

War Office, Pall Mall,
30th September, 1887.

Royal Engineers. The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels and Colonels, having completed five years' service as Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels, retire on retired pay and compensation, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 1st October, 1887:—

Henry Spencer Palmer.
Robert Barton.
Robert Owen Jones, C.B.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels and Colonels, having completed five years' service as Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels, are placed on half-pay. Dated 1st October, 1887:—

Valentine Gardner Clayton.
Edward Micklem.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels and Colonels, having completed five years' service as Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels, retire on retired pay, with compensation. Dated 1st October, 1887:—

Henry Cooper Seddon.
Frederick William Richard Clements.

The undermentioned Officers to be Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 1st October, 1887:—

Major William Henry Patten, vice H. S. Palmer.
Major Albert James Hepper, D.S.O., vice R. Barton.

Lieutenant-Colonel Reginald Frank Morris, from half-pay, vice V. G. Clayton.

Major George Harris, vice H. C. Seddon.
Major Henry Robinson, vice E. Micklem.

The promotions of the undermentioned Captains to the rank of Major, as notified in the Gazettes of 2nd August, 1887, and 30th August, 1887, are antedated, as follows:—

William Whiteford Bell Whiteford, vice L. K. Scott, placed on half-pay. Dated 25th June, 1887.

St. George Mervyn Kirke, vice F. Bailey, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1887.

Mark Henry George Goldie, vice H. Denison, retired. Dated 11th July, 1887.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—
Arthur Thomas Preston, to complete Establishment. Dated 23rd July, 1887.

Charles Henry Brookes, vice R. F. Morris, removed to half-pay. Dated 31st August, 1887.

Courtney Clarke Rawson, vice W. H. Patten. Dated 1st October, 1887.

Arthur Robert Ford Dorward, D.S.O., vice A. J. Hepper, D.S.O. Dated 1st October, 1887.

Robert Maxwell Hyslop, vice G. Harris. Dated 1st October, 1887.

Brevet Major Horatio Arthur Yorke, vice H. Robinson. Dated 1st October, 1887.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Henry John Loftus, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 21st September, 1887.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

Definition.

1. In this Warrant the expression "Parcel" means a Postal Packet which is posted as a Parcel, in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

Places between which Parcels may be Transmitted.

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation, Parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by Post by way of the United Kingdom between the places mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto and—

- (1.) The countries and places mentioned in the second, fourth, and fifth columns of the said Schedule, and
- (2.) The country mentioned in the third column of the said schedule by way of France.

Rates of Postage.

3. On all Parcels transmitted by Post under this Warrant between the respective places mentioned in the Schedule, there shall be charged and paid according to the route of transmission and weight of such Parcels respectively, the several rates of Postage specified in such Schedule.

Maximum Dimensions.

4. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by Post under this Warrant any Parcel exceeding the following dimensions, that is to say:—

- (1.) Any Parcel addressed to France, which shall exceed in any direction two feet.
- (2.) Any Parcel addressed to Italy, Corsica, Algeria, or Tunis which shall exceed in length two feet, or in length and girth measured together four feet, such girth being measured round the thickest part of such Parcel.

Maximum Weight.

5. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by Post under this Warrant any Parcel exceeding in weight as follows, that is to say:—

- (1.) Any Parcel posted in any place mentioned in the first column of the first part of the Schedule addressed to France, Italy, Corsica, Algeria, or Tunis which shall exceed six pounds in weight.
- (2.) Any Parcel posted in any place in the Cape of Good Hope (including Cape Town) addressed to France, Italy, Corsica, Algeria, or Tunis which shall exceed seven pounds in weight.

Mode of Posting.

6. Subject to the provisions of this Warrant, all parcels shall be posted, forwarded, conveyed, and delivered, under and subject to the provisions of the Warrants respectively relating to the Parcel Post, between the United Kingdom and the country or place in which the Parcel is posted, and to the Parcel Post between the United Kingdom and the country or place to which the Parcel shall be addressed, so far as such provisions are applicable.

7. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

W. H. Walrond,

Sidney Herbert,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raikes,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

THE SCHEDULE.

FIRST PART

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.		THIRD COLUMN.		FOURTH COLUMN.		FIFTH COLUMN.	
	France.		Italy, viâ France.		Corsica and Algeria.		Tunis.	
	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds and not Exceeding Six Pounds.	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds and not Exceeding Six Pounds.	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds and not Exceeding Six Pounds.	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds and not Exceeding Six Pounds.
Gibraltar	Two shillings and two pence	Three shillings and three pence	Two shillings and six pence	Three shillings and seven pence	Two shillings and seven pence	Three shillings and eight pence	Two shillings and ten pence	Three shillings and ten pence
Hong Kong	Three shillings and five pence	Five shillings and one penny	Three shillings and nine pence	Five shillings and five pence	Three shillings and ten pence	Five shillings and six pence	Four shillings and one penny	Five shillings and nine pence
Straits Settlements								
Labuan	Three shillings and eight pence	Five shillings and four pence	Four shillings	Five shillings and eight pence	Four shillings and one penny	Five shillings and nine pence	Four shillings and three pence	Five shillings and eleven pence
North Borneo								
British Guiana	Two shillings and ten pence	Four shillings and ten pence	Three shillings and two pence	Five shillings and two pence	Three shillings and three pence	Five shillings and three pence	Three shillings and five pence	Five shillings and five pence

Bahamas ...	} Two shillings and seven pence	} Four shillings and one penny	} Two shillings and eleven pence	} Four shillings and five pence	} Three shillings	} Four shillings and six pence	} Three shillings and three pence	} Four shillings and eight pence
British Honduras ...								
Barbados ...								
Grenada ...								
Leeward Islands ...								
Jamaica ...								
St. Lucia ...								
St. Vincent ...								
Tobago ...								
Trinidad ...								
Cyprus ...	} Three shillings and three pence	} Four shillings and eleven pence	} Three shillings and seven pence	} Five shillings and three pence	} Three shillings and eight pence	} Five shillings and four pence	} Three shillings and ten pence	} Five shillings and six pence
Newfoundland ...								
Cyprus ...								
New South Wales ...	} Three shillings	} Six shillings and nine pence	} Three shillings and four pence	} Seven shillings and one penny	} Three shillings and five pence	} Seven shillings and two pence	} Three shillings and eight pence	} Seven shillings and five pence
Victoria ...								
Western Australia ...								
Ceylon ...	} Three shillings and five pence	} Four shillings and eleven pence	} Three shillings and nine pence	} Five shillings and three pence	} Three shillings and ten pence	} Five shillings and four pence	} Four shillings and one penny	} Five shillings and six pence
Ascension ...								
St. Helena ...	} Two shillings and seven pence	} Four shillings and three pence	} Two shillings and eleven pence	} Four shillings and seven pence	} Three shillings	} Four shillings and eight pence	} Three shillings and three pence	} Four shillings and eleven pence
St. Helena ...								

THE SCHEDULE.

SECOND PART.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN. France.			THIRD COLUMN. Italy, viâ France.			FOURTH COLUMN. Corsica and Algeria.			FIFTH COLUMN. Tunis.		
	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds, and not Exceeding Five Pounds.	Exceeding Five Pounds, and not Exceeding Seven Pounds.	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds, and not Exceeding Five Pounds.	Exceeding Five Pounds, and not Exceeding Seven Pounds.	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds, and not Exceeding Five Pounds.	Exceeding Five Pounds, and not Exceeding Seven Pounds.	Not Exceeding Two Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds, and not Exceeding Five Pounds.	Exceeding Five Pounds, and not Exceeding Seven Pounds.
Cape Town ...	Three shillings	Four shillings and eleven pence	Six shillings and four pence	Three shillings and four pence	Five shillings and three pence	Six shillings and eight pence	Three shillings and five pence	Five shillings and four pence	Six shillings and nine pence	Three shillings and eight pence	Five shillings and six pence	Seven shillings
Any place in the Cape of Good Hope, except Cape Town	Three shillings and eight pence	Six shillings and seven pence	Eight shillings and eight pence	Four shillings	Six shillings and eleven pence	Nine shillings	Four shillings and one penny	Seven shillings	Nine shillings and one penny	Four shillings and four pence	Seven shillings and two pence	Nine shillings and four pence