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P.O. complains about use of old postage rates

The Post and Telegraphs Department has said that many persons are not using the correct rates of postage on mails, especially on overseas postage resulting in delays in forwarding.

A Post Office spokesman told the Gleaner yesterday that hundreds of letters are received daily from persons using the old postage rates which expired on December 31 [Ed note rates increased 1 May 1975?].

Air mail letters intended for the U.S., Canada, other Caribbean countries are often posted with 10 cent stamps. He said that 20 cents was the cost of mailing such letters.

This has resulted in delays in forwarding as the Post Office had to make arrangements to collect the additional 10 cents from the persons abroad who the letters are posted to.

The Post Office has appealed to the public to inquire from the postal clerks the correct rates before posting letters.