

Parcels not to interfere with Letter Post.

20. Where the despatch or delivery from a Post Office in the United Kingdom of letters would be delayed by the despatch or delivery therefrom at the same time of Parcels, such Parcels, or any of them, may be detained in the Post Office until the despatch or delivery next following that by which they would ordinarily be despatched or delivered.

Postmaster-General not liable for Loss or Damage.

21. Nothing contained in or done under or in pursuance of this Warrant shall render the Postmaster-General liable, either personally or in his official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect or in consequence of any loss or damage of any Parcel, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act or neglect of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.

Customs Regulations.

22. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post under the provisions of this Warrant shall not be

posted, forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, except subject to such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

Remission of Postage.

23. The Postmaster-General may, in any case in which he may consider it just or reasonable so to do, remit any postage or any sum made payable under this Warrant.

Commencement of Warrant.

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

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

Herbert Eustace Maxwell,
George J. Goschen,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raikes,
Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

THE SCHEDULE.

Transmitted from	Addressed to	Rates on Parcels not exceeding Eleven Pounds in Weight.	
		If not exceeding One Pound in Weight.	If exceeding One Pound in Weight for the First Pound, and for each additional Pound or fraction of a Pound in Weight
The United Kingdom	Cape Town ...	Nine pence ...	Nine pence
	Cape of Good Hope, except Cape Town	One shilling ...	One shilling
Cape Town ...	The United Kingdom	Nine pence ...	Nine pence
Cape of Good Hope, except Cape Town	The United Kingdom	One shilling ...	One shilling
Cape Town ...	Any other British Colony or Possession, via the United Kingdom	Six pence	Six pence
Cape of Good Hope, except Cape Town	Any other British Colony or Possession, via the United Kingdom		
		In addition to the postage for the time being payable on a Parcel of like weight transmitted between the United Kingdom and such British Colony or Possession	In addition to the postage for the time being payable on a Parcel of like weight transmitted between the United Kingdom and such British Colony or Possession

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, 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:—

1. All Treasury Warrants at any time heretofore made relating to the rates of postage chargeable for the conveyance of Postal Packets (which term in this Warrant means and includes all letters, newspapers, packets of printed papers, and pattern or sample packets) between any of the places named in this Warrant or the schedules hereunder written, are hereby annulled to the extent to which such Warrants respectively relate to the several matters comprised in this Warrant, as aforesaid.

2. The rates of postage to be henceforth charged by or under the authority of the Postmaster-General in respect of Postal Packets con-

veyed or delivered for conveyance by post, as mentioned and described in the schedules hereunder written, shall be the rates of postage which are fixed and specified by and in such schedules.

3. Any letter posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, or Saint Helena, or posted in the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, or Saint Helena, addressed to the United Kingdom, upon which no part or a part only of the postage chargeable thereon under this Warrant has been prepaid, shall be charged with the unpaid postage and an additional rate of postage of sixpence.

4. Any letter posted in the United Kingdom addressed to Ascension upon which no part or a part only of the postage chargeable thereon under this Warrant has been prepaid, shall be detained and opened, and returned or given up to the sender thereof.

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

SCHEDULE 1.

RATES of Postage to be charged on letters posted in the countries and places hereunder in the first column mentioned, addressed to the countries and places hereunder in the second column mentioned, and conveyed between the United Kingdom and the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, St. Helena, and Ascension, by British or Colonial Packet Boat or by Private Ship.

Posted in	Addressed to	On each Letter. For every half of an ounce in weight or for any fractional part of half of an ounce over and above the first or any additional half of an ounce.
The United Kingdom	The Cape of Good Hope, Natal, St. Helena, or Ascension	Four pence
Any British Colony or Foreign Country, and sent via the United Kingdom	The Cape of Good Hope, Natal, St. Helena, or Ascension	Fourpence in addition to the postage (less the British Inland Rate or Rates) payable for conveyance from such colony or country to the United Kingdom

SCHEDULE 2.

RATES of Postage and Additional Sum for Registration to be charged on Postal Packets posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, St. Helena, or Ascension, and conveyed from the United Kingdom across the Continent of Europe to Lisbon by Railway, and thence by British or Colonial Packet Boat or by Private Ship.

1. On each Letter.	2. On each Registered Newspaper with or without a Supplement or Supplements.	3. On each Packet of Printed Papers, Patterns, or Samples.	4. Additional Sum for Registration of any Postal Packet.
For every half of an ounce in weight, or for any fractional part of half an ounce over and above the first or any additional half ounce, Six pence.	For every four ounces in weight, or for any fractional part of four ounces over and above the first or any additional four ounces, Two pence	Not weighing over one ounce, one penny and one halfpenny ; Weighing over one ounce, but not over two ounces, three pence ; Weighing over two ounces, but not over four ounces, four pence ; Weighing over four ounces, for every four ounces, or for any fractional part of four ounces over and above the first or any additional four ounces, four pence	Two pence

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

W. H. Walrod,

Herbert Gustave Maxwell,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raikes,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

Civil Service Commission, September 28, 1888.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Junior Clerk in the Ecclesiastical Commission, held on the 4th September, 1888, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 13th July, 1888, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first three places :—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Fleming, George	Dublin
2	Hogg, Charles	Edinburgh
3	Wheeler, Gilbert Henry ...	London

Civil Service Commission, October 2, 1888.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names :—

September 27, 1888.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue : Stamper, Dublin, Wesley Morris.

Prisons Department, England : Subordinate Officer,

Division I. Arthur William Holland.

Assistant Matron, Hannah Dodd.

Prisons Department, Scotland : Female Warder,

Isabella McNaughton Duncan.

Post Office : Postman, London, Edmond Nicholas

Gillet.

Postman, Altrincham, Mark Clowes.