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Philbrick (7. A.)

[A volume containing U.S.  
copies of Postal Circulars  
and some letters on the  
Circulars.]

Extra  
below!  
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The Circular of 1 May 1840

enclosing 2 Specimens of the 2<sup>d</sup>

+ 2 copies of the VR is printed

very quite accurately in the Appendix

It runs "To all Postm. Subpostm. & Letter Recdys."

is signed

"W L Maberly," not "ley"

Secretary,

Note on copy in G N O.

Circulated 8<sup>th</sup> May, 1840

You said

It does not appear however we have been sent  
round to all Postmasters so completely as in other  
similar cases. But it certainly was sent with the  
aforesd Specimens to most offices, particularly those  
in the West of England, from which species have been  
produced in recent years. I have seen several



1841.

(Royal Arms)

To all Post Masters, Sub-Postmasters & Letter Receivers

General Post Office,  
January, 1841.

An immediate alteration is about to be made in the Adhesive Postage Label Stamps, and a new description of Stamped Envelopes, both one/penny & two/pence introduced. The new labels & envelopes are intended to replace those in present use, but until the stock of the latter remaining on hand is disposed of, the old Labels & Envelopes are to circulate in common with the new ones.

The Penny envelope will be of two sizes, & the sale of them will be confined, for the present to the limits of the London Two-penny Post, but of course they will circulate by Post in the same way manner as those already issued.

By command,

W. L. Maberly,  
Secretary.

Note on the copy preserved at the Post office.

This Circular was sent to the Post Master, Deputy & Receivers from Mr. Bokenham's office, 3<sup>rd</sup> Feby 1841.

Notary sent for 5<sup>th</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> Jan  
and put in 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb

to showmen &c 200 matches collected by  
the 1<sup>st</sup> series of which Rec. 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> were after  
Circular.

The alteration in my neck.

and the first time I have seen it. It is a  
large tree with a very large trunk and  
a very large canopy. It is located in a  
forest and is surrounded by other trees.  
The bark is smooth and grey, and the  
leaves are green and pointed. The tree  
is very tall and reaches almost to the  
top of the forest. It is a very  
beautiful tree and I would like to  
see it again.

No 14 - 1841.

Royal Arms /

Post Office, Sub Postmaster & Dealer Revenue.

General Post Office.

April 1841.

In the instructions No. 3, 1841, addressed in January last to Post Masters, Subpostmasters & Dealer Receivers it was stated that the New Penny Jewel about to be introduced Specimens of which were then furnished to each Post Master would be of two sizes. I am now directed by the Post Master General to inform you that Cash Jewels new envelopes have been issued from the Stamp Office open & unfolded when so required, 20 or a dozen of them being printed upon & then being made up in small boxes & sent as the purchasers may think proper, and as these covers do not connotation with the Specimens originally distributed they have in many instances been charged with Postage.

This is to inform therefore dealers that any such Jewel or Cover in future having through your office, the paper of which contains the silk like, the stamp on which appears the genuine, may not be charged with Postage, notwithstanding they may vary in size or be printed upon, provided they are in all other respects conformable with the existing regulations.

By Command,

W. L. Maberly,  
Secretary.

This notice was circulated through the Postmasters' office on 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> April, 1841.

Philbrick Q.C.

(Royal Arms)

General Post Office.

April, 1841.

Referring to the Instructions, No 3 - 1841 & to the Circular which accompanied them, I now enclose you Specimens of the New Two-penny Envelopes, which you will permit to pass at the rate of Postage marked upon them.

The sale of these, as well as of the new Penny Envelopes, is for the present confined to the limits of the London Two-penny Post.

Very cordially,

W. L. Neuberly,  
Secretary.

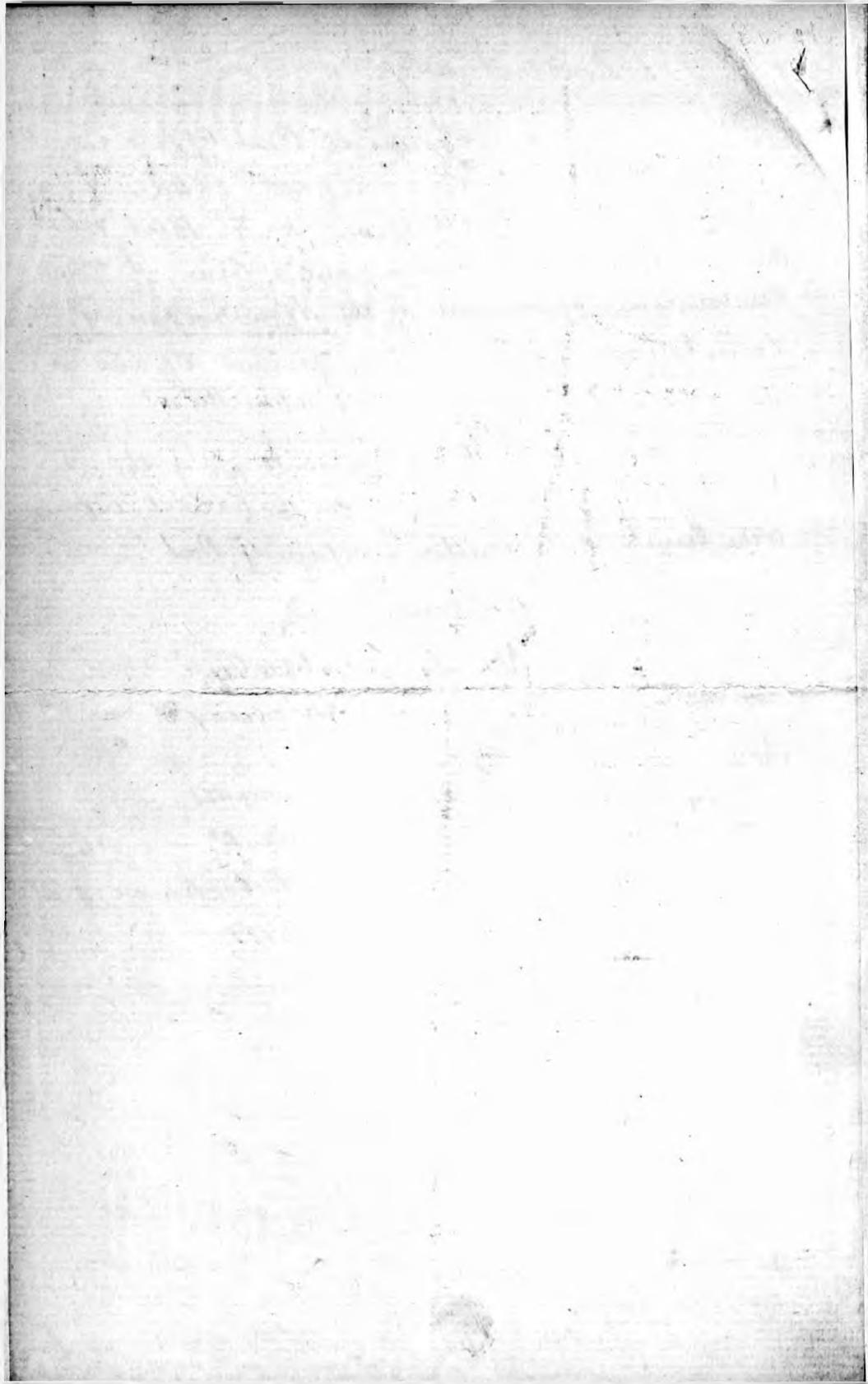
Note.

Copies sent to each of the Surveyors  
and to the Heads of Departments.

850 Copies sent through Mr Bokenham's office.

20 April 1841.

It appears from No 39. of 1841.  
that it was not till the end of Oct that  
year that 10 mils generally thru' the country  
had 1/2d rates on sale.  
for this circular give the prices & descriptions ✓



January 30<sup>th</sup>, 1841.

W. L. W. at the  
City Committee.

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### Our Penny Savings.

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### Our Penny Savings.

of a total sum of £1.0.10d. available since  
120 subscribers = 10 shillings by our city east,  
London. in quantity nearly equivalent

value of £1.1.9. without loss.  
10 shillings a week during each quarter.

In half year, amounting to 240 subscribers

One Penny - little longer than one year.

In the middle of June at the winter solstice

### New Penny Savings.

October 1841.

Received first offer.

To all postmen, different amounts to follow

(After a pause)

No. 39, 1841.



(Circular)

(Royal arms)

To all Postmasters, Subpostmasters & Letter Receivers

General Post Office.

November, 1841.

I enclose a Specimen of a smaller size of  
New Penny Envelope, which you will hereafter  
permit to pass for the rate of Postage marked  
upon them.

These envelopes will not at present be  
used by Post masters in the country for sale.

By Command.

W. L. Maberly,  
Secretary.

Circulated 12 November 1841.

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No 12. 1844. (Royal Arms)

To all Post Masters, Sub-Postmasters Letter Receivers.

Postage Stamps.

New Penny stamped Half Sheets of Paper.

General Post Office.

April 1844.

The Lords of the Treasury having decided to adopt, as an experimental measure, the use of Penny Stamped Half sheets of Paper, I enclose you a specimen, which you will carefully preserve in order to compare it with in case of doubt with the stamped letters of this description that may pass through your office.

These stamps will be supplied in half reams containing 240, viz 10 packets of two dozen each, of a total value of £1. 1. 9., wholesale price.

The charge singly is fixed at 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. for any quantity under a quire - a quire 2 $\frac{1}{3}$ d.

By command.

W. L. Bealeby,

Secretary.

Note is

Circulated. 20<sup>th</sup> April 1844.

(No specimen was attached to the copy  
fixed in G.P.O.)

ANNA SEIDEL

1870-1871

Die ersten vier Jahre der Kindheit verbrachte Anna Seidel in einer kleinen Stadt im Süden des Landes, wo sie eine sehr einfache und unglückliche Kindheit verlebte. Ihre Eltern waren arme Landarbeiter, die sich auf dem Lande beschäftigten. Sie lebten in einem kleinen Hüttenhaus, das sie selbst gebaut hatten. Die Mutter war eine einfache, aber tapfere und liebende Frau, die für ihre Kinder immer da war. Der Vater war ein starker, aber einfältiger Mann, der nicht viel über das Leben wusste. Sie wuchs in einer einfachen Umgebung auf, wo sie viel mit den Tieren spielte. Sie lernte früh, wie man auf dem Lande arbeitet und wie man sich dort ernährt. Sie war eine sehr fröhliche und lebhafte Kindheit, die viele Erinnerungen hinterließ.

ANNA SEIDEL

1871-1872

Die zweite Kindheit von Anna Seidel war eine sehr glückliche Zeit. Sie war jetzt ein kleiner Junge, der viel mit seinen Freunden spielte. Er besuchte eine Schule, die er sehr gern besuchte. Er lernte Lesen, Schreiben und Rechnen. Er war ein sehr intelligenter Junge, der viel über das Leben wusste. Er war ein sehr fröhlicher und lebhafter Junge, der viele Erinnerungen hinterließ.

ANNA SEIDEL

1872-1873

Instructions. No. 19. 1847.

(Royal arms)

Instructions to All Post Masters, Subpostmen,  
Letter Receivers.

New Postage Stamps  
of the value of  
One Shilling.

General Post Office.

September, 1847.

The Lord's of Her Majesty's Treasury having authorised  
the issue of Postage Stamps of the value of one shilling,  
a specimen is forwarded separately to those despatchers  
who distribute Postage Stamps, for the purpose of being  
compared in case of doubt with the stamped letter  
of this description which may pass through the Post Office.

With respect to the issue of these new Postage Stamps,  
to Receivers for sale to the Public, the distribution by the  
Post office will be confined, for the present to the Post  
Masters of the undermentioned places in the United  
Kingdom, who will be supplied with the new stamp  
as early as possible.

The Post Masters entrusted with the sale of these  
Postage Stamps will sell them to the Public at the rate  
of One Shilling each, whatever may be the number  
sold.

The postage was fixed at 1 per cent.

Forms of account to be amended to include this value.  
List of Towns

The 1846 rules of cancelling <sup>were</sup> to be acted upon  
carefully.

The List of Towns supplied included ~~and~~  
90 of the principal offices in England, Ireland  
& Scotland."

By command,

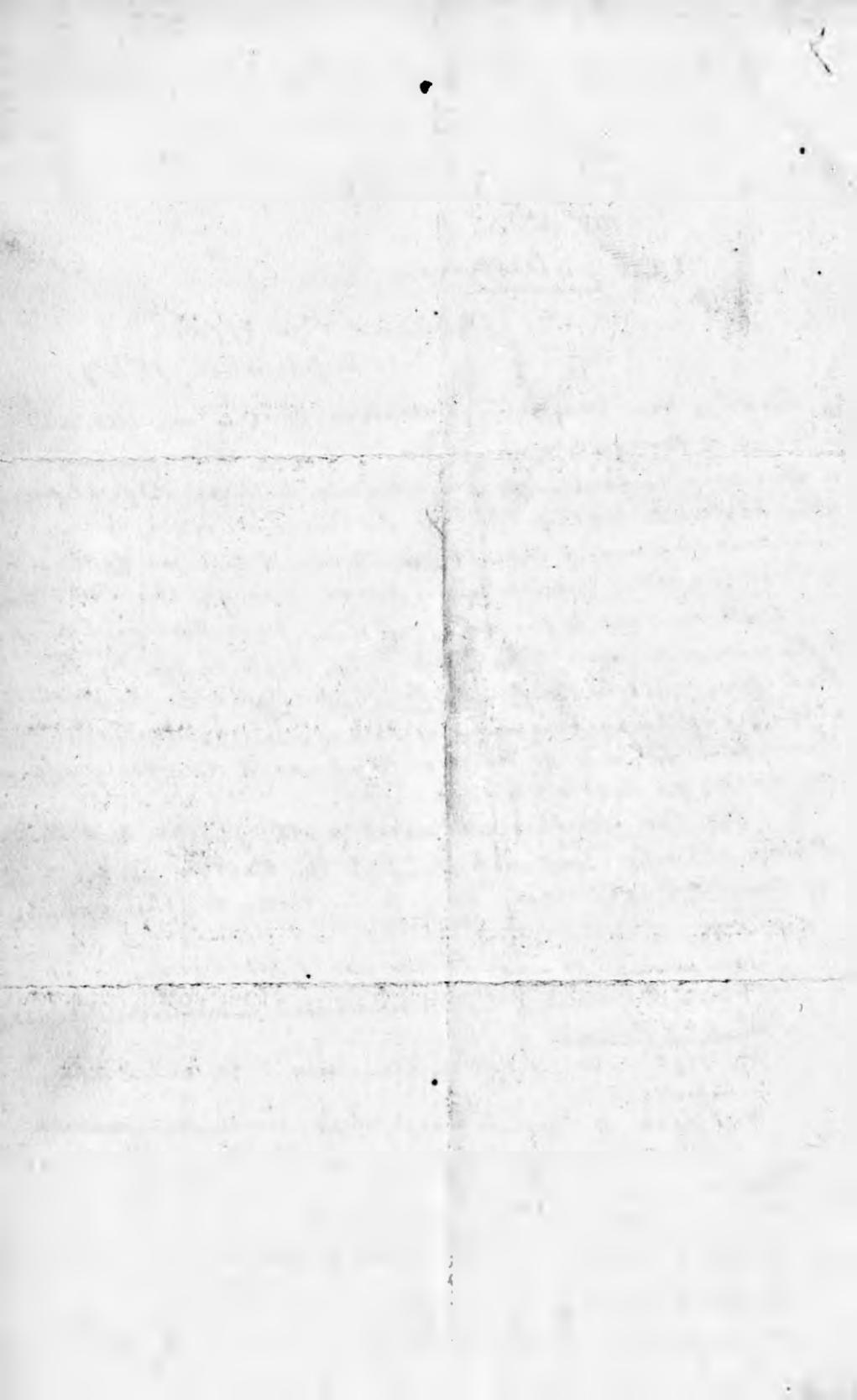
W. L. Maberly,  
Secretary.

Note

"Circulated, 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 1847.

Specimen sent, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. 1847.

(See specimen attached to this copy)  
in G.P.O.



(Royal Arms)

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By command of the Post Master General.

Notice to the Public.

New Postage Stamps  
of the value of  
Ten Pence.

General Post Office.

October, 1848.

Postage Stamps of the value of Ten Pence  
being about to be issued for the purpose of  
Postage, in addition to those now in use, they  
will be sold to the Public at the rate of ten pence  
each, whatever may be the number purchased.

(The issue of these stamps was confined certain  
dimensions specified in the circular <sup>which was sealed as first stamp</sup> as in the  
case of the one shilling stamp of 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 1847.)

<sup>Note of the</sup> H. C. By command,  
W. C. Maberly, secretary.

Circulated 1<sup>st</sup> November, 1848.

Two specimens of the intended stamp  
of Ten Pence were enclosed in the above circular  
which was dated "October, 1848." and sent  
out October 30<sup>th</sup> the issue of the stamps  
to take place on 1<sup>st</sup> November, 1848."

Two specimens were annexed to the  
copy fixed at G.P.O. / .

and it depends on what you do  
and what you eat. It's not just about  
what you eat, it's also about how you live.  
If you live a healthy lifestyle, you're  
more likely to live longer. So, if you want  
to live longer, you should eat healthy food,  
exercise regularly, and avoid smoking and  
drinking alcohol. These are all good ways to  
live a long life.

(Circular)

To all Postmasters, Subpostmasters & Letter Receivers.

General Post Office.

October, 1848.

I enclose Specimens of the New Leupence Stamp, which you will carefully preserve in order to compare, in case of doubt, with the stamped Letters of this description which may pass through the Post Office.

They are to be issued to the Public on November 1<sup>st</sup>.

By command,

W. L. Maberly,  
Secretary.

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2 Specimens of the Leupence, overprinted Specimens in thick block letters were annexed to this Circular, a block was sent to the Postmaster &c of the towns specified on 30<sup>th</sup> October 1848.

Note. Specimens are not annexed to the bag filed at the G. P. O.

1900 Dr. D. M.

1901 Dr. D. M.

and with each other, it is considered to be

the best place to stay, as there is also an  
agent to purchase the tickets. The German  
Government has a good deal of power  
over the people, so it is better to go to the  
Swiss Government.

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(Annex)

Circular to Post Masters.

General Post Office

November, 1853.

The parliamentary attention of Post Masters is directed to the New Penny Receipt Stamp, with a view to prevent its being made use of for the purpose of payment of postage on letters.

Should any letter be posted with this stamp affixed but instead of the proper Postage Stamp, it must be dealt with as unpaid, & must be taxed with the double rates chargeable on this description of letters.

The <sup>penny</sup> receipt stamp is of the same colour as the Two-Penny Postage Stamp, and somewhat resembles it in general appearance.

By Command,

W. L. Maberly,

Secretary.

Circulated, mid-Dec 1853.

1000 ft. S. E. of

8281 measured

at water table for vertical distance all  
depths except those with a single  
low water table and no surface to base of flow  
will be reported as measured to vertical

8282 measured at water table. Ground  
water level is constant but surface  
flow does not flow above it. Vertical  
distance between surface and base of flow is  
called to vertical and is  
also to divide between each and  
measured percolation at water table must  
therefore be measured separately from

8283 measured 1000 ft.

1000 ft. S. E. of

8284 measured 1000 ft.

(Royal Arms) 6

By command of the Post Master General.

Notice to the Public.

New Postage Stamps

of the ~~value of~~  
Value of Six Pence.

General Post Office.

February, 1854.

Postage Labels of the value of Six Pence  
will be issued after the 1<sup>st</sup> March next.  
They will be sold to the Public  
at the rate of ~~one~~ a each, whatever  
may be the number purchased.

By command W. L. Maberly,  
W. L. Maberly. W. L. Maberly.  
Secretary. Secretary.

Sent out end of February, 1854.

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Instructions No 27. 1854

(Annex 1)

By command of the Postmaster General.  
Instructions to all Head Postmasters.

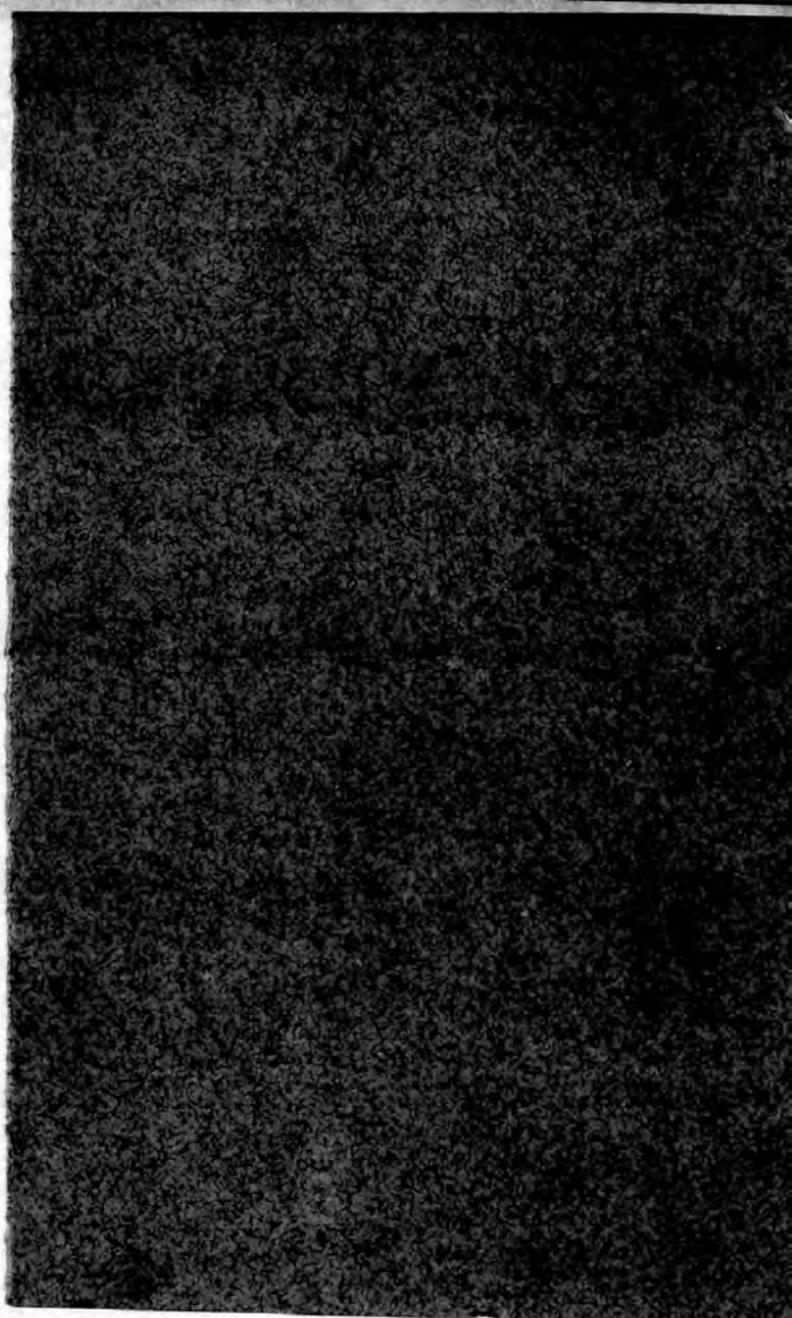
General Post Office.

May 1854.

The Post master General has decided to issue in future Middle sized envelopes, only in ordinary cases.

Those Post Masters who require to be supplied with the other description, of envelopes, must make a special application for them in one of the <sup>Regulation</sup> forms.

Rowland Hill,  
Secretary.



Post Office Circular, No 54. 1855.

( Annex )

By command of the Post Master General.

Instructions to all Post Masters.

New Postage Stamps of the value of four pence.

General Post Office:

London, July 1855.

The Lord of the Treasury having authorized  
the use of Postage Labels of the value of  
four pence, a specimen is forwarded  
to those Post Masters who obliterate  
Postage Stamps: which is to be carefully  
preserved in order to compare it in case of  
doubt with the stamps of this description  
which may pass through the Post Office.

Rowland Hill  
Secretary.

Circulated on 27<sup>th</sup> July 1855.

No specimen stamp is annexed to  
the copy filed at the G.H.O.

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newly arrived and may have  
reached us by a somewhat  
detourous route in the night.

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Opposite to our camp all the men  
and horses were sent to the  
mountain village of Chitral  
to collect mules and pack  
up the horses and mules  
and to get the horses  
and mules ready for the  
journey to Chitral.

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(Arms.)

By command of the Postmaster General.

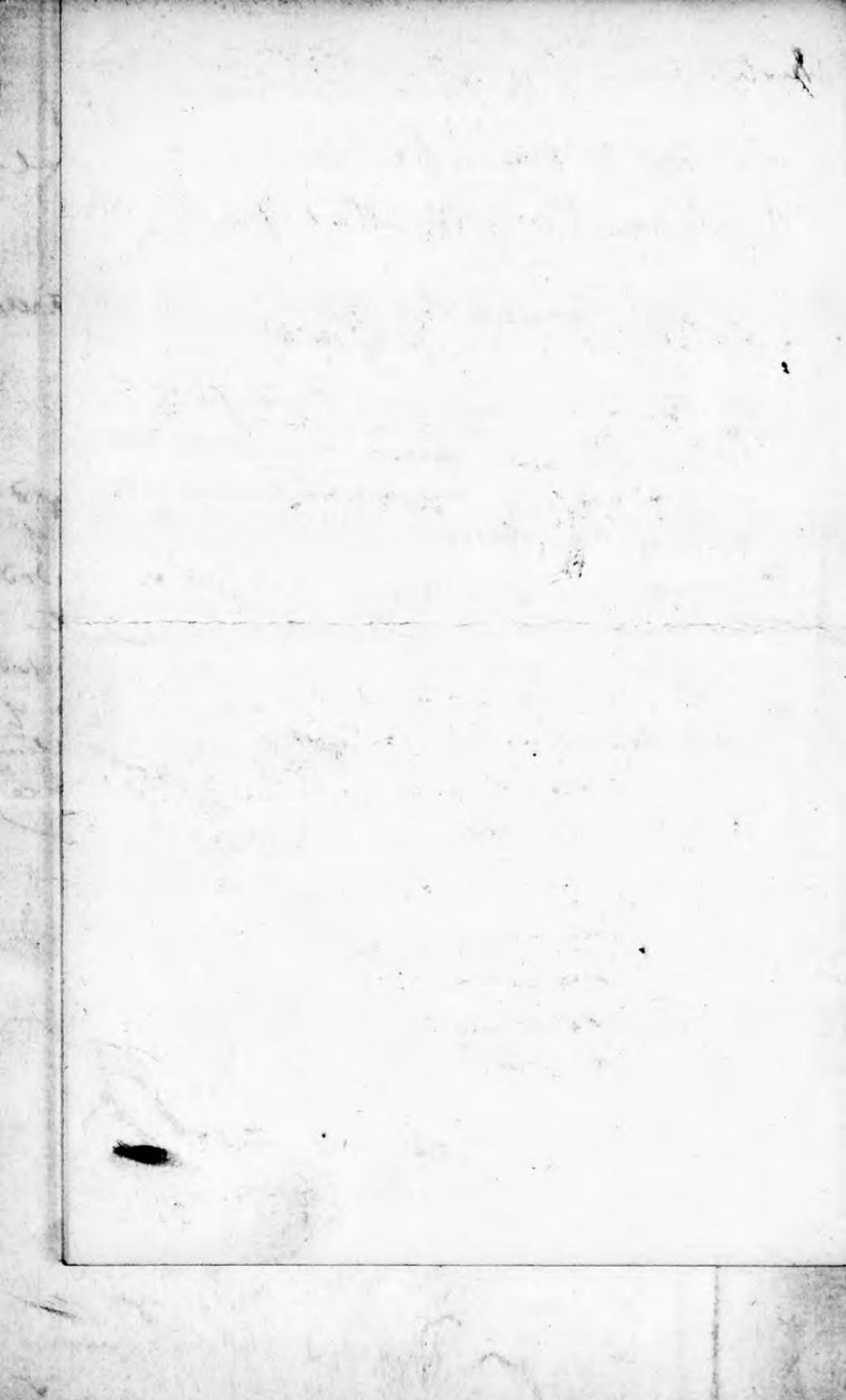
Notice to the Public.

New Postage Stamps.

General Post Office.  
July 1856-

On the 31<sup>st</sup> instant and thenceforth  
Postage Stamps, price Fourpence each,  
will be issued & will be procurable  
at any Post office.

Rowland Hill,  
Secretary.



Instructions No 58. 1855.

(Area)

By command of the Post Master General.

Notice to the Public

and  
Instructions to all Post-Masters -

Postage Labels.

General Post Office.

15<sup>th</sup> August 1855.

Postage Labels of the value of Ten Pence will no longer be issued.

The following are the Labels at present in use.

Penny Labels.

Two penny "

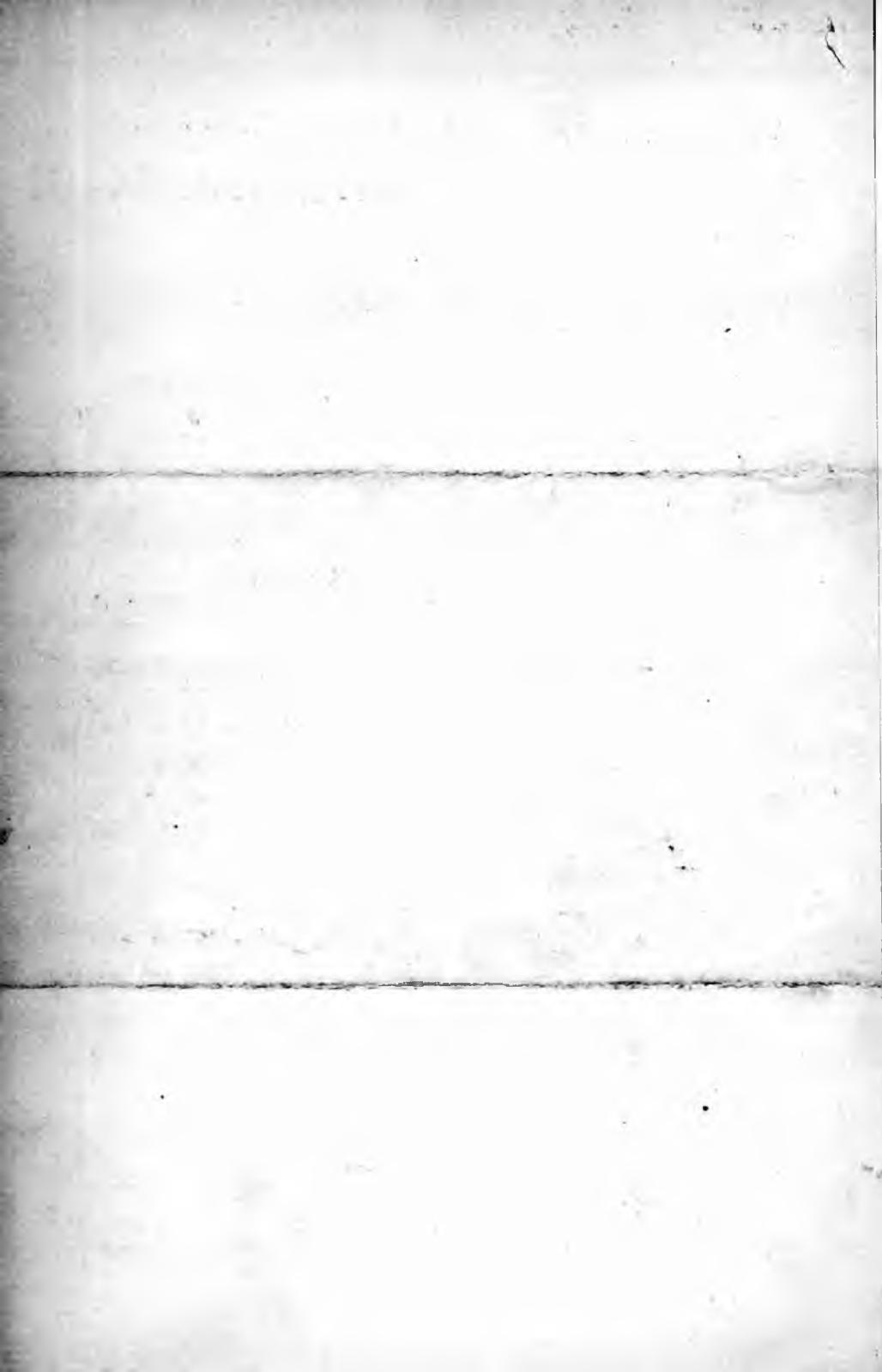
Three penny "

Sixpenny "

Twopence "

Rowland Hill

Secretary.



Instructions No. 66. 1855.

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( Annex )

By command of the Post master General -  
Instructions to all Post Masters who  
obliterate Postage Stamps.

General Post Office.

October, 1855.

Under the provisions of the 4<sup>th</sup> section of the  
Act 18 & 19 Vic. c. 78. paper sent by the public  
to the Ireland Revenue Office will be impressed  
with Postage Stamps for denoting the several  
rates of Postage, such stamps will pass free  
of Postage.

The only difference between the stamps  
which will be impressed on paper provided by the  
public & the stamps on the Threaded paper  
issued by the Ireland Revenue Office will be  
that the former will appear at the bottom of the  
stamp figures denoting the Day, Month &  
Year on which they may be impressed.

Where the stamps are cut out  
these dates they will be on Threaded paper.

Rowland Hill,  
Secretary.

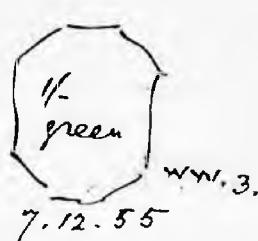
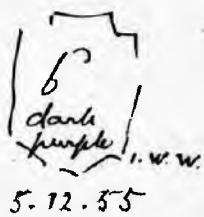
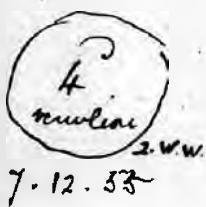
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16 Octo 1855.



# Embossed Stamps.

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on cream laid (horizontally lined) paper

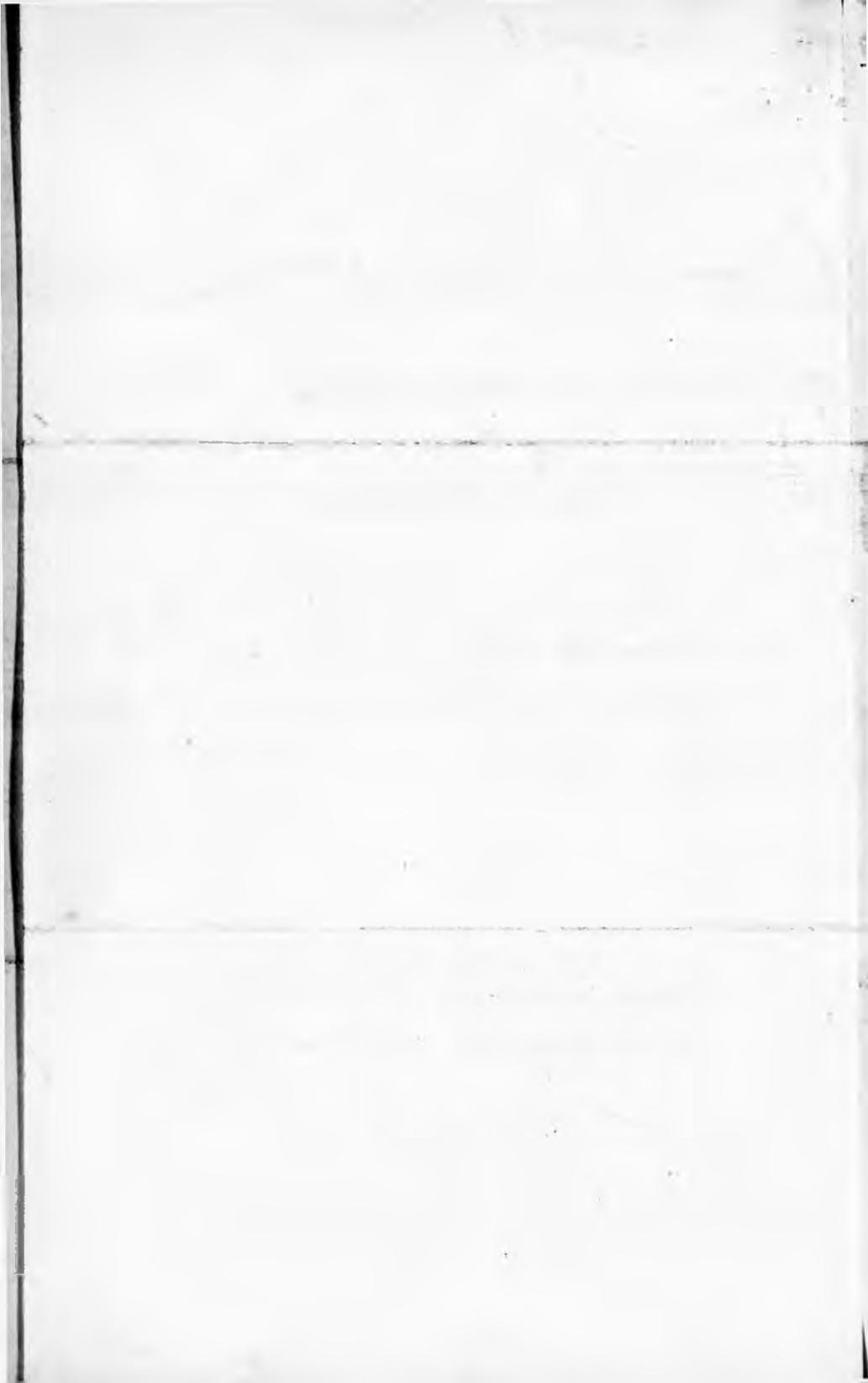
Embossed Postage Stamps to be struck upon  
Paper and Envelopes.

26<sup>th</sup> November, 1855.

I have a copy of this with  
the unpressed stamp as above.

F. A. S.

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Notice to the Public all Post Masters  
who obliterate postage stamps.  
*(Arms)*

General Post Office.

December, 1855.

The Lord of the Treasury having authorised  
the Commissioners of inland Revenue to stamp  
paper & envelopes for the public, & new dies  
for this purpose having been made for the <sup>company</sup> ~~purpose~~  
~~and~~ <sup>1/-</sup> shilling stamps. Specimens of each  
are forwarded herewith to those Post Masters  
who obliterate postage stamps, for the purpose  
of being compared, in case of doubt, with  
the impressions upon the paper & envelopes  
stamped for the public, that may pass through  
the Post Office.

The issue of the stamps will begin  
on the 1<sup>st</sup> January next.

Rowland Hill,  
Secretary.

Circulated 26 December 1855.

No specimen on the copy filed at G.P.O.

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the old methods  
of making  
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making them go away  
are not  
as good as  
the old ones.  
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expensive  
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No. 50. 1856.

Specimen printed in  
thick block type.



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6<sup>th</sup> Lilac (or amethyst)  
plate 1.  
on white paper. p. 14

New Kind of Sixpenny Postage { Large  
Label. Roman  
cap.

Enclosed is a specimen of a new kind of Sixpenny Stamp, such as will, in future, be used by the Office of inland Revenue, and by the General Post Office.

The Sixpenny Stamp already issued must, however, be looked upon and treated in all respects the same as the new stamp.

Rowland Hill,  
Secretary

General Post Office

3rd October, 1856.

I have this Circular with Specimen annexed  
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2000 Kursus der Sekretärinnen

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It would seem as if we were to go to bed  
and sleep in the same house, which would  
probably be quite safe. I do not know  
whether there are any other houses in the  
village, but I have seen all the houses  
there are, and they are all built  
of stone, and are very small, and  
there is no room for us to go into  
any of them.

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Circular. (see back)

Large Roman cap.

New kind of Shilling  
and  
Fourpenny Postage Labels.

Enclosed are specimens of a new kind of Shilling and Fourpenny Stamps, such as will, in future, be issued by the Office of Island Revenue, and by the General Post Office.

The Shilling and Fourpenny Stamps already issued must, however, be looked upon and treated in all respects the same as the new Stamps.

Rowland Hill,  
Secretary.

General Post Office,

29th October, 1856.

I have a copy of this.  
At top annexed is copy 1<sup>st</sup> deep green emblem plate 1.  
" " 4d. full shade rose medium green  
both overprinted "SPECIMEN" in thick block capitals.  
Post.

published by Smith with  
the title "The  
Book of Common Prayer and  
Administration of the Sacraments and  
Other Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of  
England, according to the Use of the  
Protestant Episcopal Church in America,  
with the Psalms in Metre, and the  
Prayer Book of the Church of  
Ireland, and Other Services  
adapted to the Use of  
the Protestant Episcopal Church in America,  
and the Church of Ireland".

Embossed

New Postage Stamp.

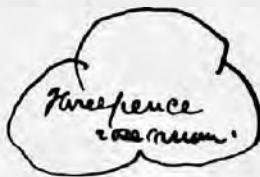
of the value of Threepence.

On 1<sup>st</sup> July next <sup>and thereafter</sup> stamps of the value of Threepence will be impressed upon paper which may be sent by the public for that purpose to the Office of Inland Revenue, Somerset House, London, W.C.

Saturday. 25<sup>th</sup> June, 1859.

June the 1<sup>st</sup> Circular  
Post Office  
May 1859.

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W.W. I.

27. 5. 59.

Embossed Postage Stamp to be struck upon  
Paper and Envelopes.

May, 1859.

I have a copy of this, stamped  
as above.

R. A. S.



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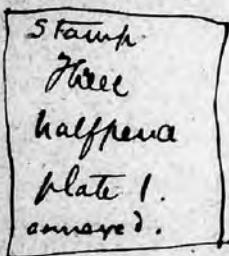
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1860.

On thick cream cover unwatermarked paper, not printed on, on all sheet.

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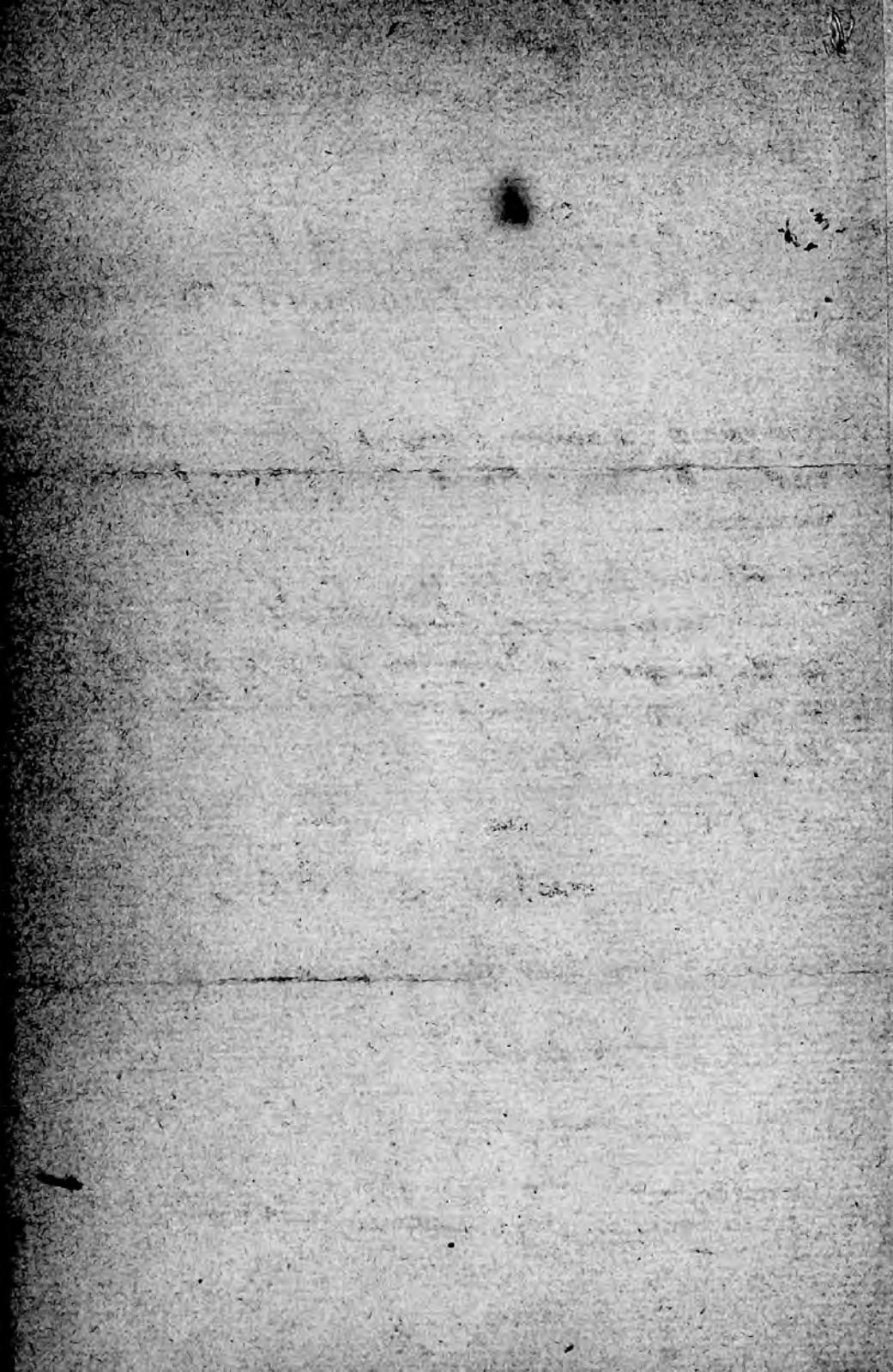
Both overprinted in thin block capitals

[ SPECIMEN.]

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Issued May 1860?

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T. A. P.



Creswell. of 7 January, 1862; sent

Cancún is Poblar's who obtain Slaves. (State)

all New Postage Stamps of the  
values of Four Pence and One Penny.

On the 15<sup>th</sup> January instant & thence for the  
Postage Stamps of the value of one Peso &c.  
~~Postage~~  
Counterfeiting and Waste Peso &c, will be caused  
for sale to the Public.

Rowland Atell,

Secretary.

General Post Office;

January, 1862.

*Macacus* males annexed were 4: flat J. marked "rich black Cetaceus specimen" <sup>comes Santa</sup> do. <sup>comes</sup> "Prairie" do.

I have a copy of you as above  
Yours & S.

~~and the students who will work in science~~

Wetenschap en techniek  
van de  
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de techniek  
van de  
industrie

All the Inventions

✓ 100% real

1998-09-29  
2000-09-29

Constituted ~~ad hoc~~ committee with  
the following members to study the issue:  
Chairman - Mr. John C. Smith  
Vice-Chairman - Mr. John C. Smith  
Secretary - Mr. John C. Smith  
Treasurer - Mr. John C. Smith

Post

Post Office Circular. 11 January 1862

On 15<sup>th</sup> instant Postage stamps price  
threepence each will be issued.

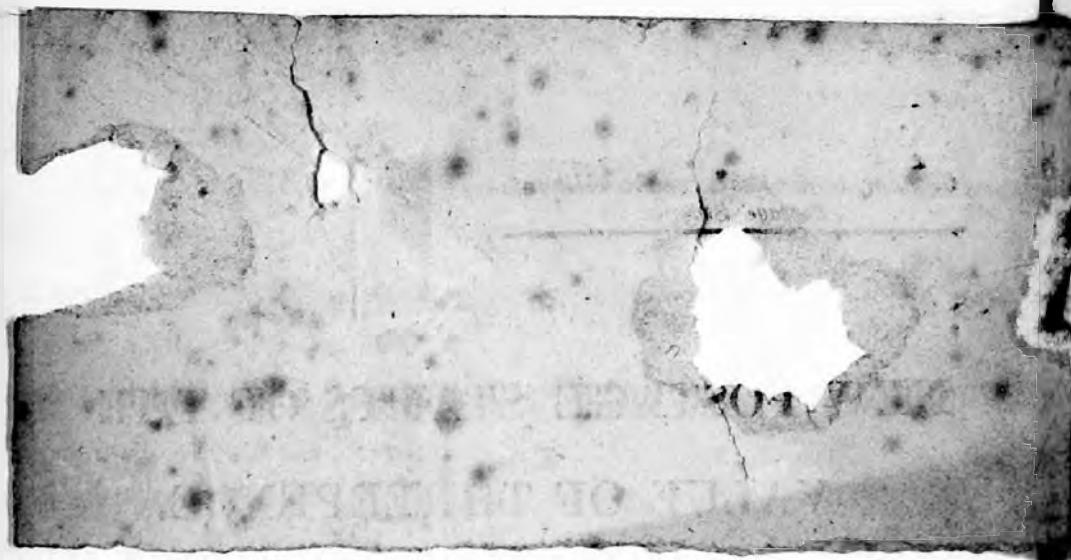
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*Circular to Postmasters who obliterate  
Postage Stamps.*

**NEW POSTAGE STAMPS OF THE  
VALUE OF THREEPENCE.**



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Circular to Postmasters who oblige to  
Postage Stamps.



Stamps

New Postage Stamps of the  
value of Threepence. { say  
Roman caps  
specimen.

On 1<sup>st</sup> May next, & thenceforth, New  
Postage Stamps of the value of Threepence  
will be issued for sale to the Public.

Specimens of these Stamps are annexed  
for the purpose of being compared, in case  
of doubt, with similar Stamps on Letters  
passing through the Post office.

These Stamps are to be sold to the  
public at Threepence each, whatever  
the number required.

John Tilley,

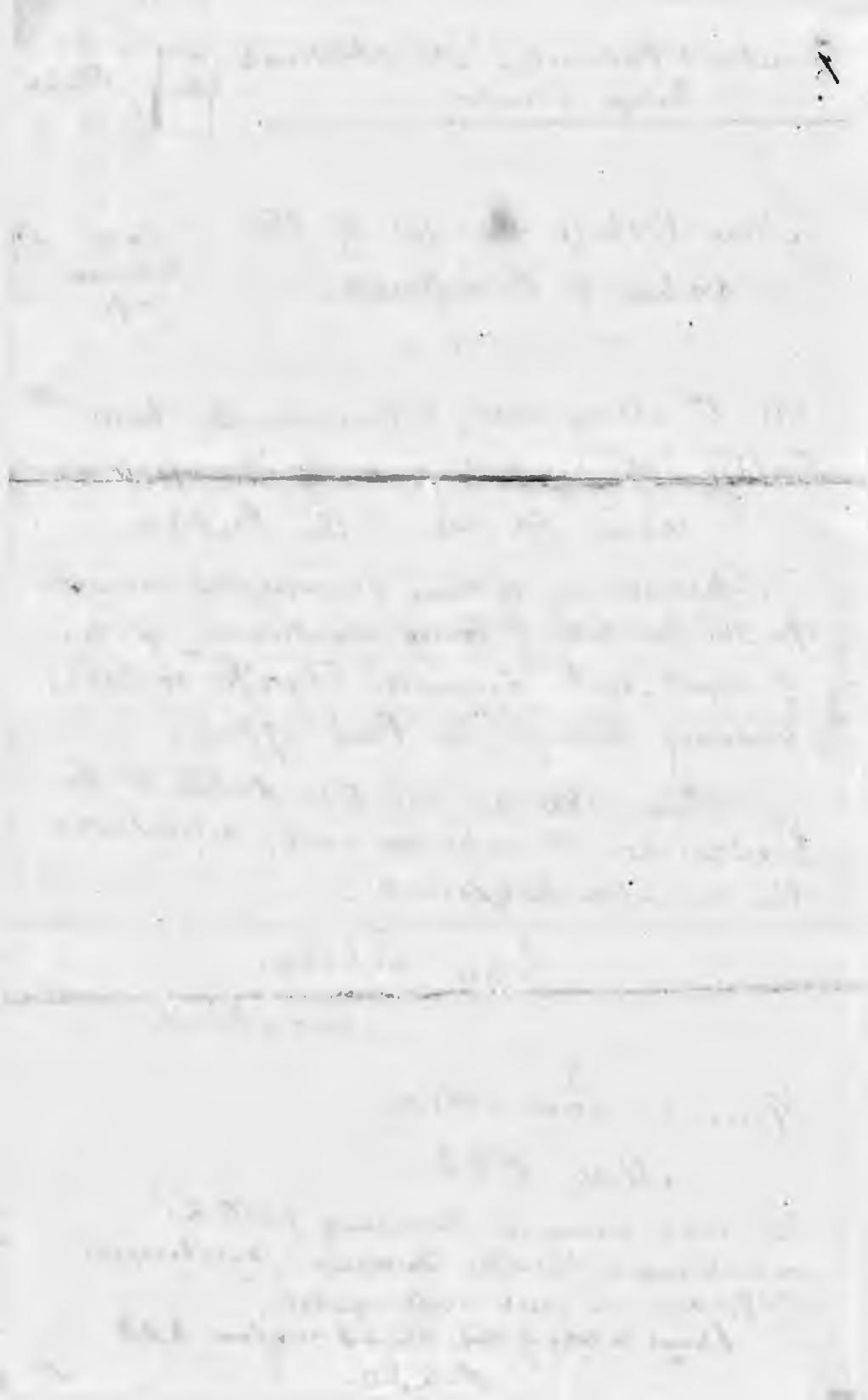
Secretary.

General Post Office,

May, 1862.

The stamp annexed is Threepence plate 2.  
on watermark (Heraldic Emblem), surcharged  
SPECIMEN in thick block capitals.

I have a copy of this, stamped as above & D.D.  
intercepted.



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From Post Office Circular.  
29 November 1862.

"Alteration in the Lettering of the corners  
of Sixpenny and Shilling Postage Labels.

The arrangements described in Rule 265,  
under which the letters at the lower <sup>corners</sup> of  
Postage Labels are repeated at the upper corners,  
and which ~~applies~~ at present applies only to the  
2d, 3d, 4d, & 9d. Postage Labels

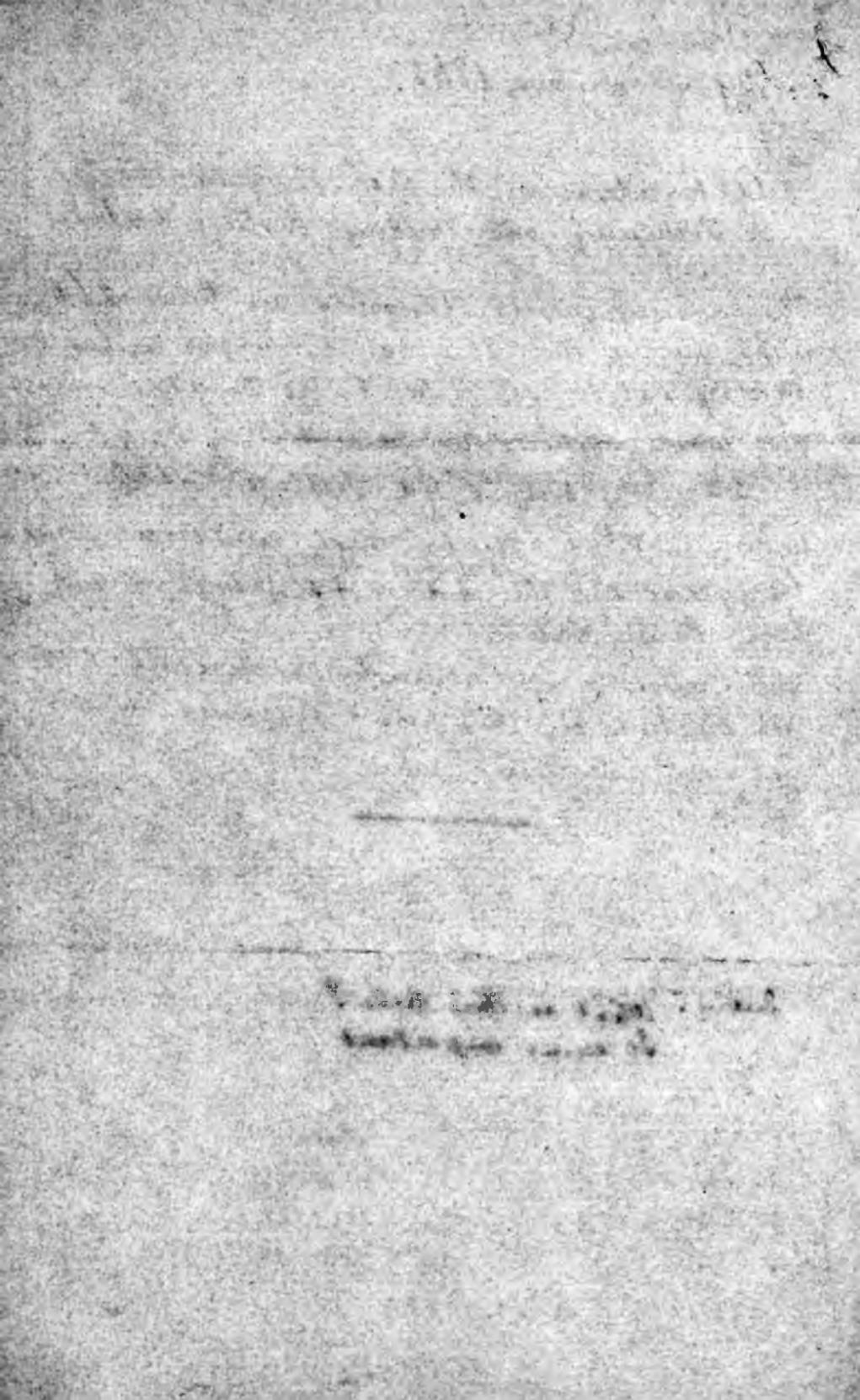
will on 1<sup>st</sup> December next and henceforward,  
be extended to the <sup>Sixpenny</sup> <sup>Shilling</sup> Labels, & ultimately  
to the Penny Labels.

The attention of Postmasters is directed to the  
instructions on this point, contained in the  
above mentioned rule.

Query. What is this rule?

It seems important

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| 3 <sup>d</sup> | 10. 11. 62 | 1. 5. 62  |
| 4 <sup>d</sup> | 29. 11. 61 | 15. 1. 62 |
| 9 <sup>d</sup> | 11. 11. 61 | 15. 1. 62 |
| 6 <sup>d</sup> | 1. 12. 62  | v         |



any thing - evident on the lines it was suspended  
nearly 300 miles had been improved.

In opinion the Rule from an 1865 edition of  
the Park, ~~in~~ in which it is numbered 264, but in  
the 1868 edition - it which of course the number of "Rule"  
1062 refers - it appears as Rule 265. I cannot tell you  
when the variation ~~was~~ was embodied in the Park of  
Rules, but it was first named as a variation in 1865.

22<sup>nd</sup> May, 1896

Dear Mr. Wadley.

The slugs in the Park which I  
spoke to you is only - half - evidently  
spared from the "slug" to which you refer  
which was reported just to have been the  
munching and eating would often. The  
members in it is simply a combination of the  
poor stone monuments, and does not indicate

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1858 and therefore it cannot have been earlier  
than that - I should think probably the 1860 Edition  
is the first in which it appeared.

Yours very truly,

C. Chapman

appears in Post Office Circular, 20 June 1867.

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## New Postage Stamps.

On 1<sup>st</sup> July next Postage Stamps  
of the values of 10d. 2/- & 5/-  
will be issued for sale to the Public.

Specimen

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In Victoria

5d pl 1.

2/- pl 1.

10d pl 1.

Circular to Postmasters who obliterate stamps.

New Postage Stamps  
of the value of One Penny,  
Two Shillings  
and Five Shillings.

{ all this  
is a  
Roman  
Capt.

On the 1<sup>st</sup> July next and thereafter, Postage Stamps  
of the value of One Penny, Two Shillings, and Five Shillings  
will be issued for sale to the Public.

Specimens of these Stamps are annexed for the purpose  
of being compared, in case of doubt, with similar Stamps  
on Letters passing through the Post Office.

The Stamps are to be sold to the Public at the  
respective rates of One Penny, Two Shillings, and Five Shillings  
each, in whatever number demanded.

Postmasters will make immediate application to  
such supplies as they may require, but no smaller supply  
than Two Pounds worth of the Penny, Two Pounds  
worth of the Two Shilling, and Five Pounds worth of the  
Five Shilling Stamps will be issued to Postmasters by  
this Department.

John Tilley,

Secretary.

General Post Offices

June, 1867.

I have - a copy, etc as above.  
T.A.T.



From Postal official Circular, 1<sup>st</sup> March 1869.

In consequence of representations made to the Post office by various firms that there is reason to believe that their postage stamps are purloined by persons in their employment, the Department recommends that the names or initials of the firm either be printed on the back of the stamps or perforated through the stamps by means of a machine devised for the purpose, ~~as much~~ as the sale of such stamps would be thereby rendered difficult the temptation to steal them might be lessened or altogether removed.

Post masters will be careful not to buy any stamps so printed or so perforated.

Note.

This refers to Sloper's Patents, under which stamps ~~were~~ are perforated, with initials or names of firms.

G. A. S.

and a good many old  
and full dried all in hand and ready  
and I think it is good  
and full of flavor and good  
and there is more here now all  
done up and ready at 25 cents a head  
and they are good  
and a good many old

the value which would appear most  
desireable, therefore we may expect  
that the number of

## Halfpenny Postage Labels.

Halfpenny Postage Labels & Newspaper wrappers bearing an unexpressed halfpenny stamp will be introduced.

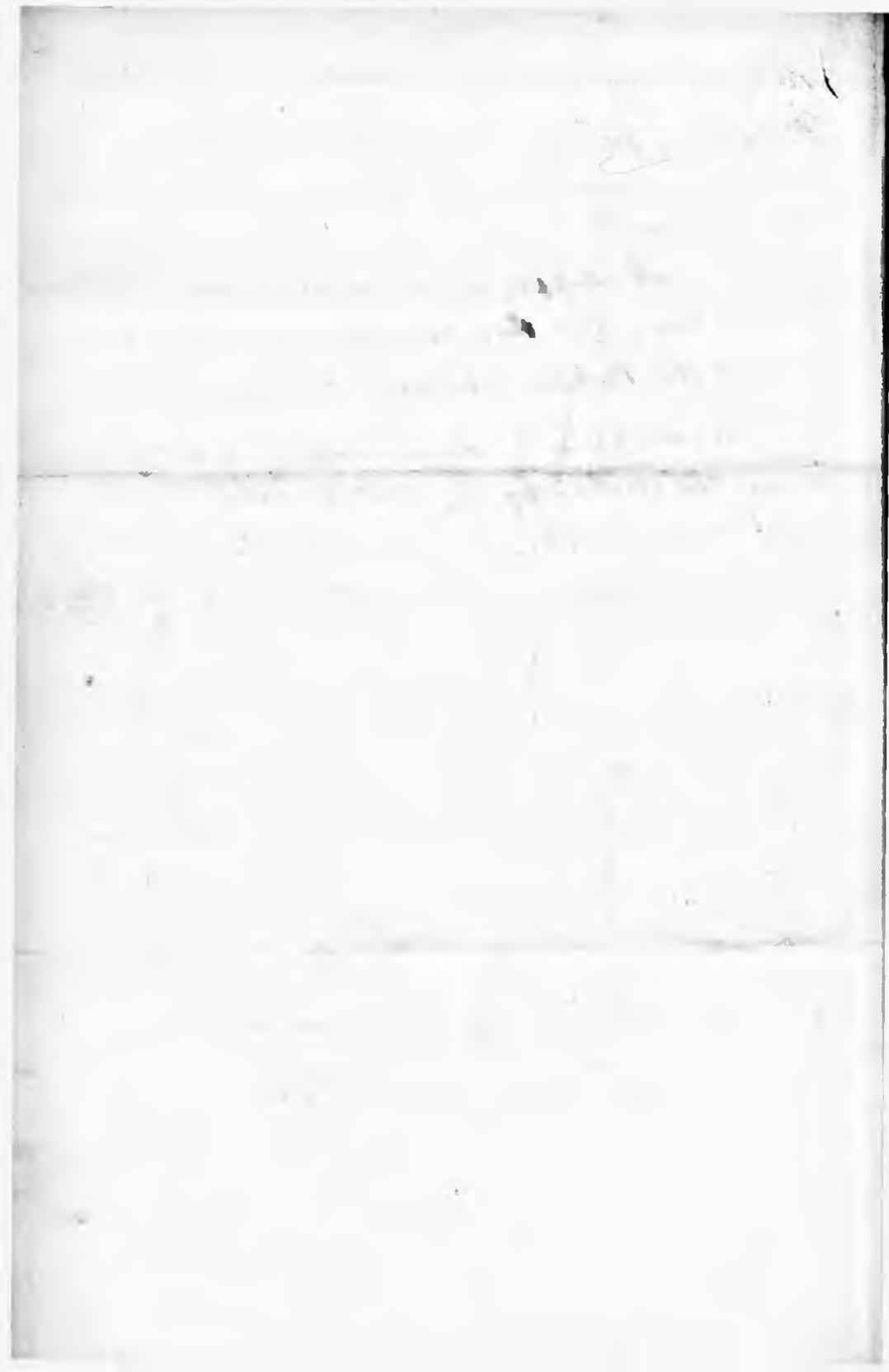
A supply is in course of issue to Head Postmasters, but these stamps are not to be sold to the Public before 1 October 1870, <sup>excl.</sup>

The wrappers, the dimensions of which are 16 inches by 5, will be sold at the following prices;

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|-----|---|------------|
| 500 | - | £ 1. 2 . 6 |
| 100 | - | 4. 6       |
| 50  | - | 2. 3.      |
| 25  | - | 1. 1½      |
| 10  | - | 5½         |
| 5   | - | 3.         |
| 2   | - | 1½         |
| 1   | - | 3/4        |

See the Postal Official Circular.

20 September, 1870.



Instructions for guidance of Post  
masters subsequent to 30 Sept. 1870.

"Under the provisions of "the Post Office  
Act, 1870" the unexpressed inland Revenue  
stamp on ~~newspapers~~ will, on & from  
1 October next, be abolished.

To prevent inconvenience however  
newspapers & other publications bearing  
the stamp may be allowed to pass  
free of postage for a period of 16 days.

From the Postal Off. Circular  
20 Sept 1870.

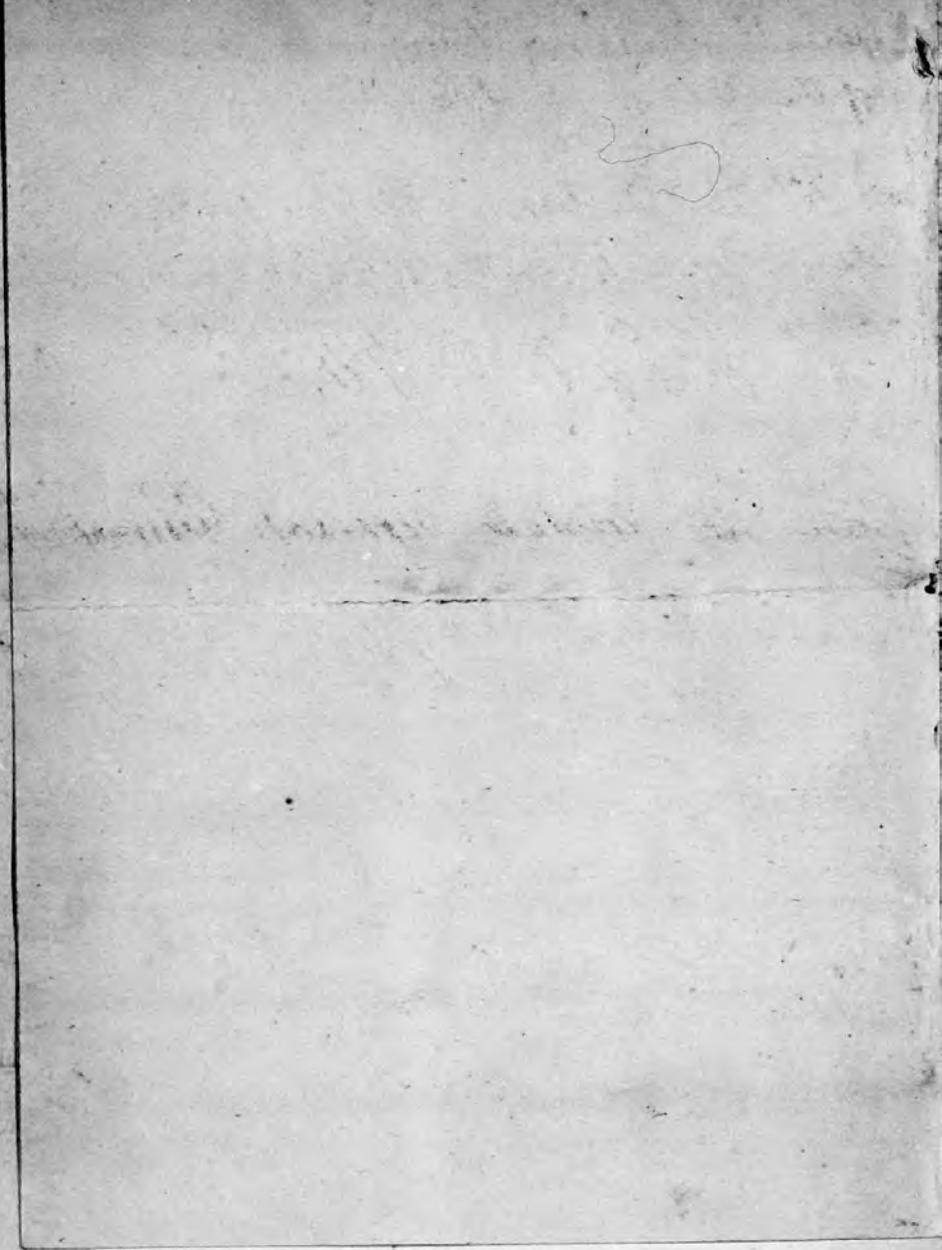
the last 200 ft. of the river which  
is bordered by dense woods. The  
water is very clear and rapid in some  
places and slow in others.  
The water is very clear and rapid in some  
places and slow in others.

Instructions to Post Masters

Post Cards.

The Postage Stamp on these  
is to be defaced with the  
single dated stamp "

Extracted from the C. O. Case.  
20 Sept 1870.



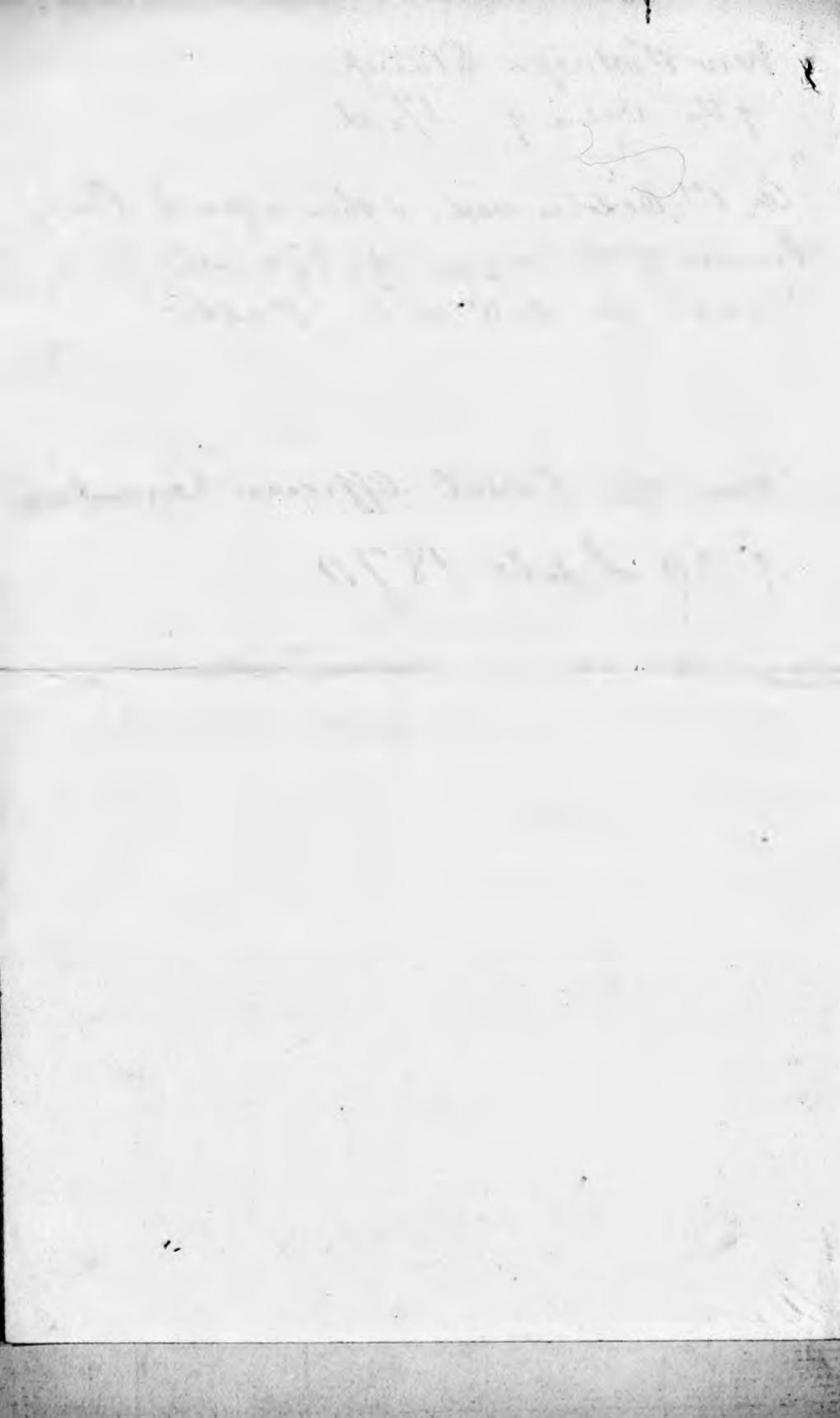
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New Postage Stamps  
of the Value of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  d.

On 1<sup>st</sup> October next & thenceforth Postage  
Stamps of the value of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  d. will be  
issued for sale to the Public:

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From the Postal Official Circular  
of 20 Sept 1870.



we have  
States

Circular to Postmasters who obliterate Postage Stamps.

Suspense Postage Stamps.

New Pattern.



Suspense Postage Stamps ~~are~~ different from the present pattern are about to be issued.

A Specimen is annexed to this Notice for the information of the Postmasters concerned.

Any stocks of the present Suspense Stamps remaining in hand should continue to be sold to the public until they are exhausted.

John Tilley,  
Secretary.

General Post Office.

March, 1872.

The annexed stamp is 6d. plate II. in chestnut brown, stamped SPECIMEN in thin block capitals diagonally.

I have this as above. R.A.S.

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Watt's patent

Manufactured by

A large number of small and scattered

stones & rocks are used to form

the walls of the building, which

are made of stones & rocks with

the stones & rocks all the stones used

are made of stones & rocks

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From the Postal Official Circular.

21 April 1873.

" Sixpenny Postage Stamps differing in colour from those now in use are about to be issued.

Postmasters who obliterate Postage Stamps have been supplied with a Specimen of the New Stamp.

Any stocks of the present suspending stamps remaining on hand must continue to be sold to the public until they are exhausted.

Note. This refers to the letters on white paper

11. 8. 73. S. A. D.

the first time, and the second time, and the third time,  
and the fourth time, and the fifth time, and the sixth time,  
and the seventh time, and the eighth time, and the ninth time,  
and the tenth time, and the eleventh time, and the twelfth time,

and the thirteenth time, and the fourteenth time, and the fifteenth time.

The things which these were much concerned  
about, were the following: the first, concerning the  
beginning of the world; the second, concerning

the creation of man; the third, concerning the  
different ages of the world; the fourth, concerning  
the beginning of the sun; the fifth, concerning the

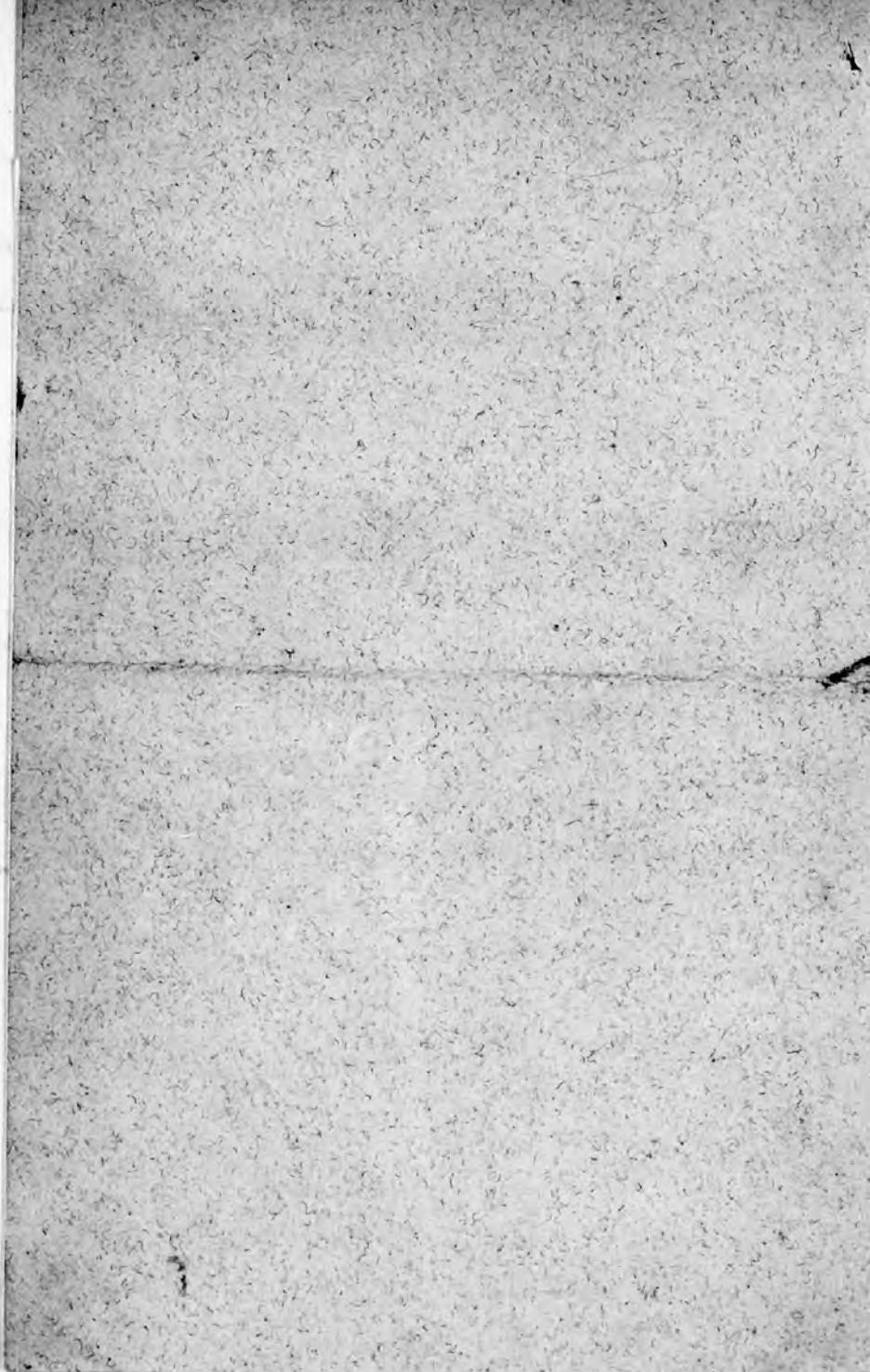
home. Postal off Coracle. 11 Augt 1873

Postage Stamps. Slight alteration in

It has been decided to print the letters and figures on postage stamps, varying in value from 3d to 1/- in colour on a white ground; instead of leaving the letters and figures white on a coloured ground, as hitherto.

This alteration has already been made in the 3d & 1/- stamps, and is about to be made in the 6d.

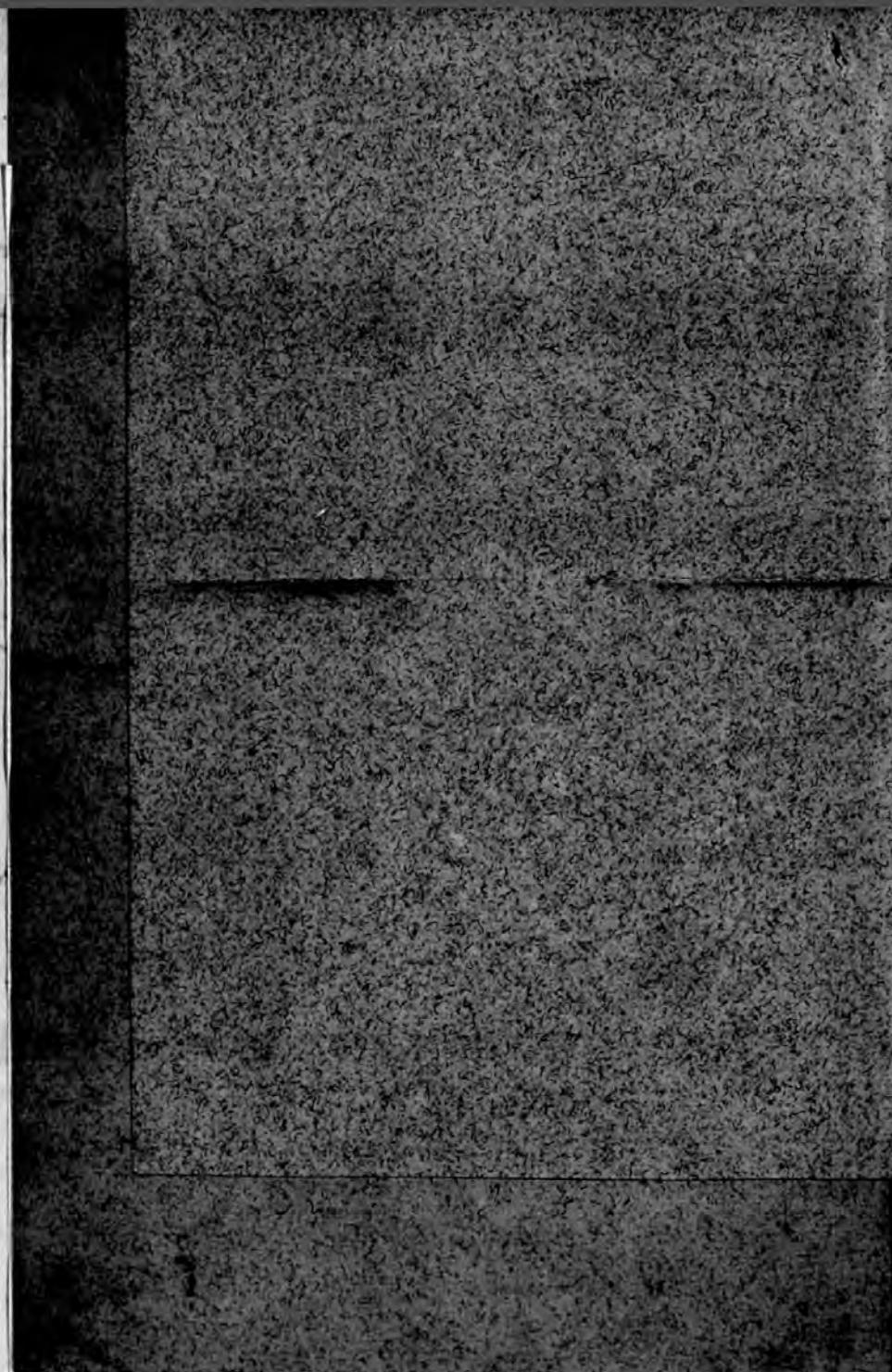
Due notice will be given of the date at which the alteration is to be extended to the stamps referred to.



Post Office Circular. 21 Aug<sup>t</sup> 1876.

Fourpence Postage Stamps - slight alteration;

With reference to the Notice which appeared in the Postal Office Circular of the 11<sup>th</sup> August 1873, relative to a slight alteration in certain postage stamps, Postmasters are informed that such alteration is about to be extended to the Fourpence Postage Stamps, the letters and figures of which will therefore be printed on a white ground, instead of leaving the letters and figures white on a coloured ground, as at present.



Extracted from Post Office Circular. 26 Feby. 1877.

"Two Penny Postage Stamp,  
Alteration in Colour."

The colour of the Two-penny Postage Stamp,  
issued in ~~future~~ will be light green  
instead of light red.

Any stocks on hand of the present  
two-penny postage stamp should continue  
to be used until they are exhausted.



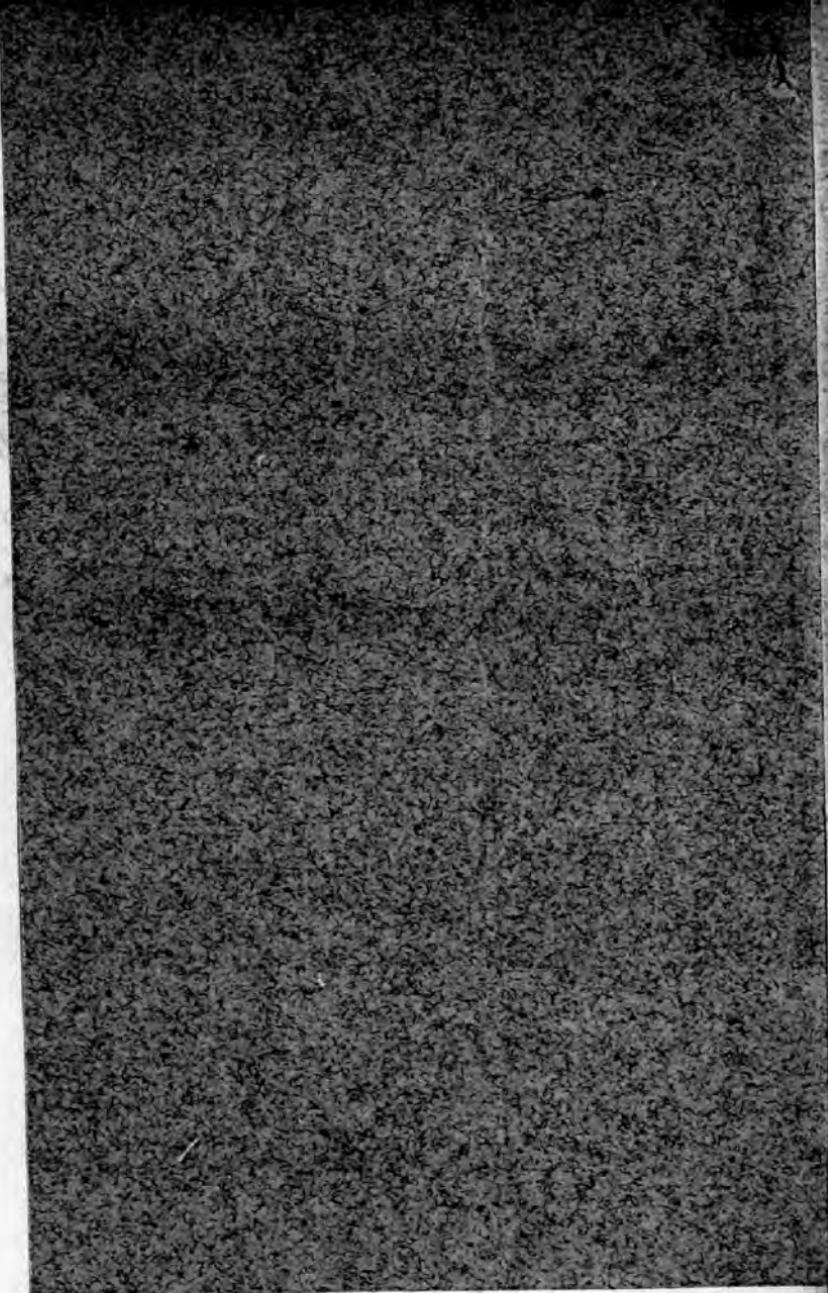
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From P.O. Circular No 188. 20 June 1880

## Fourpenny Postage Stamp

It has been decided to change the colour of the Fourpenny Postage Stamp. The new colour will be light brown, and the change will take place in a few days.

Any of the present fourpenny stamps remaining on hand must be sold before announcing the sale to the public of the new stamp.



from the Post Office Circular.

6 July 1880.

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Discontinuance of Eightpenny and  
Two shilling Postage Stamps.

It has been decided to discontinue  
the Eightpenny and Two shilling Postage  
Stamps and no further issue of those  
Stamps will therefore be made to  
Postmasters.

any stocks however remaining  
on hand may be sold.

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in public school or college  
and other educational institutions

and will have been so engaged in  
teaching, study and research work in science  
and the physical sciences, engineering, agriculture  
and other professions or occupations & related sciences  
and research work in science  
and the physical sciences, engineering, agriculture

From P. O. Circular 246 . 28 June 1881.

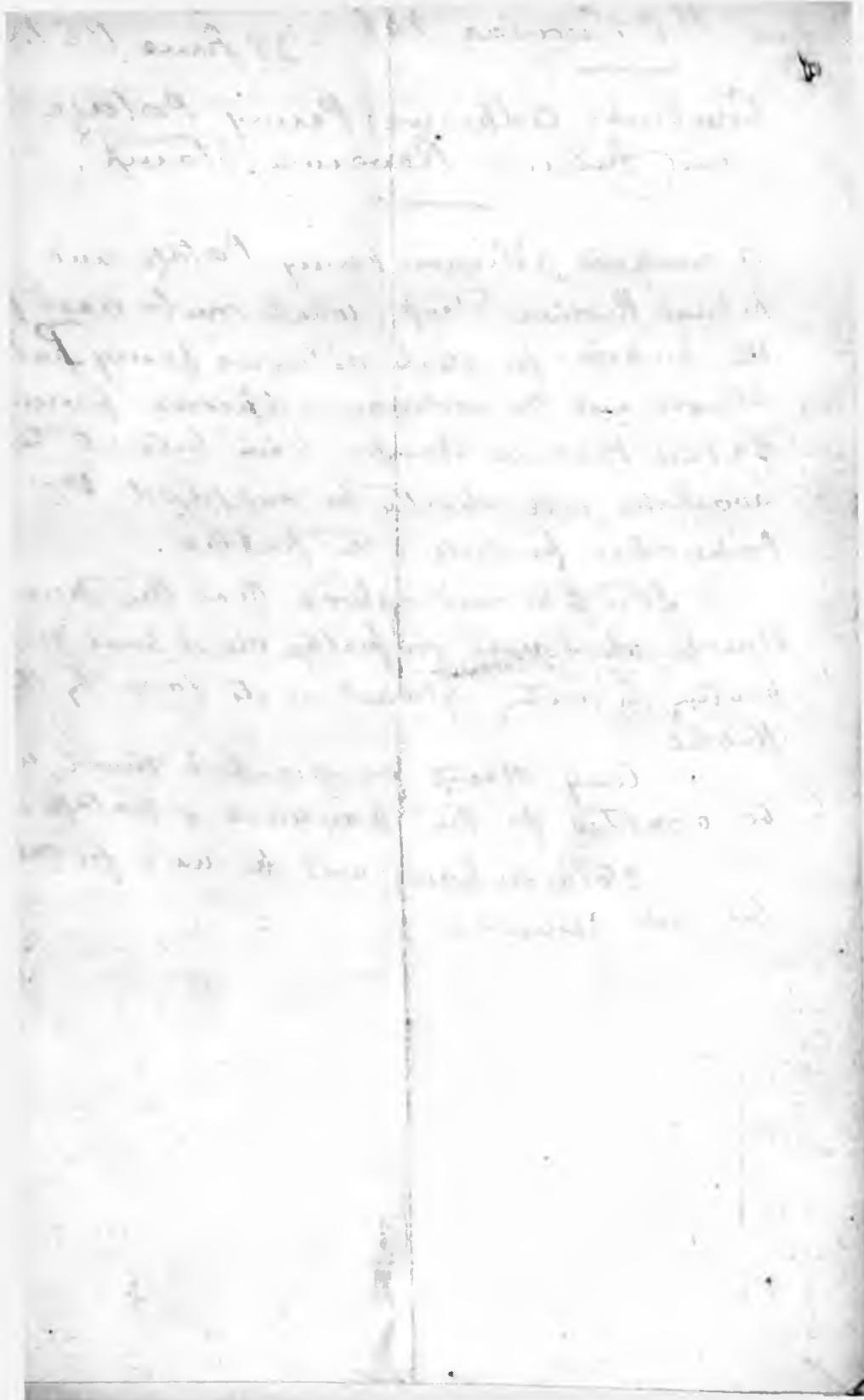
## Combined Adhesive Penny Postage and Ireland Revenue Stamp.

A combined adhesive penny Postage and Ireland Revenue Stamp, which can be used for the purposes for which adhesive penny Postage Stamps and the ordinary adhesive penny Ireland Revenue Stamps have hitherto been available, will shortly be supplied to Postmasters for sale to the public.

It is to be understood that the new stamp, when used for postage must have no writing, or writing placed on its face by the public.

Any stamp so marked must not be accepted for the payment of postage.

Stocks on hand will be used for sale, but not revenue d.

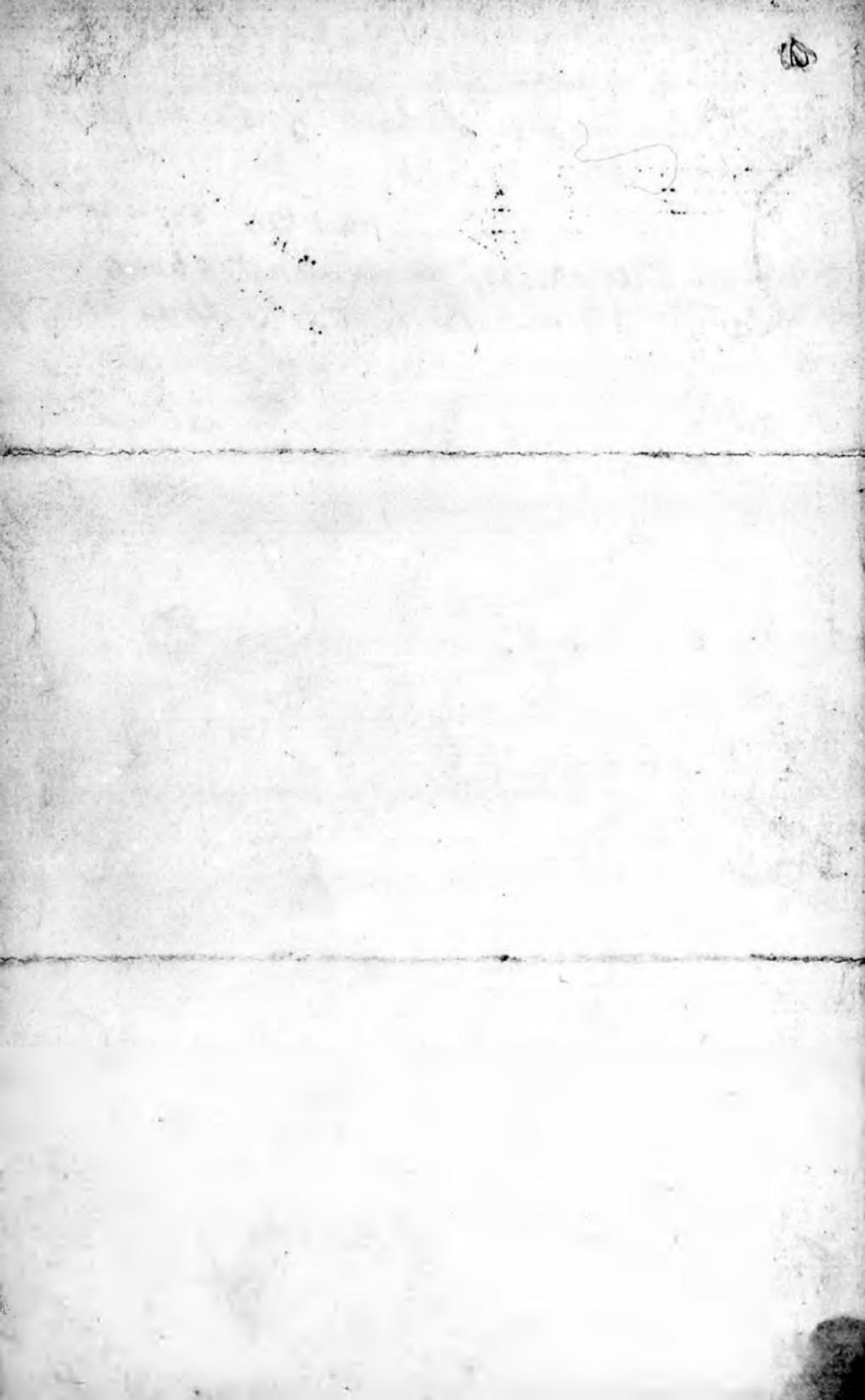


From Post Office Circular No 248. 19 July 1881.

Alteration in size of sheets of 5s Telegraph Stamps.

Postmasters are informed that the 5s Telegraph Stamps will shortly be issued in sheets containing 28 stamps instead of 20 as at present; the new price being £7 per sheet.  
The requisition forms should be altered accordingly.

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Post Office Circular of { ~~25 June 1867.~~  
No 264 } 25 October 1881.

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"Abolition of distinctive Stamps for Telegraphs.

On and from 1st November next Postage Stamps may be used in prepayment of Telegraphs in place of the present distinctive Telegraph Stamps, supplies of which will cease to be sent to Postmasters on 31<sup>st</sup> inst.

The Telegraph Stamps which remain ~~un-sold~~ by Postmasters on 31<sup>st</sup> inst. must continue to be sold to the public till they are exhausted, and Telegraph Stamps must be accepted in prepayment of Telegraphs as long as any of them continue to be used for that purpose. "

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from

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H. O. Circular No 226. 15 Mar 1881

Two-penny Stamp.

New Postage Stamps value 5 d.

Postage Stamps of the value of twelve pence are ready for issue to the public.

They are for the convenience of persons corresponding with India, China, &c Head Postmasters & others who obtain their stamps direct will make application in the usual manner for receiving such supplies as they may require but no smaller quantity than 25<sup>rs</sup>. worth will be issued to them.

This image shows a page from an old ledger or account book. The paper is heavily faded, making the handwriting difficult to decipher. There are several columns of figures and text, which appear to be dates, descriptions of transactions, and amounts. Some totals and headings are faintly visible at the top and bottom of the page. The overall appearance is that of a historical financial record.

From the Post Office Circular. No 331.

19 December 1882.

"New Threepenny and Sixpenny Postage Stamps.

On and after the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1883 all  
Three penny & Sixpenny Postage Stamps  
issued will be printed in a purple  
colour and overprinted with their  
values in red.

Copies  
of Postal Circulars  
issued by the  
General Post Office.

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Extracts from  
The Post Office Circular,  
to 19 Dec 1882.

Ms. 1-45.





6 July 1894.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, the Postmaster General desires me to say that he will be happy to arrange for you to inspect the notices in the Post Office Circular relative to the issue of postage stamps. I inclose a copy of the most complete.

index to the Circulars, which  
may perhaps assist you in  
selecting the notices you desire  
to inspect. If you will kindly  
let me know when it would be  
convenient to you to call at  
the Post Office, I will arrange  
that the Circulars shall be  
ready for you, and that any  
special notices you may wish

to see shall be looked up. I  
ought perhaps to mention that  
specimen stamps do not  
accompany the circulars.

I am.

Yours faithfully

Audubon

P. S. Perhaps you will  
kindly return the  
Index at your convenience

Fred'k A. Philbrick Esq., &c.





13 July 1894.

Dear Sir,

I have arranged  
that as many as possible of the  
Circulars, mentioned in your note  
of today, shall be ready for  
your inspection on Tuesday next,  
the 17<sup>th</sup> instant; and if it will be  
convenient to you to call at the  
Secretary's Office, General Post  
Office, about noon on that day,  
Mr. Edw<sup>r</sup> Geld will be there  
to render any assistance in

his power towards finding the  
Notices for which you are seeking.

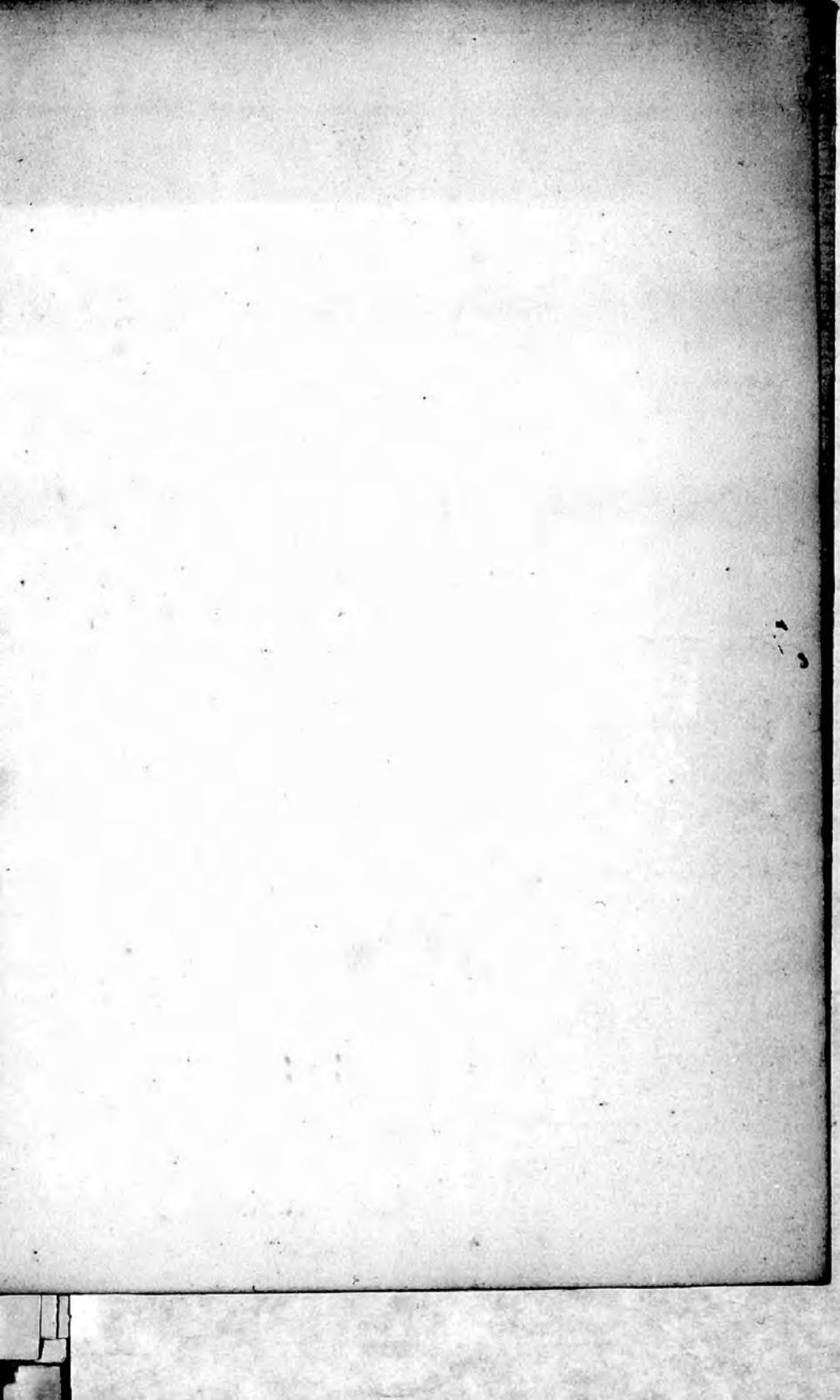
Yours very truly,  
A. M. O'Brien

To

J. A. Philbrick Esq. Q. C.

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Secretary's office  
4 August 1894

Dear Sir,

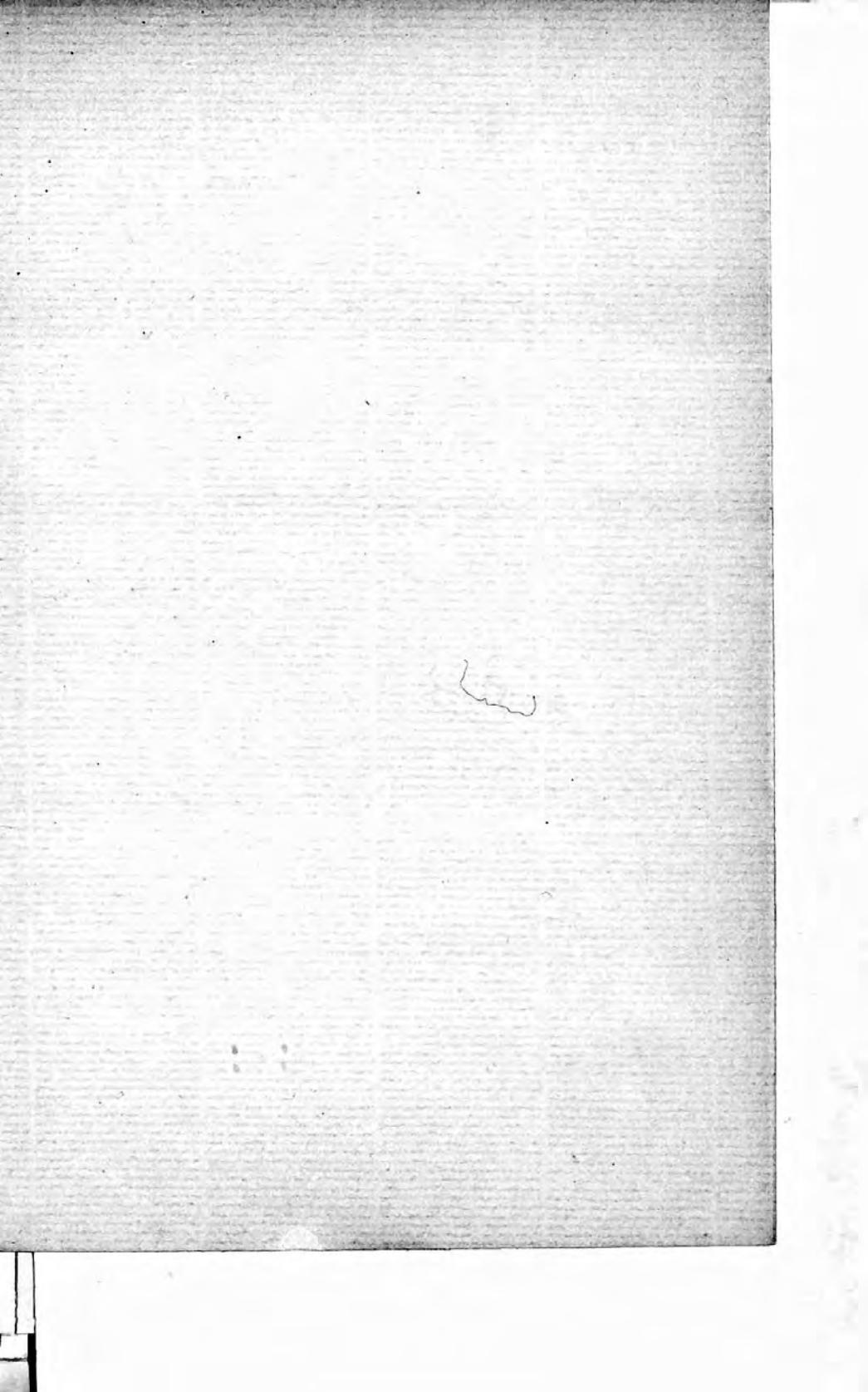
If you will call  
here on Wednesday next week  
or any later day, I will  
have the Circulars & Reports  
ready for your inspection.

Yours very truly

Edward Field

J. A. Philbrick, Jr., D.C.





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July 12. 94.

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My dear Mitchell

I received yours last night  
with the Postscript - which I return.  
Dear Indeed are the Circulars to the  
Inventors, but what we rather want  
are the old Circulars to the Patentees.

If you would - Deane & were  
to the Post Office on the modulation of the  
Sat. and took copy of the Circular  
see one at pp. 43 & 46. He could not  
find any copy of the Circular relating  
to the 2<sup>d</sup> but in his note foot of p. 83  
you see the result of his search  
made by direction of the Secretary.

What we want to find now - is  
then any other Circular regarding the  
4<sup>d</sup>. except that of 24. J. 1855 set out  
as foot of p. 110.

also previous to this any Circular

Regarding the issue of the enclosed stamp  
of 11 and 10/- 13. g. 47 and 6. H. 48.

We have the S. R. circular of the  
10/- embossed at p. 97.

I think official documents add so  
much to the value of the history.

I have marked in his general  
index a circular which is might  
helpful to look at.

These are all the material that  
I can suggest - but Documentary evidence  
regarding the issue of any stamps belonging  
to the 10/- is precious.

Some Friends by the 3 of last Dec  
have drawn up a City of size T with  
the 2020, as you said he could not find  
it at S. H. - I gave a look in the O. o. but  
2/6 each for every one he could find - He  
could only find a small 1 bauble for 3/-

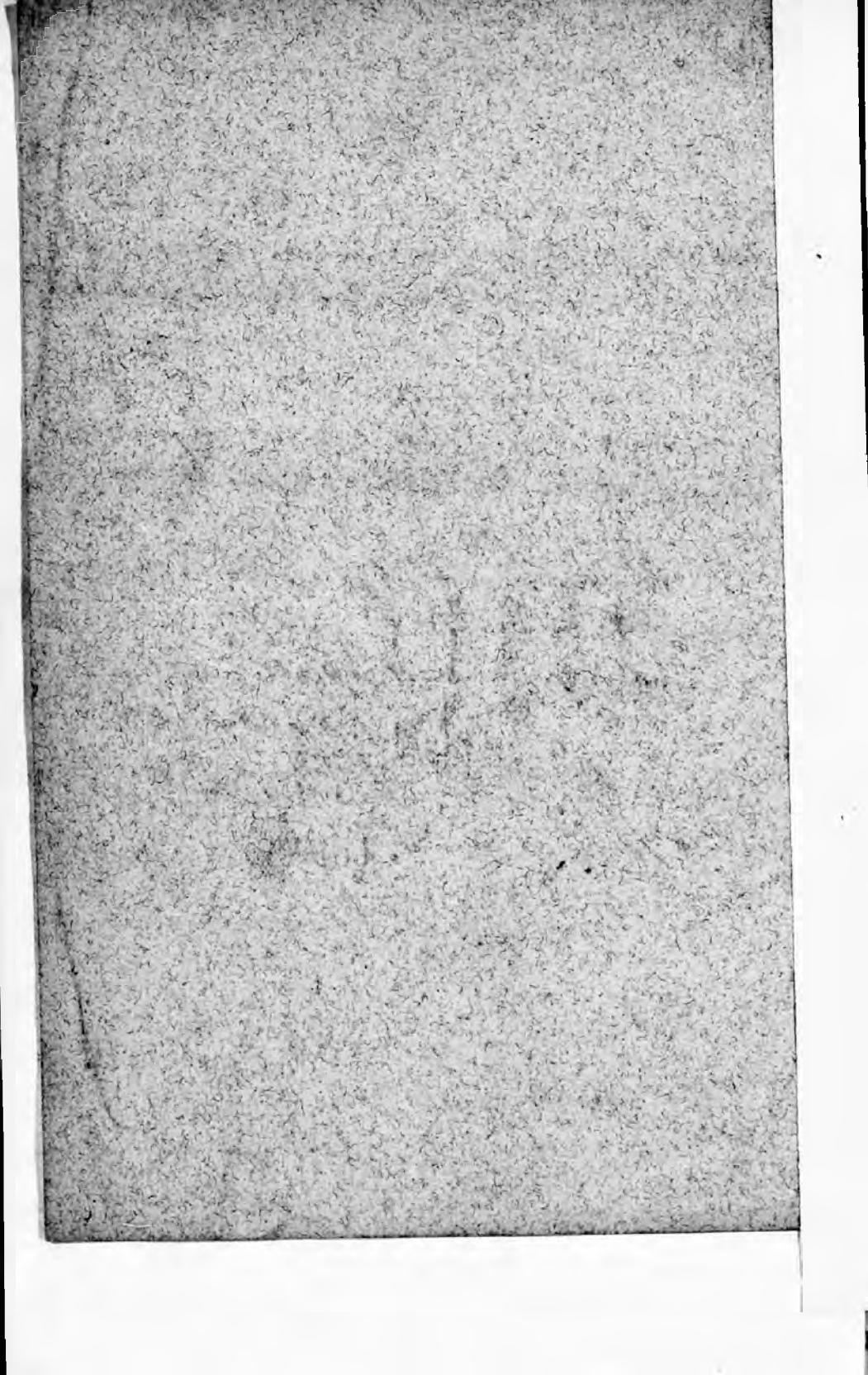
Slavery and American over - because he is  
always good to you, but he can be queer as you  
know - Look at what Dickinson writes down  
- though it is private, you will have no doubt

Wilson was in such a hurry to have his  
books back that I hope our second stamp  
to look at a bill deposit - I will do this  
within two more day or two - you are just  
as you like. - I hope the price - but they  
are very moderate.

Yours your best effects.

Dr. A. S. Wetmore

Forсы you for this letter from the A.A.  
but it was not enclosed.



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July 24.

My dear Philbrick

You have indeed put together  
a heap of very useful notes. The chief  
feature that I find are the Circulars  
1840. They went down when we printed  
some tables, and I think the officials  
also had them when they replied to our  
question about the issue of 2<sup>d</sup> stamp.

The decision of the Treasury  
must be have been a long time in  
getting on for as the Post Office of  
Rowdans Hill is right in charge of  
London from Black to red was above  
Nov. 1840 - The Circular of Jan. 1841  
Circular 3 Feb. must refer to the 2<sup>d</sup>  
penny, I think at 2<sup>d</sup> with which time  
was in March 1841 -

Circular No. 3. 1841. is your first.  
Could you get them to print one for you  
to take in over.

I have looked through all your  
L.S. Sheets - I want now a little time  
to revise them -

I have not, nor shall I have  
a copy of the Decr. 1st notice, as  
they will now fill my next  
two pages - so the enclosed is all that  
I can give you - Next week I shall  
have the h' part ready in type which  
I will send you.

The Penn. Office Circular was -  
weekly publication was it not? I suppose  
after it was issued no "Instructions" had  
been separately to Postmaster, and I  
was told at Sandusky when I enquired  
with Regd. of the 1880-1 that notices  
of stamps were given in that. All  
Local Notices to the Public which

were stuck up in the office - As you say we  
have just rec'd' but the notes about the  
Encyclopedia have to stand as they are very important  
and will tend to history much more  
completely. I do not know if being care  
ful you let Dr. D. R. generate fully upon  
Dr. J. Wilson has them and I think you  
have to the Phil. Society. They have a  
little information in them but ~~no~~ <sup>not</sup>  
only the facts of certain things done -  
the activities of Portage etc. I think the  
only ones are very scarce  
too bad effect your

W. A. T. Murphy

I am now doing the circular projected  
and shall get the Report out of hand  
about January. I shall then be free for  
a little time to go regularly through the  
fabulism you have sent me.

