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Jan 1948; Postmistress @ Manchioneal [Gazette 8 Jan 1948]

No. 5

Miss Lathyline Elvina McKenzie, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Manchioneal in the parish of Portland *vice* Mrs. Jessie M. Clark, resigned.

H 1101/II

Jan 1948; Postmistress @ Lionel Town [Gazette 22 Jan 1948]

No. 47

Mrs. Eva Jane Scully, Postmistress, of Lionel Town has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Lionel Town in the parish of Clarendon, *vice* Mrs. Mary Donaldson, retired.

H 1101/III

8 Feb 1948; Airmail Change of service article [Gleaner 8 Feb 1948]

Every now and then something appears in the Press about delay to an airmail letter written apparently without investigation. No differentiation is made between transatlantic route all the way to England and the sixpenny rate where the letter goes by air to New York and then by boat to London. The latter route may take any number of days, for it depends on when a boat takes it from New York. But to the sender it is airmail and he feels it should reach London the next day.

As a matter of fact, I discovered that this cheap service has been discontinued by the London Post Office and it is only the goodwill of our Postmaster General that has retained it in Jamaica. A few more stupid complaints and I would not blame him if he cut it out altogether and let everyone use the faster all-air route and pay for it.

Feb 1948; Postmistress @ Cave Valley [Gazette 19 Feb 1948]

No. 145

Miss Lilian A. Robinson, Postmistress of Cave Valley has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Cave Valley, in the parish of St. Ann, *vice* Miss Wilmot.

H 1101/III

Mar 1948; Postmistress @ Retreat [Gazette 18 Mar 1948]

No. 275

Miss Kathleen Clarke, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Retreat, in the parish of St. Mary *vice* Miss Lilian A. Robinson, resigned.

H 1101/II

11 Mar 1948; PO Appointments [Gazette 8 Apr 1948]

No. 334

The following acting appointments have been approved in the Post and Telegraphs Department with effect from the 11th of March, 1948, during the leave of absence granted to Mr. E. M. Morales or until further orders:—

- (a) Mr. E. J. Andrews, Superintendent of Parcels Post, Post and Telegraphs Department, to act as Superintendent of Mails;
- (b) Mr. R. E. Weston, Senior Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, to act as Superintendent, of Parcels Post *vice* Mr. Andrews;
- (c) Mr. D. E. Barrett, First Class Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, to act as Senior Clerk, *vice* Mr. Weston;
- (d) Mr. P. F. Tennant, Second Class Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, to act as First Class Clerk, *vice* Mr. Barrett.

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Apr 1948; Postmistress @ Port Morant [Gazette 15 Apr 1948]

No. 342

Miss Myrtle Evelyn Wallace, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Port Morant in the parish of St. Thomas *vice* Mrs. C. Clarke, resigned.

H 1101/II

11 Mar 1948; PO Appointments [Gazette 22 Apr 1948]

No. 382

Mr. L. E. Morrison, Second Class Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, has been appointed to act as 1st Class Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, with effect from the 1st of February, 1948, during the leave of absence granted to Mr. E. L. Gaynair, or until further orders.

2726/40

Apr 1948; Postmistress @Salt River, Moneague [Gazette 29 Apr 1948]

No. 396

Miss Elizabeth Matilda Oswen, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Salt River in the parish of Clarendon, *vice* Miss P. W. Gotshalk, resigned.

H 1101/II

No. 397

Miss Myrtle Young, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Moneague in the parish of Saint Ann, *vice* Mr. T. E. Rose, resigned.

H 1101/II

Jun 1948; Postmistress @ Clarendon [Gazette 3 Jun 1948]

No. 517

Miss Doris Maud Johnson, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Salt River in the parish of Clarendon, *vice* Miss Elizabeth Matilda Oswen, resigned.

H 1101/II

27 June 1948; Current Postage Rates [Gleaner 27 Jun 1948]

Not an official notice – seems just to be a statement of current rates.

Gleaner 27 June 1948

Cut This Out And Keep?

Postage rates to England:

- By boat 2d
- By air letter 6d.
- By air mail 1/3d

Postage rates to America. *

- By boat 3d.
- By air mail 6d.

Postage rates to British West Indies:

- By boat . . . 2d.
- By PAA air mail 6d
- By BWIA air mail 2½d.

Postage rates to South Africa and Australia

- By boat 2d
- By air letter 9d
- By air mail 2s6d.

Air letter forms can be obtained at any Post Office, and are cheaper than ordinary Air Mail.

1 Aug 1948; TransAtlantic Airmail Service from NY by sea Cancelled [Gleaner 15 Aug 1948]

Airmail Letters To England

Attention of the public is called to the Postal Notices which have been published since August 1 with respect to the rates of postage for airmail letters to England.

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Main point in the publication is that the 6d airmail rate per half-ounce which provided air service to America and steamship service across to England, has been abolished. There is now a 1/3d per half-ounce rate which carries letters all the way by air.

The air-letter service of 8d by air all the way is still maintained with the proviso that no enclosures may be sent therein.

Jul 1948; Postmistress @ Long Road [Gazette 8 Jul 1948]

No. 640

Miss Daphne Agatha Whitely, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Long Road in the parish of St. Mary, *vice* Miss E. D. Cox, resigned.

M.P. No. H1101/II

Jul 1948; Postmistress @ Prior Park [Gazette 15 Jul 1948]

No. 668

Miss Naomi Crawford, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Prior Park in the parish of Portland, *vice* Miss Doris M. Johnson, resigned.

M.P. No. H 1101/II

Jul 1948; Postmistress @ Devon, Port Morant [Gazette 22 Jul 1948]

No. 694

Miss Ffrench Virtue-Mullings, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Devon, in the parish of Manchester *vice* Mrs. Francella Petgrave, deceased.

M.P. H 1101/II

No. 695

Miss Linda Wilson, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Port Morant, in the parish of St. Thomas *vice* Miss M. E. Wallace, resigned

M.P. H 1101/II

30 Jul 1948; PO Appointments [Gazette 7 Oct 1948]

ACTING APPOINTMENTS

No. 939

Mr. L. E. Morrison, Second Class Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, has been appointed to act as First Class Clerk, Post and Telegraphs Department, *vice* Mr. D. E. Barrett, in respect of the period from the 30th of July to the 22nd of August, 1948, inclusive.

M.P. P/M 41

Aug 1948; Postmistress @ New Market [Gazette 5 Aug 1948]

No. 741

Miss Annie Elizabeth Blair, Acting Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of New Market in the parish of St. Elizabeth *vice* Miss Kathleen Wanliss, resigned.

H 1101/II

Aug 1948; Postmistress @ Little Kent [Gazette 19 Aug 1948]

No. 777

Miss Eva Maud Morrison, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Little Kent in the parish of St. Ann *vice* Miss J. Lowe, resigned.

H 1101/II

[Aug 1948; Airmail rate to UK \[Gleaner 15 Aug 1948\]](#)

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[2 Sep 1948; PO Appointments \[Gazette 25 Nov 1948\]](#)

No. 1108

The following acting appointments have been approved in the Post and Telegraphs Department with effect from the 2nd of September, 1948, during the leave of absence granted to Mr. E. J. Andrews, and until further orders—

- (i) Mr. B. Barrett, First Class Clerk, to act as Superintendent of Mails *vice* Mr. Andrews;
- (ii) Mr. L. Morrison, Second Class Clerk, to act as First Class Clerk *vice* Mr. Barrett.

M.P. 2726/40

[17 Sep 1948; Postal Agency Opened at Main Ridge \(Clarendon\) \[Gazette 30 Sep 1948\]](#)

[1 Oct 1948; PO Appointments \[Gazette 11 Nov 1948\]](#)

No. 1061

Miss G. Hussey, Telegraph Clerk, Grade I, Post and Telegraphs Department, has been appointed to act as Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, Post and Telegraphs Department, with effect from the 1st of October, 1948, during the leave of absence granted to Miss R. MacGregor, or until further orders.

M.P. 2726/40/S1

[Oct 1948; Postmistress @ Clarendon Park \[Gazette 14 Oct 1948\]](#)

No. 961

Mrs. Hazel G. Phillips, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the districts of Clarendon Park and Porus in the parishes of Clarendon and Manchester, respectively.

H 1101/II

[Oct 1948; Postmistress @ Newmarket \[Gazette 21 Oct 1948\]](#)

No. 984

Mrs. Kathleen Blackwood, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Newmarket in the parish of St. Elizabeth.

H 1101/II

16 Nov 1948; Telegraph Law (Greetings Telegrams) [Gazette 20 Nov 1948]

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PROCLAMATIONS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

[Nov. 20, 1948]

No. 94

THE TELEGRAPH LAW

(Cap. 246)

THE SOCIAL GREETING TELEGRAM (PROHIBITION) ORDER, 1948

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by Rule 1AB of the Telegraph Rules, 1933, (as inserted therein by the Telegraph (Amendment) Rules, 1943), I do hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Social Greeting Telegrams (Prohibition) Order, 1948.
2. No person shall send any inland social greeting telegram between the 18th day of December, 1948, and the 3rd day of January, 1949.
3. In this Order "social greeting telegram" means any telegram containing any greetings, congratulations, or good wishes.

Dated at Kingston this 16th day of November, 1948.

(Sgd.) G. F. WHITE,
Acting Postmaster General.

M.P. No. 6356/34/II

Nov 1948; Postmistress @ Port Morant [Gazette 4 Nov 1948]

No. 1035

Miss Myrtle E. Wallace, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Port Morant in the parish of Saint Thomas.

M.P. H. 1101/II

25 Nov 1948; Issue of Silver Wedding Adhesive [Gazette 25 Nov 1948, p925]

THE JAMAICA GAZETTE

The following is a description of a special issue of Postage and Revenue Stamps of the 1½d. and £1 denominations in commemoration of the Silver Wedding Anniversary of Their Majesties the King and Queen, which will be put on sale at all Post Offices on Wednesday, 1st December, 1948.

Both denominations consist of right profile portraits of Their Majesties the King and Queen with Her Majesty the Queen in front of His Majesty the King.

Her Majesty the Queen wears a coronet and His Majesty is bare-headed.

Over their heads appears a crown.

"1½d."

The years "1923-1948" appear in a label at the top of the stamp and the denomination together with the name of the Colony "JAMAICA" appearing at the bottom of the stamp in a similar label, the denomination being separated by a single line from the Colony name.

"£1"

The crown which is slightly larger than that on the "1½d." divides the dates "1923-1948" and the denomination and Colony Name appear in a label at the bottom of the stamp, the denomination being separated from the Colony name by a double line.

Colours and Number of Stamps Per Sheet:

1½d.—Brown	Sixty (60)
£1—Bright Rose	Sixty (60)

The issue will remain on sale for three months or until exhaustion of the stocks, whichever is earlier, the present issue of 1½d. being withdrawn during that period.

E. S. HENDRIKS,
Stamp Commissioner [65]

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15 Nov 1948; Postal Agency Opened at Paul Mountain (St Catherine) [Gazette 2 Dec 1948]

Nov 1948; PO Appointments [Gazette 25 Nov 1948]

No. 1062

The following acting appointments have been approved in the Post and Telegraphs Department with effect from the dates set out and until further orders:—

- (i) Mr. D. Barrett, First Class Clerk, to act as Supervisor of Post Offices with effect from the 18th of October, 1948, during the leave of absence granted to Mr. L. Lewis;
- (ii) Mr. B. Barrett, First Class Clerk, to act as Senior Clerk with effect from the 25th of October, 1948, *vice* Mr. R. E. Weston; and
- (iii) Mr. L. Morrison, Second Class Clerk, to act as First Class Clerk with effect from the 25th of October, 1948, *vice* Mr. B. Barrett.

M.P. 2726/40

Nov 1948; Postmistress @ Mile Gully [Gazette 25 Nov 1948]

No. 1104

Miss Bridget Miller, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Mile Gully in the parish of Manchester.

M.P. No. H1101/II

Dec 1948; Postmistress @ May Hill, Yallahs [Gazette 2 Dec 1948]

No. 1129

Mrs. Ivy Atkinson, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of May Hill in the parish of Manchester.

M.P. H 1101/II

No. 1130

Miss Cynthia Myrie, Assistant Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Yallahs in the parish of St. Thomas.

M.P. H 1101/II

22 Dec 1948; Telegraph Law [Gazette 30 Dec 1948]

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No. 107 THE TELEGRAPH LAW
(Cap. 246)

THE TELEGRAPH (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1948

In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Governor in Executive Council by section. 7 of the Telegraph Law the following rules made on the 16th day of December, 1948, by the Postmaster General under section 7 of the said Law are hereby approved:—

- These Rules may be cited as the Telegraph (Amendment) Rules, 1948, and shall be read and construed as one with the Telegraph Rules, 1983, (hereinafter called the principal Rules) and all amendments thereto and shall come into operation on the 10th day of January, 1949.

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- Paragraph 1 of rule 1 of the principal Rules is hereby amended by the deletion of the word "ninepence" from the third line of the rule and by the substitution therefor of the words "one shilling".

Dated at Kingston this 22nd day of December, 1948.

A. P. CLERK, Clerk the Executive Council.

M.P. 1437/28

Dec 1948; Postmistress @ Troy, Sawyers Market, Buff nBay [Gazette 23 Dec 1948]

No. 1189

Mrs. Constance E. Sadler, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Troy, in the parish of Trelawny.

M.P. H 1101/II

No. 1190

Miss Eulalee Russell, Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Sawyers Market in the parish of Trelawny, *vice* Miss W. A. Smith, resigned.

H 1101/II

No. 1192

Miss Pearl E. Fonseca, Acting Postmistress, has been appointed Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Buff Bay, in the parish of Portland, *vice* Miss D. H. Lindo, resigned.

M.P. H 1101/II