

POST OFFICE NUMBERS

OFFICE	ERROR OF NUMBER	CORRECT NUMBER	COUNTY	FIRST ISSUE / USE	LAST USED	STATUS.
Blackburn	98	86	Lancs	1844	1899	Error of number 98 instead of 86 in a 1844 type, a 3HOS and a 3VOS
Carthagena	C65	C56	Colombia	1866	1881	A 4VOS (with a thin C) issued and used in error for number C56. GB stamps used at Carthagena (C56 and C65) from Sep1865 to Mar1881
Castle Eden Colliery	D71	D69	Durham	1868	1873	Number D71 used at both Castle Eden Colliery (in a 4VOS) and Wingate (in a 3VOD). Castle Eden Colliery was under Ferry Hill 1854 - 1867.
Cemmaes	C09	C06	Mont	1864	1894	C09 was allocated to Commins Coch Mont. But only used at Cemmaes.
Chelmsford	169	176	Essex	1870	1873	Error of number 169 in a 4VOD instead of 176
Churston Ferrers	985	G85	Devon	1883	1915	Error of number 985 in a 3VOD instead of G85.
Cogan Pill, Penarth	D94	A94	Glam	1887	1887	Error D94 for A94.
Coxhoe	D72	D72	Durham	1868	1909	D72 is Trimdon Grange in the 1874 list but only used at Coxhoe.
Coxhoe	D73	D72	Durham	NONE	NONE	D73 listed as Coxhoe in the 1874 list but only used at Trimdon Grange. First issued in Jul1868
Crowborough	829	928	Sussex	1889	1901	Error of number used 829 in a 3VOD instead of 928. Under Tunbridge Wells 1889 - 1906 +
Derry Ormond	F32	none	Card	1879	1903	Originally Bettws Railway Sub Office (1871 to 1876) which became Derry Ormond Railway Sub Office in 1876. Derry Ormond used the number F32 in a 4VOS from 1879 to 1903 whilst the number was allocated to and used in Bettws-y-coed Carnarvonshire.
Devonport	620	250	Devon	1854	1857	A Sideways duplex was issued in Jun 1854 with the 620 of Plymouth rather than the 250 of Devonport.
Dudley	392	263	Worcs	1854	1854	Error of number 392 in a 3HOS instead of 263
Dudley	293	263	Worcs	1850	1853	Error of number 293 in a 3HOS instead of 263
Eccleshall	372	273	Staffs	?	?	Brumell records a 372 used at Eccleshall in 1870.
Edenbridge	697	967	Kent	1892	1894	Error of number 697 in a 3VOD instead of 967
Emma Colliery	B76	none	Durham	1884	1895	3VOS sent in Jun1884, despite B76 still being allocated to Cowpen. Emma Colliery not allocated B76 in any list and not in the Post Office Guides until 1891 then under Ryton 1891 - 1906 +
Faversham	291	301	Kent	1861	1863	Error of number 291 in a 3HOS instead of 301
Fence Houses	958	none	Durham	1846	1855	An 1844 type and 3HOS number 958 were used at Fence Houses in error. Number 958 was allocated to Leigh Lancs from 1844 to 1962.
Goginan	089	087	Card	?	?	Dendy Marshall records O89 used at Goginan in error.
Grantham	123	321	Lincs	1851	GPO	Error of number 123 in a 3HOS instead of 321
Heywood	C63	C63I	Lancs	1885	1909	16 years after the last C63 was used at Tampico a C63 3VOD was issued to Heywood. Probably an unrecorded allocation rather than an error of number.
Holt	391	371	Norfolk	1875	1878	Error of number 391 in a 3VOS instead of 371
Ilfracombe	156	400	Devon	1897	1897	Error of number 156 in a 3VOS instead of 400
Ipswich	504	405	Suffolk	1873	1874	Error of number 504 in a 4VOD instead of 405
Ironbridge	404	406	Salop	1887	1888	Error of number 404 in a 3VOD instead of 406
Kibworth Harcourt	B66	797	Leics	1862	1876	Error of number B66 instead of 797. 3CD issued Jul1862
Ledbury	445	446	Heref	1904	1904	Error of number 445 in a 3VOD instead of 446
Liverpool, N.W.T.P.O.	446	466	Lancs	1873	G.P.O.	Error of number. NWTP = North Western Travelling Post Office. A 4VOD with N.W.T.P. Liverpool in the cds was sent in Jan 1873.
Llandudno	B46	B47	Carn	1875	1877	Error of number B46 in a 3VOS instead of B47
Lynmouth	970	none	Devon	1848	1860	970 allocated to Washford but not used there, it was only used at Lynmouth to Mar1860.
Mitcheldean	313	none	Glos	1845	1851	Mitcheldean was later allocated number 097
Morpeth	531	537	Northumb	1861	1864	Error of number 531 instead of 537 in a 3CD
Morpeth	121	537	Northumb	1854	1856	Error of number 121 in a 3HOS instead of 537
Neyland	C92	none	Pem	1867	1905	All C92 numerals were used here despite the lists having 'Nayland'. (Nayland Suffolk in the 1874 to 1906 lists).

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Northampton	365	570	Northts	1873	G.P.O.	A 4VOD number 365 was sent in May1873, it has never been seen and probably was not put into use.
Oldbury	034	035	Worcs	1854	1857	Error of number 034 in a 3HOS instead of 035
Oxford	613	603	Oxon	1871	1873	Error of number 613 in two different 4VOD's instead of 603
Pantperthog	G89	none	Mer	1883	1914	A 3VOS was sent to Pandy Railway Sub Office in Oct 1883. It has only been seen used at Pantperthog, which was a Railway Sub Office 1883 - 1905. Independent Sub Office 1905 - 1906 + The correct allocation for number G89 was Corris Mer.
Penarth Docks	D94	A94	Glam	1887	1887	Error D94 for A94. 3VOD sent Mar1887
Plymouth	G91	620	Devon	1883	NONE	A 3VOS may have been sent in error to Plymouth - not recorded in use
Ringwood	120	644	Hants	1849	1868	Error of number 120 in a 3HOS instead of 644
Saffron Walden	699	669	Essex	1865	1874	Error of number 699 in a 4VOD instead of 669
Sandy	D79	F79	Beds	1868	1872	Error? of number D79 in a 4VOS instead of F79. This could be a very short allocation D97 was sent in 1868 and then the allocation could have been changed prior to the 1874 list in which Sandy was allocated number F79. Number D79 was first allocated in the 1882 list, to Twyford.
Sedgefield	942	none	Durham	1844	1849	An 1844 type used from Jul1846 to Jun1849 at Sedgefield, not at Bradbury which was the correct allocation. Sedgefield later allocated number H47.
Shiplake	097	none	Oxon	1858	1859	Error? 097 was used in a 3HOS in Shiplake in 1858 to 1859. Then it was sent to Twyford in the early 1860's and used there from 1863 to 1877. Neither the Twyford or Shiplake were allocated 097 in any list.
Smethwick	035	034	Staffs	1854	1857	Error of number 035 in a 3HOS instead of 034
Stafford	780	730	Staffs	1852	1856	Error of number 780 in a 3HOS instead of 730
Stafford	732	730	Staffs	1856	1857	Error of number 732 in a Spoon instead of 730
Stockton	167	736	Durham	1849	1849	Error of number 167 in a 1844 type, instead of 736
Trimdon Grange	D72	D73	Durham	NONE	NONE	D72 listed as Trimdon Grange in the 1874 list but only used at Coxhoe.
Trimdon Grange	D73	D73	Durham	1868	1909	D73 always used at Trimdon Grange.
Twyford	097	none	Berks	1858	1877	Error? 097 was used in a 3HOS in Shiplake in 1858 to 1859. Then it was sent to Twyford in the early 1860's and used there from 1863 to 1877. Neither the Twyford or Shiplake were allocated 097 in any list.
Upton on Severn	931	920	Worcs	?	?	Brumell records 931 used at Upton in 1851.
Wednesbury	580	850	Staffs	1856	1856	Error of number 580 in a 3HOS instead of 850
Wingate	D69	D71	Durham	1868	1870	Error of number D69 allocated to Castle Eden Colliery but used at Wingate in a 4VOS.
Witheridge	070	014	Devon	1883	G.P.O.	Error of number 070 in a 3VOD instead of 014
Workington	H14	921	Cumb	1884	G.P.O.	A 3VOS H14 was sent in error to Workington, not seen used
Worthing	193	923	Sussex	1855	1856	Error of number 193 in a 3HOS instead of 923
Wrexham	824	924	Denbigh	1884	1884	Error of number 824 in a 3VOD instead of 924
Yoxford	D65	D95	Suffolk	1884	1919	Error of number D65 in a 3VOD instead of D95