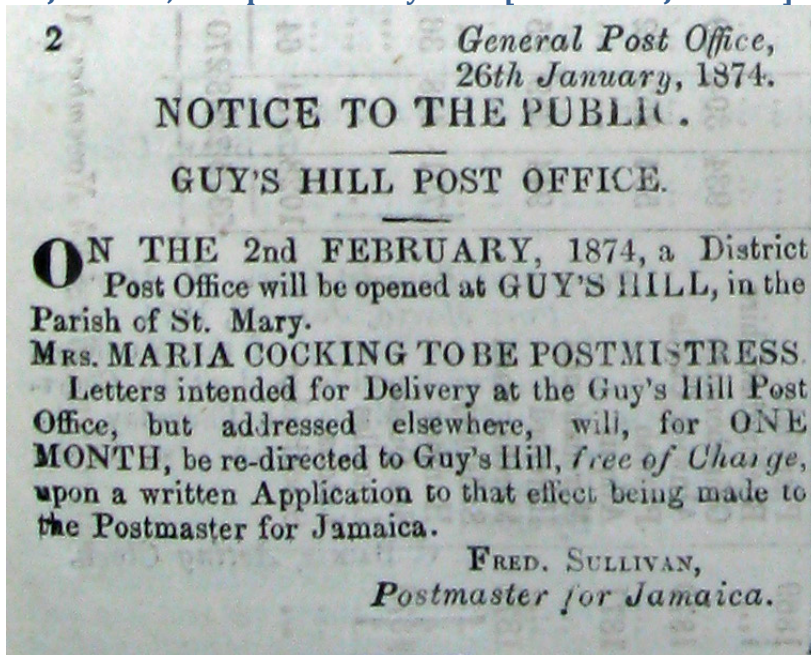



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Tuesday, July 7, 1874

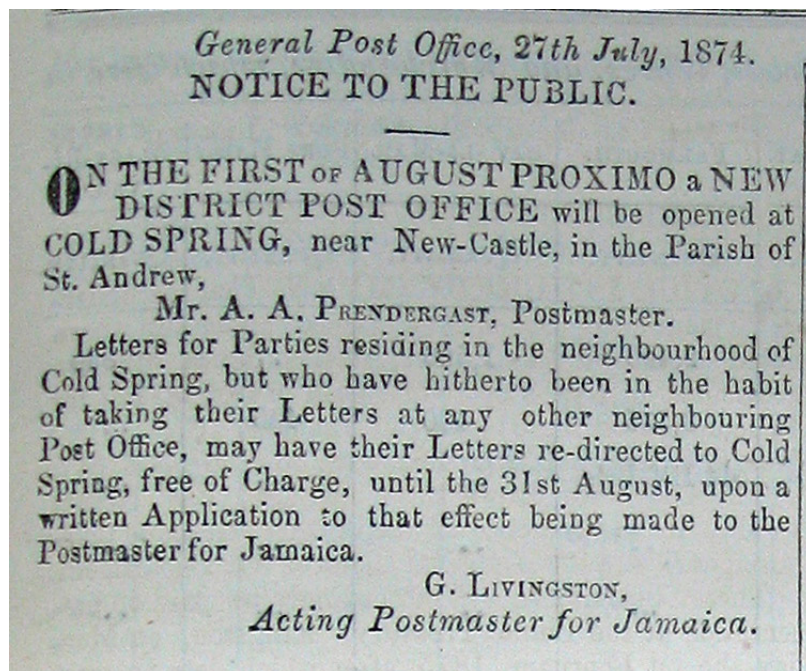
ROBBERY OF THE MORANT BAY MAILBAG

At Bath on Friday 26th June there was the magisterial investigation into the charge against 4 men (Gunter, French, Smith and Taylor) and a woman for being concerned in the robbery of the Mail

Bag, which took place some months ago. Several gentlemen arrived from Kingston and Port Antonio, amongst them Messrs. Gunter and Haughton of the Colonial Bank, Mr. Harris of the Treasury, Mr. Doorly of the Revenue Department at Port Antonio, the Revd. Mr. Smith rector of Portland, Mr. Escoffery storekeeper at Port Antonio, and Mr. Binney of Kingston. To the latter gentleman one of the abstracted cheques was tendered in payment of some trifling purchase made at his place of business. The possession of a cheque for such an amount by the part aroused his suspicion: he at once communicated with the Post-Master General, and the man was shortly arrested. Messrs. Smith and Escoffery proved the issue by them of the cheques that were seized on being tendered at the bank. Inspector Foley attended to prosecute, and Mr. Allwood the Supervisor of Post Offices was present. The investigation was held before Stipendiary Justice Mainwaring. The 4 male prisoners were committed for trial at the Circuit Court to be held in Bath on August 11. The female prisoner, wife of the man named Gunter, was released.

Much praise is due to Messrs. Gunter and Haughton of the Colonial Bank for their promptitude and exertion in pursuing 2 of the men who tendered certain of the abstracted cheques at the Bank to be cashed, the men having, as soon as they discovered that they were suspected, taken to their heels, hotly pursued by Messrs. Gunter and Haughton (who did not even delay to put on their hats) from Port Royal Street and on to Church Street, where one of them was captured by Constables.

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General Post Office, 8th September, 1874.
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

ON THE 15th of SEPTEMBER INSTANT a New District Post Office will be opened at Mount Charles, in the Parish of St. Andrew, Mr. David Goffe, Postmaster.

Letters for parties residing in the neighbourhood of Mount Charles, but who have hitherto been in the habit of taking their Letters at any other neighbouring Post Office, may have their Letters redirected to "MOUNT CHARLES," free of charge, until the 15th of October, 1874, upon a written application to that effect being made to the Postmaster for Jamaica.

H. W. LIVINGSTON,
Acting for Postmaster for Jamaica.

23 Nov 1874; Post Offices / Masters Supplied with Revenue Stamps [26 Nov 1874]

Stamp Office, 23rd November, 1874.
No. 8.

THE FOLLOWING POSTMASTERS and POSTMISTRESS are Supplied with Revenue Stamps for Sale;—

W. D. Byles, Spanish Town.

Thos. Wood, Falmouth.

T. Atkinson, Milk River.

H. P. W. Baker, Porus.

Jas. Creper, Blue Mountain Valley.

E. J. Samuels, Grange Hill.

Maria M. Cocking, Guy's Hill.

PHILIP E. CHAPMAN,
Stamp Commissioner.