

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Governor's Office.

AGR/FOR/1#8

No. 8/27

Date of Receipt.

14th Feb 1921

From		SUBJECT.	
<del>Secretary of State for the Colonies.</del>		Drainage or Sparrow Com	
No.	Date.	Tenders for	
✓	14th Feb 1921		

Colonial Secretary's Record No.

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Registered Number of last Despatch

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No. next Despatch.

H.C.S.  
 Write you please post a notice calling for  
 tenders for draining or Sparrow Com in  
 accordance with draft attached.

for  
 14 Feb 1921

H.S.  
 The attached notice has been posted  
 on the two public notice boards. Encl 1.

for  
 15 Feb 1921

Thank you: await office  
 16 Feb 1921

Letter from Mr Geo Newing of 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 1921. Encl (2)

Arrangements made to visit site on 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 1921

Tender from Mr Geo. Newing of 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 1921. Encl (3)

Tender from Mr J. Peck of 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 1921 Encl (4)

H.C.  
Submitted  
at 12  
for C.S. Feb 1921

H.C.S.

Tender of Mr G. Newing at £40 may be accepted.

2. Following tools are required.

Two sledges, hammers

Two Crowbars

Two Pick axes

Three spades.

Men may be found by Col. Symonds.

3. Piping for corking stem in hut at Inverloch is also required

(6 ft of approximately) this should ~~be~~ be supplied.

Piping is also required in sleeping room - about 9 ft of piping this should also be supplied.

4. After acceptance of tender this paper should be passed to

Col. Symonds with reference to para 2+3.

A.S.

23 Feb 1921

Letter to Mr Geo Newing of 23 Feb 1921 Encl (5)

Colonial Engineer.

To note.

G.P.O. for C.S. 23 Feb 1921

The Hon: Col: Secretary.

Tools etc have been supplied.

R. B. B.

C. E.

3/3/21.

Report from Forest Officer on Completion of Contract. Encl. C.

H.E. the Governor,

Special Warrant No. 8, for £300

submitted.

A. C. S. 22/3/21.

A. C. S. 22/3/21.

H.E.S.

I visited Sumner on yesterday with F.O. & saw work done by W. Harvey.

2. Warrant signed, W. Harvey can be paid

[Signature]

23 March 1921.

Special Warrant No. 8, sent to Treasury.

Forest Officer,

For your information & guidance.

[Signature]

A. C. S. 23/3/21.

The Hon: Col: Secretary

Contents noted and papers returned

James Reid

Forest Officer 28/3/21

F.O.

Will you please report  
what balance remains of the  
of 300 granted. There is nothing  
in this book & other cost of material  
supplied.

Attd 15/9/21

Hon. Col. Secy.

Attached is a list Encl (6)  
showing balance of Special Warrant  
No. 8. All accounts were  
passed to the Treasury.

James Reid  
Forest Officer  
20th Sept-1921.

Yr. Submitted for approval of  
payment to G. Newing 12/27

Attd 24/9/21  
22 Sept 1921.

Hon. Col. Treasurer

In book

Attd 22/9/21  
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Hon. Col. Secy.

Noted. Butcher

Treasurer.  
26-9-21.

Supplementary Expenditure approved by  
Legislative Council on 23rd Sept 1921

Under XVA Forestry Department

Item 3 Labour re Planting trees = 500

G. H. Brown  
Clerk Legislative Council  
23rd Sept 1921

# Specification of Drains and Fencing required at Sparrow Cove.

## Fencing

Required 616 yards of wire fencing 4 feet high to be erected on wooden straining posts, with stobs as intermediates at 6 feet apart 4 lines of plain wire and 1 line of barb wire. Wire netting to be put along bottom of fence and made game proof.

## Draining

Required to form 4 main ditches, 176 yards long, 4 feet deep, 3 feet wide at top and 9 ins at the base.

Side ditches with feeders all 12 yards apart 2 feet deep, 18" wide at top and 8" wide at base to be made according to best run of the ground, and to debauch into main ditches.

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H.P.S.

Will you please

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C.S. 566/2

TENDER FOR DRAINING.

Tenders are invited for cutting ditches as follows, within an area, measuring 152 yards by 176 yards, which has been marked out at Sparrow Cove.

(1) FOUR DITCHES.

Length	...	176	yards.
Depth	...	4	feet. 2
Width at top		3	feet.
Width at base		9	inches.

(2) HINDRY SIDE DITCHES. (according to best run of ground, approximately twelve yards apart)

Depth	...	2	feet. 15"
Width at top		13	inches.
Width at base		8	inches.

II. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

III. Tenders are returnable to the Colonial Secretary at Twelve Noon on Tuesday, 22nd February.

IV. The Contractor will be allowed the use of huts at Mount Lowe. Transport for stores will be provided if practicable, once a week. Transport will also be provided for labour at commencement and on completion of work.

V. Persons desiring to tender for the work will be afforded an opportunity of visiting the site.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,

14th February, 1921.



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CS. 566/21

STANLEY.

18th February, 1921.

Sir,

Being desirous of tendering for the contract at Sparrow Cove, as per Government Notice of the 14th inst., I would be glad to know when it would be convenient to see the site .

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*G. Bewing.*

THE HONOURABLE

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

STANLEY.

Stanley  
21<sup>st</sup> Feb, 1921

Sir,

I have the honour to tender for  
the contract of ditching at Sparrow-hoe  
as per the alteration in specification  
of 17 days date, for the sum of  
seventy Pounds: (£70).

I have the honour to be  
Sir  
Your obedient servant

G. Newing.

The Hon,  
the Col. Secretary  
Stanley.

14/2/21

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CS. 566/21

G. O. 8/21.

23rd February, 21.

Sir,

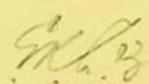
With reference to your letter of the 21st February, I am directed by the Governor to inform you that your tender of £70 for draining and ditching at Sparrow Cove, as per specification of the 14th February, has been accepted.

2. You should arrange with the Forest Officer as to when the work should be commenced.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

  
for Colonial Secretary.

Mr. George Newing,  
Stanley.

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MEMORANDUM.

~~G-8/21~~  
O.B. 566/21

21st March, .....19 21.

From..... The Forest Officer,  
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Stanley.

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Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To

The Honble

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

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I have the honour to report that the work in connection with ditching and draining at Sparrow Cove contracted for by Mr. George Newing, has been satisfactorily completed.

*James Reid.*  
Forest Officer.

Wire Fence to be erected round  
Plantation at Mount Low.

616 yards of wire fencing to be erected on  
Wooden straining posts, with light posts and droppers  
as intermediates, with 5 lines of plain wire and 1  
line of Barb wire. Wirenetting to be put all round  
fence and made game proof. also wicket-gate  
to be hung on north side of plantation.

Fence to be 4 feet high, straining posts at  
each corner and intermediate post at 6 yards  
intervals with droppers between at 3 feet intervals.

5 plain wires 3 inches, 6 inches, 9 inches, 8 inches, 9 inches and  
1 line barb wire on top at 10 inches respectively  
Wires to be stapled to posts and dropper attached  
with cottars.

Posts all to be charred and tarred before being  
let into the ground. the distance required. 3' 6".  
Material supplied to be landed at  
Sharrow Cove Jetty.

Contractor to provide transport from  
Sharrow Cove Jetty to Mount Low.

August 24<sup>th</sup> 1921.

James Reid  
Forest Officer

Port Stanley

I hereby estimate to erect 616 yards  
of wire fencing at Mount Low. according to  
attached instructions received from Forest Office  
for the sum of Twenty seven pounds (£27)

Signed

G. Newing.

August 27<sup>th</sup> 1921

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MEMORANDUM.

C.S. 566/21

From Forest Officer

14<sup>th</sup> September 1921.

To

The Honble

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.



Sir,

I have the Honour to report, that I have inspected the Fence, erected at Mount Low by G. Hewing Contractor, and find the same to be satisfactorily completed.

I have the Honour to be  
Sir.

Yours obedient servant  
James Reid  
Forest Officer

List of payments made, showing  
Balance of Special Warrant No 8.

1921

March	23	By contract for ditching at Mt Low to J. Peering	70	0	0
June	14	" Mutton supplied to Forestry labourers from Gal. State	18	9	
"	16	" Tools and straining posts from P.W.D.	4	3	3
"	26	" Bread supplied to Forestry labourers from J. Sumner	2	2	0
July	20	" Groceries, mattocks, planting spades, tar from Gal. State	19	16	11
"	14	" Labour painting battens	1	4	0
Sept	9	" Labour barking posts for Mt Low	2	15	0
"	13	" Fencing material supplied for Mt Low	70	3	1
"	19	" Erecting fence at Mt Low by contract to J. Peering	27	0	0
			£ 201	3	0
		Balance on hand 20 <sup>th</sup> Sept 1921	98	17	0

James Reid  
Forest Officer  
20<sup>th</sup> Sept 1921