

of the said county, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished.

2. On the 21st day of January, 1873, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

Whitehall, December 21, 1872.

### TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts, or any of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, order and direct as follows:—

1. The letters described or referred to in the schedule hereto, may be transmitted by the post from the countries and places set forth in the first column, to the countries and places set forth in the second column of such schedule, by the routes and means of conveyance described and set forth in the third column of such schedule, at the rates

of postage respectively specified in the fourth column of such schedule, and subject to the regulations and conditions hereinafter contained.

2. The postage chargeable under this Warrant upon any letter posted in or addressed to the United Kingdom shall be prepaid.

3. If the postage chargeable under this Warrant upon any letter posted in or addressed to the United Kingdom is not prepaid, the letter shall be charged over and above such postage (credit being given for any postage already paid), with an additional rate of postage of three pence.

4. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to extend to any letters posted in, addressed to, or transmitted otherwise than in closed mails, through France, nor to prejudice or affect any exemptions or privileges granted by the Post Office Acts, nor the privilege enjoyed by seamen, soldiers, and others employed in Her Majesty's Service, of sending and receiving letters at a reduced rate of postage.

5. The rates of postage fixed by this Warrant on letters transmitted by the post as herein mentioned, shall be in lieu of those now chargeable thereon.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

### THE SCHEDULE.

Posted in	Addressed to	Route and Means of Conveyance.	Rate of Postage (British and Colonial combined) on each Letter.
The United Kingdom	Newfoundland ...	Direct by British or Colonial packet boat or private ship, or via Halifax by Colonial packet boat, or partly by British and partly by Colonial packet boat	If not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight ... } Three pence.
Newfoundland ...	The United Kingdom ...		If exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, for the first half of an ounce, and for every additional half of an ounce or fractional part of half of an ounce } Three pence.
Newfoundland ...	Any other British Colony or any Foreign Country	Via the United Kingdom, the conveyance between Newfoundland and the United Kingdom being direct by British or Colonial packet boat or private ship, or via Halifax by Colonial packet boat, or partly by British and partly by Colonial packet boat...	If not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight ... } Two pence.
Any British Colony or Foreign Country..	Newfoundland ...		If exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, for the first half of an ounce, and for every additional half of an ounce or fractional part of half of an ounce } Two pence.
			And in addition the rate or rates of postage for the time being payable for the transmission of a letter of like weight posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to the same Colony or Foreign Country, or posted in such Colony or Foreign Country addressed to the United Kingdom.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

*W. P. Adam.*

*W. H. Gladstone.*