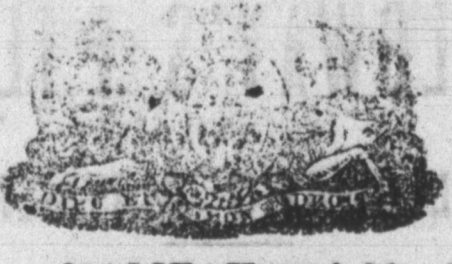


NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



HALIFAX, 28th March, 1868.

THE following "DEPARTMENT ORDER" in reference to "THE POST OFFICE ACT," which will come into operation throughout the Dominion of Canada, on the 1st day of APRIL next, is published for the information of the Public.

A. WOODGATE,
Post Office Inspector.

To all Postmasters, and other persons employed in the Postal Service of Canada:

DEPARTMENT ORDER,
No. 2
POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT
OTTAWA, 1st March, 1868.

The Post Office Act, passed on the 21st December, 1867, for the regulation of the Postal Service, will come into operation throughout the Dominion on and from the 1st April, 1868.

A copy of the Statute, and of the General Regulations founded thereon, will be forwarded to every Postmaster, whether in charge of a regular Post Office, Way Office, or Sub-Office, and to every Railway Mail Clerk; meanwhile the following summary of the principal provisions of the Act, as affecting the organization of the department, in relation to the several Provinces of the Dominion, the postage rates to be charged from and after the 1st April, &c., is supplied for the information of Postmasters and other persons employed in the Post Office service of Canada.

Organization of the Department.

1. The superintendence and management of the Postal Service of Canada is vested in the Post Office Department, at the seat of Government, (Ottawa), under the direction of the Postmaster General of Canada.

2. Subject to the directions of the Postmaster General, the general management of the business of the Department will be with the Deputy Postmaster General of Canada.

3. The local superintendence of Post Office business, and performance of such duties as are assigned to them from time to time by the Postmaster General, will be confided to the Post Office Inspectors, of whom there are seven, stationed and exercising their powers and functions in the under-mentioned Postal Divisions:

Name of Inspector.	Postal Division.	Post Office Address.
1.—MR. ARTHUR WOODGATE.	Nova Scotia.	Halifax, N. S.
2.—MR. JOHN McMILLAN.	New Brunswick, and the Bay Chaleurs Coast of Gaspé.	Fredericton, — for the present.
3.—MR. W. G. SHEPPARD.	Province of Quebec, as far West as Three Rivers.	Quebec.
4.—MR. E. F. KING.	Province of Quebec, from Three Rivers westward.	Montreal.
5.—MR. M. SWEETNAM.	Province of Ontario, as far West as Cobourg.	Kingston.
6.—MR. J. DEWE.	Province of Ontario, from Cobourg to Hamilton.	Toronto.
7.—MR. G. E. GIFFEN.	Province of Ontario, from Hamilton Westward.	London.

4. All Postmasters, including Way Office and Sub Office Keepers, are continued in office, and all Bonds and Mail Contracts continued in force, subject to the ordinary conditions of such appointments and engagements, and to the future action of the Department.

Principal Rates of Postage.

LETTERS.

- On Letters passing between any two places within the Dominion of Canada, a uniform rate (irrespective of distance) of 3 cents per 1/2 oz., if prepaid; and 5 cents per 1/2 oz. if posted unpaid.
- On Letters between any place in the Dominion and any place in the United States—
6 cents per 1/2 oz., if prepaid;
10 cent. do., if posted unpaid.
- On Letters to or from the United Kingdom, in Mails by Canada Packets, to or from Quebec in summer, or Portland in the winter; or by Mail Packet to or from Halifax—12 1/2 cents per 1/2 oz.
On do. in Mails via New York Packet. 15 cents per 1/2 oz.
- On Letters to Prince Edward Island, if prepaid, 3 cents per 1/2 oz., if posted unpaid, 5 cents per 1/2 oz.
On Letters to Bermuda and Newfoundland, 12 1/2 cents per 1/2 oz.; to be in all cases prepaid.
- On Letters to British Columbia and Vancouver Island—10 cts per 1/2 oz. to be in all cases prepaid.
On Letters to Red River 6 cts per 1/2 oz.

NEWSPAPER RATES.

8. Newspapers printed and published in Canada may be sent by Post from the office of publication to any place in Canada at the following rates, if paid quarterly in advance, either by the Publisher, at the Post Office where the papers are posted, or by the Subscriber, at the Post Office where the papers are delivered:—

For a Paper published once a week.	5 cents per quarter of a year.
Do. twice 10 "	" "
Do. three times 15 "	" "
Do. six times 30 "	" "

If the above rates are prepaid by the publisher, the Postmaster receiving payment must be careful to have the papers so prepaid separately put up, and marked, distinctly, as prepaid.

When the above rates are not paid in advance by either the Publisher at the Office of posting or by the subscriber at the office of delivery, the papers are to be charged one cent each on delivery.

9. Canadian Newspapers, addressed from the office of publication to Subscribers in the United Kingdom, the United States, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, or Newfoundland, may be forwarded, on payment at the Office in Canada where posted, at the above commuted rates, applicable to such papers within the Dominion.

10. Exchange Papers passing between publishers in Canada, and between publishers in Canada and publishers in the United States, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda and Newfoundland, are to pass free—one copy of each paper to each Publisher.

11. Transient Newspapers include all Newspapers posted in Canada, other than Canada Newspapers, sent from the office of publication and when addressed to any place within the Dominion, to the United Kingdom, to the United States, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, or Newfoundland, must be prepaid two cents each, by Postage Stamp.

12. Newspapers coming into Canada will be subject to the following charges on delivery:—
If from the United Kingdom, by Mail Packet to Quebec, Halifax or Portland—Free on delivery.
By Mails via the United States [New York]—Two cents each.

If from the United States, two cents each, to be rated at the Canada Frontier or Exchange Office receiving Mails from the United States.

If from Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, or Newfoundland, when received by regular Subscribers in Canada from the office of publication, the ordinary commuted rates applicable to Canada Newspapers. Transient Papers—two cents each.

13. The Canada postage rates on Newspapers coming from or going to the United Kingdom and United States, will thus be the same as those charged in the United Kingdom and the United States on Newspapers there received from or sent to Canada.

14. Canada News Agents may post to regular subscribers in Canada, British Newspapers free, and the United States newspaper unpaid, such papers in the latter case, must be duly rated two cents each for collection on delivery.

Printed Papers, Circulars, Prices Current, Hand Bills, Books, Pamphlets.

15. The rate on Printed Matter of this description posted in Canada, and addressed to any place in Canada, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, Newfoundland or United States, will be one cent per ounce, to be prepaid by Postage Stamp; and a like rate will be payable on delivery, when received from the United States, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, or Newfoundland.

Periodical Publications.

16. When posted in Canada for any place in Canada, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, Newfoundland or United States, the rate will be one cent per four ounces, to be prepaid by stamp.

17. A like rate will be payable on delivery in Canada, when received from the United States, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda or Newfoundland.

18. Periodicals weighing less than one ounce per number, when posted in Canada for any place within the Dominion, Prince Edward Island, Bermuda, Newfoundland or the United States, may, when put up singly, pass for one-half cent per number, to be prepaid by postage stamp.

19. As the Postage rates on Periodicals, other than Newspapers, will be payable in advance, and as certain classes of such Periodicals printed and published in Canada, and sent from the office of publication to regular subscribers, have for some time past been exempted from postage, where exclusively devoted to the education of youth, to temperance, agriculture and science, or for other reasons, it is ordered, that with respect to Periodicals which do now enjoy this privilege of exemption, the exemption shall continue until the expiration of the current year—that is until the 31st December, 1868, and that from the 1st January, 1869, all such special exemptions and privileges shall cease.

Parcel Post.

20. The rate on Parcels, by Parcel Post, will be twelve and a half cents per 8oz., that is to say:—
On a parcel weighing not exceeding 8oz. 12 1/2 Cents.
Over 8oz., and not exceeding 1 lb. 25
Over 1 lb., and not exceeding 2 1/2oz. 37 1/2
And so on, to the limit of three pounds.

Book and Newspaper Manuscript, and other Miscellaneous Matter.

21. On Book and Newspaper Manuscript (meaning written articles intended for insertion in a Newspaper or Periodical, and addressed to the Editor or Publisher thereof, for insertion) Printers' Proof-sheets, whether corrected or not, Maps, Prints, Drawings, Engravings, Music, whether printed or written, packages of Seeds, Cuttings, Roots, Scions or Grafts and Botanical Specimens, the rate will be one cent per ounce, when posted for any place in Canada or the United States, and prepaid by Postage stamp.

Postage Stamps.

22. To enable the Public to prepay conveniently by Postage Stamp the foregoing rates, the following denominations of Postage Stamps for use throughout the Dominion, have been prepared, and will be supplied to Postmasters for sale:—

Half cent Stamps.	
One cent do.	
Two cent do.	
Three cent do.	
Six cent do.	
Twelve and a half cent do.	
Fifteen cent do.	

All bearing, as a device, the effigy of Her Majesty.

23. The Postage Stamps now in use in the several Provinces may be accepted, as at present in prepayment of Letters, &c., for a reasonable time after the 1st of April; but from and after that date all issues and sales to the public will be of the new denomination.

Franking and Free Matter.

The following matter is exempt from Canadian Postage:

24. All Letters and other mailable matter addressed to or sent by the Governor of Canada.

25. All Letters or other mailable matter addressed to or sent by any Department of the Government at the Seat of Government at Ottawa, under such regulations as may from time to time be made by the Governor in Council.

26. All Letters and other mailable matter addressed to or sent by the Speaker or Chief Clerk of the Senate or to or by any Member of either House at the Seat of Government, during any Session of Parliament,—or addressed to any Members or Officers in this section mentioned at the Seat of Government as aforesaid, during the next ten days before the meeting of Parliament.

27. All public documents and printed papers sent by the Speaker or Chief Clerk of the Senate of the Senate or of the House of Commons to any member of either House during the recess of Parliament.

28. All papers printed by order of either House sent by members of either House during the recess of Parliament.

29. Petitions and Addresses to either of the Provincial Legislatures of Ontario, Quebec, New Brun-

wick and Nova Scotia, or to any branch thereof; and votes, proceedings and other papers, printed by order of any such Legislature, or any branch thereof during any Session thereof,—provided such petitions and addresses, votes, proceedings and other papers, are sent without covers, or in covers open at the ends or sides, and contain no Letter or written communication to serve the purpose of a Letter.

30. Letters and other mailable matter (except that provided for as above) addressed to or sent by the Provincial Governments or Legislatures of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, will be liable to the ordinary rates of postage.

31. Public documents and printed papers sent under the foregoing clauses should bear, as part of the address, the *bona fide* superscription of the Speaker, Chief Clerk, or officers specially deputed for this purpose to act for those functionaries, or of the Member sending the same.

32. The privilege of free transmission, as above described, has effect only as respects Canada Postage rates.

33. All Letters and other mailable matter to and from the Postmaster General and the Deputy Postmaster General, and all Official communications to and from the Post Office Department and to and from the Post Office Inspectors, are to pass free of Canadian Postage.

34. All letters and communications on the business of the Post Office Department intended for the Post Office Department at Ottawa, should be invariably addressed "The Postmaster General." The branch of the Department for which the letter or communication is intended should be written on the left hand upper corner of the Letter, thus:

- "For Accountant."
- "For Secretary."
- "For Money Order Office."
- "For Savings Bank Office."
- "For Dead Letter Office," or,
- "For Cashier."

as the case may be, but the main direction must be to the Postmaster General, or Deputy Postmaster General.

35. All letters containing a remittance on account of the Public Revenue sent by any Postmaster in Canada to a bank or Bank agency; and all remittance or acknowledgements sent by a bank or Bank agency, on account of Public Revenue, to any Postmaster in Canada, are to pass free through the post, as respects both postage and registration charge.

36. No change is made in the Way or Sub-Office system of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, Quebec or Ontario.

37. No change is made in the Money Order system.

38. A system of Post Office Savings Banks will be instituted on the 1st April, and be extended as quickly as practicable to all the principal cities, towns and places throughout the Dominion.

A. CAMPBELL,
Postmaster General

Government House, Ottawa.

Thursday, 5th day of March, 1868.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under and in virtue of the authority given conferred by the Act passed during the present Session of the Legislature, entitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," His Excellency in Council has been pleased to make the following Regulation:—
"In addition to the

WAREHOUSING PORTS

mentioned in the Act passed during the present Session of the Parliament of Canada, entitled, "An Act respecting the Customs;" and also in addition to the Ports named in a list sanctioned by an Order of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, of the 24th December, 1867, passed under the authority of the said Act, the following Ports be included in the List of Warehousing Ports in the Dominion, viz.:

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

PORT OF GANANOQUE,
NEWCASTLE.

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

PORT OF HORTON."

WM. H. LEE,
Clerk Privy Council.

March 25. 31.

GRAND PRE SEMINARY,
WOLFVILLE, N. S.

THE last quarter of the present Term will commence March 27th. All who intend joining the classes of the quarter will do well to be present at the opening.

TERMS.

Board and Tuition.	\$30.00 per qtr.
Music, with use of Piano.	5.00 "
Pencilng.	3.00 "
India Ink, Crayoning and Water Colors, each.	4.00 "
Oil Painting.	5.00 "
French.	7.00 "
Pupils furnish Bedding, Towels and light for their rooms.	2.50 "

(Bills payable quarterly in advance.)

Further particulars given on application to I. A. BLAIR.

Wolfville, March 20th.
March 25. 31ns.

DENTAL NOTICE.

Dr. O. P. MACALASTER

WILL visit the following places in the course of the summer:

Pictou and New Glasgow, in.	April.
Windsor, first week in.	May.
Sydney, in.	May.
Pictou and New Glasgow, in.	June.
Sherbrooke, in.	July.
Maitland, in.	July.
Wolfville and Cornwallis, in Aug. and Sept.	July.

March 25. 2w.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

OTTAWA, 6th March, 1868.

Authorized discount on American Invoices until further notice: 28 per cent.

R. S. M. BOUCHETTE,
Commissioner of Customs.

The above is the only notice to appear in news papers authorized to copy.

March 25.

FREE! Our New Catalogue of IMPROVED STENCIL DIES. MORE THAN \$200 A MONTH is being made with them. S. M. SPENCER & CO., Brattleboro, Vt. Feb. 5. 3m.

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OF DEATHS, that annually occur, are caused by Preventible Diseases, and the greater portion of those complaints would, if Radway's Ready Relief or Pills (as the case may require,) were administered when pain or uneasiness or slight sickness is experienced, be exterminated from the system in a few hours. PAIN, no matter from what cause, is almost instantly cured by the Ready Relief. In cases of Cholera, Asiatic or Canadian, Cramps, Spasms, Bilious Cholice, in fact all Pains, Aches and Infirmities either in the Stomach, Bowels, Bladder, Kidneys, or the Joints, Muscles, Legs, Arms, &c., will in a FEW MINUTES yield to the soothing influence of the Ready Relief.

Every Family should keep these life-saving remedies in the house; they are cheap, only 25 cents a box or bottle, can be used on all occasions, where pain or sickness suddenly seizes you, or accidents occur—are safe and rapid in their effects—can be taken or used by infants as well as adults—and all who use them, no matter how sick, or great may be their sufferings—a few hours in the worst cases, and a few minutes in ordinary complaints, will afford ease and comfort.

Sudden Colds, Coughs, Influenza, Dip'heria, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Chills, Fever and Ague, Mercurial Pains, Scarlet Fever, &c., take from 4 to 6 of Radway's Pills, also take a teaspoonful of the Ready Relief in a glass of warm water sweetened with sugar or honey, bathe the throat, head and chest with Ready Relief (if Ague or intermittent fever bathe the spine also) and in a short time you will be cured.

How the Ready Relief acts.

In a few minutes the patient will feel a slight tingling irritation and the skin becomes reddened; if there is much distress in the stomach the Relief will assist nature in removing the cause. A general warmth is felt throughout the entire body, and its diffusive stimulating properties rapidly course through every vein and tissue in the entire system, arousing the slothful and partially paralyzed glands and organs to renewed and healthy action, perspiration follows and the surface of the body feels increased heat, the sickness at Stomach, Cold Chills, Head Ache, oppressive breathing, the soreness of the throat and all pains either internally or externally rapidly subside, and the patient falls into a tranquil sleep, awakes Refreshed, Renewed and Cured.

Sold everywhere at only 25 cents. Sept. 25.

1000 GRAFTED APPLE TREES,

For sale by the Subscriber,

AT HIS NURSERY, WATERVILLE, CORNWALLIS.

March 18. 1m. ISAAC SHAW.

\$100 A MONTH SALARY.

WILL BE PAID for Agents, male or female, in a new, pleasant, permanent business; full particulars free by return mail, or sample retailing at \$4.50 for 50cts. A. D. BOWMAN & CO., 48 Broad street, New York. (Clip out and return this notice.) Feb. 26. 3m. pd.

JOHN RUHLAND,
HOUSE AND SHIP JOINER,

17 HOLLIS STREET,

HALIFAX, N. S.

All kinds of Jobbing promptly attended to. Oct. 30. 3m.

PREMIUM VENETIAN BLINDS.

W. FRASER & SON

HAVING been appointed by the manufacturer of the above celebrated Blinds, sole Agents for Nova Scotia, the public are respectfully invited to call at their Ware Rooms 70 & 72 Barrington Street, Halifax, and examine Samples of different Styles and prices. They are the best and most durable article in use for Bay Windows, Drawing Rooms, Dining Rooms, Halls, Conservatories, Public Buildings, &c. These Blinds are of different widths of slat, and trimmed with Worsted or Silk, with plain or carved cornice, to suit the taste of purchasers. Oct. 30.