

107TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 1714

To provide for the installation of a plaque to honor Dr. James Harvey  
Early in the Williamsburg, Kentucky Post Office Building.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 15, 2001

Mr. McCONNELL introduced the following bill; which was read twice and  
referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

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## A BILL

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James Harvey Early in the Williamsburg, Kentucky Post  
Office Building.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. INSTALLATION OF PLAQUE TO HONOR DR.**

4                       **JAMES HARVEY EARLY.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—The United States Postmaster  
6       General shall install a plaque to honor Dr. James Harvey  
7       Early in the Williamsburg, Kentucky Post Office Building  
8       located at 1000 North Highway 23 West, Williamsburg,  
9       Kentucky 40769.

1 (b) CONTENTS OF PLAQUE.—The plaque installed  
2 under subsection (a) shall contain the following text:

3 “Dr. James Harvey Early was born on June  
4 14, 1808 in Knox County, Kentucky. He was ap-  
5 pointed postmaster of the first United States Post  
6 Office that was opened in the town of Whitley  
7 Courthouse, now Williamsburg, Kentucky in 1829.  
8 In 1844 he served in the Kentucky Legislature. Dr.  
9 Early married twice, first to Frances Ann Ham-  
10 mond, died 1860; and then to Rebecca Cummins  
11 Sammons, died 1914. Dr. Early died at home in  
12 Rockhold, Kentucky on May 24, 1885 at the age of  
13 77.”.

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