GENERAL ABBREVIATIONS

acct ... accountant
adv ... advertising
agri ... agricultural
agt ... agent
al ... alley
Am ... American
appr ... apprentice
apts ... apartments
archt ... architect
asmblr ... assembler
Assn ... Association
asst ... assistant
atdt ... attendant
atty ... attorney
auto ... automobile
av ... avenue

bdg ... boarding
bet ... between
bgemn ... baggageman
bkbndr ... bookbinder
bkpr ... bookkeeper
bldg ... building
bldr ... builder
blk ... block
blksmith ... blacksmith
blvd ... boulevard
br ... branch
brklyr ... bricklayer
brkmn ... brakeman

cbtmkr ... cabinetmaker
capt ... captain
carp ... carpenter
cash ... cashier
Ch ... Church
chauf ... chauffeur
chf ... chief
civ ... civil
clk ... clerk
clnr ... cleaner
collr ... collector
com ... commission
coml ... commercial
comr ... commissioner
compt ... comptometer
cond ... conductor
confr ... confectioner
cons ... consulting
contr ... contractor
cor ... corner
corr ... correspondent
ct ... court
ctr ... cutter

del ... delivery
dept ... department
dep ... deputy
dicta ... dictaphone
dist ... district
dlr ... dealer
dmnstr ... demonstrator
dispr ... dispatcher
do ... ditto or same
dom ... domestic
drftsmn ... draftsman
drsmkr ... dressmaker

e or E ... East
elec ... electrical
electn ... electrician
electro ... electrotyper
elev ... elevator
embdr ... embroiderer
emp ... employee
emp agcy ... employment agency
eng ... engineer
engr ... engraver
e s ... east side
est ... estate
exch ... exchange
exp ... expressman

finshr ... finisher
flgmn ... flagman
formn ... foreman
forwn ... forewoman
frt ... freight
ft ... foot
ftr ... fitter
furn ... furniture
furng ... furnishing
furn rms ... furnished rooms

gasfitr ... gasfitter
gdnr ... gardener
gds ... goods
genl ... general
govt ... government
gro ... grocer

h ... householder
hairdrsr ... hairdresser
hd ... hand
hdqtrs ... headquarters
hdw ... hardware
hlpr ... helper
hngr ... hanger
hosp ... hospital

implts ... implements
imptr ... importer
inc ... incorporated
ins ... insurance
inspr ... inspector
instr ... instructor
int rev ... internal revenue

jwlr ... jeweler

kpr ... keeper

lab ... laborer
lieut ... lieutenant
lino ... linotype
litho ... lithographer
lbr ... lumber
lndrs ... laundress
lndymn ... laundryman
ltd ... limited

mach ... machinist
mdse ... merchandise
mech ... mechanic
mer ... merchant
Met ... Metropolitan
mfr ... manufacturer
mfg ... manufacturing
mgr ... manager
mkr ... maker
mkt ... market
mldr ... molder
mlnr ... milliner
mn ... man
msngr ... messenger
mstr mech ... master mechanic
mtrmn ... motorman
mut ... mutual

n or N ... North
Natl ... National
n e ... northeast
nr ... near
n s ... north side
n w ... northwest

(o) ... property owner
opp ... opposite
opr ... operator
osteo ... osteopath

pass ... passenger
pat ... patent
pdlr ... peddler
pharm ... pharmacist
photog ... photographer
phys ... physician
pk ... park
pkr ... packer
pkwy ... parkway
pl ... place
plmbr ... plumber
plstr ... plasterer
pntr ... painter
PO ... postoffice
pres ... president
prin ... principal
prod ... produce
prof ... professor
prop ... proprietor
prov ... provisions
prsfdr ... pressfeeder
prsmn ... pressman
ptrnmkr ... patternmaker
pub ... publishing
publr ... publisher
purch ... purchasing

r ... roomer or resides
R D ... Rural Delivery
rd ... road
real est ... real estate
rec ... receiving
rep ... representative
repr ... repairer
restr ... restaurant
ret ... retail
Ry ... Railway
RyMS ... Railway Mail Service

s or S ... South
san ... sanitary
sav ... savings
sch ... school
se ... southeast
sec ... secretary
sergt ... sergeant
ship ... shipping
slsmgr ... sales manager
slsmn ... salesman
slswn ... saleswoman
smstrs ... seamstress
soc ... society
solr ... solicitor
sq ... square
ss ... south side
sta ... station
sta eng ... stationary engineer
sten ... stenographer
stereo ... stereotyper
stmftr ... steamfitter
str ... steamer
supt ... superintendent
supvr ... supervisor
surg ... surgeon
sw ... southwest
swchmn ... switchman

tchr ... teacher
tel ... telephone
teleg ... telegraph
ter ... terrace
tmkpr ... timekeeper
tmstr ... teamster
tndr ... tender
trans ... transportation
trav ... traveling
treas ... treasurer
twp ... township

undtkr ... undertaker
uphol ... upholsterer
US ... United States
USA ... United States Army
USMC ... United States Marine Corps
USN ... United States Navy

vet ... veterinary
vulc ... vulcanizer

w or W ... West
whol ... wholesale
whsmn ... warehouseman
wid ... widow
wkr ... worker
wks ... works
ws ... west side
wtchmn ... watchman

ydmn ... yardman
ydmstr ... yardmaster

ABBREVIATIONS OF GIVEN NAMES

Abraham ... Abr
Alexander ... Alex
Alfred ... Alf
Andrew ... Andw
Archibald ... Arch
Arthur ... Arth
August ... Aug

Benjamin ... Benj

Catherine ... Cath
Charles ... Chas

Daniel ... Danl

Edward ... Edw
Elizabeth ... Eliz
Eugene ... Eug

Frederick ... Fredk

George ... Geo

Katherine ... Kath

Margaret ... Margt
Michael ... Michl

Patrick ... Patk

Richard ... Richd
Robert ... Robt

Samuel ... Saml
Solomon ... Sol
Stephen ... Steph

Theodore ... Theo
Thomas ... Thos

William ... Wm

FIRM ABBREVIATIONS

Am Tr Co ... American Trust Co
CB&QRRCo ... Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co
CRI&PRy ... Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway
C W Paper Co ... Crown Willamette Paper Co
C&HSR Corp ... California & Hawaiian Sugar Refining Corp
DC&HCo ... Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co
Eureka SD&M Mills ... Eureka Sash Door & Moulding Mills
Fid & Dep Co of Md ... Fidelity & Deposit Co of Maryland
GA&P Tea Co ... Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co
GECo ... General Electric Co

GMAC ... General Motors Acceptance Corp
ICS ... International Correspondence Schools
LASSCo ... Los Angeles Steamship Co
Luckenbach SS Co ... Luckenbach Steamship Co
MSRyCo ... Market St Railway Co
Mun Ry Co ... Municipal Railway Co
NBC ... National Broadcasting Co
NPRyCo ... Northern Pacific Railway Co
NWPRRCo ... Northwestern Pacific Railroad
NYK Line ... Nippon Yusen Kaisha Line
Pac SS Co ... Pacific Steamship Co
PG&ECo ... Pacific Gas & Electric Co
PT&T Co ... Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co

PO ... Post Office
PT-C Co ... Postal Telegraph-Cable Co
Ry Exp Agcy ... Railway Express Agency
SFFD ... San Francisco Fire Dept
SFPD ... San Francisco Police Dept
SOCo ... Standard Oil Co
SPCo ... Southern Pacific Co
Santa Fe ... Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry Co
UOCo ... Union Oil Co
UP System ... Union Pacific System
USA ... United States Army
USN ... United States Navy
WPRRCo ... Western Pacific Railroad Co
WUTCo ... Western Union Telegraph Co