

# FORWARDING CENTERS

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All charity organization societies are notified that the societies named below have agreed to serve as Forwarding Centers for the territories specified. A request for an investigation in any place in these districts which has a post office, but no charity organization society, may be sent to the appropriate Forwarding Center.

1. The Forwarding Center agrees to obtain a satisfactory correspondent in each place with a population of over 5,000, and in smaller places when convenient.

2. It will obtain available lists for its own state or province, such as the lists of clergymen in the most promising denominations in that state, postmasters, doctors, etc., enabling it to find a correspondent on demand in any small town or village, but it shall not be held responsible for the quality of their work.

3. Inquiries sent to Forwarding Centers *should be accompanied by three two-cent postage stamps.* Unless stated to the contrary in the letter of inquiry, it is assumed that the inquirer is willing to reimburse the Forwarding Center for necessary telephone messages at a cost not to exceed fifty cents.

4. Societies shall not ask Forwarding Centers to make inquiries and at the same time write directly to correspondents, relatives, etc.

5. Adequate information should be given to the Forwarding Centers in order that they may give the local correspondents not only an idea of the situation in the family but the kind of information or service desired, for these correspondents frequently do not understand the nature and purpose of investigation. It is further suggested that, when possible, a carbon copy of the inquiry be enclosed so that the Forwarding Center may retain this while sending the original to its local correspondent.

## THE UNITED STATES

TERRESTRIAL	FORWARDING CENTERS
Alabama	Birmingham
Arizona	Phoenix
Arkansas	Little Rock
California	San Francisco
Colorado	Colorado Springs
Connecticut	Hartford
Delaware	Baltimore, Md.
Florida	Jacksonville
Georgia	Atlanta
Illinois	Chicago
Indiana	Indianapolis
Iowa	Des Moines
Kentucky	Louisville
Maine	Portland
Maryland	Baltimore
Massachusetts	Roston
Michigan	Detroit
Minnesota	Minneapolis
Missouri	St. Louis
Nebraska	Omaha
New Hampshire	Salem, Mass.
New Jersey	Newark
New York State west of Oswego, Syracuse and Binghamton,	Buffalo
including Oswego	New York
New York State east of the above cities	Charlotte
North Carolina	
Ohio—Van Wert, Delphos, Lima, Kenton, Marion, Mt. Vernon,	Columbus
Coshocton, Bellaire and all points south thereof	Cleveland
Ohio—all points north of the above cities	Portland
Oregon	Philadelphia
Pennsylvania, east of the Susquehanna	Pittsburgh
Pennsylvania, west of the Susquehanna	Providence
Rhode Island	Columbia
South Carolina	Memphis
Tennessee	Houston
Texas	Washington, D. C.
Virginia	Seattle
Washington	Wheeling
West Virginia	Milwaukee
Wisconsin	

## CANADA

Maritime Provinces } .....	Montreal
and Quebec	
Ontario } .....	Toronto
Manitoba and }	Winnipeg
Saskatchewan }	
Alberta and }	Calgary
British Columbia }	