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Draft telegram from High Commissioner BAT to Mr Clapp  
Cambridge.

Your C/1108/77

BAT/219

1. Penguin issue and Coronation issue planned for 1977/78 but advisable check with Crown Agents as nothing heard about these issues recently.
2. Copy of 1976/77 Appropriation Regulations ~~will~~ being despatched this week.
3. Please clarify ~~your request for gazettement~~ <sup>request in your para 3,</sup> as this not understood. You were gazetted sub-accounting officer  
BAT wef 25.5.73

BAT/2/8  
PST/2/36

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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations  
ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1FL  
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 207103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Our Reference: H5/1989

5 October 1977

*Dear Mr. Monk*

As you know as an adjunct of the Coronation omnibus issue we shall be arranging a first day cover project, similar to the very successful one we had for the Silver Jubilee. We have ordered a similar quality envelope and hope to conduct the exercise in a similar way.

There are three alternative methods of carrying out the first day cover exercise and we should appreciate your letting us know as soon as possible which method you prefer.

Alternative 1 We will bear all production design, printing and affixing costs plus airfreight despatch charges to you, and simply charge you 15p per cover for your requirements. We would expect you to bear the cost of returning covers to us.

Alternative 2 We will in the first instance pay for all the first day covers, affix stamps and pay outward freight for our requirements only. Any envelopes you need will be debited to you at cost and sent out unstamped for local affixing.

*Basically present procedure*

Alternative 3 We will order the envelopes on your behalf and debit all charges to your account. You will affix the stamps and return our requirements to us. We will sell the covers at the rate fixed by you.

Can you please cable us with your choice out of these three alternatives or alternative proposals and also let us know if you would like us to order cancellation cachets, at our expense, for use on the official covers. Please bear in mind when reaching your decision the possibility of a tight printing and production schedule.

/Obviously...

*To PM quickly pl  
14/10*

Mr A J P Mark

Obviously Alternative 3 cannot apply to British Antarctic Territory or South Georgia so we should appreciate a reply on that basis.

Yours sincerely  
B J Hawthorne

B J HAWTHORNE

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FKLY CY GBLH 075 ✓  
LONDONLH 75 18 1210

ETAT  
CHIEFSEC  
STANLEFALKLAND ISLES



REF BAT AND SGEORGIA CORONATION STAMPS PRINTER  
ENDEAVOURING TO DELIVER ENDNOV FULLSTOP  
WECAN DESPATCH ON VESSEL ANNETTE DANIELSON SAILING 1/12  
FROM LONDON BUT THIS WILL ARRIVE TOO LATE TO CATCH VESSEL  
BRANSFIELD LEAVING STANLEY MIDDECEMBER FULLSTOP IS IT ESSENTIAL  
TO USE BRANSFIELD OR CAN YOU USE LOCAL

COL ETAT 1/12

XLH110 TX267103 CHI PAGE2/25 ✓

VESSELS TO DISTRIBUTE TO BAT AND SGEORGIA? IF BRANSFIELD ESSENTIAL  
WE MUST AIRFREIGHT TO STANLEY BIA BUENOSAIRE'S PLEASE  
URGENTLY CABLE BY RETURN  
HAWTHORNE CROWN SUTTON

COL SGEORGIA?

*Reply at 3*



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FKLX BY GBLH 023  
LONDON/LH 23/22 20 1110

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*URGENT*

ETATPRIORITY  
CHIEFSEC  
STANLEYFALKLANDS

NO REPLY YET RECEIVED MYTEL 18/10 BAT AND SGEORGIA  
CORONATION PLEASE CABLE REQUIRED DESPATCH DETAILS TODAY  
HAWTHORNE CROWN SUTTON

COL ETATPRIORITY 18/10

CABLE & WIRELESS LTD.  
20 OCT 1977  
FALKLAND ISLANDS

*Reply at (5)*


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ETAT CROWN SUTTON

SG A/C

NO. 279

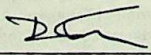
YRTEL 18th BAT AND S.G. 3 CORONATION ISSUE SUGGEST DESPATCH BY ANNETTE DANIELSON FOR DISTRIBUTION ANTARCTIC BASES AND SOUTH GEORGIA BY BRANSFIELD SCHEDULED DEPART STANLEY 13th FEBRUARY AND 26th MARCH. PROPOSED RELEASE DATE OF 21st APRIL WILL PRECLUDE AVAILABILITY THIS SEASON AS NO SHIPS RETURNING FROM BASES AFTER 5th APRIL THEREFORE SUGGEST RELEASE ON 2nd JUNE TOGETHER WITH F Is.

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BA1218

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REF CORONATION ISSUES WE HAVE RECEIVED SUBSTANTIAL ORDER FOR SHEETS  
OF FOUR SHEETLETS UNLESS YOU CABLE CONTRARY IN SEVEN DAYS WE SHALL  
ASUME ACCEPTABLE AND SEND YOU 500 SHEETS OF FOUR FOR LOCAL SALES IN  
ADDITION TO YOUR OTHER REQUIREMENTS STOP APPLIES TO EACH TERRITORY  
REGARDS HAWTHORNE  
CROWN SUTTON



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LONDON/LH 46/44 9 1614

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CHIEFSEC  
PORTSTANLEY

*AS*

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REF BAT CORONATION ISSUE CANCELLATION CACHET DO YOU WISH  
SIMPLY ONE CACHET WITH WORDS BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY OR  
DO YOU WISH ONE CACHET FOR EACH POST OFFICE? IF LATTER  
PLEASE URGENTLY CABLE EXACT WORDS TO APPEAR ON EACH CACHET  
CROWN SUTTON

COL ETAT OFFICE?



*Signy only.*  
URGENT

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AND **MTAT CROWN LONDON**  
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No. 312 PLEASE PASS VAUGHAN GARD BUTTON. YRTEL 9 NOVEMBER BAT CONGRATATION. ONLY ONE  
CACHET FOR BAT WITH WORDS FIRST BAY OF ISSUE SIGNY ISLAND BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY.  
FOR FALKLANDS TWO CACHETS ONE FOR PORT STANLEY AND ONE FOR FOX BAY

CHIEFSECRET

C.C. POSTMASTER



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*[Handwritten Signature]*

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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations  
ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL  
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Mr John Massingham  
Chief Secretary  
The Secretariat  
Stanley  
FALKLAND ISLANDS  
South Atlantic

Our ref H1/BAT 7/03376/1

Your ref



3 November 1977

Dear Mr Massingham

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY  
"25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CORONATION 1953"

... I have pleasure in enclosing a colour proof produced by Questa Colour Security Printers Ltd for the above stamp issue.

2 I have examined the proof on your behalf and have advised the printers that it is approved subject to reducing shadow on left side of Crown on centre stamp above mounting.

3 A proof, suitably endorsed, is enclosed for your retention; I trust that this action has your approval.

Yours sincerely

M VAUGHAN

Registry

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PM to see on his next visit

pm has seen  
& 28/11

11/11

RN/MRD

By air mail  
Par avion

**R** SUTTON  
SURREY 55  
No 1061



Mr John Massingham  
Chief Secretary  
The Secretariat  
Stanley  
FALKLAND ISLANDS  
SOUTH ATLANTIC

*From* THE CROWN AGENTS  
FOR OVERSEA GOVERNMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIONS  
ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,  
SUTTON, SURREY.

Bat  
Coronation Issue  
Colour Proof

BAT 12/8

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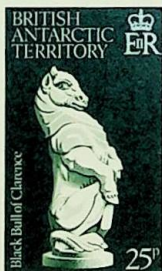


### 25th ANNIVERSARY OF THE CORONATION 1953



The Black Bull of Clarence was inherited by Her Majesty through the Yorkist Edward IV, heir to the Duke of Clarence and his daughter Elizabeth, wife of the first Tudor King Henry VII.

The Emperor Penguin one of the world's most inaccessible birds, appropriately supports the British Antarctic Territory shield.



The House of Questa

By air mail  
*Par avion*

If undelivered, please return to:  
CROWN AGENTS  
ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,  
ST. NICHOLAS ROAD,  
SUTTON, SURREY, ENGLAND



High Commissioner  
British Antarctic Territory  
Stanley  
FALKLAND ISLANDS

H Savage Ltd  
96-100 Old Street  
LONDON  
EC1V 9BA

PH1B/7/03376/3

SA/AFM

16 January 1978

Dear Sirs

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY CORONATION OMNIBUS  
CANCELLATION CACHET

Thank you for your quotation of 11 January, advising price and delivery of the Acme AC3 cancellation cachet.

2 We confirm our order for the supply of this cachet as well as one dozen ink pads and note your ex-works price is £26.00, packing and postage at cost.

3 We would be grateful if you would arrange despatch of these items by air parcel post within the next four weeks to the following address:-

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:-----:
: Reqn: 03376/3 :
:           :
:           High Commissioner :
:           British Antarctic Territory :
:           (Ind: P&T 2/36) :
:           Stanley :
:           FALKLAND ISLANDS :
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4 Kindly submit your invoice together with evidence of despatch to Ms J M Taylor PH1 Department at our Sutton office.

5 We thank you for your prompt co-operation.

Yours faithfully

  
B J HAWTHORNE (Ext 328)  
for the Crown Agents







C.S.  
ACS  
10  
[Handwritten initials and a circled number 10]

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TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

High Commissioner  
British Antarctic Territory  
Stanley  
FALKLAND ISLANDS

Our ref PH1B/BAT 7/03376/3



19 January 1978

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY CORONATION OMNIBUS STAMP ISSUE:  
2 JUNE 1978

... Please refer to the attached copy of our letter to Messrs  
H Savage Limited, and you will observe that the cancellation  
cachet will be sent to you by air parcel post shortly.

2 For your information, I also enclose a photostat copy of  
the artwork (3 times up) for the cachet which will give you  
an impression of the design.

Yours faithfully

B J HAWTHORNE  
for the Crown Agents

SU/SR/18



**CROWN AGENTS  
STAMP BUREAU**

BAT/218

(11)

**ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,  
SUTTON, SURREY, SMI 1EL**

TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE ~~HXX~~ PH3/BAT/O619T

C.S.

3 February 1978

The High Commissioner  
British Antarctic Territory  
FALKLAND ISLANDS  
South Atlantic

Dear Sir

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY  
25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CORONATION ISSUE

We have received orders for the undermentioned quantities of Sheetlets of this issue "Cancelled to Order".

2000 Sheetlets

2 We are sending these quantities of sheetlets from our stocks, and we shall be grateful if you will arrange to have these cancelled and returned to us as soon as possible, with the Bureau stock of First Day Covers.

3 Please acknowledge receipt and confirm that the stock can be cancelled, and advise date and means of despatch. The package should be addressed to the:-

Crown Agents Stamp Bureau  
C/o Department O6  
4 Millbank  
LONDON SW1P 3JD

quoting our VAT No 238-8799-93 on the outside of the parcel.

Yours faithfully

*M. Spoor*

MRS M SPOOR  
STOCK EXECUTIVE

*File per Sat send a copy to*

*Pm*

*21/7*

*copy sent  
21.2.78  
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LONDON/LA TLX 45/40 4 1424

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PORTSTANLEYFALKLANDISLANDS



USA DEALER WISHES TO SEND 4600 PRIVATE COVERS BEARING BAT  
CORONATION STAMPS FOR CANCELLATION OCT 2 4600 ON NOV FIRST  
AND 4600 APRIL 2 PLEASE ADVISE POSSIBILITY AND  
EARLIEST DATE EACH CONSIGNMENT COULD BE RETURNED  
CROWN SUTTON

COL LTF CHIEFSEC 4600 2 4600 4600 2

*Pl copy to PM for advice  
(Pity he doesn't want our cancellation)*



*DM 5/9 Copied to PM 5/9 JN*

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FKLY CY GBLA 066  
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ETAT  
CHIEF SEC  
PORTSTANLEY FALKLAND ISLANDS

REF MYTEL 4TH SEPTEMBER UNDERSTAND PRIVATE COVERS BEARING  
CORONATION STAMPS ARRIVE STANLEY FIFTH AND EIGHTEENTH OCTOBER  
PLEASE CONFIRM CANCELLATIONS WILL BE AS REQUESTED IE 4,600  
DEPICTING AMUNDSEN ON COVER OCTOBER SECOND 4,600 DEPICTING  
SCOTT NOV FIRST AND 4,600 DEPICTING FUCHS APRIL SECOND  
1979 ADVISE ALSO EARLIEST DATES

COL ETAT 4TH 4,600 4,600 4,600 1979

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COVERS CAN BE RETURNED TO USA BY AIR  
DEALER TO PAY  
CROWN SUTTON

*copied to P.M.  
2/11/78*

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CLASS AND ADDRESS  
**BTAT CROWN SUTTON**

*Exped to P.M.  
13/11/78*

BAT A/C

No. 341

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YRTEL 7TH COVERS IN QUESTION HAVE BAT STAMPS AFFIXED AND MUST THEREFORE BE FORWARDED TO ANTARCTICA FOR FRANKING. FRANKLIN MINT HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY TO ANTARCTICA IS MID DECEMBER AND THAT COVERS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR RETURN BEFORE MARCH 1979. OCTOBER CANCELLATIONS THEREFORE IMPOSSIBLE. 2ND APRIL CANCELLATIONS WOULD NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR RETURN UNTIL NEXT SEASON

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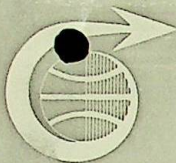
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CLASS AND ADDRESS **LMF CROWN SUTTON** BAT A/C

lb. 572

65 m PRT/2/31

YRTEL 2411; NO EXPLORERS DEFINITIVE COVERS RECEIVED. FRANKING POLICY AS NYTEL

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NO 341. PLEASE CLARIFY

copies on  
 BAT/2/14  
 BAT/2/18 ✓  
 BAT/2/19  
 PRT/2/31

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LTF  
CHIEFSEC  
PORT STANLEY  
FALKLANDISLANDS



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YRTEL 28 NOV BAT PROJECT USING CORONATION STAMPS ON PRIVATE  
COVERS WITH EXPLORERS DEPICTED ON COVERS STOP COVERS ARRIVED  
IN FALKLANDS IN OCTOBER STOP CONFUSION REGRETTED HOPE ALL WELL  
NOW STOP CONFIRM CANCELLATIONS CAN BE GIVEN  
AS REQUESTED PLEASE  
CROWN SUTTON

COL 28 NOV



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BAT/12/18

~~CS~~ CS

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214 GOVERNOR FK  
267103 CASUTN G  
28/1/80 12.19

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REF?

FOR CHIEF SEC

RE OUR CAB 9 JANUARY GRATEFUL YOU CONFIRM WE MAY DESTROY BAT  
CORONATION COVERS.

REGARDS - FORDHAM CROWN SUTTON  
JS  
214 GOVERNOR FK  
267103 CASUTN G

Senior Clerk, The Bureau

Does this mean anything  
to you? We cannot trace  
the telegram of 9 Jan.

29/1/80

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# MEMORANDUM

Reference **BAT/2/8**.....

Date **31st January, 1980**

It is requested that this number and date should be quoted.



**From** Ag Postmaster

**To** Deputy Chief Secretary

**Subject:-**

C/A telegram no 2408 of 28.1.80

I regret I have been unable to trace this telegram of reference to it in our issue files.


*[Handwritten signature]*  
 Ag Postmaster.



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		c.c. Philatelic Bureau VIA CW				

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LTF CROWN SUTTON

BAT A/C

NO.52 YRTLX 2408 28JAN. UNABLE TRACE YOUR TELEGRAM 9 JANUARY

HOWEVER BAT CORONATION COVERS MAY BE DESTROYED.

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