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SPECIAL NOTICE

EMPIRE AIR MAIL SERVICES—ALTERATIONS IN DAYS OF DEPARTURE.

In consequence of changes in the Air Service time-tables, important alterations affecting the days of departure from London of the air mails for places served by the **England-India-Malaya** and **England-South Africa Air Mail Services** will take place as indicated below :—

England-India-Malaya Air Mail Service.—After the despatch from London on Tuesday, the 10th of March, the mid-week air mail service to India and Malaya will leave London on **Wednesday** instead of on Tuesday. The first Wednesday despatch will be made on the 18th of March. There will be no change in the day of departure (Saturday) of the **England-India-Malaya-Australia Service**.

England-South Africa Air Mail Service.—After the despatch from London on Sunday, the 15th of March, the next despatch of air mails for places served by the **England-South Africa Air Mail Service** will be made on Friday, the 20th of March. Thereafter the days of departure of the **England-South Africa Air Mail Service** will be **Tuesday** and **Friday** in each week instead of Wednesday and Sunday as hitherto.

As from the dates indicated above, the latest times of posting air mail correspondence for destinations served by the Empire Air Mail services will therefore be as follows :—

Destination.	Latest time of posting in the Air Mail letter-box outside the Head Post Office, London, E.C.1.
Egypt, Palestine, Syria and Trans-Jordan	10.45 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.
Belgian Congo, Kenya and Uganda, Madagascar, Mauritius, Nyasaland, Portuguese East Africa, Rhodesia (Northern and Southern), South Africa, Sudan, Tanganyika, Zanzibar.	10.45 a.m. Tuesday and Friday.
French Equatorial Africa (Tchad), Gold Coast, Nigeria ...	10.45 a.m. Friday.
Bahrein, Brunei, Ceylon, China (South), Hong Kong, India, Iran, Iraq, North Borneo, Philippine Islands, Sarawak, Siam, Straits Settlements and Malay States.	10.45 a.m. Wednesday and Saturday.
Australia, Dutch East Indies, New Caledonia, New Guinea, New Zealand, Papua, Solomon Islands.	10.45 a.m. Saturday.

Correspondence may also be handed over the counter at Imperial Airways Ltd., Hudson's Place, Wilton Road, S.W.1, or posted in the Air Mail letter-box at the Charles Street, Haymarket, S.W.1, Post Office up to 11.15 a.m.

The **HOMEWARD** air mails will be due to reach London as follows :—

From **AUSTRALASIA**—on Monday.

From **INDIA, MALAYA**, etc.—on Monday and Thursday.

From **AFRICA**—on Sunday and Thursday.

The latest times of posting air **parcels** at the Head Post Office, London, E.C.1, will be as follows :—

Egypt	9.0 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.
Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Rhodesia (Northern and Southern), South Africa, Sudan, Tanganyika and Zanzibar.	9.0 p.m. Monday and Thursday.
India and Ceylon	9.0 p.m. Tuesday and Friday.

LETTER MAILS FOR SCANDINAVIA.

On and from Tuesday, the 17th of March, letters and postcards for **Denmark, Sweden, Norway and Finland**, prepaid at the ordinary foreign postage rates, viz. : letters, $2\frac{1}{2}d.$ for the first and $1\frac{1}{2}d.$ for each additional oz. ; postcards $1\frac{1}{2}d.$, will be despatched by surface or air transport, whichever offers the quickest delivery. The payment of an air fee on letters for these countries will therefore be unnecessary as from the above date ; the letters and postcards should not bear an air mail label or other special marking, and should be posted in the ordinary and not the blue letter boxes.