

REGULATIONS

For the Execution of the Postal Convention agreed upon between the Post Departments of the United States and of the North German Union, on the 21st of October, 1867. June 30 and July 22, 1868.

IN accordance with Article XIX. of the convention, concluded between the United States of America and the North German Union, on the 21st of October, 1867, the post-offices of the two countries have established the following regulations:—

SECTION I. Provisionally, and until otherwise arranged, the offices for the exchange of mails shall be, on the side of the United States, — Offices for exchange of mails.

1. New York.
2. Boston.
3. Philadelphia.
4. Chicago.

On the side of the North German Union, —

1. The Travelling Post-Office No. 10, between Cologne and Verviers.
2. Bremen.
3. Hamburg.

The mails shall be exchanged —

a. Between the Travelling Post-Office No. 10, Cologne, Verviers, and the post-office of New York, via England and Belgium.

b. Between Bremen and New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, via direct line, Bremen, New York.

c. Between Hamburg and New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, via direct line, Hamburg, New York.

SECTION II. The sender of a registered letter is authorized to demand, by a notice on the address, that the receipt, undersigned by the receiver, should be delivered to him. In this case, the subscribed receipt shall be returned without delay to the exchange office whence the letter was despatched. There shall be no fee levied for the delivery of a receipt. The receipts shall be printed in German and English language, and shall be annexed to the letters by the despatching exchange office. Senders of registered letters entitled to receipt.

SECTION III. Patterns or samples of merchandise exceeding the weight of fifteen loths (eight and three fourths ounces) cannot be sent by mail to the North German Union. Letters weighing three loths (one and three fourths ounces) or more, if containing articles subject to customs duty, instead of writings, documents, or obligations, are, in like manner, excluded from the mails sent to the North German Union. Weight of letters and mail matter.

SECTION IV. Each mail exchanged between the respective offices shall be accompanied by a letter bill, showing the postages, fees, &c. and the charges of transit accruing to each office upon the different kinds of correspondence. Letter bills.

The form of this letter bill shall follow the models A and B, hereto annexed, and they shall be consecutively numbered by the despatching office during each calendar year. The receiving office shall acknowledge the receipt by the next following despatch. Forms.
Post, pp. 986, 987, 988.

SECTION V. The exchange offices shall divide the correspondence which they despatch into a suitable number of separate packages according to the letter bill. Separate packages.

More than single rate, how indicated.

SECTION VI. When more than a single rate is chargeable upon any letter or other article, the number of rates to which it is subject shall be indicated by the despatching office by a figure in the upper left corner of the address.

Stamps upon letters.

SECTION VII. All letters exchanged between the two offices shall indicate by stamp, or writing thereon, the office of origin.

Correspondence fully paid to destination shall be stamped in the United States "*Paid all*," and in the North German Union "*Franco*." Correspondence insufficiently paid shall be stamped in the United States "*Insufficiently paid*," and in the North German Union "*Unzureichend Frankirt*," and the amount of the deficient postage expressed in figures (black) on the face in the money of the receiving office.

Registered articles shall be stamped "*Registered*" in the United States and in the North German Union "*Recommandirt*." Correspondence forwarded to either office by the other should be so stamped in letters or figures as to clearly indicate the route of transmission.

Register lists.

SECTION VIII. Registered correspondence shall be entered in a register list, following the models C or D hereto annexed.

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All registered letters and the register list shall be enveloped together in strong paper and securely fastened, and the packet inscribed with the word "*Registered*" or "*Recommandirt*" and placed in the mail. The blank in the letter bill for expressing the number of registered articles shall be filled by writing the number in full. In case no registered articles are sent, the proper blank of the letter bill shall be filled with the word "*Nihil*" or "*Nil*."

Receipts for register lists.

SECTION IX. The register list despatched shall be acknowledged by the first return mail from the receiving office, by expressing the receipt numerically, viz.: "from No. , to No. ." If the verification by the exchange office discloses an error of any kind on the register list, it shall also, by the first mail, be notified to the despatching office.

Letters with foreign countries.

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SECTION X. The two postal administrations may exchange, in the open mails, letters and other correspondence, ordinary and registered, with foreign countries, and upon conditions, as indicated in the Table E, hereto annexed.

Marks for prepaid and unpaid letters.

SECTION XI. The respective exchange offices shall mark in *red* ink in the upper part of the address of prepaid letters and other correspondence sent for transit in the open mail, the amount of the foreign postage due to the foreign office of destination, and in the same manner, but in *black* ink, shall mark the amount of postage due to the foreign office of origin, upon the unpaid letters sent in transit.

Articles under band not conforming, &c. to be retained.

SECTION XII. Articles under band, which do not conform to the conditions mentioned in Article VIII. of the convention, or which are in no part prepaid, shall be retained at the disposition of the administration of origin, or if sent shall not be subject to account.

Letters insufficiently paid to be sent as unpaid.

SECTION XIII. Letters originating in, or destined for, foreign countries sent in the open mail for transit through the United States, or through the North German Union, and which are insufficiently prepaid, shall be transmitted as wholly unpaid, and no account taken between the two administrations of the amount prepaid. But if one or more full rates shall be prepaid the number of rates fully prepaid shall be always credited.

Letters, &c. which cannot be delivered to be returned every month.

SECTION XIV. Letters, and all registered articles, which cannot be delivered shall be respectively returned to the despatching administration, at the end of every month.

The postage on unpaid letters, returned, shall be deducted from the account against the office originally charged therewith. The postage on prepaid letters, returned, shall remain in the account as originally entered.

The expense of transit of unpaid correspondence, which has been transported by either administration in closed mails, and shall be returned

to the despatching office as not deliverable, shall be deducted from the original amount charged for transit upon a declaration of the amount by the office claiming the reduction. No charge will be made by either administration for the transit of correspondence returned as not deliverable. The bordereaux of correspondence not deliverable shall follow the models F and G hereto annexed.

Post, pp. 995, 996.

SECTION XV. All correspondence wrongly addressed or missent shall be returned, without delay, by the receiving office to the exchange office which despatched it. The receiving office shall also correct accordingly, in the column of verification, the original entries of the letter bill relating to such correspondence. The articles of a like nature addressed to persons who have changed their residence shall be mutually forwarded or returned, charged with the rate which would have been paid on the first destination.

Missent, &c. letters, &c.

SECTION XVI. The despatching exchange office shall state, on the letter bill, for the intermediate offices, the exact number of single rates of letters (or weight if required) and the total net weight of the other correspondence which shall be despatched, in closed mails, by such intermediate transit.

Letter-bill to state what.

SECTION XVII. It is understood that the accounts between the two offices shall be established on the respective letter bills, in the proper money of the despatching office, but the international postages on the unpaid letters or insufficiently prepaid letters shall be computed in the money of the receiving office. The reduction of these moneys shall be effected in the general accounts at the rate of one dollar for one thaler eleven silber-groschen and eight pfennigs. In entering the foreign charges on the letter bill, in the money of the despatching office, the cent shall be considered the equivalent of five pfennigs.

Accounts between the two offices.

It is also understood that the quarterly accounts shall be adjusted respectively in gold, and in the denomination of the money of the creditor office.

SECTION XVIII. The quarterly accounts, mentioned in Article XIV. of the convention, shall be prepared by the respective despatching offices of exchange. They shall be based upon the acknowledgments of receipt, and shall respectively be prepared according to the models hereto annexed, marked H or I.

Quarterly accounts. Ante, p. 981.

Post, pp. 997, 999, 1000.

The accounts prepared by the North German offices shall be transmitted to the Post-Office Department of the United States. A recapitulation of the respective accounts, showing the definite result alike for the debit and credit, shall be prepared by the United States office, and shall then be transmitted, with the accounts on which it is based, for the examination of the other office.

SECTION XIX. The charge to be made by the North German office for the transit of closed mails, which the United States shall exchange in either direction with countries beyond Germany, shall be as follows:—

Charges for transit of closed mails.

For mails exchanged with Switzerland or Italy 15 pfennigs per 30 grammes of letters. For other correspondence 8 silber-groschen per kilogramme.

For mails exchanged with other countries one half silber-groschen per single letter rate. For other correspondence 8 silber-groschen per kilogramme.

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A 1. (See p. 983.)

VIA BREMEN, HAMBURG.]

LETTER BILL.

Mail from the Travelling Post-Office No. 10, between Cologne and Verviers.
 _____ to _____, by the _____ Packet.

Travelling Post-Office No. 10, between Cologne and Verviers, the _____ of _____, 18—.

No.	Articles of Correspondence.	Statement by the North German Office.				Verification by the United States Office.				
		International Postage.		Foreign Postage.		International Postage.		Foreign Postage.		
		No. of Single Rates.	Amount.	Thlr.	Sgr.	No. of Single Rates.	Amount.	Thlr.	Sgr.	
	§ 1. PAID LETTERS, ETC.									
1	Registered letters, &c. { No. of single letter rates Postage Register fee	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
2										
3										
4	Letters for the United States, at 4 sgr. the single rate	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
5	Letters for foreign countries	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
6	Newspapers, patterns, &c. for the United States at 1½ sgr. the single rate	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
7	Newspapers, patterns, &c. for foreign countries	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
	§ 2. UNPAID LETTERS.									
8	Letters from the North German Union, at 15 cents the single rate	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
9	Letters from foreign countries	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
10	Redirected letters	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
	§ 3. INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID LETTERS, ETC.									
11	Letters { No. of single rates Amount of the prepaid postage Amount of the deficient postage	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
12										
13		Dolls.	Cts.	_____	_____	Dolls.	Cts.	_____	_____	
14		Thlr.	Sgr.	_____	_____	Thlr.	Sgr.	_____	_____	
No. of registered articles forwarded in the mail of this day : —										
	§ 4. CONTENTS OF THE MAIL.									
15	Total No. of single letter rates, (Nos. 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11)	Letter Rates.				Letter Rates.				
16	Total net weight of letters	Grams.				Grams.				
17	Total net weight of newspapers, patterns, &c.									
§ 5. PARTICULARS OF CLOSED MAILS FORWARDED HEREWITH.										
	Origin.	Destination.	Letters.		Newspapers, Patterns, &c.					
			Total Number of Single Letter Rates.	Total Net Weight.						
				Grams.	Grams.					
18										
19										
20										

A 2. (See p. 983.)

VIA BREMEN, HAMBURG.]

LETTER BILL.

Mail from _____ to _____, by the _____ Packet, _____ Post-Office _____, the _____ of _____, 18____.

No.	Articles of Correspondence.	Statement by the North German Office.					Verification by the United States Office.				
		International Postage.			Foreign Postage.		International Postage.			Foreign Postage.	
		No. of Single Rates.	Amount.		Thlr.	Sgr.	No. of Single Rates.	Amount.		Thlr.	Sgr.
Thlr.	Sgr.		Thlr.	Sgr.							
§ 1. PAID LETTERS, ETC.											
1	Registered letters, &c. { No. of single letter rates Postage Register fee	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2		_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3		_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4	Letters for the United States, at 4 sgr. the single rate	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5	Letters for foreign countries	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
6	Newspapers, patterns, &c. for the United States at 1 sgr. the single rate	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
7	Newspapers, patterns, &c. for foreign countries	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
§ 2. UNPAID LETTERS.											
8	Letters from the North German Union, at 10 cents the single rate	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
9	Letters from foreign countries	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
10	Redirected letters	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
§ 3. INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID LETTERS, ETC.											
11	Letters { No. of single rates Amount of the prepaid postage Amount of the deficient postage	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
12		_____	Dolls.	Cts.	_____	_____	Dolls.	Cts.	_____	_____	_____
13		_____	Thlr.	Sgr.	_____	_____	Thlr.	Sgr.	_____	_____	_____
14	Newspapers, patterns, &c. amount of the prepaid postage	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
No. of registered articles forwarded in the mail of this day : —											
§ 4. CONTENTS OF THE MAIL.											
15	Total No. of single letter rates, (Nos. 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11)	Letter Rates.				Letter Rates.					
16	Total net weight of letters	Grams.				Grams.					
17	Total net weight of newspapers, patterns, &c.										
§ 5. PARTICULARS OF CLOSED MAILS FORWARDED HEREWITH.											
	Origin.	Destination.	Letters.		Newspapers, Patterns, &c.						
			Total Number of Single Letter Rates.	Total Net Weight.							
				Grams.	Grams.						
18											
19											
20											

LETTER BILL No. _____.

For the Mails despatched from _____ to _____ via _____, Sent the _____, 18—; arrived the _____, 18—.

No. of the Items of Account.		Single Weight.	Single Rate.	Statement by the United States Office.		Verification by the North German Office.														
				Grams.	Cts.	No. of Single Rates.	Amounts.		No. of Single Rates.	Amounts.										
							Dolls.	Cts.		Dolls.	Cts.									
TABLE I. — INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE, (including Registered Articles — postage only.)																				
1	Letters fully prepaid																			
2	Letters wholly unpaid																			
3	Letters insufficiently paid, { Number of single rates Amount prepaid Amount deficient	15	1 5/10																	
4																				
5																				
	Total number of single international rates																			
6	Journals, { whether fully prepaid } Other prints, { or } Samples, { partially paid. } The total amount prepaid is																			
TABLE II. — EXTRANATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE, (including Registered Articles — postage only.)																				
7	Letters originating in the United States for foreign countries beyond the German States	Unpaid (wholly or in part)	No. of international rates	Foreign postage to account for to North German Union																
8												Fully prepaid. { No. of international rates								
9																				
10	Letters originating in foreign countries, and passing in transit through the United States	Addressed to any part of Germany	Fully prepaid. { No. of international rates	Unpaid (wholly or in part). { Foreign postage to account for to United States																
11												Fully prepaid. { No. of international rates	Foreign postage to account for to North German Union							
12																				
13	Addressed to countries beyond German States	Fully prepaid. { No. of international rates	Unpaid (wholly or in part). { Foreign postage to account for to United States																	
14												Foreign postage to account for to North German Union								
15																				
16	Total number of single rates in transit																			
17	Prepaid journals, other prints, samples, etc. originating in the United States, addressed to countries beyond Germany; or originating beyond the United States and addressed to Germany, and to countries beyond the German States	Total amount of the international postage																		
18		Total amount of foreign postage to account for to North German Union																		

* Including all the German States and Austria.

POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT OF }
THE UNITED STATES.

D. (See p. 984.)

{ CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE NORTH
GERMAN UNION POST-OFFICE.

Descriptive List of the Letters and other Registered Articles contained in the Mail sent by the United States Office of Exchange of _____ to the North German Union Office of Exchange of _____, the _____, 18—.

Numbers.	Nature of the Registered Articles. (1)	Origin.	To whom addressed.	Destination.	Amount of the Supplementary Registration Fees to pay to the North German Union Office on Registered Articles destined for Foreign Countries.		Verification by the Receiving Officer.
					Dollars.	Cents.	
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
11							
12							
13							
14							
15							
16							
17							
18							
19							
20							
21							
22							
23							
24							
25							
26							
27							
Total number of the Registered Articles to be carried to Art. 19 of the Letter Bill							
Total amount to be carried to Art. 20 of the Letter Bill							\$

Certified by _____

(1) Letters, newspapers or book packets under band, patterns of merchandise, etc.

E 1. (See p. 984.)

TABLE showing the Foreign Rates of Postage to be paid by the Post-Office of the United States to the Post-Office of the North German Union for Letters in Transit through the North German Union in the open Mails.

No.	Countries.	Standard Weight.	PAID LETTERS.			Unpaid Letters.	Remarks.
			Ordinary Letters.	Registered Letters.			
			Foreign Postage.	Foreign Postage.	Foreign Postage.	Foreign Postage.	
			Grams.	Sgr.	Sgr.	Sgr.	
1	Belgium	15	1	1	"	1½	Prepayment compulsory.
2	Denmark	15	1	1	"	2	
3	Greece	15	3	3	"	3½	
4	Italy	15	1½	1½	"	1½	
5	Netherlands	15	1	1	"	1	
6	Norway	15	2½	2½	"	3	
7	Papal States, via Austria	15	1½	1½	1½ per 15 grams.	1½	
8	Russia	15	2	2	"	3	
9	Sweden	15	2½	2½	"	3½	
10	Switzerland	15	2	2	"	2	
11	Moldavia, Wallachia, Baken, Berlat, Botutschany, Bukarest, Fokschan, Galatz, Giurgewo, Jassy, Ibraila, Piatra, Plojeschti, Roman	15	1	1	"	1	
12	*Turkey	15	2	2	"	2	
13	Egypt—						
	a. Alexandria	15	2	2	"	2	
	b. Cairo, Damanur, Kafer, Zajaf, Tanta, Birket-el-Sab, Benha	15	2	2	4½	2	
	c. Zagasik, Zifta, Miholla, Samanud	15	2½	2½	Per letter.	2½	
	d. Mansura, Damiat	15	2	2	4½	2	
	e. Suez, Porta-Said	15	4½	4½	Per letter.	4½	
	f. Suez, Porta-Said	15	2	2	4½	2	
	g. Suez, Porta-Said	15	6½	6½	Per letter.	6½	
14	East India, China, Japan	15	7	7	8½	2	Prepayment compulsory.

* Letters for Adrianople, Antivari, Beirut, Burgas, Calpha, Cavelle, Constantinople, Czernawoda, Dardanelles, Durazzo, Gallipoli, Jaffa, Janina, Jerusalem, Incboli, Kandia, Kanea, Küstendsche, Lagos, Larnaca, Metelin, Philippopol, Preveza, Retimo, Rhodus, Rustchuk, Salonich, Samsun, Seres, Smyrna, Sophia, Sulina, Tenedos, Trapezunt, Tschesme, Tuitscha, Valona, Varna, and Volo can be sent paid or unpaid. Letters for all other places must be prepaid.

E 2.

(See p. 984.)

TABLE showing the Foreign Rates of Postage to be paid by the Post-Office of the United States to the Post-Office of the North German Union for Newspapers, Book Packages, Prints of all Kinds, Patterns or Samples of Merchandise, in Transit through the North German Union in the open Mails.

No.	Countries.	Standard Weight.	Foreign Postage.	Remarks.
1	Belgium	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
2	Denmark	2½ loth.	5-12 sgr.	
3	Greece	2½ loth.	¾ sgr.	
4	Italy	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
5	Netherlands	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
6	Norway	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
7	Papal States, <i>via</i> Austria	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	Patterns cannot be sent.
8	Russia	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
9	Sweden	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
10	Switzerland	1 loth.	¼ sgr.	Patterns cannot be sent.
11	Moldavia and Wallachia	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
12	Turkey	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
13	Egypt —			
	<i>a.</i> Alexandria	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
	<i>b.</i> Cairo, — Newspapers	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
	Other prints	Per number.	¼ sgr.	Patterns cannot be sent.
	Other prints	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
	Other prints	1 loth.	¼ sgr.	
	Other prints	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
	<i>c.</i> Other places, — Newspapers	Per number.	¼ sgr.	
	Other prints	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	
	Other prints	1 loth.	¼ sgr.	
14	East India, China, Japan	2½ loth.	¼ sgr.	Patterns only can be sent for Birma, British India, Ceylon, and Hong Kong.

TABLE showing the Countries with which the North German Union may exchange Correspondence through the United States open Mails, and the Amount to be added to the International Rates between the North German Union and the United States for Account of exterior Service.

Countries.	Letters.			Newspapers.			Book Packets, Prints, and Samples.			Observations.
	Standard weight.	Additional postage.	Additional register fee.	Standard weight.	Additional postage.	Additional register fee.	Standard weight.	Additional postage.	Additional register fee.	
	Grams.	Cents.	Cents.	Grams.	Cents.	Cents.	Grams.	Cents.	Cents.	
Acapulco	15	7		120	2		120	4		<p>Samples must be confined to samples and sample cards of dry flexible material. Packages of hardware, groceries, &c. are subject to full letter rate of postage under existing laws of the United States, and hence cannot be forwarded through the United States to countries beyond at less than letter rate of postage.</p> <p>At present, registration exists only for Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Panama, and for letters only. No additional register fee is charged thereon for account of exterior service.</p> <p>No extra national charge.</p>
Aspinwall	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Belize, British Honduras	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Brazil	"	7		"	2		"	4		
British Columbia	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Central America and Pacific Coast, via Panama	"	7		"	2		"	4		
China	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Costa Rica	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Cuba	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Guatemala	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Honduras	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Japan	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Mexico, by sea	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Nicaragua and Pacific Coast, via Panama	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Panama	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Sandwich Islands	"	7		"	2		"	4		
St. Thomas, via United States Brazilian packets	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Venezuela	"	7		"	2		"	4		
Vancouver's Island	"	7		"	2		"	4		
West Indies, by United States packets exclusively	"	7		"	2		"	4		
West Indies, by United States and British packets, via St. Thomas	"	15		"	2		"	4		
Bolivia	"	31				Registration not yet allowed.				
Chili	"	31								
Ecuador	"	31								
Peru	"	31								
United States of Colombia	"	15								
Canada	"									
New Brunswick	"									
Nova Scotia	"									

RESULT OF THE PRECEDING ACCOUNT.

I. INTERNATIONAL AND FOREIGN POSTAGES.

No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	International Postage prepaid in the North German Union.		Foreign Postage to the Credit of the United States.		No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	International Postage collected by the United States.		Foreign Postage to the Credit of the North German Union.	
	Thlr.	Sgr.	Thlr.	Sgr.		Dolls.	Cts.	Thlr.	Sgr.
2			—	—	8			—	—
3	—	—			9				
4			—	—	10				
5					13				
6			—	—					
7									
12									
14			—	—					
Total . .					Total . .				

II. COST OF THE INTERMEDIATE TRANSIT.

No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	Amount.		
15			
16			
17			
Total . .			

III. TRANSIT OF CLOSED MAILS.

No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	Amount.		
18			
19			
20			
Total . .			

RESULT OF THE PRECEDING ACCOUNT.

I. INTERNATIONAL AND FOREIGN POSTAGES.

No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	International Postage prepaid in the North German Union.		Foreign Postage to the Credit of the United States.		No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	International Postage collected by the United States.		Foreign Postage to the Credit of the North German Union.	
	Thlr.	Sgr.	Thlr.	Sgr.		Dolls.	Cts.	Thlr.	Sgr.
2			—	—	8			—	—
3	—	—			9				
4			—	—	10				
5					13				
6			—	—					
7									
12									
14			—	—					
Total . .					Total . .				

II. COST OF THE INTERMEDIATE TRANSIT.

No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	Amount.		
15			
16			
17			
Total . .			

III. TRANSIT OF CLOSED MAILS.

No. of the Articles of the Letter Bill.	Amount.		
18			
19			
20			
Total . .			

SUMMARY OF THE WITHIN ACCOUNT.

Sums for which the United States office must account to the North German Union.				Sums for which the North German office must account to the United States.			
For items of the account.	Nos.	Sums to be divided.	Sums wholly due to the North German Union.	For items of the account, numbered.	Sums to be divided.	Sums wholly due to the United States.	
	1			2			
	4			5			
	6			7			
	8			11			
	9			12			
	10			15			
	13			16			
	14			21			
	17			22			
	18						
	19						
	20						
	26						
	28						
Totals				Totals			
Deduct intermediate transit charges	23 } 25 } \$ cts.			One half (½) to United States is			
Balance to be divided is				One half to North German Union is			
One half due to the United States is				One half joint sum opposite is			
One half joint sum opposite is				Exclusive amount due North German Union (opposite) is			
Exclusive amount due U. States opposite is				Total of sums to sole credit of North German Union			
Total of sums to sole credit of United States				Total of sums to sole credit of the United States			
Total of sums to sole credit of the North German Union				Net balance due to — is			
Net balance due to — is							

Dated at ———, this ——— day of ———, 18—.