Position Abolished

(f) If a position included in the attached schedule is abolished, the Telegrapher will be entitled to the position held by the junior permanently located Telegrapher on the Superintendent's district.

Seniority List

(g) A complete list of all Telegraphers on each Superintendent's district, showing their seniority standing, will be kept on file in the respective train despatching offices, open to the inspection of all Telegraphers concerned. This list will be subject to correction on proper representation from any Telegrapher, and a copy of it, corrected to date, will be furnished the General Chairman at the beginning of each year.

Exclusive Positions

(h) Telegraphers will have the exclusive right to all positions incorporated in the accompanying wage schedule, and any Telegraphers' positions subsequently added in accordance with the pre-amble; also to any new Telegraphers' positions created by the absorption of other lines or the construction of new lines when vacancies in such positions occur.

Stations omitted from Schedule

(i) Telegraphers will also be eligible and considered in line of promotion to the position of Agent at any of the stations not incorporated in the attached wage schedule, which have been omitted in view of conditions which may make it impracticable or unfair to fill these positions exclusively from one branch of the service.

Despatchers' promotion rights

(j) The right of promotion of Train Despatchers will extend over each General Superintendent's Division, and will be governed by merit and ability, these being sufficient, the senior Train Despatcher to have preference.

Despatchers transferring from one district to another

The right of Train Despatchers to transfer from one district to another will not be permitted when it will seriously impair the efficiency of the service. The order of promotion of Train Despatchers will be from senior relieving Despatcher to Trick Despatcher.