

Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury), do, in exercise of the power or authority in us for such purpose vested, in and by the said Act of the 2d and 3d of Victoria, chapter 52, and warrant of the 27th day of December last, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, by this warrant, under our hands, order and direct, that the said rates of one penny and two pence and additional rates by the said warrant of the 27th day of December last, fixed and directed to be charged on printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, and printed votes and proceedings of the Colonial Legislatures, forwarded by the post between places in the United Kingdom, or between the United Kingdom and Her Majesty's Colonies (but not through France or to the East Indies, *via* Falmouth and Alexandria), shall be, and the same are hereby, repealed from and after the 10th day of February next, except as to any such printed votes and proceedings posted in or brought into the United Kingdom on or before that day, and also except as to any duties of postage which shall have become due in respect of any such printed votes or proceedings under or by virtue of the said warrant of the 27th day of December last, or otherwise, which may be recovered as if this warrant had not been signed.

And we do hereby further order and direct, that this present warrant shall come into operation on the 11th day of February next.

And in lieu of the rates of postage hereby repealed, we hereby fix and limit the following rates of postage to be paid to Her Majesty's Postmaster-General, for the use of Her Majesty, on and after the said 11th day of February next, on printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament and Colonial Legislatures forwarded by the post, or brought into the United Kingdom, as after-mentioned: and we order and direct the same to be charged and paid accordingly, (that is to say):

On all printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, and printed votes and proceedings of the Colonial Legislatures, forwarded by the post between places in the United Kingdom, or between the United Kingdom and Her Majesty's Colonies, or brought into the United Kingdom from the colonies, on or after the 11th day of February next (but not through France, nor to or from the East Indies, *via* Falmouth and Alexandria), subject, nevertheless, to all the regulations and restrictions in force respecting such votes and proceedings under the said Act of the 1st of Victoria, chapter 34, there shall be charged and paid the rates of postage following, namely,

If not exceeding four ounces in weight there shall be charged and paid a rate of one penny.

If exceeding four ounces, and not exceeding eight ounces in weight, there shall be charged and paid a rate of two pence.

If exceeding eight ounces, and not exceeding twelve ounces in weight, there shall be charged and paid a rate of three pence.

And if exceeding twelve ounces, and not exceeding sixteen ounces in weight, there shall be charged and paid a rate of four pence.

And for every additional four ounces in weight above the weight of sixteen ounces, there shall be

charged and paid an additional rate of postage of one penny.

And any lesser weight than four ounces shall be charged as four ounces; provided always, that it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General (if he shall see fit) to delay the transmission of any such printed votes or proceedings, for any space, not exceeding twenty-four hours, from the time at which the same would otherwise have been forwarded.

And we further order and direct, that if any such printed votes or proceedings shall become chargeable with, and liable to, the full letter rates of postage, by reason of the same not being forwarded in conformity with the regulations and restrictions in force under the said Act of the 1st Vic., cap. 34, such rates shall be charged and taken according to the scale of weight and rates, and places between which the same shall be transmitted, as in the said warrant, of the 27th day of December last, are specified and contained respecting the forwarding of letters by the post.

And we further order and direct, that the terms and expressions used in this present warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning, in all respects, as they would have had if inserted in the said warrant of the 27th day of December last.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare, that it shall be lawful for the Lords Commissioners, for the time being, of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any three 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, or by the said warrant of the 27th day of December last, made, respecting the forwarding by the post of such printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, and printed votes and proceedings of the Colonial Legislatures as aforesaid, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations respecting the forwarding of such printed votes and proceedings by the post, in lieu thereof, and, from time to time, to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable, are to be paid.

As witness our hands this 31st day of January 1840,

F. BARING.
R. STEUART.
THOS. WYSE.

Whitehall, January 21, 1840.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Rice, of Newport and Cowes, in the isle of Wight, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Merionethshire.—Marriages.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Capel Salem, situated in the town and parish of Dolgelley, in the county of Merioneth, in the district of the Dolgelley Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 24th day of January