

## FOREIGN MAILS AND POSTAGE TABLES—Continued.

Countries.	Letter Rate.	Postal Cards.	For each Newspa- per under	Bk. Pckts S'pls. Cir- culars &c.	Reg.
	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.	each.	4 oz.	2 oz.	
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Aden (Arabia).....	10	4	4	4	10
Argentine Confederation.....					
Brazil .....					
British Guiana, via N.Y.....					
Ceylon, via N. Y. & E.....					
Hong Kong (including Amoy Can- ton, Foo-chow, Hankow, Ningpo and Swatow, via S. F.....					
India (British).....					
Mauritius and its Dependencies....					
Straits Settlements of Singapore, Penang and Malacca.....					
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>					
Aspinwall, via N. Y.....	c a 8	.....	† 3	m 3	10
Australia, via S. F., except.....	c a 5	.....	† 3	m 3	.....
New South Wales, via S. F.....	c 12	.....	† 3	5	10
New Zealand, via S. F.....	c 12	.....	† 3	5	10
Queensland, via S. F.....	c 12	.....	† 3	5	10
Victoria.....	c 12	.....	† 3	5	10
Tasmania, via S. F.....	c a 5	.....	† 3	m 3	.....
Bermuda, via N. Y.....	5	2	* 2	* 2	5
Bermuda, via Halifax.....	6	4	† 2	6 p. 4 oz.	5
Cape of Good Hope.....	15	.....	* 4	* 4	10
Chili, via N. Y.....	c a 20	.....	5	11 p. 4 oz.	10
Java, via S. F.....	10	4	* 4	* 4	10
Mexico, via N. Y.....	c a 10	.....	* 2	t 3	.....
Newfoundland, via Halifax..	c 5	2	1	1 p. 4 oz.	5
Panama, via N.Y.....	c a 8	.....	† 3	m 3	10
Peru, via N.Y.....	c a 20	.....	5	11 p. 4 oz.	10
Sandwich Islands, via S. F.....	c 6	.....	2 p. 2 oz.	m 5	.....
Fiji Islands, via S. F.....	c a 5	.....	† 3	m 3	.....
Shanghai, via S. F.....	c a 5	.....	† 3	m 3	10
Sierra Leone.....	15	.....	* 4	* 4	10

A ship that has two mates and no captain—Courtship.

This is net gain, as the spider said when he caught the fly.

"Out of darkness cometh forth light," as the printer's devil said when he looked into the ink-keg.

**JUNE.**—Diphtheria has made frightful havoc in several small villages, and even among our rural populations. The best authorities assure us that the disease is very infectious, but that it generally originates from local causes and is preventible. All collections of impure matter about the premises should be removed, or rather should never be allowed. Sinks and water closets should have no connection with the residence or dwelling. Fevers of various kinds are invited to country homes by the facts of imperfect drainage, or the want of proper care in carrying off the wastes of the house. Six persons out of a family of eight were carried to the grave from malignant dyspepsia, when it was too late discovered that the fatality was traceable to an uncleansed cesspool and dirty water closet.