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	<u>Year Began</u>	<u>Year Ended</u>	<u>Place Name</u>		<u>Description</u>	<u>Post Office</u>		<u>Existence?</u>	<u>Reference</u>
1			Addams Subdivision		Laid out by W. J. Adams			Festus	B-1
2			Alta Vista		Rankin's Mansion in DeSoto			On North 2nd St.	B-1
3	1889	1895	Andrae		Meramec Township; When the office closed in 1895 the mail was redirected to Dittmer's Store.	Yes		T43N-R3E & T42N-R3E; Northwest section of the county. Specific location unknown.	GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol. 3, No 1; pg. 14
4	1874	1905	Antonia		Meramec Township - Renamed for Judge Anton Yerger; Previously known as Bulltown	Yes		T42-R5; On Old Lemay Ferry Rd. and Hwy M.	B-1; E-2; F-1
5	1849	1858	Argyle		Plattin Township	Yes		T39-R5; Specific location Unknown	GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol. 3, No 1; pg. 14
6	1945	Present	Arnold		City-Named for the man who donated four acres of land in order to get a railroad depot for the area. Previously known as Beck, Flamm City, Henke, Maxville, Tenbrook, and Wickes. These towns were also family names and	Yes		T43N, R6E, S13; Located in the NE corner of Jefferson County	B-1; E-2; F-3 p.1

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					were incorporated into Arnold about 1972.				
7	1833	1836	Avena		Central Township; A Town; it was the 4th post office located in JC.	Yes	T41N-R4E & T40N-R4E; Between Morse Mill and Hillsboro on Morse Mill County Rd.; Specific location unknown.		A-1; D-3; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol. 3, No 1; pg. 14;
8	1842	1845	Avoca		Plattin Township: A town; originally established in St. Francois County but relocated SE of DeSoto when the county line changed. (Pronounced Uh-vō-ca by residents.) Previously known as Smithland. The post office operated from 1840-1845 by Salathiel Cole; Town diminished in size once DeSoto was	Yes	T39N-R5E; Near Papin Road & Hwy V, about 6 miles SE of DeSoto on Joachim Creek.		A-1; B-1; C-2; F-3 p.1; Rod Price, historian, interviewed by MGB on 10/18/2014;

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					awarded the railroad depot; No longer in existence.				
9	1861 1864	1861 1864	Bailey's Station/Bailey's/Hanover		Joachim Township; RR Station depot along the IMR line; named for John M. Bailey; the post office was only opened in 1861 for two months then it closed. It reopened in May 1864 and the name was changed to Hanover.	Yes	T40-R5; On the Mississippi River - 32 miles S of St. Louis on the route of the StLIMS Railway; the old town site is in Joachim Township, Survey #391.		A-1; B-4; D-3; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol. 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95
10			Baker (Hillcrest)		Central Township; School	No	T41-R4		F-1
11	1905		Barnhart (63012)		Rock Township; The town began as a train depot for the Frisco Railroad. The family who donated the land also donated their name for the station.	Yes	T42N-R6E-S25; 2 miles S of Imperial.	v	D-3; E-2;

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1 2				Beach La Paul		A beach in 1935.			2 miles South of Byrnesville on the Big River			B-1
1 3				Bear Creek		Meramec Township; School	No		T43-R4			F-1
1 4	1900	1905		Beck		Rock Township; a town named for the Beck family; the post office ran from 1900-1905; later incorporated into Arnold in 1972.	Yes		T43N-R6E; located where St. John's Lutheran Church is. Same location as Henke; New Richardson Rd. & Old Lemay Ferry Rd.; about 3-1/2 miles N of Kimmswick.			B-1; D-3; WW
1 5	1856 1867	1865 1905		Belew's/Bellews Creek		Central Township; A town believed to be named for William Bellew. Store, Post Office, Blacksmith; mail rerouted through Hillsboro in 1905.	Yes		T41N-R4E-S10; located at Hillsboro-House Springs Road and Glade Chapel Rd., about 8 miles N of Hillsboro.	v		A-1; D-3; E-2 ; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol. 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95; WW
1 6				Benson's Mill		AKA Null Mill			Hematite			B-1

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17			Bethlehem	Big River Township; a settlement and a school		T41N-R3E & T40N-R2E & 3E, specific location unknown.		F-1
18			Bevis			T40N-R4E; Located between Victoria & Hematite ; specific location unknown.		B-1
19			Big River Mills	In 1828				B-3; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol. 2, No 4; pg. 99 - 100;
20			Big River Township	A township		The Northern boundary lies between Grubville and Dittmer; The Eastern side is bordered by Central Township; The Southern border is next to Valle Township,	v	B-3; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol. 2, No 4; pg. 99 - 100;

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								and the Western border runs along the Franklin County line.		
2 1			Blackford Mill							
2 2			Black Hawk/Black Hawke	Big River Township; School	No	T41-R2				F-1
2 3			Blackwell's (Aquilla Blackwell) (63626)	Valle Township; Historic Home; Site of the Civil War Block House near Blackwell;		T38-R4; RR Bridge & Big River				B-1; E-2; F-1
2 4			Bonacker's Mill/Smucker's Mill	AKA Byrnes Mill						B-1
2 5			Boyne Spring	A spring located in DeSoto.		On Tanyard Branch Creek, South bank.				B-1
2 6			Brackman Hotel	1880		High Ridge				B-1

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27			Breezy Heights		Rock Township; a community, a store built at the top of a hill by the Schwalbert family; the building still remains and is used for a VFW post. Update January 2017: A fire destroyed the majority of the building.			T42N - R5E; located at 4906 Old Lemay Ferry Rd.		F-1; Carol Riebold (interviewed April 7, 2015 by MGB)
28			Brickey's							
29			Brown's Ferry	1869				Vicinity of the Hwy 21 Bridge at Flamm City.		B-1
30			Buck Knob		Joachim Township; a village; it was thought that three hilltops running in a straight line were smoke-signal points for the Native Americans; Buck Knob was at the point of the 1st hill.	No		T40N-R5E & T40N-R6E; The 1st hill is located on the hillside behind Walmart in Festus where there is a huge cross on top, the 2nd hill at the Lutheran Church site at Jarvis Rd.; and the high point on Tower		F-1

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3 1				Bulltown	Rock Township; A town; got its name for the livestock that was brought through the town to be sold or shipped to St. Louis; now known as Antonia			T42N-R5E		
3 2	1868 1900	1900 1904		Bushberg / Bushbey	Joachim Township; A town with a post office operating from 1868-1904 and a depot for the StLIM&S Railroad line; named for the family of Isadore Bush who owned grape vineyards & in 1898 a wine business; No longer in existence.	Yes; as Pevel Y		T41N-R6E; near the Mississippi River, about 25 miles S of St. Louis and NE of Pevely. Mail redirected to Riverside in 1900, which later became part of Pevely in 1904.		A-1; D-3; F-1; GR977.86 7 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol. 3, No 1; pg. 14; F-3 p.3



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3 3			Byers	Rock Township; A settlement	-	T43N- R6E, NE corner of Jefferso n County. E on Hwy 61 and S on the junction with State Rd. 231.		E-2; F-1; F-3 p. 3
3 4			Byrnes Mill	Meramec Township; A town; with a mill built by Patrick Byrne who was not related to the Byrnes' of Byrnesville; Received its name after 1866 when purchased by Dr. George Arthur Smith and is still in existence today. Remnants of the old mill can be seen at the Byrnes Mill Park behind the Hagemeister House.		T42N- R3E-S28 & T43N- R4; SW of Houses' Spring about 5 miles; Mills Roads;		F-1; F-3, p. 3

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3 5	1875 1890	1898 1907	Byrnesville	Meramec Township; a town with a Grist Mill owned and eventually rebuilt by Patrick P. Byrnes, the town included a General Store, Ice House, Gas Pump, Dentist, Hotel, Community Hall, Saloon, Church, School, Blacksmith, Garage; Michael F. Byrne established first Post Office; Unrelated to the Patrick Byrnes that owned Byrnes Mill; this town is no longer in existence although the community remains.	Yes	T42N-R3E-S12; Located in Meramec Township 1-1/4 miles from Highway 30; located at the junction of Upper & Lower Byrnesville Rd.	A-1; D-2; D-3; E-2; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Summer 1987; Vol 3, No 2; pg. 52 - 56
3 6			Carson City	<b>Call Wayne Wiley and Dave Hallemann</b>		Hwy 21 at Bus Garage	B-1; WW
3 7	1898		Calvey	Meramec Township; A town with a post office that was established in 1898.	Yes	T42N-R3E; specific location unknown, near Oerman.	A-1; F-1; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, page 6
3 8			Captain Butterworth House	<b>Connected to Butterworth Stagecoach?</b>			B-1

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39			Captain Foster Home	1845			East of Bushburg Rd., the Greystone Manor		B-1
40	1868 1878 1933	1874 1913 Present	Cedar Hill (63016)	Meramec Township; A town probably named for the large number of cedar trees growing at the time; included a grist mill, aka Jefferson Mills; Cedar Hill Mill; Raedaker's Mill	Yes		T42N-R3E-S26; Center located at the junction of Hwy 30 and Hwy BB.		A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1
41			Cedar Hill Lakes	Meramec Township; A community in existence today; approximately 0.26 square acres and about 101 households as of 2014. Probably named for the large numbers of cedar trees growing at the time.	-		T42-R3; Located on Hwy 30 and Hwy BB.		A-3; D-3; E-2;
42			Central Township	Central Township; County Seat of Hillsboro; the intention was to have the county seat within one days ride from anywhere in Jefferson County.	Yes		T41N-R5E & T40N-R4E; Bordered on the north by Meramec Township, on the East by Joachim Township, to the South by Valle		F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 7 - 8

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								Township and to the West by Big River Township.		
4 3			City of Churches		Nickname for DeSoto due to the number of churches it had.				Yes; as DeSoto	B-1
4 4			Coffman		Plattin Township; a town originally named for the 1st postmaster, Dan Coffman; the post office was established in 1883-1887; reopened in 1888; previously Oakland & later as Danby (1883-1955).			T39-R6; Hwy 61-67 South to Right on Danby Road in the Southeast corner of JC.		B-1
4 5	1870		Cliffdale		Unknown; appeared on map in 1870					A-1; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, page 6
4 6	1840 1847 1851 1857	1842 1849 1853 1858	Clifton		Joachim Township; Believed to be a Butterfield Stagecoach stop from 1840-1858; aka Pevely; <b>check H. Litton book</b>		Yes	T41N-R5E; Outside of Pevely.		B-1; D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; p. 14.

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4 7			Cottage Farm	Big River Township; A town	<u>Yes</u>	T41-R3 & T42-R3; Located on Hwy 30 in NW Jefferson County.		F-1
4 8	1857		Crystal Heights	Joachim Township; a village overlooking the Mississippi River; once had a population of about 100 inhabitants; The home of W. S. Jewitt. No longer in existence as a village but as a subdivision.		T40N-R6E; One mile N of Crystal City.		B-4; F-3, p. 4
4 9			Crystal Junction	Joachim Township-A RR stop, aka Silica-Festus; 1890,				A-1; B-1
5 0	1872 1883 1890 ? ?	? 1895 1898 1907 Present	Crystal City (63019)	Joachim Township; A Company town & RR stop; North Crystal City was founded July 31, 1886 and named for the fine sand used in making glass and crystal; a post office was established in 1872 and ran off and on until the present.	Yes	T40N-R6E; Located next to Festus at the mouth of Plattin Creek, on Hwy A and W of Hwy 61 and about 3-1/2 miles NE of Bailey.		A-1; B-1; D-3; E-2; F-1; F-3, p.4.

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5 1	1883 1888	1887 present	Danby	Plattin Township; A town; previously Oakland & Coffman - (1883- 1955);	Yes	T39-R6; Hwy 61- 67 South to Right on Danby Road in the Southeast corner of JC.	A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1; F-3, p. 4; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, page 6;
5 2			DeMaree	Meramec Township; A town with a mill founded October 17, 1860. Present day House Springs.	<u>Yes</u>	T42N- R4E; On Main Street & Hwy MM in House Springs.	A-1; F-1; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, pg. 6; B-1

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Derby City

Joachim Township; present day Festus; this portion was founded May 14, 1883 Alfred F. Sherlock. The first 12 lots were laid out by W. J. Adams and named Adams Subdivision; On February 8, 1887 a petition was presented to incorporate the town, including Derby City and call it "City of Festus." (Call Wayne Wiley) Previously known as Coffman; Derby was also the name of a gasoline retailer; townsfolk would often say they were going to Derby City when they went out for gas.

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See Festus

B-1; F-1;  
F-3, p. 5;  
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5 4	1858	present	DeSoto (63020)	Valle Township; known as Longbottom; aka Napton, "City of Churches" and in 1904 "Fountain City". Largest town in Jefferson County in 1888. Believed to have been named for Hernando DeSoto, the Spanish explorer that discovered the Mississippi River. 1861, 1869, 1870, 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898, 1907 - In 1865	Yes	T39-R4; Located on the StLIM&S Railway and Joachim Creek 42 miles southwest from St. Louis.	B-1; D-3; E-2; F-1
5 5			DeSoto Academy	Built on land where Olivia Sanitarium existed and burned in the 1890's.	-		B-1
5 6	1870 1899	1889 Present	Dittmer	Meramec Township; Dittmer's Store, aka the "German Settlement". The name of the town changed when the store was sold in 1899. Present day Dittmer (63023)	Yes	T41-R3 & T42-R3; Located on Hwy 30 in NW Jefferson County.	B-3; D-3; E-2; F-1
5 7			Donnell	Joachim Township; A mining town	Yes	T40-R5	F-1
5 8			Drakes	Valle Township; A Town		Specific location unknown.	F-1
5 9			Dripping Springs	Valle Township; a town		T39-R4; Specific location	F-1



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								unknown		
60			East Kelly Wagon Bridge		A DeSoto covered bridge built about 1873					B-1
61			Echo Lake		Meramec Township; Town	Yes		T43-R4		F-1
62			Einstein Mines		Aka Frumet Mines					B-1
63			El Camino Real/El Camino Trail		In Kimmswick there is a DAR Marker indicating the beginning of the "El Camino Trail" which means the Kings Highway from Ickes Station on the Iron Mountain Line in St. Louis					E-1
64			Engle		Joachim Township; a town	Yes		T41-R6		F-1
65			Fenton (63026)			Yes				
66	1883	Present	Festus (63028)		Joachim Township; Began in the Waggener Company Store. One story goes that this town was renamed for the biblical name meaning "joyful" and was selected by an official by opening the Bible randomly and placing their finger on the name. AKA Tanglefoot and Limitsville. 1883, 1895, 1898, 1907	Yes		T40-R6		A-1; C-1; D-3; F-1
67			Flamm City		Rock Township; a town; 1860	-		T43-R6; Arnold Highway		B-1

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								231 and Meramec River.		
68	1896 1922	1919 Present	Fletcher Town/Fletcher (63030)		Big River Township; a town first established as a minor settlement. Named for a big family in the area; 1876; 1895	Yes		T40-R3; Located SW of DeSoto near the Washingt on County line and near Valle Mines.		A-1; B-1; D-3; E-2; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, page 6
69	1891	1921	Flucom		Plattin Township; When the post office was discontinued in April 1921, the mail was rerouted to DeSoto; 1890, 1895	Yes		T39-R5; Located SE of DeSoto.		D-3; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, page 6; C-1
70			Fountain City		Valle Township; Aka DeSoto	-		T39-R4; Located on the StLIM&S Railway and Joachim Creek 42 miles southwes t from St. Louis.		B-1; F-1
71			Frissell/Frizzel Hill		DeSoto			Across creek from RR shops.		B-1
72	1870 1895 1898	1890 1898 1911	Frumet		Big River Township; A mining town with a school district; named after a	Yes		T40-R3; Located West of DeSoto near the		A-1; D-3; E-2; JCHC

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					Frenchman who ran the lead mines; 1890, 1895, 1898			old Frumet Lead & Zinc Mines.		
73			General Mill		<i>Generle?</i>					
74	1895	1898	Genevieve		Joachim Township; RR station; aka Howe Station; 1895, 1898		-	T41-R6		A-1; F-1; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June 1998, page 6
75			Gherke's Mill		Mill; aka Yerkes Mill, <i>present day Byrnes????</i> 1847		-	Yerkes' Mill or Byrnesville Mill		B-1
76			Glen Park		Joachim Township; RR Stop		-	T41-R6		E-2; F-1
77	1838	1855	Glenfilas (Glenfinlas)		Valle Township; Town aka Glenfield; Tyro, presently Vineland. 1869, 1870/1838-1855		Yes	T39-R3; Near Mammoth Mines		A-1; D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14; B-1
78			Glenwood		A Town & RR stop			Specific location unknown.		F-1
79	1895	1905	Goldman		Central Township; a town		Yes	T41-R4		D-3; E-2; F-1; The Heritage News, Jefferson County Historical Society, Issue #17, June

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8 0				Grandview School	The name of the school came about after the school district was reorganized and a new school built. A contest was held by the school board to determine the new name and three people suggested Grandview because of the excellent location and grand view the school had from its hilltop location.		No			JCHC
8 1				Greystone Manor	1845			East of Bushburg Rd., the Captain Foster Home		B-1

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8 2	1853 1887	1876 present	Grubville, JC to Franklin County (63041)	Big River Township, A town; "One story claims that the Post Office was named by Edmond "Frank" Frost for the grubstakes he furnished in the California Gold Rush and another claims it was named for the many grubs (worms) found in the ground by the builder." 1861, 1869, 1870, 1898;	Yes	T41-2	A-1; D-3; E-2; JCHC
8 3	1876	1887	Grubville, Franklin County to JC	Same as above; Post Office was moved across county line.	Yes		D-3;
8 4	1844	1850	Hampton	Meramec Township; aka High Ridge	Yes	T43-R4	D-3; F-1; GR???? Reflections Revised; Vol 3, No. 1, 2007, page 11
8 5	1864	1885	Hanover	Joachim Township; RR Station depot along the IM Railway line; office was only opened for two months in 1861 as Bailey Station and then it closed. It reopened in May 1864 and the name was changed to Hanover. AKA Silica. 1861,1869,	Yes	T40-R5; Located on the StLIMS Railway 32 miles from St. Louis	A-1; B-4; D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95

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					1883; 1870, 1890				
86				Harlow Island					
87				Hawkin's Place	House in DeSoto	No	420 North 9th St.		B-1
88				Heads Creek / Mill	Meramec Township; Named for James Head, Established 1798		T42-R4; House Springs		B-1; F-1; JCHC
89	1858	Present		Hematite (63047)	Joachim Township; Laid out by Stephen Osborn in August 1861. "Named for the fine iron ore found in the area." 1861, 1869, 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898, 1907	Yes	T40-R5; Located on the StLIMS Railway 35 miles from St. Louis.		A-1; B-4; D-3; E-2;
90				Hencke/Henke	Rock Township. A town; Present day Arnold.		T42/43-R5/6		B-1
91				Hearst Homestead	aka Lee's Diggins		On Big River Heights Rd.		

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9 2	1811 1890	1858 Present	Herculaneum (63048)	Joachim Township; First town in JC (previously known as New Hartford in 1805); named for the pastoral plains at the base of Mt. Vesuvius prior to the volcanic eruption in 79 A.D. It was a lead depot for the mining region, site of the first Masonic Lodge and the first town to have a Post Office for many years. 1861, 1869, 1870, 1898	Yes	T41-R6; Located halfway between St. Louis and St. Genevieve, SE of Pevely.	A-1; B-5; D-3; E-2; F-1; JCHC
9 3	1856	Present	High Ridge (63049)	Meramec Township; A town; the James Scott Co. is believed to be the first location of the Post Office which was believed to be an early stagecoach stop. Aka Tallow Hill. 1869, 1890, 1898	Yes	T43-R4; Located in NW part of JC off of Hwy 30;	A-1; D-1; D-3; E-2;
9 4			High Field	Valle Township; A town	-	T39-R5; Located SE of DeSoto.	

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95	1858	1863	Hillsboro Junction (Station)	Central Township; A Depot on the Iron Mountain Railroad; aka Old Buck Station; Changed to Victoria Station in 1863, then just Victoria.	Yes	T40-R4; Located 4 miles south of Hillsboro	D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
96	1838	Present	Hillsborough/Hillsboro (63050)	Central Township; A Depot on the IMR; the name changed to Hillsboro in 1892.	Yes	T40-R4; Located 4 miles south of Hillsboro	A-1; D-3, E-2; F-1
97			Hoene Springs	Meramec Township; Settlement; established 1810	-	T43-R4	E-2;
98			Hoes tan	Civil War Block House			
99			Hog Island		-		E-1
100			Hopewell		-		
101	1862 1867 1916	1863 1869 1942	Horine('s) Station/Horine (63070)	Joachim Township; A town & RR Stop named for the Horine family (pronounced Hohn-ine); laid out by William Riley in August of 1868. 1861, 1869, 1870, 1890, 1898;	Yes	T41-R; 29 miles south on the StLIM&S Railway, SW of Herculan eum.	A-1; B-4; D-3; E-2; F-1; Wayne Wiley



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1 0 2	1833 1864 1893	1858 1893 Present	Houses' Spring/House Springs (63051)	Meramec Township; Named for the family of an earlier settler: Adam House. The Post Office was established in 1833 and was the 3rd Post Office in JC. 1861, 1869, 1870, 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898	Yes	T41-R5; Located in NW JC off of Hwy 30.	A-1; D-3; F-1
1 0 3	1895	1898	Howe's Station	Joachim Township; RR station; aka Genevieve; 1895, 1898	-	T41-R6	F-1;
1 0 4			Howe Mines		-	Howe's Crossing	B-1
1 0 5			Hug's Landing		-	Crystal City, near water company	B-1
1 0 6			Hunt's Mines	1867; Listed on 1867 Map of Jefferson County.	-		B-1
1 0 7			Huskey Town	Central Township; Settlement	-	T41-R4	F-1; Wayne Wiley- Surveyor
1 0 8			Ickes Station	RR stop on the <b>StLIMRR?</b>	-		E-1
1 0 9			Idles Station	RR stop on the <b>StLIMRR?</b>			
1 1 0			Illinois Station	Rock Township; RR stop; aka Pevely; 1861, 1870, 1890		T42-R6?	A-1; F-1

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1 1 1	1951	Present	Imperial (63051)	Rock Township; RR flag stop on the Frisco railway, aka West Kimmswick, renamed after the Imperial Clock Works Co. in _____. Imperial mail was delivered through Kimmswick until 1951.		T42-R6	D-3; E-2; F-1
1 1 2	1834 1852	1835 1859	Isle Au Bois/Isle Du Bois	Plattin Township; One of the earliest settlements in the county. The Post Office was established in 1834 and was first located in St. Genevieve County but moved across the county line in 1852. It was the 5th Post Office in JC.	Yes	T39-Rr; Located in the far southeastern part of JC, on the banks of a creek bearing the same name. The creek forms part of the boundary line between JC and Ste. Genevieve County.	D-3; F-1; GR977.86 7 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
1 1 3	1888	1900	Jarvis	Central Township; A town previously known as Sandy Bridge; name changed in 1888. <b>Call George Bauman, owns apts.</b>	Yes	T41-R5; located off of Hwy 21.	D-3; E-2; F-1; Wayne Wiley, Surveyor; B-1;

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114				Jewett's Landing / Jewitt's Subdivision	Call Dave Halleman - 2 different places? 1869;					B-1
115				Jefferson Heights	Rock Township; A settlement so named because it was one of the highest points in Jefferson County.	-		T42-R5		JCHC
116	1850	1861		Jefferson Mills	Meramec Township; a town; Post Office closed in 1861; Later reopened in 1868 and known as Cedar Hill.	Yes		T42-R3;		A-1; D-3; D-4; F-1
117				Jefferson Station	Rock Township; RR stop; 1861, 1869, 1870, 1898	-		T42-R6		A-1; F-1
118				Jerseydale	RR stop					F-1
119				Joachim Township						GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 7 - 8
120				Juniper Hill				At the intersection of Rice & Johnsons Roads.		B-1

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1 2 1	1858	1973	Kimmswick (63053)	1861, 1869, 1870, 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898, 1907 Rock Township; The town was laid out by Theodore Kimm in October 1859. "Wick" means 'village' in his hometown.	Yes	T42-R6; On the banks of the Mississip pi River at the mouth of Rock Creek; situated on the St. Louis, IM&S Railway in the NE section of JC.	A-1; B-3; B-4; D-3; E-2; F-1
1 2 2			Kimmswick Bone Yard			Mastodon State Park	B-1
1 2 3			Kingston Road	1940		Big River Heights Road	B-1
1 2 4			Koch Valley	Joachim Township; A settlement		T41-R6	F-1

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1 2 5	-	-	Kohler City	<p>Joyce Glatt remembers a "Variety Store" owned by Leonard Kohler. She remembers artificial legs hanging from the ceiling and a pan of false teeth for sale. There were several stores together and it was called Kohler City. The buildings were under one roof and built out of wood. There was a terrible fire and it burned to the ground. The building was rebuilt out of brick &amp; concrete. She remembers artificial legs hanging from the ceiling and a pan of false teeth for sale.</p> <p>Theodore, Jr. &amp; Verna Kohler ran the new grocery store. Shirley Kohler Malcolm ran the restaurant, Grandma Augusta Kohler baked "mile-high" pies every day for the restaurant.</p>	No	7045 US Hwy 61-67, Barnhart	<p>E-2; Joyce Glatt  <u>(Interview ed</u>  <hr style="border: 1px solid red; width: 50px; margin: 0 auto;"/> <u>)</u></p>
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1 2 6	1890	1914	Knorpp/Knopp	Plattin Township; A town and RR stop named for the only postmaster.	Yes	T39-R5; Located in Plattin Township, in the southern section of JC.	F-1; GR977.86 7 Reflection s Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95
1 2 7			La Barque Creek/LaBarque Hill	Meramec Township; A settlement		T43-R3	B-3; F-1
1 2 8			Lakeside	Rock Township; a settlement	-	T43-R6	
1 2 9			Lee's Diggins	Hearst Homestead		Big River Heights Road	
1 3 0			Liberty/New Liberty	Central Township; a settlement	-	T40-R4	
1 3 1			Liberty Corner	1940, an historic home	No	Located on the curve of Old Sugar Creek Road	
1 3 2	1948	Present	Ligouri (63057)	Rock Township; a town - the Redemptorist Fathers, a Catholic Monastery, & has its own Post Office.	Yes	T42-R6; SW of Barnhart.	D-3; E-2; F-1
1 3 3			Linnville	1869; Big River Township; a town; present day Frumet.	Yes	T40-R3	A-1; F-1; GR977.86 7 Reflection s Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
1 3 4	1838	1845	Linnville	Big River Township; Mail delivery located at the Old Wideman's Mill near Morse Mill.		T41-R3; Located at Dittmer and Grubville.	D-3; F-1;

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								on Highway 30 between D		
135			Limitsville/Limitsville		Joachim Township; Previous name of Tanglefoot then renamed Festus	-	T40-R6			F-1;
136	1863	1863	Little Rock		Rock Township; A stream now known as Rock Creek but was named "Petit Roche" by the French. Americans translated it as "Little Rock".	Yes	T42-R6; specific location unknown.			D-3; F-1;
137			Little Switzerland		Central Township; a settlement	-	T41-R4			F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
138	1887 1900	1890 1904	Local		Meramec Township; A town with a store, blacksmith, Post Office, school, and a Church / Photo of 1911 Class; S.G.A. Medley/Henry F. Meyer; Only the church cemetery and farm remains of the location of the original post office.	Yes	T42-R4; Situated near Cedar Hill, on the Local-Hillsboro Road & Cedar Hill Rd & Pete O'Brien; Located in a valley at the foot of Medley Hill and extending northwes			GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95 & GR977.867 Reflections Summer 1987 Vol 3, No 2; pg. 50 & GR977.867 Reflections Fall 1987; Vol

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								† to the Big River.		3, No 3; pg. 63 - 64; Interview of Clint LaKamp (O'Brien descendant)
139	1881	1882	Loe/Lee		Big River Township; a town; the Post Office opened 25 May 1881 & closed 18 Jul 1882; aka Viola	Yes		Location unknown		F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
140			Loginges							
141			Lone Dell		Rock Township; A town	-		T43-R5		F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
142			Long Bottom		Valle Township; a settlement; present day DeSoto; 1865,	-		T39-R4		B-1; F-1



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1 4 3	1886	1890	Longview	Rock Township; General Store, later known as Murphy/Murphy Flats.	Yes	T43-R5; Located on Gravois Rock Road in NW JC. In the vicinity of Fritz Delbruegge property, near Brennen Rd. In 1893 it moved to the Murphy Store.	D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 96 - 97 & GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
1 4 4			Luckey	Valle Township; a settlement; aka Pleasant Ridge	-	T40-R4	
1 4 5			Ludwig/Ludwick	Joachim Township; An area in Festus now known as West Town Park		T40-R5	F-1
1 4 6			Maddox Mill/Maddox Mill Bridge	Meramec Township; now known as Cedar Hill Bridge		T42-R3; Near Cedar Hill Mill in Meramec Township.	B-1; F-1
1 4 7			Mammoth Mines	Valle Township; a mining town; aka Oakland; the village took its name from the size of the huge caves surrounding them.		T39-R3; West of DeSoto, Mammoth Creek Road & Hwy H	B-1; F-1; JCHC

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1 4 8	1949	Present	Mapaville (63065)	Joachim Township; a town; A fire destroyed the post office in 1996; but was rebuilt.	Yes	T41-R5; located at Hwy A and Hwy Z, NE of Hillsboro.	D-3; E-2; F-1
1 4 9	1873	1905	Maxville	Rock Township; a town previously known as Soulard; with a store, saloon, Dance Hall, bank, church, and school - named for Max Stengel, the first businessman in the area; Incorporated with city of Arnold. 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898	Yes	T43-R-6; Located on Old HWY 141 near Hwy 61	A-1; D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95
1 5 0			McNutt	Joachim Township; a settlement near Horine; aka Munson's		T41-R5; Festus-Horine Road & McNutt School Road.	B-1; E-2; F-1
1 5 1	1890	1901	McCormack, McCormack's Mine/McCormic/McCormick	Plattin Township; A mining town and a RR stop; 1898;	Yes	T39-R6; Northern part of Plattin Township.	A-1; D-3; F-1
1 5 2	1906	1938	Melzo	Valle Township; a town	Yes	T38-R5; located about 5 miles S of DeSoto on Hwy E.	D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
1 5 3			Meramec Heights	Rock Township; a settlement	-	T43-R5	E-2; F-1

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1 5 4			Merrimack (Meramec) Township	(Mec Mac) The largest township in Jefferson County, bordered by both the Meramec and Big Rivers and Head's Creek; one of the earlier settlements; about a mile above the mouth of Big River.				GR977.86 7 Reflection s Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 99 - 100
1 5 5			? Mine-s-Breton	GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 25 - 26			Old Mines?	GR977.86 7 Reflection s Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 25 - 26
1 5 6			Moder Indian Mounds					
1 5 7	1890		Montesano Springs	Rock Township; A summer resort laid out by the Montesano Springs Co. in October 1881.	-	T40-R4; North side of Kimmwic k	A-1; B-1; B-4; B-5; F-1	

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1 5 8			Monticello	Central Township; The original name of Hillsborough/Hill sboro; this name was picked for the town that would be the county seat, however the Postmaster General said that Lewis County had already selected that name and two Monticello's would be confusing so please come up with a better name. Hillsborough was selected and eventually spelt Hillsboro.			T40-R4		B-1; F-1
1 5 9	1876		Moon Town	Valle Township; a town	Yes		T38-R4; Near Moon Town Cemetery Road		B-1; F-1
1 6 0			Mooney's Bridge	Valle Township; DeSoto RR Bridge			North side of town.		B-1
1 6 1			Moore Town	Joachim Township; present day Festus					B-1
1 6 2	1859 1892 1895	1869 1893 present	Morse Mill (63066)	Big River Township; a mill town named after John Morse; aka Linnville; 1869, 1895, 1898	Yes		T41-R3; Located off of Hwy B, NW of Hillsboro; near Wideman's Mill.		A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1

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1 6 3	1892	1893	Moss	Rock Township; a town (Glaize); probably in Moss Hollow.	Yes	T41-R5; Probably in the vicinity of Moss Hollow School, off Old Lemay Ferry Rd.	B-1; D-3; F-1
1 6 4			Mt. Freedom	Big River Township; A settlement that is now known as a subdivision between Ware & DeSoto, between Russell Rd. & Cornerstone from Hwy. Y, on Platt	-	T40-R3-S24	F-1; Debbie Dunnegan
1 6 5			Mt. Hope	Big River Township; a settlement	-	T41-R3	F-1
1 6 6	1894	1906	Murphy / Murphy Flats	Rock Township; Mary Murphy's Store; combined with Fenton	Yes	T43-R5; Located on Gravois Rock Rd.	D-3; E-2; F-1; C-1; Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 96 - 97 & GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14; Debbie Dunnegan
1 6 7			Munson's	Joachim Township; a settlement near Horine; aka McNutt		T41-R5; Festus-Horine Road & McNutt School Road.	B-1; E-2; F-1

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1 6 8	1857	1858	Napton	Valle Township; a town believed to be named for Supreme Court Justice William B. Napton; present day DeSoto	Yes	T39-R4	D-3; F-1; GR977.86 7 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14; B-1
1 6 9			Negro Fork	A fork on the Big River where the first Baptist Church in St. Louis County (now Jefferson County) was established as early as 1817.		West of House Springs	GRR977.8 67 Reflections Spring 1988, Vol 1, No. 1, pg. 12
1 7 0			New Detroit	Joachim Township; named by the owners of the Amercian Plate Glass Co. out of Detroit, MI. However, the natives of the town preferred to keep its name and the council from Detroit agreed; present day Crystal City		T40-R6	F-1
1 7 1			New Franklin	Present Day Pacific - The Atlantic Pacific Railroad was supposed to go across the United States but the Civil War in 1865 stopped construction at New Franklin, MO. The city was renamed 'Pacific' so that the railroad could claim		Franklin County	Carole Goggin, 10/02/2014

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					"Atlantic to Pacific" line.				
1 7 2			New Hartford		Joachim Township; A town established on the West bank of the Mississippi River in 1805; East of where Herculaneum was originally laid out. Christian Wilt and John Honey built a shot tower and a store. There are some who think that this was the location of the first county seat however, there are no records to substantiate this claim. Present day Herculaneum			T41-R6; Near present day RR station Illinois; near Pevely, located at the mouth of the Joachim Creek.	B-1; B-5; F-1; G-1

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1 7 3	1893	1895	Nuelle(s)	Meramec Township; Small town; pronounced "Nellie". There is not much known about the town except that Joseph F. Nuelle and W. H. Powell were the only known postmasters. After the Post Office was closed, mail was diverted through House Springs.	Yes	T42-R4; The location of this short-lived town was near the intersection of House Springs-Hillsboro Rd. and Local-Hillsboro Rd.	B-2, D-2; D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
1 7 4			Null's Mill	AKA Benson's Mill		Hematite	B-1
1 7 5			Oakland	<b>Big River Township; Danby or Mammoth? Ask Hallemann &amp; Goggin</b>		T39-R3	F-1
1 7 6			Oakvale	Plattin Township; a settlement; 1895		T39-R5; Located in Plattin Township, in the southern section of Jefferson County	A-1; F-1
1 7 7	1837	1838	Oceola / Osceola	Meramec Township; The Post Office was established in 1837 and was the 5th Post Office in JC; in the home of Stephen Senter (1st & only postmaster); later known as	Yes	T42-R4; Wayside of Big River on US Survey #3166; near Frumet Bridge.	D-2; D-3; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14; B-1



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					Regina.					
1 7 8	1858	1858	Old Buck Station		RR Station					GR977.86 7 Reflection s Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
1 7 9	1888	1955	Oermann		Meramec Township; a town established in 1888; a sign on the highway still marks the spot and the name continues to show up on local maps even though the town itself no longer exists. Named for 1st postmaster, Charles Oermann; 1895, 1898	Yes		T41-R3; Located at Dittmer and Grubville. on Highway 30.		A-1; B-2; D-3; E-2; F-1
1 8 0	1858	1858	Old Buck Station		Central Township; a town & RR stop; name changed to Hillsboro Station in April 1858.					D-3

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1 8 1	1872	1882	Old Ditch		Big River Township; A mining town. A sign is still on the highway even though the town no longer exists. Post Office moved to Frumet in 1882.	Yes	T40-R2; SW part of JC; near Washingt on County line.		A-1; D-3; F-1
1 8 2	1828		? Old Mines						GR977.86 7 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 25 - 26; GRR??? Reflections Revised, Vol 3, No 1, 2007, page 11
1 8 3			Olevia Sanitarium		On land in DeSoto where the DeSoto Academy was built after a fire burned the building in the 1890's.				B-1
1 8 4			O'Fallons House	1860			Parkton's Subdivisi on, I-55 & Hwy M		B-1
1 8 5			Olympian Village		Plattin Township; a village	-	T39-R5; Located in Plattin Township, in the southern section of Jefferso n County		E-2;

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1 8 6			101 Ranch (One Hundred & One)	Meramec Township; a town	Yes	T42-R3; Near Cedar Hill Mill in Meramec Township.		
1 8 7			Opal's	Central Township; <b>a town Call Wayne Wiley and Dave Hallemann</b>	Yes	T41-R4; Hwy 21 at Bus Garage		B-1
1 8 8			Otto/Ottoville	Rock Township; According to Wayne Wiley (Surveyor) a man named Otto put up a sign that declared: Ottoville, Population 3. The "town" still remains.	Yes	T42-R5;	<b>1871</b>	E-2; F-1; Wayne Wiley, Surveyor for ALS
1 8 9			Papin	Plattin Township; a settlement	<b>Yes</b>			<b>E-2; F-1; GR910.778 6 Champion Map of Jefferson County, MO MCMLXX XVII (1987?);</b>
1 9 0			Parkdale	Meramec Township; a settlement	-	T43-R4		E-2; F-1
1 9 1			Paulina Hill	Rock Township; a settlement	=	T43-R5		E-2; F-1

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1 9 2	1858 1863	1862 Present	Pevely / Pevely Springs (63070)	Joachim Township; a town & RR stop probably named for one of the earlier settlers named Pevely, laid out by Judge Charles S. Rankin in September 1858. Originally known as Pevely Springs & part of Herculanum. Once an important shipping point for county dairy products. 1861, 1869, 1883, 1898, 1907;	Yes	T41-/56; Located 27 miles South of St. Louis and on the StLIMS Railway; 4 miles S of Barnhart on US 61.	A-1; B-4; D-3; E-2; F-1
1 9 3			Pictographs / <u>Pictographs</u>				
1 9 4	1858 1871	1862 1941	Plattin	Plattin Township; a town and RR stop; "according to local lore, the spring fed creek from which the area got its name was meant to be called "Platting" but in those days no one bothered to pronounce the "g" on the end of words ending in "ing'" so it became known as "Plattin." The name came from the endless platting (surveying) going on at the time for railroad right-of-ways.			A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1

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					1890, 1895, 1898					
1 9 5			Plattin Landing		in <b>Festus</b> , 1861					A-1;
1 9 6			Plattin Rock							
1 9 7	1871	1941	Plattin Township			Yes				GR977.86 7 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 7 - 8

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198	1881	1905	Regina		Meramec Township; a town - Isador Mandel was the store owner and postmaster when the place was founded in 1881. The town may have been named for Mr. Mandel's wife or daughter. The town of Regina flooded and that was the end of the town. A pig farmer bought the land and turned it into a pig farm. 1890, 1898,	Yes	T42-R4; Located in the vicinity of Belew's Creek at Regina Road and Hwy BB, S of Cedar Hill.		A-1; B-1; B-2; D-3; F-1; Wayne Wiley, Surveyor for ALS
199			Reo Grand		A fork of the Big River				B-1
200			? Richwoods						GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 25 - 26
201	1890	1906	Riverside		Joachim Township; a town; present day Pevely.	Yes	T41-R5; located on the banks of the Mississippi River; now Pevely.		A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1
202			Rock		Rock Township; a town, location of one of the Leight General Stores		T43-R5; Across from St. John's Cemetery on Rock Creek Road		GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 99 - 100; also

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									"What's in a Name", pg. 101
203	1888	1906	Rock Creek		Rock Township; a town	Yes	T43-R5; on Rock Creek Rd. 3 miles E of High Ridge.		D-3; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 99 - 100; also "What's in a Name," pg. 101
204			Rock Township		Probably the first location of permanent settlements in Jefferson County.		"Rock Township embraces the whole of congressional T42, R5, and a fraction of T42 R6, T43; R6, and T43; R5. Its NE boundary is the Meramec River separating it from St. Louis County."		GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 99 - 100; also "What's in a Name," pg. 101; B-3
205			Rockford Mill		Mill				
206			Rockfort Hill		Joachim Township; Sand Mine; 1861;	-	T41-R5; East of Silica; On hill above West		B-1

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								Town Park, Festus		
207				Rockport	Rock Township; a town; present day Rockport Heights in Arnold.	-		One-half mile south of Beck.		<u>        </u> B-1; F-1
208				Rosenauer	Meramec Township; a settlement; aka Mt. Olive			T42-R4		F-1
209	1843 1871	1856 1951		Rush Tower	Plattin Township; Received its' name from John Rush who built a lead shot tower there. The tower was located on a large bluff, overlooking the Mississippi River. The site was an early lead shipping point, but later became better known for agricultural production. 1861, 1869, 1870, 1890, 1898	Yes		T39-R5; Far Southern part of JC.		A-1 D-3; E-2; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
210				Saline (Berresheim)						
211				Saline Creek	John Hilterbrand, the presumed first settler in Jefferson County, made a settlement here in 1774; about three miles <b>South</b> from Fenton on the Meramec River.					B-3
212				Salt Springs	Salt was made here in 1775 for the earliest					B-3



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					settlements.				
2 1 3	1877	1888	Sandy Bridge		Joachim Township; a mining town named for the Sandy Creek Covered Bridge; present day Jarvis.	Yes	T41-R5		D-3; F-1
2 1 4			Sandy Bridge		Joachim Township; a bridge built in 1872.	-	T41-R5		B-1; D-3; F-1
2 1 5			Saltpeter		Plattin Township; a mining town	-	T39-R6		F-1
2 1 6			Sandy Creek						
2 1 7	1844 1856	1849 1862	Sandy Mines		Joachim Township; a mining town; 1869, 1890,	Yes	T41-R5; 5 miles NE of Hillsboro		A-1; D-3; F-1
2 1 8	1886	1908	Scagg's Spring		Post Office, General Store, Blacksmith Shop, School	Yes	NW JC, on Byrnesville Rd	Scheve Community Center	GR977.86 7 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95
2 1 9	1886	1908	Scheve/Sheve		Meramec Township; a town near Byrnesville and was named for the store owner & postmaster, Bernard Scheve; mail redirected to Catawissa 26 May 1908	Yes	T42-R3; close to the intersection of Byrnesville Rd. and Hwy N; School still stands.		A-1; D-3; F-1
2 2 0			Schlosser's Beach		A beach in 1930.		Across from Byrnesville Mill on the Big River.		B-1

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2 2 1			Scotsdale	Meramec Township; a town;	-	T42-R4	E-2; F-1
2 2 2	1889	1906	Seckman	Rock Township; 1898a town; mail directed to Kimmswick 15 Mar 1906.	Yes	T42-R5; off Hwy 61 on Seckman Rd.	A-1; E-1; F-1
2 2 3			Seemel	Central Township; a settlement	Yes	T40-R4	
2 2 4	1827 1859 1905	1857 1867 1913	Selma	Plattin Township; a town, established in 1827 as the Village of Selma by the notorious" John Smith T", the name was derived from a poem he read that he thought described his new village; location of 2nd post office in JC.	Yes	T40-R6	D-3
2 2 5	1861	1869	Selma Hall / Hill	aka Kennett Castle		On the grounds of Selma Hall built by Ferdinand Kennett in 1854.	A-1; D-3;
2 2 6			Seven Gables	1860		Parkton's Subdivision, I=55 & Hwy M	B-1
2 2 7			Shady Valley	Rock Township; a settlement	-	T43-R5	

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2 2 8	1885	1918	Silica City	Joachim Township; Laid out by S. W. Crawford in 1885. This town contained a post office, general store, hotel, and a railroad station. The Glenwood Lime Co. was nearby as well as a huge deposit of fine glass sand. Five to six carloads were shipped daily to St. Louis. Present day Crystal City; aka Hanover/Bailey Station; post office closed in 1918 and rerouted to Hematite; 1895		T41-R5; 31 miles from St. Louis on the StLIMS Railway at the junction with the Crystal City Railroad.	A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1; JCHC
2 2 9			Silk Stocking Hill	According to legend, this was a neighborhood for the wealthy bankers and their families. Here the women could afford to buy and wear silk stockings.		4th & West Pratt St. DeSoto, MO	B-1
2 3 0	1857	1858	Shibboleth		Yes		GR977.86 7 Reflections Fall 1986 Vol 2, No 3; pg. 66
2 3 1	1842	1845	Smithland	Valle Township; a town; aka Avoca	Yes	T39-R5; Near Papin Rd. SE of DeSoto.	D-3; F-1

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2 3 2	1857	1858	Smizer's Mill						
2 3 3			Smucker's Mill/Bonaker's Mill						
2 3 4			Soulard	Rock Township; a settlement later known as Maxville	-	T43-R6			F-1
2 3 5	1895		Spencer	1895					A-1;
2 3 6			Spring Forest	Rock Township;	-	T42-R5			
2 3 7			Springdale	<u>Valle Township;</u> a settlement	-	T39-R4			
2 3 8			Stringtown	Meramec Township; a settlement	-	T43-R4			
2 3 9			Stone House Road	This road existed for the stagecoach run between St. Louis and Texas. A house of stone was built to serve as a hotel and terminal for the line. The road was named for the stone house,					JCHC
2 4 0			Stovesand Hills			Cedar Hill, east of Hwy 30 on Hwy B.			B-1

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2 4 1	1837 1858 1910	1858 1910 * Present	Sulphur Springs / Sulphur Springs Landing (63083)	Rock Township; a town, boat landing, & RR stop; Owned by one of the earliest settlers, John Stuart. Laid out by James Burgess, Jr. & Thomas Burgess, Jr. in May 1860. The Post Office was established in 1837 and was the 7th Post Office in JC; (*name changed back to Sulphur Springs;) present day Windsor Harbor; 1861, 1869, 1870, 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898, 1907; )	Yes	T42-R6; Located on the Mississip pi River & on the IMS Railway at the mouth of Glaize Creek S of Kimmswic k; 23 miles S of St. Louis.	A-1; B-3; B-4; D-3; E-2; F-1
2 4 2			Sunnyside	Rock Township. A mining town.	-	T42-R6; Located on the Mississip pi & on the IMS Railway at the mouth of Glaize Creek; 23 miles South of St. Louis.	F-1
2 4 3			Swinging Bridge	DeSoto		North of the Internati onal Shoe Co. at Clement	B-1
2 4 4			Sylvan Heights	a settlement; 1872	-	North of Kimmswic	B-1; F-1



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2 4 8	1910	1915	Ten Brook / Tenbrook	Rock Township; a town & RR stop/depot; <u>aka Riverside</u> ; present day Arnold	Yes	<u>T43-R6: Located in Valle Towns, several miles southwest of DeSoto</u>	D-3; <u>F-1</u> ; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 96 - 97 & GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 14
2 4 9	1908	1911	Tunnel Station	Valle Township; a town & RR stop; the town was built alongside a long railroad tunnel; present day Vineland; 1860/1861, 1869, 1870;	Yes	<u>T38-R5: located on the old road that ran from Valle Mines to Bonne Terre.</u>	A-1; B-1; D-3; F-1
2 5 0	1850	1850	Tyro	Valle Township; a town & RR stop; aka Glenfinlas in July 1850; present day Vineland;	Yes	T39-R4; located at the Wilson residence near the Big River.	D-3; F-1
2 5 1	1830 1858 1922	1837(???) ? Present	Valle(s) Mines (63087)	Valle Township; a mining town 1st established in JC in 1830 with Thomas Tarplay as postmaster, then the office moved to St. Francois Co. and then back to JC. Named for the Valle family who 1st operated the lead mines in the area; 1895, 1898	Yes	T38-R5; Hwy V and 67	A-1; D-1; E-2; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1; pg. 7 - 8; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1987; Vol 3, No 1;





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							Town Cemetery Road & Hwy E		
2 5 7	1867	1955	Vineland	Valle Township; a mill town with a RR stop; Was named Tyro before; Several Stores and a railroad station, mail redirected to DeSoto. 1869, 1883, 1890, 1895, 1898	Yes		T39-R4; several miles SW of DeSoto.		A-1; D-3; E-2; F-1
2 5 8	1881	1881	Viola	Big River Township; a town that operated from Mar 1881 - May 1881; aka Lee / Loe	Yes		Location unknown		D-3; F-1
2 5 9			Walthers Park	Mr. Walthers donated a large sum of money to DeSoto for the purpose of building a park. The park was named in his honor.	No				JCHC
2 6 0	1882	1906	Ware	Big River Township; a town and named for John Ware who built the first general store in the area. The town no longer exists; 1898	Yes		T40-R3; located NW of Morse Mill on Hwy C.	X	A-1; F-1;
2 6 1			Weber Hill	Meramec Township; a settlement	-		T43-R4		E-2; F-1
2 6 2	1888	1890	West Kimmswick	Rock Township; a town; early RR depot or flag stop; present day Imperial	Yes		T42-R6; Located on the Mississippi & on the IMS		B-4; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol

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								Railway at the mouth of Glaize Creek; 23 miles South of St. Louis.		2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95
2 6 3	1888 1895 1903	1890 1898 1910	Wicks / Wickes / Wickes Station	Rock Township; a town & early depot or flag stop; reopened in 1903				T42-R? ; located between Kimmswick and Arnold.		A-1; D-3; GR97F-1; 7.867 Reflections Winter 1986; Vol 2, No 4; pg. 94 - 95
2 6 4	1858	1858	Wideman's Mill	Big River Township;		Yes		T41-R3; near Morse Mill, specific location unknown		
2 6 5	1858	1858	Windsor / Windsor Harbor	Rock Township; a mining town; originally established as Sulphur Springs in 1859; however many legends exist regarding the origination of this town. One claims the town was laid out by Freeman Waters in 1859. According to postal records Windsor Harbor had a post office in 1858. Another credits the name to the sinking of a federal gunboat which sank in the harbor during		Yes		T42-R6; Located across the creek from Kimmswick & on the South side of Little Rock Creek, Post Office moved to Kimmswick.		A-1; B-4; B-5; F-1; GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1988; Vol 4, No 1; pg. 2

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					the Civil War; however, the Civil War didn't begin until three years after the town was named. The town's post office lasted only one year as Windsor Harbor; it was then moved to Kimmswick. 1890				
2 6 6			Wire Bridge	DeSoto			Built behind Railroad Shops.		B-1
2 6 7			Yerkes' Mill	1847, aka Gherke's' Mill or Byrnes Mill					B-1
2 6 8			Yates	Rock Township; aka Rock Creek	-	T43-R5			F-1
2 6 9			Yerkes Mill	Meramec Township; aka Gherkes Mill; present day Byrnesville Mill, now known as Lulumiere's Mill Bed & Breakfast in Byrnesville	-	T42-R3			A-1; F-1
2 7 0			Zion	Joachim Township; a settlement	-	T41-R5			F-1

Legend	Definition of Source
A-1	Jefferson County Historical Society-The Heritage News, Issue 17, June 1998, pg. 6
A-2	Jefferson County Historical Society-The Heritage News, Issue 7, April, 1994 - "School Days - 1884)
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B-2	GR977.867 Reflections Spring 1988; Vol. 4, No 1; pg. 27
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D-1	Postal Zip Code Numbers
D-2	GR977.867 Reflections, Spring 1990, pg. 11
D-3	Post Offices of JC, MO 1811-1996 Compiled by Della Lang
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E-2	GR910.7786 Champion Map, MCMLXXXVII (1987?)
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