

POSTMASTERS TO AID UNEMPLOYED

Blank Forms Are Circulated and Free Use of the Mails are Included in Plans.

Thirty-four hundred postmasters in Minnesota, North and South Dakota and the free use of the mails were enlisted in the gigantic plans of the government in the effort to get work for the unemployed and supply employers with men through the immigration bureau's employment department.

Blank forms to be used both by men seeking work and those needing laborer have been sent to every post-office in the three states and instruction given that all applications when filled out should be sent to the Minneapolis immigration bureau as government business, without postage.

The free use of the employment service is extended to citizen and alien alike and all persons seeking work of any kind or men needing laborers for any purpose will be given the right to use the postmaster in his territory to get in touch with the outside world.

Particular attention will be given to employment of farm hands and domestics, to obtaining land to be operated on shares and in general to getting men and women from the cities to go into the country for work.

Postmasters are instructed to keep in touch with development work, to learn the number of farm hands needed and to urge all farmers needing workers of either sex to place their application with the immigration bureau. Under the plans each postmaster will act as an agent and send reports to the Minneapolis office on the general prospects for employment of men in his section.