

again forwarded by post to the same person at any address within the limits of the same free postal delivery as the address from which such Parcel was so re-directed.

*Prohibitions.*

15. There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel—

- (1.) Consisting of or containing any indecent or obscene print, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, book or card, or any indecent or obscene article whether similar to the above or not; or
- (2.) Having thereon or on the cover thereof any words, marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene, or grossly offensive character.
- (3.) Containing or bearing any letter or communication in the nature of a letter.
- (4.) Containing any article or thing not authorized by the customs or other laws of the United Kingdom or the Argentine Republic.
- (5.) Consisting of or containing—
  - (a.) Any explosive substance.
  - (b.) Any dangerous substance.
  - (c.) Any filth.
  - (d.) Any noxious or deleterious substance.
  - (e.) Any sharp instrument not properly protected.
  - (f.) Except with the special permission of the Postmaster-General, any living creature.
  - (g.) Any article or thing whatsoever which is likely to injure other Parcels in course of conveyance, or any receptacle in which the same are conveyed, or an officer of the Post Office or other person who may deal with such Parcel.

Any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by post, may be detained, and either returned or given up to the sender thereof or dealt with or disposed of in such other manner as may be authorized by the Postmaster-General.

16. There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel consisting of or containing two or more Parcels or other Postal Packets (of the same or of different descriptions) addressed to different persons at different addresses; and any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by Post, may be detained and either returned or given up to the sender thereof or dealt with or disposed of as the Postmaster-General may authorize.

*Non-compliance with Regulations.*

17. In any case not in this Warrant expressly provided for, where any Parcel shall be posted or tendered for conveyance by post which in any respect infringes or fails to comply with the regulations in this Warrant contained, or any of them, such Parcel may, at the option of the Postmaster-General, either be dealt with as in this Warrant provided, with reference to Parcels which cannot be delivered, or be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.

*Provision for Safety of Parcels.*

18. In any case where any officer of the Post Office may find it necessary or expedient for the safety or protection of Parcels that any Parcel should be forwarded or delivered by some later despatch or delivery than that for which the same was posted or despatched, or intended to be posted, or despatched respectively, he may delay the despatch or delivery of such Parcel, or make such other and special arrangements as to the despatch or delivery thereof, not, however, involving a greater delay than 24 hours in the whole, as may

be deemed by such officer necessary or expedient in the circumstances of the case.

*Parcels not to interfere with Letter Post.*

19. Where the despatch or delivery from a Post Office in the United Kingdom of letters would be delayed by the despatch or delivery therefrom at the same time of Parcels, such Parcels, or any of them, may be detained in the Post Office until the despatch or delivery next following that by which they would ordinarily be despatched or delivered.

*Postmaster-General not liable for Loss or Damage.*

20. Nothing contained in or done under or in pursuance of this Warrant shall render the Postmaster-General liable, either personally or in his official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect or in consequence of any loss or damage of any Parcel, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act or neglect of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.

*Customs Regulations.*

21. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post under the provisions of this Warrant shall not be posted, forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, except subject to such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

*Remission of Postage.*

22. The Postmaster-General may, in any case in which he may consider it just or reasonable so to do, remit any postage or any sum made payable under this Warrant.

*Commencement of Warrant.*

23. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

*Date.*

Dated this twentieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

*Sidney Herbert,*

*Herbert Eustace Maxwell,*

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

*Henry Cecil Raihes,*

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

**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 Friday, the 7th proximo, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2 and 52 Vic., cap. 4, to the amount of £1,500,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 13th February, 1890, 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 13th May, or 13th August next, or 13th February, 1891, 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 Saturday, the 8th proximo, 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 Thursday, the 13th proximo.