

C.S.

INDUSTRIES.

(Misc.)

1932.

No. 153 /32.

used  
then  
W.R.

C. S. O.

SUBJECT.

1932.

5th April.

Prices of Wool, Tallow and Whale Oil.

Previous Paper.

*357/21*

MINUTES.

*1-3*

*Ch. Letter of 5/4/32*

*J.E. Submitted for information.*

*J. J. J.*

*24.5.32*

*Hon. C. S.*

*Thank you:*

*go's*

*25-5-32*

Subsequent Paper.

*P. J. J.*

*25.5.32*

Cts. letter of 5/1/32.

4-5.

Y.E. Selected for insertion.

Jud

11.8.32.

Hon C.S.

Thank you:

J.P.G.  
12.8.32

Editor "Penguin"

For publication, as usual, please.

Jud

13.8.32

Hon Col Sec

Inserted in "Penguin" 15/8/32.

14/8/32

P.A.  
15/8/32

Letter from Cts. of 6/10/32.

6-8.

g.2

Schickel for information.

JMS

17.11.32.

Hon C.S.

Thank you

JMS

18.11.32

ACS

Contents of Red 7 inserted  
in "Penguin" 25/11/32

~~copy~~  
25/11/32.

~~1.11/32~~  
21/11/32

9-11.

Letter from C.S. of 07/1/33.

g.2.

Schickel for information.

JMS

23. 2. 33.

Hon C.S.

Noted

JMS

23.2.33

Edwin

"Penguin"

For usual action, please

J. M. [unclear]

24.2.33.

Har C.S.

Published in Penguin books 9 & 10.

25<sup>th</sup> 2.33.

H. Thomas

24.2.33.

pp [unclear]  
28.2.33

Letter from Cds. of 4/4/33.

12-11.

Yk. Submitted for information. Prices  
unfortunately are still very low.

M. [unclear] Kalketa

Ag. C.S.

13.5.33

How Alg. C.S.

Yes: but I think  
there are indications  
of a slight upward tendency

J. M. [unclear]

13.5.33

C.S.O. No.....153/32

Inside Minute Paper.

Sheet No.....3

Editor "Penguin,"

For usual action, please.

M. Craig Halbert

an. ed.

15.5.33

Hon C. S.

Published in Penguin No. 12573.

16.5.33.

H. Thomas  
16.5.33

V.A.  
16/5/33.

(17)

As letter of 14/4/33.

Y/H.

The price of wool appears to  
be rising.

For "Penguin"

G. L. Jones  
30/8/33.

Hon. Col. Sec.

Yes, this is a good  
Scrip. Please publish.

MCH

50.8.33

~~18-20 - C.V.'s letter of 5/10/33.~~

Editor, Penguin,  
for usual action.

C. J. G. S.  
31/8/33

Hon. C. S.

Reeds 16 & 15 published in  
"Penguin" accordingly  
5. 9. 33. W.

P. A.  
31/9/33

C.A.'s letter of 5/10/33.

18-20.

J. B.  
Submitted.

There is a steady increase in  
wool prices.

C. J. G. S.  
4/12/33

Hon. Col. Sec.

Please publish. It is to be  
hoped the increase continues.

MCH  
4. XII. 33.

Press Officer.

For usual action.

C. J. G. S.  
5/12/33

Hon. C. S.

Reeds 18 & 19 published in Penguin  
7/12/33  
A. Thomas

P. A.  
9/12/33

21-23

CA's letter of 5/1/34

Y.H. Submitted for information.  
This will be passed to Editor  
"Penguin" for usual action.

MCH  
a.g. e.p.  
13. 2. 34.

✓  
13. 2. 34.

Editor "Penguin"

For usual action please.

C.S.O.  
for CS  
14/2/34

24-6

SHA letter 6/4/34

Editor "Penguin"

For usual action, please

SHA  
for CS  
1/6/34

How CS. Nos 25 & 24 published

Penguin 9/6/34

H. Thomas  
9.6.34.

p.a.

MCH  
11.6.34.

CPA letter 6/7/34

27-30

Editor "Penguin"

For usual action, please.

~~CPA~~ for ed  
7/8/34

Hon G. S.

Contents of nos 27, 28 + 29  
published Penguin

97. 57 34

H. Thomas  
Press Officer

P. A.

CA's letter of 4/10/34.

31-33.

Editor "Penguin"

For usual action, please.

~~CPA~~ for ed  
4/12/34

Hon. Col. Sec.

nos (31) + (32) published  
6. 12. 34.

2/16

Submitted for information.

A. J. J.  
for ed  
5/12/34

Hon. Col. Sec.

Seen - please publish.

mch

6. XII. 34.

~~A. J. J.~~

P. A.  
6/2/34



34.36. Letter from Crown Agents. 4/11/35.

Yk. Submitted. Unfortunately there is no improvement in prices.

McH  
et.  
14. 2. 35

*McH* 14/2

Editor "Penguin"  
In usual action.

McH  
et.  
14. 2. 35

How we see.  
Published accordingly  
K. 7. 16. 2. 35.

P.A.  
16/2/35

(378) From letter 4/5/35.

Yk. Submitted for information.

McH  
et.  
13. 4. 35

*McH* 14/4/35

Editor Penguin

To publish

MCH

14. 11. 35

Hon. Col. Sec.

Published accordingly.

H.T. 15. 5. 35.

PA  
16/5/35

Letter from CMA 4/7/35

39-41

Editor "Penguin"

To publish

MCH

6. 8. 35

Hon. C. Sec.

Published 7. 5. 35

PA

Letter from Crown Agents, 3/10/35

42-43.

Editor Penguin.

Publish quotations for H. wood,  
as at the last series of sales (42)  
and prices at the commencement of  
October for the various grades of whale  
oil.

MCH  
et.

29. 10. 35

Hon Col. Sec.

Published accordingly

Thank you

H. T. Wines  
31.10.35.

PA

44-46

Letter from Crown Agents of 8/1/36

Editor

To publish press.

MCH  
C.S.

10.2.36

MCH Thank you.

The texts of Red 44-46  
will be published in tomorrow's  
issue of the "Penguin"

W.H.  
11/2/36

✓  
p.a.  
MCH

47-49

Letter from Crown Agents of 3/4/36.

Editor Penguin

To publish press.

A.H.  
ford  
12/5/36

Hon. Col. Sec.

Thank you. Published accordingly.

C. O. Lane.

Sub-editor. "Penguin".

13. May. 1936.

P.H.  
15/5/36

Y.E.

Perhaps the information in red (50) will be of interest.  
I have asked Mr. Hodgson to let me have similar  
lists as and when he receives them

50-51

J.S. Col.  
20/7/36

~~ttttt~~ 20/7

P.A.  
21/7/36

Letter from Brown Agents of 3.7.36.

52-54.

Y.E.

Submitted.

The March price are shown in pencil.

J.S. Col.  
18/8/36

~~ttttt~~ 13/8

Sub-Editor "Penguin";

Will you please publish  
prices

C. J. Col.  
13/8/36.

The Hon. Col. Sec.

Thank you.

Published 15/8/36.

Coloase  
Sub-Editor

P.A.  
18/8/36.

(55) Letter from Manager, G.S. Co Ltd 20/9/36

Y.E. / submitted

Recd 2/10/36

~~ttttt~~ 2/10/36

P.A. 3/10/36

56-58 Letter from Brown Agents of 2.10.36.

Y.E. / Submitted for information.

Recd 27/10/36

We might ask for recd it as well

~~ttttt~~ 27/10/36

59 Letter to Brown agents of 3.11.36.

Sub-Editor Penguin

Will you please publish price.

A.S. for 14/11/36

Hon. Sec.

Thank you. Reds. 56.57 published 5th November 1936.

C. Moore Sub-Editor

P.A. 4/11/36

Letter from L. J. Hoagson. Esq 1/12/36 (66)

Y.E. / red (60) submitted. The average prices are a distinct improvement on red (55).

J. S. C. L.  
2/12/36

~~W.H.H.~~ 2/11/36

Stock advice  
To see red (60).

Red.  
2/12/36

Hon. Col. Sec

Noted thank you.

~~W.H.H.~~  
2.12.36

PA 4/21/36

Minute from H. E. The Governor 9/12/36 (61-2)

Y.E. / w. s. t. red (62) somewhat similar information has already been published in the "Penguin" of 7/12/36. copy attached.  
is this be sufficient?

J. S. C. L.  
3/12/36

Quite sufficient.  
Letter might p. to be h. Rumer though

~~W.H.H.~~ 10/21/36

C. C. / In letter please  
ask and thinking how for  
arrangements make  
MCH

63. Letter to G. Bommer, Esq., O.B.E. of 14.12.36.

KA  
10/1/37

64-66. Letter from Brown Agents of 6.1.37.

Y/ks.

Submitted.

? Published in Penguin

the prices for wool and whale oil show a marked increase.

C. J. J.  
for 19/2/37

Publish.

2. Yes, a great improvement.

W. C. H.  
as. 19. 2. 37

Sub. Editor: Penguin.

Will you please publish.

C. J. J.  
for 20/1/37

Wm. Ed. Sec.

you.

Published on 21/2/37. Thank

you.

Sub. Editor

P. H.  
21/2/37

22/2/37.

Advice of Orders Placed of 5. 4. 37. 67-68.  
Brown Agents Letter of 2. 4. 37. 69-71.

Send to Penguin for publication.

MCH  
14. 5. 37.

Sub-Editor Penguin.

to note for publication.

C. 28  
for 14/5/37.

Hon Col Sec

Thank you.

published to-day  
15<sup>th</sup> May, 1937

Ed.  
Sub Editor

Memos from Ag. Adviser of 2/4/37.

(72)

P.A.  
17/5/37

B.J.  
17/7/37  
18/5/37

The Hon. Col. Sec.

I have the honour to request that information regarding wool prices etc. be passed on to the Agricultural Department immediately on receipt of same as it is intended that suitable graphs will be compiled by this office.

AA  
A.A. 26/7/37



Office

Where has this file been since the receipt of (71) + also (72).

Jed  
22/7/37

H.C.S.

The file has been in this office. The A.A.'s minute (73) was received on the day he left for the West; and as the information required appeared to be in this file it was held up until the A.A.'s return.

We have had not seen the file before.

AS.  
24/7/37

Y.E.

W.r.t. (72) I suggest that as the information is received that it will be sufficient to furnish such information to the Agricultural Adviser as when received that separate communications to the Agricultural Adviser are not required.

Jed  
23/7/37

Hon. C.S.

I agree.

MCH

25.7.37

Minute to Agricultural Adviser. 73.  
Letter to Brown Agents of 24.7.37. 74.  
AS.  
24/7/37.

Minute to Agricultural Adviser of 24.7.37.  
Letter to Brown Agents of 24.7.37.

75-77 Letter from Brown Agents of 2.7.37.

Agric. Adviser.

To see

AS.  
for C.S.  
6/8/37.

PA  
24/7/37.

Thabton Col. See.

seen + noted  
DAM  
A.A. 6/8/37

PA  
7/8/37

Y.E. The following prices for Falkland Islands wool were "broadcast" from London on the night of 21/9/37. Perhaps Y.E. heard them but in any case perhaps I could record them here:

Wests + Ewes wool      Medium quality 15-17<sup>0</sup> per lb  
Poor                      "      12-14<sup>0</sup> "

- The average price was 12.6 per lb as against 9.3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per lb at the corresponding sales last year.
- 1200 bales were offered and 1115 bales were sold.

Rec  
12/9/37

Hon. C.S.

Thank you. Farmers should be well satisfied since every <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub><sup>d</sup> per lb. makes a big difference. For usual publication.

FACT  
24.9.37

Agric. Adviser.

To sec. P.S. for C.S. 25/9/37.

Published in  
Penguin P.S. 26/9/37.

P

H.C.S.

Noted thanks you

DAM  
A.A. 7/10/37

PA  
7/10/37

78-84 Letter from Brown Agents of 15.10.37.

Y.E. Submitted.

The pencil figures on (83) are those of the previous report.

2. The information will be sent to the Agric. Dept. to note.

J.P.C.  
25/11/37

Hon. C.S.

Prices remain good.

2. To Agric. Adviser.

M.C.H.

25. 11. 37

ag. advise

(78) (84) for your information

J.P.C.  
26/11/37

H.C.S - 81 + 83.

78 - 84 withdrawn +

filed by A.A.

seen  
A.A. 14/12/37

85. Letter to Cas of 10/1/38

A.A.

no note.

C.S. J.  
10/1/38

Hon Col. Sec.

seen & noted thanks you

seen  
A.A. 12/1/38

PA  
12/1/38

Letter from Brown Agents of 3. 1. 38.

92

ra.

no note.

C.S. [unclear]  
7/2/38

A.C.S.

Noted thank you. Red 91 withdrawn

RAM  
A.A. 9/2/38

P.A.  
10/21/38

Letter from Brown Agents of 24. 2. 38.

93-95.

a.a.

no note.

C.S. [unclear]  
25/3/38

1/4.

The last report received is  
that attached to red 92

met  
1. 4. 38.

~~met~~ 574

P.A.

Letter from Brown Agents of 6. 4. 38.

96-98.

1/4.

Submitted for information.

met  
15. 4. 38

~~met~~ 575  
10/15/38

Publish in "Penguin" then to  
Agree: Advise. MEH  
13.5.38

Sub. Editor Penguin  
For publication of prices.  
C. J. J.  
13/5/38

Hon. Col. Sec.

Thank you.

Published 14/5/38.

W. E. S.  
Sub. Editor

A.A.

to see.

C. J. J.  
14/5/38

Hon. Col. Sec. seen

W. E. S.  
A.A. 24/6/38

P. H.  
25/6/38

Letter from the Brown Agents of 4.7.38. 99-101

H. Submitted for information  
Merrill  
27.8.38

~~Handwritten signature~~ 27/8

A.A.  
To note.  
A.A.  
filed  
29/8/38

Hon Col Sec.  
noted and red 100  
withdrawn & filed  
Barr  
A.A. 23/9/38

~~P.A.  
24/9/38~~

Letter from Crown Agents of 7.10.38.

102-104.

Agree. Adviser.  
To note.  
Merrill  
22.11.38

Hon Col Sec  
noted & red 103 withdrawn

Barr  
A.A. 13/12/38  
P.A.  
13/12/38

105-107. Letter from Brown Agents of 5. 1. 39.

a.a.

No note.

a. ed.  
a. Fred.  
6/2/39.

Am. Col. Sec.

Noted and  
Reds 103 and 106 withdrawn

DAN  
AA. 6/2/39

P.A.  
6/2/39.

108-110. Letter from Brown Agents of 5. 4. 39.

Yk.

Submitted for information.

met  
CS.  
15. 5. 39.

~~11/11~~ 15/5

Publish  
met

*Collins*

10/5/39

letter from G. Bonner, Esq, of 18. 5. 39.

(111)

M.

Submitted.

mch  
es.

21. 7. 39

~~ttttt~~ 22/7

pa  
22/7/39

letter from Crown Agents of 5. 7. 39.

112-114.

Seen.

mch  
Dent for G.W?  
3. 8. 39.

Published in Church Paper. 10/8/39.

pa  
3/8/39.

letter from Crown Agents of 4. 10. 39.

115-117.

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" ----- 10. 10. 39.

118-119.

Seen

P.A.  
mch  
es.  
12. 12. 39.

Published in Church Paper of 14/12/39.

P.A.  
13/12/39.

letter from Crown Agents of 13<sup>th</sup> January, 1940.

120-136.





ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

33.0/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA.

**4, MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON, S.W.1.**

5th April, 1932.

Sir,

In continuation of our letter No.4 of the  
7th January, 1932, I have the honour to enclose copies of  
31.3.32 letters received from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.  
1.4.32 and Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson and Co.Ltd., reporting on  
the market prices at the commencement of this quarter of  
various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil  
respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*W. H. ...*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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O/Misc. 337

C O P Y

FROM MESSRS. BUXTON RONALD DU CROZ AND CO.  
to the CROWN AGENTS

24 Basinghall Street,  
E.C.2.

31st March, 1932.

Ref.O/Misc.337

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 29th instant,  
we give you below approximate present values of Falkland  
Islands wool:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine Quality	11d	10d.	7d.
Medium "	10d	9d	5½d.
Coarse "	7d	6d.	4½d.

The offerings in the March series were made up  
almost entirely of new clip wool in very clean condition,  
the highest price obtained being 12d. per lb.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.

(sgd) G.E.DuCroz.

new

O/Misc. 337.

C O P Y

FROM MESSRS MEADE-KING ROBINSON AND CO.  
TO THE CROWN AGENTS  
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Tower Building,  
22 Water Street,  
Liverpool

1st April, 1932.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 29th March and have pleasure in informing you that we make the current market prices for the four grades of Whale Oil at the beginning of the present month to be as follows :-

No.1 grade	£15.10.0.	per ton.
No.2 "	£12.10.0.	" "
No.3 "	£10.10.0.	" "
No.4 "	£ 8.10.0.	" "

nett naked ex ship destination port.

Yours faithfully,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.

(sgd) ?

new

(5)



ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES. THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

79. O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN. LONDON."

TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA

4, MILLBANK, WESTMINSTER. LONDON, S.W.1.

5th July 1932.

Sir,

*Recd 1-3*

30.6.32.

2.7.32.

In continuation of our letter No. 33 of the 5th April, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters received from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., and Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd., reporting on the market prices at the commencement of this quarter of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*J. Harcourt*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

4 J.K.

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FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO., TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C. 2.

30th June 1932.

Ref: O/Misc.337

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 29th instant,  
we give you below approximate present values of Falkland  
Islands wool :-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine Quality	9d.	7d.	6d.
Medium "	7d.	6d.	5d.
Coarse "	5½d.	4¾d.	4¼d.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G.E. Du Croz.

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FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO., LTD., TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.

2nd July, 1932.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 29th June, and we have pleasure in advising you that we make the prices to-day of the four grades of whale oil as follows :-

No.1 Grade	£14 - -	per ton.
No.2 "	£12.10 -	"
No.3 "	£11. - -	"
No.4 "	£ 9. - -	"

nett naked, ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servants,

for Meade-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd.

(Sgd.) ?

COPY OF LETTER FROM MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO.LTD.  
to CROWN AGENTS.

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Tower Building,  
22 Water Street,  
Liverpool.

4th October 1932.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 29th September and beg to report the current market prices of the 4 grades WHALE OIL as at October 1st as follows:- namely

£12	-	-
£11	-	-
£10	-	-
£ 9	10	-

per ton respectively, nett naked, ex ship, the customary European destination ports.

We remain, etc.,

for MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO.LTD.

(Sgd.) ?

O/Misc.337.

COPY OF LETTER FROM BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.  
to CROWN AGENTS.

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24 Basinghall Street,

E.C.2.

30th September 1932.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 29th instant,  
we give you below approximate present values of  
Falkland Islands wool:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	11d.	9d.	8d.
Medium "	8½d.	7½d.	6½d.
Coarse "	6½d.	5½d.	5d.

Yours faithfully,

for BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G.E. Du Croz.





ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

1170/Misc 337

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA.

6th October 1932.

Sir,

*Reps. 5/4*

With reference to our letter No.79 of the  
5th July, I have the honour to enclose copies of  
letters received from Messrs Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz  
& Co., and Messrs Meade-King Robinson & Co.Ltd.,  
reporting on the market prices of various grades of  
Falkland Islands wool and whale oil respectively.

30.9.32.

4.10.32.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.



ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

3 O/MISC. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN. LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA.

5th January, 1933.

Sir,

With reference to our letter No.117 of the  
6th October 1932, I have the honour to enclose  
copies of letters received from Messrs.Buxton,  
Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and Messrs.Weade-King  
Robinson & Co.Ltd. reporting on the market prices  
of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and  
whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*Johnmond*  
for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

DG/

JD

*Rsh*

(10.)

COPY.

FROM:- Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.,  
24 Basinghall St., E.C.2.

TO:- Crown Agents.

DATED:- 30.12.32.

Dear Sir,

Ref. Q/MISC. 337.

In reply to your letter of the 29th inst., we give you below approximate present values of Falkland Islands wool:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine Quality	11½d.	9½d.	8½d.
Medium "	8½	7½	6½
Coarse "	6	5½	5

The above prices are largely nominal as only a very small number of bales was offered last series, and no representative selection will be available before next March.

Yours faithfully,

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FROM:- Meade-King Robinson & Co.Ld.,  
Tower Building,  
22 Water St.,  
LIVERPOOL.

TO:- Crown Agents.

DATED:- 3.1.33.

Our Ref. JLP/BL Your ref. O/MISC.337.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 29th December and have pleasure in advising you that the current market prices at the commencement of January 1933 for the four grades of Whale Oil are as follows:-

No.1	Crude	Whale	Oil	-	£13.	0.	0.	per	ton
No.2	"	"	"	-	11.	15.	0.	"	"
No.3	"	"	"	-	10.	5.	0.	"	"
No.4	"	"	"	-	8.	15.	0.	"	"

nett, naked, ex ship destination port.

We remain, etc

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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TELEGRAMS: "CROWN LONDON"  
TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA

4, MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON. S.W.1.

4th April 1933.

Sir,

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1.4.33.

With reference to our letter No.3  
of the 5th January, I have the honour to enclose  
copies of letters from Messrs.Buxton, Ronald,  
Du Croz & Co. and Messrs.Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.  
reporting on the market prices of various grades of  
Falkland Islands wool and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*W. Leonard*

for CROWN AGENTS.

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street  
LONDON. E.C.2.

30th March 1933.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 29th instant, we give you below approximate present values of Falkland Islands wool:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	10½d	9d	7½d
Medium "	8d	7d	5¾d
Coarse "	5¼d	4¾d	4¼d

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of

BUXTON RONALD DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G.E. DU CROZ.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS.MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO.LTD.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

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Tower Building,  
Water Street  
LIVERPOOL.

1st.April 1933.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 29th March and have pleasure in advising you of the current market prices at the commencement of this month for the four grades of Whale Oil, namely:-

No.1 grade	£13.	per ton
No.2 "	£11.15/-	" "
No.3 "	£10.5/-	" "
No.4 "	£8.15/-	" "

ex ship European waters, nett naked.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON. S.W.1.

92. O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN LONDON"  
TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA

14th July, 1933.

Sir,

With reference to our letter N<sup>o</sup>. 41 of the  
4th April, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters  
30.6.33. from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Company and Messrs.  
13.7.33. Meade-King Robinson & Company Limited reporting on the  
market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool  
and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant.

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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FROM MESSRS. BUXTON. RONALD DU CROZ & CO., TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
E.C.2.

30th June, 1933.

Gentlemen,

We have your letter of yesterday's date and in reply give you below quotations for Falkland Islands wool at the end of last month. Since that date there have been no Public Auctions, but at those due to commence next Tuesday it is expected that there will be a rise in values of about 15% to 20%.

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	11½d	10d	8½d
Medium quality	9d.	8d	6½d
Coarse quality	6d	5½d	5d

Yours faithfully,  
for and on behalf of  
BUXTON. RONALD. DU CROZ & CO.

(sgd) M. Du Croz

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O/Misc. 337.

FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO.LTD.. TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Buildings,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.

13th July, 1933.

Gentlemen,

We have pleasure in informing you that we make the price of the four grades of whale oil as at the beginning of the present month to be as follows:-

No.1	Crude whale oil	£12.	0s.	Od.	per ton
No.2	" " "	£10.	15s.	Od.	" "
No.3	" " "	£ 9.	5s.	Od.	" "
No.4	" " "	£ 7.	15s.	Od.	" "

nett, naked ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,  
Your obedient servants,

for MEADE-KING. ROBINSON & CO.LTD.

(sgd) ?

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN LONDON". TELEPHONE: 7730 VICTORIA.

4, MILLBANK, LONDON, S.W.1.

5th October, 1933.

Sir,

With reference to our letter No. 92 of the

14th July, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., and

2.10.33

Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and

3.10.33

whale oil, respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Port Stanley,  
Falkland Islands.

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FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO. TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,

London, E.C.2.

2nd October, 1933.

Ref:- GED.

REF: O/MISC. 337.

We have your letter of 29th September, and in reply give you below quotations for Falkland Islands wool at the end of last month:-

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium.</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine quality	13½d.	11½d.	9½d.
Medium "	11d.	9½d.	7½d.
Coarse "	7½d.	6½d.	6d.

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Copy.

FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD. TO THE CROWN AGENTS

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.  
3rd October, 1933.

Reference.JLP/MU.

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 29th September, and have pleasure in advising that we make the market price for the four grades of Whale Oil at the commencement of this month to be as follows:-

No. 1	Grade	£12.	per ton.
No. 2	"	£10.15.	per ton.
No. 3	"	£9. 5.	" "
No. 4	"	£7.15.	" "

nett naked ex ship destination port.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED

O/Misc.337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN LONDON"  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.



4. MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

5th January, 1934.

Sir,

With reference to our letter No.130 of the  
5th October, I have the honour to enclose copies of  
letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.,  
and Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd., reporting  
on the market prices of various grades of Falkland  
Islands wool and whale oil, respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*F. S. Blunfield*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. to Crown Agents.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

1st January, 1934.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc.337.

We have your letter of 30th December, and in reply give you below quotations for Falkland Islands wool at the end of last month:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine quality	15d.	13½d.	11½d.
Medium "	13d.	11 d.	9d.
Coarse "	8½d.	7½d.	7d.

Only small parcels of Falkland Islands wool have been offered in the last two series, so that the above values are largely nominal. The first shipments of new season's wool should arrive during the next two months in time to be offered in the series commencing 6th March.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co..

(sgd) G. E. DuCroz.

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Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd. to Crown Agents

JLP/MB

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.3.

3rd January, 1934.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 30th December and to advise that the current market prices at the commencement of this month for the four grades of Whale Oil are the same as those indicated in our letter of the 3rd October, namely,

No.1 grade	£12. 0.0. per ton.
No.2 "	£10.15.0. per ton.
No.3 "	£ 9. 5.0. per ton.
No.4 "	£ 7.15.0. per ton.

Nett, naked ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd..

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

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4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1

6th April, 1934.

Sir,

With reference to our letter dated the 5th January,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from Messrs.  
3.4.34. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Company, and Messrs. Meade-King,  
4.4.34. Robinson & Company, Limited, reporting on the market prices  
of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil  
respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*Chambers*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO., TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,

London, E.C.2.

3rd April, 1934.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc.337.

We have your letter of 29th March, and in reply give you below quotations for Falkland Islands wool at the end of last month:-

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium.</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine quality	17½d.	16d.	13½d.
Medium "	15½d.	13½d.	10½d.
Coarse "	10½d.	9d.	8½d.

These are all new clip wools and lighter in condition than previous years. Extra special wool, finer than seen before, fetched up to 22d.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd) F.J. Ducroz

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MESSRS MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO., TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.

4th April, 1934.

Gentlemen,

Your letter dated 29th March came duly to hand. There is no change in the price of Whale Oil since our letter to you of the 3rd January when prices were as follows:

No.1	Grade	Whale	Oil	£12.0	0.	per	ton
No.2	"	"	"	£10.15.0.	"	"	"
No.3	"	"	"	£ 9.5.0.	"	"	"
No.4	"	"	"	£ 7.15.0.	"	"	"

nett, naked, ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN. LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

6th July, 1934

Sir,

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With reference to our letter dated the  
6th April, I have the honour to enclose copies of  
letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and  
Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on  
the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands  
wool and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*E. S. Maund*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO. TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

24 Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C. 2

30th June, 1934

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 29th instant we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales in May :-

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium.</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine Quality	15½d.	14d.	11d.
Medium "	12½d.	11d.	9d.
Coarse "	9d.	8d.	7½d.

Since then the market has declined. The July series opens next Tuesday when it seems probable prices will be about 15% below the above quotations.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd) Keith Ronald

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO. TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

24 Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C. 2.

5th July, 1934

Gentlemen,

Referring to our letter of 30th June with quotations of Falkland Islands Wool, this week's auctions have shown a greater fall than we anticipated, present prices being 20 to 25% below May rates.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd) G.E. Du Croz

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

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FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO. LTD. TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22 Water Street,  
LIVERPOOL, 3.

3rd July, 1934

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 29th June and have pleasure in naming to you the current prices of the four grades of Whale Oil as at the beginning of the present month, namely :

NO. 1. CRUDE WHALE OIL	£12. 0. 0	per ton
NO. 2. CRUDE WHALE OIL	£10. 15. 0	" "
NO. 3. CRUDE WHALE OIL	£ 9. 5. 0	" "
NO. 4. CRUDE WHALE OIL	£ 7. 15. 0	" "

nett, naked, ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants

(Sgd) ?

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.



ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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LONDON, S.W.1

O/Misc.337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN. LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

4th October 1934.

Sir,

With reference to our letter dated the 6th July,

1.10.34.  
2.10.34.

I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from  
Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz and Company and Messrs.  
Meade-King, Robinson and Company Limited reporting on the  
market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool  
and whale oil, respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*J. S. Stanfield*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

*Handwritten initials*



Misc.337.

COPY OF A LETTER FROM MESSRS BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ AND COMPANY,  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

1st October 1934.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 28th September, we  
hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as  
at the last series of sales in July :-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine Quality	10½d.	9d.	7d.
Medium "	8d.	7d.	6d.
Coarse "	6½d	6d.	5½d.

The selection at this season of the year is as  
usual, not very good as the best of the clip has been sold  
earlier.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of

Buton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.

(Signed) G.E. Du Croz.

COPY OF A LETTER FROM MESSRS MEADE-KING, ROBINSON AND COMPANY LIMITED,  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Buildings,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool 3.

2nd October 1934.

Gentlemen,

We have your letter dated 28th September and have pleasure in advising that we make the current prices at the commencement of October for Whale Oil as follows :-

No. 1 Crude Whale Oil.	£10. 15. 0. per ton
" 2 " " "	£ 9. 10. 0. " "
" 3 " " "	£ 8. 0. 0. " "
" 4 " " "	£ 6. 10. 0. " "

nett, naked C.i.f. usual European ports.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.,

(Signed)

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1

O/Misc. 337  
TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.



4th January, 1935.

Sir,

With reference to our letter dated the 4th October,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from Messrs.  
Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Company and Messrs. Meade-King,  
Robinson & Company Limited, reporting on the market prices  
of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil,  
respectively,

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COFY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ &  
COMPANY TO CROWN AGENTS.

24. Basinghall Street,  
London, E. C. 2.

31st December, 1934.

Received 1st January, 1935.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc. 337

In reply to your letter of the 29th December, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool as at the last series of sales:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	9½d.	8½d.	7d.
Medium "	7½d.	7d.	6½d.
Coarse "	6½d.	6d.	5½d.

The offerings at this time of the year are very small and mostly in poor condition, so that the above prices are largely approximate.

The new clip will begin to arrive in February, and the March series should show a more representative selection.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(signed) G.E. De. Croz.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING, ROBINSON  
& COMPANY LIMITED, TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22. Water Street,  
Liverpool. 3 3

2nd January, 1935.

Received 3rd January, 1935.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 28th December.

We make the current market prices of the four grades  
of Whale Oil to be as follows:

NO. 1 CRUDE WHALE OIL	£10. 0. 0. per ton.
NO. 2 CRUDE WHALE OIL	£ 8.15. 0. " "
NO. 3 CRUDE WHALE OIL	£ 7. 5. 0. " "
NO. 4 CRUDE WHALE OIL	£ 5.15. 0. " "

nett, naked, ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(signed) ?.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc 337

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

4th April 1935

Sir,

With reference to our letter dated 4th  
January, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters  
from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., and  
Messrs. Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd., reporting on  
the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands  
wool and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for Crown Agents.

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The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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LETTER FROM MESSRS. RONALD, BUXTON, DU CROZ & CO. TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,

E. C. 2

29th March 1935

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales:-

	<u>A</u> <u>or good</u>	<u>B</u> <u>or Medium</u>	<u>C</u> <u>or inferior</u>
Fine quality	10d.	8½d.	7¼d.
Medium "	8d.	7d.	6½d.
Coarse "	6¼d.	6d.	5½d.

Owing to indifferent competition some of the best marks of Falkland Islands wool were not offered at the recent auctions, so that the top prices are to a certain extent approximate.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

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LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO.LTD. TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool. 3

1st April 1935

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 28th March  
and have pleasure in informing you that we make the  
current market prices for the four grades of Whale Oil  
as follows:-

No.1	Crude	Whale	Oil	£13.10.0.	per	ton
No.2	"	"	"	£12. 5.0.	"	"
No.3	"	"	"	£10.15.0.	"	"
No.4	"	"	"	£9. 5.0.	"	"

nett naked, European destination ports.

Yours faithfully,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.,

(Sgd) . . . . . ?





ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

**4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.**

4th July 1935.

Sir,

28.6.35.

2.7.35.

With reference to our letter dated 4th April  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from Messrs.  
Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz and Company and Messrs. Mead-King,  
Robinson & Company Limited reporting on the market prices  
of various kinds of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil  
respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*F. S. Blunfield*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,

Falkland Islands.

COPY OF A LETTER FROM MESSRS BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & Co.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

28th June 1935.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales :-

	<u>A or good.</u>	<u>B or medium.</u>	<u>C or inferior.</u>
Fine quality	12d.	10½d.	9d
Medium "	9½d.	8½d.	7¾d.
Coarse "	7½d	6½d	6d.

The clips offered during the May series contained wool of better quality, and in lighter condition, than those catalogued in March.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of

Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.

(Signed) G.E. Du Croz.

O/Misc. 337.

COPY OF A LETTER FROM MESSRS MEADE-KING ROBINSON AND COMPANY LIMITED,  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Buildings,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.

2nd July 1935.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 27th June and have pleasure in advising you that we make the current market price at the commencement of this month for the four grades of whale oil to be as follows :-

No.1	Whale Oil	£15. 0. 0.	per ton
No.2	" "	£13.15. 0.	" "
No.3	" "	£12. 5. 0.	" "
No.4	" "	£10.15. 0	" "

nett, naked ex ship destination port.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.

(Signed)

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc.337

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

**4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.**

3rd October 1935.

Sir,

Red 41

With reference to our letter dated the 4th  
July, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters  
from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz and Company and  
Messrs. Meade-King Robinson and Company Limited reporting  
on the market prices of various grades of Falkland  
Islands wool and whale oil respectively.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*E. Kingwood*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON RONALD, DU CROZ AND COMPANY  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
 London,  
 E. C. 2.

30th September 1935.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc. 337.

In reply to your letter of 28th instant, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	12d.	10½d	9¼d
Medium "	9¾d.	8¾d.	8d.
Coarse "	7¾d.	6¾d.	6¼d.

Only a small miscellaneous selection has been offered this month, no really good wools being included, and prices quoted for "Fine" qualities are nominal.

Yours faithfully,

for and on behalf of  
 BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd). G.E. Du Croz.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS MEADE-KING ROBINSON AND COMPANY  
LIMITED TO CROWN AGENTS

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.

1st October 1935.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 27th Sept.

We have pleasure in advising you that the market price at the commencement of October for the four grades whale Oil is as follows:-

No. 1	Crude	Whale	Oil	£17	-	-	per ton.
No. 2	"	"	"	16	-	-	" "
No. 3	"	"	"	15	-	-	" "
No. 4	"	"	"	14	-	-	" "

c. i. f. Nett, naked.

We remain, etc.

for Meade-King, Robinson and Co. Ltd

(Sgd).

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.



4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

8th January 1936.

Sir,

With reference to our letter of the  
3rd October, I have the honour to enclose copies  
of letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz &  
Company and Messrs. Meade-King Robinson & Company,  
Limited, reporting on the market prices of various  
grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil  
respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for CROWN AGENTS.

Red 43

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The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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Copy of letter from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.  
to Crown Agents.

24, Basinghall Street,  
E.C.2.

30th December 1935.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of 27th instant, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales:-

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium.</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine quality	13d	11½d.	10d.
Medium "	10½d	9½d	9d
Coarse "	9d	8d	7½d.

Only a small selection has been offered this month of end of season wool, no really good wools being included, and prices quoted for "A" qualities are nominal.

We are, etc.

Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.

(signed) F.J.Du Croz.

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Copy of letter from Messrs. Meade-King Robinson & Co.Ltd.  
to Crown Agents.

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Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.3.

2nd January 1936.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 27th  
December and have pleasure in advising you the current  
market prices at the commencement of this month for the  
four grades of Whale Oil as follows:-

No. 1	Whale Oil	£19.10.0.	per ton.
No. 2	do.	£18. 5.0.	do.
No. 3	do.	£17. 0.0.	do.
No. 4	do.	£15.15.0.	do.

c.i.f. usual European Ports.

We are etc.  
Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc.337

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON."

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.



3rd April, 1936.

Sir,

With reference to our letter of the 8th January,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from  
Messrs Suxton, Ronald, Du Croz and Company and Messrs  
Meade-King, Robinson and Company, Limited, reporting on  
the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands  
wool and whale oil respectively.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

FOR CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ AND COMPANY TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS

24, Basinghall Street,  
LONDON,

E.C.2.

30th March, 1936.

Gentlemen,

Ref: O/Misc.337

In reply to your letter of 27th instant, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales:-

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium.</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine quality	15d	13d	11d
Medium "	12d	10½d	10d
Coarse "	10d	9d	8½d

There were some excellent lines of New clip wool offered at the series of sales which closed last week, and some lots of extra fine quality and condition made up to 16d.

Yours faithfully,

(SGD) G.E.DU CROZ.

BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ AND COMPANY.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS MEADE-KING, ROBINSON AND COMPANY LIMITED.  
TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

REF: JLP/HGB.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
LIVERPOOL, 3.  
1st April, 1936.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 28th March and have pleasure in advising you that the current market prices for the four grades of WHALE OIL are as follows:-

No.1. Grade	.....£19.	Os.	Od
No.2. "	..... 17.	15s.	Od
No.3. "	..... 16	10s.	Od
No.4. "	..... 15.	5s.	Od

per ton, nett naked, c.i.f. usual ports.

We remain,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

(SGD) ?

for Meade-King, Robinson and Co.Ltd.

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# The Falkland Islands Company, Limited.

(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1851.)

REGISTERED 1902.

AGENTS FOR LLOYDS.

TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RADIO.

*Stanley*

20th July, 1936.

Dear Sir,

I enclose list of Wool prices for July Sales, which I think will be of interest to you.

Yours sincerely,

*L. F. Hodgson*

Major The Honourable M.J. Stewart

Stanley.

AVERAGE WOOL PRICES - JULY SALES, 1936.

Falkland Is. Co.Ltd	Darwin	10¼d
do	Speedwell Island	8¼d
do	Fitzroy	9¼d
Pitaluga Brothers	Salvador	9d
H & G Cobb	Lively Island	8½d
Smith & Sons	Johnsons Harbour	7¾d
Mrs H.Ricketts	Sea Lion Islands	8¼d
Est.C.Bender	Moody Valley	7¾d
Holmsted Balke & Co.Ltd	Hill Cove	10¼d
Anson & Luxton	Chartres	9d
Bailion & Stickney	Fox Bay	9d
Est.H.J.Pitaluga	Rincon Grande	9d
Est.J.J.Felton	Teal Inlet	8¾d
Ets.T.Robson	Port Louis	9d
Stickney Brothers	Spring Point	8½d
Packe Bros & Co.Ltd	Fox Bay	8¾d
do	Dunnose Head	9d

HIGHEST PRICES

Falkland Islands Co.Ltd	Darwin	13¾d
do	Speedwell Island	11½d
do	Fitzroy	12d
Est.T.Robson	Port Louis	<del>9</del> 10¼d
Stickney Brothers	Spring Point	11d

The Falkland Islands Co.Ltd  
Stanley, F.I.  
20th July, 1936.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE, KING ROBINSON & CO., LIMITED  
TO CROWN AGENTS

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3 July 2nd 1936

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 29th June and have pleasure in advising that we make the current prices of the four grades of Whale Oil at the commencement of this month to be as follows:-

- No. 1 Grade - £18. 10. 0.
- No. 2 Grade - £17. 5. 0.
- No. 3 Grade - £16. 5. 0.
- No. 4 Grade - £15. 5. 0.

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(17-15-0)  
(16-10-0)  
(15-5-0)

per ton, ex ship usual Whale Oil destination ports, Nett Cash, naked.

We are, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant.

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DUE CROZ & CO.  
TO CROWN AGENTS

24, Basinghall Street,

London, E.C.2.

30th June, 1936

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of 29th instant, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool, as at the last series of sales, which closed on 15th May:-

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	15d (15)	13d (13)	11d (11)
Medium "	12d (12)	10½d (10½)	10d (10)
Coarse "	10d (10)	9d (9)	8½d. (8½)

The next series opens on 7th July, when it is expected prices will show a decline of about 7½% due to the unsettled state of politics in Europe and quiet condition of trade here.

Yours faithfully,

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF

BUXTON, RONALD, DUE CROZ & CO.

(sgd) G.E. Du Croz.





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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

3rd July, 1936

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

Sir,

Red 49

30.6.36

2.7.36

With reference to our letter of the 3rd April,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letter from  
Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, du Croz and Co., Ltd., and  
Messrs. Meade-King Robinson and & Co. Ltd. reporting  
on the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands  
wool and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*F.S. Blumfield*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,

Falkland Islands.

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The Falkland Islands Company, Limited.

(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1851.)

REGISTERED 1902.

AGENTS FOR LLOYDS.

TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RADIO.

Stanley

29th September, 1936.

Sir,

I have the honour to give the latest  
Wool Prices for the following Falkland Island  
Wool sold in the September Sales:-

See Red 51

<u>Station</u>	<u>Highest Price</u>	<u>Average Price</u>
North Arm	14d $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ d ( <del>8<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></del> )
Speedwell Is.	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ d (11 $\frac{1}{2}$ )	9d (8 $\frac{1}{2}$ )
Port Stephens	11d	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d
Pebble Island.	-	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d
Keppel Island	-	8d

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*W. J. P. [Signature]*

for Manager.

The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary

Stanley.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.



O/Misc. 337

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

2nd October, 1936.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

Sir,

Red 54

With reference to our letter of the 3rd July, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from 28.9.36 Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., Ltd., and 1.10.36 Messrs. Mead-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd., reporting on the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil respectively.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. Kingman

For Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING,  
ROBINSON & CO., LTD., TO CROWN AGENTS.

JLP/MB

Tower Building,  
22 Water Street,  
LIVERPOOL 3.

1st October, 1936.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 25th  
September and have pleasure in advising you that we  
make the current market prices of the four grades of  
Whale Oil as follows:-

No. 1 Crude Whale Oil	£18.-- per ton
No. 2 Crude Whale Oil	£16.15.- per ton
No. 3 Crude Whale Oil	£15.15.0 per ton
No. 4 Crude Whale Oil	£14.15.0 per ton

c.i.f. nett, naked.

We remain, etc.,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co., Ltd.,

(sgd.) ?

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COPY OF LETTER FROM BUXTON, RONALD,  
DU CROZ & CO., TO CROWN AGENTS.

24 Basinghall St.,  
London,  
E.C.2.

28th September, 1936.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of 25th September, we hand you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wools, as at the last series of Sales, which closed on 25th instant:-

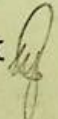
	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	15d.	13d.	11d.
Medium quality	12d.	10½d.	10d.
Coarse quality	10d.	9d.	8½d.

The next series opens on 17th November, but we shall have very little Falkland Island wool available then.

Yours faithfully,

For & on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.,

(sgd.) M. Du Croz

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153/32.

3rd November,

36.

*Red 58.*

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter No. O/Misc. 337 of 2nd October, 1936, I am directed by the Governor to ask if you would be good enough to include the market prices of Seal Oil when reporting on the market prices of Wool and Whale Oil.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank, Westminster,  
LONDON, S.W. 1.

153/32

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Port Stanley,

December 1st.1936.

Dear Major Stewart,

The following are the latest Wool Prices just received, which are very good for this time of the year.

Speedwell Island.	Average price.	12 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.	Highest.	14d.
Dean Bros-Pebble Is.	"	"	11d.	
" " Kepple Is.	"	"	13d.	

Could I please see you for a few minutes after work this afternoon ? If convenient, will you please let me know the time when I telephone you this afternoon.

Yours sincerely,

*L. F. Hodgson.*

COPY.

THE BRITISH BROADCASTING CORPORATION.

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BROADCASTING HOUSE. LONDON. W. 1.

Programme Division

Ref.

5th. Nov. 1936.

PP/CALC.

Dear Mr. Bonner,

This is just a line to confirm the arrangements which we agreed on at our meeting today.

We will broadcast reports on the wool sales held in March, May, July, and September. These reports will occur towards the end of the sales, when all the Falkland Islands wool has been disposed of.

The reports will be broadcast towards the end of the news in our Fifth Transmission. The normal timing for the news in this transmission is at 12.40 midnight, Greenwich Mean Time. We shall not be able to make any preliminary announcement, indicating when these reports will be broadcast, but it is to be hoped that people in the Falklands who are interested will be aware that the sales are proceeding, and will listen to the news carefully round about those times.

Miss Parry, of the Imperial Economic Committee, will provide us with the reports. She will obtain the requisite information from the Brokers, and will also, where necessary, consult Mr Harding of the Falkland Islands Sheep Owners Association.

I hope that these arrangements will work all right, and that they will be of use to the Falklands.

George Bonner Esq.  
Stratton House Hotel  
Cirencester.  
Glos.

Yours sincerely,  
(Signed) C.A.L. Cliffe.

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From H. E.

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Mr. C.

Attached has been received from Mr. Sumner to whom we are indebted for getting the B.B.C. to let us have the worst reports

A note of what has been effected might be published in ~~the~~ Penguin

A letter of acknowledgment should also, I think go to

Mr. Sumner

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153/32.

14th December,

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Red 61.

Sir,

I am directed by the Governor to acknowledge and to thank you for transmitting a letter addressed to you by the British Broadcasting Corporation regarding arrangements made for broadcasting to this Colony after the principal wool sales, a short account of such sales.

2. I am to thank you also for making these arrangements since the information will be of the very greatest interest.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

WCH

Colonial Secretary.

George Bonner, Esq., O.B.E.,  
Chairman,  
Falkland Islands  
Sheepowners' Association,  
c/o Packe Bros: & Company, Ltd.,  
5, Copthall Buildings,  
LONDON, E.C. 2.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.



4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

6th January, 1937.

Sir,

*Recd 59*  
30.12.36  
1.1.37

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 153/32 of the 3rd of November, and enclose copies of letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald Du Croz & Company and Messrs. Meede-King, Robinson & Company Limited reporting on the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil. It will be seen that the reports include the market prices of sea elephant oil, with which seal oil has been identified, and we have arranged for the inclusion of similar information regarding this oil in our quarterly reports in future.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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O/Misc. 337.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

30th December, 1936.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date we give you below the usual quotations for Falkland Islands wool, on the basis of rates ruling at the close of the last series of sales on the 2nd instant.

These quotations are largely nominal as there was only a very small quantity of Falkland Islands wool offered last series. It was of a rather miscellaneous description and no really superior quality wools are likely to be offered before March next.

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium.</u>	<u>C or Inferior.</u>
Fine quality	17d.	15d.	13d.
Medium "	14d.	13d.	12½d.
Coarse "	12½d.	11½d.	11d.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G.E. Du Croz.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO. LTD.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.

1st January, 1937.

Gentlemen.

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 28th December. As regards SEAL OIL we understand that SEA ELEPHANT OIL is the correct name and the price for this Oil is similar to that of Whale Oil of the same grade. The current prices are as follows:-

No. 1 WHALE OIL and No. 1 SEA ELEPHANT OIL	£21 per Ton.
No. 2 WHALE OIL " No. 2 SEA ELEPHANT OIL	£20 "
No. 3 WHALE OIL	£19 "
No. 4 WHALE OIL	£18 "

nett naked c.i.f. usual ports.

We remain, etc.

for MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO. LTD.

(Sgd.) ?

Falkland Is. 4293

All communications to be addressed to the Crown Agents for the Colonies, the above reference and the date of this letter being quoted.

ADVICE OF ORDERS PLACED.

The Crown Agents for the Colonies present their compliments to The Colonial Secretary,

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

and have the honour to enclose copies of the undermentioned accepted tenders in connection with the indent noted in the margin.

Authority:- C.O.Ltr.  
Indent No. 15211/41/36  
dated:- 21.12.36.  
& C.O.ltr.15221/41/37  
Dated 24.3.37.

Dept. ....

A period of 14 to 28 days should be added to the contract date for delivery, to allow for the time which may elapse between the goods being ready and a suitable opportunity for shipment. Unless a further advice is sent, it may be assumed that the contract date will not be exceeded to any material extent.

OFFICE OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
4, MILLBANK, LONDON, S.W.1.

5th April, 1937

Firm.	Nature of Goods. (and indent item numbers.)	Contract date for delivery.
Buxton Ronald du Croz & Co.	Sample of Falkland Islands wool.	Already Despatched.

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Falkland Islands 4293

THE CHIEF ENGINEER,

OFFICE OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

The above reference should be quoted on all communications regarding this subject.

Telegrams: CROWN, LONDON.  
Telephone: VICTORIA 7730.

To:—

Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, du Croz  
& Co.,  
24, Basinghall Street,  
E.C. 2.

Auth. C.O. 1r.

Indent No. 15211/41/36

Dated 21. 12. 36.

Account (if any)

Col. 15221/41/37

Dept.

Dated 24/3/37

TENDER for the supply of:—

For instructions as to tendering, see back.

Sample of Falkland Islands wool.

ITEM NO.	QUANTITY	DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	RATE	AMOUNT
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A detailed list of the contents must be enclosed where possible in each package. ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT ON THE BACK OF THIS PAGE.

7 lbs	Falkland Islands wool @ about 1/6d. per lb.	1/5	-	9 11
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To be delivered to:—

The Chief Engineer (Contracts),  
Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank,  
S.W. 1,

WBB/MBK

NOTE.

Prompt delivery is of the utmost importance and should the Contractor at any time find that delay will arise he must at once give the notice required under Clause 25 of General Conditions of Contract.

- (a) See Clause 13 (c) (iii).
- (b) If economy can be effected by so doing, the goods should be sent by Parcel Post, sub-divided if necessary.
- (c) Discrepancies and trade allowances if any kind to be deducted, so as to show the net amount payable. If no discount is allowed the tender should be marked net. The Crown Agents claim to be placed on the footing of the most favored wholesale shippers, and they will decline to deal a second time with any firm that does not so treat them.
- (d) Firms may quote alternatively for delivery at any other port at which they can deliver L.C.B. cheaper than in London.

We hereby agree to supply, in accordance with General Conditions of Contract No. 1, dated November, 1922, on back hereof, the articles above specified, at the price set against each, which includes all charges and to deliver free on board ship or despatch by post within the period above stated from the date of order.

DELIVERY PERIOD

DAYS

(a) Cost of delivery, <u>PARCEL POST</u>	£	-	-
(b) Alternative, cost of packing and postage to	£	-	-
(c) Trade and Shipping allowances per cent on £	£	-	-
Cash discount for prompt payment per cent on £	£	-	-
Net amount payable (including all charges) on receipt of Bills of Lading, or Parcels Receipt, Post Office Certificates of Posting.	£	-	-
Alternative, <u>DELIVERED</u>	£	-	9 11

Signature Buxton, Ronald, du Croz & Co.  
Address 24, Basinghall St. E.C. 2  
Dated this 15th day of March, 1937.

Date of Issue:—

15 MAR 1937

(This space is for use in the Crown Agents' Office.)

ORDERED

(Hand filed) 24/3/37

*Handwritten notes:*  
In order for Mr Birch. All in order.  
The sample has been sent to the Hon. Sec. of the Colonies.  
15/3/37 date 1/5/37 already del. No 11/3

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.

31st March, 1937.

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge the due receipt of your letter dated 25th March, and in reply wish to advise you that the current prices of the four grades of Whale Oil at the commencement of April are £21, £19, £17 and £15 C.i.f. usual ports nett cash, naked, and the same prices for Sea Elephant Oil of the same grades.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

Signed.



COPY OF LETTER FROM BUXTON. RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

30th March, 1937.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc. 337

In reply to your letter of 25th March, we give you below quotations for Falkland Islands wool current during the series which closed on 12th March.

About 3,000 bales were offered and sold, nearly all new clip wool, with shipments from the principal growers in the Islands.

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	18½d.	17d.	15½d.
Medium "	16½d.	15½d.	14½d.
Coarse "	15½d.	14½d.	13½d.

The highest price made was 20d.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G. E. Du Croz.



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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

0/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 2730.

LONDON, S.W.1.

2nd April, 1937.

153/32  
COLONIAL SECRETARIAT'S OFFICE  
12 MAY. 1937  
FALKLAND ISLANDS

Sir,

With reference to our letter of the 7th January,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from  
30.3.37. Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and Messrs. Meade-King  
31.3.37. Robinson & Co. Ltd. reporting on the market prices of various  
grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil and sea elephant  
oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*A. L. Mansour*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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No.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

MINUTE.

2nd July, 1937

To The Honourable,  
  
The Colonial Secretary,  
  
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

From Agricultural Adviser,  
  
Stanley.

I have the honour to request that arrangements be made through Crown Agents, with Messrs Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co, and Messrs. Jacomb Hoare, London, to forward, addressed to Agricultural Adviser, particulars of all wool sales, prices, etc., throughout the year.

*D.S.A. Weir. per h.c.f.*  
Agricultural Adviser.

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No. 153/32.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

MINUTE.

24th July, 19 37.

To The Agricultural Adviser,

From The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

STANLEY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

With reference to your minute dated the 2nd of July, regarding the particulars of all wool sales, prices, etc., throughout the year, I am directed by the Acting Governor to inform you that as prices of the various Falkland Islands wool sales are at present being received by Government, this information will be forwarded to you when received.

2. A further communication will be sent to the Crown Agents asking them to send the prices of all the wool sales, likewise the information will be communicated to you when received.

ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY,

153/32.

24th July,

37.

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter No. O/Misc 337 of the 2nd April, 1937, with which you forwarded the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool, I have the honour to ask that you will be good enough to include in future the <sup>BROKER'S REPORTS</sup> ~~particulars~~ of all wool sales, prices, etc., so that suitable graphs may be completed for record.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Broker's Reports referred to are those issued by Messrs Jacomb Hoare & Co., and Messrs Buxton, Ronald & Du Croz.

The Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank, Westminster,  
LONDON, S.W. 1.



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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

2nd July, 1937.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.



Sir,

With reference to our letter of the 2nd April,

29.6.37.

I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from

1.7.37.

Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., and

Messrs. Meade-King Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on the  
market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool  
and whale oil and sea elephant oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.,TO CROWN AGENTS.

24, Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

29th June, 1937.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of 28th instant, we give you below quotations for Falkland Islands wool current during the series which closed on 6th May.

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	18d.	16½d.	15d.
Medium "	17d.	15½d.	14½d.
Coarse "	16d.	15d.	14d.

In March hoggett wool was included in most of the clips, but during the last series (May), the top lots were generally wether or ewe wool which explains the slightly lower prices for the best wools.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd). G.E. DU CROZ.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD.,  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.

1st July, 1937.

Gentlemen,

We are in receipt of your letter dated 28th June and have pleasure in advising that we make the current market prices at the commencement of this month for the four grades of Whale Oil as follows:-

£21. 0. 0.	per ton
£19.15. 0.	"
£18.10. 0.	"
£17. 5. 0.	"

nett naked c.i.f. usual ports, the price for Sea Elephant Oil being the same as that of Whale Oil of equal grade.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servants,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.,

(Sgd). ?



COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO. LTD.,  
TO CROWN AGENTS

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.

12th October, 1937.

Gentlemen,

In response to your letter dated 8th October we have pleasure in advising that we make the current prices as at the beginning of the present month for the four grades of Whale Oil as follows:-

Grade 1.	£19
2.	18
3.	17
4.	16

nett naked c.i.f. usual ports and the same prices for Sea Elephant Oil of the corresponding grades.

We remain, etc.

for Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.,

(Sgd.) ?

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.



4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

15th October, 1937.

O/Misc. 337

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.



Sir,

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With reference to your letter No. 153/32 of the

24th July, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters

from Messrs. Buxton Ronald Du Croz & Co. and Messrs. Meede-King

Robinson & Co. Ltd. reporting on the market prices of various

grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil and sea elephant

oil.

Copies of reports issued by Messrs. Buxton Ronald

Du Croz & Co. and Messrs. Jacomb, Hoare & Co. since the wool

auctions which opened on the 14th September, are also enclosed,

Each of these firms has agreed to furnish similar reports

quarterly for transmission to you together with our usual

reports on Falkland Islands wool.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*F. S. Stanfield*

For Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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153/32.

10th January,

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Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. O/Misc. 337 of the 15th of October, 1937, and to inform you that the reports furnished by Messrs. Buxton Ronald Du Croz and Company, and Messrs Jacomb, Hoare and Company, which were enclosed in your letter, do not contain the information desired.

2. I am to enclose herewith a copy of a report by Messrs Jacomb, Hoare & Co., and to state that it is copies of these publications and similar reports issued by Messrs Buxton Ronald Du Croz & Co., that are required.

3. I shall be glad if you will arrange with the firms to furnish the reports direct to the Agricultural Adviser, Stanley, as issued.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

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Colonial Secretary.

19, LONDON WALL,

LONDON, E.C.2.

26th November, 1937.

GENTLEMEN,

The sixth and final series of Wool Sales for the current year, which commenced hereon the 16th inst., terminates this day. The quantity catalogued during the series is given below:—

	Bales Catalogued
New South Wales .....	19,044
Queensland .....	10,603
Victorian .....	4,681
South Australian .....	1,325
Western Australian .....	4,472
New Zealand .....	25,347
Cape .....	1,756
Konya .....	823
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Punta Arenas .....	68,051
English .....	165
Sundries .....	4,350
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TOTAL	<u>73,365</u>

The quantity sold is estimated at 57,000 bales, of which the Home Trade secured 29,500 bales, while 27,500 were taken for the Continent. The carry forward of Australian, New Zealand and Cape Wools is 60,500 bales, of which 48,000 bales were not offered.

During the early days of the series merinos were well competed for by Continental buyers, but the Home Trade was reserved and for a time the market was barely steady. Latterly more support has been forthcoming from all sections and closing levels are in slightly sellers' favour compared with those noted at the opening, but must be quoted 15/20 per cent. below September.

In the crossbred section both greasy and slipped descriptions had to be marked down further this week and here, too, rather wider support was evident in the closing days. Full recovery to opening levels, however, was not accomplished and we now quote fine, medium and coarse sorts 25/30 per cent. below September levels on average.

It is not yet possible to say whether the better tone prevailing in the last few days can be attributed to some commencement of a return of confidence, or to the necessity of completing orders available from the limited quantity offered. There can be no doubt, however from a glance at the figures on the opposite page that wool is again at a level which should encourage rebuilding of stocks as well as restimulate consumption.

The arrangements for Sales in 1938 are given below:—

1ST SERIES ..	JANUARY 18TH	4TH SERIES ..	JULY 12TH
2ND ,, ..	MARCH 15TH	5TH ,, ..	SEPTEMBER 20th
3RD ,, ..	MAY 10TH	6TH ,, ..	NOVEMBER 22ND

We are, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

JACOMB, HOARE & CO.

Latest average prices current.

MERINO.	Exceptional parcels.	Superior.	Medium & Good.	Poor Condition and Faulty.
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	23d. to 24½d.	20d. to 22d.	16d. to 19d.
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	—	12d. ,, 16d.	10d. ,, 11½d.
<b>QUEENSLAND—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	25d. to 27½d.	21d. to 24d.	17d. to 20d.
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	—	12d. ,, 16d.	10d. ,, 11½d.
<b>VICTORIAN—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	—	22d. to 24d.	17d. to 21d.
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	18d. to 20d.	12d. ,, 17d.	10d. ,, 11½d.
<b>TASMANIAN—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	—	—	—
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	—	—	—
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIAN—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	—	19d. to 22d.	16d. to 18d.
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	—	11d. ,, 15½d.	9d. ,, 10½d.
<b>WEST AUSTRALIAN—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	24d. to 25d.	20d. to 23d.	16d. to 19d.
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	—	11d. ,, 15d.	9d. ,, 10½d.
<b>NEW ZEALAND—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	—	20d. to 22d.	—
Greasy Fleece ... ..	—	—	12½d. ,, 15d.	10d. to 12d.
<b>MERINO LAMBS—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	—	21d. to 23½d.	17d. to 20d.
Greasy ... ..	—	—	12d. ,, 13½d.	9d. ,, 11d.
<b>CAPE AND NATAL Snow-white</b>				
Greasy ... ..	—	—	21d. to 23d.	—
	—	—	11d. ,, 14½d.	8½d. to 10d.
<b>CROSS-BRED.</b>				
	Best parcels of finer sorts.	Good medium.	Coarse.	Poor Condition.
<b>AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND WOOLS—</b>				
Scoured ... ..	—	19d. to 21½d.	16d. to 18d.	14d. to 16d.
Greasy ... ..	—	14d. ,, 16d.	11½d. ,, 13d.	9d. ,, 11d.
Slipd ... ..	15d. to 17d.	12½d. ,, 14d.	12d. ,, 13d.	9d. ,, 11d.
<b>S. AMERICAN.</b>				
<b>PUNTA ARENAS</b> ... .. Nominal	13d. to 16½d.	11d. to 12½d.	—	9d. to 10½d.
<b>PATAGONIAN—</b>				
Merino ... .. Nominal	10d. to 12d.	9d. to 10d.	—	—
½-bred ... .. Nominal	10d. ,, 12d.	9d. ,, 10d.	—	—
<b>FALKLAND ISLANDS</b> ... .. Nominal				
	12d. to 14d.	10d. to 11d.	9d. to 10d.	—
<b>MONTE VIDEO AND ENTRE RIOS—</b>				
Merino ... .. Nominal	10d. to 12d.	9d. to 10½.	—	—
X-bred ... .. Nominal	10d. ,, 13d.	9d. ,, 10d.	8d. to 9d.	—

# BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.'S WOOL REPORT.

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LONDON.

26th November, 1937.

The sixth series of wool auctions for this year opened here on 16th instant, and was brought to a close to-day, having occupied nine selling days at a daily average of 8,152 bales.

The quantities catalogued were as follows:—

Victorian	...	...	...	...	...	4,681 bales.
New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	19,044 "
Queensland	...	...	...	...	...	10,603 "
South Australian	...	...	...	...	...	1,325 "
West Australian	...	...	...	...	...	4,472 "
Tasmanian	...	...	...	...	...	— "
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	25,347 "
Australasian	...	...	...	...	...	65,472 "
South African	...	...	...	...	...	1,756 "
Kenya	...	...	...	...	...	823 "
Falkland Islands	...	...	...	...	...	— "
South American	...	...	...	...	...	345 "
English	...	...	...	...	...	4,350 "
Sundries	...	...	...	...	...	619 "
Total	...	...	...	...	...	73,365 "

About 57,000 bales were sold, including 27,500 bales for export. The quantity of Australasian and South African wool held over and withdrawn amounts to 60,500 bales.

The firm close to the September series had given rise to the hope that the fall in values had been arrested, but as October went on it became clear that confidence had not been regained, and that the adjustment of values was by no means complete. With Japan and America virtually out of the market Europe could not maintain the pace set during the Summer, and with the political horizon still dark business declined to a minimum. It was no surprise therefore that at the opening of the series there was a substantial decline in prices, with competition only fair. As the sales progressed even this level could not always be maintained and the close saw values for most sorts lower than at the outset.

## MERINOS.

GREASE.—There was quite a good offering of new clip wools from Queensland and New South Wales though the latter frequently showed signs of a difficult season. At the opening values showed a decline on September rates of 15 to 20 per cent., competition coming chiefly from the Continent. This basis was held to the close for the better lines, but ordinary topmaking sorts fell away a further 5 per cent. The best price was 20d. for Victorians. Queenslanders made 17½d., Sydneys 17d., Adelaides 15d., and West Australians 14½d.

SCOURED.—A fair selection was catalogued. At the opening prices for fleece wools were some 15 per cent. cheaper than in September, and this level was held throughout. Faulty pieces, bellies, etc., however, were an irregular market, and with poor competition closed a full 25 per cent. cheaper than during last sales. The best price was 27½d. for Queenslands. West Australians and Victorian skin wool reached 25d., Sydneys 24½d. and Adelaides 21d.

#### SOUTH AFRICAN.

There was a better show of greasies than for some time past and several well grown Graaff Reinet clips were offered. With good competition these were about 15 per cent. cheaper than in September. The best price was 14¾d. Only a few scoureds were shown. Prices showed a fall of about 20 per cent., the best price being 23d.

#### KENYA.

823 bales were offered. Competition was hesitating and prices were about 25 per cent. below the September level. The best price was 12¼d.

#### CROSSBREDS.

About 29,200 bales were offered.

GREASE.—There was fair competition for the small quantity offered. After opening 20 per cent. below the September level prices during the second week eased off again, and by the close a further 10 per cent. had been lost.

SCOURED.—The small quantity catalogued met quite good competition. The better lots showed a fall of about 25 per cent., while discoloured pieces, etc., depreciated rather more.

SLIPES.—These were offered in large quantities, but met only moderate competition, and withdrawals were rather heavy. Lambs wool of good length opened at a decline from the September basis of about 25 per cent., while the shorter lines of sheep's wool seconds, etc., fell 30 per cent. During the second week values all round suffered a further loss, and for the shorter wools closed 10 per cent. below the opening.

#### FALKLAND ISLANDS, PUNTA ARENAS Etc.

No Falkland Islands wool was offered during the series, and about 200 bales of Punta Arenas, many of these being bought in, so our quotations are on a nominal basis.

The opening dates for 1938 are as follows :—

1st Series.	18th January.
2nd „	15th March.
3rd „	10th May.
4th „	12th July.
5th „	20th September.
6th „	22nd November.

BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.,  
 WOOL BROKERS,  
 24, BASINGHALL STREET, E.C.2.

The following table refers to wools of a good average standard and shows the position to-day compared with last sales and this time last year :—

	1936		1937		Lower than Nov. 1936	Lower than Sept. 1937
	Nov. Average	Sept. Average	Nov. Average	Sept. Average		
<b>MERINO.</b>						
<b>Grease.</b>						
Victorian : Western, good quality and condition ...	22½—24½	22½—23½	18—20		19	17
New South Wales : Riverina, good staple and condition	22—23	21½—22½	16—17		27	25
Queensland : Central, good staple, fair condition ...	19½—21	19—19½	15—16		24	20
West Australian : Fair length and condition ... ..	18—20	17½—18	13½—14½		26	21
New Zealand : South Island, fair character ... ..	17½—18½	18—19	14—15		19	22
South African : Fair condition (10-12 months)... ..	15—16	—	11—12		26	
<b>Scoured.</b>						
Victorian : Skin Wool ... ..	30—31½	28—29	23—24		23	18
Queensland : Good quality, colour and condition ...	31—32	31—33	25½—27½		16	17
New South Wales : Fair body, rather fatty ... ..	28—29	28—29	23—24		18	18
New Zealand : Fair body and colour ... ..	28—30	30—31	25—26		12	16
South African : Fair body and style ... ..	26—28	—	21—23		19	
“ Seconds ... ..	19½—21	—	17—18		13	
<b>CROSSBRED</b>						
<b>Australian.</b>						
Fine ... .. 58s—60s ... ..	20—21	20—21	14—15		30	30
“ ... .. 56s—58s ... ..	17—18	18—18½	13—13½		24	27
<b>New Zealand.</b>						
Fine ... .. 56s ... ..	16½—17	17½—19	12—12½		30	33
Medium ... .. 50s ... ..	13½—14½	16—16½	11—11½		20	34
“ ... .. 48s ... ..	13½—13¾	15½—16	10½—11		19	31
“ ... .. 46s ... ..	13—13½	15—16	10½—10¾		20	31
Coarse ... .. 44s ... ..	12¾—13	15—16	10—10½		20	34
“ ... .. 40s ... ..	12½—13	15—16	10—10½		19	34
<b>Falkland Islands and Punta Arenas.</b>						
Extra fine ... .. 58s ... ..	17—18	17½—18½	14—14½*		19	21
Fine ... .. 56s ... ..	16—17	16—17	12—12½*		26	26
Medium ... .. 50s ... ..	13½—14½	15—17½	11—11½*		20	31
Coarse ... .. 44s—46s ... ..	12—12½	15—16	10½—11*		12	31

\*Nominal.



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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN LONDON".

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

153/32.



3rd. January, 1938.

Sir,

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29.12.37

30.12.37

With reference to our letter of the 15th October, I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald Du Croz and Co., and Messrs. Meade-King Robinson and Co. Ltd., reporting on the market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil and sea elephant oil.

Copies of the latest reports issued by Messrs. Buxton, Ronald Du Croz and Co., and Messrs. Jacomb, Hoare and Co. are also enclosed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD. TO CROWN

AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.

30th December, 1937.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 23rd. December.

We make the current market price as on January 1st  
1938 to be as follows:-

- No. 1 WHALE OIL £17 - - per ton.
- No. 2 " " £16 - - " "
- No. 3. " " £15 - - " "
- No. 4. " " £14 - - " "

nett naked, c.i.f. usual ports, and the same prices for Sea  
Elephant Oil of the corresponding grades.

Yours faithfully,

for Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(sgd.)

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
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CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

O/Misc.337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



24th February, 1938.

Sir,

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I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.153/32 of the 10th January and to state that, as shown in the attached copies of letters received from the two firms, arrangements have been made with Messrs. Buxton Ronald Du Croz & Co. and Messrs. Jacomb, Hoare & Co. for copies of their priced catalogues including particulars of the sales of Falkland Islands wool to be sent direct to the Agricultural Adviser, Stanley, as issued.

19.2.38.

21.2.38.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*[Signature]*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Stanley,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

*[Handwritten initials]*

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. JACOMB, HOARE & CO.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

19 London Wall,  
London, E.C.2.

19th February, 1938.

Gentlemen,

We are in receipt of your favour of the 18th inst. with regard to the supply of copies of our Priced Catalogues for the information of the Government of the Falkland Islands.

As desired, we shall be pleased to supply these, after our sales of South American wools, and will send them direct to the Agricultural Adviser, Stanley, Falkland Islands, and will also continue to supply you with our Market Reports.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd.) Jacomb & Hoare.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

24 Basinghall Street,  
London, E.C.2.

21st February, 1938.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of 18th instant, we are willing to supply copies of our sale catalogues containing Falkland Islands wool, and will post them direct to the Agricultural Adviser, Stanley, as requested. We presume that only that portion of the catalogue which contains Falkland Islands wool is required.

The first time we sold Falkland Islands wool after the 3rd May last, was on the 4th May, and we will accordingly start from that date.

Yours faithfully,

BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G.E. Du Croz.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".

TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.



6th April 1938

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Sir,

*Red 92*

With reference to our letter of the 3rd January, I  
have the honour to enclose copies of letters from  
Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and Messrs. Meade-King  
Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on the market prices of various  
grades of Falkland Islands wool and whale oil and sea elephant  
oil.

29.3.38.

1.4.38.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD. TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.  
1st July, 1938.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 27th June and have pleasure in advising that we make the prices of Whale Oil to-day as follows:-

No.1	Grade	£13.15.	-	per	ton,	c.i.f.	usual	ports.
No.2	"	£12.15.	-	"	"	"	"	"
No.3	"	£11.15.	-	"	"	"	"	"
No.4	"	£10.15	-	"	"	"	"	"

and the same price for Sea Elephant Oil of corresponding grades.

Yours faithfully,

for Meade-King Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(Sgd)

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
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DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

O/Misc. 337.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

4th July, 1938.

Sir,

With reference to our letter of the 6th April,

I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from

Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and

Messrs. Meade-King Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on the  
market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool,  
and whale oil and sea elephant oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO., LTD.,  
TO THE CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.3.

5th October 1938.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 27th September and have pleasure in advising that the prices for Whale Oil at the commencement of this month are as follows:

£13.15.0.	per ton for No. 1	Whale Oil.
£12.15.0.	" " " " 2	" "
£11.15.0.	" " " " 3	" "
£10.15.0.	" " " " 4	" "

C.I.F. usual ports, and the same for Sea Elephant Oil of corresponding grades.

Yours faithfully,

For Meade-King Robinson & Co., Ltd.

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TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

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TELEGRAMS: "CROWN. LONDON".

TELEPHONE: ~~Abbey 7730~~

ABBEY 7730

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4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.



7th October 1938.

Sir,

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5.10.38.

With reference to our letter of the 4th July,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from  
Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., and Messrs.  
Meade-King Robinson & Co., Ltd., reporting on the market  
prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool, whale  
oil and sea elephant oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*J. L. Linnard*

for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.

2nd January, 1939.

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 28th December,  
and have pleasure in advising that we make the current market  
prices at the beginning of this month for 4 grades of  
Whale Oil to be as follows:-

No.1	Crude	Whale	Oil	£11.10.	Od.	per	ton
No.2	"	"	"	£10.10.	Od.	per	ton
No.3	"	"	"	£ 9.10.	Od.	per	ton
No.4	"	"	"	£ 8.10.	Od.	per	ton

C.i.f. usual Ports and the same prices for Sea Elephant  
Oil of corresponding grades.

Yours faithfully,  
For Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(Sgd)

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

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5th January, 1939.

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



Sir,

With reference to our letter of the 7th of October,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from  
30.12.38. -- Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co., and  
2.1.39. Messrs. Meade-King Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on the  
market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands  
wool, whale oil and sea elephant oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.



ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W. 1.

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5th April, 1939.

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.

Sir,

*Red 107.*

With reference to our letter of the 5th January,  
I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from Messrs.  
Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz. & Co. and Messrs. Meade-King  
Robinson & Co. Ltd., reporting on the market prices of  
various grades of Falkland Islands wool, whale oil and  
sea elephant oil.

30.3.39

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*F. S. Humphreys*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

63, Aldermanbury,  
London, E.C.2.

30th March, 1939.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc. 337

In reply to your letter of 29th instant, we have pleasure in giving you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool.

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	11½ - 13d.	10 - 11d.	9½ - 10½d.
Medium "	9½ - 10½d.	9 - 10d.	8½ - 9½d.
Coarse "	9½ - 10d.	9 - 9½d.	8 - 9d.

We are, etc.,

(Sgd.) Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.  
1st April, 1939

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 29th March.

We make the prices for the four grades of Whale Oil today to be as follows:-

No. 1	Crude Whale Oil	£15.	per ton
No. 2	" "	£14.	" "
No. 3	" "	£13.	" "
No. 4	" "	£12.	" "

nett naked, delivered usual ports, and the same prices for corresponding grades of Sea Elephant Oil.

We are, etc.,

(Sgd.) Meade-King, Robinson & Co.Ltd



Falkland Islands Sheepowners' Association  
c/o Packe Bros & Company, London,  
18th May, 1939.

Dear Sir,

The average gross prices for wool obtained at the May sales, worked out from the catalogues of Messrs Buxton Ronald & DuCroz and Messrs Jacomb Hoare & Company, are as follows:-

	not			not		
	<u>Bales.</u>	<u>sold.</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Bales.</u>	<u>sold.</u>	<u>Price</u>
San Carlos South	112		9.55	Robson. Pt Louis	58	8.50
North Arm	176		9.43	Keppel Island	61	8.48
Roy Cove	142		9.42	Teal Inlet	140	8.41
Port Howard	133		9.36	Mullet Creek	9	8.36
Darwin Harbour	385		9.25	W. Point Island	17	8.31
Packe Bros. D.H	59	2	9.25	Saunders Island	46	1 8.24
Hill Cove	165		9.18	Bluff Cove	33	8.22
Packe Bros P.H	63	3	9.17	Packe Bros. F.B	119	8.21
Chartres	126		9.15	Fox Bay West	154	8.18
Port Stephens	255		8.97	New Island	28	8.10
Greenfields.Moro	201		8.80	Speedwell Island	57	8.00
Pebble Island	53		8.70	Moody Valley	21	7.84
Rindon Grande	127		8.65	Carcass Island	26	7.63
F.I.C.Fitzroy	105		8.62	Johnsons Harbour	86	7.58
Salvador	135		8.60	Jason Island	37	6.57
Spring Point	101		8.55	West Swan Island	5	6.00

6 Bales were withdrawn from the sale

The above 3370 Bales sold averaged an all-round value of 8.8 pence, as compared with 9.33 $\frac{1}{2}$  pence in the corresponding sale in May last year. Both figures are subject to a deduction of about two-pence for freight and marketing expenses.

I remain, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

G.BONNER, Chairman.



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4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

O/Misc 337

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.

5th July 1939



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Sir,

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With reference to our letter of the 5th of April

I have the honour to enclose copies of letters from

29. 6. 39 Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and Messrs

3. 7. 39 Meade-King Robinson & Co., Ltd., reporting on the market prices  
of various grades of Falkland Islands wool, whale oil and sea  
elephant oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient, Servant,

*E. Samuel*

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF A LETTER FROM MESSRS BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO  
TO CROWN AGENTS

63, Aldermanbury,

LONDON, E.C.2.

29th June, 1939.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 28th instant, we have pleasure in giving you the following quotations for Falkland Islands wool.

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	11 - 12 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 - 10
Medium "	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 - 10	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 9
Coarse "	9 - 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 9	7 - 8

The quality of the wool sold in May was not up to that dealt with in March, as there was hardly any Hogget wool sold last month. This will explain the difference in quotations though the general position of the market showed no change.

Yours faithfully

For and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd) G. E. Du Croz

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COPY OF A LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool.

3rd July 1939

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 28th June and have pleasure in advising that we make the price of No.1 Whale Oil at the beginning of the present month to be £15. 10. 0 per ton naked, C. i. f. usual ports, and £1 per ton less for each lower grade. The same prices for Sea Elephant Oil of corresponding grades.

Yours faithfully,

For Meade-King Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(Sgd)

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
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DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

Q/Misc 337  
TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



4th October, 1939.

Sir,

With reference to our letter of the  
29.9.39. 5th of July, I have the honour to enclose copies of  
2.10.39. letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz and Co. and  
Messrs. Meade-King Robinson and Co. Ltd., regarding the  
market prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool,  
whale oil and sea elephant oil.

We will communicate with you again on receipt  
of a further letter from Messrs. Meade-King Robinson and Co. Ltd.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*Stanley*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

63 Aldermanbury,

London, E.C.2.

29th September, 1939.

Gentlemen,

Ref. O/Misc. 337

In reply to your letter of yesterday, you are no doubt aware that all wool is now under Government control, and, therefore, at the moment we cannot say what the present value of Falkland Islands wool may be. On the basis of the small quantity sold in July, we quote values then ruling:

	<u>A or Good</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	12d. - 14d.	11d. - 11½d.	10½d. - 10¾d.
Medium "	11½d.-12½d.	10½d.- 11d.	9½d. - 10d.
Coarse "	11d. - 12d.	10d. - 10½d.	9d. - 9½d.

Yours faithfully

for and on behalf of

BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(Sgd.) G.E. Du Croz.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO.LTD.

TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22 Water Street,  
Liverpool, 3.  
2nd October, 1939.

Gentlemen,

We thank you for your letter of the  
28th September and have taken note to let you have the  
market prices on WHALE OIL and SEA ELEPHANT OIL.

We hope to write you in a few days time.

Yours faithfully,

for MEADE-KING, ROBINSON & CO.LTD.

Signed.



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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
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CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

O/MISC. 337

10th October, 1939.

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



Sir,

5.10.39.

In continuation of our letter of the  
4th October, I have the honour to enclose, for your  
information, a copy of a further letter from Messrs.  
Meade-King Robinson & Co., Ltd., regarding the market  
prices of whale oil and sea elephant oil.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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H.C.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MEADE-KING ROBINSON & CO. LTD.  
TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
Liverpool 3.

5th October, 1939.

Gentlemen,

With further reference to your letter dated 28th September, we beg to advise that Whale Oil and Seal Oil are, as you are no doubt aware, controlled by the Government and until prices are fixed we are unable to give you the current prices at the beginning of the present month for the various grades of Whale Oil and Sea Elephant Oil.

The last price, however, made for No. 1 Whale Oil was £16. 10. 0. per ton, naked, ex tank. We know of no sales made above that price.

We remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servants,

for Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(Sgd).

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STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS  
1939 No. 1614

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Food

ORDER DATED NOVEMBER 11, 1939, AMENDING THE OILSEEDS,  
VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS AND MARINE OILS (CONTROL)  
ORDER, 1939.

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Whereas it appears to the Minister of Food to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by Regulations 53 and 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, and of all other powers him enabling the Minister of Food hereby orders as follows:—

1. The Oilseeds, Vegetable Oils and Fats and Marine Oils (Control) Order, 1939<sup>(b)</sup> (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Order"), shall be amended by deleting Article 5 thereof.

2.—(1) This Order shall come into force on the 12th day of November, 1939.

(2) Copies of the Principal Order to be printed under the authority of His Majesty's Stationery Office after the date of the coming into force of this Order shall be printed in accordance with the amendment provided for by this Order and the Principal Order shall take effect as hereby amended.

By Order of the Minister of Food.

*H. L. French,*

Secretary to the Ministry of Food.

Dated the eleventh day of November, 1939.

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(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

(b) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1371.

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STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1939 No. 1605

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Food

GENERAL LICENCE, DATED NOVEMBER 9, 1939, UNDER THE OILSEEDS, VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS AND MARINE OILS (CONTROL) ORDER, 1939 (S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1371).

The Minister of Food hereby authorises any person until further notice:—

- (1) to use any of the oils specified in the Schedule hereto otherwise than for the purpose of or in the manufacture of human or animal food, and
- (2) to treat or permit to be treated any of such oils in such manner as to render the same unfit or less fit for use in the manufacture of human or animal food,

for the purpose of the preparation of any medicine or medicament for internal or external use.

By Order of the Minister of Food.

*H. L. French,*

Secretary to the Ministry of Food.

Dated the 9th day of November, 1939.

THE SCHEDULE.

Coconut Oil	Maize Oil
Cotton Seed Oil	Olive Oil
Gingelly (Sesame) Oil	Palm Oil
Ground Nut Oil	Soya Bean Oil.

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STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1939 No. 1000

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL ORDER, 1939, DATED SEPTEMBER 1, 1939,  
MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATION 55  
OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made.

Now, therefore, the Minister of Supply, in pursuance of Regulation 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby order as follows:—

1. No person shall acquire or dispose of, or agree or offer or invite an offer to acquire or dispose of, any raw wool, tops, broken tops, noils, or combing laps situate in the United Kingdom on or at any time after the date when this Order comes into force.

Provided that nothing in this Article shall be taken to prohibit or to restrict the delivery to and acceptance by a person carrying on the business of a carrier or warehouseman of any goods as aforesaid in the ordinary course of that business or the delivery by and acceptance from such a person of any such goods in the ordinary course of such business.

2. Every person owning or having power to dispose of or being in possession of any wool, mohair, alpaca, cashmere, or camel hair, or any derivative thereof, shall, upon being requested so to do by the Minister of Supply and within such time as the Minister may direct, furnish to the Minister of Supply such returns and other information relating thereto and to the business (if any) of that person as the Minister may require.

3. Every person whose business or part of whose business it is to produce goods of which wool, mohair, alpaca, cashmere or camel hair, or any derivative thereof, is a constituent part, or any articles or material required for, or in connection with, the production of such goods, shall, upon being requested so to do by the Minister of Supply, and within such time as the Minister may direct, furnish to the Minister of Supply such returns and other information relating to the business of that person as the Minister may require.

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(a) S.R. & O. 1939, No. 927.

4. In this Order the expression "raw wool" includes raw wool which has been subjected to any of the following processes, that is to say, the processes of washing, scouring, carbonising, or willeying, by whatever name the process of willeying may be described in any particular district, but not to any other process; and the expressions "acquire" and "dispose of" include respectively the taking or giving of possession.

5. This Order shall come into force on the first day of September, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool Order, 1939.

Dated this first day of September, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*  
Minister of Supply.

LONDON

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STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1939 No. 1100

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1939, DATED SEPTEMBER 5, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 55 AND 98 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, the Minister of Supply, in pursuance of Regulations 55 and 98 of the Defence Regulations, 1939(a), hereby orders as follows:—

1. Article 1 of the Control of Wool Order, 1939(b), made by the Minister of Supply on the first day of September, 1939, is hereby revoked.

2. No person shall buy or sell, or agree or offer or invite an offer to buy or sell, any raw wool, tops, broken tops, noils or combing lap situate in the United Kingdom on or at any time after the date when this Order comes into force at a price exceeding the maximum price specified therefor in the said Schedule hereto.

3. In this Order the expression "raw wool" includes raw wool which has been subjected to any of the following processes, that is to say the processes of washing, scouring, carbonising or willeying by whatever name the process of willeying may be described in any particular district but not to any other process.

4. This Order shall come into force on the 5th day of September, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939.

Dated this 5th day of September, 1939.

E. Leslie Burgin,  
Minister of Supply.

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

(d) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1000.

SCHEDULE TO THE CONTROL OF WOOL (AMENDMENT)  
ORDER 19.

Ref. No.	Description.	Maximum Price.
TOPS (COLONIAL) (OIL-COMBED).		
		d.
1.	64s Warp ... ..	26½
2.	56s Super ... ..	21½
3.	48s Average (Carded) ... ..	18¼
4.	48s Hog ... ..	18½
5.	44s Prepared ... ..	17
COLONIAL WOOLS—COMBING TYPES, CLEANED SCoured.		
6.	64s Warp ... ..	21½
7.	56s Super ... ..	17
8.	48s Average Carding ... ..	14½
9.	48s Hog ... ..	15
10.	44s Prepared ... ..	13½
NOILS.		
11.	Noils, White Noble Combed, Australian 64s Clear...	16½
12.	Noils, White Noble Combed carded 56s average ...	13½
13.	Noils, White Noble Combed carded 48s average ...	12
BRITISH WOOLS—IN THE FLEECE.		
14.	Lincoln Wethers (Washed) ... ..	13
15.	Selected Kent Wethers (Greasy) ... ..	11½
16.	Norfolk Half Breed Hogs (Greasy) ... ..	11
17.	Selected Cheviot Ewes (Greasy) ... ..	12½
18.	Selected Blackfaced (Greasy) ... ..	9½
19.	Selected Welsh Fleeces (Washed) ... ..	12
20.	Shorn Kent Lambs (Greasy, sorted) ... ..	11½
COLONIAL WOOLS—CLOTHING TYPES.		
21.	Australian Scoured Clothing Fleece good colour, sound, free, 70s quality ... ..	22½
22.	Australian Scoured Locks, fair colour, part fault, 60s/64s quality ... ..	14½
23.	Australian Scoured Skin Wool Super style Merino Combing 64s quality ... ..	22½
24.	Cape Scoured Average Snow Whites, short, Slight fault, 64s/70s quality ... ..	17½
25.	Scoured New Zealand second pieces good length, good to fair colour, free from fault, quality 50s/56s ...	13½
26.	Scoured New Zealand second pieces average length and fair colour, practically free from fault, quality 44s/48s ... ..	12½
27.	Scoured New Zealand average crutchings, average length, fair colour, practically free from fault, quality 44s/48s ... ..	13
28.	New Zealand Freezing Works type slipe lambs, fine crossbred clothing, quality 50s/56s ... ..	15½
29.	New Zealand Greasy Average Lambs, medium to good length, fair colour, slight seed, quality 50s/56s ...	12½
30.	English Skin Wool clothing fine lamb ... ..	13
31.	English Skin Wool white britch sheep carding ...	12

<i>Ref. No.</i>	<i>Description.</i>	<i>Maximum Price.</i>
EAST INDIAN WOOL AND HAIR		
		d.
32.	Vicanere White ... ..	15½
33.	Joria White ... ..	12½
34.	Kandahar White ... ..	10½
35.	Marwar White ... ..	11½
36.	Kandesh Black ... ..	8½
37.	Kandesh Grey ... ..	6½

The maximum prices set out above apply only to goods of the quality and type commonly known in the Wool Industry as of standard quality and type. In the case of goods of any other quality and type the prices applicable shall be in proportion. The expression "in proportion" in relation to the price applicable to any goods has the meaning which is commonly given to that expression in the said Industry.

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1939 No. 1100

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1939, DATED  
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THE CONTROL OF WOOL (AMENDMENT) (No. 2) ORDER, 1939,  
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UNDER REGULATION 55 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS,  
1939.

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Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, the Minister of Supply, in pursuance of Regulation 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1.—(1) No person shall dispose of, or contract to dispose of, any wool, except under the authority of a licence granted by the Minister of Supply.

(2) No person shall acquire, or contract to acquire, any wool, except from a person who produces a licence granted by the Minister of Supply authorising him to dispose of that wool.

2. If any licence granted under this Order is revoked by the Minister of Supply the holder of the licence shall forthwith deliver up the licence as directed by the Minister.

3. Nothing in this Order shall be taken to prohibit or to restrict the delivery to and acceptance by a person carrying on the business of a carrier or warehouseman of any wool in the ordinary course of that business or the delivery by and acceptance from such a person of any wool in the ordinary course of such business.

4. In this Order the expression "wool" means raw wool (including raw wool which has been subjected to any of the following processes, that is to say, the processes of washing, scouring, carbonising or willeying, by whatever name the process of willeying may be described in any particular district but not to any other process), tops, broken tops, noils and combing laps situate in the United Kingdom on or at any time after the date when this Order comes into force and the expressions "dispose of" and "acquire" include respectively the giving or taking of possession.

5. This Order shall come into force on the fifth day of September, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1939.

Dated this fifth day of September, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*  
Minister of Supply.

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STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1939 No. 1475

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 4) ORDER, 1939, DATED OCTOBER 20, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 55 AND 98 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now therefore the Minister of Supply in pursuance of Regulations 55 and 98 of the Defence Regulations, 1939(a), hereby orders as follows:—

1. As from the coming into force of this Order

(a) the Schedule to the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939(b), shall cease to have effect and the Schedule to this Order shall be substituted therefor;

(b) Article 2 of the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939, shall not apply in respect of

(i) any sale of raw wool, tops, broken tops, noils or combing laps for delivery outside the United Kingdom; or for delivery in the Orkney Islands, the Shetland Islands or the Outer Hebrides; or

(ii) any raw wool purchased in the Orkney Islands, the Shetland Islands or the Outer Hebrides; and

(c) Article 1 of the Control of Wool (Amendment) (No. 2) Order shall not apply in respect of any wool produced in the Orkney Islands, the Shetland Islands or the Outer Hebrides.

2. Nothing in the Control of Wool Order, 1939(c), the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939, the Control of Wool (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1939(d), or in this Order, shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the entering into and carrying out of any transaction between the Minister of Supply and any other person upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the Minister of Supply and that person.

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

(b) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1100.

(c) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1000.

(d) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1101.

3. This Order shall come into force on the 22nd day of October, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 4) Order, 1939.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*  
Minister of Supply.

SCHEDULE TO THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 4) ORDER, 1939.

<i>Ref. No.</i>	<i>Description.</i>	<i>Maximum Price.</i>
TOPS (COLONIAL) (OIL-COMBED).		
		<i>d.</i>
1	64s. Warp ... ..	29
2	56s. Super ... ..	23 $\frac{1}{4}$
3	48s. Average (Carded) ... ..	20 $\frac{1}{4}$
4	48s. Hog ... ..	20 $\frac{3}{4}$
5	44s. Prepared ... ..	18 $\frac{3}{4}$
COLONIAL WOOLS: COMBING TYPES, CLEANED SCOURED.		
6	64s. Warp ... ..	23 $\frac{1}{2}$
7	56s. Super ... ..	18 $\frac{3}{4}$
8	48s. Average (Carding) ... ..	16
9	48s. Hog ... ..	16 $\frac{1}{2}$
10	44s. Prepared ... ..	15
NOILS.		
11	Noils, White Noble combed, Australian 64s. clear	17 $\frac{3}{4}$
12	Noils, White Noble combed carded 56s. average ...	14 $\frac{1}{2}$
13	Noils, White Noble combed carded 48s. average ...	12 $\frac{3}{4}$
BRITISH WOOLS: IN THE FLEECE (SELECTED AND GRADED).		
14	Lincoln Wethers (Washed) ... ..	13
15	Selected Kent Wethers (Greasy) ... ..	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
16	Norfolk Half Bred Hogs (Greasy) ... ..	11
17	Selected Cheviot Ewes (Greasy) ... ..	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
18	Selected Blackfaced (Greasy) ... ..	9 $\frac{1}{4}$
19	Selected Welsh Fleeces (Washed) ... ..	12
20	Shorn Kent Lambs (Greasy, sorted) ... ..	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
COLONIAL WOOLS: CLOTHING TYPES.		
21	Australian Scoured Clothing Fleece good colour, sound, free, 70s. quality ... ..	23 $\frac{3}{4}$
22	Australian Scoured Locks, fair colour, part fault, 60/64s. quality ... ..	15 $\frac{1}{4}$
23	Australian Scoured Skin wool super style Merino combing 64s. quality ... ..	23 $\frac{3}{4}$
24	Cape Scoured average Snow-whites, short, slight fault, 64s./70s. quality ... ..	18 $\frac{1}{4}$
25	Scoured New Zealand second pieces good length, good to fair colour, free from fault, quality 50/56s. ... ..	14 $\frac{1}{4}$
26	Scoured New Zealand second pieces average length and fair colour, practically free from fault, quality 44s./48s. ... ..	13 $\frac{1}{4}$

<i>Ref. No.</i>	<i>Description.</i>	<i>Maximum Price.</i> <i>d.</i>
27	Scoured New Zealand average crutchings, average length, fair colour, practically free from fault, quality 44s./48s. ....	13½
28	New Zealand freezing Works type slipe lambs, fine cross-bred clothing, quality 50s./56s. ....	16½
29	New Zealand Greasy Average lambs, medium to good length, fair colour, slight seed, quality 50s./56s. ....	13½
30	English Skin Wool clothing fine Lamb ....	13½
31	English Skin Wool white britch sheep carding ....	12½

## EAST INDIAN WOOL AND HAIR.

32	Vicanere White ....	17
33	Joria White ....	14½
34	Kandahar White ....	11½
35	Marwar White ....	12½
36	Kandesh Black ....	9½
37	Kandesh Grey ....	7½

The maximum prices set out above apply only to goods of the quality and type commonly known in the wool industry as of standard quality and type. In the case of goods of any other quality and type the prices applicable shall be in proportion. The expression "in proportion" in relation to the price applicable to any goods has the meaning which is commonly given to that expression in the said industry.

These prices are for material delivered Bradford or area in which consumed.

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1939 No. 1475

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)  
Raw Materials

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**EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)**

**Raw Materials**

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 5) ORDER, 1939, DATED OCTOBER 20, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 53 AND 55 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now therefore the Minister of Supply in pursuance of Regulations 53 and 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1. Notwithstanding anything in any licence or direction which may, before the coming into force of this Article, have been granted or issued by the Minister of Supply, no person shall dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, any of the specified material situate in the United Kingdom (including any such material on board any vessel or aircraft in the United Kingdom): except to the Minister of Supply.

2. Every person owning, or having power to dispose of, or being in possession or control of, any of the specified material situate in the United Kingdom (including any such material on board any vessel or aircraft in the United Kingdom) at the coming into force of this Article shall:—

(a) forthwith hold that specified material at the disposal of the Minister of Supply;

(b) forthwith send to The Controller, The Wool Control, Bradford, England, a written declaration stating the description, quantities, qualities and condition of that specified material, and the name and location of the premises or vessel or aircraft or place in or on board of or at which it is situate; and

(c) comply with any special or general direction issued by the Minister of Supply as to the removal, transport, keeping, storage, disposal or delivery of that specified material.

3. Every person owning, or having power to dispose of, or being in possession or control of, any of the specified material which shall arrive in the United Kingdom (including arrival on

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

board any vessel or aircraft coming into the United Kingdom) on or at any time after the day on which this Article comes into force, shall:—

- (a) forthwith on arrival of that specified material hold it at the disposal of the Minister of Supply;
- (b) forthwith send to The Controller, The Wool Control, Bradford, England, a written declaration stating the descriptions, quantities, qualities and condition of that specified material, and the name and position of the premises or vessel or aircraft or place in or on board of or at which it is situate; and
- (c) comply with any special or general direction issued by the Minister as to the removal, transport, keeping, storage, disposal or delivery of that specified material.

4. Nothing in this Order shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the delivery to and acceptance by a person carrying on the business of a carrier or warehouseman of any of the specified material in the ordinary course of that business, or the delivery by and acceptance from such a person of any of the specified material in the ordinary course of that business.

5.—(1) In this Order the expression “ specified material ” means

- (a) any merino or cross-bred raw wool produced in any one or more of the following territories, that is to say:—  
territories and mandated territories of the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand and the Union of South Africa, and territories in America which are south of the Panama Canal (including the Falkland Islands);
- (b) any such raw wool produced as aforesaid which has been subjected to any of the following treatments or processes, that is to say:—  
washing, scouring, carbonising or willeying (by whatever name the treatment or process of willeying may be described in any particular district) but not to any other treatment or process; and
- (c) any tops, broken tops, noils and combing laps made from any such raw wool produced as aforesaid.

(2) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (1) of this Article the expression “ specified material ” shall not include any material mentioned in that paragraph which is, on the day on which this Article comes into force, and has since that day



remained, in the possession of a manufacturer in the United Kingdom (or of any one in the United Kingdom on his behalf), for conversion by him in the United Kingdom (or by any one in the United Kingdom on his behalf) into yarn or fabric.

(3) In this Order the expression "dispose of" includes the giving of possession.

6.—(1) Articles 1, 4 and 5 and this Article of this Order shall come into force on the 22nd day of October, 1939.

(2) Articles 2 and 3 of this Order shall come into force on the 23rd day of October, 1939.

(3) This Order may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 5) Order, 1939.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*  
Minister of Supply.

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EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

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EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 6) ORDER, 1939, DATED OCTOBER 27, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 55 AND 98 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now therefore the Minister of Supply in pursuance of Regulations 55 and 98 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1. As from the coming into force of this Order, items 14 to 20 (inclusive) of the Schedule to the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939<sup>(b)</sup>, as varied by the Control of Wool (No. 4) Order, 1939<sup>(c)</sup> (which items refer to British wools in the fleece, selected and graded), shall cease to have effect and the items set out in the Schedule to this Order shall be substituted therefor.

2. Nothing in the Control of Wool Order, 1939<sup>(d)</sup>, the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939, the Control of Wool (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1939<sup>(e)</sup>, the Control of Wool (No. 4) Order, 1939, or in this Order, shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the entering into and carrying out of any transaction between the Minister of Supply and any other person upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the Minister of Supply and that person.

3. This Order shall come into force on the 20th day of October, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 6) Order, 1939.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*

Minister of Supply.

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

(b) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1100.

(c) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1475.

(d) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1000.

(e) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1101.

## SCHEDULE TO THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 6) ORDER, 1939.

<i>Ref. No.</i>	<i>Description.</i>	<i>Maximum Price.</i> <i>Pence.</i>
14	Lincoln Wethers (Washed) ... ..	13 $\frac{3}{4}$
15	Selected Kent Wethers (Greasy) ... ..	12 $\frac{1}{4}$
16	Norfolk Half Bred Hogs (Greasy) ... ..	11 $\frac{1}{4}$
17	Selected Cheviot Ewes (Greasy) ... ..	13 $\frac{1}{4}$
18	Selected Blackfaced (Greasy) ... ..	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
19	Selected Welsh Fleeces (Washed) ... ..	12 $\frac{3}{4}$
20	Shorn Kent Lambs (Greasy, sorted) ... ..	12 $\frac{1}{4}$

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1939 No. 1512

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 7) ORDER, 1939, DATED OCTOBER 27, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 53 AND 55 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, the Minister of Supply in pursuance of Regulations 53 and 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1. Notwithstanding anything in any licence or direction which may, before the coming into force of this Article, have been granted or issued by the Minister of Supply, no person shall dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, any of the specified material situate in the United Kingdom (including any such material on board any vessel or aircraft in the United Kingdom): except to the Minister of Supply.

2. Every person owning, or having power to dispose of, or being in possession or control of, any of the specified material situate in the United Kingdom (including any such material on board any vessel or aircraft in the United Kingdom) at the coming into force of this Article shall:—

- (a) forthwith hold that specified material at the disposal of the Minister of Supply;
- (b) forthwith send to The Controller, The Wool Control, Bradford, England, a written declaration stating the description, quantities, qualities and condition of that specified material, and the name and location of the premises or vessel or aircraft or place in or on board of or at which it is situate; and
- (c) comply with any special or general direction issued by the Minister of Supply as to the removal, transport, keeping, storage, disposal or delivery of that specified material.

3. Nothing in this Order shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the delivery to and acceptance by a person carrying on the business of a carrier or warehouseman of any of the specified material in the ordinary course of that business, or the delivery by and acceptance from such a person of any of the specified material in the ordinary course of that business.

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

4.—(1) In this Order the expression “ specified material ” means

- (a) any raw wool produced in any one or more of the following territories, that is to say:—the United Kingdom (other than the Orkney Islands, the Shetland Islands and the Outer Hebrides); the Isle of Man; and Eire;
- (b) any such raw wool produced as aforesaid which has been subjected to any of the following treatments or processes, that is to say:—washing, scouring, carbonising or willeying (by whatever name the treatment or process of willeying may be described in any particular district) but not to any other treatment or process; and
- (c) any tops, broken tops, noils and combing laps made from any such raw wool produced as aforesaid.

(2) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (1) of this Article the expression “ specified material ” shall not include any material mentioned in that paragraph which is, on the day on which this Article comes into force, and has since that day remained either

- (a) in the possession of a manufacturer in the United Kingdom (or of any one in the United Kingdom on his behalf), for conversion by him in the United Kingdom (or by any one in the United Kingdom on his behalf) into yarn or fabric; or
- (b) in the ownership of the person who was, at the time at which the material was taken from the animal, the owner of that animal.

(3) In this Order the expression “ dispose of ” includes the giving of possession.

5.—(1) Articles 1, 3 and 4 and this Article of this Order shall come into force on the 20th day of October, 1939.

(2) Article 2 of this Order shall come into force on the 30th day of October, 1939.

(3) This Order may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 7) Order, 1939.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin.*  
Minister of Supply.

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**EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)**

**Raw Materials**

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 8) ORDER, 1939, DATED NOVEMBER 20, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 55 AND 98 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now therefore the Minister of Supply in pursuance of Regulations 55 and 98 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1. As from the coming into force of this Order the Schedule to the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939<sup>(b)</sup> (as varied by the Control of Wool (No. 4) Order, 1939<sup>(c)</sup>, and by the Control of Wool (No. 6) Order, 1939<sup>(d)</sup>) is hereby further varied as follows:—

(a) by the insertion after item 31 of the words following:—  
“ The above prices are for material delivered  
Bradford or area in which consumed ”

(b) by the deletion of all the words and figures from  
“ EAST INDIAN WOOL AND HAIR ” to the end  
of the Schedule

(c) by the insertion at the end of the Schedule of the words  
and figures in the Schedule hereto.

2. Nothing in this Order shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the entering into and carrying out of any transaction between the Minister of Supply and any other person upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the Minister of Supply and that person.

3. This Order shall come into force on the 24th day of November, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 8) Order, 1939.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*

Minister of Supply.

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

(c) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1475.

(b) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1100.

(d) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1511.

## SCHEDULE TO THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 8) ORDER, 1939.

<i>Ref. No.</i>	<i>Description.</i>	<i>Maximum Price.</i>
EAST INDIAN WOOL.		
		<i>d.</i>
32	Vicanere White	18 $\frac{3}{4}$
33	Joria White	16
34	Kandahar White	13
35	Marwar White	13 $\frac{3}{4}$
36	Kandesh Black	10 $\frac{3}{4}$
37	Kandesh Grey	8 $\frac{1}{4}$
IRAKIAN WOOLS.		
38	White	13 $\frac{1}{2}$
39	Fawn	11 $\frac{3}{4}$
40	Black	13
41	Grey	12

The maximum prices set out above in relation to all the items Nos. 1-41 apply only to goods of the quality and type commonly known in the wool industry as of standard quality and type. In the case of goods of any other quality and type the prices applicable shall be in proportion. The expression "in proportion" in relation to the price applicable to any goods has the meaning which is commonly given to that expression in the said industry.

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EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Raw Materials

THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 9) ORDER, 1939, DATED DECEMBER 13, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 55 AND 98 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, the Minister of Supply, in pursuance of Regulations 55 and 98 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1. As from the coming into force of this Order the Schedule to the Control of Wool (Amendment) Order, 1939<sup>(b)</sup> (as varied by the Control of Wool (No. 4) Order, 1939<sup>(c)</sup>, the Control of Wool (No. 6) Order, 1939<sup>(d)</sup>, and the Control of Wool (No. 8) Order, 1939<sup>(e)</sup>), is hereby further varied by adding at the end of the said Schedule, and as Part II thereof, the words and figures set out in the Schedule to this Order.

2. Nothing in this Order shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the entering into and carrying out of any transaction between the Minister of Supply and any other person upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the Minister of Supply and that person.

3. This Order shall come into force on the 15th day of December, 1939, and may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 9) Order, 1939.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*  
Minister of Supply.

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(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927. (b) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1100  
(c) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1475. (d) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1511.  
(e) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1661.

## SCHEDULE TO THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 9) ORDER, 1939.

## PART II—BRITISH WOOLS: FARMERS' CLIPS (NOT GRADED).

Ref. No.	Description.	Maximum Price.	
		Washed. d.	Greasy. d.
ENGLAND.			
42	Lincoln Hogs and Wethers ... ..	12½	10½
43	Notts, Leicester and Yorkshire Hogs and Wethers ... ..	12½	10½
44	Border Leicesters ... ..	12½	10½
45	Notts, Yorkshire, Lincoln and Leicester Half- breds ... ..	12½	10½
46	Norfolk Halfbreds ... ..	—	10
47	Best Shropshires ... ..	14½	11
48	Wilts and Hants Downs ... ..	—	11½
49	Sussex Southdowns... ..	17	13½
50	Oxford Downs ... ..	—	10½
51	Dorset Downs and Horns... ..	17½	11½
52	Eastern Counties Downs ... ..	—	10½
53	Kent Tegs ... ..	11½	10½
54	Kent Ewes and Wethers ... ..	11½	10½
55	Kent Half Bred Downs ... ..	12½	10½
56	Unsorted Kent and Kent Halfbred Lambs ... ..	—	8½
57	Devon, Cornwall and Somerset Strong... ..	—	9½
58	Devon, Cornwall and Somerset Crossbred ... ..	—	10
59	Exmoor Horns ... ..	11½	10
60	Cluns and Best Kerries ... ..	13½	10½
61	Fine Radnors ... ..	11½	8½
62	Deep Radnors ... ..	11	8½
63	Best Welsh Fleece (English Grown) ... ..	10½	8½
64	Swaledale ... ..	—	10½
65	Scotch ... ..	—	9½
66	Good Medium Massams ... ..	—	9½
67	North Halfbred Hogs (excluding Scotland Border Counties) ... ..	12½	10½
68	North Halfbred Wethers (excluding Scotland Border Counties) ... ..	12½	10½
69	Herdwicks ... ..	—	9
70	Ripons ... ..	—	10½
WALES.			
71	Shropshire and Best Kerry ... ..	14½	11
72	Fine Crossbred ... ..	12½	8½
73	Radnors and Crossbreds ... ..	11½	8½
74	Fine Welsh... ..	11½	8½
75	Ordinary Welsh ... ..	11	8½
76	Turbary Welsh ... ..	8½	—
Washed Shorn Lambs Wool—			
77	Shropshire and Best Kerry ... ..	11	8½
78	Radnor and Crossbred ... ..	8½	6½
79	Welsh Lambs ... ..	8½	6½
SCOTLAND.			
80	Cheviot Ewe and Hog ... ..	14½	12½
81	Halfbred Hog and Wether ... ..	12½	11½
82	Lesters ... ..	—	11
83	Crosses ... ..	—	10
84	Blackfaced ... ..	—	10

Ref. No.	Description.	Maximum Price.	
		Washed. d.	Greasy. d.
NORTHERN IRELAND.			
85	Suffolk Downs	—	10½
86	Fine Halfbreds	—	10¼
87	Lesters	—	10
88	Crosses	—	9
89	Blackfaced	—	9½

In relation to items Nos. 42-89 the maximum prices set out above are for good clean washed or light greasy wool, delivered F.O.R. within a reasonable distance, if required. In the case of intermediate or inferior wools the prices applicable shall be in proportion. The maximum prices for willeyed locks; the maximum prices for washed or greasy locks, brokes, fallen or gathered wool and tailings; and the maximum prices for daggings and clarts; shall be in proportion to the prices paid for fleece wool. The expression "in proportion" in relation to the price applicable to any goods has the meaning which is commonly given to that expression in the wool industry.

In the preceding paragraph the expression

- (a) "fleece wool" means the fleece removed entirely by shearing or clipping of sheep or lambs;
- (b) "locks" means any wool other than daggings or clarts which may have become detached from the fleece at the time of shearing or thereafter;
- (c) "brokes" means short wool obtained from the edges of the fleece in clipping;
- (d) "willeyed locks" means daggings or clarts from which the dung or earth has been extracted by washing or by other process;
- (e) "fallen wool" means wool removed from the skins of sheep or lambs which have died a natural death;
- (f) "gathered wool" means wool left by living sheep on hedges or other places;
- (g) "tailings" means wool clipped from britch end of live sheep; and
- (h) "daggings" or "clarts" both mean wool naturally clotted with dung or earth.

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THE CONTROL OF WOOL (No. 10) ORDER, 1939, DATED DECEMBER 13, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF SUPPLY UNDER REGULATIONS 53 AND 55 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

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Whereas it appears to the Minister of Supply to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, the Minister of Supply, in pursuance of Regulations 53 and 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, hereby orders as follows:—

1. Notwithstanding anything in any licence or direction which may, before the coming into force of this Article, have been granted or issued by the Minister of Supply, no person shall dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, any of the specified material situate in the United Kingdom: except to the Minister of Supply.

2. Every person owning, or having power to dispose of, or being in possession or control of, any of the specified material situate in the United Kingdom at the coming into force of this Article shall:—

- (a) forthwith hold that specified material at the disposal of the Minister of Supply;
- (b) forthwith send to the Controller, the Wool Control, Bradford, England, a written declaration stating the description, quantities, qualities and condition of that specified material, and the name and location of the premises or place in or at which it is situate; and
- (c) comply with any special or general direction issued by the Minister of Supply as to the removal, transport, keeping, storage, disposal or delivery of that specified material.

3. Nothing in this Order shall be taken to prohibit or restrict the delivery to and acceptance by a person carrying on the

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business of a carrier or warehouseman of any of the specified material in the ordinary course of that business, or the delivery by and acceptance from such a person of any of the specified material in the ordinary course of that business.

4. In this Order the expression:—

(a) “ specified material ” means:—

(i) any raw wool (including fleec wool, locks, brokes, willeyed locks, fallen or gathered wool, tailings, daggings and clarts) produced in the United Kingdom (other than the Orkney Islands, the Shetland Islands and the Outer Hebrides), being, at the time when Article 1 of this Order comes into force, in the ownership of the person who was, at the time at which the material came from the animal, the owner of that animal; and

(ii) any such raw wool produced and owned as aforesaid which has been subjected to any of the following treatments or processes, that is to say: washing, scouring, or willeying (by whatever name the treatment or process of willeying may be described in any particular district) but not to any other treatment or process;

- (b) “ fleece wool ” means the fleece removed entirely by shearing or clipping of sheep or lambs;
- (c) “ locks ” means any wool (other than daggings or clarts) which may have become detached from the fleece at the time of shearing or thereafter;
- (d) “ brokes ” means short wool obtained from the edges of the fleece in clipping;
- (e) “ willeyed locks ” means daggings or clarts from which the dung or earth has been extracted by washing or by other process;
- (f) “ fallen wool ” means wool removed from the skins of sheep or lambs which have died a natural death;
- (g) “ gathered wool ” means wool left by living sheep on hedges or other places;
- (h) “ tailings ” means wool clipped from britch end of live sheep;
- (i) “ daggings ” or “ clarts ” both mean wool naturally clotted with dung or earth;
- (j) “ dispose of ” includes the giving of possession.

5.—(1) Articles 1, 3 and 4 and this Article of this Order shall come into force on the 15th day of December, 1939.

(2) Article 2 of this Order shall come into force on the 16th day of December, 1939.

(3) This Order may be cited as the Control of Wool (No. 10) Order, 1939.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1939.

*E. Leslie Burgin,*  
Minister of Supply.

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EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Food

THE OILSEEDS, VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS AND MARINE OILS  
(CONTROL) ORDER, 1939. DATED OCTOBER 4, 1939.

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Food (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister") to be necessary for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community and expedient that this Order should be made:—

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by Regulations 53 and 55 of the Defence Regulations, 1939<sup>(a)</sup>, and of all other powers him enabling the Minister hereby orders as follows:—

1. In this Order:—

"Cooking fats" includes any shortening, confectionery or other fat suitable for human food or for use in the preparation, manufacture or treatment of human food, made wholly or partly from one or more vegetable or animal oils or fats (including fish and marine animal oils or fats) but does not include butter, margarine, animal lard, suet, dripping, the products known as hard butters or any cooking oil.

"Specified oilseeds" means any oleaginous seeds, nuts and kernels of the varieties mentioned in the First Schedule to this Order.

"Specified oils and fats" means any of the vegetable oils and fats of the varieties mentioned in Part I of the Second Schedule to this Order or any of the marine oils of the varieties mentioned in Part II of the said Schedule in any state of manufacture whether crude, refined, deodorised, hardened, pressed or bleached or any residues arising from the refining of any such oils or fats but does not include any cooking fats made from any such oils or fats.

"Trade consumer" means any person using any of the specified oils and fats in the course of his business in the manufacture, preparation or treatment of any article other than margarine or cooking fats.

2. Every person owning or having power to dispose of or being in possession of a quantity exceeding 5 tons gross weight

(a) S.R. & O. 1939 No. 927.

of any variety of the specified oilseeds or of the specified oils and fats situate in the United Kingdom at the time of the coming into force of this Order is hereby required to place all such specified oilseeds and such specified oils and fats at the disposal of the Minister and to deliver the same to him or to his order.

3. The provisions of the foregoing Article shall not apply to any of the specified oils and fats which are in the ownership or possession or power of disposal of a trade consumer.

4. Every person owning or having power to dispose of or being in possession of any of the specified oilseeds or of any of the specified oils and fats which shall arrive in the United Kingdom after the coming into force of this Order, is hereby required to place all such oilseeds and oils and fats forthwith on arrival at the disposal of the Minister and to deliver the same to him or to his order.

5. Every person owning or having power to dispose of any of the specified oilseeds or of any of the specified oils and fats situate outside the United Kingdom shall comply with such directions as may be given by or on behalf of the Minister for the purpose of securing that the ownership of all such oilseeds and oils and fats or the right to dispose thereof is transferred to the Minister.

6. Every person producing any of the specified oils and fats after the coming into force of this Order at any factory or workshop situate in the United Kingdom is hereby required to place all such oils and fats at the disposal of the Minister and to deliver the same to him or to his order.

7. The provisions of Articles 2, 4 and 6 of this Order shall not apply to any of the specified oilseeds or any of the specified oils and fats which are not in good merchantable condition.

If any question shall arise as to whether any of the specified oilseeds or any of the specified oils and fats are or are not in good merchantable condition, that question shall be decided by the Minister whose decision shall be final and conclusive.

8. No person shall, except under and in accordance with the terms of a licence granted by or under the authority of the Minister:—

- (a) Buy or sell or agree or offer or invite any offer to buy or sell any of the specified oilseeds or any of the specified oils and fats situate outside the United Kingdom if the total gross weight thereof exceeds 50 tons or have any dealings with any other person in any such oilseeds or oils and fats so situate or agree or offer or invite any offer to have any such dealings.

- (b) Engage either wholly or partly in the crushing of or extracting of oil from any of the specified oilseeds; and
- (c) Engage either wholly or partly in the refining, bleaching, deodorising, hardening, or finishing of any of the specified oils and fats.
- (d) Use any of the specified oils and fats except for the purpose of or in the manufacture of human or animal food.
- (e) Treat or permit to be treated any of the specified oils and fats in such manner as to render the same unfit or less fit for use in the manufacture of human or animal food.
- (f) Sell any of the specified oilseeds or any of the specified oils and fats by wholesale.

9. Every person to whom Article 2 of this Order applies, and every trade consumer in like manner as if that Article applied to such trade consumer, and every person to whom Articles 4 or 5 applies shall forthwith send to the Minister a return showing the quantity of the specified oilseeds and the specified oils and fats to which those Articles respectively apply which is in his ownership or possession or of which he has power to dispose, as the case may be, the address of the premises at which such oilseeds and oils and fats are kept, or, if they are afloat, the name of the ship in which they have been shipped and such other particulars as the Minister may require.

10. Every person licensed in accordance with the provisions of Article 8 of this Order shall keep or cause to be kept at some convenient place accurate records as to his dealings in any of the specified oilseeds or any of the specified oils and fats together with all books, documents and accounts relating thereto and such records relating thereto as may be required to be kept by or on behalf of the Minister and shall permit any person authorised by or on behalf of the Minister to inspect the same and shall furnish to the Minister or to any person so authorised such particulars relating to such dealings as aforesaid as the Minister or any such person may require.

11. The Orders set out in the Third Schedule to this Order are hereby revoked but without prejudice to any proceedings in respect of any contravention of any of such Orders:

Provided that any licence granted under the said Orders or any of them shall continue in force and have effect as if the same had been granted under this Order.

12. Infringements of this Order are offences against the Defence Regulations, 1939.

13. This Order shall come into force on the 8th day of October, 1939, and may be cited as the Oilseeds, Vegetable Oils and Fats and Marine Oils (Control) Order, 1939.

By Order of the Minister of Food.

*H. L. French,*

Secretary to the Ministry of Food.

Dated the 4th day of October, 1939.

#### THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### OILSEEDS.

Castor Seed.	Kapok Seed.
Copra.	Linseed.
Cotton Seed.	Niger Seed.
Gingelly (Sesame Seed).	Palm Kernels.
Ground Nuts (Undecorticated).	Rape Seed.
Ground Nuts (Decorticated).	Shea Nuts.
Illipe Nuts.	Soya Beans.

#### THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### PART I.

##### *Vegetable Oils and Fats.*

Castor Oil.	Niger Seed Oil.
Coconut Oil.	Olive Oil.
Cotton Seed Oil.	Palm Oil.
Gingelly (Sesame) Oil.	Palm Kernel Oil.
Ground Nut Oil.	Perilla Seed Oil.
Illipe Oil.	Rape Seed Oil.
Kapok Seed Oil.	Shea Butter or Oil.
Linseed Oil.	Soya Bean Oil.
Maize Oil.	

Any mixtures of any of the above oils and fats.

##### PART II.

##### *Marine Oils.*

Herring Oil.	Sperm Oil.
Pilchard Oil.	Whale Oil.
Seal Oil.	

Any mixtures of any of the above oils.

## THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

The Oilseeds, Vegetable Oils and Fats (Provisional Control) Order, 1939 (S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1073).

The Oilseeds, Vegetable Oils and Fats (Provisional Control) Amendment Order, 1939 (S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1151).

The Marine Oils (Provisional Control) Order, 1939 (S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1072).

The Marine Oils (Provisional Control) Amendment Order, 1939 (S.R. & O. 1939 No. 1152).

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TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
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4, MILLBANK,  
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TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



13th January, 1940

Sir,

*Red 119*

In continuation of our letter of the 10th October,  
I have the honour to enclose, for your information, copies of  
28.12.39 letters from Messrs. Buxton, Ronald, Du Croz & Co. and  
30.12.39 Messrs. Meade-King Robinson & Co. Ltd. regarding the market  
3. 1. 40 prices of various grades of Falkland Islands wool, whale oil  
and sea elephant oil.

2. As you are aware wool and marine oils are controlled,  
so far as this country is concerned, under the Defence  
Regulations, and you may like to retain for reference the  
attached copies of the relevant Statutory Orders, viz :-

Nos. 1000, 1100, 1101, 1475, 1476, 1511, 1512  
1661, 1791 and 1792 of 1939 (Control of Wool)

Nos. 1371, 1614 and 1605 of 1939 (Control of Oilseeds,  
Vegetable Oils and Fats and Marine Oils).

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*J. Hanson*

for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. BUXTON, RONALD,  
DU CROZ & CO. TO CROWN AGENTS.

63, Aldermanbury,

London, E. C. 2.

28th December, 1939.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of 27th instant, about 360 bales of Falkland Islands Wool was appraised in October, and taken over by the Wool Control. This quantity was made up of final shipments from various farms, and we give you below the approximate values based on this sale. The first shipments of new clip wool which have been taken over by the Government should come up for appraisal say in March or April next, and it should then be possible to give you closer valuations.

	<u>A or Good.</u>	<u>B or Medium</u>	<u>C or Inferior</u>
Fine quality	13 - 15½	11½ - 12½	11 - 11¼d
Medium "	11½ - 12½	10½ - 11	9½ - 10d.
Coarse "	11 - 11½	10 - 10½	9 - 9½d.

Yours faithfully,

for and on behalf of  
BUXTON, RONALD, DU CROZ & CO.

(sgd) G.E. Du Croz.



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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE, KING ROBINSON  
& CO. LTD. TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
LIVERPOOL

30th December, 1939

Gentlemen,

We duly received your letter dated 27th December.

There have been no definite transactions in cargo lots reported recently. The last report was the sale in October last of the FRANGO cargo to Sweden at U.S.A. \$160 per ton, delivered Norway.

Negotiations which, however, have not terminated in actual business were recently undertaken, and the indication of price which buyers were willing to pay was £30 per ton. There is no public indication yet of the price the Whaling Companies would be willing to accept for this season's catch, or what price, except the reference above, buyers would be willing to pay.

Whale Oil is at present controlled as far as this country is concerned, and any purchases for this country would have to be negotiated through the Ministry of Food.

Yours faithfully,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(sgd) ?

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COPY OF LETTER FROM MESSRS. MEADE-KING, ROBINSON  
& CO. LTD. TO CROWN AGENTS.

Tower Building,  
22, Water Street,  
LIVERPOOL.

3rd January, 1940

Gentlemen,

Since we wrote you on the 30th December we have received information to the effect that a cargo of Whale Oil has recently been sold to the Ministry of Food at £27. 10. 0. per ton, c.i.f. U.K. for delivery early next month.

Yours faithfully,

For Meade-King, Robinson & Co. Ltd.

(sgd) ?

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18th March, 1940.

Sir,

*S/1/40*

In continuation of our letter of the 13th January, I have the honour to state that we have now been informed by the Colonial Office that a special arrangement has been made between the Ministry of Supply here and the Colonial Government for the purchase of the Falkland wool clip for the whole period of the War and a year thereafter at a fixed average price of 11.218d. ex store Port Stanley. We understand that the arrangements for the sale of this wool are being made between the Ministry and the Falkland Islands Company and that the Governor will be kept in close touch with the financial results. In the circumstances it appears to be unnecessary for us to continue our periodical report regarding the market price of this commodity and we accordingly propose to cease the practice forthwith.

2. We have also been informed by the Colonial Office that the whole whale oil output by British factories in the Colony is being bought on a cost plus commission basis by the Ministry of Food here. In the case of this commodity also, therefore, it appears that there will be no free market prices for us to report to you.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*[Signature]*  
for Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.



*[Handwritten initials]*

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