

Congratulations to the
MUTUAL ASSOCIATION of POSTAL EMPLOYEES
Incorporated

Amicitia Club
of
PHILADELPHIA, PENNA.

1921

1948

*Souvenir
Program*

**MUTUAL ASSOCIATION OF
POSTAL EMPLOYEES, Inc.**

**Second Mortgage Burning Celebration
and Dance**



**SATURDAY, JUNE 26th, 1948
9:30 P. M. - 1:30 A. M.**

MERCANTILE HALL

MUTUAL ASSOCIATION OF POSTAL EMPLOYEES
INCORPORATED
1948

Mutual Association of Postal Employees

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSA

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LOCAL NO. 53, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION P. O. MECHANICS

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LOCAL NO. 126, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION P. O. MECHANICS
AND CUSTODIAL EMPLOYEES

JOHN D. MONTGOMERY, *President*

E X T E N D T H E

MUTUAL ASSOCIATION OF POSTAL EMPLOYEES, INC.

Good Wishes and Congratulations on their 35th
Anniversary and the Burning off of the Mortgage

Congratulations of the Foremen of
outgoing mails department 30th Street
Post Office.

- THOMAS E. M. LEWIS
- WILLIAM F. HALL
- ALBERT NATHANIEL WILSON
- JAMES H. PATTERSON

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- Joseph C. Williams President
- William Mason Vice-President
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- John L. Byrd William Halfacre
- Francis L. Pondexter Collins Stahlworth
- Edward Street George F. Taylor
- Waverly O. Thomas Mahlon Triplett
- Leon Robinson William D. Ridgeway

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- William D. Ridgeway, Chairman Edward Street
- John L. Byrd, Secretary William Mason

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

- Edward Street, Chairman Randolph Hopson
- Henry S. Edwards Leon Robinson
- George F. Taylor Raymond Shirley

The Officers, Board, Welfare Committees and the Ladies' Auxiliaries will assist the Entertainment Committee for this celebration.

- Programme -

1. INVOCATION
2. ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG *Joseph C. Williams*
Master of Ceremonies
3. SELECTION *Geneva H. Hill*
4. HISTORICAL SUMMARY OF THE MUTUAL ASSOCIATION OF
POSTAL EMPLOYEES INCORPORATED *Clarence S. Clory*
5. INTRODUCTION OF HONORED GUEST *Joseph C. Williams, M. C.*
6. SELECTION *Geneva H. Hill*
7. ADDRESS *Harold L. Pilgrim*
8. SELECTION *Geneva H. Hill*
9. MORTGAGE BURNING
10. DANCE *Al Taylor, Dance Orchestra*

5605 Haverford Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

June 26, 1948

Dear Friend:

No institutions during the past few decades have proven of greater value to mere man than employee organizations. Whether their goal be economical, social, job welfare or a combination of all conditions that seriously affect the ranks of labor; the indelible fact is that little was ever accomplished until the worker sought intelligent means of self help.

This mortgage burning and dance entertainment is an endeavor by the Mutual Association of Postal Employees to celebrate thirty-five years of success in, and even beyond, its constituted purpose.

As president of this organization, the undersigned extends a hearty welcome to our members and friends for an evening of entertainment. Those who have contributed by their patronage, to the success of this occasion, will please accept many sincere thanks from,

Yours truly and sincerely,

Joseph C. Williams

Evergreen 6-3000

W. J. Callahan, Inc.

Flowers

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PHILADELPHIA 1, PA.

Compliments and Congratulations

f r o m

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Branch 35 - Philadelphia, Pa.



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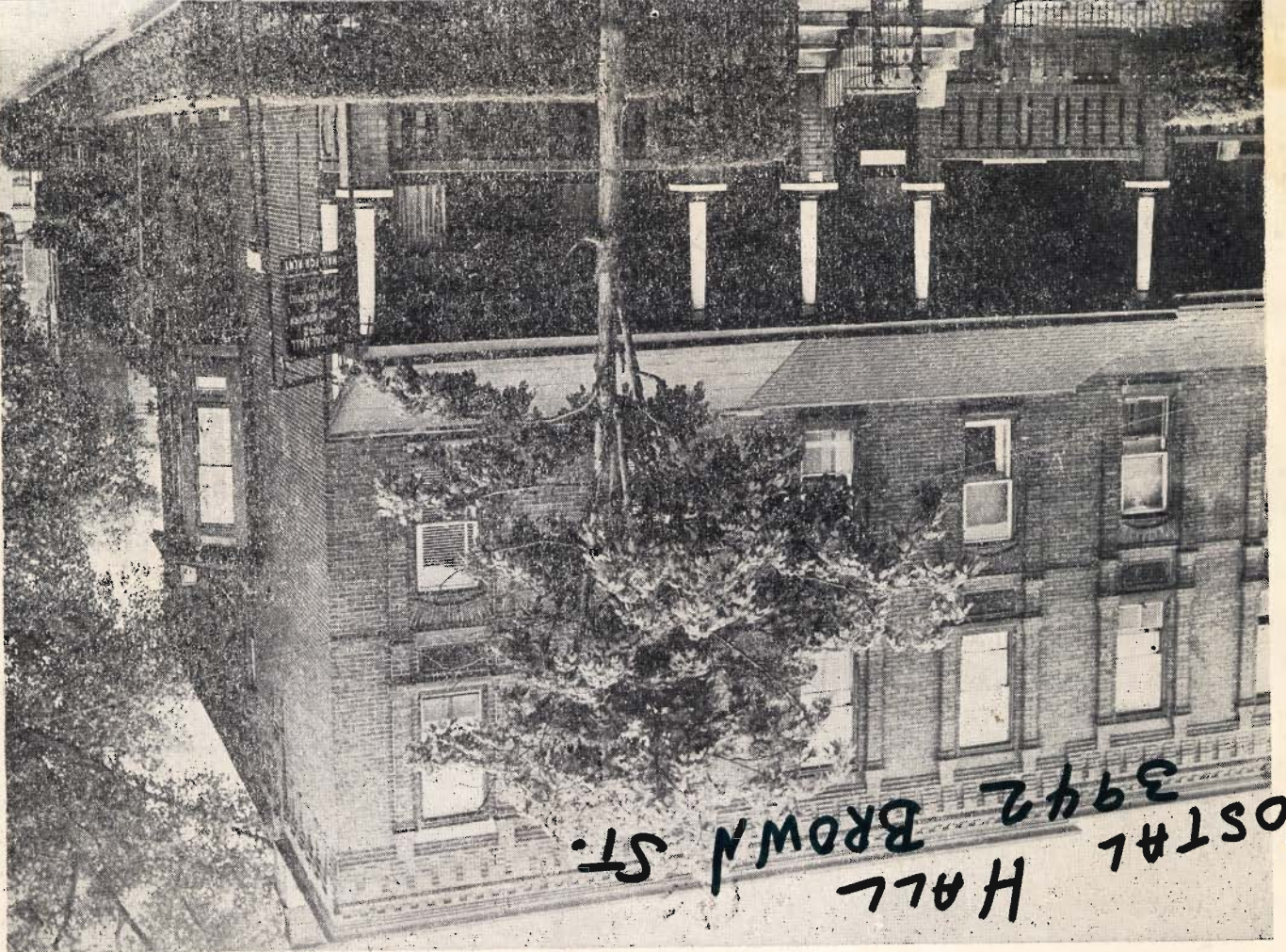
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The Mutual Association of Postal Employees, Incorporated

was organized in 1913 primarily as a Welfare organization, and it is still a Welfare organization. Its program includes Sick and Death benefits and it contributes to its full capacity to the cultural worth of the community. Beyond this it attacks Job-Discrimination. On this last level it has made noteworthy contributions.

Today the "Mutual" is happy to be a member of the postal organization family, eternally vigilant and constantly seeking worker benefits for all postal workers.

The burning of the Mortgage is another phrase of our diversified progress. It is also our desire to go forward in CONCERT with other organizations to a much greater usefulness to our co-workers and our community.

To our honored guest, we salute you.

To our contemporary organizations we extend hearty greetings.

To the new postal workers, we not only welcome you to this affair, but to membership in our ever growing Association.

THE COMMITTEE

CARPENTRY repairs, rooms & porches, 36 mos. to pay. L. W. HOUSE 7-0795.

For brick pointing, concrete walks Anything in repairs.

Personals

Personals

WANTED

Information leading to the whereabouts

MR. RIDGEWAY

whose friendship and patronage is greatly valued but who has been missing from our service department lately. If the above named person will appear again soon it will be greatly appreciated.

This is to Certify that
 Wm. D. Ridgeway
 3416 Hamilton St.
 Phila. 4, Pa.

Member of Democratic Executive Committee in the 1st Division of the 24th Ward, has produced 100 or more Votes for the Party Ticket in the Primary Election in Philadelphia, May 16, 1961.

William J. Lewis
 City Chairman



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
 CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

WATCHER'S CERTIFICATE

The Registration Division for the City of Philadelphia, located at 3416 Hamilton St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19101, has recommended by the DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

William Ridgeway
 WATCHER at the Polling Place, located at 3220 Spring Garden St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19101, to serve on Registration for the 24th Ward of Philadelphia.

INVESTIGATOR
 THE DEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS



MUTUAL CREDIT UNION
 P. O. Box 7555
 Philadelphia, Penna. 19101

Dear Member:

The ANNUAL MEETING of the MUTUAL CREDIT UNION will be held on Sunday, January 23, 1966, 2:30 P.M. at the Mutual Hall, 3942 Brown Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

PLEASE BE PRESENT

George T. White,
 President

Esmond Crawford,
 Treasurer

DAISY

SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER
177-32-6143
 HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR
 WILLIAM D. RIDGEWAY
 SIGNATURE *William D. Ridgeway*
 FOR SOCIAL SECURITY PURPOSES • NOT FOR IDENTIFICATION

1966

HARPER

They Entertained 1,000 Guests in Philadelphia



Members of the Club Amicitia gave their formal ball, Tuesday, at the Ambassador Ballroom, with over 1000 guests in attendance. Shown above are the members who are (left to right) John H. Summers, A. Kenneth Kearsy, William A. Walker, William O. Morris, Wendell Taylor, LeRoy Brown, William D. Ridgeway, John L. Burton, Leroy J. Young and Welford Gordon. Henry W. Jarrett is seated in the center.



'Annuitia Club of 1940'



This ticket will not be redeemed after 5 P.M. Tuesday

SAT. OCTOBER 30
PARADE 15-GAME 2 P.M.
CITY AMUSEMENT TAX .12
FEDERAL TAX .30
ESTAB. PRICE \$3.00
TOTAL \$3.42



BROOKLYN FIELD

1937

Sec. 10
Row 10
Seat 10
SOUTH STAND
LOWER

Mary... * * * VERSUS

DE \$3.50
SEAT 16
1937

Montgomery vs. Williams
MON. EVE., AUG. 4, 1947
MUNICIPAL STADIUM

RINGSIDE

Sec. 12
Row 10
Seat 10

\$12.50

Estab. Price \$9.61
Federal Tax 1.92
City Amuse. Tax .97

ENTER GATE 1

U L Y TUESDAY EVE. 8:30 P.M. 1937
ROW D
SECTION 8
SEAT 16
FIELD RINGSIDE \$3.50

ENTER GATE 1

Section 1
ROW 11
SEAT 11

FIELD RINGSIDE \$3.50
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June 28 1939

CHICAGO NIGHT



2nd CIRCUIT

SECTION 91

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JUNE

SEC. 2
ROW 6

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MEZZA \$

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Licensed Palace, New York City

No. 2892

RETAIN THIS CHECK
RAIN CHECK
Est. Price \$1.00—Tax Paid 10%

RAIN CHECK
1561
YANKEE STADIUM
WEDNESDAY EVENING
8:15 P.M.
JUNE 18th, 1936

LOWER STAND \$10.50
SECTION 8-E
ROW 2
SEAT 2
THURSDAY EVENING
JUNE 18th, 1936
8:15 P.M.
RAIN CHECK
If posted, this ticket will be honored



151 Walnut Avenue
Ardmore, Penna.
March 3, 1960

Mr. William D. Ridgeway
3416 Hamilton Street
Philadelphia 4, Penna.

Dear Bill:

In answer to your request to be relieved of all committee work, financial obligations, and active participation in the club, the board of directors have placed you on the honorary roll.

We feel, that there is no one more deserving of this honor, than yourself. We want you to take advantage of all the privileges this new role affords. Free admission for two, at all the club's paid affairs, attend any meeting of the club when you so desire, and enter the discussions, voice your opinions, raise a question or project a new idea. You have no financial responsibilities, such as dues, ticket selling, etc., unless you wish to. With the exception of the right to vote, you are and always will be an Amicitia member.

Hoping this meets with your approval, and expecting to see you often at the meetings.

Yours truly,

Leonard A. Tokus
Leonard A. Tokus, Sec'y

Don't Forget

Amicitia Club's

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MAY 31st
1948



Formal Dance

1948

Call Baldwin 9-8492

FOREWORD

To Our Patrons:-

The Amicitia Club extends a most cordial welcome to you our faithful friends. May we take this opportunity to greet you and wish you a very pleasant evening.

ROBERT N. MURRAY, Pres.



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oppose it. And Council President Paul D'Ortona says it is a State matter.

ASKS UNANIMITY
William W. Scranton to see what he can do to ensure that the measure is passed by unanimous vote.

At this session would have Sterling Act municipalities already taxed wealth. If all the money is not used by June 30, the school board will be able to move its \$198 million budget through as planned, since the \$14 million will be then accounts receivable.

If something goes wrong, the board will either have to raise taxes or cut services. It is all again for a much without. "If all package) them," the said.

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The Children's Association will day in the Botanica to the Merion station Pennsylvania Railroad Children's seven Ave. pal cor. dispa now azalea.

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some sub-temperatures below during the early morning hours Tuesday. It said the cold weather is caused by Arctic air being pushed down from central Canada into the northern plain states and then heading east.

in school bond issue before the voters next Tuesday. Marion L. Street, president of the association, said the teachers will demonstrate from 4:15 P. M. to 6:30 P. M.

Down in Tub

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Judge Carroll administered the oath to Bell with the assistance of Mayor James P. Tate whom he pressed service to hold the Bible. Bell was introduced by Managing Director Fred

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Business Manager, Amicitia Club

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AT THE MOTOR LODGE
KING OF PRUSSIA, PA.
SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 9, 1966
FROM 10 P. M. TO 2:00 A. M.

Music By Benny Fields

\$2.00 per person

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1966

THE AMICITIA MALE CHORUS

FIRST TENOR

Major B. Benton

Walter Graham

Thomas Jubilee

Fred D. Withers

BARITONES

James Carey

Edward Moultrie

Thomas Reese

Charles Rider

SECOND TENORS

Harold Budd

George Evans

Raymond Gordon

Raymond Vicks

BASS

Maulton Baker

Edgar Cohen

Richard Queen

George White

GREATER ST. MATTHEW INDEPENDENT CHURCH

PRESENTS

Amicitia Male Chorus

— at —

CHURCH — Race and Vodges Streets

PHILADELPHIA

Thursday, November 5th, 1953 - 8:30 p.m.



Wendell Pritchett, Pianist

George W. Waples, Director

George Thompson, Accompanist

--: PROGRAM --:

Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee (Sleepers Awake) Bach

Bless the Lord O My Soul Ippolito

The Lord's Prayer Mallothe

The Heavens Resound Beethoven

Amicita Male Chorus

Song of the Jolly Rodger C. F. Chundleigh-Candish

The Sleigh Kountz

Passing By Purcell

Battle Hymn of the Republic Ringwald

Amicita Male Chorus

--: PROGRAM --:

Scherzo D Minor Chopin

Sonetta del Petrarch No. 123 Listz

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 6 Listz

Wendell Pritchett, Pianist

Bring to Me Only with Thine Eyes Vogyrich

The Serenaders Italian Folk Song

Secrets Smith

The Halls of Ivy Russel-Knight

Amicita Male Chorus

My Lord What a Mornin' Harvey

Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley Dawson

Soon Ah Will Be Done Dawson

King Jesus Is a Listening Dawson



- Amstel Male Chorus -
1950s

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Lower Stand \$16.50
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 YANKEE STADIUM
 Wednesday
JUNE 22
 1938
 IF Postponed this ticket will be honored on postponed date only.

GO WEST WITH

W. GLENN FIELD
 THE
CHICAGO CUBS
 WORLD'S
 CHAMPION BASEBALL TEAM
 VS. AMERICAN LEAGUE
 CHAMPION
 ST. LOUIS BRUINS

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 Champion
JUNE 22, 1938
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JUNE 22
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SEPT. 24, 1935
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Municipal Stadium Philadelphia, Pa.
SEPT. 22, 1936
LOUIS STORE
 Sec. **WB**
GRAND STAND \$5.75
 Row **21**
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 Seat **39**

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 Location: HERMAN TAYLOR
 Monday Eve.
 Sept. 4th, 1937
 THE BENEFIT OF THE MAYOR
 JAMES WILSON ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FUND
 Admit One
 Est. Price \$3.06
 Fed. Tax .31
 Pa. Relief Tax .13
TOTAL \$3.50

RINGSIDE WEST
 Sec. 12
 Row 0
 Seat 1
TOTAL \$12.50
 Estab. Price \$9.61
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 MUNICIPAL STADIUM

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JUNE 22
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Berean Savings and Loan Is Admitted To Federal National Mortgage Assn.

The Berean Savings and Loan Association at 52nd and Arch St. has just been admitted to the facilities of the Federal National Mortgage Association. This will enable the association to participate in the origination of loans for low cost and federally subsidized housing in the core area of the city. In addition it will increase the funds available for FHA and VA mortgages.

Berean Savings and Loan Association is the only Negro managed federally insured savings and loan association in Philadelphia. It was founded in 1888 by the Rev. Mat-

thew Anderson, a Presbyterian minister who also founded the Berean Presbyterian Church and the Berean School. Today the association has assets of over five million dollars.

Throughout the years, although the association is Negro managed, the board of directors has always been racially integrated. Dr. Lawrence D. Christmas is chairman of the board, I. Maximilian Martin, a realtor was elected president last July, succeeding John W. Harris, Jr. who had been president for over 29 years. Harris had reached retirement age and was retired on a pension. The executive vice president is Robert H. Horton, who formerly was assistant manager. Walter R. Livingston, Jr., an architect, is the association treasurer.

Although the association has the advantage of years of experience, it is geared to the needs of today, and now makes FHA, Home Improvement Loans and Student Loans and Student Loans in addition to mortgage loans.



CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION
1450 Municipal Services Building
Philadelphia, Pa. 19107

ROBERT W. CRAWFORD
Commissioner

August 28, 1970

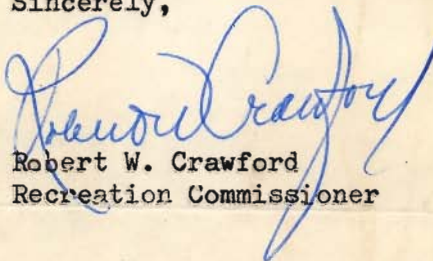
Mrs. William D. Ridgeway
3416 Hamilton St.
Phila., Pa. 19104

Dear Mrs. Ridgeway:

Thank you so very much for the peaches you sent me. They were delicious. My wife and I want to thank you. We have been eating them for breakfast, dinner, and snacks and they were very good.

Thanks so much to both of you for being so thoughtful.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Robert W. Crawford".

Robert W. Crawford
Recreation Commissioner

RWC/Md



CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE
1430 Municipal Services Building
Reyburn Plaza — Philadelphia, Pa. 19107

PHILIP M. POORMAN
City Treasurer

August 12, 1970

Mr. and Mrs. William Ridgeway
3416 Hamilton Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19141

Dear Friends:

"Peaches on the table" was the motto for all the Treasurer's people on Monday night - and how good they were - thanks to the "Ridgeways". They were sweet delicious, very large and served in assorted ways.

As always you are more than generous with your fellow associates, not only are you an excellent worker, but a friendly and kind one.

We are grateful to both of you, and thank you for your generosity, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Philip M. Poorman
Philip M. Poorman

PMP/ab

William D. Ridgeway
3416 Hamilton Street,
Philadelphia Pa. 19104

Mr. Vincent J. Logan,
Officer in Charge
United States Post Office
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104

Re: James Thomas Poston
Regular Mail Handler
Philadelphia Terminal, Tour 3
SS #182-05-8337

Dear Sir:

I am a retired postal employee since October, 1957, and through the years I have retained my interest and concern for both the Department and the men. With this in mind I am asking you to do what ever you can to save Mr. Poston's job. He is sick.

The Los Angelus Post Office set up their own A.A.Assn. I don't know how they made out but if the Department, the men and organizations want it to work, it will work anywhere.

Very truly yours,

William D. Ridgeway
William D. Ridgeway

OFFICE OF

UNITED STATES POST OFFICE
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19104

IN REPLY REFER TO

Officer-in-Charge

L:M:mcm

March 11, 1970

Mr. James T. Poston
3311 Powelton Avenue
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104

Regular Mail Handler
Phila. Terminal-Tour 3
SS# 182-05-8337

Dear Mr. Poston:

You are directed to contact Mr. Hugh J. Garrity,
Employee Services Officer, Personnel Section, Room 216,
Main Post Office, 30th and Market Streets, Philadelphia,
Pa. 19104.

Mr. Garrity may be reached on Evergreen 2-5200,
Extension 351, to set a definite time and date for your
interview.

Mon.

Very truly yours,

Vincent J. Logan
Vincent J. Logan
Officer-in-Charge

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William D. Ridgeway,
3416 Hamilton Street,
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104
Ba 2-1470

January 13, 1971

Vincent Logan, Postmaster,
30th and Market Streets,
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104

Re: James T. Posten, Mail Handler
3311 Powelton Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104

Dear Sir:

I wish to go on record as being more than pleased with the departmental rehabilitation program for the Postal Employees, your actions in the above captioned case.

Your actions demonstrated concern for the employees far beyond managements responsibility. This places the department in the ranks of the very few, whose concern for human values are as important as other management responsibility.

Very truly yours,

William D. Ridgeway

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UNITED STATES POST OFFICE
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19104

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January 15, 1971

Mr. William D. Ridgeway
3416 Hamilton Street
Philadelphia, Pa. 19104

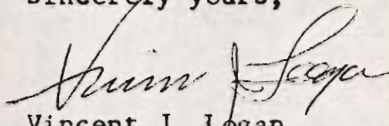
Dear Mr. Ridgeway:

Thank you for your recent letter on Mr. James T. Posten,
a mail handler at this installation.

Mr. Posten is a fine example of what can be accomplished
when there is a joint effort, cooperation, and a sincere concern
toward those who recognize the need for rehabilitation.

We were glad to have helped a fellow employee.

Sincerely yours,



Vincent J. Logan
Postmaster

MUTUAL

CREDIT UNION

PASS BOOK AUDIT

William Redgeway

MEMBER'S NAME

3416 Hamilton

ADDRESS

Phila Pa

CITY

STATE

In order to assist the Supervisory Committee in a regular examination of our books and accounts, it will be appreciated if you will promptly complete and return this confirmation to the Chairman of the Supervisory Committee.

APR 30 1971

According to the records of the Credit Union as of _____

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SHARES \$ 20,002.01

DEPOSIT \$ _____

LOANS \$ _____

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If these records are not in agreement with yours, please indicate the exceptions.

Very truly yours,

THE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

CORRECT EXCEPT AS NOTED

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____
(MEMBER)

ADDRESS _____

PLEASE RETURN PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE
DIRECT TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE



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