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

- Miss P. Brooks, Postal Assistant Grade II, to act a, Postmaster Grade VI at Brown's Hall Post Office with effect from the 3rd of September, 1955;
- (ii) Miss G. Headmann, Postal Assistant Grade II, to act as Postmaster Grade V at Whitehorses Post Office, with effect from the 19th of September, 1985;
- (iii) Miss H. Shields, Probationer, to act as Postmaster Grade VII at Sherwood Content Post Office, with effect from the 13th of June, 1955;
- (iv) Miss L. Miller, Postal Assistant Grade II, to act as Postmaster Grade VI at Ulster Spring Post Office, with effect from the 1st of September, 1955;
- (v) Miss Z. McFarlane, Postal Assistant Grade II, to act as Postmaster Grade VI at Ulster Spring Post Office, with effect from the 2nd of August, 1955;
- (vi) Miss N. Porter, Postal Assistant Grade II, to art as Postmaster Grade V at Coleyville Post Office, with effect from the 1st of September, 1955;
- (vii) Miss J. Scott, Postal Assistant Grade II, to act as Postumenter Grade V at Belfield Post Office, with effect from the 1st of October, 1955;
- (viii) Miss M. Jones, Postal Assistant Grade II, to act as Postmaster Grade V at Mountainside Post Office, with effect from the 12th of October, 1955.

M.P. No. 04242

20 Jan 1956; Pennants PO Opening [Gleaner 24 Jan 1956]

POSTAL NOTICE

A POSTAL AGENCY was opened at Pennants in the Parish of Clarendon on the 20th January, 1956. The forwarding office is Chapelton.

I. GREEN,

Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Kingston,

23rd January, 1956.

7 Mar 1956; Sanguinetti PA closure [Gleaner 9 Mar 1956]

POSTAL NOTICE
CLOSING DOWN OF THE SANGUINETTI POSTAL
AGENCY.

It is becolve switted for the information of the General Public that the Sanguinetti Postal Agency, Clarendon, has been closed temporarily with effect from the Tth March, 1906.

Correspondence intended for Sanguinetti abould be addressed to the Sanfizings Post Office swell further order.

J. GRESN,
Postmuster General.

General Post Office.

Kingstan.

Bith March, 1966.

16 Mar 1956; Tydixon PA opening [Gleaner 19 Mar 1956]

16 Mar 1956; Sanguinetti PA reopening [Gleaner 19 Mar 1956]



1 Apr 1956; Stamp Cancellation (certain KGVI issues) [Gazette 29 Sep 1955]



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PROCLAMATION No. 33/1955

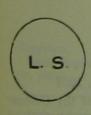
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THE STAMP ISSUES (CANCELLATION) LAW

Chapter 367 (Sec. 3(1))

A PROCLAMATION



HUGH FOOT, Governor By His Excellency Sir Hugh Mackintosh Foot, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Island of Jamaica and its Dependencies.

WHEREAS it is enacted by subsection 1 of section 3 of the Stamp Issues (Cancellation) Law, Chapter 367 that notwithstanding anything in any other Law contained

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the Governor at any time by Proclamation may declare that any issue of stamps shall cease to be valid and in such Proclamation may provide for the cancellation of such issue:

Now, THEREFORE, I, HUGH MACKINTOSH FOOT, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Island of Jamaica and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection 1 of section 3 of the said Law, do hereby PROCLAIM AND MAKE KNOWN that as from the date on which this Proclamation shall come into force as hereinafter provided:—

- (a) all postage stamps of this Island issued in commemoration of the Silver Wedding Anniversary of Their Majesties King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, the denominations whereof are 1½d. and £1,
- (b) all postage stamps of this Island issued in celebration of the Universal Postal Union's 75th Anniversary the denominations whereof are 1½d.. 2d., 3d. and 6d.,
- (c) the postage stamp of this Island issued during the reign of His Majesty King George VI the denomination whereof is 3d. and the colour green shall cease to be valid and the issue of all such stamps shall be and is hereby cancelled.

This Proclamation shall come into force on the first day of April, 1956.

Given under my hand and the Broad Seal of Jamaica at King's House this 20th day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, in the fourth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

By His Excellency's Command.

J. W. H. O'REGAN, Acting Colonial Secretary

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

No. J1643-225

No. 172

THE CUSTOMS LAW (Cap. 89)

THE CUSTOMS PRIVATE WAREHOUSE AMENDMENT (No. 14) NOTICE, 1955

In exercise of the power conferred upon the Governor by section 2 of the Customs

Law and of every other power hereunto enabling the following notice is hereby given:—

1. This notice may be cited as the Customs Private Warehouse Amendment (No. 14) Notice, 1955, and shall be read and construed as one with the Customs and all amendments thereto.

1 May 1956; QE ½d & 1d Adhesive issue [Gazette 20 Apr 1956]



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FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1956

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The following Notification is by command of His Excellency the Governor, published for general information.

J. M. Stow, Colonial Secretary

GOVERNMENT NOTICE

No. 452

DEFINITIVE ISSUE-POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS

ad. and ld, Denominations





The above are pictures of the new 1d. and ld. denominations Definitive Issue Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue Stamps.

- id. The id, stamp is printed in black and orange.
- 1d. The 1d. stamp is printed in black and green,

The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 1st of May, 1966.

The equivalent values of the current issue will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 30th April, 1956.

J. McIntosu, Deputy Stamp Commissioner

PRINTED BY THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER, DUKE STREET, KINGSTON.

Also withdrawal of KG6 issue.

1 Jun 1956; Airmail Postcard rates [Gleaner 22 May 1956 (Tuesday)].

POSTAL NOTICE Post card Postcards forwarded by Air Mail Reduced rates of postage for Postcards forwarded by Air air rates Mail will be introduced on the 1st June, 1956. The new rates will Postcards addressed to: Postage reduced Cayman Islands 21/2d British West Indies generally 4d. EFFECTIVE FROM Bermuda, Cuba, Dominican Republic, North & 5d. week Friday, June 1, air South America .. mail rates for post cards will Europe 9d. be reduced by as much as 50 Egypt, Australia, India. China and all distant 1/6d. per cent in some cases. Most countries have had a special air rate for post cards, but Jamaica has all along charged the same postage for cards as for half-ounce letters. Air mail rates for postage are fixed by consideration of conveyance charges, based on the weight of the mail and distance to be flown, plus surface postal rates. Some examples of the saving to be derived as from June 1 in post cards sent by air-mail as against letters are as follows: Cayman Islands: ½ oz. letter 2½d; post card 2½d. BWIA generally: ½ oz. letter 6d; post card 4d. Bermuds, Cuba, Dominican Republic, North and South America: ½ oz. letter 3d; post card 5d. Kurspec: ½ oz. letter 1/5; post per cent in some cases. countries J. GREEN, Postmaster General. Headquarters, Post & Telegraphs Department, KINGSTON. 21st May, 1956 card 5d. Europe: ½ oz. letter 1/6; post card 9d. Egypt, Australia, Indian, China and all distant countries: The new rates were recommended by Mr. J. Green, the Postmaster General and approved by Executive Council on May 7, 1956.

1 Jun 1956; Air Parcel Rates [Gleaner 28 May 1956 (Monday)]

POSTAL NOTICE AIR PARCELS

An air parcel service to the destinations shown below will be introduced on the 1st June, 1956

Postage Rate per

	72 ID.
Antigua	2/6d
Bahamas	2/-
Barbados	2/6d
Bermuda	2/6d
British Honduras	2/-
British Guiana	2/6d
Dominica	2/6d
Grenada	2/6d
St. Lucia	2/6d
St. Kitts	2/6d
Trinidad	2/8d
United Kingdom	8/-

The service will be extended to Canada and the US A on the ???

The postage rates will be -

per ½lb Canada 3/6d 3/-

The limit of weight to all destinations except Canada is 22 lbs, Canada it is 20 lbs.

Air parcels, cannot be insured.

USA

J GREEN, Postmaster General POST AND TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT, Kingston, ?? may 1956

Jun / Jul 1956; Airmail Rate [BWI Philatelist June 1956]

The BWI Philatelist for June 1956 records the following:

THE HIGH AIR MAIL POSTAGE RATES

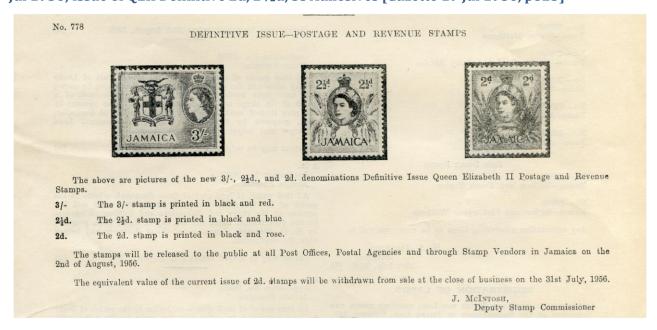
Recently announced through our Daily Publication were the reduced air rates on post cards, and a new service namely air mail parcels, which became effective on the first of June and July. These are as follows:—

	Letter rate per ½ oz.	Letter rate per ½ lb	Post Card via Air Mail	Air Letter	2nd Class Air Mail per ½ oz	Parcel rate per ½ lb
B.W.I.	6d	8/-	4d	6d	6d	2/6d
Cayman	2½d	3/4d	2½d	2½d	-	-
B.H.	6d	8/-	4d	6d	6d	2/-
Bahamas	8d	10/8d	4d	6d	8d	2/-
Bermuda	8d	10/8d	5d	6d	8d	2/6d
U. K	1/6d	24/-	9d	6d	9d	8/-
U.S.A.	8d	10/8d	- •	6d	8d	3/-
Canada	8d	10/8d	-	6d	8d	3/6d

Incidentally, Cayman island postage rates have always been 2½d at the present air mail letter rates to Canada and the U.S.A., Central and South America, are 8d per half oz.

Readers will appreciate the fact that from Jamaica to Alaska is 5,000 odd miles. On the other hand BOAC lifts all the mail from Jamaica to U.K. and the average distance is 4,200 to 5,000 miles, but certainly at a much higher rate per kilo, is being paid to this Company than to the American companies. Although similar mileage in distance is being flown. The air mail rates from Jamaica to England, the Azores, throughout Europe, Gibraltar, Ireland is 1/6d per half oz. It is interesting to see that the air mail rates from England to Jamaica is only 1/3d per half oz., which clearly indicates a difference in charges in letters going and letters coming to this Island.

Jul 1956; Issue of QEII Definitive 2d, 2½d, 3s Adhesives [Gazette 19 Jul 1956, p823]



No. 778

DEFINITIVE ISSUE—POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS

The above are pictures of the new 3/-, 2d., and 2d. denominations Definitive Issue Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue Stamps.

3/- The 3/- stamp is printed in black and red.

21/2d. The 21d. stamp is printed in black and blue

2d. The 2d. stamp is printed in black and rose.

The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 2nd of August, 1956.

The equivalent value of the current issue of 2d. stamps will be N% ith win from sale at the close of business on the 31st July, 1956.

J. McIntosh,

Deputy Stamp Commissioner

Aug 1956; Issue of QEII Definitive 5s, 10s, £1 Adhesives [Gazette 9 Aug 1956]

No. 835

DEFINITIVE ISSUE-POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS







The above are pictures of the new £1, 10/- and 5/- denominations Definitive Issue Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue Stamps.

- £1. The £1 stamp is printed in black and purple.
- 10/- The 10/- stamp is printed in black and green.
- 5/- The 5/- stamp is printed in black and red.

The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through the Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 15th day of August, 1956.

The equivalent values of the current issue of these stamps will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 14th August, 1956.

J. McIntosh, Actg. Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties

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- 10/- The 10/- stamp is printed in black and green.
- 15/- The 5/- stamp is printed in black and red.

The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through the Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 15th day of August, 1956.

The equivalent values of the current issue of these stamps will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 14th August, 1956.

J. McIntosh,

Actg. Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties

Sept 1956; Issue of QEII Definitive 6d Adhesive [Gazette 1 Sep 1956]

No. 90

DEFINITIVE ISSUE-POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS

6d.

The Sixpence denomination of the Definitive Issue of the Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue Stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 3rd September, 1956.

The stamp is printed by a recess process in two colours, black and red and depicts a picture of the 'Doctor Bird' with a portrait of Her Majesty the Queen on the right the colony name 'JAMAICA' in a border at the top of this stamp. The words 'Doctor Bird' appear on the bottom left hand corner of the stamp below the picture of the bird and the denomination is in a label at the right.

A picture of this stamp will be printed in a later issue of the Gazette.

The equivalent value of the current issue of this stamp will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 1st September, 1956.

J. McIntosh,
Ag. Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties

No. 909 -DEFINITIVE ISSUE--POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS

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J. McIntosh,

Ag. Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties

Sept 1956; Issue of QEII Definitive 6d Adhesive [Gazette 20 Sep 1956]

COMMISSIONER OF STAMPS

DEFINITIVE ISSUE-POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS



With reference to Government Notice No. 909, appearing in Jamaica Gazette Volume LIXXIX No. 75 of Saturday, 1st September, 1956, the above is a picture of the new Sixpence denomination of the Definitive Issue of the Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue Stamps which was released to the public on the 3rd September, 1956.

JOHN McIntosh,
Ag Com. of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties [92]

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John McIntosh Ag Com. of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties (92

Sept 1956; Issue of QEII Definitive 8d, 1/6d., 1/-,2/-. Adhesive [Gazette 12 Nov 1956, p1302]

No. 1107

DEFINITIVE ISSUE—POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS

2/-, 1/6d., 1/-, 8d. Denominations









The above are pictures of the new 2/-, 1/6d., 1/- and 8d. denominations Definitive Issue Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue Stamps.

2/- The 2/- stamp depicts Fort Charles, and is printed in green and blue.

1/6d. The 1/6d. stamp depicts Rafting on the Rio Grande, and is printed in blue and purple.

1/- The 1/- stamp depicts Hope Gardens, and is printed in green and blue.

8d. The 8d. stamp depicts Blue Mountains, and is printed in orange and royal blue.

The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through the stamp vendors in Jamaica on the 15th day of November, 1956.

The equivalent values of the current issue of 2/- and 1/- stamps will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 14th November, 1956.

P. A. CHAVANNES, Acting Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties.

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P. A. CHAVANNES,

Acting Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties.

Sept 1956; Issue of QEII Definitive 8d, 1/6d., 1/-,2/-. Adhesive [Gazette 8 Dec 1956, p1409]

No. 1180

DEFINITIVE ISSUE-POSTAGE AND REVENUE STAMPS

5d. 4d. and 3d. DENOMINATIONS







The above are pictures of the new 5d., 4d. and 3d., denominations of Definitive Issue Queen Elizabeth II Postage and Revenue

5d: The 5d. stamp depicts Ackee and is printed in red and green.

4d: The 4d. stamp depicts Breadfruit and is printed in green and blue.

3d: The 3d. stamp depicts Mahoe and is printed in green and brown.

The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 17th day of December, 1956.

The equivalent values of the current 4d. and 3d. stamps will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 16th December, 1956.

P. A. CHAVANNES,
Acting Commissioner of Stamp Duties
and Estate Duties

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The stamps will be released to the public at all Post Offices, Postal Agencies and through Stamp Vendors in Jamaica on the 17th day of December.

The equivalent values of the current 4d and 3d. stamps will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on the 16th December, 1956

P. A. CHAVANNES,

Acting Commissioner of Stamp Duties and Estate Duties.