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EDITORIAL

Members will welcome this authorative update of information and, no doubt, there will be additional material you can provide. Please forward photocopies and full details to Barrie Jay, c/o the Editor.

COUNTRY SORTING OFFICES

The Country Sorting Offices used an attractive and popular group of handstamps (L521-523). Since publication of the British County Catalogue vol 3, a number of new dates have been recorded and these are incorporated in the revised Table 7 from the Catalogue printed below. There are still a number of gaps in the lists of dates and there are also several Country Sorting Offices for which handstamps have not yet been reported. Reports of new handstamps and extensions to dates will be welcome.

TABLE 7

Country Sorting Offices

Sorting Office	521 Year curve	d	522 Year strai serif	ght	523 Year str sans-s	_
ACTON	1817-1836		1839-1840			
BARNET	1838-1846	R	1848			
BECKENHAM						
BEXLEY			1845			
(BLACKHEATH - GR	EENWICH used	l here)				
BOW	1813-1832	R	1839-1845	R		
BRENTFORD	1811-1836		1837-1839			
BROMLEY	1835		1839-1846		1846	
BROMPTON	1813-1827	R	1836-1845	R	1848	R
CAMBERWELL	1812-1827	R				
CAMDEN TOWN	1815-1826					
CAMDEN TN	1826-1831					
CARSHALTON			1841-1844			
CHIGWELL	1817-1836		1840-1845	G		
CLAPHAM	1820-1830	R	1838-1840		1848	
CROYDON	1816-1837		1842-1843		1846	
DEPTFORD	1811-1836	R	1837-1839			
DULWICH	1822-1824	R	1841-1842	R	1848	
(EAST SHEEN - MOR	TLAKE used he	re)				
EDGEWARE			1838-1847	R	1849	R
EDMONTON	1812-1833		1842-1848			
ELTHAM	1836	R				
ENFIELD						
FINCHLEY	1815-1828		1845			
FULHAM						
GREENWICH	1812-1836		1837-1846	R		
HACKNEY	1820-1829					
HAMMERSMITH	1812-1837		1838-1845			
HAMPSTEAD						

	521		522		523	
Sorting Office	Year curve	ed	Year strai	ght	Year stra	
			serif		sans-se	erif
HAMPTON	1812-1819		1839-1840			
HARROW						
HENDON	1829					
HIGHGATE	1815-1836		1838			
HOUNSLOW			1840-1845		1846-1848	3
ISLINGTON	181,5-1833					
KENSINGTON	1811-1837	В	1846			
KENT-ROAD	1811-1831					
KILBURN						
KINGSTON			1839		1848	
LEYTONSTONE	1817					
MITCHAM	1828-1836		1839-1847		1846-1848	3
MORTLAKE	1815-1837		1838-1844		1846	
(NEW CROSS - PECKH	IAM used here)				
NEWINGTON	1815-1818	R				
PADDINGTON	1813-1837	B,G,R	1839-1845	В	1846	
PECKHAM	1817-1830	R	1839-1843	R		
PUTNEY	1811-1836	В	1838	В		
RICHMOND	1810-1836		1837-1845		1846-1848	3
ROMFORD			1837-1847	R	1849	В
SOMMERSTOWN	1815-1819					
SOUTH LAMBETH	1827-1829					
SOU-LAMBETH	1833					
STOKE NEWINGTON	1814-1837		1838-1843			
STRATFORD	1814-1837		1838-1842	R		
SYDENHAM	1814-1826	R	1838-1845	R	1846	
	1825					
TOOTING	1818		1842			
TOTTENHAM	1822-1833	R	1839-1847	R	1849	В
(TURNHAM GREEN -	ACTON used	here)				
TWICKENHAM						
VAUXHALL	1811					
WALWORTH	1811-1831	R	1838	R		
WANDSWORTH	1816-1837	R	1838	R		
WHETSTONE	1832-1836		1840-1844	R		
WILLISDON						
WOODFORD	1816-1833					
(WOODFORD BRIDGE	E - CHIGWEL	L used her	e)			
WOOLWICH	1812-1836	R	1837-1844			
	1827					

Black is the normal colour for the majority of the handstamps used in the Country Sorting Offices. When a particular handstamp is also known in another colour, this is noted after the date using the following code: B=Blue, G=Green, R=Red.

FOREIGN BRANCH FREE STAMPS

Since volume 3 of the British County Catalogue was published, I have had the opportunity of studying over 30 of these uncommon handstamps. It has become apparent that the listing in the Catalogue is not quite accurate and that the handstamps can be divided into three basic types.

Type 1, L840, has month/day below FREE, and is known used between 1817 and 1822.

Type 2, L842-846, has day/month/day below FREE, and has upper corners rounded. The various handstamps that were used between 1824 and 1834 can be subdivided into two main groups:

Type 2a has concave upper corners with sharp points and is known between 1824 and 1829. The FREE line and the day/month/day line are lower than those of type 2b, the distance between the top frame and the bottom of FREE being about 6mm, while the distance between the top frame and the bottom of the day/month/day line being 11mm.

Type 2b has rounded upper corners and is known between 1830 and 1834. The distance between the top frame and the bottom of FREE is about 4mm while the distance between the top frame and the bottom of the day/month/day line is 9mm.

Type 3, L848, has square upper corners, and is known used between 1835 and 1839.





The listing of Foreign Branch Stamps should now read (L840 and L848 being as illustrated in the Catalogue and L844 being deleted):

L840 crown/FREE month/day below FREE

day/month/day below FREE

distance between top frame and bottom

of FREE 6mm

26x30 Red 1824-29

L846 crown/FREE day/month/day below FREE

distance between top frame and bottom

of FREE 4mm

25x28 Red 1830-34

L848 crown FREE upper corners square

24x30 Red 1835-39

GENERAL POST RECEIVERS

Some years ago I published lists of General Post Receivers between 1742 and 1792¹ and between 1661 and 1742². The information described therein was incorporated into the lists included in volume 3 of the British County Catalogue. These lists would permit students to determine the Receiver for many of the common handstamps (L69), examples of which are present in many collections. I was disappointed, therefore, that until recently more information has not been forthcoming about the Receivers using specific handstamps.

It is impossible to be certain as to whether a particular Receiver used a specific handstamp, unless (s)he both signed the cover and used the handstamp. As far as I know, the only Receiver to do this (occasionally) was George Clemson who signed his name and used his handstamp (GC) on a few letters. Despite this uncertainty, if a Receiver has unique initials, and if the handstamp with these initials was used during the period that the Receiver was in post, it can be assumed that the particular Receiver used that handstamp. If the origin of a cover was from a place close to the site of the Receiver, this is additional confirmation of the probable Receiver using that stamp.

There are, however, several problems that are liable to occur. Some handstamps are made up of only one initial and, when this occurs, it is necessary to have seen several covers sent from the area of the Receiver, during the period that the Receiver was known to be in post. Other handstamps consist of initials that are shared by more than one Receiver in post in the year that the cover was used. In this instance particular care has to be taken before designating one particular Receiver as using that handstamp. In a number of instances (too many) the initials of the handstamp do not correspond to any known Receiver; one has to assume that there were some Receivers not in the Post Office Records, presumably because they did not receive a salary, and a few that may be in the Records but have not been spotted.

Interest in the General Post Receivers has been revived recently as the result of a study by Hugh Feldman³. It is hoped that this article will encourage others to report covers in their collections. The following information is required about each cover:

- 1. The date of the cover and the address from which it was sent (if known);
- 2. The initials in the handstamp and the size of the stamp in mm. Please send details of examples from your collection to the Editor.
- 1. Jay B. London General Post Receivers 1742-1792. Postal History, No 199, pp10-18, 1977
- 2. Jay B. London General Post Receivers 1661-1742. Postal History, No 203, pp18-20, 1978
- 3. Feldman H V. The London General Post Receivers Handstamps 1653-1792. Postal History, No 256, pp111-118, 1990

The following is an updated list of all GP Receivers known to me, with the location of the Receiving House and the dates they were in post. In some instances the precise dates for a particular Receiver is not known, an uncertainty that is indicated by hyphens before or after dates. I have also listed the handstamps which can probably be attributed to particular Receivers, with the dates the handstamps are known.

GENERAL POST RECEIVERS

1661-1792

Receiver	Place	Dates	H/S	Size	Date H/S	S
Elizabeth Arthur	Poland Street	1780-1781				
John Abraham	Temple	1791-1792-				
John Allen	King Edward Stairs, Wapping	1775-1792-				
John Atkinson	Lincoln's Inn	-1737-1747	JA	14	1739-45	
James Ayre (?Haye)	Golding Square	1690-1697-				
Rupert Atkinson	Tothill Street, Westminster	1758-1773				
Samuel Agar	Pall Mall	1777-1779	SA	18	1776-79	
William Arthur	Poland Street	1776-1780	WA	17	1778	
Ann Barnett	Vigo Lane	1792-				
Barnaby Ballard	Albermarle	1740-1745	BB	13	1736-40	
Benjamin Barry	East Smithfield	1744-1759				
Edward Baldwin	Ratcliff Cross	-1721-1723	EB	18	1720-22	
George Bowen	Ludgate Hill	1791-1792-				
Henry Berry (Bury)	Strand	-1686-1687	HB	19	1686	
Hugh Brockett	Hart Street, Bloomsbury	1786-1792-				
James Blackwell	Holborn	1688-1694				
John Brideoake	King Edward Stairs, Wapping	1724-1727				
Joshua Belbin	Castle Street, Oxford Street	1754-1768	JB	14	1745-57	
			IB	15	1755	
John Barry	Queen's Street, Tower Hill	1759-1763				
John Baillie (Bayley)	Wylde Street	1761-1766				
James Brazier	Ratcliff Cross	1765-1772				
Joseph Bailey	Balsover Street	1771-1775				
Lionel Booth	Duke Street, Portland Place	1788-1792-				
Martha Bull	Pariament Street, Westminster	1721-1732				
Mary Bastard	Parliament Street	1754-	?MB	14	1759	
Mary Breach	Poland Street	-1760-1763-				
Mary Barry	Tower Hill	1763-1778				
(Peter Burn	Covent Garden	1757)				
Robert Bentley	Covent Garden	1679-1684-	?B	20	1679	
			?RB	20	1679-80	R over B
			?BE	19	1684-90	
Richard Bentley	Covent Garden	1686-1697-	?B	20	1702-12	
			?B	23	1714	
Richard Brunton	Mount Street	1768-1783	RB	14	1770-72	
Samuel Butler	Holborn	-1721-1723				
Winifred Ballard	Albermarle Street	1745-1747				
William Baldwin	George Street, Southwark	1752-				
William Brown	Orchard Street, St Mary le Bone	1764-				
William Boak(e)	High Holborn	1785-1792-				
William Brumstead	Jermyn Street	1788-1792-				
(Mrs) Baldwin	Borough	-1766				
(Mrs) Brindley	New Bond Street	-1759				
Anne Clarke	Grosvenor Square	-1760-1761	?AC	14	1745-59	
Ann Cre(a)mer	Bell & Gate, Holborn	1761-1785				
Ann Cooke	Queen Street, Mayfair	1776-1787				
Francis Cre(a)mer	Bell & Gate, Holborn	1760-1762				
Gabriel Collins	Temple Bar	1690-1702-	?GC	19	1689	
			GC	17x17	1689-90	Diamond
Coores Clarres	Darkley Square	1761-1785	GC GC	16-24 13	1690-06 1769-77	
George Clemson	Berkley Square	1781-1783	OC.	13	1103-11	
George Cross	Strand ?	-1708-1712-				
James Causey	Parliament Street, Westminster					
John Cock	ramament street, westminster	1746-1750				

James Coy	King Street, Covent Garden	1757-1765	?C	14	1759	
John Clarke	Ludgate Hill	1763-1766	?IC	14	1766	
James Colvert	Tower Hill	1778-1779				
(John Cheese	Strand	1783)				
Jane Clemson	Berkeley Square	1785-1791				
	St John Street	1786-1792-				
John Chalfont						
John Crickett	Knightrider Street Doctors Common	1789-1792-		_	.=	
Mary Collins	Temple Bar	-1708-1711	MC	17	1708-10	
Mary Clarke	Ludgate Hill	1766-1769				
Samuel Champness	Tothill Street, Westminster	1773-1792-	SC	25	1788-91	
Samuel Clayton	Pall Mall	1774-1776				
Thomas Cass	South Audley Street	1771-1790-				
William Cooke	Queen Street, Mayfair	1756-1776	WC	14	1757-70	
William Craige	Chandois Street	1781-1787				
(Mrs) Chapman	New Round Court	-1759				
(WIS) Chapman	New Round Court	1137				
Alexander Desident	Parliament Street	1770-1784				
Alexander Davidson						
Clement Dawson	King Edward Stairs, Wapping	1728-1747				
Elizabeth Dunce	Chancery Lane	-1754				
Edward Dyson	Ludgate Hill	1774-1787	E+D	17	1774	
Hester & Mary Demaid	Ratcliff Cross	1728-1729				
James Dunce	Chancery Lane	1750-	JD	14	1751	
John Dyson	Chancery Lane	1774				
John Davies	Balsover Street	1775-1777				
Joseph Dakin	Ratcliff Cross	1784-1787				
Mary Dawson	Warren's Square, Wapping	1747-1758				
		1780-1792-				
Mary Davi(e)s	Sackville Street, Piccadilly		DD		1746	
Robert Davi(e)s	Sackville Street, Piccadilly	1743-1780	RD	10 14	1746	unframed
			RD	13-14	1752-68	
			RD	24	1773	
			RD	18	1779	
Samuel Demaid	Ratcliff Cross	1723-1727				
Sarah Day	Parliament Square	1784-1787	S+D	21-22	1784-85	
William Dangerfield	Berkeley Square	1791-1792-				
(Mr) Dormer	Panton Street	-1682-	?D	16	1706	
(Mr) Davis	Strand	-1743				
	Pall Mall	-1755				
(Mr) Doduley	1 all Iviali	-1755				
A Total	Characan Lana	1754-1779	AE	14-15	1754-79	
Aaron Eaton	Chancery Lane					
Barnard Ellis	Borough	1766-1785	BxE	19-20	1780-85	
Deborah Eaton	Wapping	1692-1712-	DE	21	1700	
Evan Edwards	Pall Mall	1763-	EE	19	1782	
(Elizabeth Edwards	Parliament Street	1783)				
George Eales	Fleet Street	1661-1669				
James E(1)dridge	Holborn	1695-1712-	IE	22	1694	
(John Ellis	Borough	1768-1770)				
Michael Ellis	Borough	1785-1792-	M+E	25	1788	
Richard Earlam	Park Street, Grosvenor Square	1783-1792-				
Idenais Lanani	Turk offert, offertines offert	2.00 2.72				
Charles Furze	Poland Street	-1768-1769-				
Charlotta Furze	Poland Street	1770-1776				
John Fisher	St James's Street	1737-1738				
Mary Furze	Poland Street	1770	-			
Sarah Fryer	Great Queen Street	1766-1769	SF	14	1767	
William Fenwick	King Edward Stairs, Wapping	1758-1775				
William Flexney	Gray's Inn	1759-1792-	WF	13	1759-68	
			F	11-13	1769-85	
			F	19	1784	
William Farquharson	Ratcliff Cross	1787-1790-				
(Mr) Franklin	Charing Cross	-1759				
(Mr) Folkard	Drury Lane	1788-1791				
(IVII) I Olkald	Druff Edito	1700 1771				
Alice Grone	Temple Bar	-1677-1684-	?G	19	1675	
Alice Grolle	Temple Bar	-1077-1004-	G	9x9	1679-80	60110#0
						square
			G	16	1678-79	
				19	1684-85	
			?GR	1,		
Elizabeth Gresswell	East Smithfield	-1708-1735	/GR			
Elizabeth Gresswell Ester (Hester) Gregg	East Smithfield St James's Street	-1708-1735 ?1758-1759	?GR			
			/GR			
Ester (Hester) Gregg	St James's Street	?1758-1759	/GR			
Ester (Hester) Gregg (Edward Grant Francis Gibson	St James's Street Ludgate Hill Bloomsbury	?1758-1759 1763)	/GR			
Ester (Hester) Gregg (Edward Grant Francis Gibson George Griffin	St James's Street Ludgate Hill Bloomsbury Round Court, Strand	?1758-1759 1763) 1785-1786 1768-1770	/GR			
Ester (Hester) Gregg (Edward Grant Francis Gibson George Griffin George Grimmett	St James's Street Ludgate Hill Bloomsbury Round Court, Strand Terrace, Oxford Street	?1758-1759 1763) 1785-1786 1768-1770 1770-1792-	?GR			
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James (John) Gibson	Hart Street, Bloomsbury	1763-1785				
Joseph Grocer	Balsover Street	1777-1787				
		1690-1691				
Mary Gibbs	Wapping		MC	10	1773	
Matty Matilda Griffin	Round Court, Strand	1770-1792-	MG	18		
		4500	MG	21	1777	
Robert Gresswell	East Smithfield	-1702-		_		
Richard Gregg	? St James's Street	1742-?1758	RG	15	1745-54	
Samuel Gibs	King Edward's Stairs	1690-				
Thomas Garthon	Bridge Street, Westminster	1787-1792-				
William Golding	Southwark	-1752				
William Gibbs	West Smithfield	1782-1786				
	Charter-House Yard	-1682-				
(Mr) Games	Charter-riouse Taiu	-1002-				
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Elizabeth Hopton	Ludgate Hill	-1721-1734				
Elizabeth Hacket	Holborn Hill	1730			4500.04	
Edward Hawkins	Chancery Lane	1779-1792-	ExH	17	1780-84	
Edmund Hodgson	Great Marybone Street	1790-1792-				
Edward Hughes	Jermyn Street	1783-1787				
Gustavus Hacket	Holborn Hill	1723-1729				
Gideon Hewitt(s)	Mount Street	1783-1786				
James Haye (?Ayre)	Golding Square	1690-1697-				
John Harding	St Martins Lane	-1708-1722				
James Harris	Drury Lane	1770-1792-	IH	17	1777	
Mary Hume	St James's Street	1727-1736				
	St James's	-1742-1761	MH	13	1758	
Mary Herbert			IVIII	13	1736	
Richard Hill	Westminster	1752-1754	OCII	15	1726	
Samuel Harding	St Martins Lane	1723-1754	?SH	15	1736	red
			?SH	15	1740	
Sarah Harvey	Temple Bar	1730-1738	?SH	15	1731-34	script
Thomas Hancock	Hermitage Stairs, Wapping	-1721-1747	TH	13	1743	
(Thomas Hopkinson	? Charing Cross	1781)				
Thomas Hind	Charles Street, Soho	1781-1789				
William Harvey	Temple Bar	-1721-1729	WH		1718	
William Harman	Theobalds Row	1740-1750-	WH	14	1741	
William Harris	Park Street, Cavendish Square	1766-1783	WH	17	1774-79	
(Mr) Harrison	Lincolns Inn Gate	-1682-				
(MI) Harrison	Elicolis IIII Gate	1002				
Samuel Isaac	Old Bond Street	-1753-1754				
	West Smithfield	-1781				
Thomas Ives	west similared	-1701				
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Edward Jeffries	Bloomsbury Market	-1702-1712-	CI	1.	1754	
Grace Jefferies	Bloomsbury Market	1745-1757	GI	14	1754	
George Johnson	Mount Street, Grosvenor Square	1786-1792-				
Humanitas Jackson	Park Street	?1763-1766	HJ	14	1764	
John Jefferies	Bloomsbury Market	-1721-1745	?II	13	1732	
			JJ	13	1736	script
John Jolliffe	St James's Street	1759-1769				
John (?) Jackson	King Street, Soho	-1760-1766				
John Jackson	King Street, Soho	1766-1792-				
John Jenkinson	Charles Street, Soho	-1760-1780				
Joseph Jones	Russell Court, Drury Lane	1791-1792-				
Robert Jones	Temple	1739-1766	RJ	14	1739-86	
Robert Jones	Temple	1707 1700	RJ	14	1751	long 'J'
Richard Jones	Temple	1766-1791				
		1776-1791				
Robert Jenkins	Jermyn Street					
Sarah Jenkinson	Charles Street, Soho	-1781	TT	12	1764 60	
Thomas Jones	Theobalds Row	-1768-1781	TI	12	1764-68	
William Jacob	Holborn	1683-1687	?IA	19	1684	
			?I	19	1686-87	
(Mr) Jones	Berkley Square	-1755				
Elnea Keepe	St James's Street	1769-1792-	EK	18	1772-81	
Hugh Kelly	Ludgate Hill	1736-1763	HK	14	1754	
John Kirby	Stafford Street, Bond Street	1781-1792-				
(Mr) Kunholt	Charing Cross	-1682-	?K	17	1677	
(MI) Rumon	Charing Cross					
Anthony Lissen	Covent Garden	1664				
	Curzon Street, Mayfair	1788-1792-				
Daniel Luckhurst		-1756-1770	EL	13	1764	
Elizabeth Limbrey	Parliament Street		EL	13	1704	
Francis Lovell	Pall Mall	-1702-1712-	27.37	17 22	1606 00	
George Luce	King Street, Westminster	-1667-1721	?LV	17-23	1686-08	
			?L	13-23	1/00-1721	see Lloyd
				40	400101	
George Lambert	King Street, Tower Hill	1779-1792-	G+L		1784-86	
			GL	18	1786	
			GL	24-25	1788-90	
Humphrey Lloyd	Strand	-1721-1736				

John Lloyd	Strand	-1677-1712-	LL ?IL ?L	19 14 13-23	1684-93 1681 1700-21	L ^L see Luce
			?LL	17	1711-13	
John Ledingham	Albermarle Street	1747-1750				
Josua Laughton	Lincoln's Inn	1747-				
John Lake	Knightrider Street	-1751				
(James Lake	Oxford Street	1768)				
Katharine Lloyd	Strand	1740-1753	KL	14	1744	
Mary Lovell	Pall Mall	-1721-1726	ML	20	1724	
Martha Lloyd	Strand	1737-1739				
Margaret Long	John Street, Westminster	1757-1761				
Mary Long	Westminster	-1757				
Thomas Latham	Smithfield	1664-1667				
William Limbrey	Parliament Street, Westminster	1751-1754				
William Langley	Knightrider Street	1751-				
(Mrs) Leeson	Covent Garden	1664-1667				
(Mr) Leesham	Northumberland House	-1682-				
(Mrs) Langley	Knightrider Street	-1757				
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George Mortimer	New Inn Coffee House, Wych Street	1763-1790	GM	18	1771	
			G'M'	18	1778-82	
James Magnes	Covent Garden	-1677-1678	?M	18	1678	heavy
Josiah Mitchell	Ratcliff Cross	1729-1757	IM	14	1747	
James Mark(e)s	St Martin's Lane	1754-1787				
John Macklin	Holborn Hill	1781-1782				
Jane Moberly	Ratcliff Cross	1784				
John Morgan	Ludgate Hill	1788-1791				
Martha Mortimer	Wytch Street	1791-1792-				
Richard Montague	Wylde Street	1760-1761				
	Ratcliff Cross	-1781-1783-	R'M	18	1777	
R Moberly Sara Moule		1778-1792-	S+M		1780	
	King Street, Covent Garden Westminster	1733-1734	STIVI	10	1780	
William Moreton		1765-1778	WM	15	1768	
William Moule	King Street, Covent Garden		VV IVI	13	1700	
(Mr) Magnes	Covent Garden	1661-				
(Mr) Magnes	near Rose Tavern, Russell St CG	1667-				
Ann Nomica	Tothill Street Westminster	1754-1758				
Ann Napier	Tothill Street, Westminster	1769-1771				
Isaac Newton	Balsover Street		201	13	1681	
William Nott	Pall Mall	-1677-1697-	?N ?NO	18	1684-93	
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William Osborne	Temple Bar	1686-1689				
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Edward Powell	St Martins Lane	1787-1792-	E+P	25	1789	
John Place	Furnivals Inn, Holborn	1664-1682				
John Paddon	Chancery Lane	-1750				
John Peck	Ludgate Hill	1769-1774				
John Pridden	Fleet Street	1787				
Mary Patton	Covent Garden	1747-1757	MP	14	1750-52	
Richard Partington	Holborn Hill	1760-1781	RP	13	1760	
Richard Pierce	John's Street	1761-1768	ICI	13	1700	
		?1763-1770-				
Samuel Platt	South Audley Street		TP	13	1740-44	
Thomas Patton	Covent Garden	1738-1747	TP	10x5	1746	unframed
William Place	Grays Inn, Holborn	1661-1667-	11	1025	1740	umramou
William Parker		1790-1792-				
	Whitechapel Sanctuary Gate, Westminster	1661-				
(Mr) Parker	Charing Cross	-1682-	?PA	18_10	1684-92	
(Mr) Partridge (Mr) Powl	King Street, Bloomsbury	-1682-	:IA	10-17	1004-72	
(MI) FOWI	King Street, Dioonisoury	-1002-				
Benjamin Rogerson	Bloomsbury Market	1757-1758				
Catherine Rogerson	Bloomsbury	1759-1763-	CR	14	1762	
Edward Roberts	York House, Strand	1661-1664	011		1.02	
Elizabeth Rumble	Covent Garden	c1705	?ER	21-24	1701-03	
Francis Russell	Tuttle Street, Westminster	1716-1732	FR	18	1722	
I Iancia Aussen	Tattle Offeet, Westimister	1110-1132	FR	13	1731	
Grace Dandall	Theobalds Row	-1760-1762	GR	15	1758	
Grace Randall	Lincolns Inn Gate	1664-1667-	OK	13	1750	
Josiah (John) Robinson			2ID	14	1758-71	
James Robson	New Bond Street	1759-1792-	?IR	14	1/30-/1	
John Randall	Theobalds Row	1762-1763-				
Jane Rippin	Theobalds Road	1791-1792-				
Joseph Robinson	White Horse Street, Stepney	-1792-				
Mary Rumball	Covent Garden	-1702-				
Richard Rippon	Theobalds Road	1782-1790		0.5	1/01	
Susan Roberts	York Buildings, Strand	-1677-1684-	?RO	21	1684	
Sarah Roach	Pall Mall	1755-1774	SR	14	1757	

Thomas Rogers	St James's Street	1739-1742	TR	14	1740	R over T
William Rouse	Wigmore Street	1763-1792-	TR WR	14 15	1742 1766	
			WR	18	1770-85	
William Randall	Pall Mall	1779-1792-	R	18-20	1779-85	
(Mr) Roberts	Pall Mall	1667-				
Alexander Sutor	New Round Court, Strand	1743-1753	AS	15	1743-44	
Alexander Shepherd	Tottenham Court Road	1789-1792-	110	10	1715 11	
Charles Searle	Holborn	1730-1754	CS	14	1730-41	
Egbert Sanger	Temple Bar	1712-	-		1750 11	
Elizabeth Shirley	Old Bond Street	1763-1770	ES	15	1767-70	
Francis Searle	Oxford Street	1785-1792-	20	10	2.00	
Gerard Selby	King Edward Stairs, Wapping	1724				
George Sanders	Hermitage Stairs, Wapping	1747-1792-	GS	14	1773	
George Streeting	Charles Street, Soho	1789-1792-				
Isaac Smith	Margaret Street	1788-1792-				
John Smith	Covent Garden	-1708-1712-	IS	19-23	1707	
John Smith	South Audley Street	-1792-				
John Stevenson	Charing Cross	1786-1792-				
John Swindon	Balsover Street	1783				
Martha Sutor	Round Court	1753-				
Richard Sare	Grays Inn	1683-1721	?SA	19	1684	
Idenara Sara	Olajo IIII		?SA	17	1692	
			RS	21	1698-20	
Thomas Shirley	Old Bond Street	1754-1763				
Thomas Stevenson	Craigs Court, Charing Cross	1759-1786	TS	16	1769-85	
William Symonds	Fleet Ditch	-1702-				
William Shelton	Westminster	1736-1752	WS	13	1736-40	
William Skuse	Smithfield Walk	1763-		50.00		
William Skuse	Pall Mall	-1763				
William Skuse	T un Trum					
Henry Trent	Strand	1687-1693	HT	18	1693	
Mary Turner	Covent Garden	-1721-1737	MT	16	1718	
Mary Turner	Covent Gurden		MT	13	1732-36	
Nicholas Thatcher	Grays Inn	-1677-1682				
Thomas Trye	Grays Inn Gate	1737-1759	TT	13	1738-48	
111011111111111111111111111111111111111			TT	15	1751	
Alice Venables	Doctors Common	1787-1789	?V	20	1788	
Elizabeth Vaughan	Warwick Street, Golden Square	1782-1790				
John Vince	Chandois Street	-1760-1780				
William Venables	Knightrider Street	1757-1787	wv	15	1769	
			?V	17	1779	
			?V	20	1785	
Wyatt Vaughan	Warwick Street, Golden Square	1776-1781				
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Alexander Warren	Poland Street	1781-1785				
Daniel Wilkinson	Ratcliff Cross	1690-1709				
David Wishart	Coventry Street	-1760-1776	DW	13-14	1752-80	
George Walter	Holborn Hill	1782-1792-				
John Ward	East Smithfield	1690-1697-				
Jane Wilkinson	Ratcliff Cross	1710-1711				
John Watterson	Wapping	1736-1744				
James Walsh	Bury Street, St James	1761-1778	IW	14	1763-67	
James Wigman	Jermyn Street	1768-1776				
Mary Wilkinson	Ratcliff Cross	1712-	?WI		1720	
Martha Waters	Old Bond Street	1771-1781	W	18	1770	
			MW	27	1772	
Peter Wilkinson	Berkley Square	1755-1761				
Peter Wallace	Grosvenor Square	1761-1768	PW	15	1763	
Richard Wilkinson	Grays Inn	1721-1736	RW	18	1721	
Thomas Wheeler	near Catharine Street, Strand	1753-1781	TW	13-14	1755-76	
Thomas Whishart	Coventry Street	1776-1792-				
William Wainwright	Holborn	1754-1760	ww	14	1755-58	
William Watts	Radcliffe Highway	1757-1765				
(Mrs) Warwick	Pall Mall	1664-1667				
Edward York	Parliament Street, Westminster	1733-1745				
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LONDON GENERAL POST RECEIVERS, 1782 and 1789

Martin Willcocks sent me the following two lists of Receivers, the first dated 1782 in pencil, the second 1787. The first list appears to be a list of Receivers at 1783 (or possibly 1784).

Letter Receivers (1782)

Names	Residence	Establish		
		ment £ s d	Incident ₤s d	Total ₤s d
Edw ^d Dyson	Ludgate Hill	5		5
Rich ^d Jones	Temple	27	40	67
Edw ^d Hawkins	Chancery Lane		6	6
Geo: Mortimer	Wytch Street Clare Market		4	4
James Harris	Drury Lane For bringing his Bag to the Temple		6 4	10
Sarah Moule	King Street Covent Garden	13 6 8		13 6 8
Geo Cross	Strand	12	12	
M Matilda Griffin	Round Court Strand		4	4
Will ^m Craige	Chandois Street		2	2
Thomas Stevenson	Charing Cross		20	20
James Markes	S ^t Martin's Lane	6	8	14
Eliz th Edwards	Parliament Street	10		10
Sam ¹ Champness	Tothill S ^t Westm ⁿ		10	10
W ^m Randall	Pall Mall		7	7
Mary Davis	Sackville Street		8	8
Elnea Keepe	S ^t James's Street	10		10
Edw ^d Hughes	Jermyn Street		6	6
James Robson	New Bond Street		24	24
John Kirby	Stafford S ^t Old Bond S ^t		8	8
Geo: Clemson	Berkley Square		6	6
Gideon Herritt	Mount Street		4	4

Names	Residence	Establish		
		ment £ s d	Incident ₤s d	Total £ s d
		z s u		£ S U
Thomas Cass	South Audley Street	Street	6 2	0
	For bringing his Bag to Old Bond	Street	2	8
John Swindon	Balsover Street	C .	4	
	For bringing his Bag to Old Bond	Street	2	6
Geo: Grimmett	Terrace Oxford Road		2	
	For bringing his Bag to Old Bond	Street	2	4
W ^m Rouse	Wigmore Street		8	8
Rich ^d Erlam	Park Street Upper Gros ^r S ^t		5	5
Rich Ellan	Tark Street Opper Gros G			
Thomas Wishart	Coventry Street		18	18
Eliz ^h Vaughan		4	4	
John Jackson	King's Street S ^t Ann's		10	10
	King soffeet 5 Ann s			
Alex ^r Warren	Portland Street Soho		2	2
Thomas Hind	Charles Street Soho		4	4
Ann Creamer	High Holbourn		4	4
Rich ^d Rippin	Theobalds Row		6	6
James Gibson	Hart Street Bloomsbury	8	6	14
W ^m Flexney	Grays Inn Gate	16	14	30
John Macklin	Holbourn Hill	6		6
W ^m Gibbs	West Smithfield		4	
	For bringing his Bag to this Office		6	10
W ^m Venables	Knight Rider S ^t D ^{rs} Com		4	4
Geo Lambert	Tower Hill	9		9
Jane Mobberly	Ratcliff Cross	9		9
George Saunders	Hermitage Stairs Wapping	9	6	15
John Allen	King Edwards Stairs	10		
	For bringing the Bag from the He and his own to this Office	rmitage	10	20
	and his own to this office		10	20
Bernard Ellis	Borough		12	12
	ob ^t Duffitt, Messengers; For bringing t			
Receiving Houses in I	High Holbourn, Hart Street, Theobald		10	10
Gate & Holbourn Bri	age.		10	10

List of Letter Receivers in London and Westminster to 5th Jan^{ry} 1789.

Names	Residence	Salaries on Establishm ^t £ s d	d ⁰ by Incident £ s d	Total £ s d
Allen John	King Edward Stairs Wapping for bringing the bags from the Hermitage and King Street	10	10	20
Boak William	Bull & Gate, Holborn		2	2
Broket Hugh	Hart S ^t Bloomsbury	8		8
Brumstead Will ^m	Jermyn Street		6	6
Clemson Jane	Berkeley Square		3	3
Champness Samuel	Tothill Street, Westm ^r	10		10
Chalfont John	West Smithfield and for bringing his bag to		*4 *6	10
Cross Coores	this office	12	.0	10 12
Cross George	Strand South Andley Street	12	*5	12
Cass Thomas	South Audley Street for bringing his bag to	the A master of	*2	7
Davis Mary	this Office		*8	7
Davis Mary	Sackville Street		*6	8
Ellis Michael	Southwark for bringing his bag to this Office		*6	12
Earlam Richard	Park Street for bringing his bag to the Receiving House in Stafford		*5	8
E1	Street	16		
Flexney William	Gray's Inn	16	*14	30
Farquharson Will ^m	Ratcliff Cross	9	• 4	9
Griffin M Matilda	Round Court, Strand		*4	4
Grimmett George	Terrace, Oxford Street for bringing his Bag to the		*4	
	Receiving House, Clifford Street		*4	8
Garthon Thomas	Parliament Street for bringing his bag to	10	*4	14
Hawkins Edward	Charing Cross		*6	6
Harris James	Chancery Lane		*2	0
Hailis James	Drury Lane for bringing his bag to the Receiving House in the Temple		*4	6
Hindes Thomas	Charles Street, Soho		*4	4
Jones Richard	The Temple	27	*40	67

Names	Residence	Salaries on Establishm ^t £ s d	d ⁰ by Incident £ s d	Total ₤s d	
Johnson George	Mount S ^t Grosvenor Square for bringing his bag to the		*4	-	
	Receiving house Bond Street		*3	7	
Jackson John	King Street, S ^t Ann's		*10	10	
Keep Elnea	St James's Street	10		10	
Kirby John	Stafford S ^t Old Bond S ^t	8		8	
Lambert George	Tower Hill	9		9	
Luckhurst Daniel	Queen Street, Mayfair		*5	5	
Moule Sarah	King S ^t Covent Garden	13.6.8		13.6.8	
Morgan John	Fleet Street	5		5	
Mortimer George	Wytch Street		*4	4	
Powell Edward	S ^t Martin's Lane	6	*8	14	
Rouse William	Wigmore Street		*8	8	
Rippin Richard	Theobald's Road		*6	6	
Randall William	Pall Mall		*7	7	
Robson James	Bond Street		*24	24	
Searle Francis	Oxford Street		*2	2	
Saunders George	Hermitage Wapping	9	*6	15	
Smith Isaac	Balsover Street		*4		
	for bringing his bag to the Receiving house Bond Street		*2	6	
Stephenson John	Charing Cross		*20	20	
Venables Alice	Doctors Commons		*4	4	
Vaughan Elizh	Vigo Lane, Golden Square		*4	4	
Wishart Thomas	Coventry Street		*4	4	
Waller George	Holborn Hills	6		6	
allowance for bringing t	Williamson Messengers in the Inland Che bags from the Receiving Houses in neobalds Road Grays Inn Gate and Ho	High Holborn,		10	
Isaac Beard. D ^o from (12	
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^{*} In a covering letter dated 28 April 1789 from Charles Godby it was indicated that additional salaries marked with a star were paid from 1769 "when the perquisites of 1d a letter was taken from them and the bells rung by the letter carriers, the additional salaries being estimated at about half the perquisites they were supposed to receive, but will cease on the appointment of their successors."