



AIR MAIL

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NOTE.—Copies of this leaflet can be obtained on request at any Post Office. A copy of each further issue will be sent free of charge to any address on publication if application for this service is made at a Head Post Office.

I.—LETTER AIR MAILS.

1. Any kind of letter packet may be sent by Air Mail, but printed papers, commercial papers and samples must be prepaid at the rates for letters, except where otherwise indicated in the tables on pages 6 and 7. The limits of size and maximum weight are the same as for similar correspondence sent by ordinary post. Air Mail letters can be accepted for **registration**, but **insurance** is limited to letters and boxes for Holland and Switzerland. The ordinary arrangements for **express delivery** and the use of the green label system (for articles liable to Customs duty) apply.

2. A special blue Air Mail label must be affixed to the top left-hand corner of every Air Mail packet. These labels may be obtained free of charge at any Post Office. Letters bearing a manuscript indication "By Air Mail" will be accepted, but the absence of an Air Mail label may lead to delay.

3. Stamps to the full value of the postage (*see* pages 3, 6 and 7) must be affixed at the top right-hand corner of the address side of the envelope. **Special attention is drawn to the fact that the rates of postage for letters for countries outside Europe are for a weight of half an ounce.**

A letter containing more than the ordinary double sheet of notepaper is likely to be over half an ounce in weight.

4. Particulars of the letter air mail services available are given on pages 3 6 and 7. For **latest times of posting** apply at local Head Post Office.

II.—PARCEL AIR MAILS.

5. The **General Regulations of the Imperial and Foreign Parcel Post** apply, *e.g.*, as regards maximum weight and dimensions, Customs Declarations and Despatch Notes, Supplemental services, Compensation, etc.—on which points *see* the Post Office Guide. Air parcels cannot, however, be insured except in the case of those for Holland and Switzerland.

6. **Accepting Offices.**—Air parcels may be posted at any Post Office which accepts parcels for places abroad. Air parcels **exceeding 11 lb. in weight** are accepted at the same Offices and under the same conditions as similar parcels for transmission by ordinary post.

7. A special blue Air Mail label must be affixed close to the address label of the parcel (close to each address if the parcel is addressed in more than one place) and to the relative Despatch Note if there is one and, in the case of Cash on Delivery parcels, to the Trade Charge card. The words "Air Mail" should also be written conspicuously on the cover of the parcel. The sender must also prepay, in the usual way, the appropriate rate of postage as shown on page 8.

8. In addition to rapid transit by air service, an air parcel is usually given speedy Customs clearance abroad. **It is important**, in order that these advantages may not be thrown away, **that the relative Despatch Notes and Customs Declarations should be very carefully completed in accordance with the general regulations.**

9. Particulars of the air parcel services available are given on page 8. For **latest times of posting** apply at local Head Post Office.

(A). EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

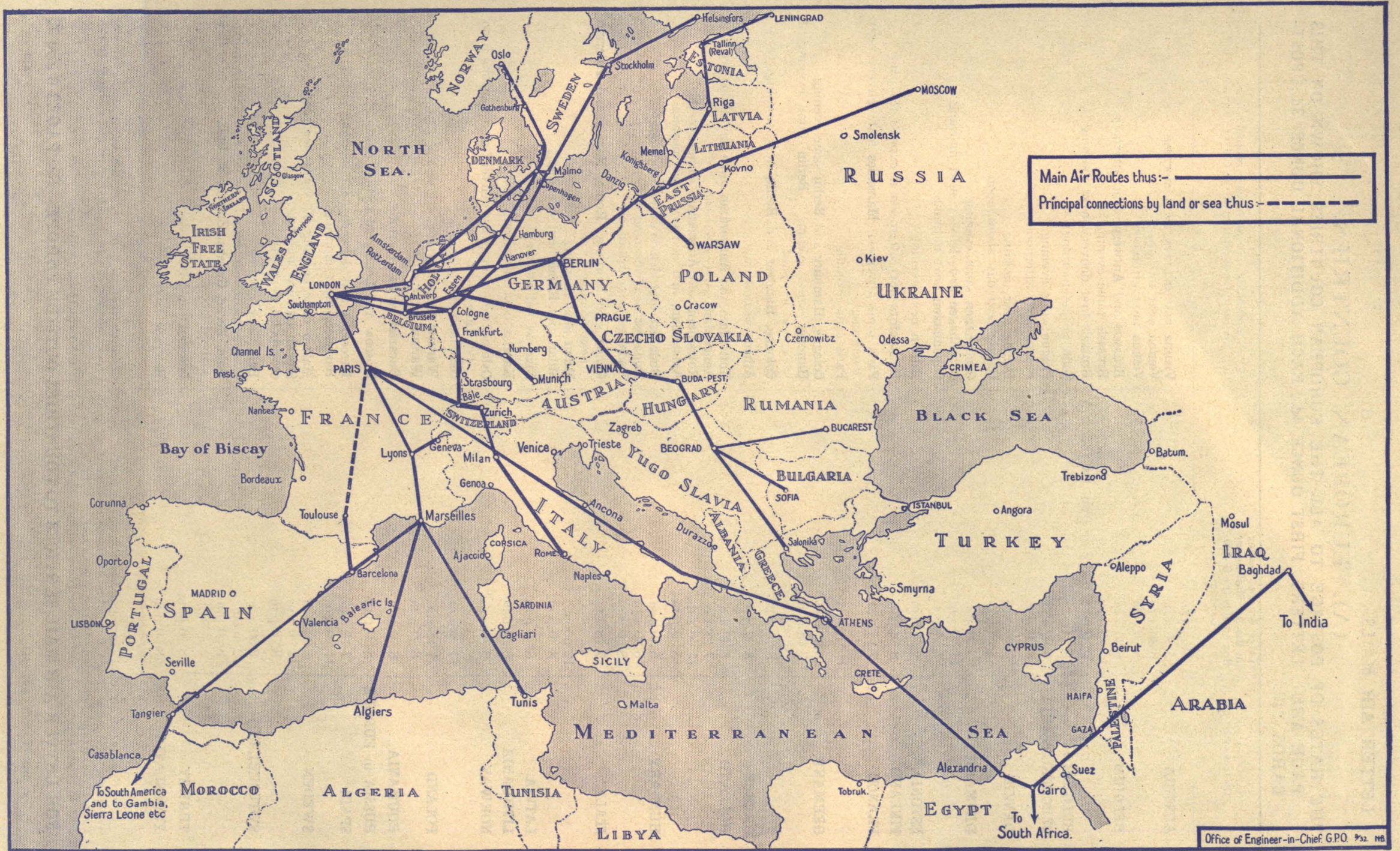
THE RATES OF POSTAGE TO ALL THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES SHOWN ON THIS PAGE ARE:—LETTERS—FIRST OUNCE 4d., EACH ADDITIONAL OUNCE 3d., POST-CARDS 2½d.

1. COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	2. Latest times of posting in the Air Mail Letter Box outside the G.P.O., London.	3. Approximate time of delivery reckoned from the latest time of posting at the G.P.O., London.
	WEEKDAYS.	
AUSTRIA	5.30 a.m. 6.30 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Vienna first delivery next morning. Vienna next morning. Vienna next afternoon.
BELGIUM	6.30 a.m. 7.15 10. 0 a.m. 9 a.m. 4. 0 p.m. (8.0 p.m. from 1st June).	Brussels and Antwerp same afternoon. Brussels same evening. Brussels first delivery next morning.
BULGARIA	8. 0 p.m. ✓	Sofia second morning.
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	6.30 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Prague same evening. Prague next afternoon.
DANZIG	7.15 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Danzig next morning. Danzig next day about noon.
DENMARK	5.30 a.m. 11. 0 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Copenhagen same evening. Copenhagen first delivery next morning. Copenhagen next morning.
ESTONIA	8. 0 p.m.	Tallinn next evening.
FINLAND	8. 0 p.m.	Helsingfors next afternoon if express fee paid.
FRANCE	7.15 a.m. ✓ 11. 0 a.m. ✓	Paris same afternoon, Marseilles first delivery next morning. Paris same evening.
GERMANY	6.30 a.m. 7.15 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Cologne, Hamburg and Berlin same evening. Hanover same evening; Berlin same evening if express fee paid. Cologne, Hanover and Berlin next morning.
GREECE	8. 0 p.m.	Athens second day.
HOLLAND	5.30 a.m. 7.15 a.m. 11. 0 a.m. 5. 0 p.m.	Rotterdam and Amsterdam same day about noon. Amsterdam same afternoon. Rotterdam and Amsterdam same evening. Amsterdam first delivery next morning.
HUNGARY	5.30 a.m. 6.30 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Budapest first delivery next morning. Budapest next morning. Budapest next afternoon.
ITALY	7.15 a.m. 12 noon 8. 0 p.m.	Genoa next morning; Rome, Naples and Palermo next evening. Milan next morning. Milan and Rome next evening.
LATVIA	8. 0 p.m.	Riga second morning.
LITHUANIA	8. 0 p.m.	Kaunas next afternoon.
NORWAY	6.30 a.m. 11. 0 a.m.	Oslo next morning (First delivery next morning from 1st June). Oslo next morning.
POLAND	7.15 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Warsaw next morning. Warsaw next day.
ROUMANIA... ..	8. 0 p.m.	Bucarest second morning.
RUSSIA in EUROPE	8. 0 p.m.	Moscow and Leningrad second morning.
SPAIN	7.15 a.m. 11. 0 a.m.	Barcelona first delivery next morning. Barcelona next morning.
SWEDEN	5.30 a.m. 11. 0 a.m. 8. 0 p.m.	Malmo same evening if express fee paid. Stockholm next morning. Stockholm next day.
SWITZERLAND	6.30 a.m. 12 noon 8. 0 p.m.	Bale same evening. Most parts of Switzerland first delivery next morning. Bale, Berne, Geneva, Zurich, St. Gall, etc. next day about noon.
TURKEY	8. 0 p.m.	Istanbul third day.
YUGOSLAVIA	8. 0 p.m.	Belgrade next evening.

Registered air mail correspondence must be handed over the counter half an hour before the times shown above. When the G.P.O. is closed for public business registered air mail correspondence can be handed over the counter at the Central Telegraph Office, St. Martin's le Grand, E.C.1.

For latest times of posting elsewhere enquiry should be made at the local Head or Branch Office.

FOR LETTER AIR MAIL SERVICES TO COUNTRIES OUTSIDE EUROPE—See PAGES 6 and 7.





(B). COUNTRIES OUTSIDE EUROPE.

N.B.—The rates shown in Columns 2 and 3 apply also to Printed Papers, Commercial Papers and Samples, except where otherwise indicated.

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	RATES OF POSTAGE.			Latest times of posting in the Air Mail Letter Box outside the G.P.O., London.	Acceleration afforded (or approximate transmission time) and general observations.
	LETTERS.		POST-CARDS.		
	First HALF OUNCE.	Each additional HALF OUNCE.			
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
AFRICA—NORTH ...	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
Algeria ...				7.15 a.m. weekdays	Up to 2 days' gain. Up to 2 days' gain. Up to 3 days' gain.
Morocco ...	*0 6½	0 4½	0 3	11.0 a.m. weekdays	
Tunis ...				7.15 a.m. weekdays	
AFRICA—WEST					
French Guinea	*0 11	0 9	0 5	11.0 a.m. Sats.	6-9 days' gain to Dakar . Normally several days' gain to Gambia , etc.
Senegal ...					
Gambia ...	*0 10	0 9	0 5		
Sierra Leone					
AFRICA—EAST					
Kenya ...	0 7	0 6	0 3	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	9-23 days' gain. 13-24 days' gain. 9-24 days' gain. 9 days' gain. 8-9 days' gain.
Uganda ...					
Tanganyika ...	0 9	0 8	0 4		
Nyasaland ...	1 0	1 0	0 5		
Portuguese East Africa.					
AFRICA—CENTRAL					
N.E. Belgian Congo (viâ Sudan).	0 8	0 6	0 4	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	16 days' gain for N.E. Belgian Congo . Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ Sudan."
Belgian Congo, K a t a n g a Province (viâ Rhodesia).	1 3	1 3	0 7		
Belgian Congo (Internal).	0 4	0 2	0 2½	As for ordinary mails to Belgian Congo.	Several days' gain for interior. Correspondence should be superscribed "Internal."
AFRICA—SOUTH ...	See under RHOD			ESIA and SOUTH AFRICA.	
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC	*4 0	4 0	2 0	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Buenos Aires Sunday 8 days later. Up to 13 days' gain.
AUSTRALIA (Internal)	0 4½	0 3½	0 3	8.0 p.m. Thurs.	4 days' gain to Melbourne and Brisbane , 3 to Adelaide and Sydney , 2 to Hobart . Correspondence should be superscribed "Internal." Overtakes ordinary mail despatched previous Thursday. Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ Karachi."
(By air to Karachi) ...	0 6	0 5	0 3	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	Delivery at the same time as air mail despatched previous Thursday. Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ Karachi and Internal."
(By air to Karachi and Internal)	0 9	0 8	0 4	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	
BAHREIN ...	0 6	0 5	0 3	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	Bahrein Thursday.
BOLIVIA ...	*4 0	4 0	2 0	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Up to 12 days' gain to La Paz . Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ France."
	2 3	2 3	1 0	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 9 days' gain to La Paz . Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ New York."
BORNEO—NORTH, BRUNEI and SARAWAK ...	1 0	1 0	0 6	5.0 p.m. Weds.	Viâ Singapore. Up to 11 days' gain.
BRAZIL ...	*3 6	3 6	1 9	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Rio de Janeiro following Saturday. Up to 11 days' gain. Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ France."
	2 9	2 9	1 4	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 10 days' gain for Para . Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ New York."
CANADA ...	0 2½	0 1½	0 2	As for ordinary direct mails. Usually 7.30 p.m. Fri.	Up to 1 day's gain for Montreal , Ottawa , Toronto and Winnipeg ; up to 2 days' gain for British Columbia .
CENTRAL AMERICA					
Costa Rica	1 3	1 3	0 7	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 6 days' gain.
Guatemala					
Honduras ...					
Nicaragua ...					
Panama ...					
Salvador ...					
CEYLON					
(By air to Karachi) ...	0 6	0 5	0 3	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	4-5 days' gain to Colombo . 6-7 days' gain to Colombo . Correspondence should be superscribed "By air in India."
(By air to Karachi and in India).	0 8	0 7	0 4		
CHILE ...	*4 0	4 0	2 0	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Santiago Monday 9 days later. Up to 13 days' gain. Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ France."
	2 9	2 9	1 4	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 9 days' gain for Santiago . Correspondence should be superscribed "Viâ New York."
CHINA (SOUTH) ...	*1 4	1 4	0 8	7.15 a.m. Weds.	4 to 11 days' gain for Hong Kong and South China .
COLOMBIA ...	2 0	2 0	1 0	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 17 days' gain.
DUTCH EAST INDIES	1 1	1 1	0 7	5.0 p.m. Weds.	Batavia Friday of the following week. 10-12 days' gain.
ECUADOR ...	1 9	1 9	0 10	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 8 days' gain.

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Note.—Correspondence can be sent by air mail, if the sender so desires, to countries not directly served by the air services shown in this leaflet upon prepayment of the air postage, as shown above, to the country through which the letter is to be forwarded. An additional 1d. is payable in the case of letters for foreign countries to be forwarded by air to countries to which the Imperial ordinary postage rate applies. Correspondence sent by this means must be superscribed to indicate the poster's intention, e.g., "By Indian air service to Karachi."

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1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
EGYPT	s. d. 0 3½	s. d. 0 2½	s. d. 0 2	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.) 11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	Alexandria Saturday evening. Alexandria and Cairo Tuesday. Offers advantage for correspondence which cannot be posted in time for the ordinary mail despatched on Friday. Saigon Thursday 8 days later. Up to 19 days' gain. Up to 5 days' gain.
FRENCH INDO-CHINA	*1 4	1 4	0 8	7.15 a.m. Weds.	
GUIANAS	1 9	1 9	0 10	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	
INDIA (By air to Karachi) ...	0 6	0 5	0 3	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	9½ days' gain for Karachi and N.W. India 6 days' for Bombay, 5-6 days' for Calcutta, Madras and Rangoon, 8 days' for Delhi.
(By air to Karachi and in India).	0 8	0 7	0 4	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	8½ days' gain for Delhi, 8 days' for Bombay and Madras. Correspondence should be superscribed "By air in India."
IRAQ	0	0 4	0 3	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	Baghdad and Basra Wednesday.
MAURITIUS	1 0	1 0	0 5	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	Normally 1-10 days' gain.
MALAY STATES ...	See STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.				
MEXICO	0 11	0 9	0 5	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 2 days' gain.
NEW ZEALAND ...	0 4½	0 3½	0 3	8.0 p.m. Thurs.	5 days' gain over mails via Suez. (No gain over mails via N. America).
PALESTINE	0 3½	0 2½	0 2	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.) 11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	Haifa, Gaza and Jerusalem Wednesday morning. Haifa, Gaza and Jerusalem Monday morning.
PARAGUAY	*4 0	4 0	2 0	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Up to 13 days' gain.
PERSIA	0 7½	0 5½	0 3	11.0 a.m. Sats. (1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	Up to 4 days' gain for Bushire.
PERU	2 3	2 3	1 0	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	3-14 days' gain. Correspondence should be superscribed "Via New York."
	*4 0	4 0	2 0	11.0 a.m. Sats.	4-19 days' gain. Correspondence should be superscribed "Via France."
RHODESIA, Northern and Southern.	0 9	0 8	0 4	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	13 days' gain for Broken Hill, 11 days' for Salisbury, 10 days' for Bulawayo.
RUSSIA IN ASIA ...	1 0	1 0	0 6	8.0 p.m. weekdays.	Up to 5 days' gain for Irkutsk.
SIAM	1 0	1 0	0 6	5.0 p.m. Weds.	Bangkok Thursday of the following week. 14-15 days' gain.
†SOUTH AFRICA ...	1 0	1 0	0 5	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	9 days' gain for Johannesburg, 8 days' for Kimberley, 7 days' for Capetown.
STRAITS SETTLEMENTS and MALAY STATES.	1 0	1 0	0 6	5.0 p.m. Weds.	Singapore Thursday of the following week. 14 days' gain.
SUDAN	0 5	0 4	0 3	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	5-7 days' gain for North Sudan, 6-17 days' gain for South Sudan.
SYRIA	0 4½	0 2½	0 2½	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Beirut Wednesday evening.
TRANSJORDAN ...				(1.30 p.m. Sats. on and after 13th May.)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.	0 5½	0 4½	0 3	Normally as for ordinary mails.	1-2 days' gain for New Orleans and places west of a line New Orleans-Chicago.
URUGUAY	*4 0	4 0	2 0	11.0 a.m. Sats.	Montevideo Sunday 8 days later. Up to 12 days' gain.
VENEZUELA	1 9	1 9	0 10	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 6 days' gain.
WEST INDIES—					
Bahamas	0 5½	0 4½	0 3	Normally as for U.S.A. ordinary mails.	Up to 2 days' gain.
Cuba	0 6½	0 4½	0 3		Up to 2 days' gain.
Jamaica	0 9	0 8	0 4		Up to 6 days' gain.
Dominican Republic, Haiti, Porto Rico, Leeward Is., Windward Is., Barbados, Trinidad.	1 3	1 3	0 7		Up to 10 days' gain.
ZANZIBAR	0 7	0 6	0 3	11.0 a.m. Weds. (1.30 p.m. Weds. on and after 17th May.)	Up to 9 days' gain.

* PRINTED PAPERS, COMMERCIAL PAPERS AND SAMPLES.—Separate postage rates for PRINTED PAPERS, COMMERCIAL PAPERS AND SAMPLES sent via France are in force for the countries shown below.

	Per HALF OUNCE.		Per HALF OUNCE.		Per HALF OUNCE.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.
AFRICA—NORTH ...	0 2	BRAZIL	0 10	PARAGUAY	1 0
WEST	0 4	CHILE	1 0	PERU	1 0
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC	1 0	CHINA (SOUTH) ...	0 8	URUGUAY	1 0
BOLIVIA	1 0	FRENCH INDO-CHINA	0 8		

o See footnote on page 6.

† Correspondence can also be sent to Capetown by sea for transmission from there by air, the rate of postage for letters being 3½d. for the first HALF ounce and 2½d. for each additional HALF ounce, and for postcards 2d. The latest time of posting in the air mail letter box outside the G.P.O., London, is 12 noon on Fridays. This service offers one day's gain for Port Elizabeth, Bloemfontein, Johannesburg and Pretoria, and up to 2 days' gain for East London and Durban. Correspondence sent by this route should be superscribed "Internal."

FOR LETTER AIR MAIL SERVICES TO EUROPEAN COUNTRIES—See PAGE 3.
FOR PARCEL AIR MAIL SERVICES—See PAGE 8.

1. COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	2. Rates of Postage from Gt. Britain and N. Ireland. Parcels not exceeding—								3. Latest time of posting at the G.P.O., London. For posting elsewhere enquiry should be made at the local Head or Branch Post Office.	4. Approximate time of delivery or acceleration afforded.
	2 lb.	3 lb.	5 lb.	7 lb.	8 lb.	11 lb.	22 lb.			
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.			
AFRICA—EAST—										
Kenya (3) ...	} 3s. 0d. per HALF lb. or fraction thereof up to maximum of 22 lb.								9.0 a.m. Weds.	By air direct, reaching Kampala and Nairobi on Tuesday, and Moshi and Dodoma on Wednesday of the following week.
Uganda (3) ...										
Tanganyika (2) (3) ...										
AFRICA—SOUTH ...	See under RHODESIA and SOUTH AFRICA.									
AUSTRIA (1)(2) ...	3 6	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 6	9 6	16 0	6.30 p.m. weekdays	By air to Cologne, thence by rail. Delivery in Vienna on fourth day.	
								ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Vienna on fifth day.	
BELGIUM (1)(2)(3) ...	2 6	2 6	5 6	5 6	7 6	7 6	11 6	ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Brussels next evening or second morning.	
COLOMBIA (South America).	5s. 0d. per lb. or fraction thereof up to maximum of 22 lb.								As for ordinary parcel mails.	By ordinary route to Colombia, thence by air. Saving of up to several weeks compared with the ordinary service.
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (2)(3)	4 0	9 6	9 6	9 6	14 0	14 0	26 0	6.30 p.m. weekdays	By air to Berlin. Delivery in Prague on second morning.	
								ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Prague on second day.	
DENMARK (1)(2)(3) ...	4 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	13 6	13 6	25 0	9.0 a.m. weekdays	Copenhagen second morning.	
*FRANCE (Paris only) (1)—										
(a) "Express" Service	1 9	3 0	3 0	4 6	4 6	6 0	12 0	} 9.0 a.m. weekdays	Delivery by "express" service same evening or next morning; by "non-express" service, a day or so later.	
(b) "Non - Express" Service.	1 6	2 3	2 3	3 3	3 3	4 3	8 6			
GERMANY (1)(2)(3)—										
(a) By air to Cologne	2 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	7 6	7 6	13 0	6.30 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Cologne next day.	
								ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Cologne next day or second morning.	
(b) By air to Berlin...	3 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	21 0	6.30 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Berlin next day.	
								ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Berlin second morning.	
HOLLAND (1)(2)(3)(4)	2 6	2 6	5 0	5 0	6 6	6 6	13 0	9.0 a.m. weekdays	Amsterdam and Rotterdam next morning.	
								ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Amsterdam and Rotterdam next day or second morning.	
HUNGARY (1)(2) ...	3 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	10 0	10 0	17 0	6.30 p.m. weekdays	By air to Cologne, thence by rail. Delivery in Budapest fifth day.	
								ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Delivery in Budapest on sixth day.	
INDIA (1)(3) ...	3s. 0d. per HALF lb. or fraction thereof up to maximum of 20 lb.								9.0 a.m. Sats.	By air to Karachi. Delivery in Bombay and Delhi in 10 days and Calcutta and Madras in 12 days.
NORWAY (1)(2)(3) ...	4 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	14 6	14 6	27 0	9.0 a.m. weekdays	By air to Malmo. Delivery in Oslo second day.	
RHODESIA—										
Northern (3) ...	} 3s. 6d. per HALF lb. or fraction thereof up to maximum of 11 lb.								9.0 a.m. Weds.	By air direct, reaching Khartoum on Sunday, Broken Hill and Salisbury on Thursday, Bulawayo and Johannesburg on Friday, and Kimberley and Capetown on Saturday of the following week.
Southern (1)(3) ...										
SOUTH AFRICA—										
Union of South Africa (1)(2).										
Basutoland (1)(2) ...	} 2s. 3d. per HALF lb. or fraction thereof up to maximum of 11 lb.								9.0 a.m. weekdays	By air to Malmo. Stockholm second day.
Swaziland (1)(2) ...										
Bechuanaland (1)(2)										
South-West Africa (1)										
SUDAN (1)(3) ...										
SWEDEN (1)(2)(3) ...	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	26 0	9.0 a.m. weekdays	Stockholm second day.	
SWITZERLAND	3 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	20 0	ø9.0 p.m. weekdays	Bale next day	
(1)(2)(3)(5).										
ZANZIBAR (3) ...	3s. 0d. per HALF lb. or fraction thereof up to maximum of 22 lb.								9.0 a.m. Weds. øSaturdays 8.0 p.m.	By air to Nairobi. Up to 3 weeks' gain.

(1) Payment of Customs and other charges may be undertaken by the sender (see Post Office Guide).
 (2) Parcels not over 11 lb. may be prepaid for express delivery (see Post Office Guide).
 (3) Cash on Delivery parcels may be sent (see Post Office Guide).
 (4) Insured parcels are accepted: Maximum insured value, £80.
 (5) " " " " £400.
 * FRANCE ("Paris only")—Semi-official service. "Air parcels may be posted for Paris and its suburbs, but not for any other place in France. Parcels may not be addressed to a Poste Restante. Imperial Airways, Limited, undertakes the clearance of the parcels through the French Customs and their subsequent delivery, at a charge to the addressee of 8f. per parcel. This charge is exclusive of ordinary French Customs charges. The sender, and not the Post Office or the Air Company, is responsible for seeing that the parcel is addressed to a place which is within the area of delivery. If it is not, the parcel will ordinarily be returned to the sender, who will be liable for all charges incurred. Redirection to places beyond Paris is not undertaken.

ALL RATES QUOTED INCLUDE ORDINARY POSTAGE.

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ENGLAND-INDIA and ENGLAND-SOUTH AFRICA AIR MAILS.

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The countries served and the fees payable are shown below. The countries printed in heavy type are served directly by the Air Services. To others the journey is completed by ordinary route.

Countries served.	RATES OF POSTAGE.			*Approximate transmission time (or acceleration afforded as from day of despatch).	
	First HALF OUNCE.	Each additional HALF OUNCE.	POST-CARDS.		
ENGLAND-SOUTH AFRICA AIR MAIL. †Latest time of posting in the Air Mail letter box outside the G.P.O. London, 11.0 a.m. Wednesday (1.30 p.m. Wednesdays on and after 17th May).					
Egypt	3½d.	2½d.	2d.	Alexandria Saturday evening. Khartoum Sunday, Kisumu and Nairobi Tuesday, Moshi and Dodoma Wednesday, Broken Hill and Salisbury Thursday, Bulawayo and Johannesburg Friday, Kimberley and Capetown Saturday of the following week. Gaza, Haifa and Jerusalem Monday morning. 9 days' gain. 8-9 days' gain. 16 days' gain for North-East Belgian Congo . 12 days' gain for Elizabethville . Up to 9 days' gain.	
Sudan	5d.	4d.	3d.		
Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika	7d.	6d.	3d.		
Rhodesia, N. and S.	9d.	8d.	4d.		
South Africa	1s. 0d.	1s. 0d.	5d.		
Palestine	3½d.	2½d.	2d.	ENGLAND-INDIA AIR MAIL. †Latest time of posting in the Air Mail letter box outside the G.P.O., London, 11.0 a.m. Saturdays (1.30 p.m. Saturdays on and after 13th May).	
Nyasaland	9d.	8d.	4d.		
Portuguese East Africa	1s. 0d.	1s. 0d.	5d.		
N.E. Belgian Congo (via Sudan)	8d.	6d.	4d.		
Belgian Congo, Katanga Province (via Rhodesia).	1s. 3d.	1s. 3d.	7d.		
Zanzibar	7d.	6d.	3d.		
Egypt	3½d.	2½d.	2d.		Alexandria and Cairo Tuesday. Offers advantage for correspondence which cannot be posted in time for the ordinary mail despatched on Friday. Gaza, Haifa and Jerusalem Wednesday morning. Beirut Wednesday evening. Baghdad and Basra Wednesday. Bahrein Thursday. Up to 4 days' gain for Bushire . Karachi following Friday, Bombay and Calcutta Monday, Madras Tuesday, Colombo Thursday, Rangoon Friday, 13 days after despatch. Delhi and Bombay following Saturday, Madras Sunday, Colombo Tuesday, 10 days after despatch.
Palestine	3½d.	2½d.	2d.		
Syria and Transjordan	4½d.	2½d.	2½d.		
Iraq	6d.	4d.	3d.		
Bahrein	6d.	5d.	3d.		
Persia	7½d.	5½d.	3d.		
India	6d.	5d.	3d.		
Ceylon	8d.	7d.	4d.		
By Air to Karachi - By Air to Karachi and in India.					

The homeward Indian mail is due in London every Tuesday, and the homeward African mail every Saturday.
 * The gain in time of transmission varies according to the incidence of the ordinary services, town of destination, day of posting, etc.
 † Correspondence prepaid for transmission by air in India should be marked at the top left-hand corner of the envelope "By Air in India."
 ‡ Correspondence can be handed over the counter at Imperial Airways Ltd., Hudson's Place, Wilton Road, S.W.1 (outside Victoria Station, Continental Departures) up to 11.30 a.m. (2.30 p.m. on and after 13th May) on Wednesdays and Saturdays respectively.

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WEIGHT.	ENGLAND—INDIA DIRECT AIR SERVICE.				ENGLAND—SOUTH AFRICA DIRECT AIR SERVICE.								AUSTRALIAN AIR SERVICE.					
	PALESTINE (and EGYPT).		IRAQ.	INDIA and CEYLON.				SUDAN.	KENYA, UGANDA, TANGANYIKA, ZANZIBAR.		NORTHERN and SOUTHERN RHODESIA, NYASALAND.		SOUTH AFRICA, PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.		By AIR in AUSTRALIA.			
	s.	d.		By AIR to KARACHI.	By AIR to KARACHI and in INDIA.		s.		d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.		d.		
LETTERS, Up to	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.		
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2 " - - - -		11	1	6	1	9	2	5	1	5	2	1	2	9	4	0	3	
2½ " - - - -	1	1½	1	10	2	2	3	0	1	9	2	7	3	5	5	0	6½	
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3½ " - - - -	1	6½	2	6	3	0	4	2	2	5	3	7	4	9	7	0	1½	
4 " - - - -	1	9	2	10	3	5	4	9	2	9	4	1	5	5	8	0	5	
4½ " - - - -	1	11½	3	2	3	10	5	4	3	1	4	7	6	1	9	0	8½	
5 " - - - -	2	2	3	6	4	3	5	11	3	5	5	1	6	9	10	0	0	
5½ " - - - -	2	4½	3	10	4	8	6	6	3	9	5	7	7	5	11	0	3½	
6 " - - - -	2	7	4	2	5	1	7	1	4	1	6	1	8	1	12	0	7	
6½ " - - - -	2	9½	4	6	5	6	7	8	4	5	6	7	8	9	13	0	10½	
7 " - - - -	3	0	4	10	5	11	8	3	4	9	7	1	9	5	14	0	2	
7½ " - - - -	3	2½	5	2	6	4	8	10	5	1	7	7	10	1	15	0	5½	
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Each additional ½ oz. -		2½		4		5		7		4		6		8		1	0	3½
POSTCARDS-		2		3		3		4		3		3		4		5		3

AIR MAIL MONEY ORDERS.

Money Orders for payment in EGYPT, IRAQ, INDIA, CEYLON, the UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA and SOUTH-WEST AFRICA can be advised abroad by Air Mail instead of by ordinary mail upon payment by the remitter of a special fee, in addition to poundage at the ordinary rate for Imperial and Foreign Orders. This additional fee (which does not vary with the amount of the order) is for EGYPT 2d., IRAQ 3½d., INDIA 5d. CEYLON 7d., the UNION of SOUTH AFRICA and SOUTH-WEST AFRICA 11d.

Air Mail advising of Money Orders is limited to the countries mentioned. For further particulars of the service see the Post Office Guide under the heading "Imperial and Foreign Money Orders."

PARCEL AIR MAIL SERVICE.

Parcels can be forwarded by air mail to INDIA, SUDAN, KENYA, UGANDA, TANGANYIKA, ZANZIBAR, NORTHERN and SOUTHERN RHODESIA and SOUTH AFRICA at the charges shown below.

	per HALF lb.		per HALF lb.
	s. d.		s. d.
SUDAN - - - - -	2 3	TANGANYIKA } - - - - -	3 0
INDIA } - - - - -		ZANZIBAR } - - - - -	
KENYA } - - - - -	3 0	RHODESIA (Northern and Southern) } - - - - -	3 6
UGANDA } - - - - -		SOUTH AFRICA - - - - -	

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FOR LONDON USERS ONLY

Latest Times of Posting unregistered air mail correspondence in the Air Mail Letter Box outside the G.P.O. London. The latest times of posting in other Air Mail Letter Boxes will be about half an hour to an hour earlier according to the locality of the box.

WEEKDAY SERVICES.

5.30 a.m.	Austria, Denmark, Holland, Hungary, Sweden.
6.30 a.m.	Austria, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Hungary, Norway, Switzerland.
7.15 a.m.	Algeria, Danzig, France, Germany, Holland, Italy, Poland, Spain, Tunis.
10.0 a.m.	Belgium.
11.0 a.m.	Denmark, France, Holland, Morocco, Norway, Spain, Sweden.
12.0 noon	Italy, Switzerland.
4.0 p.m.	Belgium.
5.0 p.m.	Holland.
8.0 p.m.	Austria, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Danzig, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Roumania, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Yugoslavia.

WEEKLY SERVICES.

Wednesday.	
2.0 a.m.	U.S.A., Mexico, West Indies, Central America, Colombia, Ecuador, Guianas, Peru, Venezuela, Brazil, Chile, Bolivia.
7.15 a.m.	China (South), French Indo-China.
11.0 a.m.	Egypt, Palestine, Sudan, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, Rhodesia, South Africa, Belgian Congo, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Portuguese East Africa.
1.30 p.m. on and after 17th May).	
5.0 p.m.	Dutch East Indies, Straits Settlements and Malay States.
Thursday.	
8.0 p.m.	Australia, New Zealand.
Friday.	
7.30 p.m.	Canada.
Saturday.	
2.0 a.m.	U.S.A., etc. (as Wednesday).
11.0 a.m.	Argentine, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay.
11.0 a.m.	Egypt, India, Ceylon, Iraq, Palestine, Persia, Syria.
(1.30 p.m. on and after 13th May).	

For full particulars of rates of postage, saving in time offered, etc., see pages 3, 6 and 7 of the Air Mail leaflet.

THERE ARE NO DESPATCHES BY AIR ON SUNDAYS.

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AIR MAIL LETTER BOXES.

Special blue Posting boxes are erected in London for the reception of Air Mail correspondence only, on the undermentioned sites.

King Edward Street, E.C.1. (Outside G.P.O.)

Central Telegraph Office, St. Martin's-le-Grand, E.C.1.

Throgmorton Avenue (London Wall) Branch Post Office, E.C.2.

Ludgate Circus, New Bridge Street (18), Branch Post Office, E.C.4.

Queen Victoria Street (128a) Branch Post Office, E.C.4.

Moorgate, E.C.2. (Opposite Britannic House.)

Fenchurch Street (60) Branch Post Office, E.C.3.

Front of Royal Exchange, E.C.3.

Eastern District Post Office, 206 Whitechapel Road, E.1.

W.C. District Post Office, New Oxford Street, W.C.1.

High Holborn, W.C.1. (South side, opposite Staple Inn Buildings.)

East Strand (173-4) Branch Post Office, W.C.2.

Charing Cross Branch Post Office, W.C.2.

Oxford Circus, W.1. (N.E. side.)

Western District Post Office, Wimpole Street, W.1.

Piccadilly Circus, W.1. (Opposite Pavilion Theatre.)

Paddington, Spring Street, Branch Post Office, W.2.

South-Western District Office, Howick Place, Victoria Street, S.W.1.

Victoria Street (32) Branch Post Office, S.W.1.

Victoria Station, S.W.1. (Entrance to forecourt.)

Charles Street, Haymarket, S.W.1.

Parliament Street (44) Branch Post Office, S.W.1.

South-Eastern District Office, 239 Borough High Street, S.E.1.

Northern District Office, 116 Upper Street, N.1.

North-Western District Office, Eversholt Street, N.W.1.

Correspondence intended for Air Mail transmission may be posted at any Post Office or in any posting receptacle, but the use of the special Air Mail boxes as a rule gives a later time of posting. The letters, etc., are collected from them by special Air Mail motor vans and conveyed direct to the Air Mail despatching point at the General Post Office, thus ensuring the greatest possible rapidity of transit and certainty of connection.

Correspondence not intended for Air Mail transmission must not be posted in the special Air Mail boxes, otherwise it will almost certainly be delayed.