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VICTORIA.

PRIVATE AND PRESS MESSAGES.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

PRESENTED TO BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT BY HIS EXCELLENCY'S COMMAND.

ALTERATION IN TIMES OF RECEIPT OF TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES AFTER THE
USUAL OFFICE HOURS.

THE Governor in Council has been pleased to approve of the following alteration in the times of receipt of Telegraphic Messages transmitted at night after the usual office hours, Sundays excepted :—

Private Messages.

After 8 p.m. until midnight (in lieu of 11 p.m.)—			
Ten words or under	...	...	Two shillings.
Every additional word	...	...	• Twopence.
After midnight (in lieu of 11 p.m.) and until 8.30 a.m.—			
Ten words or under	...	...	Three shillings.
Every additional word	...	...	Threepence.

Press Messages.

After 7.30 p.m. until midnight (in lieu of 11 p.m.)—			
One hundred words or under	...	...	Two shillings.
Each additional fifty words or under	...	...	Ninepence.
After midnight (in lieu of 11 p.m.) and until 8.30 a.m.—			
One hundred words or under	...	...	Four shillings.
Each additional fifty words or under	...	...	Ninepence.

Where notice is given, but Messages are not transmitted, the following charges will be made for attendance of officers :—

Private and Press Messages.

After 8 p.m. until midnight (in lieu of 11 p.m.)—			
For every hour or portion of an hour	...	...	Two shillings.
After midnight (in lieu of 11 p.m.) and until 8.30 a.m.—			
For every hour or portion of an hour	Four shillings.

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J. B. PATTERSON,
Postmaster-General.

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