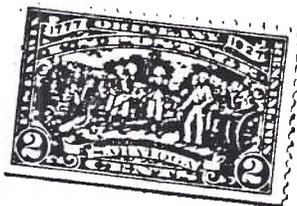
One of Colonial Western Airways' Pitcairn PA-5 Super-Mailwings which were used on the Mohawk Valley Cleveland—Albany route. (American Airlines)

The service at this time did not include New York City. However, on March 6, 1928, Canadian Colonial Airlines was organized to provide service from Montreal to New York City via Albany. The service began on October 1, 1928, New York City to Montreal. At first the return service stopped at Albany. The New York to Montreal service is designated as (FAM-1) Foreign Air Mail Route Number 1. The cross New York City and beyond service

was designated CAM 20. For the record the pilots for the FAM-1 flights were Billy Hughes, New York to Albany and Paul E. Reeder, Montreal to Albany and back.

On April 11, 1932 service was begun from Albany to New York City from Montreal.

Even though flight service from Cleveland to Albany started December 17 - 19, 1927, the inaugural service on CAM 20 began June 1, 1928. Most of the cities in



157 E 20th St
Albany, N.Y.

THIS LETTER
CARRIED BY AIRPLANE
FROM ALBANY
TO NEW YORK CITY

Chas. G. Riess,

Albany, N. Y.



*Chas. G. Riess,
116 Grove Ave.,
Albany, N. Y.*

(Albany to NY cachet - both sides) This service is not explained in AAMA catalogue Volume IV, but obviously took place.

the service are represented by covers except Syracuse. This is extremely embarrassing and I apologize. The covers which exist in the thousands are not difficult to obtain, though not in Texas. They are inexpensive

as are all the others in the series, the 'rarest' being Schenectady. Rome's name was added January 7, 1929 to be nice as it shared an airport with Utica which was on the original list.

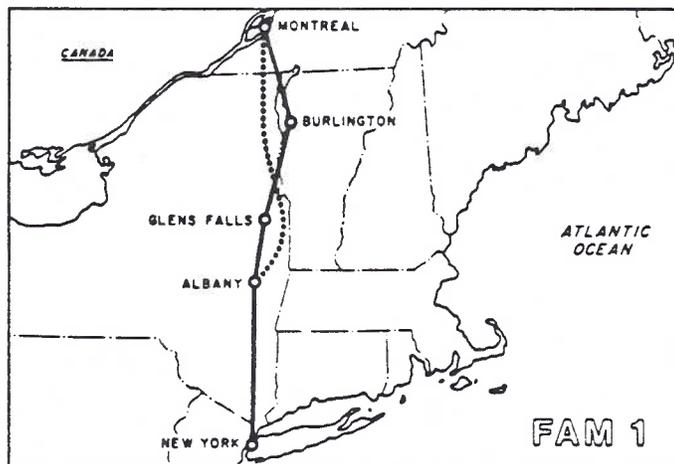
FOREIGN AIR MAIL ROUTE NO. 1

Inaugural Service: NEW YORK-MONTREAL, CANADA

October 1, 1928

Inaugural Contractor: CANADIAN COLONIAL AIRWAYS

Present Carrier: Eastern Air Lines (AM Route No. 72-F)



When this route was inaugurated, Albany was the only intermediate point. At Montreal connection was made with domestic Canadian service to the capital of Ottawa. At that time the return flight terminated at Albany where mail was forwarded by train or domestic U.S. air routes to destination.



Type F1a

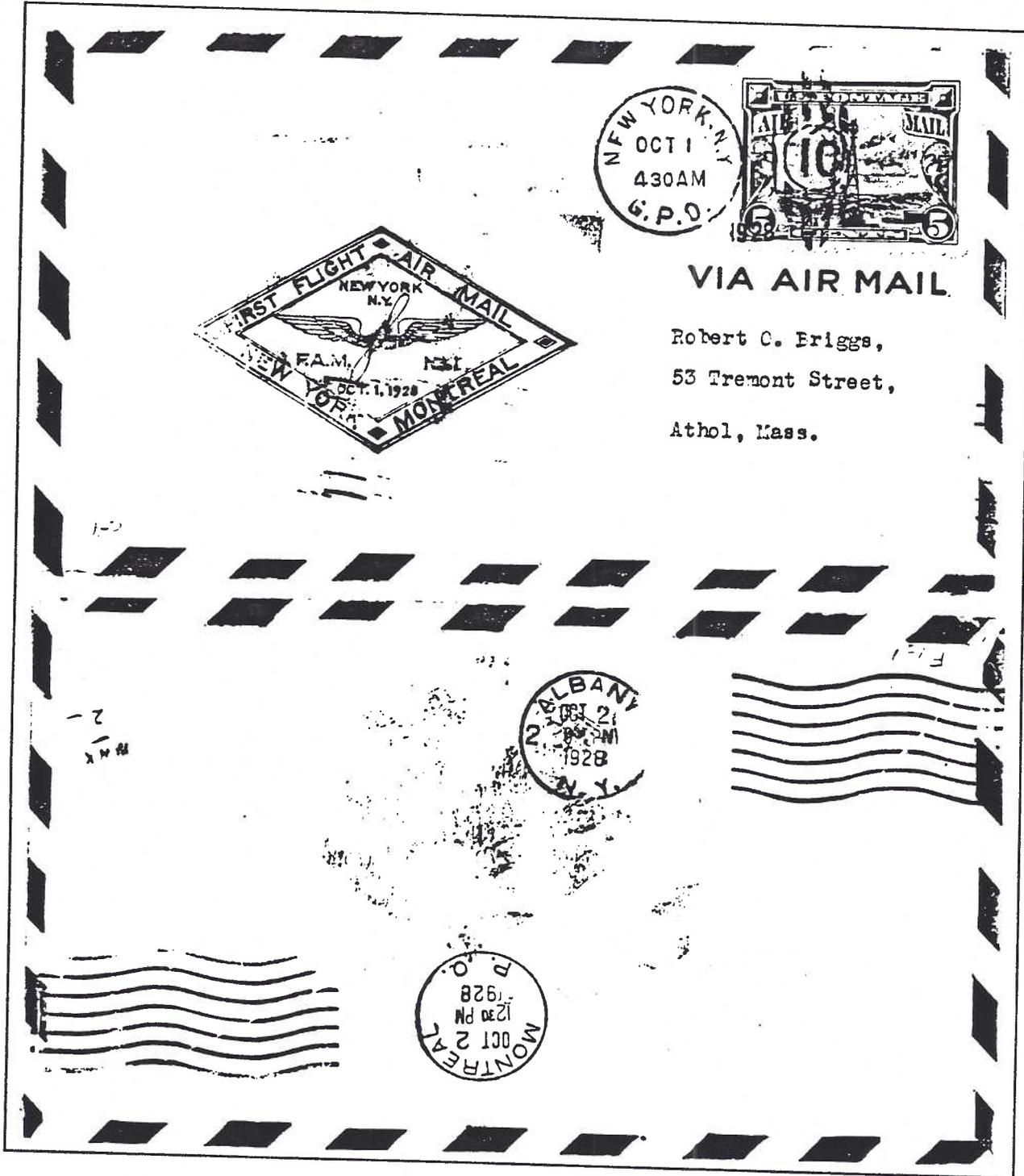


Type F1b

Cachets—New York and Albany, Type F1a; Montreal, Type F1b.

Pilots—Billy Huges between New York and Montreal and Montreal and Albany;
Paul E. Reeder, Albany to Montreal.

New York-Montreal, October 1-1, (magenta, black, combination)	(180)	1.50
Albany-Montreal, October 1-1, (magenta, black, purple)	(121)	1.50
Montreal-Albany, October 1-1, (green)	(25,500)	1.50



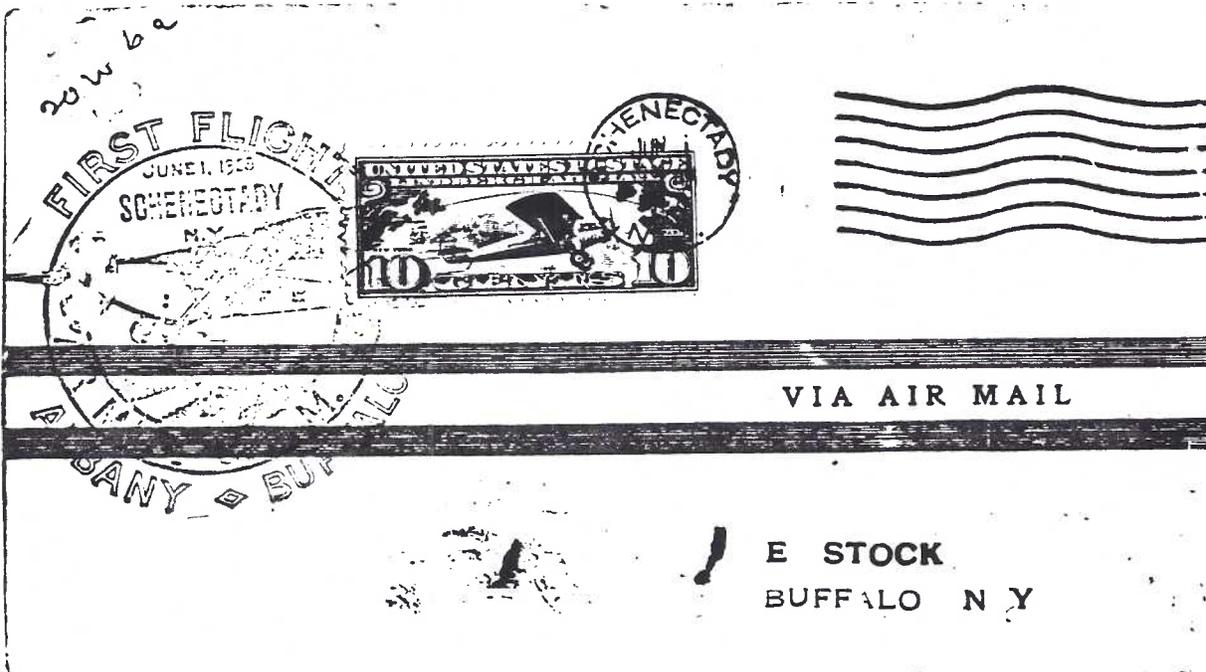
Albany to Buffalo went onto Cleveland which was the real terminus of the service. The cover from Schenectady did terminate in Buffalo, though.

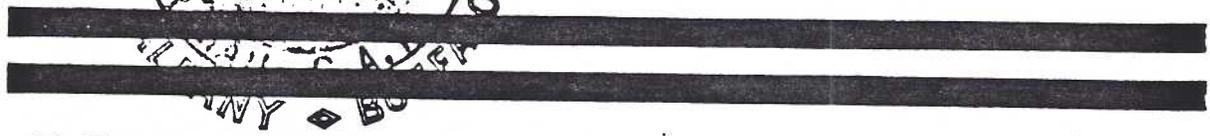
Of the two Utica covers, one went to Albany and the other to Buffalo. The Rochester cover only went to Syracuse. The Buffalo cover also went to Albany, how-

ever, you can see all this for yourself. On May 15, 1931, Route 20 was combined with former Route 16 via Cleveland and continued on to Fort Worth, Texas. However, the cachets did not include Cleveland only Nashville, Tennessee to Fort Worth. On

August 1, 1931 the route was extended from Albany to New York City. That, however, is another article. Like Topsy, CAM 20 just grew and grew.

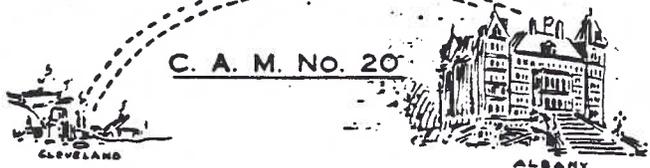
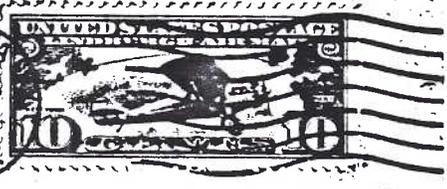
(If anyone wanted to sell Syracuse covers, I would be glad to hear from you.)





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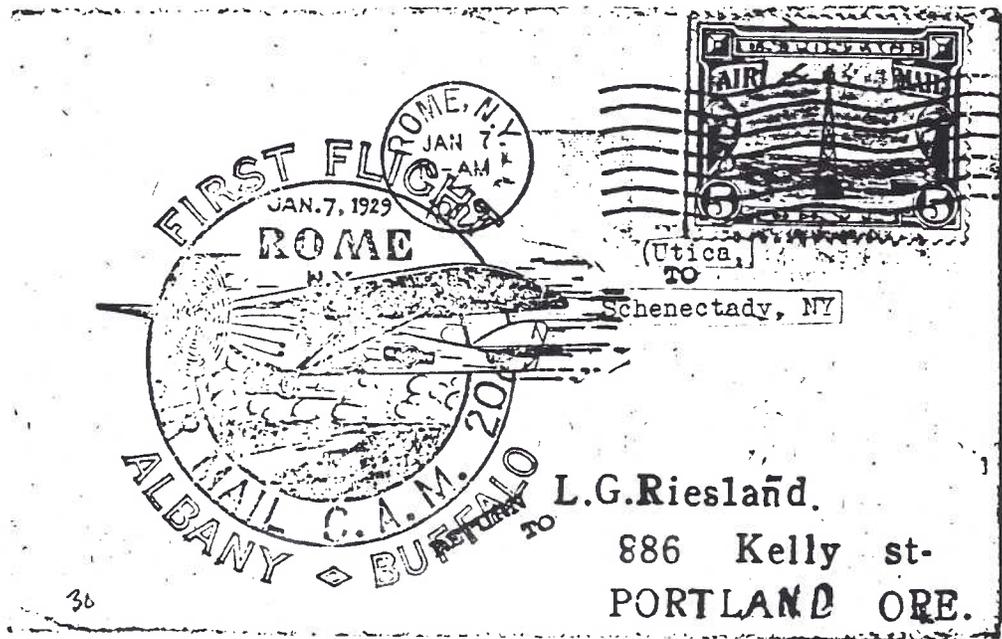
Mr. George N. Hopkins,
c/o Postmaster,
Albany,
New York.



C. A. M. NO. 20

Mr. L. M. Chevallier,
169 Sumner Pl.
Buffalo,
N.Y.

2045-125



FIRST FLIGHT
JUNE 1, 1923
ROCHESTER
N.Y.

ROCHESTER
JUN 1
1230 PM
N.Y.



AIR MAIL C.A.M.
ALBANY - BUFFALO

Major C. M. Lopez
The Manlius School
Manlius
New York

VIA
AIR MAIL

20E3-12

20E2

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BUFFALO
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N.Y.



VIA AIR MAIL

A. B. Prossler,
Orange

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