of these times will fall within a period when ships with one operator are keeping watch. Times at which messages will be broadcast from 500 kc/s (600 metres) Stations are not included in the Schedule, since merchant ships keep normal watch on this wave length and messages may, therefore, be broadcast from these Stations at any time when the ships with one operator are keeping watch and are not listening for any routine transmissions on another wave length.

4. The organization provides for messages containing information affecting British Merchant Ships to be broadcast :—

(a) By Admiralty to all British Merchant Ships in all areas ;

(b) By Admiralty to British Merchant Ships in any particular area or areas ;

(c) By Naval Authorities abroad to British Merchant Ships in the areas for which they are responsible.

Messages under (a) will be broadcast from Rugby with the call sign GBMS ; and will also be broadcast with the same call sign by the W/T stations shown in column 3 of the Schedule. (During " test " periods from Rugby only.)

Messages under (b) will be broadcast from Rugby with the call sign or call signs for Merchant Ships in the particular area or areas concerned (vide paragraph 1 above) ; and unless the messages affect only area 1, they will also be broadcast with the same call sign or call signs by the W/T Stations for the area or areas concerned shown in column 3 of the Schedule.

For Messages under (c) the Naval Authority responsible for the area will arrange for the Messages to be broadcast by the W/T Stations shown in column 3 of the Schedule, using the call sign for Merchant Ships in that area (vide paragraph 1 above). Such messages may also be broadcast from Rugby with the same call sign.

5. The W/T Stations broadcasting messages under this scheme will use their own call signs and will indicate the Naval Authority originating the message at the beginning of the text. For example, a message broadcast by Aden W/T Station from Commander-in-Chief, East Indies, for Merchant Ships in area 3 :—C̄T GBMS 3 GBMS 3 GBMS 3 DE GZQ GZQ GZQ B̄T From Commander-in-Chief, East Indies, B̄T During the period 1st March to 30th April, 1926, H.M. ships engaged in the prevention of smuggling arms will be operating without lights in the Persian Gulf B̄T 1030 (*) BT Repetition B̄T From Commander-in-Chief, &c., &c., B̄T 1030 (*) A̅R V̅A.

NOTE.—(*) This is G.M.T. at which the message was ordered to be sent. It may be followed by the date thus :—" 1030 N̅R̅ 15 N̅R̅ 2."

SCHEDULE.

Area (see Chart).	Naval Authority who will arrange Transmission.	W/T Stations by which Messages will be transmitted.	Call Sign.	Wave length kc/s (metres). C.W. except on 500 kc/s (600 metres).	Times of Transmission. G.M.T.
All	Admiralty	Rugby ..	GBR	16 kc/s (18,740)	0000, 1200
1	Admiralty	Portishead ..	GKU	149 kc/s (2,013)	} 0400, 1600
		Gibraltar ..	GYW	125 kc/s (2,400)	
		Wick ..	GKR		
		Cullercoats ..	GCC		
		Humber ..	GKZ		
		North Foreland	GNF		
		Niton ..	GNI		
		Land's End ..	GLD		
		Portpatrick ..	GPK	} 500 kc/s (600)	..
		Seaforth ..	GLV		
		Fishguard ..	GRL		
		Valencia ..	GCK		
		Malin Head ..	GMH		
		Gibraltar ..	GYW		
2	Senior Naval Officer Ashore, Malta, and Rear-Admiral, Gibraltar	St. Angelo ..	GYY	} 125 kc/s (2,400)	} 0400, 1600
		Gibraltar ..	GYW		
		Aden ..	GZQ	150 kc/s (2,000) Type A2.	
		Malta ..	VPT	} 500 kc/s (600)	
		Gibraltar ..	GYW		..
		Aden ..	GZQ		
3	Staff Officer (I.), Colombo	Aden ..	GZQ	} 150 kc/s (2,000) Type A2	} 0400, 1600
		Matara ..	GZP		
		Aden ..	GZQ		
		Bombay ..	VWB		
		Madras ..	VWM		
		Calcutta ..	VWC	} 500 kc/s (600)	..
		Rangoon ..	VTR		
		Port Blair ..	VTP		
		Karachi ..	VWK		
4	Staff Officer (I.), Hong Kong, and Staff Officer (I.), Singapore	Seletar ..	GYL	} 125 kc/s (2,400)	0400, 1600
		aCape D'Aguilar	VPS		
		Cape D'Aguilar	VPS	500 kc/s (600)	..