

and paid progressive and additional rates of postage as follows ; 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 for every ounce in weight above the weight of three ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of postage ; and every fraction of an ounce above the weight of three ounces shall be charged as one additional ounce ; and each progressive and additional rate, chargeable under this clause, shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight.

And we further direct, that in respect of letters sent by any non-commissioned officers, serjeants, corporals, drummers, fifers, private soldiers or seamen, under the regulations of this Warrant, the following conditions shall be observed (that is to say), upon each such letter shall be superscribed the name of the writer, and his class or description in the regiment, detachment, or vessel to which he shall belong ; and upon every such letter there shall be written in the handwriting of, and signed by, the officer having at the time the command of the regiment, detachment, or vessel, to which the privileged person belongs, the name of such officer and the name of such regiment, detachment, or vessel.

And we further direct, that in respect to letters received by the post under this Warrant, by any commissioned or warrant officers, midshipmen, or master's mates, or any non-commissioned officers, private soldiers, or seamen, the following conditions shall be observed, that is to say : the postage of each such letter posted in the United Kingdom shall be prepaid, either in money or by the proper stamp or stamps being affixed thereto, at the time of the same being posted ; and as to letters received by any non-commissioned officers, private soldiers, or seamen, each letter shall be directed to the privileged person, specifying on the superscription thereof, the regiment, detachment, or vessel to which he shall belong.

And we further direct, that if in any case the conditions hereinbefore prescribed be not complied with, the letter shall be charged with the same rates of postage as if this Warrant had not been signed.

And we further direct, that all letters, which shall be sent by the post under the regulations of this Warrant, shall be subject, in addition to the British rates hereby fixed, to the payment of any foreign postage which may be chargeable thereon.

And we further direct, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any letters passing by the post, between the United Kingdom and Turkey or the Black Sea, under the provisions of a certain Warrant, under the hands of two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1854, which are to be charged with the same rates of postage as if this Warrant had not been signed.

And we further direct, that the several 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 recited Act.

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 or 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 seventeenth day of May, 1854.

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Whitehall, May 1, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Bush Cooper, of No. 3, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 8, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Nathaniel Lindo, of No. 17, King's Arms-yard, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed John George Bonner, of No. 15, London-street, City, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Henry Hill, of No. 1, Bury-court, St. Mary Axe, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 13, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Hawke, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed George Page, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

Whitehall, May 15, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Richard Stevens, of Witham, in the county of Essex, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

Warminster Union.—Warminster Parish.

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the parish of Warminster, in the county of Wilts ;—

To the Clerk or Clerks to the Justices of the Petty Sessions held for the division or divisions in which the said parish is situate ;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the parish of Warminster, in the county of Wilts, according to the last census, exceeds two thousand persons :

And whereas, at a meeting of the Vestry of the said parish, held at the Town Hall (by adjournment from the Chapel), after public notice in that behalf, on Thursday the twenty-second day of