

United States of America.

THE FOREIGN AND COLONIAL PARCEL POST AMENDMENT
(No. 14) WARRANT, 1905. DATED MARCH 22, 1905.

1905. No. 231.

We, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts or any of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of His Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

1. This Warrant may be cited as "The Foreign and Colonial Parcel Post Amendment (No. 14) Warrant, 1905." Short title.

2. This Warrant shall be read as one with the Foreign and Colonial Parcel Post Warrant, 1902* (hereinafter referred to as the "Principal Warrant") and all Warrants amending the same. Warrant to be read with existing Warrants.

3. On every outgoing parcel addressed to the United States of America (hereinafter referred to as "The United States") and transmitted by post under this Warrant, there shall be charged and paid the rate of postage specified in the Schedule hereto. Rates on parcels to the United States.

4. Except by permission of the Postmaster-General, there shall not be forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, by post, under this Warrant, any parcel the value, weight, or dimensions of which shall exceed the value, weight, or dimensions specified in the Schedule hereto. Maximum value, weight and dimensions.

5. The provisions of the Principal Warrant and the Warrants amending the same shall, so far as the same are applicable, apply to parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant, with the following modifications:— Application of existing Warrants.

(1.) In addition to the Articles prohibited by the Principal Warrant, there shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post between the said countries:—

(a.) Parcels containing letters or communications in the nature of a letter (except an open invoice in its simplest form).

(b.) Parcels containing live animals (except bees in properly constructed boxes) or dead animals, except insects and reptiles when thoroughly dried.

* Printed St. R. & O. Rev., 1904, "Post Office," pp. 65-85.

- (c.) Parcels containing fruits and vegetables which easily decompose.
 - (d.) Parcels containing publications which violate the copyright laws of the country of destination.
 - (e.) Parcels containing poisons or explosives or inflammable articles, liquids or substances which easily liquefy, and, in general, articles the conveyance of which is dangerous.
 - (f.) Parcels containing lottery tickets, lottery advertisements, or lottery circulars, or obscene or immoral articles.
 - (g.) Any parcel containing an enclosure which bears an address other than that borne by the parcel itself.
- (2.) The Postmaster-General shall not be liable, either personally, or in his official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect of, or in consequence of, any loss or damage of articles enclosed in or forming part of parcels, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act, neglect, or default of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.
- (3.) The provisions of the Principal Warrant with reference to compensation for loss or damage of parcels shall not apply.

Commencement of Warrant.
Date.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of April, One thousand nine hundred and five.

Dated this twenty-second day of March, One thousand nine hundred and five.

H. W. Forster,
Balcarres,

Two of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

Stanley,
His Majesty's Postmaster-General.

The Schedule.

Address of Parcel.	Rate of Postage on each Parcel.	Limit of value of Parcel.	Limit of weight of Parcel.	Limit of size of Parcel.	
				Greatest length.	Greatest length and girth combined.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>lbs. ozs.</i>	<i>feet ins.</i>	<i>feet.</i>
The United States of America.	2 0	10	4 6	3 6	6