THE FOREIGN AND COLONIAL POST AMENDMENT (No. 18) WARRANT, 1921. (c) DATED JUNE 11, 1921.

1921. No. 1065.

We, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Fost Office Acts, 1908 to 1920(1), 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:—

Warrant to be read as one with existing Warrants.

1. This Warrant shall be read as one with the Foreign and Colonial Post Warrant, 1907(g) (hereinafter called "the Principal Warrant "), and all Warrants amending the same. (h)

⁽e) This Warrant, together with the Principal Warrant of 1907 and the Warrants amending the same (including the Insured Boxes Warrant printed at o. 1066 below), is superseded by the consolidating Warrant (S.R. & O., 1922.

p. 1066 below), is superseded by the consonuating variation.

No. 141) issued while this Volume was in the press.

(f) 8 E. 7. c. 48: 5-6 G. 5. c. 82; 10-1 G. 5. c. 40.

(g) S.R. & O., 1907, No. 770, p. 878. See footnote (e) above.

(h) See list of amending Warrants in "Index to S. Powers and R. & O. in Force, Dec. 31, 1919," at p. 756, and the further amdt. S.R. & O., 1920, No. 860 II p. 580. See footnote (e) above.

2.—(1) There shall be charged and paid:—

Rates of

(i) On every British letter and on outgoing letters posted in letters. the United Kingdom for transmission to the United States of America, the following rates of postage, that is to say:-

> On every letter not exceeding one ounce in weight, twopence.

> On every letter exceeding one ounce in weight, for the first ounce, twopence, and for every additional ounce or fractional part of an ounce, three halfpence.

(ii) On every other letter (except as provided by the next following Regulation) ---

If not exceeding one ounce in weight, threepence.

If exceeding one ounce in weight, for the first ounce, threepence, and for every additional ounce or fractional part of an ounce, three halfpence.

- (2) The term "British letter," in addition to its meaning in the Principal Warrant, shall include a letter sent from any of His Majesty's ships of war, whether on the high seas or in any port or place outside the United Kingdom, to another of His Majesty's ships of war, and a letter posted in Ascension for transmission to any place in the United Kingdom or to any country or place specified in the Second Schedule to the Principal Warrant (other than Ascension), or to any of His Majesty's ships of war, whether on the high seas or in any port or place outside the United Kingdom (other than in Ascension).
- 3. There shall be charged and paid on every postal packet Bates of posted at a British Fostal Agency in Turkey, China, Morocco postage on (French Zone), Morocco (Spanish Zone), and in any other packets country which is a party to the Universal Postal Union, such posted at international rates of postage as may be fixed from time to time British for the transmission by post of similar postal packets by the Agencies. Postal Administration of the country in which such Agency is situate.

4. The Principal Warrant shall have effect as if "British Extension of Postal Agency in Tangier "were inserted in the Second Schedule to the Principal Warrant.

Principal Warrant to British Agency in Tangier.

5. Except as otherwise provided in these Regulations, there Postcards shall be charged and paid:—

and reply postcards.

- (1) On every outgoing postcard (other than a reply postcard) the rate of postage of three halfpence.
- (2) On every outgoing reply postcard the rate of postage of threepence.

Amendment of Regulation 4 of the Principal Warrant. Rates of postage on certain literature for the blind.

- 6. Regulation 4 of the Principal Warrant (which relates to rates of postage on open packets) shall take effect as though, in Proviso (a) to that Regulation, "threepence" were substituted for "twopence halfpenny."
- 7.—(1) There shall be charged and paid on every outgoing printed packet consisting of books and papers impressed with characters in relief for the use of the blind the following rates of postage, that is to say:—

For every pound, or fractional part of a pound, one half-

penny.

Provided that the maximum rate of postage on any one packet shall be threepence.

(2) No packet shall be transmitted under this Regulation which exceeds six and a half pounds in weight.

Outgoing postal packets not paid.

8. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Principal Warrant, any outgoing postal packet upon which no part or a part only of the postage payable thereon is prepaid may—

(a) where in the opinion of the Postmaster-General such postal packet has been posted with the evident inten-

tion of avoiding prepayment of postage, or

(b) where the postal packet is addressed to a country or place with reference to which the Postmaster-General may give directions to that effect,

be detained and returned or given up to the sender.

Surcharges.

9.—(1) The charge upon a postal packet upon which no part or part only of the postage payable thereon is prepaid shall not in any case be less than the sum of three halfpence.

(2) Regulation 4 of the Foreign and Colonial Post Amendment (No. 3) Warrant, 1908(a) (which relates to maximum surcharges),

is hereby repealed.

Amendment of Reg. 32 of Principal Warrant. 10. Regulation 32 of the Principal Warrant (which relates to express delivery fees on outgoing packets) shall have effect as though the word "sixpence" were substituted therein for the word "threepence."

Amendment of Reg. 36 (1) of Principal Warrant. 11. Regulation 36, paragraph (1), of the Principal Warrant (which relates to ordinary registration fees) shall have effect as though the word "threepence" were substituted therein for the word "twopence."

Amendment of Reg. 37 of Principal Warrant. 12. Regulation 37 of the Principal Warrant (which relates to Advice of Delivery) shall have effect as though the word "three-pence" were substituted therein for the words "twopence halfpenny."

Amendment of Third Schedule to Principal Warrant. 13. The Third Schedule to the Principal Warrant (which relates to compensation for loss of insured letters) shall be repealed, and the First Schedule to this Warrant shall be substituted in lieu thereof.

- 14. On and from the date when this Warrant comes into Bepeals. operation, the Warrants mentioned in the Second Schedule hereto shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of such Schedule.
- 15. This Warrant may be cited as "the Foreign and Colonial Short title. Post Amendment (No. 18) Warrant, 1921."
- 16. This Warrant shall come into operation on the 13th day Commenceof June, 1921.

Dated this 11th day of June, 1921.

Date.

James Parker,

William Sutherland,

Two of the Commissioners of His

Majesty's Treasury.

F. Kellaway,
His Majesty's Postmaster-General

The First Schedule.

Compensation	Maximum	Compensation	Maximum
Fee.	Compensation.	Fee.	Compensation.
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The Second Schedule.

REPEALS.

Short Title.	Date.	Extent of Repeal.
The Foreign and Colonial Post Warrant, 1907.(a)	30th September, 1907.	Regulation 3. In Regulation 35, para. (2). the words "and all postage chargeable thereon."
The Foreign and Colonial Post Amendment (No. 1) Warrant, 1908.(b)	28th May, 1908	The whole warrant.
The Foreign and Colonial Post Amendment (No. 3) Warrant, 1908.(c)	8th October, 1908	Regulation 3. Regulation 4.
The Foreign and Colonial Post Amendment (No. 13) Warrant, 1915.(d)	30th June, 1915	The whole warrant.
The Foreign and Colonial Post Amendment (No. 17) Warrant, 1920.(c)	31st May, 1920	The whole warrant.

⁽a) S.R. & O., 1907, No. 770, p. 878. (b) S.R. & O., 1908, No. 433, p. 718. (c) S.R. & O., 1908, No. 785, p. 720. (d) S.R. & O., 1915, No. 926, III, p. 52. (e) S.R. & O., 1920, No. 860, II, p. 580.