

person to whom the packet shall be directed or any other person,) nor any enclosure sealed or otherwise closed against inspection, nor any other enclosure not authorized by this Warrant, sent in or with any such packet, nor shall there be any word or communication printed on the contents of any such packet after the publication thereof, nor any writing, figures, or marks, upon any such contents, or the cover thereof, not authorized by this Warrant, except the name and address of the person to whom the same is sent; but the name or title of any newspaper, and the name and address of the publisher, news-vendor, or agent, by whom the same is sent, may be printed on the cover thereof; and any packet of printed papers other than a printed newspaper may have any matter or thing printed on the cover thereof.

No packet shall be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant which shall exceed the weight of three pounds (Danish), or which shall exceed two feet in length or one foot in depth or width.

Every packet transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant shall be put into the Post-office at such hours in the day and under all such regulations as the Postmaster-General may appoint.

7. If any packet, consisting of a printed British newspaper, or of printed papers other than British newspapers, transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, be sent by the post otherwise than in conformity with the conditions and regulations established by or under the 6th clause of this Warrant, the same shall and may be detained and opened at any place in the United Kingdom; and, at the option of the Postmaster-General, shall be either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or be given up to the person to whom the same shall be addressed, or be forwarded to the place of its destination; and any such packet on being so returned, given up, or forwarded, shall be chargeable with any rates of postage the Postmaster-General may think fit, not exceeding the rates that would be chargeable on such packet as an unpaid letter.

8. The term "printed papers" used in this Warrant shall, for the purpose of transmission thereof by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, mean, comprise, and include any number of separate books or other publications, prints, or maps, whether printed, engraved, or lithographed, and whether on paper, parchment, or vellum, and also photographs on paper, parchment, or vellum, and all legitimate binding, mounting, or covering of a book, publication, print, or map, or of a portion thereof, whether such binding, mounting, or covering be loose or attached, as also rollers in the case of prints or maps, markers (whether of paper or otherwise) in the case of books, and whatsoever is necessary for the safe transmission of literary or artistic matter, or usually appertains thereto; but no packet consisting of or containing any photographs, drawings, prints, or other contents which may be obviously of an obscene character, shall be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant.

9. All packets consisting of patterns or samples of merchandize, of no intrinsic value, posted in the United Kingdom addressed to Sweden or Norway, and transmitted by the post from any part of the United Kingdom to any place in Sweden or Norway, the said respective packets being con-

veyed vi Belgium, Germany, and Denmark, may be so transmitted under the authority of this Warrant, and at the several rates of postage respectively as are payable in respect of packets consisting of printed papers other than British newspapers transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom to Sweden and Norway respectively, under or by virtue of this Warrant; nevertheless, the packets consisting of patterns or samples of merchandize shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under and subject to the several orders, directions, regulations, conditions, and restrictions hereinafter respectively mentioned and contained concerning or relating to the same; that is to say:—

No such packet shall be transmitted by the post under the authority of this Warrant, which shall exceed the weight of three pounds (Danish), or which in length shall exceed two feet, or in width or depth one foot.

There shall be no enclosure, sealed or otherwise closed against inspection and examination, nor any other enclosure not authorized by this Warrant, sent in or with any such packet.

The postage of every such packet shall be paid at the time of the same being posted, not in money, but by being duly stamped with the proper postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto at the time of the same being posted, which stamp or stamps shall in every case be affixed or appear on the outside of every such packet, near the address or direction, and shall be of the value or amount of the postage-duty payable thereupon under or by virtue of this Warrant.

No such pattern or sample of merchandize shall be of any intrinsic value; and no article so transmitted shall be of a saleable nature, or such as has any mercantile value, either by reason of its quality or its quantity, or of which any use might be made otherwise than as a pattern or sample of merchandize.

There shall be no writing or printing upon any such packet, or the cover thereof, or contained therein, except the address of the person for whom it is intended, the address of the sender thereof, and a manufacturer's or trade mark, and number and price of the pattern or sample; and every such manufacturer's or trade mark, number and price, shall be written or printed on labels attached to such patterns or samples, or to the bags or boxes containing the same, and not on loose pieces of paper or other material.

All such packets shall be sent in covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination; nevertheless, samples of seeds, drugs, and such other articles and things as cannot be sent in open covers, may be enclosed in boxes, or in bags of linen, paper, or other material, which shall be tied with a string, or otherwise fastened in such a manner that they may be readily opened; and closed bags, if transparent, may be used for this purpose.

No article which might injure the content of the mail bags or the persons of the officers of the Post-office shall be transmitted by the post under the authority of this Warrant; nevertheless, any packet containing any razor, scissors, knife, fork, or other sharp or pointed instrument, shall and may (notwithstanding anything in a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury,