- (c) A letter deposited in a letter-box on board a British ship, or in the hands of the Commander of such ship, when on the high seas or in a port in any country or place specified in the schedule hereto, for transmission to the United Kingdom or to any country or place specified in the said schedule.
- (3) The rates fixed by this clause in relation to letters to and from Her Majesty's ships of war shall apply only to letters transmitted in closed mails to or from such ships.

Incoming Letters Re-directed.

3. Where an incoming letter liable to be charged with the rates of postage specified in this Warrant is re-directed to any country or place to which such rates do not apply, there shall be charged and paid on such letter an amount which, together with the amount chargeable thereon under this Warrant, shall be equal to the rates of postage on letters charged and paid under the Principal Warrant.

Short Title of Amendment Warrant, 1895.

4. Clause 1 of the Foreign and Colonial Post Amendment Warrant, 1895, is hereby repealed, and that Warrant may be cited as "The Foreign and Colonial Post (Amendment No. 2) Warrant, 1895."

Short Title.

5. This Warrant may be cited as "The Foreign and Colonial Post (Amendment No. 3) Warrant, 1898."

Commencement.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the twenty-fifth day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Date.

Dated this twenty-second day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

W. H. FISHER, STANLEY,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Norfolk,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General

The SCHEDULE before referred to.

A den. Ascension. Bahamas. Barbados. Bermuda. British Central Africa. British East Africa. British Guiana. British Honduras. Canada. Ceylon. Cyprus. Falkland Islands. Fiji Islands. Gambia. Gibraltar. Gold Coast Colony. Hong Kong. India (British). Johore. Lagos.

Leeward Islands, viz.:-Antigna. St. Kitt's. Nevis. Dominica. Montserrat, and The Virgin Islands. Malay States (Federated), viz. :-Perak. Selangor. Negri-Sembilan, and Pahang. Natal. Newfoundland. Niger Coast Protectorate. Niger Territory. St. Helena. Sarawak. Sevchelles. Sierra Leone, Straits Settlements. Tobago. Trinidad. Turks and Caicos Islands. Uganda. Windward Islands, viz .:-Grenda. Sr. Lucia, and St. Vincent.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Thursday the 29th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vict. cap. 2, and 52 Vict. cap. 6, to the amount of £1,325,000, in replacement of Bills paid off.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 4th January 1899, and will be payable at three months, or six months, or twelve months, after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz., on the 4th April 1899, or 4th July 1899, or 4th January 1900 respectively.
- 3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.
- 4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Friday the 30th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Wednesday the 4th proximo.
- 6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 20th December 1898.