


JAMAICA

**POST OFFICE**



**GUIDE**

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COMPRISING

The Chief Regulations of the Post Office, Rates of Postage, Air Mail Schedule, and other information, together with an Alphabetical List of Post Offices.

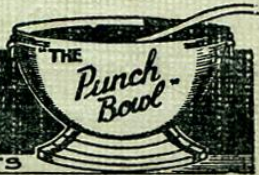
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## APPENDIX A.

## PRINCIPAL STEAMSHIP CONNECTIONS BETWEEN JAMAICA AND COUNTRIES ABROAD.

Steamship Lines.	Ports of Call.	Mails conveyed.	Distance Marine Miles.	Time in Transit.	Periodicity of Service.
1 Aluminum Line ..	Bridgetown, Port of Spain, Georgetown	Letter and parcel mails for Trinidad, Barbados, Leeward and Windward Islands and the Guianas	1,146 1,309 1,694	8 days to Bridgetown, 9 days to Port of Spain, 12 days to Georgetown	Fortnightly (Wednesday)
2 Canadian National Steamship	Belize	Letter and parcel mails for British Honduras, Rep. of Honduras, El Salvador and Guatemala.	665	3 days	Fortnightly (Friday)
3 Do. ..	Nassau, Hamilton, Montreal	Letter and parcel mails to Nassau, Bermuda, and parcel mail to Canada	662 1,497 2,845	2½ days to Nassau 6 days to Hamilton 12 days to Montreal	Fortnightly (Wednesday) for Montreal, calling fortnightly at Nassau and Bermuda ( <i>Summer Service.</i> )
4 Do.	Nassau, Hamilton, Halifax	As above	2,243	10 days to Halifax	Fortnightly (Tuesday) for Halifax calling fortnightly at Nassau and Bermuda ( <i>Winter Service.</i> )
5 Do.	Montreal, direct	Parcel Post Mail for Canada	2,323	12 days	Fortnightly ( <i>Summer Service.</i> )
6 Do.	Halifax, direct	Do.	1,795	9 days	Fortnightly ( <i>Winter Service.</i> )
7 Elders and Fyffes ..	Bristol	Letter and parcel mails for Great Britain, Europe, etc.	4,097	12½ days	Weekly (Tuesday.)

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8 Grace Line ..	Cap-Haitien, New York	Letter mails for Haiti, United States of America, Great Britain, Europe, Canada, West Asia, Africa, Mexico, Venezuela, Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, East Coast of Nicaragua, China, Japan, etc. Parcel Mail for Haiti and United States of America	330 1,650	18 hrs. to Cap-Haitien 5 days to New York	Weekly (Wednesday)
9 Standard Fruit and Steamship Co.	London, etc. ..	Letter and Parcel mails for Great Britain, Europe, etc.	4,510	12 days	Fortnightly (Tuesday)
10 Do.	La Ceiba	Letter mail for Republic of Honduras	615	1 day 16 hours	Weekly (Thursday)
11 United Fruit Co. ...	New York ..	Letter mails for United States of America, Great Britain, Europe, Canada, West Asia, Africa, Mexico, Venezuela, Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, East Coast of Nicaragua, China, Japan, etc., Parcel Mail, for United States of America.	1,474	3 days 20 hours	Weekly (Sunday)

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12 United Fruit Co. . .	Belize, Puerto Barrios	Letter and parcel mails for British Honduras, Rep. of Honduras, El Salvador and Guatemala	670 715	1 day 22 hours to Belize 2 days 18 hrs. to Barrios	Fortnightly (Friday)
13 Do. . .	Pto. Colombia, Cartagena, Cristobal	Letter and parcel mails for Canal Zone, Panama, Bolivia, Chili, Ecuador, Peru, Costa Rica, parcel mails for Nicaragua and Venezuela, and letter mails for Colombia, West Coast of Nicaragua, Australia, New Zealand; and West India Islands (every other Thursday if connexion can be made at Cristobal).	430 510 791	1 day 3 hrs. to P. Colombia 2 days 11 hrs. to Cartagena 3 days 18 hrs. to Cristobal	Weekly (Sunday)

## APPENDIX B.

Article.	Preferential Tariff.	General Tariff.
Boots, shoes, bootees, over shoes, slippers and sandals of all descriptions—		
(a) made wholly or partly of rubber, balata or gutta percha (except where the outer part of the uppers, apart from stitchings, fastenings or ornaments is made entirely of leather or leather and elastic)	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 1/- per pair
(b) rubber soled with uppers of leather or imita- tions thereof .. .. .	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 3/- per pair
(c) made wholly or partly of leather or imitations thereof not elsewhere included .. .. .	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 3/6 per pair
Apparel:		
(a) Collars .. .. .	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 1d. per article.
(b) Ties .. .. .	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 6d. per article.
(c) Shirts, singlets and shorts (underwear) ..	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 8d. for one article, 7/6 a dozen.
(d) Hosiery (i) cotton, .. .. .	10 p.c.	10 p.c. plus 6d per pair
(ii) Silk and artificial silk .. .. .	10 p.c.	10 p.c. plus 9d per pair
(e) (i) Apparel of all kinds ( <i>not to include articles of wearing apparel, which is in the opinion of the proper Officer of Customs, are bona fide worn clothing sent by persons abroad as gifts to persons in this Island for their personal use and not for sale</i> ) complete or in- complete, not particularly enumerated in this Schedule .. .. .	15 p.c.	25 p.c. plus 1/- per article.
(ii) Articles of wearing apparel which in the opinion of the proper Officer of Customs, <i>are bona fide worn clothing sent by persons abroad as gifts to persons in this Island for their personal use and not for sale</i> ..	15 p.c.	25 p.c.