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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
31st January, 1876.*

THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. Herbert Lindo to be District Postmaster at Chapelton, in the room of Mr. J. Thompson, resigned.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

[14 Feb 1876; New Postmasters at Old Harbour & Ewarton \[Gazette 17 Feb 1876\]](#)

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
14th February, 1876.*

THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation of Mr. J. A. Hague, District Postmaster at Old Harbour, and has appointed Mrs. Elizabeth Cowan, the present District Postmistress at Ewarton, to be District Postmistress at Old Harbour.

Miss Bridget M'Dermot has been appointed District Postmistress at Ewarton.

By command,
EDW. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

11 Feb 1876; Mail Service Tenders Kingston-Plantain GR [Gazette 17 Feb 1876]

<p><i>General Post Office, 11th February, 1876</i></p> <p>MAIL SERVICE.</p> <p>—</p> <p>KINGSTON AND PLANTAIN GARDEN RIVER.</p> <p>SEALD TENDERS will be Received at this Office up to three o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, the 15th day of March proximo, from persons willing to Contract for the Carriage of Three Posts per Week each way, and Two Packet Expresses per Month each way. (including any extra Expresses that may be necessary in consequence of the late Arrival or Detention of the English Mail Steamer), between KINGSTON and PLANTAIN GARDEN RIVER, a computed distance of Forty-Seven Miles.</p> <p>Mails to be carried at the rate of Five Miles per hour.</p> <p>The Service to commence on the 1st June next. The Contract to be for five years, and to be terminable by twelve Months' Notice, on the part of the Contractor, or by three Months' Notice, on the part of the Postmaster for Jamaica, or by the Governor, at any time for non-performance of Contract.</p> <p>Contractor to find his own Water Proof Mail Bags, Saddlery, &c.</p> <p>Tenders must be accompanied by a Letter from two responsible persons, undertaking to become bound with the Contractor in a Bond for the due and faithful performance of the Contract.</p> <p>Forms of Tender may be obtained at the General Post Office, or at the District Post Offices at BULL BAY, SAINT DAVID'S; MORANT BAY, PORT MORANT, and PLANTAIN GARDEN RIVER, and all Tenders must be made in the proper form.</p> <p>The Covers of the Tenders should be endorsed as follows:</p> <p>"Tender for Mail Service KINGSTON and PLANTAIN GARDEN RIVER," and should be addressed "Postmaster for Jamaica, Kingston."</p> <p>Any further information that may be desired, in regard to the Service for which Tenders are now invited, may be obtained on application to the Postmaster for Jamaica.</p> <p>GEO. H. PEARCE, <i>Acting Postmaster for Jamaica.</i></p>	<p>General Post Office, 11th February, 1876</p> <p>MAIL SERVICE.</p> <p>KINGSTON AND PLANTAIN GARDEN RIVER.</p> <p>SEALD TENDERS will be Received at this Office up to three o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, the 15th day of March proximo, from persons willing to Contract for the Carriage of Three Posts per Week each way, and Two Packet Expresses per Month each way. (including any extra Expresses that may be necessary in consequence of the late Arrival or Detention of the English Mail Steamer), between Kingston and Plantain Garden River, a computed distance of Forty-Seven Miles.</p> <p>Mails to be carried at the rate of Five Miles per hour. The Service to commence on the 1st June next. The Contract to be for five years, and to be terminable by twelve Months' Notice, on the part of the Contractor, or by three Months' Notice, on the part of the Postmaster for Jamaica, or by the Governor, at any time for non-performance of Contract.</p> <p>Contractor to find his own Water Proof Mail Bags, Saddlery, &c.</p> <p>Tenders must be accompanied by a Letter from two responsible persons, undertaking to become bound with the Contractor in a Bond for the due and faithful performance of the Contract.</p> <p>Forms of Tender may be obtained at the General Post Office, or at the District Post Offices at Bull Bay, Saint David's; Morant Bay, Port Morant, and Plantain Garden River, and all Tenders must be made in the proper form.</p> <p>The Covers of the Tenders should be endorsed as follows:</p> <p>"Tender for Mail Service Kingston and Plantain Garden River," and should be addressed "Postmaster for Jamaica, Kingston."</p> <p>Any further information that may be desired, in regard to the Service for which Tenders are now invited, may be obtained on application to the Postmaster for Jamaica.</p> <p>Geo. H. Pearce, Acting Postmaster for Jamaica.</p>
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19 Feb 1876; New Post Offices at Adelphi and Kings [Gazette 24 Feb 1876]

*General Post Office,
19th February, 1876.*

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

ON the 1st March Proximo, new District Post Offices will be opened at—

ADELPHI, in the Parish of St. James—Mrs. C. England, Postmistress; and at


KING'S, in the Parish of St. Elizabeth—Mr. F. Clarke, Postmaster.

Letters for Parties residing in the neighbourhood of ADELPHI, or of KING'S, but who have hitherto been in the habit of taking their Letters at any other neighbouring Post Office, may have their Letters Redirected to ADELPHI, or to KING'S, free of charge until the 31st March, upon a written Application to that effect being made to the Postmaster for Jamaica.

GEO. W. PEARCE,
Acting Postmaster for Jamaica.

4 Mar 1876; New Post Office at Middle Quarters [Gazette 9 Mar 1876]

*General Post Office,
March 4, 1876.*



NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

ON the 7th March instant a New District Post Office will be opened at MIDDLE QUARTERS, in the Parish of St. Elizabeth, Mr. William Ridgard, Postmaster.

Letters for Parties Residing in the Neighbourhood of Middle Quarters, but who have hitherto been in the habit of taking their Letters at any other neighbouring Post Office, may have their Letters re-directed to Middle Quarters, free of charge, until the 7th April, upon a Written Application to that effect being made to the Postmaster for Jamaica.

GEO. H. PEARCE,
Acting Postmaster for Jamaica.

9 Mar 1876; TrWeekly mail to Pear Tree Grove [Gazette 23 Mar 1876]

General Post Office, 9th March, 1876.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

FROM and after the 1st April proximo, the PEAR TREE GROVE Office, will be served by a Tri-Weekly Mail, instead of by a Weekly Mail, as at present!

GEO. H. PEARCE,
Acting Postmaster for Jamaica.

5 Apr 1876; PM Sullivan resumed duties [Gazette 13 Apr 1876]

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
5th April, 1876.

FREDERICK SULLIVAN, Esquire, resumed, on the 27th ultimo, his duties as Postmaster for Jamaica.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

21 Apr 1876; Pattern & Sample Post to/from UK [Gazette 27 Apr 1876]

General Post Office,
21st April, 1876.

PATTERN AND SAMPLE POST BETWEEN JAMAICA AND THE UNITED KINGDOM.

THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC is requested to the following Regulation:

The Sample and Pattern Post between Jamaica and the United Kingdom is restricted to *bona fide Trade Patterns, or Samples of Merchandize.*

Goods sent for Sale, or in Execution of an Order (however small the quantity may be), or any Articles sent by one private individual to another, which are *not actually Trade Patterns, or Samples of Merchandize,* are not admissible.

A disregard of the foregoing Regulation involves delay, and risk of loss, the Post Office having to detain any Parcel posted contrary to the Rules on this subject; and it is not in all cases that the Poster can be discovered, and his Property restored to him.

FRED. SULLIVAN,
Postmaster for Jamaica.

29 Apr 1876; New Postmaster at Plantain Garden River [Gazette 4 May 1876]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
29th April, 1876.

THE GOVERNOR has approved of the Appointment of Mr. F. M'Kay as District Postmaster at Plantain Garden River, in the room of Mr. H. C. Gabay, deceased.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

28 Apr 1876; Mail Service Between Dry Harbour & Brown's Town [Gazette 4 May 1876]

<p style="text-align: center;"><i>General Post Office, 28th April, 1876.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">MAIL SERVICE.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DRY HARBOUR AND BROWN'S TOWN.</p> <p>SEALD TENDERS will be Received at this Office up to three o'clock p. m. on Thursday, 1st June next, from Persons willing to Contract for the Carriage of Six Posts per Week each way, and two Packet Expresses per Month each way (including any extra Expresses that may be necessary in consequence of the late Arrival or Detention of the English Mail Steamer), between Dry Harbour and Brown's Town—a computed Distance of Seven Miles.</p> <p>Mails to be carried at the rate of Four Miles per hour.</p> <p>The Service to commence on the 21st July next. The Contract to be for five Years, and to be terminable by twelve Months' Notice on the part of the Contractor, or by three Months' Notice on the part of the Postmaster for Jamaica, or by the Governor, at any time, for non-performance of Contract.</p> <p>Tenders must be accompanied by a Letter from two Responsible Persons undertaking to become bound with the Contractor in a Bond for £50 for the due and faithful performance of the Contract.</p> <p>Forms of Tender may be obtained at the General Post Office, or at the District Post Offices at DRY HARBOUR, BROWN'S TOWN, STEWART TOWN, AND ALEXANDRIA, and all Tenders must be made in the proper form.</p> <p>The Covers of the Tenders should be endorsed as follows: "TENDER FOR MAIL SERVICE, DRY HARBOUR AND BROWN'S TOWN," and should be Addressed "POSTMASTER FOR JAMAICA, KINGSTON."</p> <p>Any further information that may be desired, in regard to the Service for which Tenders are now invited, may be obtained on application to the Postmaster for Jamaica.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">FRED. SULLIVAN, <i>Postmaster for Jamaica.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">General Post Office, 28th April, 1876.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MAIL SERVICE.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DRY HARBOUR AND BROWN'S TOWN.</p> <p>SEALD TENDERS will be Received at this Office up to three o'clock p. m. on Thursday, 1st June next, from Persons willing to Contract for the Carriage of Six Posts per Week each way, and two Packet Expresses per Month each way (including any extra Expresses that may be necessary in consequence of the late Arrival or Detention of the English Mail Steamer), between Dry Harbour and Brown's Town—a computed Distance of Seven Miles.</p> <p>Mails to be carried at the rate of Four Miles per hour. The Service to commence on the 21st July next. The Contract to be for five Years, and to be terminable by twelve Months' Notice on the part of the Contractor, or by three Months' Notice on the part of the Postmaster for Jamaica, or by the Governor, at any time, for non-performance of Contract.</p> <p>Tenders must be accompanied by a Letter from two Responsible Persons undertaking to become bound with the Contractor to a Bond for £50 for the due and faithful performance of the Contract</p> <p>Forms of Tender may be obtained at the General Post Office, or at the District Post Offices at Dry Harbour, Brown's Town, Stewart Town, and, Alexandria and all Tenders must be made in the proper</p> <p>The Covers of the Tenders should be endorsed as follows: "Tender for Mail Service, Dry Harbour and Brown's Town," and should be Addressed "Postmaster for Jamaica, Kingston."</p> <p>Any further information that may be desired, in regard to the Service for which Tenders are now invited, may be obtained on application to the Postmaster for Jamaica.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Fred. Sullivan, Postmaster for Jamaica.</p>
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24 Jul 1876; New Postmaster at Shooter's Hill [Gazette 27 Jul 1876]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
24th July, 1876.

THE GOVERNOR has appointed Mr. James D. Shearer to be Postmaster at Shooter's Hill, in the room of Mr. Maurice Levy, resigned.—To take effect from the 15th instant.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

26 Jul 1876; Transfer of Post Office from Flint River to Sandy Bay [Gazette 3 Aug 1876]

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
26th July, 1876.*

THE GOVERNOR has issued instructions for the transfer of the Post Office at Flint River to Sandy Bay, and has been pleased to appoint Mr. Jacob Levy to the Office of District Postmaster at the latter place as from the 1st proximo, the date on which Mrs. Dunn will give up charge of the Flint River P. O.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

21 Nov 1876; New Postmaster at Port Royal [Gazette 23 Nov 1876]

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
21st November, 1876.*

THE GOVERNOR has appointed Mrs. Elizabeth H. Baylis to be Postmistress at Port Royal, in the room of Miss Charlotte P. Lindsay, resigned.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

16 Dec 1876; New Postmaster at Annotto Bay [Gazette 21 Dec 1876]

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
16th December, 1876.*

THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. Theophilus Constantine Dias to be District Postmaster at Annotto Bay, in the room of Mr. W. F. Christian, deceased.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.

22 Dec 1876; New Postmaster at Shooter's Hill [Gazette 28 Dec 1876]

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
22nd December, 1876.*

THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. W. Beer to be District Postmaster at Shooter's Hill, in the room of Mr. J. D. Shearer, resigned.

By command,
EDW. E. RUSHWORTH,
Colonial Secretary.