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E. C. Garman & Son

Lock Box 564

Stanford, Kentucky

November, 25th, 1910.

Mr. E. R. Colson,

Gainesville, Fla.

Dear Bro. Colson:-

Yours of recent date received and noted. In reply will say that what I desire to know in regard to a change is- whether or not there is a clerk in the Gainesville P.O., under the Civil Service, whose salary is \$1100.00, who would consider a transfer to road duty. Either here or in the South. I was in correspondence with a Railway Mail Clerk, in Florida, a short time ago who was anxious to trade with me, but at that time I did not think that I wanted to go South and would not go now except into a Post Office. The point that I want to make is this- If there is a man in that office who would like to have the road but would rather have a run further south than Ky., we might arrange for a three-cornered trade. I have what is considered a desirable run. Work three days and off four. Salary \$1200.00 per year with an allowance of about \$40.00 per year per diem. I have been on the road for nearly thirteen years and on this run for more than ten years, and am anxious to get off the road, locate in some good town where there are good schools and a loyal Church. There to fill out my time on earth doing all the good that I can. If you find any one who would consider making a change, ask him to write to me or give me his address and I will address him at once. If I should find that we could come to terms, I would ask for a leave of absence and come down and view the surroundings, confer with him and the Post Master, in order that every thing might be pleasant. Thanking you for the trouble I have caused you; for the interest you have shown and with my very best wishes, I am fraternally yours,

E. C. Garman