

POSTAL GUIDE.

LETTERS.

Letters addressed from or to places in Canada and United States.—Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. in weight, 3 cents; not exceeding 1 oz., 6 cents; not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 9 cents; not exceeding 2 oz. 12 cents; and so on.

Great Britain (whether sent or received by Canadian or New York Mail Steamers).—Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. in weight, 5 cents; not exceeding 1 oz., 10 cents; not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 15 cents; not exceeding 2 oz., 20 cents; and so on.

City, or Drop Letters, for City Delivery.—Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. in weight, 1 cent; not exceeding 1 oz., 2 cents; not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3 cents; not exceeding 2 oz., 4 cents; and so on.

The above rates must in every case be pre-paid by postage stamp. When posted wholly unpaid they cannot be forwarded, but will be sent to the Dead Letter Office. If insufficiently paid, double the amount of the deficient postage will be charged on delivery.

REGISTERED LETTERS.—Letters intended to be Registered, when addressed to places in Canada, must be prepaid by stamp, in addition to the postage rate, 2 cents each. To the United States 5 cents each, and to the United Kingdom 8 cents each. All letters for registration should be posted 15 minutes before the hour of closing the mails.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

Newspapers and Periodicals addressed to places in Canada, Newfoundland, or the United States.—When posted from the office of publication, or news agency, to actual subscribers or news agents (*including Exchanges*), are subject to a rate of one cent per pound, gross weight, which must be prepaid by publisher at the time of posting.

Transient Newspapers and Periodicals addressed to places in Canada.—On all newspapers and periodicals other than the above, including all newspapers and periodicals published *less frequently than once a month*, the postage rate is 1 cent per 4 oz. in weight, which must be prepaid by postage stamp.

Newspapers and periodicals weighing *less than one ounce* may be posted singly; if prepaid by postage stamp, $\frac{1}{2}$ cent each.

Transient Newspapers addressed to Great Britain.—Newspapers addressed to places in the United Kingdom must be prepaid by postage stamp 2 cents each.

PARCEL POST

Parcels addressed to places in Canada.—The postage on parcels continue at former rates, which must be prepaid by postage stamp, viz.: Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. in weight, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; not exceeding 1 lb., 25 cents; not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ lbs., 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; not exceeding 2 lbs., 50 cents, and so on. Parcels intended to pass through the mails should not exceed 4 pounds in weight or 24 inches in length, and should be marked "by Parcel Post."

MISCELLANEOUS POSTAL MATTER.

Books and Pamphlets, Printed Circulars, Prices Current, Hand Bills, Book and Newspaper Manuscript, Printers' Proofs, Maps and Prints, Engravings, Sheet Music, Photographs, Insurance Policies, Militia and School Returns, Seeds, Cuttings, Bulbs, Roots, &c.—When posted addressed to any place in Canada or the United States, must be prepaid by postage stamp at the rate of 1 cent per 4 oz. in weight, and must be so put up as to admit of inspection.

PATTERN AND SAMPLE POST.

CANADA.—Patterns and samples of merchandise, when posted in Canada for places within Canada, must be prepaid by postage stamp at the rate of 1 cent per 4 oz. in weight, and put up in such a manner as to admit of inspection.

UNITED STATES.—Patterns and samples of merchandise, posted for places in the United States, will continue to be subject to the special rate of 10 cents each, prepaid by postage stamp, and must not exceed 8 oz. in weight.

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Cuba
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Germany
Belgium
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Italy
Madagascar
Mauritius
Mexico
Montenegro
New Zealand
New York
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