

the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same and the Colony or Foreign Country to or from which the same shall be forwarded, as shall from time to time be chargeable and payable for British postage on letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted or delivered at the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same, and transmitted direct between such port and such Colony or Foreign Country.

And We further direct that on every letter transmitted as is mentioned in this Warrant, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and paid progressive and additional rates of British postage, according to the scale of weight and number of rates following (that is to say) :—

On every such letter, exceeding half an ounce in weight, and not exceeding one ounce in weight, two rates of postage ;

On every such letter, exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four rates of postage ;

On every such letter, exceeding two ounces, and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six rates of postage ;

And on every such letter, exceeding three ounces, and not exceeding four ounces in weight, eight rates of postage ;

And for every ounce in weight, above the weight of four ounces, there shall be charged and taken, two additional rates of postage, and every fraction of an ounce, above the weight of four ounces, shall be charged as one additional ounce.

And We further direct that such printed newspapers as are hereinafter mentioned may be sent by the post free of postage, or liable to postage according to the regulations and rates hereinafter set forth ; that is to say :—

British newspapers and such British publications as are allowed to pass by the post as newspapers in the United Kingdom, may, if posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to Peru, be sent from the United Kingdom to Peru, direct, or via Panama, by packet-boat free, and by private ship at a rate of one penny each.

Newspapers published in the Spanish language, and posted in Peru, may be sent from thence to any part of the United Kingdom, direct, or via Panama, by packet-boat free, and by private ship at a rate of one penny each.

Newspapers published in the Spanish language, and posted in Peru, may be sent from thence to any British Colony (without passing through the United Kingdom) by packet-boat, direct, or via Panama, free, and by private ship, at a rate of one penny each.

Newspapers published in the Spanish language may be sent by British packet-boat from one port in Peru to another port in Peru (without passing through the United Kingdom) free.

Newspapers published and posted in any of Her Majesty's Colonies may be sent from thence to any port in Peru (without passing through the United Kingdom) by packet-boat, direct, or via Panama, free, and by private ship, at a rate of one penny each.

Newspapers published in the Spanish language, and posted in Peru, may be sent from thence to any Foreign port (without passing through the United Kingdom) by British packet-boat, direct, or via Panama, at a rate of two pence each.

And We further direct that every printed supplement or additional sheet to any newspaper shall,

for the purpose of charging the postage under this Warrant, be deemed a distinct newspaper, unless sent in the same cover, or together with the newspaper to which it is a supplement or addition.

And We further direct that the said newspapers shall be forwarded under and subject to the following conditions ; that is to say :—

Each must be sent without a cover, or in a cover or band open at the sides or ends, and there must be no word or communication printed on the paper after its publication, or upon the cover or band thereon, nor any writing, figures, or manual marks upon it, or upon the cover or band of it, except the name and address of the person to whom sent. There must be no paper or thing inclosed in or with any such newspaper. Any newspaper not forwarded in conformity with such conditions is to be chargeable with the full letter-rates of postage.

And We further direct that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to annul, prejudice, or affect any of the exemptions and privileges granted by the said recited Act, or by an Act made and passed in the first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the Management of the Post-office," and that all such exemptions and privileges shall remain in full force.

And We further direct that the term "British West Indies," used in this Warrant, shall include the Bermudas, the Bahamas, and other British Islands, commonly called the West Indies, as also the Colonies of British Guiana and Honduras, and their respective dependencies ; and that the several other terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning, in all respects, as they would have had if inserted in the said Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

And We further direct that this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two.

Provided lastly, and We hereby declare and direct that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any two of them, by Warrant under their hands, at any time hereafter to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby altered, or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates and regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable are to be paid.

Whitehall, Treasury-Chambers, the 13th day of October 1852.

CHANDOS.

HENRY G. LENNOX.

DUBLIN-CASTLE, October 25, 1852.

Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint by Warrants under Her Royal Sign Manual, John Ennis, Esquire, and Henry Roe, Esquire, to be Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland.

DUBLIN-CASTLE, October 25, 1852.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint Pilsworth Whelan, Esq. R. M., to be a Resident Magistrate for the County of Cork, to reside at Cork, under the provisions of the Act 6 Wm. IV, c. 13.