

which shall exceed four ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid on and in respect of the said several and respective packets, such progressive and additional rates of postage as are hereinafter mentioned and contained relating thereto.

5. On every packet consisting of printed newspapers posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to any of the respective countries and places following, namely:—the Ionian Islands, Moldavia, Wallachia, and any of the places in Turkey at which Austrian mail packets touch, and forwarded viâ France and Austria, if not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof respectively as aforesaid, in lieu of all other rates now chargeable or payable in respect of such packets, the uniform single rate of postage of threepence; and on every packet consisting of printed papers, other than newspapers, posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to any of the said respective countries and places last hereinbefore enumerated, and forwarded viâ France and Austria, if not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof respectively as aforesaid, in lieu of all other rates now chargeable or payable in respect of such packets, the uniform single rate of postage of sixpence; and on every such packet consisting of printed newspapers, and on every such packet consisting of printed papers other than newspapers, respectively chargeable with postage under this clause, which shall exceed four ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid on and in respect of the said several and respective packets, such progressive and additional rates of postage as are hereinafter mentioned and contained relating thereto.

6. All such respective packets chargeable with postage, under the fourth and fifth clauses of this Warrant, hereinbefore respectively contained, shall be subject to the same or the like several progressive and additional rates of postage as are mentioned and contained in the seventh clause of the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 20th day of December, 1856, with respect to the several and respective packets in the said seventh clause of the said last-mentioned Warrant mentioned and referred to.

7. On every packet consisting of printed newspapers and other printed papers posted in any of the British Colonies, addressed to any of the countries and places enumerated in the fourth and fifth clauses of this Warrant, and forwarded through the United Kingdom, if not exceeding two ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof respectively as aforesaid, in lieu of all other rates now chargeable or payable in respect of such packets, the uniform single rate of postage of three pence; and all such respective packets chargeable with postage under this clause, exceeding two ounces in weight, shall be subject to the same or the like several progressive and additional rates of postage as are mentioned and contained in the eighth clause of the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 20th day of December, 1856, with respect to the several packets in the said last-mentioned clause mentioned and referred to;

And whereas additional accommodation is required for the transmission by the post of letters between certain towns in England and places on the continent of Europe, and it is expedient that an additional mail should be established for such service, and that certain regulations should be

made for that purpose in the manner hereinafter mentioned;

Now we, the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the aforesaid powers reserved to us, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do further order and direct as follows:

8. All letters posted at the towns of Bradford, Halifax, Huddersfield, and Leeds, respectively, all in the county of York, addressed to places on the continent of Europe, may be transmitted by the post from the said towns respectively, in the county of York, to London, by additional mails to be provided for that purpose, for transmission to the said places on the continent of Europe. All which said letters shall be posted in the said towns respectively, in the county of York, and transmitted therefrom at such times, and in such manner, and under and subject to such conditions, regulations, and restrictions, in all respects, as the Postmaster-General shall from time to time order and direct.

9. All letters to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of the eighth clause of this Warrant, shall be subject and liable to the same rates of postage in all respects as the same are now subject and liable to, and in addition thereto there shall be chargeable and payable upon, for, and in respect of, every such letter, a further and additional rate of postage of two pence.

10. The postage of all letters transmitted by the post under the provisions of the eighth clause of this Warrant, as well the ordinary rates now payable as also the additional rate of two pence payable under the provisions of this Warrant, shall in every case be paid at the time of posting the same by being stamped with the proper British postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto, which stamp or stamps shall in every case be affixed or appear on the outside of every such letter, near the address, and shall be of the value or amount of the full postage duty payable thereupon, as well that now payable, as also the additional duty payable under or by virtue of this Warrant; and if the full postage payable upon any such letter shall not be so duly and properly paid, the same shall not be forwarded by such additional mail, and shall be dealt with in like manner as any other such letter, the postage whereof shall not have been duly or properly paid, may now be dealt with.

11. No registered letter shall be transmitted by the post under the authority of the eighth clause of this Warrant; nor shall any printed newspaper, or other printed paper or packet of any kind, be so transmitted which shall not be subject and liable to the full letter rate of postage.

12. The said recited Warrant, bearing date the 20th day of December, 1856, shall remain in force, except so far as the same, or any of the provisions thereof, shall be altered or revoked by this Warrant; and the several orders, directions, regulations, and conditions in the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 20th day of December, 1856, shall, so far as the same are not inconsistent with, or repugnant to, the provisions of this Warrant, be applicable thereto, and to the several provisions thereof, in like manner as if all such orders, directions, regulations, and conditions (not being inconsistent therewith or repugnant thereto), were herein respectively inserted, expressed, and repeated with respect to all letters and packets mentioned and contained in, and intended to be regulated by, this Warrant.

13. The term printed papers, used in the said recited Warrant of the 20th day of December, 1856, shall mean and include photographs on