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POST OFFICE SERVICES AT EASTER

The Postmaster General announces that on Good Friday, the 23rd of April, postal, telegraph and telephone facilities at Post Offices in England, Wales and Northern Ireland will generally be as on an ordinary weekday.

Saturday, the 24th April will not be a general public holiday, but the Government have decided that this day should be an Approved holiday for industry subject to the exigencies of the war situation. In districts therefore where this day will be generally observed as a holiday, postal services (including the hours of counter business) will be reduced in some cases down to those of a normal Bank Holiday. Telegraph delivery services will, however, be maintained as on an ordinary weekday.

Easter Monday, the 26th of April will be observed as a public Holiday in England, Wales and Northern Ireland and at all Post Offices the postal, telegraph and telephone facilities, including the hours of counter business, deliveries and collections, will be as on a normal Bank Holiday.

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