

a full day or more, the mail and letter bill must, nevertheless, be made up on the proper day, as if there were no interruptions. On no account must the mails for two mail days be included in a single letter bill.

Forbidden articles.

VII. Letters or packages containing any of the like following articles are forbidden to be transmitted by post, namely: a glass bottle, or glass in any form, razors, scissors, needles, knives, forks, or sharp instruments, game, fish, meat, fruit or vegetables, bladders or other vessels containing liquids, gunpowder, lucifer matches, or any thing which is explosive or combustible. No letter must be sent with or written on a book package; and no such package must exceed two feet in length, width or depth.

Returned letters.

VIII. Letters for persons who are "dead," or "gone away, not known where," or "mis-sent," must be returned at once to your head Office, marked with the above words, as the case may be. Letters that are refused may be kept for one week, and if not claimed, must be sent to the head Office marked accordingly.

IX. Letters directed to the "Post Office," or to be "kept till called for," must be kept for one month, and then returned to the head Office, marked "not called for."

Letters not to be returned to writers.

X. A letter posted at your Office must not, on any account, be returned to the writer or to any other person, but must be forwarded without delay to its destination, according to the address; nor have you any authority to return to the writer or sender a letter which may be lying at your Office for delivery, as it must be given up to the person to whom it is addressed, and to him alone. Every application for such