

POSTAL GUIDE.

<i>List of Principal Articles transmitted by Mail, with Rates of Postage.</i>	<i>Canada Rates.</i>	<i>Rates to United States</i>	<i>Rates to all other Countries.</i>
Bank Pass Books.....	1 2 oz. 4	1 2 oz. 2	1 2 oz. 2
Bank and Broker's Quotations.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Blank Forms.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Books.....	1 4	1 2	1 2
Book or Newspaper MSS by type-writer.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Botanical & Entomological Specimens.....	1 2	1 1	P. Post
Bulbs.....	1 4	1 1	do
Cards (Xmas & Visiting Circulars (printed).....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Circulars by cyclostyle or multiplying process	1 2	1 2	1 2
City Letters (drop).....	2 1		
Commercial Papers.....	3 1	1 2	1 2
Customs Manifests.....	1 2		
Cuttings.....	1 4	1 1	P. Post
Deeds.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Drawings.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Drop Letters.....	2 1		
Engravings.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Examination Papers (School and College).....	1 2		
Exhibition entry Tickets.....	1 2		
Eye-glasses.....	1 1	1 1	P. Post
Fatty Substances.....	1 1	1 1	do
Grafts.....	1 4	1 1	do
Handbills.....	1 4	1 2	1 2
Insurance Policies.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Legal Papers.....	6 4	1 2	1 2 *
Letters.....	3 1	3 1	5 1 2 \$
Letters, Registered, 5 cts in addition to postage			
Liquids.....	1 1	1 1	P. Post
Lithographs.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Maps (with or without mountings).....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Manuscript (of Books or Newspapers & Music).....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Merchandise (open to inspection).....	1 1	1 1	
Microscopic Slides.....	1 2	1 1	P. Post
Militia and Municipal Returns.....	1 2		
Music.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Music Instruction o. k.	1 4	1 2	1 2
Newspapers (transient).....	1 4	1 4	1 2
Oils.....	1 1	1 1	rts. v'ry
Packets.....	6 4	none sealed allowed	do
Pamphlets.....	1 4	1 2	1 2
Patterns.....	1 4	1 2	1 2 *
Pass-Books.....	6 4	1 2 *	1 2 *
Periodicals.....	1 4	1 4	1 2
Photographs.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Policies of Insurance.....	1 2	1 2	1 2 *
Post Cards.....	1 each	1 each	2 each
Post Cards in bulk.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Prices Current (printed).....	1 4	1 2	1 2
Printed Forms (stationery).....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Roots.....	1 4	1 1	P. Post
Samples.....	1 4	1 2	1 2 *
Seeds.....	1 4	1 1	P. Post
Stationery.....	1 2	1 2	1 2
Voters' Lists, printed or written.....	1 2		

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* A minimum prepayment of 5c is required, covering rate of 10 ozs.

† A minimum prepayment of 2c is required, covering rate of 4 ozs.

§ Except for British Bechuanaland, Orange Free State, and other more remote places in the interior of Africa, the rate for which is 10cts. per ½ oz.

‡ See rate for merchandise to U. S. when open to inspection.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.—Transient Newspapers for any place in Canada or United States, 1 cent per 4 oz.; but a paper not more than 1 oz. will go for ½c. Local newspapers and periodicals not weighing more than 1 oz., for delivery in the city ½c each.

BOOKS, ETC., AND MISCELLANEOUS MATTER.—The postage on Books, Pamphlets, Circulars (wholly in print), occasional publications, etc., addressed to Canada is 1c per 4 oz.; to the United States, Newfoundland, Great Britain, and all European countries, 1c per 2 ozs. The postage on Printer's Proof sheets, Maps, Prints, Drawings, Engravings, Lithographs, Photographs, Sheet Music, (whether printed or written, including music books, whether stitched or bound), etc. addressed to Canada, the United States, Newfoundland, Great Britain or any European country is 1c per 2 oz. No package must exceed 2 feet in length by 1 foot in width or depth. The limit of weight for Canada and United States is 5 lbs for other postal union countries 4 lbs.

Seeds, Cuttings, Bulbs, Roots and Scions or Grafts can only be sent to the United States as 5th class matter; when posted for delivery in Canada, the postage is 1 cent per 4 oz., and the limit of postage 5 lbs.

Commercial Papers and Legal Documents may be sent to Great Britain, Newfoundland, United States, and all Foreign countries, except Orange Free State, British Bechuanaland, and other more remote places in the interior of Africa served by the way of Cape Colony or Natal, at 5 cents for the first 10 ounces and 1 cent for every additional 2 oz. These papers when posted for delivery in Canada, must be prepaid at Letter or Parcel Post rates—but Deeds and Insurance Policies may be sent if prepaid 1 cent per 2 oz.

PATTERNS AND SAMPLES.—*Bona fide Patterns and Samples of Merchandise*, not exceeding 24 ounces in weight, may be sent to any place in Canada, at 1 cent per 4 oz. Must be put up so as to admit of inspection. Goods sent in execution of an order, however small the quantity may be or articles sent by one private individual to another, *not being actually Trade Patterns or Samples*, are not admissible. The limit of weight to United Kingdom is 5 oz.; dimensions, 12 in. in length, 8 in. in width and 4 in. in depth; postage, 2c for the first 4 oz. and 1c for every additional 2 oz.

The limit of weight to all countries in Europe Newfoundland and United States is 3 oz.; dimensions, 8 in. in length, 4 in. in width, and 2 in. in depth; postage, 2 cents for the first 4 oz. and 1 cent for every additional 4 oz.

FOURTH CLASS MATTER—CLOSED PARCELS.—Parcels for Canada must be prepaid 6 cents for 4 oz., and must not exceed 5 lbs. in weight, nor 2 feet in length, by one foot in width or depth; No correspondence must be enclosed.

FIFTH CLASS MATTER.—Comprises such articles of general merchandise as are not entitled to any lower rate of postage. Postage, 1 cent per ounce or fraction of an ounce. Limit of weight 5 lbs.; of size, 2 feet in length, by one foot in