

## Postal, Telegraphic and Money Order

### IMPORTANT NOTICE, WAR POSTAGE CHARGE

A War Postage Charge of one halfpenny ( $\frac{1}{2}$ d.) is payable on each postal article, irrespective of weight, except the following:—

- Postal articles of all classes to be from members of the Forces, whether located in Australia or abroad, to which the special reduced rates of postage apply;
- Air Mail articles addressed to places beyond the Commonwealth other than New Zealand, Papua & New Guinea;
- Parcels sent by Parcels Post either within Australia or overseas. After ascertaining the postage payable on any postal article according to the following table of rates, add  $\frac{1}{2}$ d. to cover the War Postage Charge, unless the article belongs to any of the groups of exceptions (a) to (c) above mentioned.

#### Letters

Within the Commonwealth & to all places in the British Empire, New Hebrides, Banks & Torres Islands, 2d per ounce; to all other places, 3d for first ounce & 2d, each additional. Aerial Mail 3d per  $\frac{1}{2}$ oz, in addition to ordinary rate of postage. Australian aerial services only.

#### Letter Cards

Within the Commonwealth and to all places in the British Empire—2d. To all other places—3d.

#### Post Cards

Within the Commonwealth (including Papua, Lord Howe & Norfolk Island), New Zealand & Islands, Fiji, United Kingdom, & all British colonies & Protectorates, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d; U S A & other places, 2d.

#### Commercial Papers

Within the Commonwealth, New Zealand and the Islands annexed thereto, and Fiji, 2 oz or fraction thereof, 1d each; other places, 2 oz 1d, with a minimum 3d. Within British Empire, 1d per 2 ozs, with a minimum 2d.

#### Printed Papers

(Including Books, Periodicals & Newspapers not registered at GPO for transmission as such.)

Within the Commonwealth, 1d per 4 oz or part of 4 oz, maximum 5 lbs; British Empire, 1d per 4 oz; U S A & foreign, 1d per 2 oz, maximum 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  lbs, or 6 lbs in the case of printed volume sent singly.

#### Patterns and Samples

Within the Commonwealth and New Zealand and the Islands, 2 oz or fraction thereof (up to 1 lb), 1d. United Kingdom, 2 oz or fraction thereof (up to 5 lbs), 1d. All other places, 2 ozs or fraction thereof 1d, minimum 2d.

#### Merchandise

Within the Commonwealth, New Zealand and Fiji—1d per 2 oz. To certain other places small packet rates apply, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d per 2 ozs, minimum of 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ d, maximum weight 2 lbs.

#### Packets

(Within the Commonwealth) 1d per 2 ozs or fraction thereof, max 16 ozs; Comel Papers, 1d per 2 ozs or fraction thereof.

Packets may consist of commercial papers, printed papers or patterns, samples or merchandise (maximum weight commercial and printed papers, 5 lbs); patterns, samples and merchandise, 1 lb.

#### Books.

Within the Commonwealth, books wholly set up and printed in Australia and registered at the G.P.O. for transmission as such 1d per 6ozs or part of 6 ozs; other works, 1d per 4 ozs or part of 4 ozs to New Zealand and the Islands annexed thereto, Fiji, New Hebrides and the Solomon Islands (British Protectorate), United Kingdom and Irish Free State and other places in British Empire, 1d per 4 ozs or part of 4 ozs. All other places, 1d per 2 ozs or part of 2 ozs. The following articles shall not be eligible for transmission at the book rate of postage—Account books, albums with or without photographs or pictures, catalogues and all publications issued in book form for the purpose of advertisement, diaries, directories, guide books, journals of fashion, music (bound or loose), pamphlets, pocket books, programmes of competitions, prospectuses, reports of companies, and other business concerns or institutions, &c., stationery of all kinds bound in book form, timetables, and generally all matter coming under the head of "printed papers," "commercial papers," or "merchandise."

#### Catalogues

Within the British Empire—(a) Catalogues wholly set up and printed in Australia—1d. per 4ozs, 1d. per 2ozs elsewhere.

#### Magazines

- For delivery within the Commonwealth—(a) Magazines, reviews, and other similar publications, wholly set up and printed in Australia, at intervals not exceeding three months and registered at G.P.O. for transmission as such: 1d for 6oz or part of 6oz; (b) Magazines, reviews, and other similar publications (including newspapers), not wholly set up and printed in Australia, within the Commonwealth and British Empire, 1d per 4ozs, other places 1d per 2ozs.
- For delivery in New Zealand and the Islands annexed thereto (as enumerated under "Letters," Fiji, New Hebrides, or Solomon Islands (British Protectorate)), 1d per 4 ozs.
- For delivery in other places, 1d per 2 oz. or part of 2 oz.

**Hansard**—That is, reports of Parliamentary debates printed and published by the authority of the Commonwealth or of a State, 1d per 12ozs or part of 12ozs.

#### Newspapers.

Within the Commonwealth & Papua, if posted by newspaper proprietor or news-vendor—For every 20 ozs (or fraction thereof) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d to New Zealand & Fiji, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d per 16 ozs or fraction thereof.

Newspapers other than those posted by proprietors or news-vendors within the Commonwealth & Papua & to New Zealand & Fiji—For every 6 ozs or fraction thereof, 1d.

United Kingdom & Irish Free State—By "All Sea Route," 1d per 6 ozs.

To other parts of the British Empire, & to New Hebrides, Banks & Torres Islands, for every 4 ozs or fraction thereof, 1d.

All other places—Each newspaper, for every 2 ozs or fraction thereof, 1d.

Newspapers printed outside the Commonwealth, but posted within the Commonwealth to any destination. Printed paper rates apply.

#### Parcel Post.

Within the Commonwealth—Within a 30-mile radius of the place at which the parcel is posted, 6d will be charged for the first pound, and 3d for each additional pound up to 3lbs; 4 & 5lbs, 1/3; 6, 7 & 8lbs, 1/3; 9, 10 & 11lbs, 1/3. For parcels addressed to other places within Western Australia, 9d will be charged for the first pound and 3d for each additional pound up to 3lbs; 4 & 5lbs, 1/6; 6, 7 & 8lbs, 2/3; 9, 10 & 11lbs, 2/3. For parcels posted to South Australia & Nth & Central Australia, the charge will be 1/- for the first pound, and 6d for each additional pound up to 3 lbs; 4 & 5 lbs, 2/3; 6, 7 & 8 lbs, 3/6; 9, 10 & 11 lbs, 5/-. For parcels posted to New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Federal Capital Territory and Queensland, the charge will be 1/3 for the first pound and 9d for each additional pound up to 3 lbs; 4 & 5 lbs, 3/6; 6, 7 & 8 lbs, 5/-; 9, 10, & 11 lbs, 7/3.

United Kingdom—1 lb to 3 lbs, 1/11; 4 lbs to 5 lbs, 3/7.

Canada—First 1 lb., 1/-; each additional 1 lb., 6d. up to 1 lb. Size limit same as United Kingdom. Union of South Africa, Cape Colony, Natal, Orange Free States & Transvaal—3d per lb up to 11 lbs. Size limit same as United Kingdom.

#### Registered Letters.

Registration fee, 3d (in addition to the ordinary postage).

#### Money Orders

**Rates of Commission on Money Orders.** Throughout the Cwealth, 6d. for each £5 or fraction thereof.

Orders payable in Fiji, 3d. for each £1 or fraction of £1, with minimum of 6d., plus current rate of exchange.

Orders payable in United Kingdom, other British Possessions & Foreign countries, 4d. for each £1 or fraction thereof for the first £8, and 3d. for each additional £ or fraction thereof, with a minimum of 6d., plus current rate of exchange, which is 3d. for every 1/- or portion thereof, except Philippine Islands which is 6d. for every 1/- or portion.

Postal Notes for sums from 1/- up to 20/-, payable within the Commonwealth may be purchased at nominal fees.

Money Orders may be forwarded by Air Mail upon payment of the Relative Air Mail Fee at time of application for the forwarding of the Official Advice.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Telegraphic Money Orders now exchangeable with United Kingdom & countries throughout United Kingdom & New Zealand & Fiji.

Remitter required to pay Notification Fee for advising Payee.

#### Telegraphic.

**Rates**—Central and suburban (15 miles radius), 14 words and under, 9d.; each additional word, 1d. Beyond the 15 mile radius, 14 words and under, 1/-; each additional word, 1d. Press messages for publication within the State of lodgement, 25 words and under, 8d.; 26 to 50, 11d.; 51 to 100, 1/9; each additional 50, 8d.; Interstate, double these rates.

Interstate Telegrams, 14 words 1/-; each additional word after 14 words, 1d.

Urgent Telegrams, double ordinary rates. To New Zealand, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per word.

To Great Britain & all British Empire Points, excepting New Zealand, Fiji & other Pacific Islands via Cable or Beam Wireless, 1/3 full rate, 10d C.D.E., 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  def per word. Daily Letter Telegrams, minimum 10/5 (25 words) & 5d for each word in excess of 25.

U.S.A.—California, via Beam 2/1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Cable 2/1 $\frac{1}{2}$ . New York City & New York State, Cable 2/5 per word.

EFM cables to members of forces 2/6 each, texts must be selected from numbered lists.

Telegraphic money orders made payable at any money order office which is also a telegraph office in Tasmania.

New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia, Victoria, Western Australia. Remitter required to advise payee by telegram and in addition pay for official telegraph advice, as well as the money order commission.

Lettersgrams are accepted for transmission at Perth, Fremantle, Kalgoorlie, St Geo Ter & Milligan at only; must be posted or telephoned from other offices. Rate is 30 words 1/3 and 1/4 every additional word.

#### Lettersgrams to N.Z.—

These will be delivered in Australia and N.Z. by the morning's post; the charge will be 25 words 2/9, and 2d each extra word. Greetings, G.L.T., 15 words or less, 2/-; 2d. each word over 13.

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