

DLOUHÁ CESTA KE VZNIKU PRVNÍ POŠTOVNÍ ZNÁMKY



POST OFFICE REGULATIONS.

ON AND AFTER THE 10th JANUARY, a Letter not exceeding HALF AN OUNCE IN WEIGHT, may be sent from any part of the United Kingdom, to any other part, for ONE PENNY, if paid when posted, or for TWO PENCE if paid when delivered.

THE SCALE OF RATES,

If paid when posted, is as follows, for all Letters, whether sent by the General or by any Local Post,

Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ Ounce	One Penny.
Exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ Ounce, but not exceeding 1 Ounce	Twopence.
Ditto 1 Ounce	2 Ounces Fourpence.
Ditto 2 Ounces	3 Ounces Sixpence.

and so on; an additional Two-pence for every additional Ounce. With but few exceptions, the Weight is limited to Sixteen Ounces.

If not paid when posted, double the above Rates are charged on Inland Letters.

COLONIAL LETTERS.

If sent by Packet Twelve Times, if by Private Ship Eight Times, the above Rates.

FOREIGN LETTERS.

The Packet Rates which vary, will be seen at the Post Office. The Ship Rates are the same as the Ship Rates for Colonial Letters.

As regards Foreign and Colonial Letters, there is no limitation as to weight. All sent outwards, with a few exceptions, which may be learnt at the Post Office, must be paid when posted as heretofore.

Letters intended to go by Private Ship must be marked "Ship Letter." Some arrangements of minor importance, which are omitted in this Notice, may be seen in that placarded at the Post Office.

No Articles should be transmitted by Post which are liable to injury by being stamped, or by being crushed in the Bags.

It is particularly requested that all Letters may be fully and legibly addressed, and posted as early as convenient.

January 7th, 1840.

By Authority: - J. Huxell, London.