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No. 1.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Bartlett, D.	Education	Camp Teacher	1.10.53	—
Peck, P.	Government House	Orderly & Caretaker	14.8.53	On probation for 2 years.
Biggs, G. N.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	1.12.53	—
McLeod, P.	" " "	W/T Operator	1.12.53	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Goodwin, N.	Public Works	Engineman	1.8.48	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Aldridge, N.	Harbour & Aviation	Learner Mechanic	31.12.53	Resigned
McCallum, Miss R.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator (Unestablished)	31.12.53	"

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	
Grierson, W. J.	Customs	Collector of Customs	24.4.53 to 5.12.53		Both dates incl.
King, Mrs. V. T.	Education	Assistant Teacher	24.4.53 to 5.12.53		" " "
Dixon, E. V.	Public Works	Clerk	24.4.53 to 5.12.53		" " "
King, V. T.	Sec. & Treasury	Assistant Printer	24.4.53 to 5.12.53		" " "
Sedgwick, Miss D.	" " "	Clerk	24.4.53 to 5.12.53		" " "
Raymond, J.	Public Works	Carpenter (C.D.W.)	13.7.53 to 3.12.53		On completion of contract.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc. are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 65. 7th December, 1953.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the award of the Efficiency Decoration and one Clasp to

CAPTAIN JOHN BOUND, J.P.
(Falkland Islands Defence Force).

Ref. 189/42.

No. 66. 14th December, 1953.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 24 of 6th May, 1953, it is hereby notified for general information that

MR. D. E. J. IKKINT

acted as Collector of Customs, Shipping Master and Competent Authority (Supplies), from the 24th of April, 1953, to the 5th of December, 1953, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/539.

No. 67. 17th December, 1953.

It is hereby notified that on the following dates in 1954 the Public Offices will be closed :-

New Year's Day	...	Friday, 1st January.
Good Friday	...	Friday, 16th April.
Easter Monday	...	Monday, 19th April.
Her Majesty the Queen's Birthday	...	Wednesday, 21st April.
Empire Day	...	Monday, 24th May.
August Bank Holiday	...	Monday, 2nd August.
Anniversary of the Battle of the Falkland Islands	...	Wednesday, 8th December.
Christmas Holidays	...	Saturday, 25th December. Monday, 27th December. Tuesday, 28th December.

Ref. 291/33.

No. 1. 1st January, 1954.

NEW YEAR HONOURS.

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointment :-

M.B.E. (Civil) Miss ROSE STRONG.

Ref. 0107/C/II.

No. 2. 2nd January, 1954.

The following list of Ministers of Religion who have been registered as Ministers for celebrating marriages, is published in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the Marriage Ordinance :-

The Right Reverend Daniel Ivor Evans, C.B.E.	Lord Bishop of the Falkland Islands.
The Reverend Jack Gould	Senior Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral.
The Right Reverend Monsignor James Ireland	Prefect Apostolic of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies
The Reverend Father Edward Callen	Assistant Priest St. Mary's Church
Pastor Walter Forrest McWhan, M.B.E.	Minister of the United Free Church.

Ref. 1163.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Silvester Manfred Rutter, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Arthur Grenfell Barton, Attorney for Phillis Ileen Edith Rutter the widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

7th December, 1953.

L. 38/53.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Annie Eliza Halliday, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Fanny Stanbury Halliday, a sister of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

7th December, 1953.

L. 34/53.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of James Patrick Peck, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Patrick William Peck, the eldest son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

19th December, 1953.

L. 39/53.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Henry Hannaford, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Robert Frederick Hannaford, eldest son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

22nd December, 1953.

L. 41/53.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Franz Karl Emil Buse, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Paullina Ovedia Buse, widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

22nd December, 1953.

L. 42/53.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

In virtue of the powers in him vested by Section 2 (1) (a) of the Pensions Ordinance, and otherwise, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, is pleased hereby to declare to be pensionable the undermentioned office in the Public Service of the Colony and Dependencies :—

DEPENDENCIES.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES SURVEY ... Assistant Secretary.

Government House,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th December, 1953.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing HUGH CULLEN HARDING, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency* SIR MILES CLIFFORD, *Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral thereof.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW THEREFORE, I, SIR MILES CLIFFORD, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, having received such instructions from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, do hereby appoint

HUGH CULLEN HARDING, ESQUIRE, J.P.

to be a Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 30th day of December, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-three.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

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No. 2.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Williams, Miss S.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	25.5.53	On probation for 2 years.
Biggs, B. W.	South Georgia	Police Constable & Handyman	9.1.54	On Agreement for 3 years.
Duncan, R. A.	" "	Dental Surgeon	16.1.54	—
Hosie, D. S.	" "	Met. Assistant	6.1.54	—
Owen, T. G.	" "	W/T Operator	16.12.53	—
Whitney, J.	" "	Acting Customs Officer	20.3.53	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Shorey, Bernard	Secretariat	Messenger	16.3.53	—

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Smith, A. A.	Meteorological Assistant, South Georgia	Meteorological Assistant, Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey	15.12.53

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Cawkell, E. M.	Education	Supt. of Education	27.1.54	156 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Jones, H. D.	Harbour & Aviation	Aircraft Mechanic	27.1.54	148 days	do.
Kidd, J. M.	Public Works	Bricklayer, (Develop. Programme)	27.1.54	220 days	do.
Luxton, H. T.	Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	27.1.54	180 days	Inclusive of period of voyages.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc. are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3. 4th January, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 57 of 30th September, 1953, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 31st December, 1953, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
31st December, 1953	50.839

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the cost of living bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 4. 14th January, 1954.

The following list containing the names and qualifications of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists, registered to practise in the Colony and the Dependencies is published in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance. Ref. 1326.

A. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE COLONY AND DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Slessor, Robert Stewart	M.B., Ch.B. (Aberdeen)	1935.
	L.M. (Dublin)	1936.
Hillenbrand, Fritz Karl Michael	M.B. (Berlin)	1934.
	M.D. (Rostock)	1935.
Szeley, Alexander	M.D. (Szeged)	1936.
	D.D. (Szeged)	1940.
Turner, William	M.B., Ch.B. (St. Andrews)	1952.
Richter, Peter Karl Emil	M.D. (Kiel)	1942.
<i>Midwives.</i>		
Strong, Rose	S.R.N.	1933.
	S.C.M.	1934.
Johnston, Grace	S.R.N.	1949.
	S.C.M.	1950.
Lippold, Hella	S.R.N., C.M. (Germany)	1925.
Watson, Mary Eleanor	S.C.M.	1930.
Henricksen, Agnes	S.C.M.	1929.
<i>Dental Surgeons.</i>		
Latermann, Edmund	D.S. (Hamburg)	1937.

B. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Mackintosh, Ian Warren	M.B., Ch.B. (St. Andrews)	1935.
Andersen, Ola Hans	M.D. (Oslo)	1950.
Richards, David Felix	M.A., M.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., B. Chir. (Camb.)	1948.
Ibler, Jon Oystein	C.M. (Oslo).	1951.

No. 5. 21st January, 1954.

Under Section 54 of the Public Health Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to be the Visiting Committee for the Hospital for the year 1954 :-

MRS. C. CAMPBELL (*Chairman*)
MRS. S. BENNETT
MRS. A. NEWING.

Ref. 596/29.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency SIR MILES CLIFFORD, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies and Vice-Admiral thereof.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others :

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 30th day of January, 1954, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SIR MILES CLIFFORD, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 30th day of January, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

COMMISSION

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency* SIR MILES CLIFFORD, *Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies and Vice Admiral thereof.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by Section 2 of the Commissions of Inquiry Ordinance 1942 (Cap. 12 Revised Edition of the Laws) it is enacted that the Governor may issue a Commission appointing one or more Commissioners and authorising such Commissioners to inquire into any matter in which any inquiry would, in the opinion of the Governor, be for the public welfare:—

NOW THEREFORE I, SIR MILES CLIFFORD, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the Commissions of Inquiry Ordinance 1942, do hereby appoint the following Commissioners:—

MR. J. F. BONNER, J.P. (*Chairman*)

DR. J. E. HAMILTON, I.S.O., J.P.

HON. MR. J. E. BRISCOE,

who are required to call for and to hear evidence at their discretion from any individual member of the Permanent Establishment of the Civil Service or from any deputation representing any group of such members and thereupon to advise the Government whether in their opinion the proposed revised conditions for the Civil Service as presented to the Legislature on the 8th of January, 1954, are fair and reasonable and if not in what respect they recommend that these should be modified.

I further direct that this inquiry shall be held in Stanley, that this inquiry shall not be held in public and that the report of the Commissioners shall be forwarded to the Government on or before the 16th of February, 1954.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 19th day of January, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read and construed as one with the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance. Short title.

2. The Interpretation and General Law Ordinance shall be amended by the renumbering of Section 11 (1) as Section 11 (1) (a), and the addition of the following Clause as Section 11 (1) (b) — Amendment.

“When any person, who has been substantively appointed under the power in that behalf contained in any Ordinance to carry out the duties imposed by such Ordinance, is on leave of absence pending relinquishment of his office, it shall be lawful for another person to be appointed substantively to the same Office, and, where that office is a pensionable office, the service of such last mentioned person shall be pensionable service in that office as from the date upon which he is so appointed.”

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of
January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To amend the Public Health Ordinance.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Public Health Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 54.

Amendment of the marginal note to section 21 of the principal Ordinance. **2.** In the marginal note to section 21 of the principal Ordinance for the figures "20" there shall be substituted the figures "21".

Amendment of section 22 of the principal Ordinance.

3. In section 22 of the principal Ordinance for the word "three" there shall be substituted the word "six".

Amendment of section 23 of the principal Ordinance.

4. In section 23 of the principal Ordinance the words and comma "and if he sees fit take from such child lymph for the performance of other vaccinations," shall be deleted.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 3



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Exchange Control (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read and construed as one with the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951 (hereinafter called the principal Ordinance). Short title.

2. In paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section 2 of the principal Ordinance for the word "to" where it first occurs therein, there shall be substituted the word "or". Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

3. In subsection (2) of Section 4 of the principal Ordinance for the word "banker" there shall be substituted the word "officer". Amendment of section 4 of the principal Ordinance.

4. There shall be inserted immediately after section 33 of the principal Ordinance the following new section 33A :— Insertion of new section 33A in the principal Ordinance.

Power to restrict orders.

33A. Where the Governor is satisfied that, owing to a change of the external or internal position of any country or State, action is being or is likely to be taken to the detriment of the economic position of the Colony, he may give general or special directions prohibiting, either absolutely or to such extent as may be specified in the directions, the carrying out, except with permission granted by or on behalf of the Governor, of any order given by or on behalf of —

- (a) the country, State or Sovereign thereof or any person resident therein, or
- (b) any body or corporation which is incorporated under the law of that country or State or is under the control of that country, State or the Sovereign thereof or any person resident therein,

in so far as the order –

- (i) requires the person to whom the order is given to make any payment or to part with any gold or securities, or
- (ii) requires any change to be made in the person to whose credit any sum of money is to stand or to whose order any gold or securities are to be held.”

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Ref. 0078/D/II.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To make better provision for the constitution, organisation and discipline of the Local Armed Force in the Colony. Title.

[1st January, 1954] Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Defence Force Ordinance, 1954. Short title.

2. In this Ordinance and in any Regulations or Rules made thereunder unless the context otherwise requires— Interpretation.

“Appointments” includes accoutrements and equipment of every kind other than clothing.

“Commandant” means the Officer for the time being in command of the Defence Force.

“Efficiency” or “efficient” means the standard of efficiency fixed by the Governor in Council by Regulations under this Ordinance.

“Officer” means a person holding the Governor's commission as an Officer in the Force.

“Regulations” and “Standing Orders” and “Rules” mean respectively regulations and standing orders and rules made under the provisions of this Ordinance.

“Superior Officer”, when used in relation to a member of the Force, includes a warrant officer and a non-commissioned officer.

“Unit” means unit forming part of the Force.

“Member” means a person commissioned or enrolled as a member of the Force.

"The Force" means the Defence Force established by this Ordinance, or any unit thereof.

"The Army Act" means the Army Act, 1881 (44 and 45 Vic. C. 58) and includes all Acts amending or substituted for the same and also all Articles of War in force thereunder.

"Queen's Regulations" means Her Majesty's Regulations and Orders in force for the time being for Her Majesty's Regular Forces.

Establishment of
Defence Force.

3. (1) ESTABLISHMENT AND ORGANISATION.

There shall be raised and maintained a Defence Force for service in the Colony and its Dependencies, which shall consist of such units as the Governor may from time to time determine, and each such unit shall be designated by such title, and shall consist of such establishment, as the Governor shall direct.

Application to existing
Force.

(2) The provisions of this Ordinance shall apply to all persons who at the date of the commencement thereof are serving on the Active List or have been posted to the Retired List as officers or members in the Defence Force established under the Defence Force Ordinance (Chapter 19), and all such persons shall be deemed to have been appointed under this Ordinance with the rank held by them respectively in such Defence Force at the date aforesaid.

Constitution of Force.

4. (1) It shall be lawful for the Governor on behalf of Her Majesty to accept the services of any male person desiring to join the Force and offering his services to Her Majesty.

(2) Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render it obligatory upon the Governor to accept the services of any person.

(3) The Governor may appoint such honorary members as he may deem fit.

Constitution and
disbandment of units.

5. The Governor—

(1) may constitute any unit; and

(2) may disband any unit constituted under this Ordinance and cause any of the members thereof to be transferred to another unit; and

(3) may continue under this Ordinance any unit which previously existed under the Ordinance repealed by this Ordinance.

Entry on Muster Roll.

6. (1) The name of every person whose services have been accepted by the Governor as a member of the Force shall be entered by the Commandant on the Muster Roll of the Force which shall be kept by him.

Oath.

(2) Every person whose services have been accepted as above shall upon admission to the Force take the oath or make the declaration set forth in the Schedule to this Ordinance, to be administered by a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace or by an Officer of the Force.

Command.

7. The Force shall be under the supreme command of the Governor, and under the command of the Commandant, who shall be responsible to the Governor for the instruction, training and discipline of the Force, and for all Government moneys, stores and property committed to his charge.

Officers.

8. (1) The Officers of the Force shall be commissioned by the Governor, and any such commission shall not be deemed to be vacated by the death, transfer, or retirement from office of the Governor by whom it was issued.

Commandant.

(2) The Governor shall appoint one of such officers to be the Commandant of the Force, and may remove him from his command and appoint some other officer to be Commandant in his place.

Local rank of
Commandant.

(3) The Commandant shall be granted such local rank as the Governor may determine.

(4) Officers commissioned under sub-section (1) of this section shall be appointed to ranks in the Force. The titles of ranks of officers in the Force will be the same as those of officers in Her Majesty's Regular Forces.

Rank and precedence of officers.

Officers of the Force when serving with, attached to, or acting in combination with Her Majesty's Regular Forces will take rank and precedence below officers of corresponding rank in Her Majesty's Regular Forces.

(5) The power of command to be exercised by officers of the Force will extend over all officers lower in rank or junior in seniority in their unit and over all other ranks in the Force. It will also extend over such officers of any other unit in the Force lower in rank or junior in seniority as may be attached for duty to, or specially placed under the command of officers of a unit or formation.

Officers' powers of command.

(6) The duties of officers of the Force shall be the same as those prescribed in the Queen's Regulations so far as the same can be made applicable and as laid down in Regulations made under this Ordinance.

Duties of officers.

9. The Governor may cancel the commission of any officer at any time: provided that such commission shall not be cancelled unless the holder thereof has been notified in writing of any complaint or charge made, and of the action proposed to be taken against him, and has been called upon to show cause in relation thereto.

Cancellation of Commission.

10. The appointment and promotion of warrant officers and non-commissioned officers shall be vested in the Commandant.

Warrant Officers and Non-commissioned Officers.

11. Every member shall be liable to undergo such training as may from time to time be prescribed.

Liability for service and training.

12. (1) Members, other than officers, shall wear such uniform as the Governor shall direct, which shall be supplied to them on their enrolment and renewed at the public expense as the Commandant shall decide.

Uniform.

(2) Officers shall provide and maintain at their own expense such uniform as the Governor shall direct: provided that the Governor may grant an allowance to an officer in respect thereof.

Officers Uniforms.

13. (1) All arms, ammunition, musical instruments, clothing, appointments and necessaries issued on loan to any member of the Force shall be and remain the property of the Government and shall be produced, exhibited and delivered to the Commandant or to any person authorised by him to inspect or receive the same.

Arms and equipment etc. remain property.

(2) Every member shall pay to the Commandant the cost of repairing or replacing any rifle or appointments damaged, destroyed or lost by such member.

Cost of repairs.

14. Subject as hereinafter mentioned any member may, except when on active service, and except when the sections relating to compulsory service under this Ordinance are in force, quit the Force on complying with the following conditions :-

Right of member to quit Force.

- (i) he shall give the Commandant one month's notice in writing of his intention to quit the Force: provided that the Commandant may in his discretion dispense with such notice;
- (ii) he shall deliver up in good order (fair wear and tear only excepted) all arms, clothing and appointments being public property or property of the Force issued to him; and
- (iii) he shall pay all money due or becoming due by him under the rules of the Force either before or at the time or by reason of his quitting the Force;

and thereupon he shall be struck off the muster roll of the Force by the Commandant.

The Retired List.

Retired List.

15. (1) Any member who has been returned with efficiency for at least eighteen years or has been returned with efficiency for at least twelve years and has attained the age of forty-one years

(a) may at any time thereafter on application in writing to the Commandant be posted to the Retired List and his name shall thereupon be removed from the Active List,

(b) may at any time thereafter for any reason which the Commandant may deem sufficient, subject to the approval of the Governor, be posted to the Retired List and his name shall thereupon be removed from the Active List.

(2) Any member who

(a) has been returned with efficiency for at least five years and has been certified by a Medical Officer to be debarred from further service with the Force by reason of physical disability, not being the result of his own misconduct, or

(b) while on service with the Force, suffers a disability, not being the result of his own misconduct, and has been certified by a Medical Officer to be debarred in consequence from further service with the Force,

shall be posted to the Retired List and his name removed from the Active List.

(3) Previous service in the Royal Navy, the Regular Army, the Royal Air Force or any other permanent or auxiliary Military Force of the Commonwealth may be taken into consideration for the purpose of sub-sections (1) and (2) of this section.

(4) Every member on the Retired List may, at any military function or on any occasion when uniform is permitted to be worn, and with the approval of the Commandant, wear the uniform and badges of the substantive rank held by him at the time when he was posted to the Retired List. He shall wear the letters "R.L." below the badge of the Force worn on the shoulder straps.

(5) Any member on the Retired List may enjoy the privileges of the Defence Force Clubs as though he were an active member of the Force.

(6) Notwithstanding anything contained in this section any member who was posted to the Reserve Section of the Force under the provisions of the Defence Force Ordinance, 1920, as amended by the Defence Force (Amendment) Ordinance, 1938, may at the discretion of the Commandant be posted to the Retired List.

Active Service.

Governor may call out Force.

16. (1) The Governor may by Proclamation call out the Force or any unit or part thereof for active service, whenever it appears to him advisable to do so by reason of the existence of a state of war, or of any hostile invasion (or apprehended danger thereof), or in the event of any internal emergency threatening the security of life or property to quell which the available civil force is deemed by him inadequate.

Members to attend call.

(2) Every member so called out shall attend in obedience to the call and shall assemble at such place and perform such services as may be directed by the Governor.

Member called out deemed on active service.

(3) Every member so called out shall for the purposes of this Ordinance be deemed to be on active service. If any such member, not incapacitated by infirmity for service, refuses or neglects so to assemble as required by the Governor he shall be deemed to be a deserter.

(4) The period of such service shall continue so long as the Governor shall consider necessary, and shall end only by order of the Governor.

Period of active service.

(5) Nothing in this Ordinance shall render any member liable to serve or proceed on duty beyond the limits of the Colony or its Dependencies without his consent.

Liable to serve in Colony and its Dependencies.

17. The Commandant may, when the Force or any part thereof is called out for active service, impress motor vehicles, horses, carts, riding and driving gear and boats and their accessories, or any articles as the service may require.

Impressment of motor vehicles etc.

Compulsory Service.

18. (1) In the event of the Defence Force being called out for active service as hereinbefore provided, and the Governor considering it expedient that the numerical strength of the Force should be increased, he may by Proclamation call upon and require every male person over the age of eighteen and under the age of fifty-one years resident in the Colony, not being a member of the Force or exempt under the next succeeding section, to join and serve with the Force so called out, and every such person shall be required to assemble at such place and perform such service as may be directed by the Governor and shall be subject to the provisions of this Ordinance and shall serve as a member of the Force accordingly.

Application of compulsory service.

(2) Every person who, having been called out for service under the preceding sub-section, shall without lawful excuse fail to assemble at the time and place required or to perform such service as he shall have been from time to time directed to perform, shall be deemed to be a deserter.

19. The Governor in Council may exempt any person or class of persons from service in the Force.

Exemption from service.

Immunities.

20. (1) No action shall lie against any member of the Force, nor shall he be subject to any penalty or punishment, for any act or thing done by him in the execution of his duty as a member of the Force: provided that the act or thing was done in pursuance of a lawful command given to him by the Governor or a Magistrate or his superior officer or in defence of his post or person, or otherwise in the lawful performance of his duty.

Immunities of members.

(2) No action shall be brought against any person for anything done by him under this Ordinance unless the same shall be commenced within three months after the act complained of was committed, nor unless notice in writing of such action shall have been given at least one month before such action was commenced.

(3) No plaintiff in an action brought against any person in respect of any act performed under this Ordinance shall succeed unless he prove that such act was done maliciously, or without reasonable cause, or that it was carried out with gross negligence.

(4) Nothing in this Ordinance contained shall exempt any person from being prosecuted, tried and convicted before the ordinary tribunals of the Colony for any felony misdemeanour or offence against any law for the time being in force in the Colony: provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

21. (1) A member other than an officer shall, when he is on parade, or undergoing training, or wearing uniform, or performing any duty under this Ordinance, be deemed to have committed an offence if he, when he is not subject to the Army Act, does any of the following acts, namely -

Offences.

- (i) strikes, or uses or offers violence to, or uses threatening or insubordinate language to, or behaves with

- contempt to, his superior officer; or
- (ii) disobeys any standing order of, or lawful command given by, his superior officer; or
- (iii) is drunk; or
- (iv) being a warrant officer or a non-commissioned officer, strikes or ill-treats any person subject to military law or to this Ordinance who is his subordinate in rank or position; or
- (v) strikes, or uses or offers violence, to any person whether subject to military law or not in whose military custody he is placed, and whether such person is or is not his superior officer; or
- (vi) resists an escort whose duty it is to arrest him or detain him in military custody; or
- (vii) being under arrest or detention or otherwise in lawful military custody escapes or attempts to escape; or
- (viii) falsely personates any other person at any parade or on any occasion when such other person is required by this Ordinance or by Regulations made thereunder to do any act or attend at any place.

(2) A member, other than an officer, whether he is on parade or not, shall be deemed to have committed an offence if he, when he is not subject to the Army Act, does any of the following acts, namely -

- (i) without sufficient cause fails to appear at the place of parade at the time fixed or to attend at any place in his capacity as a member of the Force when duly required so to attend, or when on parade without sufficient cause quits the ranks; or
- (ii) when in charge of any property belonging to Government or to the Force makes away with, or is concerned in making away with, or wilfully injures, any such property; or
- (iii) by culpable neglect loses, or causes injury to any such property as is mentioned in sub-paragraph (ii); or
- (iv) when it is his official duty to make a declaration respecting any matter, makes a declaration respecting such matter which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true; or
- (v) knowingly makes against any person subject to military law or to this Ordinance an accusation which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true; or
- (vi) fails to return in good order the arms, ammunition, uniform and appointments issued to him when required to return them; or
- (vii) fails to attend before the Commandant when called on to do so; or
- (viii) is guilty of any act, conduct, disorder or neglect to the prejudice of good order and military discipline.

(3) An officer in uniform, whether or not doing duty as an officer, shall be deemed to have committed an offence and shall be liable to be dealt with for such offence if -

- (i) he is drunk,
- (ii) he is guilty of conduct unbecoming the character of an officer and a gentleman.

**Punishments
Powers of Commandant.**

22. (1) Subject to the provisions hereinafter contained the Commandant may impose the following punishments upon members of the Force - admonition, reprimand, severe reprimand, fine, reduction in rank, expulsion from the Force.

(2) Any member of the Force, other than an officer, who commits an offence under section 21 may be ordered by the Commandant to pay a fine not exceeding £15, or, if he is a warrant officer or a non-commissioned officer, to be reduced in rank.

Fines.

(3) A fine not exceeding £3 may be imposed by the Commandant after a summary trial by him.

(4) A fine exceeding £3 shall not be imposed by the Commandant unless the offence shall first have been investigated, and the person charged therewith found guilty, by a Court of Inquiry.

(5) An appeal to the Governor shall lie in every case where the fine imposed exceeds £3 or reduction in rank is ordered.

Appeal.

23. (1) The Commandant may, subject to such appeal to the Governor as is hereinafter mentioned, discharge from the Force any member thereof, and strike him off the strength, either for disobedience to orders by such member while on duty with the Force, or for neglect of duty or misconduct by him as a member of the Force, or for other sufficient cause, the existence and sufficiency of such cause to be judged by the Commandant or, in case of an appeal, by the Governor.

Expulsion from Force.

(2) Any member who feels aggrieved by such discharge may appeal to the Governor at any time within fourteen days after such discharge and the Governor may cancel or confirm such discharge or give such other directions with reference thereto as to him may seem just and proper, and his determination shall be binding on all persons.

Appeal to Governor.

(3) The Commandant may honourably discharge from the Force any member who is about to leave the Colony, or who has failed to be returned with efficiency during any one year through no fault of his own.

Honourable discharge.

(4) A member who is discharged from the Force shall be liable to deliver up in good order, fair wear and tear only excepted, all arms, ammunition, uniform and appointments, being public property or the property of the Force, issued to him, and to pay all moneys due or becoming due by him under this Ordinance or under the regulations, either before or at the time or by reason of his discharge.

Liability after discharge.

24. (1) If any member of the Force when he is on parade, or undergoing training, or wearing uniform, or on duty with the Force or any unit thereof, disobeys any lawful order of any officer under whose command he then is, or is guilty of misconduct, the officer then in command of the Force, or any superior officer under whose command the Force or such unit thereof then is, may order the offender, if an officer, into arrest, and if not an officer, into the custody of any member of the Force: provided that the offender shall not be kept in such arrest or custody longer than during the time that the Force or such unit thereof as aforesaid shall remain on duty. For the purposes of this provision any such member while going to or returning from any place of exercise, drill, or assembly shall be deemed to be on duty so long as he continues to wear uniform.

Arrest for breach of discipline.

(2) Every such arrest shall be forthwith reported to the Commandant or such other officer as may be prescribed in that behalf by the Regulations.

Arrest to be reported.

25. (1) The Army Act, shall, as to the provisions therein contained respecting discipline, apply to all members of the Force when -

Discipline on Active Service.

- (a) attached to or otherwise acting as part of any of Her Majesty's Regular Forces; or

(b) called out for full time or part time active service

subject to the following modifications – the words “the Force” shall be read therein for the words “Regular Forces”, the words “member of the Force” for the words “officer or soldier”, and the word “Governor” for the words “Her Majesty” and “Secretary of State”. Provided that no sentence of a Court Martial on a member of the Force shall be executed until the findings and sentence have been confirmed by the Governor.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions contained in the preceding sub-section no officer or member of the Force shall be liable to be punished for any offence both under the provisions of this Ordinance and under the provisions of the Army Act.

(3) Nothing in this section contained shall be deemed to limit or derogate from the power given by section one hundred and seventy-seven of the Army Act to the General Officer Commanding Her Majesty's Forces with which the Force is serving of making such exceptions or modifications as in the same section are referred to.

Financial.

Capitation grant.

26. It shall be lawful for the Colonial Treasurer, subject to the Regulations and on the warrant of the Governor, to pay annually out of the Revenue of the Colony to the Commandant for the purposes of the Force capitation grants, not exceeding the following rates :-

For every Member of the Force qualifying in any year as efficient :-

- (a) in drilling the sum of thirty shillings (30/-);
- (b) in both drilling and musketry the sum of two pounds (£2).

Travelling expenses of members.

27. Whenever any member shall be called out under this Ordinance on active service away from his place of residence he shall be entitled to receive, if willing to do so, his travelling expenses from and to such residence, and it shall be lawful for the Governor to fix the rate and amount of such expenses.

Pay and allowances on active service.

28. Every member called out under this Ordinance on active service shall receive from the Government such pay and allowances, quartering and billeting as the Governor shall from time to time direct, and while in receipt of such will not be entitled to claim pay from his employer, except at such times and under such conditions as are hereinafter specified.

Relief to families of members called out on active service.

29. Every member who, when called out under this Ordinance on active service, shall leave a wife, or a wife and family, shall during the period of absence on such active service be entitled to relief for his wife and family, and it shall be lawful for the Governor to fix the amount of such relief consideration being given to the amount of the pay and allowances granted to the member himself under the preceding section.

Pensions to members disabled on service and to widows and families of those killed on service.

30. Every member of the Force who shall have received wounds or injuries when called out under this Ordinance on active service, and the widows and families of all such members who may have been killed or have died within twelve months after having been wounded of wounds received during such active service, or have died within twelve months from illness directly traceable to fatigue or exposure incident to such active service, shall be entitled to such pensions or gratuities as shall be fixed by the Governor in Council.

Employer to pay members temporarily released from Military Duty.

31. (1) Any person may apply in writing to the Commandant for the temporary release from military duty of some member or members of the Force; such application shall be referred by the Commandant to the Colonial Secretary and, if endorsed by

him to the effect that such release is required for the performance of some work of immediate importance, the Commandant may thereupon release from military duty such member or members for such period or periods respectively as he shall think fit.

(2) During the period for which a member is so released from military duty no payment shall be made by the Government to or in respect of him under section 27 or 28 hereof, but the applicant shall be responsible for paying him full wages at the current rate for the work upon which he is employed, or, if he is an employee of the applicant, at the contract rate subsisting between them.

32. (1) All moneys subscribed by or for the use of the Force or any club of the Force, and all effects and other property belonging to the Force or any club of the Force, and the exclusive right to sue for and recover current subscriptions, arrears of subscriptions and other moneys due to the Force or to any club of the Force, shall vest in the Commandant for the time being and his successors in office, with power for him and them to bring actions, to make contracts and conveyances and to do all other lawful things in respect of or relating to the same; and any civil or criminal proceedings taken by virtue of this section by the Commandant shall not be discontinued or abated by his death, resignation or removal from office, but may be carried on by and in the name of his successor.

Funds and property vested in Commandant.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in the preceding sub-section it shall not be lawful for the Commandant to transfer any money or property of one club of the Force to another club thereof or to dispose of the same, unless he shall first have given written notice of his intention so to do and of his reasons therefor to the committee of such club, and to the Governor, and shall have obtained the consent in writing of the Governor.

Social Clubs.

33. Any social club or clubs of the Force may be formed with the approval of the Governor, and every such club shall be managed by a committee to be elected annually by the members of the club. The Commandant shall *ex-officio* be the chairman and the Adjutant shall *ex-officio* be a member of every such committee and the Commandant may nominate a club member, who need not be a member of the committee, to be chairman in his absence.

Social Clubs.

34. The committee of each social club may from time to time make, amend and revoke the rules for the management and maintenance by annual subscription or otherwise of such club. Provided that such rules and any alteration thereof by the Committee shall be subject to confirmation by a General Meeting of the club and shall not have effect unless and until they have received the approval of the Governor; and provided also that the Governor shall have overriding powers to make, amend and revoke any such rules. Rules so made and approved shall be binding on all members of the club.

Rules of clubs.

35. The provisions of sections 33 and 34 shall apply to all existing social clubs of the Force.

Application of sections 33 and 34 to existing clubs.

Courts of Inquiry.

36. (1) The Governor may at any time convene a Court of Inquiry, composed of officers or other persons, or of both, to inquire into any matter relative to the Force or to any part thereof, or to any officer or other member of the Force, and to record the facts and circumstances ascertained in such inquiry and, if required, to report upon the same for his information.

Governor may convene Court of Inquiry.

(2) The Commandant may at any time convene a Court of Inquiry composed of officers to inquire into any matter relative to any unit, or to any warrant officer, non-commissioned officer or private thereof, and to record the facts and circumstances ascertained

Commandant may convene Court of Inquiry.

on such inquiry and, if required, to report on the same for his information and assistance.

Power of Court of Inquiry.

37. Every Court of Inquiry shall have power to bring any member of the Force before it either by summons or if necessary by warrant of apprehension directed to any Police Officer or Constable.

Non-attendance of witness and contempt of Court.

38. If any person summoned or ordered to attend as a witness before a Court of Inquiry, after payment or tender of the reasonable expenses of his attendance :—

- (a) makes default in attending or in being in attendance; or
- (b) refuses to take an oath or affirmation which the Court of Inquiry requires him to take; or
- (c) refuses to produce any document in his power or control which the Court of Inquiry lawfully requires him to produce; or
- (d) refuses to answer any question which the Court of Inquiry lawfully requires him to answer; or
- (e) is guilty of any contempt of the Court of Inquiry by causing any interruption or disturbance in its proceedings or otherwise

the President of the Court of Inquiry may certify the default, refusal or contempt under his hand to a Judge or Magistrate having power to deal with or punish persons guilty of like acts or omissions in his Court, and such Judge or Magistrate may thereupon inquire into the same and, if the person is found guilty, deal with or punish him in like manner as if such default, refusal or contempt had been made or committed before him or in relation to his Court.

Offences.

Assaulting etc. member of Force.

39. If any person assaults or resists, or aids or abets any person in assaulting or resisting, any member of the Force in the discharge of his duty, he shall be punishable on summary conviction with a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds or with imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months.

Obstructing or molesting member.

40. If any person wilfully obstructs or molests any officer or member of the Force while on duty, he shall on the prosecution of the Commandant be liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, and may be arrested or given into custody by the senior officer, warrant officer or non-commissioned officer present at the time of the commission of such act and conveyed and handed over to the custody of the Police.

Wilful damage to guns, butts, etc.

41. If any person wilfully commits any damage to any gun, cannon, butt or target, hut, shed, emplacement, magazine or other property lawfully used by Her Majesty's Regular Forces or the Force or without the leave of the Commandant searches for bullets in or otherwise disturbs the soil of or near any such gun, cannon, butt or target, hut, shed, emplacement or magazine, he shall on the prosecution of the Commandant be liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds for every such offence and such penalty shall be in addition to his civil liability to make good the damage.

Wrongful retention or disposal of arms etc.

42. (1) If any person without lawful authority makes away with, lends, sells, pawns, wrongfully destroys or damages or negligently loses anything issued to a member of the Force or refuses or neglects when lawfully required, to produce, exhibit or deliver on demand anything which he is liable under this Ordinance or the Rules or Regulations made thereunder to produce exhibit or deliver, the value thereof shall be recoverable from him summarily by the Commandant or any officer authorised by him and he shall also, for every such offence, be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding five pounds.

(2) Whoever knowingly buys or takes in exchange or in pawn from any member of the Force or person acting on his behalf or solicits or entices any member of the Force to sell or pawn or knowingly assists or acts for any member of the Force in selling or pawning or has in his possession or keeping without satisfactorily accounting for the same any arms, ammunition, appointments, uniform, musical instruments or necessaries, being public property or the property of the Force, shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

43. If any employer or person by threats or otherwise willfully prevents or endeavours to prevent any one from becoming or from serving as a member of the Force, the Commandant may institute proceedings against such employer or person and such employer or person shall be liable on summary conviction, if the offence be committed in peace time, to a fine not exceeding twenty five pounds and, if committed at any time during which the Force or any part thereof is on active service, to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds for each such offence or repeated offence.

Preventing persons from joining Force.

Procedure.

44. In all proceedings under this Ordinance before a Court the Commandant may appear by any officer of the Force authorised by him in that behalf by writing under his hand.

Appearance by Commandant.

45. All fines imposed or moneys recoverable under section 13 (2), 14, 22, 23 and 32 of this Ordinance or under the Regulations, and not paid within ten days, may be recovered summarily as a civil debt by the Commandant or any officer of the Force authorised by him.

Recovery and application of fines.

Regulations.

46. (1) The Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations for all or any of the matters following :-

Regulations.

- (i) the administration and discipline of the Force;
- (ii) the appointment, promotion, transfer, leave, resignation and discharge from service of officers;
- (iii) the enrolment, transfer, leave, promotion, reduction, discharge, and dismissal of warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men, and the disbandment of any unit;
- (iv) the composition and proceedings of Courts of Inquiry;
- (v) the exemption of officers and members from carrying out the full course of training for any year;
- (vi) the issue and care of arms, uniforms and appointments;
- (vii) drill, training, the provision and use of targets, butts and shooting ranges;
- (viii) fixing standards of efficiency;
- (ix) the payment of capitation grants, and the amount thereof

and generally for giving further and better effect to the provisions of this Ordinance.

(2) Such regulations may provide for the punishment of any infraction thereof by a fine not exceeding £3, which may be imposed by the Commandant.

Repeal.

47. The Defence Force Ordinance, Chapter 19 of the Revised Edition of the Laws is hereby repealed: provided that all Rules, Regulations and Standing Orders made under the said Ordinance and existing and in force prior to the coming into operation of this

Repeal.

Ordinance shall apply to the Force established under this Ordinance and shall remain in operation until altered, amended, or rescinded by any Rules, Regulations or Standing Orders made in pursuance of the powers given by this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

x as the case may be. I do sincerely promise and swear (x or "solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare") that I will be faithful ^(a) and bear true allegiance) to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Her Heirs and Successors according to Law, and that I will faithfully serve Her Majesty in the Defence Force of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies for the defence of the same against Her Majesty's enemies and for the security of life or property, and in accordance with the Law under which I serve -

^(b) So help me God.

(a) Omit when not a British Subject.

(b) Omit in case of declaration.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

**An Ordinance
Road Traffic (Temporary Amendment)
Ordinance.** Title.

[1st January, 1954] Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Road Traffic (Temporary Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall continue in force until such date as shall be notified by the Governor by Proclamation and shall then expire. Short title.

2. So long as this Ordinance continues in force the provisions of section 4 of the Road Traffic Ordinance (Chapter 60) shall not have effect. Suspension of section 4 of Chapter 60.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of
January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 6



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., F.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To amend the Live Stock Ordinance.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Live Stock (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Live Stock Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 11 (1) of the principal Ordinance.

2. For the first proviso to subsection (1) of section 11 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following proviso :—

“Provided that for purposes previously approved in writing by the inspector, the inspector may advance or extend, for not more than 30 days, the period during which sheep must be dipped :”

Substitution of new form 4 in Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

3. For Form 4 in the Schedule to the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the Form 4 set out in the Schedule to this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

LIVE STOCK ORDINANCE
Form 4. (Section 40.)

Annual Return for the year ending 31st May, 19.....

Station..... Owner.....

Brand for Horses and Cattle Ear mark for Sheep

Sheep.

Number of sheep on 31st May.

Rams.	Breeding Ewes.	Other Ewes.		Wethers.	Lambs.	Total.
		Cast.	Maiden.			

Lambs.

	Ram	Ewe	Wether	Total	Percentage
Number at first marking	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Number marked during year	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____ of Breeding Ewes.
Number dipped	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____ of Lambs marked.

Sheep disposed of during year.				Stock acquired during year.			
LOCAL SALES				Type of Stock.	Country of origin or Station where bought.	Sex.	Total.
Breeding				
Mutton				
Freezer				
Boiling down				
Other purposes				
Exported				
Killed on Station for skins				
" " " " mutton				
Boiled down on Station				
Total				

Shearing.

Number of Sheep shorn between 1st June, 19..... and 31st May, 19.....

Hoggets Other Sheep Total

Wool Clip.

Average per sheep shorn (excluding Camp Wool) nett lbs.

Total wool baled nett lbs.

Labour on 31st May

Shepherds.	Navvies.	Other Hands.	Total.	Boys under 18 included in total.

Total population on 31st May.

Male.	Female.	Total.

Number of Houses on Station including Cookhouse..... Number vacant.....

Annual Rainfall in inches on Station where records are keptinches.

Horses.

Stallions.	Brood Mares.	Foals.	Yearlings & 2 years old.	All other.	Total.

Cattle.

Bulls.	Cows.	Calves.	Yearlings & 2 years old.	All other Oxen.	Total.

Swine.

Boars.	Breeding Sows & Gilts.	All under 6 months.	Total.

Poultry.

Hens.	Cocks.	Pullets.	Total.

Geese

Ducks

Turkeys

NOTE. All privately owned horses, cattle, swine, and poultry on the Station to be included in these returns.

Land under cultivation acres.

Area sown (a) Oats acres.

(b) Grass acres.

(c) Other crops acres.

Area mown for Grass Hay acres.

I solemnly declare that the foregoing is to the best of my knowledge and belief a correct and accurate statement.

Signature of Manager.

NOTE. This return must be made to the Agricultural Officer on or before 30th June in each year.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of January, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 7



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To further amend the Stanley Town Council Ordinance. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Stanley Town Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read and construed as one with the Stanley Town Council Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance). Short title.

2. Paragraph 2 of the First Schedule to the principal Ordinance is hereby amended in the following respects :— Amendment of Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

(a) by the deletion of all words commencing with the words "on the West" where they first appear and ending with the words "Murray Heights" and by the substitution therefor of the words —

"on the West by a line commencing on the upper limit of the foreshore at approximately nine hundred yards West of the West side of Sullivan House Jetty and running in a Southerly direction for approximately one hundred and sixty yards to the North-West Corner of Stanley Race Course"

(b) by the deletion of the words "on the South by the line of the second fence from the point where the Western

Boundary of the West Ward meet it" and by the substitution therefor of the words -

"on the South by a line commencing at the point where the Western Boundary of the West Ward meets the Stanley Race Course and running in an Easterly direction following the Northern Boundary of the Stanley Race Course for approximately seven hundred and fifty yards, thence in a Southerly direction for approximately one hundred and fifteen yards to the fence which runs East and West on the North face of the Murray Heights".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Ref. 0089/III.



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No. 3.

A Bill for An Ordinance To Amend the Customs Ordinance.

Title.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows:—

Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Customs Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Short title.

Cap. 16.

2. In section 2 of the principal Ordinance there shall be inserted immediately after the definition "Proper Officer" the following definition—

Amendment of Section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

" "Scheduled territories" means the territories specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance, so, however, that the Governor may at any time by Order-in-Council amend the said Schedule, either by the addition or exclusion of territories or otherwise;"

3. For subsection (1) of section 9 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following section:—

Repeal and replacement of section 9 (1) of the principal Ordinance.

"Preferential and general tariffs.

9. (1) Any order or resolution made or passed in accordance with section 5, may impose different rates of import duty upon goods which are shown to the satisfaction of the Collector to have been (1) consigned from any of the scheduled territories and (2) either (a) to be the produce of the scheduled territories, or (b) to have been manufactured in the scheduled territories (such duties to be distinguished in the order or resolution as duties imposed under the

Preferential Tariff), and upon goods not shown to the satisfaction of the Collector to have been so consigned and produced or manufactured (such duties to be distinguished as duties imposed under the General Tariff)".

Amendment of section 9
(2) of the principal
Ordinance.

4. Subsection (2) of section 9 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the deletion of the word "British".

Amendment of section 36
of the principal
Ordinance.

5. (1) In paragraph (a) of section 36 of the principal Ordinance -

(a) for the word "Ordinance" there shall be substituted the word and figures "Act, 1887,";

(b) for the words "British Commonwealth" there shall be substituted the words "scheduled territories".

(2) For paragraph (d) of section 36 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following paragraph :-

"(b) Clocks and watches or any other article of metal impressed with any mark or stamp representing or in imitation of any legal assay mark, or stamp, of a scheduled territory, or purporting by any mark or appearance to be of the manufacture of any scheduled territory, such clocks, watches or other articles not being of the manufacture of such scheduled territory".

Addition of schedule to
the principal Ordinance.

6. The following Schedule shall be added to the principal Ordinance.

"SCHEDULE

1. The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
2. The dependent territories of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
3. Canada.
4. The Commonwealth of Australia.
5. The dependent territories of the Commonwealth of Australia.
6. New Zealand.
7. The dependent territories of New Zealand.
8. The Union of South Africa including South-West Africa.
9. India.
10. Pakistan.
11. Ceylon.
12. The Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.
13. The Irish Republic.
14. Burma."

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Ordinance as it stands admits the importation of British Commonwealth goods at preferential rates of duty. This Bill seeks to extend to certain countries which are no longer members of the British Commonwealth the advantage of preferential tariff.

**A Bill for
An Ordinance**

To provide for the service of the year 1954-55. Title.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1954-55) Ordinance, 1954. Short title.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending 31st March, 1955, a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-four thousand one hundred and eighteen pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1954-55. Appropriation of £284,188 for service of the year 1954/55.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	4564	0	0
II.	Agriculture	4184	0	0
III.	Audit	949	0	0
IV.	Customs	1625	0	0
V.	Education	10761	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	18803	0	0
VII.	Medical	23135	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1334	0	0
IX.	Military	878	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	24885	0	0
XI.	Pensions	6408	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	3428	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	22067	0	0
XIV.	Public Works Department	17869	0	0
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	18474	0	0
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	10980	0	0
XVII.	Supreme Court	804	0	0
XVIII.	Extraordinary Expenditure	82250	0	0
	Total	£253398	0	0
XIX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	30720	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£284118	0	0

A Bill for An Ordinance

- Title.** To legalise certain payments made in the year 1952-53 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1952.
- Preamble.** WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1952-53.
- Enacting clause.** BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :—
- Short title.** 1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1952-53) Ordinance, 1954.
- Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1952/53.** 2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the year 1952-53, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
IV.	Communications	2138	3	5
V.	Customs	9368	9	7
XII.	Police & Prisons	56	19	10
XIV.	Public Works Department	182	5	9
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	5964	13	10
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	1561	17	3
XVII.	Supreme Court	63	2	0
	Total Expenditure	£ 19335	11	8



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NEW APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Draycott, D. J.	Education	Office-in-Charge	27.1.54	—
Bain, J. L.	Public Works	Plumber (Development Programme)	10.2.54	—
Cowling, J. R.	South Georgia	Meteorological Assistant	25.2.53	—
Ashmore, J. H.	Medical	Medical Officer	10.2.54	—
Grave, G. F.	"	" "	21.2.54	—
Schonfeld, L.	"	Dental Surgeon	10.2.54	—
Lippold, Miss H.	"	Nursing Sister	1.4.52	—
Rippon, S. R.	Agricultural	Meat Inspector	21.2.54	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Spencer, Miss S.	Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	14.3.52	—
Barnes, R.	" "	Messenger	5.9.53	—

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Goodwin, Miss C.	Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Treasury	15.2.54

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Hooley, T. V.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	20.6.53 to 9.2.54	Both dates inclusive.
Fleuret, D.	Police & Prisons	Police Constable	20.6.53 to 9.2.54	" " "
Pitaluga, Mrs. G.	Education	Assistant Teacher	20.6.53 to 9.2.54	" " "
Reichert, H.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	24.12.53 to 1.3.54	On completion of contract.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Goss, B. G.	South Georgia	Police Constable & Handyman	15.1.54	169 days	Inclusive of period of voyages.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 6. 3rd February, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of 14th January, 1954, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

B. Registered to practise in the Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Duncan, R. A.	B.D.S. (Belfast)	1952. Ref. 1326.

No. 7. 4th February, 1954.

Under the provisions of Section 20 of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HON. THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

to be a Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation for the Colony.

Ref. 0038/A.

No. 8. 5th February, 1954.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated the 30th of January, 1954, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Wednesday the 3rd of February, 1954.

Ref. P/363/V.

No. 9. 16th February, 1954.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SYDNEY MILLER

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Peter Robert Short, bachelor, and Alice Maud Anderson, spinster, at Roy Cove, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

No. 10. 19th February, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of 14th January, 1954, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

A. Registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Ashmore, James Hopkins	M.A., B.Ch., B.A.O. (Dublin)	1949. Ref. 1326.

No. 11. 24th February, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of 14th January, 1954, the following names are hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

A. Registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies-

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Grave, George Frank	M.B., B.S. (London)	1951
Schonfeld, Ludwig	D.M.D. (Kiel)	1952
		Ref. 1326.

Order by His Excellency the Governor made under Sections 5, 24 and 32 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951.

No 1 of 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951, is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Exchange Control (Payments) Order, 1954. Title.

2. In this Order :

Definition.

- (a) the expression "account" means a sterling account with a banker in the Colony;
- (b) the expression "transferable account" means any account which is for the time being recognised by the Bank of England for the purposes of the United Kingdom Order as a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order;
- (c) the expression "Argentine Guaranteed Account" means an account which is for the time being recognised by the Bank of England as an Argentine Guaranteed Account for the purposes of the United Kingdom Order;
- (d) the expression "Israel No. 2 Account" means an account of a person resident in Israel which is for the time being recognised by the Bank of England as an Israel No. 2 Account for the purposes of the United Kingdom Order;
- (e) the expression "Turkish Account" means an account of a person resident in Turkey which is for the time being recognised by the Bank of England as a Turkish Account for the purposes of the United Kingdom Order;
- (f) the expression "scheduled territories" has the meaning ascribed to it by section 2 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951.
- (g) the expression "United Kingdom Order" means the Exchange Control (Payments) Order, 1952, of the United Kingdom, made under the Exchange Control Act, 1947, of the United Kingdom, and includes any Order amending or replacing the same;
- (h) where among the territories specified in any of the Schedules to this Order two or more territories are grouped together, the expression "territory" shall include all the territories in that group.

3. There shall be exempt from the provisions of section 6 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951, anything done for the purpose of the transfer of the whole or any part of an amount standing to the credit of —

Exemption of certain transfers of money to and from non-resident accounts.

- (i) an account of a person resident outside the scheduled territories, being a transfer to or to the account of a person resident in the scheduled territories;
- (ii) an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the First Schedule to this Order, being a transfer to another account of a person resident in the same territory;

- (iii) an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, being a transfer to another account of a person resident in that territory, a transfer to the account of a person resident in or to a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, or a transfer to the account of a person resident both outside the scheduled territories and outside any of the territories specified in the First, Second or Third Schedules to this Order;
- (iv) a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, being a transfer to the account of a person resident in or to a transferable account relating to any of the said territories, or a transfer to the account of a person resident both outside the scheduled territories and outside any of the territories specified in the First, Second or Third Schedules to this Order;
- (v) an account (not being a transferable account) of a person resident in any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, being a transfer to the account of a person resident in or to a transferable account relating to the same territory;
- (vi) an account of a person resident both outside the scheduled territories and outside any of the territories specified in the First, Second or Third Schedules to this Order being a transfer to another such account.

Exemptions of certain payments to non-residents.

4. There shall be exempt from the provisions of section 6 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951, any payment made in the Colony to a person resident outside the scheduled territories :-

- (i) by a person resident outside the scheduled territories if that payment is made out of -
 - (a) any notes of a class which are or have at any time been legal tender in the Colony and which have been legally imported into the Colony, or
 - (b) any money withdrawn from an account in favour of that person with a banker in the Colony, or
 - (c) any moneys arising from the sale of foreign currency by that person to an authorised dealer, or
 - (d) any foreign currency which has been legally imported into the Colony provided that the payment is not made as consideration for or in association with the receipt by any person of sterling;
- (ii) by a person resident in the scheduled territories if that payment -
 - (a) does not exceed £10 sterling in value, and
 - (b) does not form part of a transaction or series of transactions wherein the aggregate value of the payments exceed £10 sterling in value.
- (iii) by a banker in the Colony acting in the course of his business if that payment -
 - (a) is made from moneys standing to the credit of an account in favour of that person with that banker, or
 - (b) is in respect of the encashment by that person of a travellers' cheque or letter of credit in favour of that person.

Applications of section 24 of Exchange Control Ordinance.

5. (1) Section 24 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951, shall apply to territories outside the scheduled territories.

(2) The prescribed manners of payment for the purposes

of the said section 24 in relation to goods exported to a destination in any of the said territories are the manners specified in relation to those territories respectively in the second column of the Fourth Schedule hereto.

6. (1) The provisions of this Order shall have effect subject to any restrictions imposed by any direction given by the Governor under section 33A of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951.

Certain non-resident accounts not exempted.

(2) The exemptions from the provisions of section 6 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951, granted by this Order, shall not apply in relation to the transfer of the whole or any part of an amount standing to the credit of—

- (a) an account of a person resident in the Argentine Republic, being a transfer to an Argentine Guaranteed Account;
- (b) an account of a person resident in China;
- (c) an account of a person resident in Formosa;
- (d) an Israel No. 2 Account, except in so far as the transfer may be from one such account to another such account;
- (e) an account of a person resident in Iran.

(3) The exemptions from the provisions of section 6 of the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951, granted by this Order, shall not apply in relation to the transfer of an amount from any account, being a transfer to the account of a person resident in China to the account of a person resident in Formosa or to the account of a person resident in Iran.

Dated this 25th day of January, 1954.

By Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

FIRST SCHEDULE

- Group 1. The Argentine Republic.
- Group 2. The Belgian Monetary Area, that is to say, Belgium, Luxembourg, Belgian Congo and the Trust Territory of Ruanda-urundi.
- Group 3. Brazil.
- Group 4. Bulgaria.
- Group 5. The French Franc Area, that is to say, Metropolitan France (including Corsica), the Principality of Monaco, The Saar Territory, The French Overseas Departments (Algeria, Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, Reunion), the Protectorates of Morocco and Tunisia, French West Africa, French Equatorial Africa, The French Trust Territories of Cameroon and Togo, Madagascar and its dependencies, Comoro Islands, St. Pierre and Miquelon, French Establishments in India, The Associated States of Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam, New Caledonia and its dependencies, French Establishments in Oceania, Condominium of the New Hebrides.
- Group 6. The French Somali Coast.
- Group 7. Hungary.
- Group 8. Israel.
- Group 9. Japan, that is to say, the four main islands of Japan (Hokkaido, Honshu, Kyushu and Shikoku) and the adjacent islands excluding those islands under United States administration.
- Group 10. The Lebanon.
- Group 11. Paraguay.
- Group 12. Peru.
- Group 13. The Portuguese Monetary Area, that is to say, Portugal and the Portuguese Empire.
- Group 14. Roumania.
- Group 15. Switzerland and Liechtenstein.

- Group 16. Syria.
 Group 17. The Tangier Zone of Morocco.
 Group 18. Turkey.
 Group 19. Uruguay.
 Group 20. The Vatican City.
 Group 21. Yugoslavia.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

- Group 1. Canada.
 Group 2. The United States of America, and any territory under the Sovereignty of the United States of America; Pacific Islands formerly under Japanese administration but now under United States administration; the Philippine Islands; Bolivia, Columbia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Haiti, Republic of Honduras, Liberia, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, El Salvador and Venezuela.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

- Group 1. Austria.
 Group 2. Chile.
 Group 3. Czechoslovakia.
 Group 4. Denmark, the Faroe Islands and Greenland.
 Group 5. Egypt, and that area of the former territory of Palestine at present administered by Egypt.
 Group 6. Ethiopia.
 Group 7. Finland.
 Group 8. Greece.
 Group 9. The Italian Monetary Area, that is to say, the Italian Republic, the Republic of San Marino, the territory of Somaliland under Italian Administration and Zone "A" of the Free Territory of Trieste.
 Group 10. The Netherlands Monetary Area, that is to say, the Netherlands, the Republic of the United States of Indonesia, the Netherlands New Guinea, Surinam and the Netherlands Antilles.
 Group 11. Norway.
 Group 12. Poland.
 Group 13. The Spanish Monetary Area, that is to say, the Peninsula Territories of the Spanish State, the Canary Isles and the Balearic Isles, Ceuta and Melilla, the Spanish Zone of Morocco and the Spanish Colonies.
 Group 14. The Anglo-Egyptian Sudan.
 Group 15. Sweden.
 Group 16. Thailand.
 Group 17. The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.
 Group 18. The Western Zones of Germany, that is to say, the territory of the Federal Republic of Germany and the French, British and United States Sectors of Berlin.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

<i>Description of Territories.</i>	<i>Prescribed manners of payment.</i>
1. Austria 	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Austria, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
2. Belgian Monetary Area 	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories comprised in the Belgian Monetary Area, and (b) Payment in Belgian, Luxembourg or Congolese francs.
3. Canada 	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, (b) Payment in Canadian dollars, and (c) Payment in United States dollars.

<i>Description of Territories.</i>	<i>Prescribed manners of payment.</i>
4. Chile	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Chile, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
5. China	Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in China.
6. Czechoslovakia	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Czechoslovakia, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
7. Denmark, the Faroe Islands and Greenland.	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Denmark, the Faroe Islands or Greenland, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, and (d) Payment in Danish kroner or Faroese kroner.
8. Egypt, and that area of the former territory of Palestine at present administered by Egypt.	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Egypt or that area of the former territory of Palestine at present administered by Egypt, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
9. Ethiopia	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Ethiopia, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
10. Finland	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Finland, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
11. Formosa	Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Formosa.
12. French Franc Area ...	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories comprised in the French Franc Area, and (b) Payment in the currency of any of the territories comprised in the French Franc Area.
13. French Somali Coast ...	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in the French Somali Coast, and (b) Payment in Djibouti francs.

<i>Description of Territories.</i>	<i>Prescribed manners of payment.</i>
14. Greece	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Greece. (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
15. Iran	Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Iran.
16. Israel	Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Israel other than an Israel No. 2 Account.
17. The Italian Monetary Area	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories comprised in the Italian Monetary Area. (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
18. Netherlands Monetary Area	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories comprised in the Netherlands Monetary Area, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, and (d) Payment in the currency of the Netherlands, Surinam or the Netherlands Antilles.
19. Norway	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Norway, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, and (d) Payment in Norwegian kroner.
20. Poland	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Poland, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
21. Portuguese Monetary Area	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories comprised in the Portuguese Monetary Area, and (b) Payment in Portuguese escudos.
22. Spanish Monetary Area	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories comprised in the Spanish Monetary Area, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
23. Anglo-Egyptian Sudan ...	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and

<i>Description of Territories.</i>	<i>Prescribed manners of payment.</i>
	(c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
24. Sweden	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Sweden, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, and (d) Payment in Swedish kroner.
25. Switzerland and Liechtenstein	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Switzerland or Liechtenstein, and (b) Payment in Swiss francs.
26. Thailand	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in Thailand, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
27. Turkey	Payment in sterling from a Turkish account.
28. The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
29. The United States of America and other territories specified in Group 2 of the Second Schedule to this Order.	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, (b) Payment in United States dollars, and (c) Payment in Canadian dollars.
30. The Western Zones of Germany	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in the Western Zones of Germany, (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
31. Any other territory mentioned in the First Schedule to this Order.	Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in the territory concerned.
32. All other territories outside the scheduled territories not being territories mentioned in the First, Second, Third or Fourth Schedules to this Order.	(a) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any of the territories concerned. (b) Payment in sterling from a transferable account relating to any territory specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and (c) Payment in sterling from an account of a person resident in any territory specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.

Regulations made by the Governor in Council (with the approval of the Legislative Council) under the power conferred by Section 3 of the Pensions Ordinance.

MILES CLIFFORD,

Governor.

No. 1 of 1954.

Short title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pensions Regulations, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations".

Increase of rates of pension.

2. Notwithstanding anything contained in Regulation 4 of the principal Regulations the pensions of officers who have been granted pensions under the Ordinance shall be increased as follows:—

- (a) in respect of the period from the 31st of December, 1943, to the 30th of November, 1946, by the amount by which corresponding pensions may be increased under the provisions of the United Kingdom Pensions (Increase) Act, 1944, subject to the limitations and conditions therein contained, other than the condition contained in sub-section (2) (a) of section 1 thereof;
- (b) in respect of the period from the 1st of December, 1946, to the 31st of March, 1953, by the amount by which corresponding pensions may be increased under the provisions of the United Kingdom Pensions (Increase) Act, 1947, subject to the limitations and conditions therein contained; and
- (c) in respect of the period which commenced on the 1st of April, 1953, by the amount by which corresponding pensions may be increased under the provisions of the United Kingdom Pensions (Increase) Act, 1952, subject to the limitations and conditions therein contained.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council on the 23rd of February, 1954.

J. BOUND,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Approved at a Meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 8th of January, 1954.

J. BOUND,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Ref. 66/42.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of Meeting held on the 8th of January, 1954.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.
 The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable the Agricultural Officer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe.
 The Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton.
 The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. W. W. Blake.

1. The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer was presented with the Insignia of the Order of the British Empire.
2. The Minutes of the Meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 5th and 12th of March, 1953, were confirmed.
3. His Excellency the Governor addressed the Council as follows :-

Honourable Members of the Legislative Council :

My purpose in summoning today's meeting is to report back to you on the action taken by the Government with regard to certain conclusions reached at our informal Conference in July and to seek your retrospective approval, where necessary; to consider and debate a number of motions - two of them of some importance - and to dispose of seven Bills, thus leaving the way clear for the Budget Session which I propose to take towards the end of February.

Reverting to the July Conference, you may remember that the first subject we discussed was the Darwin School and I am happy to tell you that the materials for this are expected here in March; I understand that building will commence in the Spring so it is reasonable to suppose that the School will be ready for occupation in 1956. We agreed that the Government should meet any capital expenditure over and above the £20,000 subscribed by the Falkland Islands Company, up to a maximum of £10,000; that it should, in addition, furnish and equip the School and thereafter staff and maintain it. You will be asked to confirm this by formal Resolution. The Superintendent of Education who goes on leave by the next "Fitzroy", has been instructed to select the necessary furniture and equipment, personally, and to place firm orders through the Crown Agents so ensuring that we get exactly what we want and that everything will be here in good time.

I would like to take this opportunity of complimenting the Falkland Islands Company on the public spirit they have shown over this matter which its present Chairman discussed with me as long ago as 1946; it is to him more than to anyone that the Colony is indebted for this welcome venture and if parents and farmers will give it the sincere and active support that it deserves I have little doubt that, within a few years, we shall be well on the road to solving the long-standing problem of Camp Education.

We next considered the very formidable task of the rehabilitation - amounting to reconstruction - of the Stanley roads, together with the associated requirements of paving, electric cable extensions, storm drainage, sewerage and of course the new water supply system which Major Pape's report had shown to be necessary. We decided that these several tasks were so closely inter-related that they must be tackled as one operation and that if they are to be completed before we are all too old to reap the benefit, we must put the job out to contract in the United Kingdom. I pursued this line at once but am advised that no contractor would be likely to look at it except on an "on cost" basis which would certainly be unsatisfactory and might be ruinous; the only alternative, I am told, is to engage a competent Engineer for the life of the undertaking, import the necessary plant and labour, and do the job ourselves.

The immediate requirement is the Engineer since until he has examined the various problems on the spot, we cannot get a firm estimate of cost (apart from the water supply scheme for which we already have a close approximation) and so cannot decide on the best method of financing that part of the commitment which cannot be met from Revenue; whether by Loan spread over, say, twenty years or partly by Loan and partly from our Reserves, or wholly from Reserve funds. I have therefore asked the Secretary of State to engage a fully competent Engineer for us and to get him out here as soon as possible, which he is proceeding to do; but he has warned me that we must expect to pay anything from £1,500 to £2,000 a year, or more, for such a man which - clearly - we must accept and here again you will be asked to give your formal assent to his engagement. He will need the assistance of a Surveyor during his investigations and I have arranged to retain one of the out-going FIDS Surveyors, Mr Blaiklock, for this purpose; it will save passages and incidental expenses and cost nothing more than his salary and lodging allowance during the time the Engineer requires his services.

One consideration we will have to bear in mind, once the roads are in order, is the safety factor; even today there are getting on for three times as many motor vehicles as before the war and by then there will be many more. We will need to impose a strict speed limit, ensure that all vehicles are in sound mechanical condition - particularly as regards their brakes and steering - and set a high standard for the issue of driving licences.

While on the subject of roads, I propose to introduce a Bill this morning empowering the Government to suspend collection of Vehicle Licence fees until the programme, so far as it concerns the built-up area, is completed.

There was unanimous support in favour of raising the free limit for the application of Export Duty on wool and a Resolution to this effect will be proposed by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

We also debated a proposal for financial participation in the Freezer but as the considerations on which we based our conclusion were erroneous and as I am more than ever convinced of its importance to our future economy, I propose that we should re-examine the matter. We were told – and I was not in a position to contravert it – that the Company had been launched with capital in the sum of £360,000 and I at once took this up with the Corporation since, clearly, the venture could never hope to carry such a burden. In fact, I am told that it was handed over with all its assets at a figure of £250,000 and the minutes of the meeting in London at which this was done, contain no indication that this figure was opposed or even criticised. I have since had an opportunity of discussing this aspect of the matter with Mr. Harding, Chairman of the local Company, and with Mr. Bonner, one of its Directors; both attended this meeting and both share my view that this is a development with which the Government ought properly to be associated as the alternative to decrying, or seeming to decry, an idea which the Government itself sold to the Colonial Development Corporation. That the idea in itself was sound, is still sound, can be denied by no thinking person and the time will come when we may have cause to thank God for it; I was reading only a week or so ago an official American trade report which drew attention to the diminishing demand for natural wool resulting from the increased production of synthetic fibres.

That the operations at Ajax Bay were carried out with a good deal of extravagance and misdirection is not to be denied and the present Board of the Corporation would be the last to attempt this; but it is also to be remembered that the undertaking has cost the British taxpayer more than double the issued capital and that a good deal of this money has gone into Colony pockets.

As an alternative to direct participation I understand that an interest-free loan, secured on the assets, would be acceptable and Honourable Members will be invited to consider this possibility. It amounts, really, to plunging back into the industry some of the money which Government has taken out of it; as a Colony, we have enjoyed very prosperous times during recent years and it seems hardly decent to allow the British taxpayer to carry, unaided, the burden of a project which has been introduced for our benefit. That, anyway, is how I see it.

It remains only for me to urge Farmers to support the Freezer purposefully, and to make long term plans now for such support: for if it should fail through lack of this, and its assets be dispersed, there will be no second chance.

To stimulate thought on this important subject, I have recently circulated to Farmers a paper written by the Honourable the Agricultural Officer and although I think that his figure of 6d to 7d a lb. dressed weight at the Freezer is unlikely of attainment, I equally think that his ideas are well worthy of examination.

My recommendation, which you endorsed, that we should appoint a whole-time Secretary to the Broadcasting Committee has been implemented. The new 5 k/w Transmitter which we have received as a free gift from Her Majesty's Government has arrived and has been erected; I hope that Camp representatives will be able to find time while they are in Stanley to go up and look at it – the Superintendent will be very pleased to show them round. We are expecting the aerials and rediffusion equipment within the next few weeks and as, in a major undertaking such as this, it is never worth spoiling the ship for a ha'porth of tar we are arranging for the G.P.O. engineer who checked and assembled the equipment in England before it was shipped to come out and supervise the final installation. It is extremely good of the Postmaster General to help us in this way and there is now every reasonable prospect of a far more satisfactory service for Camp listeners before the winter sets in.

I think we are all sensible of the improvement in programmes during the past twelve months and have no doubt that you will wish me to express your appreciation to Mr. Mortimer who has given up so much of his spare time to it and who is shortly leaving the Colony.

That, Honourable Members, disposes of the subjects dealt with at our Conference with the exception of one, which we talked round and about without arriving at any useful conclusions; this I must now refer to in some detail as it has given rise to Resolution No. 4 on the Order Paper, the Government's proposals for a further revision of the pay and conditions of its Civil Servants. These proposals have been circulated and because they have occasioned a certain measure of misconception in some quarters I would ask Honourable Members to grant me their indulgence while I attempt to explain the Government's point of view. And I would particularly urge Honourable Unofficial Members to approach the problem with open minds, and as individuals.

By way of introduction let me say that I yield place to no-one in this House in my sincere concern for the good of the Service and of this, I have reason to believe, the Service is well aware; there can be few, if any, of its members who were serving when I came here in 1946 who do not find themselves materially better off today. But we must be realistic. For no other reason than a lack of educational and training facilities within the Colony, it happens that we must look outside it to fill a proportion – and not a high proportion – of the posts in the Establishment; and whenever we do this we have to pay the market price which is always and inevitably higher than for comparable employments here. In addition, we have often to offer a bit more than the market price to tempt the individual to go so far afield – it is a very long way. I have in mind at this moment what I will describe as the technical employments and since we cannot afford to apply English rates of pay throughout the Service this has the effect of pushing the overseas employee into a higher grade which I am anxious to avoid.

What I have said about the "technicians" is equally true of the professional appointments – the Doctors, the Dentists, the Nurses and Teachers. And here, in the case of the last two, we have not only to comply with "national" awards such as the Whitley Council and Burnham scales for Nurses and Teachers which are assessed on considerations which have little or no relevance here, but have also to compete with the larger and wealthier Colonies so it is small wonder that both the Secretary of State and the Crown Agents have found great difficulty in filling our vacancies and on occasion, increasingly frequent occasion I fear, unable to do so at all.

Recognising the need for some further improvement in the pay and conditions of locally recruited staff, and believing – as all the available evidence suggests – that there is small likelihood of any

appreciable reduction in the cost of living, we propose to merge the present cost of living allowance, with certain modifications, into salaries and to make all male employees on the permanent establishment pensionable on these new rates.

Then, to make it possible to recruit where we need to do so from overseas we propose to pay an Expatriation Allowance which, reduced to the simplest terms, represents the difference between what we consider the job to be worth locally - that is to say in the light of our economic circumstances - and what we have to pay to get it done when we are compelled to go to the open market; as a rule, such men come to us either on secondment from some other and better paid Administration, or on short contract and in either case there is a genuine disturbance factor to be taken into account. This is no new device and has long been practised by other Colonies for the very same reason that we are proposing to introduce it here; and not only by other Colonies, but by countries such as India and Pakistan and Palestine and Iraq and many another. We are, today, probably one of the few exceptions; I have set my face against this expedient as long as I could but I realise that it is no longer prudent or indeed possible to do so.

The beneficial effect of this, apart from the improvement in our recruiting prospects, will be that "the rate for the job" will be the same whoever does it, whether a local man or one from overseas; both will be in the same official category or grade and the only difference will be that the overseas man will get this allowance, amounting to about 20% for disturbance or expatriation or whatever you like to call it. And since we have to pay the additional emolument, anyway, we are really doing no more than admit the necessity; and of course it works the other way as well for I can call to mind two Falkland Islanders who have been transferred on promotion who are drawing Expatriation Allowance and two others who are certainly getting more than their local counterparts.

I greatly hope that the new Scholarship scheme, with the opportunity it offers for further education in England, will enable our young people to qualify themselves for posts in the Colony - and not only in the Government - which must, for the present, be filled by recruitment from overseas. Nor will we neglect any legitimate opportunity of sending selected individuals home for training where they have the necessary background and character to enable them to take full use of such training. Honourable Members may recall some disappointments we have suffered in this direction in the past but we are, nevertheless, planning to send one of our apprentice carpenters home this year for a full course of training as a Shipwright in Thornycroft's yards and hope, also, to send a senior member of the Posts & Telegraphs staff to England for a course of study in electronics. I would remind you also that all local Nurses are eligible on attaining the necessary standard of proficiency, and being of good conduct, to go home for training at a teaching Hospital which will lead to full SRN qualifications and the Whitley Council salary award which goes with this.

Some criticism has been offered about the proposed scales for junior non-skilled employments but I must observe that the Cost of Living Allowance and the Labour Advisory Board's recommendations have, between them, landed us in a position where we are paying preposterously high salaries to children straight out of school which has caused a good deal of resentment to their elders and betters besides being intrinsically unsound; we must obviously get back on to level ground and in doing so must be prepared to face whatever difficulties may arise.

In conclusion I would observe that notwithstanding any impressions to the contrary, this is NOT a hastily conceived scheme which I am seeking to push through on the eve of my departure but one which those of us who are chiefly concerned have given much thought and consideration since my return from leave. It has received the full support of my advisers in Executive Council - tempered, in the case of two of my Unofficial advisers, as to the effect that this may have on Camp wages; but that, of course, is an entirely separate consideration - and has also been endorsed by the Secretary of State who has, in fact, urged me to go further in some respects than I had proposed. I am satisfied that it represents a fair, dispassionate and realistic approach to the goal which we all wish to attain - an efficient and contented Service. Before leaving this subject I must reply to a suggestion of the Honourable the Second Member for Stanley during the Conference to the effect that the Government Officers were grossly over-staffed. I promised him that I would look into this and I find that the total increase since 1946 is seven - 1 in the Secretariat, 1 each in the Audit and Harbour which are both new Departments and two each in the Treasury and Posts & Telegraphs. When one considers the increase in public business, in postal and telegraph traffic, Savings Bank transactions, Children's Allowances, Old Age Pensions and FIDS Accounts which together with UNO questionnaires are quite a recent commitment I cannot accept his suggestion and can, on the contrary, assure the House that the clerical staff is fully occupied.

Of the Bills to be presented to you only one, providing for certain alterations in the disciplinary code and internal economy of the Defence Force, is even remotely contentious; it has been drafted in consultation with representative members of the Force and it should bring about a considerable improvement. This Bill will be introduced by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary who will elaborate, as required, on its various provisions.

Honourable Members, I have detained you rather longer than I had thought to do and we will now proceed with the business of the day.

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the table the following Papers :-

- (i) Copies of subsidiary legislation made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last meeting of the Legislative Council.
- (ii) Report of the Standing Finance Committee for the period June to December, 1953.
- (iii) Certificate of Urgency signed by His Excellency the Governor.

5. The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe, seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, moved the adoption of the following Resolution :-

"WHEREAS it is provided by section 3 (i) of the Pensions Ordinance that pensions may be granted by the Governor in Council in accordance with regulations made under the said Ordinance to officers who have been in the service of the Colony, and that any such Regulations

may be given retrospective effect, provided that, in such case, such Regulations shall have received the prior approval of the Legislative Council signified by Resolution :

AND WHEREAS the Governor in Council proposes to make Regulations under the said Ordinance (intended to be entitled the Pensions Regulations, 1954) for the purpose of providing that the pensions of officers who have been granted pensions under the Ordinance shall be increased as follows :—

- (a) in respect of the period from the 31st of December, 1943, to the 30th of November, 1946, by the amount by which corresponding pensions may be increased under the provisions of the United Kingdom Pensions (Increase) Act, 1944, subject to the limitations and conditions therein contained, other than the condition contained in sub-section (2) (a) of section 1 thereof;
- (b) in respect of the period from the 1st of December, 1946, to the 31st of March, 1953, by the amount by which corresponding pensions may be increased under the provisions of the United Kingdom Pensions (Increase) Act, 1947, subject to the limitations and conditions therein contained; and
- (c) in respect of the period which commenced on the 1st of April, 1953, by the amount by which corresponding pensions may be increased under the provisions of the United Kingdom Pensions (Increase) Act, 1952, subject to the limitations and conditions therein contained.

AND WHEREAS the said proposed Regulations have been this day submitted to the Legislative Council of the Colony:

It is Resolved by the said Council that the same be, and they are hereby approved”.

The Honourable Mr. Briscoe went on to explain that the object of the Resolution was to mitigate the hardship caused to the Colony's pensioners through the increased cost of living since 1944 and that the proposed increases follow the practice in other Colonies and the United Kingdom.

The Resolution was unanimously adopted.

6. The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe introduced a Resolution in the following terms whereby Government would purchase 3% Debenture Stock not exceeding £50,000 in the Falkland Islands Freezer Company and waive interest on such Debenture Stock for two years :—

“BE IT RESOLVED—

This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from Public Funds of a sum not exceeding fifty thousand pounds (£50,000) for the purchase of 3% Debenture Stock in the Falkland Islands Freezer Company, Limited, and furthermore agrees to waive the payment of interest on such Debenture Stock for the two years following the date of purchase”.

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded and on the Resolution being put to debate the Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, supported by the Honourable Mr. W. W. Blake, expressed concern regarding the security of the loan and proposed that the matter be further discussed in Committee of the whole Council.

Council were unanimously in agreement.

7. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary before moving the adoption of the Resolution to amend the Customs Ordinance stated that the purpose of the Resolution was to give effect to His Excellency's assurance at the Joint Conference of the Executive and Legislative Councils last year, that as a result of increased production costs some measure of relief in wool tax would be introduced. He then moved the following Resolution :—

“WHEREAS it is provided in section 5 of the Customs Ordinance that it shall be lawful for the Legislative Council from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties of customs upon any goods whatsoever which may be imported into or exported from the Colony, and to revoke, reduce, increase or alter any such duties, and to provide for the importation or exportation of any goods without payment of customs duties thereon :

AND WHEREAS import and export duties of customs have been imposed by the Customs Order as amended :

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that certain export duties of customs upon wool should be altered as hereinafter provided :

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested in it aforesaid, this Council resolves and it is hereby resolved that section 3 of the Customs Order shall be further amended in the following respects :—

- (a) by deleting the following words and figures :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip does not exceed 10d., .25d. per lb”.

and substituting therefor the following words and figure :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip does not exceed 15d., nil”.

- (b) by deleting the following words and figures :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip exceeds 10d. but does not exceed 20d., .5d. per lb.

and substituting therefor the following words and figures :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip exceeds 15d. but does not exceed 20d., .5d. per lb.”

The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe seconded, and the Resolution was adopted.

In speaking to the Resolution the Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton thanked His Excellency for this concession but wished to make it clear that tax relief up to 15d. per lb. was not in his opinion sufficient and he asked if His Excellency could give an assurance that should the price of wool drop below the real production figure - which he estimated at about 28d. per lb. - further relief would be forthcoming.

His Excellency assured him that if Government was satisfied that the price of wool had dropped below the cost of production further relief would be considered.

8. The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer moved the adoption of the following Resolution :-

"WHEREAS additional provision is required for the service of the Colony for the year ending the 31st of March, 1954, for the period 1st October to 31st March.

BE IT RESOLVED—

This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from public funds of the sum of Nine hundred and Sixty-five pounds (£965) to meet the several charges itemised in the accompanying Schedule".

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary explained that though the Resolution as it stood was a bare request for additional provision, in fact it represented the amount required to cover the salary revision proposals which had been circulated to Honourable Members; in view of the number and diversity of important principles involved in these proposals he moved that the matter be referred to a Committee of the whole Council and that strangers should be required to withdraw.

On the seconding of the motion by the Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, the Council adjourned.

When Council resumed Resolution (ii) on the Agenda was taken first and the Honourable Mr. W. W. Blake moved that the Resolution should be adopted provided that should the Freezer at some future date cease to function Government as first Debenture holders would have first claim on stock assets. His Excellency gave an assurance that this would be arranged and the Resolution was adopted.

9. On Resolution (iv) being referred back to Council His Excellency decided to defer the Motion until the next meeting and to appoint a Commission to consider and report. Council were pleased to leave the constitution of the Commission to His Excellency.

10. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary in introducing the Resolution for the approval of certain financial principles in respect of the proposed Boarding School at Darwin, stated that this motion was being tabled merely to confirm the decision taken at the Joint Conference of the Executive and Legislative Councils in July last. He then moved the Resolution as follows :-

"WHEREAS certain informal discussions on the subject of the proposed Boarding School at Darwin were held at a Joint Conference of the Executive and Legislative Councils on the 27th of July, 1953.

BE IT RESOLVED that this Council hereby approves the following financial principles :-

- (a) That, should the capital cost of erecting the School exceed the sum of £20,000 to be contributed by the Falkland Islands Company, Government will provide such further capital as may be needed to complete the project up to a maximum liability of £10,000.
- (b) That Government will be responsible for the staffing, furnishing, equipment and maintenance of the school after its completion".

The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe seconded the Resolution and when put to the vote all Honourable Members were in favour.

11. Before moving the Resolution seeking the approval of certain financial principles in respect of the Stanley Major Works Programme, the Honourable the Colonial Secretary explained that this Resolution also sought to confirm the recommendations of the Joint Conference in respect of the engagement of a qualified engineer and the method of financing the major works programme.

He then moved the following Resolution which was seconded by the Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe and adopted.

"WHEREAS there is an urgent need to carry out a number of inter-related public works in Stanley.

BE IT RESOLVED that this Council approves :-

- (a) The engagement of a qualified engineer to plan and supervise these works, and,
- (b) That the cost of these works, which can only be estimated very approximately as in the region of £300,000 should be met wholly or in part by the raising of a public loan".

12. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance" and explained that the object of the amendment was to clarify the legal position of an officer appointed substantively to a post during the period when the holder of that post was on leave of absence pending final retirement.

The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe seconded the Bill and it was read a second time.

Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment :-

By the deletion of the figures "1953" and the substitution of the figures "1954".

Clause 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

13. On the motion of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To amend the Public Health Ordinance" was read a first time. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary stated that the Bill was designed to bring the law relating to vaccination, which was based on the Ordinance of 1868, into line with modern medical practice.

The Bill was then read a second time and Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment :-

By the deletion of the figures "1953" and the substitution of the figures "1954".

Clauses 2 to 4 were agreed to. The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to. The Council resumed. The Bill was then read a third time and passed.

14. In moving the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1951" the Honourable the Colonial Secretary said the amendment was designed to bring local Exchange Control legislation into line with United Kingdom law.

The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe seconded the motion and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment :-

By the deletion of the figures "1953" and the substitution of the figures "1954".

Clauses 2 to 4 were agreed to. The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to. The Council resumed. The Bill was read a third time and passed.

15. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. Mercer moved the first reading of the Bill "To make better provision for the constitution, organisation and discipline of the Local Armed Force in the Colony", and stressed the main objects and reasons as follows :-

(a) To make better provision for the maintenance of discipline in the Force.

(b) To make provision for service in the Dependencies.

(c) To regularise the organisation of the Social Clubs of the Force.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time.

Clause 1 was agreed to subject to the following amendment :-

The figures "1953" be deleted and substituted by the figures "1954".

Clauses 2 to 47 and the Schedule were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to. The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

16. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary introduced the Bill entitled "Road Traffic (Temporary Amendment) Ordinance" and explained that the Bill was designed to suspend the payment of annual fees for motor vehicles as a purely temporary measure pending the repair of the roads in the built-up area of Stanley. He then moved the first reading of the Bill. This was seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy and on further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment :-

That the figures "1953" be deleted and substituted by the figures "1954".

Clause 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed. The Bill was then read a third time and passed.

17. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Agricultural Officer, moved the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Live Stock Ordinance". He explained that the amendments sought to clarify the sub-section dealing with compulsory dipping and at the same time the opportunity had been taken of expanding and improving the Annual Stock Return.

The Bill was then read a second time and Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment :-

That the figures "1951" be substituted for the figures "1953".

Clauses 2 and 3 and the Schedule were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was then read a third time and passed.

18. On the motion of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton the Bill "To further amend the Stanley Town Council Ordinance" was read a first time.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary said that the object of the Bill was to designate the proposed residential area west of Sullivan House as "town land" and thus enable leases up to 60 years to be granted.

The Bill was then read a second time.

Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment :-

That the figures "1953" be deleted and the figures "1954" be substituted.

Clause 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

The Council adjourned *sine die*.



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Departure from the Colony of His Excellency the Governor on leave of absence.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

His Excellency Sir Miles Clifford, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief, left the Colony this day for the United Kingdom on leave of absence.

By Command,
J. Bound,
for Colonial Secretary.

No. 1.

Proclamation

1954.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

COLIN CAMPBELL — *By The Honourable COLIN CAMPBELL, Esquire,
Officer Administering the Government of the Colony
of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*
[L.S.]

WHEREAS by the seventh clause of the Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 13th December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, it is provided that "whenever the Office of Governor is vacant, or the Governor is absent from the Colony or is from any cause prevented from, or incapable of, acting in the duties of his Office, then such other person as We may appoint under Our Sign Manual and Signet, or if there is no such person in the Colony so appointed and capable of discharging the duties of the administration, the Senior Member of the Executive Council then in the Colony and so capable, shall, during Our pleasure, administer the Government of the Colony".

AND WHEREAS His Excellency SIR MILES CLIFFORD, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, has this day left the Colony on leave of absence.

AND WHEREAS no person has been appointed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to administer the Government of this Colony in the absence of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the Falkland Islands, the Senior Member of the Executive Council aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that, in pursuance of the said clause of the said Royal Letters Patent and having taken the oaths prescribed by law, I have this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Colony and its Dependencies.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 9th day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-four.

*By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government.*

J. E. BRISCOE,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Briscoe, J. E.	Secretariat & Treasury	Acting Colonial Secretary	9.3.54	—
Lellman, E. F.	" "	Acting Colonial Treasurer	9.3.54	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Evans, Miss N.	Audit	Clerk, Grade IV.	24.3.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Tomlinson, R. R.	Education	Camp Teacher	31.3.54	Contract terminated.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Calvert, R.	Public Works	Plumber/Pipefitter (Development Programme)	9.3.54	144 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Latermann, E.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	9.3.54	148 "	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Szeley, A.	"	Medical Officer	9.3.54	148 "	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Bowles, G. W. J.	South Georgia	Customs Officer	29.3.53 to 29.3.54		On retirement (health reasons).

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 12. 6th March, 1954.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned to constitute the Board of Management required under Section 3 of the Old Age Pensions Ordinance, 1952 :—

The Colonial Treasurer (*Chairman*)
The Hon. Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.
H. L. Bound.

Ref. 0323/A/III.

No. 14. 8th March, 1954.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the promotion of 2nd Lieutenant W. J. Jones to the rank of Lieutenant, Falkland Islands Defence Force, with effect from the 1st of March, 1954.

Ref. 0206.

No. 15. 15th March, 1954.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be put back one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, the 27th/28th March, 1954, reverting to local mean time.

Ref. 0064.

No. 16. 16th March, 1954.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

THE REVEREND J. GOULD

to be a Member of the Broadcast Advisory Committee *vice* Reverend J. Steele, with effect from 1st March, 1954.

Ref. 0001/II.

No. 17. 1st April, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 3 of 4th January, 1954, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 31st March, 1954, are hereby published for general information.

<i>Quarter ended</i>	<i>Percentage increase over 1948 prices</i>
31st March, 1954	51.360

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the cost of living bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of James Alexander Stewart, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Margaret Hannah Isabella Stewart, the widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

6th March, 1954.

L. 8/54.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Jennings, deceased, of North Arm, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Charles McCarthy, a nephew of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

13th March, 1954.

L. 36/53.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Darwin Watson, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Duncan Russell Watson, brother of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

18th March, 1954.

S.C. 10/54.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Report of Commission of Enquiry into Revised Conditions for the Civil Service.

Stanley,

17th February, 1954.

His Excellency Sir Miles Clifford, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief,
Falkland Islands.

Sir,

We have the honour to submit our report on the inquiry into the proposed Revised Conditions for the Civil Service made by us under the authority of the Commission we received from you on the 8th February, 1954.

2. Our terms of reference were :- To call for and to hear evidence at our discretion from any individual member of the Permanent Establishment of the Civil Service or from any deputation representing any group of such members and thereupon to advise Government whether in our opinion the proposed Revised Conditions for the Civil Service as presented to the Legislature on the 8th January, 1954, are fair and reasonable and if not in what respect we recommend that they should be modified.

Following an interview by the Chairman with you on the 15th February, 1954, a letter was received from the Colonial Secretary on the 16th February, 1954, regarding the proper interpretation of the terms of reference reading as follows :-

"These terms should be read in conjunction with the penultimate paragraph of the 'Notes of discussion on Revised Conditions when the Legislative Council was in Committee on 8th January, 1954' from which you will note that the proposals have already been accepted by Council as the basis for revision and your Commission is not, therefore, required to concern itself with such basic principles as pensionability, merger of cost of living bonus and expatriation pay (or its equivalent) except in so far as the evidence which you have heard, or may hear, indicates that these principles are unacceptable to an appreciable section of the Civil Service whose general well-being, as a body, it has been Government's purpose to promote. In such case it will be your duty as a Commission to assess the reasonableness of the objection raised.

Similarly, the Commission need not, and indeed should not, concern itself with the petty discontents and grievances of individuals which - as you suggested - can be more properly dealt with by the Administration in the normal manner.

If, however, there appears to be discontent among any class or grade of officials then the Commission should, if satisfied that there is substance in such complaint, either call for evidence from the Government and thereafter offer its opinion and recommendations upon the points at issue or, if it appears to you that inordinate time and research will be needed to reach a conclusion, you should then invite His Excellency's attention in your report to the case or cases in question and if you so desire recommend that they be further reviewed."

3. The Commission held sixteen meetings during the course of which we received two deputations, and interviewed 19 individual members of the Civil Service of whom 11 are at present serving under pre-1948 Conditions of Service.

4. Nine individuals represented that they should receive a higher salary. Upon one individual's claim that as his predecessor, who was appointed from overseas, received a higher salary he himself is not properly remunerated, we are satisfied that the basis of his claim is unsound inasmuch as the duties of his predecessor were perceptibly broader than those of the post as it now exists.

In the case of other individual claims these were largely intradepartmental grievances which the proposed Revised Conditions of Service did not affect. All representations, whether individual or collective, are attached to this report with our comments.

5. Seven individuals represented that technical staff should receive higher salaries than clerks, and a number questioned why under the proposed Revised Conditions the salary ceiling for Grade II technicians should be the same as that for a Grade II clerk, whereas under

present conditions the technical ceiling was higher, none of them appeared to know how much higher. At present the Grade II technician receives a lower initial salary than a clerk of the same grade and takes 3 years longer to reach his maximum which is £5 p. a. more than that of the clerk, despite this higher maximum he would over a period of 40 years receive £70 less than his clerical counterpart, thus the proposed Revised Conditions in treating the Grade II clerk and technician identically represent an improvement for the technicians and not a worsening of his conditions as those making representations appeared to think. In addition to this improvement the technician is placed in Grade II immediately upon completing his five years' apprenticeship whereas the clerk will not normally reach Grade II until the completion of eleven years of service; this factor appeared to have been overlooked by those making representations.

6. It was represented by a deputation from the Police that as they were already pensionable the introduction of pensionability for other officers entitled the Police to some other improvement in their conditions of service. We do not consider the proposed extension of pensionability to other members of the service a valid argument for conferring some other benefit on the Police or for that matter on other members of the Civil Service who also, like the Police, enjoy the privilege of pensionable status.

7. The Police deputation also represented that the nature of their work carried with it a measure of social isolation which they considered should receive compensation in the form of frequent passages to the United Kingdom. Whilst recognising that their work will carry with it some measure of social isolation we must observe that every job has its own drawbacks and we are doubtful if the drawback in this case warrants special treatment.

8. In examining the proposed Revised Conditions we noted that the main purpose was to merge the Cost of Living Bonus which had remained static since September, 1952, into salaries, and at the same time make adjustments in the light of the fact that the payment of the bonus at the same rate to the higher and lower paid officers was inequitable. We consider these adjustments to be fair and reasonable.

9. With regard to the proposal to give all male staff pensionable status we agree that it is invidious that under the present conditions selected posts only are pensionable. With regard to the proposal that females should continue to contribute to the Provident Fund instead of being given pensionable status we recognise that it is unlikely that the average female will spend her life in the Civil Service and we agree that it would not be in the public interest to replace their Provident Fund benefits by pensionability.

10. On the proposal to introduce "Expatriation Pay" we agree that it is inevitable that the officer recruited outside the Colony must receive higher emoluments than one would expect to normally pay for the post for which he is recruited. The present practice of giving increased salaries for these posts when filled by overseas officers has virtually regraded them and there is no doubt that this regrading has engendered discontent. On examination of the Colonial Office List for 1952 we found that expatriation pay has been adopted in at least twelve Colonies and we learned that it has recently been introduced into one other, it therefore appears that other places have encountered similar discontent over disparities in salaries of posts which normally are graded the same, and that the device of expatriation pay is standing the test of time in those places. The Colonial Treasurer who has first hand experience of its introduction into another Colony states that his experience was that it welded the Service by reason of the fact that the basic salary of both the local and overseas officers being the same in each grade gave them a community of interest. We received no representations against the introduction of expatriation pay.

11. With regard to the requirement that officers serving on pre-1948 terms of service, which affords them leave and passages not enjoyed by others of the same rank and grading, must forfeit these privileges if they wish to enjoy the proposed Revised Conditions, we are agreed that the 1937 Leave and Passage Regulations went far beyond what might reasonably be expected, and that Government is right in not conferring any further benefit on these officers without them relinquishing their special leave privileges.

12. We are agreed that the proposed Revised Conditions, as presented to the Legislature on the 8th January, 1954, only fall short of being fair and reasonable in that they did not fully provide for officers on pre-1948 conditions, enjoying such leave or passages, as they had already earned up to the date of the proposed Revised Conditions coming into force, in the event of them choosing to accept the proposed Revised Conditions.

13. During our investigation the limited opportunity for advancement was continually emphasised and a number of comparisons with the posts of Assistant Treasurer and Assistant

Colonial Secretary were made, and there seems little doubt that the seniority attached to these posts does, at present, restrict the scope for advancement of junior officers.

On examining these two posts we find there is an appreciable salary gap between them and their immediate superiors, and we suggest that a sufficient gap would still be maintained if the posts of Assistant Colonial Secretary and Assistant Treasurer were extended to Scale A1 under the proposed Revised Conditions, which would then offer scope for other officers being extended into Scale B without altering the present relative seniority between posts.

In the event of Government adopting our suggestion we consider that the salary range of the Auditor should also be extended into Scale A1 under the proposed Revised Conditions.

14. Arising from the limited opportunity for advancement to posts which carry the privilege of passages to and from the United Kingdom, we suggest that the following observations should be considered by Government with a view to extending similar privileges to the rank and file.

From our interviews it was very apparent that the opportunity to go on leave to England with passages paid both ways is very highly esteemed. It is clear that the ordinary Grade II man, for example, cannot afford to take frequent leave in the United Kingdom, but absences at widely spaced intervals would be appreciated.

The practice of granting leave over a wide range of employees, however it originated, has gone on long enough to affect the outlook of the Civil Servants on the matter, and the prospect of holiday "At Home" would beyond question be considered an attractive feature of Government employment.

It is to be remembered that the outlook of the Falkland Islanders has changed perceptibly during the last 10 or 15 years. Causes are the radio, which is improving all the time, the cinema, and perhaps most important of all, the presence for a long time of 2,000 troops from England. They mixed in a mostly friendly and free way with the local population and it must be accepted that the intercourse left its impression.

A recent reviewer of a book on the West of Scotland has referred to "the rebellion of the young against limited horizons".

We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servants,

(Sgd.) J. F. BONNER
J. E. HAMILTON
J. E. BRISCOE

NOTIFICATION.

COLIN CAMPBELL,
Officer Administering the Government.

In virtue of the powers in him vested by Section 2 (1) (a) of the Pensions Ordinance, and otherwise, the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, is pleased hereby to declare to be pensionable the undermentioned office in the Public Service of the Colony and Dependencies:—

DEPENDENCIES.

SOUTH GEORGIA Meteorological Forecaster.

Government House,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th March, 1954.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 6th day of
March, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 8



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To Amend the Customs Ordinance.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Customs Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.
Cap. 16.

Amendment of Section 2 of the principal Ordinance. **2.** In section 2 of the principal Ordinance there shall be inserted immediately after the definition "Proper Officer" the following definition—

" "Scheduled territories" means the territories specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance, so, however, that the Governor may at any time by Order-in-Council amend the said Schedule, either by the addition or exclusion of territories or otherwise;"

Repeal and replacement of section 9 (1) of the principal Ordinance. **3.** For subsection (1) of section 9 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following section:—

"Preferential and general tariffs.

9. (1) Any order or resolution made or passed in accordance with section 5, may impose different rates of import duty upon goods which are shown to the satisfaction of the Collector to have been (1) consigned from any of the scheduled territories and (2) either (a) to be the produce of the scheduled territories, or (b) to have been manufactured in the scheduled territories (such duties to be distinguished in the order or resolution as duties imposed under the

Preferential Tariff), and upon goods not shown to the satisfaction of the Collector to have been so consigned and produced or manufactured (such duties to be distinguished as duties imposed under the General Tariff)".

4. Subsection (2) of section 9 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the deletion of the word "British".

Amendment of section 9 (2) of the principal Ordinance.

5. (1) In paragraph (a) of section 36 of the principal Ordinance—

Amendment of section 36 of the principal Ordinance.

- (a) for the word "Ordinance" there shall be substituted the word and figures "Act, 1887,";
- (b) for the words "British Commonwealth" there shall be substituted the words "scheduled territories".

(2) For paragraph (d) of section 36 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"(b) Clocks and watches or any other article of metal impressed with any mark or stamp representing or in imitation of any legal assay mark, or stamp, of a scheduled territory, or purporting by any mark or appearance to be of the manufacture of any scheduled territory, such clocks, watches or other articles not being of the manufacture of such scheduled territory".

6. The following Schedule shall be added to the principal Ordinance.

Addition of schedule to the principal Ordinance.

"SCHEDULE

1. The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
2. The dependent territories of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
3. Canada.
4. The Commonwealth of Australia.
5. The dependent territories of the Commonwealth of Australia.
6. New Zealand.
7. The dependent territories of New Zealand.
8. The Union of South Africa including South-West Africa.
9. India.
10. Pakistan.
11. Ceylon.
12. The Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.
13. The Irish Republic.
14. Burma."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 6th day of March, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 9



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

- Title.** To legalise certain payments made in the year 1952-53 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1952.
- Preamble.** WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1952-53.
- Enacting clause.** ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—
- Short title.** 1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1952-53) Ordinance, 1954.
- Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1952/53.** 2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the year 1952-53, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
	FALKLAND ISLANDS.			
IV.	Communications	2138	3	5
V.	Customs	9368	9	7
XII.	Police & Prisons	56	19	10
XIV.	Public Works Department	182	5	9
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	5964	13	10
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	1561	17	3
XVII.	Supreme Court	63	2	0
	Total Expenditure £	19335	11	8

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 6th day of March, 1954.

MILES CLIFFORD,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 10



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
SIR MILES CLIFFORD, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To provide for the service of the year 1954-55.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1954-55) Ordinance, 1954.

Appropriation of £284,648 for service of the year 1954/55.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending 31st March, 1955, a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-four thousand six hundred and forty-eight pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1954-55.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	4564	0	0
II.	Agriculture	4184	0	0
III.	Audit	949	0	0
IV.	Customs	1625	0	0
V.	Education	10761	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	18803	0	0
VII.	Medical	23135	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1334	0	0
IX.	Military	888	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	24885	0	0
XI.	Pensions	6408	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	3428	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	22067	0	0
XIV.	Public Works Department	17869	0	0
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	18474	0	0
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	10980	0	0
XVII.	Supreme Court	804	0	0
XVIII.	Extraordinary Expenditure	82770	0	0
	Total	£253928	0	0
XIX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	30720	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£284648	0	0

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Vital Statistics for the year ended 31st December, 1953

COLONY

				Births		
				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	24	21	45
East Falkland	—	—	—
West Falkland	—	1	1
Total				24	22	46

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				Deaths		
				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	17	9	26
East Falkland	—	—	—
West Falkland	1	—	1
Total				18	9	27

Maternal Mortality —
 Infantile " 3
 Still Births —

DEATHS 1952 33

						Marriages				
						Anglican	Roman Catholic	Non-conformist	Registrar	Total
Stanley	....	....	....	....	....	3	3	3	6	15
East Falkland	....	....	....	....	....	—	—	—	3	3
West Falkland	....	....	....	....	....	—	—	—	1	1
Total						3	3	3	10	19

MARRIAGES 1952 24

Arrivals					
1953	males	87	females	57	Total 144
1952	"	145	"	64	" 209

Departures					
1953	males	118	females	67	Total 185
1952	"	180	"	101	" 281

Population

The population of the Falkland Islands as shown by the Census of the 28th March, 1953, was 1246 males and 984 females or a total population of 2230

Estimated population 31st December 1953 - 2220, decrease 10, as shown below -

	Males	Females	Total
Population by Census of 28th March, 1952	1246	984	2230
Add births since date of Census	18	21	39
	1264	1005	2269
Add arrivals since date of Census	84	57	141
	1348	1062	2410
Deduct deaths since date of Census	12	7	19
	1336	1055	2391
Deduct departures since date of Census	106	65	171
Total	1230	990	2220

Birth rate per 1,000	....	....	20.72
Illegitimate births, actual	....	....	3
Death rate per 1,000	....	....	12.15
Population per sq. mile	....	....	0.48

DEPENDENCIES

Marriages — Nil.

Births — Nil.

Deaths — 7 males.

	Males	Females	Total
Estimated resident population at South Georgia	1352	6	1358
“ “ “ “ other Dependencies	42	—	42
Total	1394	6	1400

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands,
2nd February, 1954.





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Notice.

No. 18.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st April, 1954.

The following Commission passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, appointing His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, is published for general information.

By Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. P/614.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

COMMISSION passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet appointing OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQ., C.M.G., C.V.O., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

ELIZABETH R. { *Signed on Behalf*
MARGARET { *of Her Majesty.*

25th January, 1954.

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith: To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of

Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of Our Royal Victorian Order, Greeting :

Appointment of
O. R. Arthur, Esq.,
C.M.G., C.V.O., to be
Governor.

We do, by this Our Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet, appoint you, the said OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, to be, during Our pleasure, Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, with all the powers, rights privileges, and advantages to the said office belonging or appertaining.

Duties and powers under
Letters Patent.

II. And we do hereby authorise, empower and command you to exercise and perform all and singular the powers and directions contained in certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date at Westminster, the thirteenth day of December, 1948, constituting the Office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Our said Colony, or in any other Letters Patent adding to, amending, or substituted for the same, according to such Orders and Instructions as Our said Governor and Commander-in-Chief for the time being hath already received, or as you may hereafter receive, from Us.

Commission of 30th
September, 1946,
superseded.

III. And We do hereby appoint that, so soon as you shall have taken the prescribed Oaths and have entered upon the duties of your Office, this Our present Commission shall supersede the Commission under the Sign Manual and Signet of His late Majesty King George the Sixth, bearing date the Thirtieth day of September, 1946, appointing Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Geoffrey Miles Clifford, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, (now Sir Miles Clifford, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of Our said Most Distinguished Order), to be Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

Officers, etc., to obey the
Governor.

IV. And we do hereby command all and singular Our Officers and loving subjects in Our said Colony and its Dependencies, and all others whom it may concern, to take notice thereof, and to give their ready obedience accordingly.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's this Twenty-fifth day of January, 1954, in the Second Year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

DAVID MAXWELL FYFE.

No. 2.

Proclamation

1954

Assumption of the Administration of the Colony by His Excellency

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, C.M.G., C.V.O.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies hereby gives notice that he has in pursuance of Her Most Gracious Majesty's Commission this day taken the Oaths prescribed by law as Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies and assumed the Administration of the Government.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this first day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-four.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 1562.

 Notice.

No. 19.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st April, 1954.

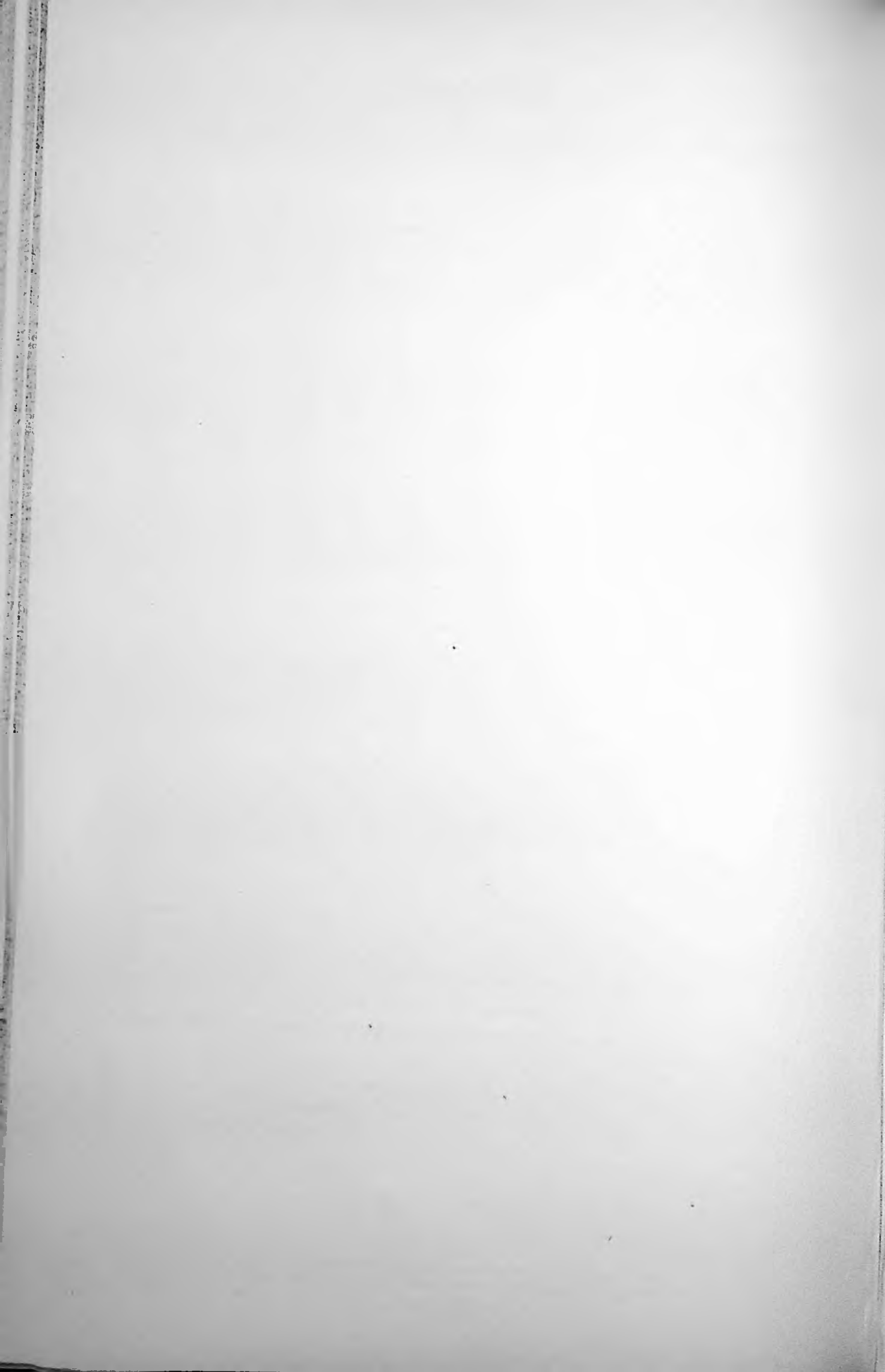
It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HONOURABLE MR. COLIN CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary, Administered the Government from the 9th March, 1954, to 31st March, 1954, both dates inclusive.

By Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. P/559.





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Pollitt, Mrs. E.	Government House	Cook/Housekeeper	1.4.54	—
Smith, Eric	Posts & Telegraphs	Messenger	1.4.54	On probation for 6 months.
Spivey, R. E.	South Georgia	Administrative Officer	10.2.54	—
Mayles, W. C.	" "	Steward/Cook	9.4.54	—

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Oliver, J. P.	Agricultural	Agricultural Officer	19.4.54	145 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Campbell, R.	Public Works	Storekeeper	21.4.54	180 "	Inclusive of period of voyages.
Osborne, Mrs. M. A.	Education	Teacher	21.4.54	180 "	Inclusive of period of voyage.
Dunbar, Miss M.	"	Assistant Mistress	8.10.53 to	6.4.54	On completion of contract.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 20. 3rd April, 1954.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DOUGLAS MARKHAM POLE-EVANS, J.P.,

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of John Moelwyn Lloyd, bachelor, and Eileen Rose Llamasa, spinster, at Port Howard, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

No. 21. 8th April, 1954.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HONOURABLE

MR. WILLIAM WEDDERBURN BLAKE,

to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony, with effect from the 24th March, 1954.

Ref. 0457.

No. 22. 7th April, 1954.

Under the provisions of Section 9 (1) of the Police and Prisons Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

H. Bennett, J.P. (*Chairman*)

The Hon. Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.

The Chairman of the Stanley Town Council to be Visiting Justices of the Prison for the year 1954.

Ref. 0049.

No. 23. 7th April, 1954.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HON. MR. J. E. BRISCOE

and E. F. LELLMAN

acted as Colonial Secretary and Colonial Treasurer, respectively, from 9th March to 31st March, 1954, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/550, P/165.

No. 24. 8th April, 1954.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honourable the Senior
Medical Officer, (*President*)

The Medical Officers

The Superintendent of Works

The Chief Constable

Mrs. M. Robson

The Honourable Mr. T. Gilruth, J.P.

D. M. Pole-Evans, J.P.

to be members of the Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands for the year 1954.

Ref. 0573.

No. 25. 10th April, 1954.

The following Foreign Office Notice is published for information :-

Supplementary Federal Law for the Compensation of
Victims of National Socialist Persecution.

The Federal German Government have promulgated a law supplementing legislation now in force in the Federal Republic for Compensation to Victims of National

Socialist Persecution (published in the "Bundesgesetzblatt" I. No. 62 of September 21st, 1953). Its provisions apply also to the Western Sectors of Berlin.

2. Compensation under this law may be claimed by any person who, during the period January 30th, 1933, to May 8th, 1945, was persecuted because of his anti-Nazi persuasion or for reasons of his race, faith or philosophy of life and who can satisfy the residential qualifications which are contained in Article 8, in respect of :-

(a) damage to Life, Body, Health and Liberty

(b) damage to certain Property Rights

(c) damage to Professional or Economic Advancement.

3. The law also provides for compensation in certain circumstances to the following classes who cannot comply with the residence qualifications :

(a) Expellees as defined by the Law on Expellees of May 19th, 1953;

(b) Stateless Persons and Political Refugees, who are also expellees as defined above;

(c) Persecutees on grounds of nationality who were refugees on October 1st, 1953.

4. In general claims may also be made by the heir of a deceased victim. Compensation Claims Offices are to be set up under the Laender Governments and will be competent for the registration of claims. Claims must be submitted in the case of the residents of the Federal Republic by October 1st, 1954, and persons resident outside the Federal Republic by October 1st, 1955.

5. Details regarding the presentation of claims are contained in the Fourth Section of the Law, copies of which may be obtained from the Bundesanzeiger-Verlags-GmbH, Köln/Rhein, 1 (Postfach). Persons who after studying the law consider that they may be eligible for compensation and wish for further advice should consult a lawyer practising in German law or one of the various organizations and institutions specializing in this field regarding their position and the procedure for submission of claims, as Departments of Her Majesty's Government cannot undertake to advise claimants on these matters. The Diplomatic Mission of the Federal Republic of Germany in London, 6, Rutland Gate, Knightsbridge, S.W. 7., is also prepared to supply information and application forms.

Ref. 1632/4.

No. 26. 12th April, 1954.

The following alterations in the designations of offices are notified.

Name	Previous Designation	Present Designation
J. S. R. Huckle.	Controller of D.S.C. Communications	Harbour Master and Director of Civil Aviation.
D. Cronin	Teacher	Assistant Master.

No. 27. 14th April, 1954.

A Ceremonial Parade will be held at 10.45 a.m. on Wednesday the 21st of April, 1954, on the occasion of Her Majesty's Birthday.

The Parade, which will be inspected by His Excellency the Governor, will form up in the Government School Playground and will comprise detachments of the Royal Navy, Royal Marines, Falkland Islands Defence Force and the Boys' Brigade. A March Past will then take place at Victory Green.

Members of the Public wishing to attend the Ceremony should arrive at the School Playground not later than 10.30 a.m.

In the event of inclement weather the Cere-

mony will be held in the Defence Force Drill Hall, commencing at 10.45 a.m. There will be very limited accommodation for spectators who should be in the Drill Hall by 10.30 a.m.

A Royal Salute of 21 guns will be fired from H.M.S. St. Austell Bay at 11.00 a.m.

Ref. 0191/B.

No. 28. 23rd April, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of 14th January, 1954, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

B. Registered to practise in the Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Burian, Stanislaus	M.D. (Prague)	1935.
	M.B., Ch.B. (Vienna)	1937.
	D.P.H. (Prague)	1940.
	P.H.D. (Paris)	1938.

No. 29. 26th April, 1954.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Honour the Governor's Deputy has been pleased to appoint

DOUGLAS MARKHAM POLE-EVANS, J.P.,

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Gordon Pedro James Peck, bachelor, and Olive Joan Betts, spinster, at Pebble Island, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

No. 30. 28th April, 1954.

THE INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL LAW
ORDINANCE (Chapter 33 Revised Edition)

NOTICE.

[Under section 11 (7) of the Ordinance]

Whereas by section 11 (7) of the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance, it is provided that when any change in the title of a public office occurs the Governor may, by notice in the Gazette, declare that such change in title shall take effect from the date specified in such notice, and any reference in any Ordinance to the former

title of such office shall be read and construed as a reference to that office by the new title declared by the Governor in such notice.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare that the title "Crown Agents for the Colonies" is hereby replaced by the title "Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations", with effect from the 1st of April, 1954.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of William Henry Watson, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Richard Victor Goss, Attorney for James Watson and Rica Alexandrina Watson, parents of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

24th April, 1954.

S.C. 16/54.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry John Lee, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Margaret Davidina Louisa Crawford Lee, widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

30th April, 1954.

L. 17/54.

H. BENNETT,

Registrar.

No. 3

Proclamation

1954

Made under section 12 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, (Cap. 42).

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by section 12 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, it is provided that where the Governor is satisfied that reciprocal provisions have

been made by the Legislature of any British possession or any territory under Her Majesty's protection for the enforcement within such possession or territory of maintenance orders made by courts in the Falkland Islands, the Governor may by Proclamation extend the Ordinance to such possession or territory, and the Ordinance shall thereupon apply in respect of such possession or territory as though the references to England or Northern Ireland were references to such possession or territory;

AND WHEREAS the Governor is satisfied that the Legislature of New Zealand has made reciprocal provisions for the enforcement within New Zealand of maintenance orders made by courts in the Falkland Islands;

NOW THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby order that the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, shall extend to maintenance orders made by courts in New Zealand in like manner as it applies to maintenance orders made in England or Northern Ireland.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 7th day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-four.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 1597.

No. 4.

Proclamation

1954.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

C. CAMPBELL — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

Governor's Deputy.

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by section 44 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, it is provided that the Governor in Council may from time to time by proclamation, prohibit the importation of sheep, cattle or other animals from any places that may be named in such proclamation, for such period as he may deem necessary for the purpose of preventing the introduction of any infectious disease.

AND WHEREAS information has been received that Newcastle Disease (*Pneumoencephalitis*) among poultry is now present in Chile.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of these powers vested in the Governor in Council be it ordered and proclaimed as follows, to wit:

The importation into the Falkland Islands from Chile of poultry and eggs is prohibited until further notice.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 29th day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-four.

By His Excellency's Command,

J. BOUND,

for Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 1439.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 23rd day of April, 1954, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 22nd day of April, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

RESOLUTION

To amend the Customs Order.

Whereas it is provided in Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance that it shall be lawful for the Legislative Council from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties of customs upon any goods whatsoever which may be imported into or exported from the Colony, and to revoke, reduce, increase or alter any such duties, and to provide for the importation or exportation of any goods without payment of customs duty thereon :

And Whereas import and export duties of Customs have been imposed by the Customs Order as amended :

And Whereas it is expedient that certain export duties of customs upon wool should be altered as hereinafter provided :

It was Resolved by the Legislature of the Falkland Islands that Section 3 of the Customs Order be further amended as follows :—

(a) by deleting the following words and figures :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip does not exceed 10d., 25d. per lb.”

and substituting therefor the following words and figure :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip does not exceed 15d., nil”.

(b) by deleting the following words and figures :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip exceeds 10d. but does not exceed 20d., 5d. per lb.”

and substituting therefor the following words and figures :

“When the average gross selling price per lb. of the whole Falkland Islands clip exceeds 15d. but does not exceed 20d., 5d. per lb.”.

Made at a meeting of the Legislative Council on the 8th day of January, 1954.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 2nd day of
April, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1954.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

**To apply certain Laws of the Colony to
the Dependencies.** Title.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands and the Dependencies thereof as follows — Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of
Colony Laws Ordinance, 1954. Short title.

2. The Ordinances of the Colony specified in the first and
second column of the Schedule to this Ordinance are applied to the
Dependencies, and shall be deemed to have been in force in the De-
pendencies with effect from the respective dates set out opposite
their titles in the third column of the Schedule to this Ordinance. Application of certain
Ordinances to the
Dependencies.

SCHEDULE

1 of 1953	Licensing (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953	1st April, 1953.
2 of 1953	Land (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953	1st April, 1953.
3 of 1953	Merchandise Marks (Repeal) Ordinance, 1953	1st April, 1953.
4 of 1953	Seal Fishery (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953	1st April, 1953.
5 of 1953	British Nationality (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953	1st April, 1953.
1 of 1954	Interpretation & General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st February, 1954.
2 of 1954	Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st February, 1954.
3 of 1954	Exchange Control (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st February, 1954.
4 of 1954	Defence Force Ordinance, 1954	1st February, 1954.

Promulgated by the Governor on the 2nd day of April, 1954.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of Meeting held on the 3rd of March, 1954.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable the Agricultural Officer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe.
 The Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton.
 The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.

1. The Minutes of the Meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 8th of January, 1954, were confirmed.

2. His Excellency the Governor addressed the Council as follows :—

Honourable Members of the Legislative Council :

It is rather more than seven years ago since I arrived in the Colony and as this is the last occasion on which I shall have the privilege of addressing you it is fitting that I should render you an account of my administration, and in the course of that relation I shall take the opportunity of expressing some ideas about the future which, rather than the immediate present, has been the true object of my concern.

AGRICULTURE. You will recall that in 1946 the Department had lost its Director and that it was costing a good deal of money for what had become a quite unremunerative return. That situation has been redressed and expenditure cut to a minimum; the present Agricultural Officer — the term "Director" appeared to me to be inappropriate — ensures that the few, but important, Regulations in force are complied with; he deals with quarantine and administers The Common in the interests of the Dairymen; he also spends a lot of his time on tour in the Camp where I believe that his visits and the practical assistance he is able to give have been welcome. In the process he has acquired a knowledge of the farms and their needs which few can rival and his advice in this respect has been most valuable to me. It cannot be said that these limited functions represent a whole-time job for an energetic officer to whom, indeed, they must at times have appeared both frustrating and disheartening so I was not surprised, albeit genuinely sorry, to hear that he is leaving us. Our loss is the Company's gain and I have no doubt that Honourable Members will join me in wishing Mr. Oliver every success in the future. I have recommended that on his departure he should be replaced, for a year or so at least, by a Veterinary Officer who will not only be able to satisfy the meat inspection requirements of the Ministry of Food but will be able to look more closely into the question of animal health, which, we must suppose, has some bearing on our very depressing annual losses.

And here I must say something of which I have long been conscious, and that is that the Department is not playing the part that it should do in a Colony dependent entirely upon stockbreeding and the right use of its land; its proper role, surely, is the initiation in close co-operation with the farmers of long-range experiments of a practical order designed to further the fortunes of the industry; with the Freezer in being, though as yet ill-supported, this becomes more than ever important and I have been "thinking on paper" about these matters to the Secretary of State's Agricultural Adviser to whom some helpful suggestions have recently been made by our old friend Professor Davies which will be discussed with the Sheepowners' Association. Here, also, I must record my regret at the decision of the Governor of that day, within six weeks of his arrival in the Colony, to close down the Anson Experimental Farm before its wheels had begun to turn; for the help which such an institution might have afforded to the industry is incalculable.

Farm wages have been greatly enhanced during the past year or so which have also witnessed a timely and desirable attempt by most farms to improve conditions for their workers. I would offer the opinion, myself, that present wages in association with the annual bonus, the cost of living allowance and opportunities for contract work in the winter provide a very fair livelihood and a margin for savings which would be the envy of many another community. But this is no less, surely, than we would wish for it is a hard life and those who follow it deserve to be generously rewarded.

The labour situation none the less gives cause for grave concern and unless steps are taken — and taken very soon — to augment our steadily dwindling labour force, it is quite certain that the efficiency and hence the prosperity of the industry, and in consequence the wellbeing of the rest of the Colony, will be seriously affected. Short-term contracts, too often uncompleted, are no answer to the long-term problem for what is needed is a small but steady annual intake of workers with their families; so only can we build up a population sufficient for our needs. That we should follow the lead of the great Dominions in extending a welcome to dispossessed agricultural workers from other lands would seem to be commonsense for, carefully selected as they would be, such persons make excellent settlers, as history has so often shown, and what is more important they have some incentive to come here. Many of our people, as we all know, had their origins in other lands but their descendants are none the less good Falkland Islanders today and we should not allow narrow prejudice to operate to the Colony's disadvantage. This is not to suggest that we should not continue to make every effort to attract suitable workers from the United Kingdom but let us not lose sight of our real need which is for an increased permanent population.

Before leaving the subject of Agriculture I must mention the importation of Trout Ova and distribution of fingerlings which have been handled by the Department in recent years; the indications

are that these good fish are establishing themselves and that they should provide excellent sport and a welcome addition to the table in good time; I have appointed Dr. Hamilton who, more than anyone, was responsible for this innovation to carry out an investigation and I shall await his report with interest. On the same topic, I have little doubt that most Honourable Members share my regret that we were led to abandon my proposal to introduce a professional fisherman with his boat and gear and one day, perhaps, when you have disposed of more important matters you may care to think about this again; medical opinion is solidly in favour of it.

ARMS. The Colony Coat of Arms was somewhat unattractive and a new one was devised and approved in 1948; the present version has the further merit of being more appropriate.

AUDIT. The Colony's accounts were previously audited in England which had certain disadvantages – notably delay – so I asked the Auditor General to second an experienced member of his staff who would examine our system of accounting, find out if and where it was at fault and get it put on the right lines; this he did and that officer was assisted in his task by being called upon to act as Treasurer for some months which was a unique, and possibly wholesome, experience for an Auditor. Mr. Gleadell, a local clerical officer with special aptitudes, was attached to him for training, was later sent to the Central Audit Office and subsequently for further instruction to Gibraltar. On Mr. Bounphrey's departure this officer was promoted to the post of Local Auditor and has amply justified his selection; we can now reckon on the audit of our accounts being reasonably up-to-date instead of several years in arrears.

CUSTOMS. The work of the Customs Department is necessarily stereotyped and its only variation has been caused by the introduction of sliding scale export tax on wool and oil products which has not, however, added substantially to the Collector's burden. There have also been modest increases in the duty on spirits and tobacco but, generally speaking, the Colony remains blessedly free from Customs imposts which must be a rare and happy circumstance in these days, and is something to reflect upon.

CIVIL SERVICE. New conditions for the local Civil Service were devised in 1948 and were accepted by the majority; their main objects were to remove the disparity of reward between the clerical and technical employments; to put an end to the system whereunder pensionability – by adding to or subtracting from a small list of scheduled posts – lay within the discretion of the Governor; to reduce the number of grades in the service and by providing more generous increments and shortening the incremental range, to give employees an assured position earlier in life: they were further amended, in 1951, to make promotion automatic up to Grade II which I felt to be desirable in so small a Service where vacancies occur infrequently and, finally, to provide additional personal allowances to senior officials after five and ten years respectively at the top of Special Grade. These conditions were undoubtedly a substantial improvement, and at the time were all we could afford, but economic circumstances have also changed substantially since they were introduced, so that a further revision has been undertaken to meet them and to meet future requirements as far as the Government can foresee. These I will not dwell upon as the report of the Commission which I appointed to review them, after the last session of Council, will be considered by Honourable Members later this morning. But I would wish, in passing, to pay a tribute to the Treasurer who was responsible for working out all the details of this revision and its financial implications. His, as I know from personal experience, was no easy task and I know too what a great deal of work and thought he put into it. I must also take the opportunity to express your thanks, and mine, to the Commission for accepting this unenviable responsibility; and particularly to its Chairman, Mr. Bonner, who has come in at some inconvenience in the midst of shearing.

COMMUNICATIONS. One of the Colony's greatest handicaps – perhaps the greatest – has been the poverty of its communications and the feeling of isolation which this imposed, especially for those living in the Camp. Roads were out of the question for there was neither the labour to make nor to maintain them nor, had there been, could their very great cost have been justified. Campers were therefore dependent upon occasional visits of the Company's steamers or even rarer visits by the few cutter boats plying for hire; the only alternative being long hours, or days, in the saddle which during the winter or if in poor health was something of an ordeal. Such isolation was not only productive of much inconvenience for one might be delayed for weeks waiting for transport but in the case of sickness it was responsible for a great deal of anxiety, if nothing worse. My first step, therefore, was to cancel an order that had been placed for an inspection launch, which could never have put her nose outside the harbour, and to bespeak instead an ex-naval Motor Fishing Vessel which would be capable of going anywhere in almost any weather: her single cabin was converted for the carriage of sick persons and although she suffered from teething troubles to begin with after the long voyage out from England she has done some excellent work and should serve you well for many years to come. The cost was met from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund. When I returned from leave last year there was some talk of disposing of her as an economy: I considered this proposal with my advisers and I can only counsel you firmly to reject any such idea for while she was not intended as a commercial proposition – and hence cannot be expected to pay her way – there is no stouter little ship afloat in these waters: she has plenty to occupy herself usefully with on Government account and she will always be available to help the Farms if other small ships should go out of commission which, as we know only too well, they are very apt to do. To dispose of her would be, in my opinion, a very false economy.

My next step was the inauguration of an internal air service through the purchase of two ex-RAF land Austers which were brought out with a Pilot in the "*John Biscoe*" in 1948 and you will all remember the dramatic first flight to bring in a small girl from North Arm who must surely otherwise have died. In the following year we were able to charter a Norseman float plane and an Auster, similarly equipped, from FIDS and with the erection of a hangar and slipway in 1951 FIGAS really began to get into its stride. We were fortunate with our first pilot but had bad luck with the second and his invaliding put the service out of commission for months, so to guard against any further mischance of this nature I decided to have the Harbour Master trained as a relief Pilot: he was by then in administrative charge of the Communications Department and the intimate knowledge he had acquired of our coasts and the weather around the Islands, in the "*Penelope*" and "*Philomel*", would obviously be of use. He passed out of the Training School very creditably, as I anticipated that he would do, and we are now not only insured against having the service put out of action again but are also able to do more flying – as an example, last month no less than 155 passengers were carried and judging by the bookings, it looks as though we will have to stay around this figure if we are to keep pace with the demand. In 1949 I had

occasion to visit Canada where I was able to inspect and fly for some hours in the de Havilland Beaver which experience had convinced me that when the Norseman had served her time, here was the obvious replacement; she might have been designed for our needs. We acquired one last year and she has amply confirmed my estimate of her capabilities: 25 miles an hour faster than the Norseman, she uses a third less petrol and her performance and comfort are incomparably superior. Honourable Members will agree that the Air Service has made an immense difference to the Colony and it has been gratifying to note how quickly it has become a part of our way of life, young and old taking to it as to the manner born.

Weather conditions are not of course ideal – anything but, as Honourable Members who have been struggling to get in for the past week know only too well – and there must always be spells when no flying is possible which is, of course, another very good reason for not getting rid of the “*Philonet*”. Neither service is self supporting – neither can be – but one cannot reckon human life, or health, or relief from anxiety in pounds, shillings and pence. To combine these two activities in a single department was an obvious economy as well as being an entirely logical arrangement and I am sure that the Honourable Member who expressed concern about it at our last meeting did not intend his remark to be taken seriously for I think that nowhere in the world could two such services comprising three aircraft, a coast-wise ship and a launch be run on such a slender establishment: one pilot, one engineer, a mechanic, a handyman, the crews of the two vessels, one clerk and the Harbourmaster who controls and co-ordinates the services and flies, frequently, as relief pilot. When the additional equipment, recently ordered, arrives we shall be undertaking C. of A. maintenance Departmentally just as the “*Alet*” has been overhauled Departmentally and fitted with a new Diesel engine which should guarantee her at least another twenty years of life. With the additional responsibility of C. of A. maintenance, and if the present demand for passages continues, it may well be that we will need to employ a second mechanic more especially to allow for leave incidence; equally, if the present demand continues the Service will be earning more money and can afford the additional expense. I might add, here, that the combined loss on the two services is a mere fraction of what we would have to pay for the maintenance of all-weather roads.

Looking to the future, I have little doubt that we shall ultimately turn to the Helicopter but they are as yet in limited production, are expensive to buy and expensive and difficult to maintain; nor, until development of this type is further advanced, do I think that it would be capable of competing with our high winds. Meanwhile the Beaver and the Austers do us well enough and there can be no doubt that FIGAS has come to stay.

DEFENCE FORCE. With the departure of Colonel Butler and the unwillingness of others to assume the responsibility, I have had to fall back on the expedient of appointing the Colonial Secretary as Commandant; this is not intended as a permanent arrangement but until we can put our hands on someone with the requisite military experience there seems to be no alternative. I am grateful to Mr. Campbell for assuming this added responsibility. The Ordinance passed at the last Session should go some way toward improving discipline and the proper functioning of the various institutions which the Force has given birth to. Its principal merit, perhaps, though not its *raison d'être*, is the stimulus which it continues to give to rifle-shooting for which there is still much enthusiasm and continued high performance; I wish that it were possible to send a truly representative team to Bisley where I have no doubt that it would acquit itself as creditably as any in the past.

EDUCATION. In 1947 I appointed a Committee to study the Colony's educational needs and the conclusions which it reached still form the basis of the Government's policy. The standard of education in the Stanley schools has improved as, I am glad to say, has the standard of discipline which had been deplorable; there is still room for improvement which is not, however, to be looked for until more parents appreciate that discipline must also be inculcated in the home. We need to remind ourselves of the old warning that “as the twig is bent so will the tree grow” for much of the irresponsible behaviour by adolescents, of which their elders complain, can be ascribed to their own shortcomings as parents.

I cannot report any improvement in Camp education and the experiment of introducing a Teacher Trainer failed on account of the poverty of the material she had to work upon and the dearth of interest among young people in teaching as a career. We have at least succeeded in improving the standard of efficiency of those who do adopt it as they are not now accepted until they have completed two years in Continuation Class, followed by two years as a pupil teacher; hitherto it had been, more often than not, a case of the blind leading the blind. I am hopeful that a solution to the Camp problem will lie in the projected boarding school at Darwin in which the Government is co-operating with the Falkland Islands Company; if it proves a success there will clearly be a demand for a similar institution on the West. Meanwhile the Government has expressed its willingness to contribute to the maintenance of Teacher/Storekeepers, where they can be suitably employed, and several Farms, notably Port Howard, have provided excellent schoolroom accommodation.

The new arrangement whereunder Scholarship children are admitted for secondary education to schools in Dorset marks a definite advance and the children have made a good impression; I suggest that there is much advantage in forging a permanent link of this nature and I hope that as the years go by some of these young people will return to us and, in due season, attain to positions of responsibility in the Colony.

I regret that the junior pupils in Stanley, and their teachers, should still be working in such squalid surroundings but their new school should be ready for occupation in the winter and when completed will stand comparison with any; it has cost a great deal more than the original estimate which was however prepared in 1947 when materials, equipment, freight and labour were all much less expensive. Its completion will leave the Senior School with room to re-organise its accommodation and plans have been laid for its general refurbishing; it is, at present, altogether too dark and depressing.

Attendance at evening classes, held during the winter, has been uniformly disappointing and this is regrettable in a community in which schooling for the majority ends at age 14; attendance has been made obligatory for recruits to the Government Service, up to the age of 18.

There is little enough in the way of organised recreational activities outside school hours, with the notable exception of the Boys' Brigade which continues to flourish since its inauguration by Captain D. McCubbing during the war and I am very happy to know that through the generous support of the

public it will be possible to send representatives to the National Camp in June. I am glad to hear, also, of the formation of a Girls' Section and hope that it will prove equally successful – it is badly needed.

FIREARMS. The registration and licensing of Firearms was found to be extremely lax; this has been regularised and appropriate legislation enacted.

HOUSING AND OFFICE ACCOMMODATION. Two new quarters have been built and two purchased: Government properties are undergoing a systematic process of redecoration and repair to catch up with the inevitable arrears of maintenance brought about by the War, but labour shortage has hampered this programme. Suggestions have been made, from time to time, that Government House should be pulled down and replaced by a new building; having lived in it for seven years, I must advise most strongly against this for the house has a pleasant atmosphere and, as now arranged, is suitable and convenient. It needs re-roofing along with other Government buildings in Stanley and would be greatly improved by the provision of a suite of rooms over the north-east corner, for which plans are on the file; the present bedroom accommodation is very inadequate and has prevented me from entertaining visiting farmers and their wives and families as I and Lady Clifford would have wished to do. A modern heating system is also badly needed and would pay for itself in a year or so as the present system is not only inefficient but grossly extravagant in fuel. The improvements I have proposed may cost as much as £6,000; a new Government House as much as £20,000.

The Secretariat has been much improved by the addition of a second floor and a permanent building has been made available for the Public Works Department. The Harbour Master has been given a new office at the head of the Government Jetty from which he can keep an eye on both Harbour and Air Service activities; the building includes a warehouse for the safe-custody of goods arriving in, or for shipment by, the "*Philomel*" and a crane has been provided for their convenient handling. Both building and crane were obtained at very small cost from Admiralty surplus.

INDUSTRY. The British American Kelp Company, in 1947, conducted a small-scale investigation into the possibility of processing the *Macrocystis* which grows so abundantly around these Islands. They were offered generous conditions and every possible assistance by the Government but abandoned the project owing to the high cost of capital equipment, the difficulty of obtaining and housing the necessary labour and the cost and uncertainties of shipping the product. I hope that it may one day be revived.

A sealing company was established at Albemarle by the Colonial Development Corporation in 1948, against my advice, and has since been wound up. A more hopeful proposition has been made to us recently by whaling interests in South Georgia and is under active consideration: if it should materialise I think it quite possible that a small whaling venture might develop from it which would be a good thing indeed.

The Colonial Development Corporation's freezer at Ajax Bay went into limited production last year and, as was to be expected, various difficulties were encountered which should however be readily overcome; certain capital improvements including, particularly, a suitable jetty to facilitate loading are still required and the loan authorised by Council at the last Session should ensure their provision. That the day-to-day supervision of its affairs should be in the hands of local Directors who are all practical men was decided upon at my request and is a matter for satisfaction. There can be no doubt at all that if this venture is supported by the Farms with determination and adequate planning it will be a great help to them when, as is inevitable, wool prices decline. As I have said so often before, to be wholly dependent upon one product is never a comfortable position to find oneself in and especially is this so when that product is threatened by artificial substitutes: there is no substitute for meat and no likelihood, in our time, that supply will overtake demand. The wool market is all too susceptible.

I see no prospect of any other form of commercial or industrial development here; in view of the doubts as to the presence of mineral oil which had been left unresolved by the Baker Report I thought it well to have the critical area re-examined by Dr. Adie, the F.I.D.S. geologist, who has stated categorically that there is no likelihood of oil being found here and that it would be waste of money to look. This was also the opinion of an American geophysicist at Punta Arenas with whom I discussed the possibility. The inference to be drawn from all this is that we should make quite sure of the only alternative open to us – MEAT.

LAWS. As no edition of the laws had been produced since 1915, a solicitor with drafting experience was appointed as Legal Secretary in 1947 with this as his principal task: a final revision was undertaken in England by Sir Henry Webb, a former Chief Justice in the Colonial Service, and the new edition was published in 1951.

LEGAL. On the completion of this task, the retention of a Legal Secretary did not appear to me to be justified and with the Secretary of State's approval Sir Henry Webb was appointed to undertake these duties in absentia; correspondence can be conducted at need by telegram and the arrangement has worked satisfactorily. Since then, too, the Colonial Secretary has discharged the functions of Magistrate and so long as the office of Colonial Secretary is filled by secondment from the Administrative Service, which ensures that its holder has had instruction in and almost certainly experience of magisterial duties, this should be adequate; there is not sufficient work to justify the cost of a whole-time appointment.

A number of Ordinances have been enacted to improve the administration of justice, and the appointment in April, 1951, of a Public Trustee, whose services are freely available should be of benefit. These duties are discharged by the Registrar of the Supreme Court, a post formerly filled by recruitment from overseas but now occupied by a local officer, Mr. Bennett. He is competent to advise on the drawing of wills and if so consulted the Court and potential legatees are likely to be spared an infinity of trouble – leading, perhaps, to bad feeling within families. The employment of legal phraseology by those who draft their own wills, without appreciating the implications of the terms they use, can be productive of much confusion which with the passage of time it is often impossible for the Court to repair. As Judge here for the past seven years I can speak with some feeling on this matter.

MEDICAL. One of the most important contributions the Government can make to the well-being of the people lies in its care for the sick and suffering and that we have made such marked progress in this field must surely be cause for satisfaction. The King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, completed in 1915,

had served its purpose well enough but was so poorly designed as not to allow of the proper segregation of the different types of case we have to deal with and it lacked the amenities and conveniences, normally provided, which make for the comfort of the patient and ease the labours of the staff. There was, for instance, only one bath for everyone; the Nurses and Maids had all to live out while stores were kept in a dust-ridden loft approached by a vertical ladder through a hole in the ceiling.

Proposed plans for a new Hospital had been rejected by the Secretary of State's Adviser shortly before my arrival so that all was to do again; the new plan, duly approved, comprised medical, surgical and maternity wards; a children's ward; private rooms; theatre and X-Ray block; a ray therapy room; laboratory, dispensary and out-patients' department; S.M.O.'s office; a dental surgery and workshop; a self-contained flat for the Matron; dining room and sitting room for the nurses; an all-electric kitchen – which I added later – bulk and ready-use storage and a laundry. This new wing, which Sir Winston Churchill honoured us by lending his name to, was opened on May 23rd, 1953, the Dental block having been in operation during the previous year; some work, mostly exterior, remains to be done and Admiralty Cottage has still to be enlarged and adapted as a Nurses' Home. The old hospital building was in a dilapidated and, indeed, precarious state and upon examination it was found that the foundations were completely rotten; they have been renewed throughout, in brick and concrete, and the rooms redecorated and adapted for T.B. accommodation while two revolving chalets have been erected to the north of the solarium which will enable those patients who need it to enjoy open-air treatment. The Hospital and Dental Surgery have been re-equipped with all they need, including modern X-Ray plant and other necessary apparatus, and the institution as a whole should meet all foreseeable needs.

Staff difficulties have been acute from time to time as Honourable Members are aware but, by general consent, we are blessed with as able and as devoted a body of doctors and nurses as we could wish to find. I have been greatly disappointed by the lack of interest in nursing displayed by the younger generation but am still unwilling to believe that local girls are completely indifferent to the urgent call which has been addressed to them: it is true that nursing demands a good deal of self-sacrifice and, of necessity, a high standard of discipline but these ought not to act as a deterrent when it is one's own kith and kin who are needing help. If it demands sacrifices there is, on the other hand, no calling which can offer the same personal satisfaction and as I have said before it will be no credit to us as a community if we are compelled to recruit unskilled assistance in the United Kingdom or elsewhere.

And here I would remind you that some years ago I suggested in Council that the incidence of T.B. was higher here than it should be in a rural population and that it required our urgent attention; a comment which was not, I believe, generally accepted at the time. We were able, last year, to recruit a chest specialist from Western Germany and the intention is that he should make a complete survey of the Colony. Residents in Stanley, and such Camp visitors as have been able to spare the time, have responded wonderfully and Dr. Richter has already examined more than 1,000 persons; he has also vaccinated 97% of the children attending school who needed this protection. His preliminary report has amply justified his engagement and the indications are that the T.B. wing will be full for some years to come; but there is equally no doubt that if the presence of the disease can be discovered in sufficient time there is every possibility of alleviation and ultimate cure and it is certain, also, that we can do much to circumvent its spread. As soon as he has finished in Stanley it is intended that Dr. Richter shall visit the Camp settlements and I urge all concerned to co-operate so that he is quite certain of being able to examine everybody. To facilitate his work and to make it easier for individuals to present themselves for examination, the "*Philomet*" is being adapted as a travelling X-Ray laboratory which provides yet another example of her usefulness.

Successful treatment of this disease entails, almost always, a longish period in Hospital under proper care which where a bread-winner is concerned may mean hardship for his family and anxiety for himself; as such financial anxiety is a notable deterrent to recovery. I have appointed a Committee to study ways and means of assisting persons so afflicted and have accepted its recommendations which will be published shortly. Treatment is free. This, in my view, has been a most important step and one which will confer far-reaching benefits on the Colony.

To assist persons in Stanley who may be bed-ridden at home but who are not ill enough for admission to Hospital, a District Nurse was appointed in 1952 and this innovation has been as useful to the Doctors as, I am well aware, it has been gratefully received by the Community.

Medical work in the Camp has been greatly facilitated by our improved communications, and with the issue of standard medical chests to Farm Managers, minor ills and injuries can now often be treated over the R/T.

The backlog of necessary dental attention in the Camp, especially amongst children, was very serious indeed and to deal with this a travelling Dentist was recruited in 1952, an appointment which it is proposed to continue until the leeway has been made up; for there are few greater menaces to good health than bad teeth. Incidentally, parents could help a lot by discouraging the present tendency towards over-indulgence in sweets.

A remaining step which we ought to take, when we can, is a detailed investigation into the cause of the recurrent gastro-enteritis – known locally as THE sickness – which seems to afflict us all at one time or another; I retained a F.I.D.S. doctor for this purpose in 1951 but unfortunately his secondment coincided, as it would do, with an unusual period of freedom from this ailment.

METEOROLOGICAL. The Meteorological Service, which came into being in 1950, is primarily concerned with the operation of stations in our Antarctic Dependencies and with the provision of forecasts for the whaling fleets operating in those waters. Hence, although its Headquarters is in Stanley, the service is constituted as an integral part of F.I.D.S. and almost the whole of its cost is borne on the Dependencies budget.

However, the presence of technical staff in Stanley provides an excellent opportunity of rendering a useful service to the Colony at very modest cost. Five voluntary observing stations are maintained – at Goose Green, Pebble Island, Fox Bay, West Point and until recently at Port Stephens and I would like to express my appreciation to the observers at those stations who undertake this duty for a nominal

remuneration. Their reports form the basis of local forecasts and for briefing the Air Service while in due course they will provide the material for a climatological study of the Islands.

NAVIGATION. In the interest of safe navigation, and with the advice of Trinity House, new coastal lights are to be installed at Cape Carysfort, Cape Dolphin, Ajax Bay and Fox Bay; they will be maintained by the "*Philomet*" supplemented, when available, by the *R.R.S. "John Biscoe"*. To ease the growing maintenance problem, it is proposed to replace the gas-operated lights at The Narrows and at Blanco Bay by simple, battery-operated winker lights and a similar type is to be installed at Fox Bay.

POLICE AND PRISON. I have no comment other than to remark, as my predecessors have done, upon the lack of support afforded by the public in the prevention and detection of offences which makes it very difficult for the Police to carry out their duties effectively. Serious crime, happily, is almost non-existent but there are repeated incidents of hooliganism which have a considerable nuisance value and there is also too much petty thieving in a small community which was at one time renowned for its honesty. Until public opinion is better educated in this regard, there can be no prospect of amelioration.

The Prison is in sad need of improvement, particularly to the women's quarters, but the building is very rarely occupied and must needs await the completion of more urgent tasks.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. The Posts and Telegraphs Department was established under Mr. Mercer as Superintendent, in 1950, and as the term implies is responsible for all postal and telegraphic communications within the Colony and Dependencies and with the outside world; and as our communications are dependent on Wireless, it is responsible also for the technical and operative aspects of Broadcasting. A new and up-to-date Post Office has been provided, equipped with such labour-saving devices as are necessary, and with private letter boxes which have proved popular. Postal traffic has grown substantially in recent years, especially Air Mail and parcels post which latter medium is increasingly patronised by shopkeepers.

In 1946 the Wireless Station at the Head of the Bay was still being operated by the Navy with an establishment of about seventy ratings having been taken over from the Administration on the outbreak of war when it was greatly enlarged, most of our equipment being scrapped in the process. In August, 1947, I was informed that the Navy proposed to pull out in the following January and since I could not contemplate running this much more elaborate organisation, some three and a half miles from Stanley, with a handful of civilian operators I decided to build a new station nearer to hand. It was improvised out of two old Army huts, equipment was borrowed from the Admiralty - to whom as in so many ways we are so much indebted - and I was able to acquire two diesel generators at very small cost to provide the power. The new "VPC" went into operation on 16th April, 1948, and there has never been a day's failure. The installation has since been greatly improved, for with the completion of the new Power House we were able to switch over to mains supply while the Old Power House was dismantled and re-erected at the station to provide additional accommodation; equipment of the most modern type has been introduced, including automatic sending and receiving gear and Adastral rhombic aerials. The station has cost a fraction of its true value and should meet the Colony's needs for years to come. A new Wireless Station is also in process of installation at Fox Bay to serve the West Falkland and is being similarly re-equipped.

To improve communications with the Camp I appointed a Committee, in 1947, to advise on suitable characteristics for a standard Radio Telephone set; manufacture was put out to tender in England and sets and masts have been provided free to all Settlements, including the outlying Islands. The sets, which depend on wind-chargers and batteries, operate on two frequencies - one for daily intercourse with the Stanley Broadcasting Studio, and so at need with the Medical Department, and the other for inter-settlement communications. I think that no measure has done more to abolish the former feeling of isolation under which Camp residents have suffered so acutely in the past and, combined with the Air Service, it has already saved a number of lives.

The Stanley telephone service also comes under the Posts and Telegraphs Department; it leaves a good deal to be desired, particularly in regard to the absence of an efficient service at night, and I have recommended that further consideration be given to my earlier proposal for the installation of an automatic exchange, which I am convinced is not only practicable but would, in the long run, prove an economy.

PRINTING. The Government Press is a sub-Department of the Secretariat and the Head Printer's meticulous work has been turned out year after year on the most antiquated hand machines; he has now been provided with a power-driven Wharfedale Press which with a mechanised guillotine expected shortly should ease his task considerably. The printing shop is to be re-arranged within, to make for easier working; it is also to be re-decorated, an experience which has not come its way for the past twenty years, I believe.

PUBLIC UTILITIES. The most important development under this heading has been the new Power Station made possible by the acquisition, in 1947, of three 150 kilowatt Blackstone diesel generators which I was able to obtain from the Admiralty with the assistance of a grant from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund. At about the same time I was also able to recruit a young diesel mechanic-cum-electrician from F.I.D.S. who was sent to Blackstones for a course of instruction; he returned here to direct and supervise the erection of the new plant and transformers, the laying of the overhead power lines, installation of meters and the extensive re-wiring entailed. This was a first class job of work and I am happy to inform Honourable Members that Mr. Gutteridge, who left here last year on the completion of his contract and took up employment in Uganda, will be returning to us in the very near future. I should add that, as in the case of "VPC", this up-to-date installation has cost us a fraction of its true value and that £10,715 of that cost was met by the C.D.W. grant.

The use of electric labour-saving devices is increasing - consumption has more than doubled since 1951 - and with the growing demands by Government Departments, the Falkland Islands Company and the Town Council it is clear that the existing supply will be inadequate; this had been foreseen during the planning stage and an additional 75 kilowatt unit awaits installation - I have little doubt that we shall need yet another. The most urgent need is to bring down the unit cost of electricity and this we hope to do by buying oil in bulk through the Admiralty who have generously promised their co-operation; we

have a 300 ton tank – representing, roughly, a year's supply – awaiting erection and propose to instal a second, and the necessary pump and pipe-line have been obtained. The present system of obtaining oil in drums from Montevideo is altogether uneconomical and unsatisfactory and should be discontinued at the earliest possible moment. With electric power available at a more reasonable rate, the lot of the Stanley housewife should be a good deal easier; some revision of the tariff will, I think, be necessary.

There is a possibility that additional power could be obtained from wind generation in which field of research we are co-operating with the British Electrical and Allied Industries Research Association. This method appears to offer the greatest promise when used in supplementation of some other system and the records we are making at Sappers Hill should be of considerable interest.

When the new Wireless Station is installed at Fox Bay opportunity will be taken to provide electric light to the houses in the settlement.

WATER. The Stanley water supply comes in for a good deal of well-merited criticism as regards both its quality and quantity and I arranged, therefore, to have this problem investigated professionally; the engineer so employed, Major Pape, produced a most helpful report and it is intended to put his recommendations into effect as soon as possible. On the completion of this undertaking, Stanley will have both an ample and a clear supply; this in turn will enable us to bring about a much needed improvement in the sanitation of the Town.

JETTIES. Provision has been made for the repair of the Government Jetty and the Public Jetty, with the assistance of a grant from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund; the first of these has already been completed under contract and the second is to be undertaken by the same contractor during the coming winter – safety rails will be provided to guard against such accidents as have happened in the past and a watermain will be incorporated for the convenience of ships. The jetty at Fox Bay East has been extended to enable the "*Fitzroy*" to berth alongside, the greater part of the cost being met by Government.

PEAT. The peat situation threatens to get more and more difficult with the steady decrease in the number of available cutters. To go some way towards meeting this problem, the Government has invested in a peat-winning machine and proposes also to share with the Falkland Islands Company the cost of getting out a peat expert to advise us on the best use of our bogs. As the usual wild stories are circulating about the peat machine, which we have thus far only toyed with, let me say at once that there is not the least doubt that it will do all that is claimed for it but that we must first devise some means of removing the top layer of matted grass, pig-vine and, more particularly, diddle-dee; this can be quite readily removed by a bulldozer with blade attachment which we will need, in any case, for the road programme. We have decided to substitute Rayburn cookers in all Government quarters for the time-honoured, but greedy, "Stanley" range which will lead to a considerable saving of peat and also make life a lot easier for the housewife.

PUBLIC WORKS. I have little to say about this Department other than, metaphorically, to take off my hat to its members for disposing of such a multiplicity and variety of tasks under conditions more difficult than any in my experience. When I consider the shortage of labour, both skilled and unskilled, the lack of mechanised plant to offset this disadvantage – I well remember the foundations at the Wireless Station and at the Power House being pecked out with a hammer and cold chisel and a crowbar – and recall the delays in obtaining essential supplies, delays which were often aggravated by breakages and pilferage en route, their achievement is the more remarkable; and still more remarkable if one considers the continuous demands on the Department for maintenance which had got so sadly in arrears during and immediately after the War and, on top of all this, the annual drain of peat cutting which coincides with the best time of the year for building. I think, sometimes, that the public while very ready to criticise gives them little enough credit.

A minimum number of skilled artisans have been recruited on contract to assist with the development programme and each of these has been required to train an apprentice, whenever applicants could be found, with the object of increasing the cadre of skilled workers in the Colony; there has been a reluctance to enter apprenticeship in plumbing and painting which is unfortunate since both are very necessary trades here and the first is likely to become increasingly important.

I have endeavoured to lighten the Departmental load by relieving the P.W.D. of responsibility for Harbour activities which it was, in any case, quite incompetent to handle – and by the provision of mechanised plant; the projected re-organisation of the P.W.D. yard and concentration of its stores, which are at present scattered all over the Town, will also help.

Construction work tackled by the Department during the period of my review includes the addition of a second storey to the Secretariat, a new Town Hall, new Wireless Station, new Power House, Hangar and Slipway for the Air Service, office accommodation at Government House, the Churchill wing, extensive repairs to the old Hospital building including accommodation for the domestic staff, the new Junior School and three new Government quarters; many minor works have been undertaken, in addition.

In building construction we have made extensive use of block-work and cavity walls and in every case, as the foundations rest on peat, there is subsequent settlement and cracks develop here and there in the fabric but these cease as soon as the settling process is completed, it then being only necessary to grout the few cracks with cement. While I am satisfied that the traditional timber built structure is, in the end, best suited for local conditions it is more expensive to maintain and where it has to house large numbers of persons such as in a Hospital or other public building one has to reckon with fire risk which, with our high prevailing wind, is a very serious risk; the loss of our Town Hall, through someone's carelessness with a cigarette-end, is still fresh in the memory of most of you.

ROADS. The Stanley roads were ruined by heavy military vehicles during the war; they were never designed for such traffic or, indeed, for the number of heavy lorries in operation since the war. They have, in consequence, steadily deteriorated and there has been criticism in some quarters because we have done nothing about them. For that, I accept full responsibility; I have had a great deal of experience of making roads in my time and realised that to tinker with them, which was all that we could do, was utterly useless and a complete waste of money; we had not the labour to rebuild them and it is that and nothing less that is required, but there were other and far more urgent commitments. It will be a major

undertaking for hand in hand with it must go the tasks of paving, realignment of the road trace, storm drainage, sewerage and the laying of power cables and water mains. At the last meeting of Council we confirmed our intention to treat this and the new Water Supply system as a "combined operation" for which we would recruit an Engineer and the necessary labour force, and these arrangements are now in train. I have asked that the Engineer should be sent out as quickly as possible to make his preliminary reconnaissance and prepare the estimates on which to base our financial provision, which Honourable Members also approved in principle at that meeting. Some part of the cost may be met from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds, part I would suggest by loan and the balance can, I hope, be found from revenue.

The programme is intended to include all the Town roads and – purely as an amenity – to continue the main road west as far as the Head of the Bay and east to the beach at Rookery Bay; it should also, I suggest, provide one or two tracks to the peat bogs and include service roads to the Wireless Station and Power House. At a guess, provided that a good, hard-working labour force is obtainable it should be possible to complete the programme within four years; meanwhile, motor licence fees have been suspended and will presumably be proportionately restored as the work progresses.

As to roads in the Camp, I can only repeat that I do not regard this as a practical proposition; where adjoining Farms choose to make a communicating track for Jeep-type vehicles, it might be reasonable to seek Government assistance for the construction of light bridging or culverting.

SOCIAL AMENITIES. TOWN HALL. The old Town Hall, a handsome double-storied timber building which had been the hub of the Colony's social life, was completely destroyed by fire in 1944. On my arrival I found that plans had been prepared for a replacement but they were too ambitious so two alternative designs were produced for final acceptance at a public meeting. The new building, in concrete block, was opened on 20th May, 1950, and comprises a fine dance-hall with stage and dressing rooms, restaurant and cloak-rooms upstairs and, below, a Post Office, Town Clerk's Office, Library and Reading Room, Museum and Council Chamber in which the Supreme Court also sits. The new building was financed in part by the insurance on the old, with the balance as a free gift from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund. Mahogany panelling for the Council chamber, still to be installed, came as a gift from the Nigerian Government and a very handsome clock from The Falkland Islands Company, while the British Council have given generous assistance in replacing the library most, if not all, of which was destroyed in the fire. The Town Hall was opened before it was really complete and some re-decoration, both internal and external, remains to be done: aesthetically it is less attractive than its predecessor but it gives a deal of pleasure, meets an urgent need and has the great advantage over the old building that it will not burn down.

CINEMA. Several Farms having invested in 16mm projectors, and Mr. Hardy having switched over to this size, the Government has established a central film library from which programmes are provided at cost to exhibitors; the films are obtained from J. Arthur Rank and from the Central Office of Information. This works out much more cheaply than any arrangements which they could make for themselves and while it may be argued that Government should not go into the film business, one must remember that no charge is made by the Farms who provide this as a free and much-valued amenity for their workers; I hope that more of them will be encouraged to do so. In Stanley, Mr. Hardy has sunk a lot of money in his new equipment and as I am satisfied that it will take him a long time to get it back again I supported his request to be allowed to exhibit in the Town Hall and the Government has also met the cost of incorporating a projection box at the back of the stage; his patrons are now able to enjoy their cinema shows in comfort.

BROADCASTING. Local broadcasting has depended, hitherto, on old low-power equipment taken over from the Army and although it has done yeoman work it has had its day and the standard of reception is, on the whole, poor, particularly in the Camp. A grant of £10,000 was made from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund Reserve and this has enabled us to obtain a modern 5 kw. medium wave transmitter which has now been erected up at the Wireless Station; the Government has contributed a further £12,700 for the purchase of ancillary equipment – including masts which are an expensive item – and for the replacement of the local re-diffusion system; standard receivers will be available to the public for a modest monthly rental. With the new Transmitter in view, opportunity was taken to purchase the old Roman Catholic gymnasium which with the necessary adaption, now in hand, will serve admirably as a Studio and there is every reason to hope that long before the winter sets in both the Camp and Stanley will be enjoying much better reception. Honourable Members concurred in my proposal at the last Session that we should get a G.P.O. engineer out to supervise the final details of the installation and I am glad to report that Mr. Hatfield, who surveyed and assembled all this equipment in England before it was shipped, has been kindly seconded to us by the Postmaster General. I have suggested that when his work in Stanley is done he should pay a brief visit to both East and West Falkland to check up on reception there; he is due here next month and I am sure that we will find his visit most helpful in many ways.

A Broadcasting Committee was set up in November, 1950, with the object of improving the standard of programmes and Mr. McNaughton was appointed as Director; there is, I suggest, no doubt that this Committee has done a good job and I am most grateful to them. Their work carries its own reward in the pleasure that it gives, especially in the Camp where there is so little else in the way of entertainment; and by placing their help at the disposal of this Committee, Stanley residents can do much for their friends and relatives in the Settlements.

A Henschreiber wireless teleprinter was presented to us some considerable time ago by Reuters and now that we have somewhere to instal it we hope to have it in operation soon; this will be of considerable help if we can persuade some public-minded citizen to start a local newspaper again – there is a definite demand for one.

A new and welcome amenity is the Squash Court, presented by the Falkland Islands Company as part of its Centenary benefactions, for it is a game which the younger Falkland Islander should take to very readily.

I had noted, as something for the future, the conversion of the Gymnasium into a Swimming Bath and suggest that you should bear this in mind – for deaths from drowning are all too frequent and

most of them could be averted with a quite modest proficiency in swimming; as so many of our people are compelled to spend much of their time in small boats, and on jetties, it would seem only prudent to give young folk the opportunity of learning to swim. The open sea is much too cold for most of us to learn in, and a Swimming Bath is the only alternative: incidentally, it would provide yet another welcome, and very healthy, pastime. It might be possible to consider this on the completion of the roads and water supply programme, using part of the same labour force.

SOCIAL SECURITY. I found very little here that could be properly included under this heading apart from a Provident Fund operated by the Government and some Farms which, however, failed of its intention since it could be drawn upon and squandered whenever a contributor left his employment.

As it was very early apparent to me that the married man with children was at a disadvantage in the rising costs which had set in with the end of the War, I proposed, and you approved, the introduction of a non-contributory family allowance approximating to that in force in the United Kingdom and I have no doubt that it has been of considerable help; in only one or two cases has it been apparent that the money is not being used for the purpose for which it was intended and it must be clearly understood that authority vests in the Government to withhold the allowance in such cases and to take steps, itself, to ensure that it is applied directly to the needs of the children.

The next steps were to improve basic wages which had stood still since long before the War, and to introduce a sliding scale percentage award to compensate for fluctuations in the cost of living. But my principal concern was the lack of any real provision for old age which was forcing workers to continue in employment long after they were physically fit to do so. In July, 1952, therefore, an Ordinance was introduced to provide for the payment of pensions to all male persons resident in the Colony on attaining the age of 65, on the scale of £1 a week for a bachelor or widower and 30/- a week for a married man, whose widow would receive 10/- a week. The pension is secured by a weekly tax of 2/- on every employee, of 3/- on his employer (including the Government, of course) and of 5/- for every self-employed man within the permitted age limits; provision being made for men who had passed the ages of 50 when the Ordinance came into force to buy themselves in on very favourable terms. The revenue so derived is separately funded and a quinquennial review by the Government Actuary in the United Kingdom which the Ordinance requires will ensure that the scheme is kept on the right lines. This, I suggest, is one of the most beneficial measures that the House has authorised and one for which the public will have long cause to be grateful.

With so much money about these days, and a good deal of it being spent on somewhat frivolous objects, I would urge more widespread support of the Stanley Benefit Club which was established some 95 years ago: it is a most useful institution to which every worker should belong, for the benefits furnished by the Club however small provide present help in time of trouble and cater for circumstances for which the Government cannot possibly provide. With a membership of, say, three times the size, it would obviously afford more generous benefits.

FINANCE. I must not forestall the Treasurer who will shortly be introducing the Budget and will confine myself, therefore, to a very brief comment.

When I arrived in Stanley, just in time for my first Budget Session, the Colony's finances were in a distinctly depressed condition: I was confronted with a deficit for the ensuing year amounting to some £24,000 and the future prospect looked altogether gloomy. I anticipate that the current financial year will close with a Surplus of £17,000 and we are again budgeting for a Surplus next year after investment from revenue of £50,000 in the Freezer. If wool stays above 50 pence, then there will be a sum of £50,000 available from revenue for Development needs and if it should fall to 40 pence, the sum of £30,000 so that until it falls below that figure a substantial part of the Roads and Water Supply programme can be financed – as it should be, in accordance with our policy – from revenue.

Our Reserve Fund, in 1946, stood at £258,000 while at the end of this year – despite the steeply rising costs of materials, freight and wages and money devoted to development – we expect that they will be not less than £729,000. This is a very different picture, is it not? But let us not forget that the primary object of building up this Reserve is to tide us over difficult times when they come – as come they will.

CONSTITUTION. I turn, finally, to the changes which have taken place in our Constitution. In 1946 the Executive Council consisted of the Governor with the Colonial Secretary and the Senior Medical Officer, by virtue of office, and two other officials appointed by Warrant and my first step was to add two Unofficial Members, one representing the Camp and the other Stanley. Legislative Council comprised precisely the same official membership with, in addition, two Unofficial Members appointed by Warrant one of whom was recorded as having attended only once due, doubtless, to the difficulty of getting in to Stanley: its proceedings were perfunctory, with little or no attempt at debating the measures which came before it. It did not appear to me to be wholesome or in accordance with the spirit of the times that this community, all white and mainly of British descent, should have no say whatever in the direction of its affairs and the Stanley Town Council was therefore established, as an interim measure, in 1947, with a membership of nine, of whom six are elected and three (two of them technical – the S.M.O. and the Supt. of Works) are appointed by the Governor. The Chairman and his Deputy are chosen from the ranks of the elected members and are appointed by them. The Council administers the day-to-day affairs of the Town with a budget sufficient for its present needs; the scope of its activities and the funds to support them can both be increased as experience and capacity develop. This institution is, so to speak, a training ground for political leadership and its special need is to attract the services of the younger citizen.

On the 25th February, 1949, the electoral principle was extended to the Colony as a whole, on a basis of universal adult suffrage; the Legislative Council then comprising 6 Official, 4 Elected and 2 Nominated Unofficial members sitting with the Governor as President who held both an original and a casting vote. As this arrangement enabled him to force legislation through in the face of unofficial objection, which occasioned some quite understandable heartburning, I recommended that the official team should be reduced to 5 and that the Governor should relinquish his original vote thus securing a majority – if all of them should choose to attend – for the Unofficial Members. There is, in addition, a Standing Committee consisting of the Unofficial Members of Council sitting with the Colonial Secretary,

to which the Colony's financial requirements are submitted for approval. Thus, I think it may now be said that the will of the people in the business of Government is as firmly reflected as is possible in so small a community; and I have no doubt that the Colony's affairs will be prosecuted with greater interest, and more and more effectively, as the years go by.

That, Honourable Members, concludes the account of my stewardship and if it has taken long in the telling I hope you will forgive me and that you may feel that the Colony has made some progress during these years; do not imagine for one moment that the Government, much less myself, entertains any feeling of complacency for we are all of us only too conscious of how much remains to do. But I do suggest to you that there is no aspect of the Colony's life whether it be in the field of Government or of the Constitution, Health or Communications, Social Security or our Financial and Economic status which is not materially better today and that we of this House may justly claim that we have together under God's help and guidance, laid a more solid foundation for future Administrations to build upon. I feel, therefore, that if conditions remain fairly stable and if we can but find some way to overcome the serious problem of under-population we may look to the future with sober confidence.

There is this, too, to be remembered; that in a troubled and uneasy world this Colony of the Falkland Islands remains - thanks to the strong arm of the British Navy - a peaceful, prosperous and I hope and believe a contented little oasis. Let us all value this at its true worth, for that strong arm is something to which we do not contribute one penny piece and it might be well to ask ourselves from time to time where we would be, what would happen to our peace, our prosperity and contentment if it were not there for us to lean upon? I think that you all know the answer to that question as well as I do.

As a last word, may I offer to all Honourable Members and to every servant of the Government my thanks and appreciation for the help which each, in his or her degree, has given in the tasks which have confronted us and I bespeak with confidence - from all - that same help and support for my successor.

For myself, I shall watch the future of the Colony with lively interest and with the utmost goodwill.

3. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the table the following Papers :-

- (i) Report of the Auditor on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st January, 1951, to the 31st March, 1952.
- (ii) Report of the Standing Finance Committee for the period December, 1953, to January, 1954.
- (iii) Report of the Commission of Enquiry on Revised Conditions of Service for the Civil Service.
- (iv) Certificate of Urgency signed by His Excellency in respect of one Resolution additional to the Order Paper.

4. The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, moved the adoption of the following Resolution :-

BE IT RESOLVED—

That the Report of the Commission of Enquiry as laid on the table be adopted and that the Revised Conditions for the Civil Service as proposed and presented to the Legislative Council on the 8th of January, 1954, and as subsequently amended by a memorandum dated the 23rd of February, 1954, be approved with effect from the 1st of October, 1953.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary proposed that, in view of the number of important principles involved in the proposed Revised Conditions of Service, the Resolution be referred to a Committee of the whole Council and that strangers should be required to withdraw.

On the motion being seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, the Council adjourned.

When the Council resumed the Resolution was unanimously adopted.

5. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe moved the first reading of the Bill "To Amend the Customs Ordinance" and explained that the Bill sought to extend to certain countries, which were no longer members of the British Commonwealth, the advantages of preferential tariff.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and passed through all its stages.

6. The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe introduced the Bill "To legalise certain payments made in the year 1952-1953 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1952" and proposed its first reading.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded the Bill and it was read a second time and passed through all its stages.

7. On the motion of the Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe, seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, a Bill "To provide for the service of the year 1954-1955" was read a first time. In moving the first reading the Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe said :-

Your Excellency,

This Bill is the main business of our present meeting which is to approve the Budget for the coming year. The Budget is mostly of a bread and butter nature but it does have a small sprinkling of jam for the Civil Service and most important for the unfortunate sufferer from Tuberculosis. However as Honourable Members will have opportunity for discussing its details in Select Committee I will confine myself to its general aspect and our Financial Position.

In 1952 we budgeted for a total revenue of £312,000 whereas the total collected was £377,000. Last year we budgeted for a total of £227,000 and I anticipate that by the end of March we will collect

about £232,000, which is of course on the right side but if we examine the fluctuating items in our budget we will find that Company and Income Tax which in 1952 produced over one quarter of a million pounds and which we anticipated would produce £110,000 during the current year is now only expected to realise £75,000. The short fall of £35,000 this year has been offset by increased receipts from Estate Duty which normally does not produce more than one or two thousand pounds.

In the coming financial year I estimate that we will receive in ordinary revenue a sum of £254,000 against an amount of £232,000 for the current year, an increase of £22,000. Practically the whole of this increase is accounted for by a higher anticipated revenue to be derived from Company and Income Tax as a result of last year's rise in the price of wool.

Our recurrent expenditure is £171,000 which leaves us with £80,000 to finance capital and development works during this year, and which sum is estimated to be sufficient, and as the only major capital work looming ahead is the Stanley Improvement Scheme it appears that we can look forward to completing our Capital projects without depleting our Reserves. We must however not forget that the completion of the Improvement Scheme will bring with it a rise in recurrent expenditure to provide for maintenance.

Turning to the question of Reserves, it is of course impossible to say at what figure these should be maintained. By the end of March they will be about £720,000 - I see little prospect of this amount being added to in the foreseeable future.

Now £720,000 sounds a lot of money but Sir, it has less value than that of the Colony's Reserve which stood at £311,000 in 1939 and which kept us free from debt during the war period, when recurrent expenditure rose from £50,000 to £104,000.

Against the figure of £50,000 recurrent expenditure in 1939 we have a present day level of £171,000 and whilst admittedly some part of the increase arises from social progress in the Colony the major portion can be attributed to the war and its aftermath, and under present World conditions I consider that we would be failing in our duty if we for one moment contemplated depleting the present Reserve or not adding to it should opportunity offer.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, then moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee of the House, and the Council adjourned.

On Council re-assembling the Honourable the Colonial Secretary reported back from the Select Committee.

Clause 1 was agreed to. On motion made consideration of Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

The Schedule was agreed to with the following amendments:-

<i>Number and Head of Service</i>	<i>Delete</i>	<i>Substitute therefor</i>
IX. Military	£ 878	£ 888
XVIII. Extraordinary Expenditure	82,250	82,770
Total	£253,398	£253,928
Total Expenditure	£284,118	£284,648

Clause 2 was recommitted and agreed to with the following amendment. By the deletion of the words "TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTY FOUR THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEEN POUNDS" in the third and fourth lines and the substitution of the words "TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTY FOUR THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY EIGHT POUNDS"; and by the deletion of the figure "£284,188" in the side notes, and the substitution therefor of the figure "£284,648".

The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

In conclusion His Excellency expressed to Honourable Members his appreciation of the careful consideration which they have given to all the matters placed before them.

Referring to the Revised Conditions for the Civil Service His Excellency said he was very pleased that his proposals had met with Council's approval before his departure and in particular he wished to thank the Honourable Member for the East Falkland for his suggestion at the previous meeting that the proposed revision should be referred to an independent Commission of Enquiry.

In moving the final adjournment, the Honourable the Colonial Secretary said:-

Your Excellency,

This Meeting will be the last occasion on which Your Excellency will preside over this Council and I would like to express on behalf of All Honourable Members their very sincere appreciation of the wise and patient direction which you have accorded to their deliberations during the past seven years. On your departure, Your Excellency will leave behind an impressive record of advancement and achievement in the Colony and it is our intention that the foundations of progress and development which have been so well laid, will not only stand firm but also be built upon.

On behalf of this Council and the people whom we represent I would like to offer to you, Sir, and to Lady Clifford our very best wishes for your future health, happiness and prosperity, wherever you may be and in whatever vocation you may choose to interest yourself during your retirement.

The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES, 31ST DECEMBER 1953.

LIABILITIES				ASSETS			
			£ s. d.				£ s. d.
Deposits	...	...	45 : 8 : 0	Cemetery Investments (Face value)	...	...	1685 : 18 : 7
Fire Brigade Fund	...	...	493 : 4 : 0	Advances	...	...	29 : 17 : 2
Capital Account	...	...	500 : 4 : 5	Savings Bank Deposits :-			
Museum Fund	...	...	10 : 18 : 10	General Account	...	£ 376 : 19 : 1	
Cemetery Investment Fund	...	...	1685 : 18 : 7	Fire Brigade Account	...	514 : 18 : 0	
Surplus & Deficit Account, being surplus	...	...	408 : 12 : 3*	Capital Account	...	498 : 3 : 9	
							1390 : 0 : 10
				Cash in hand	...	...	38 : 9 : 6
			<u>£3144 : 6 : 1</u>				<u>£3144 : 6 : 1</u>

* Surplus and Deficit Account - details

Balance 1/1/53	...	...	£145 : 10 : 11
Surplus 1953	...	...	263 : 1 : 4
			<u>£408 : 12 : 3</u>

ADA LUXTON,

Town Clerk.

9th February, 1954.

The above statement has been examined by me in accordance with the requirements of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, 1947. I have obtained all the information that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the statement is correct.

L. GLEADELL,

Town Council Auditor.

23rd February, 1954.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

REVENUE 1953

Account title and No.	Amount Estimated.	Actual Receipts.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.					
	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
ORDINARY REVENUE													
1. CEMETERY	100	48	1	9	48	1	9		51	18	3		
2. MISCELLANEOUS	20	81	15	3	81	15	3	61	15	3			
3. GOVERNMENT GRANT	800	800	0	0	800	0	0						
4. LIBRARY	80	77	17	4	77	17	4		2	2	8		
5. BATHS AND GYMNASIUM													
(a) Baths	80	58	7	2					21	12	10		
(b) Gymnasium	70	95	3	9				25	3	9			
<i>Total Baths and Gymnasium ...</i>					153	10	11						
6. GENERAL RATE													
(a) Rate	2062	2098	15	3				36	15	3			
(b) Government Contribution	577	577	0	0									
<i>Total General Rate ...</i>					2675	15	3						
7. WATER RATE													
(a) Rate	375	488	7	6				113	7	6			
(b) Government Contribution	135	135	0	0									
(c) Sales	250	70	9	1							179	10	11
<i>Total Water Rate ...</i>					693	16	7						
8. TOWN HALL													
(a) Hiring	450	413	1	3					36	18	9		
(b) Government share	350	130	6	2					219	13	10		
<i>Total Town Hall ...</i>					534	7	5						
Total Ordinary Revenue ...	5349	5074	4	6				237	1	9	511	17	3
Capital Account		14	3	8									
Advances		114	19	3									
Deposits		422	13	9									
Fire Brigade Fund		12	11	0									
Balance, 1.1.53		1643	8	0									
		£ 7282	0	2									

This statement has been examined by me in accordance with the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, 1947. I have obtained all the information that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the statement is correct.

L. GLEADELL,
Town Council Auditor.
23rd February, 1954.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

EXPENDITURE 1953

Account title and No.	Amount Estimated.				Actual Expenditure.				Over the Estimate.				Under the Estimate.			
	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
ORDINARY EXPENDITURE																
1. Town Clerk	380	356	12	9	356	12	9						23	7	3	
2. CEMETERY																
(a) Wages	242	244	9	0				2	9	0						
(b) Upkeep	50	1	17	3												
<i>Total Cemetery</i> ...					246	6	3						48	2	9	
3. FIRE BRIGADE																
(a) Wages	409	384	15	9									24	4	3	
(b) Upkeep	50	146	11	10				96	11	10						
<i>Total Fire Brigade</i> ...					531	7	7									
4. LIBRARY																
(a) Wages	142	141	10	0										10	0	
(b) Books	30	23	12	4									6	7	8	
<i>Total Library</i> ...					165	2	4									
5. MISCELLANEOUS																
(a) Telephones	6												6	0	0	
(b) Stationery	10	6	4	10									3	15	2	
(c) Provident Fund	20	11	14	10									8	5	2	
(d) O. A. Pensions	15	5	0	0									10	0	0	
(e) Election	2		10	0									1	10	0	
(f) Audit	15												15	0	0	
(g) Insurance	10	4	10	0									5	10	0	
(h) Unforeseen	34	46	1	8				12	1	8						
<i>Total Miscellaneous</i> ...					74	1	4									
6. CHARITABLE RELIEF	800	729	9	1	729	9	1						70	10	11	
7. PUBLIC BATHS and GYMNASIUM																
(a) Wages	180	185	11	9				5	11	9			43	12	10	
(b) Fuel	80	36	7	2									2	6	1	
(c) Light	40	37	13	11									9	0	8	
(d) Supplies	25	15	19	4									4	18	4	
(e) Laundry	15	10	1	8												
<i>Total Public Baths and Gymnasium</i>					285	3	10									
8. SCAVENGING																
(a) Ash Contract	600	600	0	0												
(b) Sanitary Carter	340	523	17	9				183	17	9			24	9	9	
(c) Fodder	50	25	10	3												
(d) New Connections	100	305	0	10				205	0	10			54	16	4	
(e) Repairs	80	25	3	8												
<i>Total Scavenging</i> ...					1479	12	6									
9. STREET LIGHTING																
(a) Current	350	327	6	0									22	14	0	
(b) Repairs	100	34	18	4									65	1	8	
<i>Total Street Lighting</i> ...					362	4	4									
10. TOWN HALL																
(a) Cleaner	170	172	5	0				2	5	0			2	13	8	
(b) Stoker	180	177	6	4									235	16	0	
(c) Fuel	330	94	4	0												
(d) Light	50	52	11	6				2	11	6			6	15	6	
(e) Supplies	20	13	4	6												
<i>Total Town Hall</i> ...					509	11	4									
11. WATER SUPPLY																
(a) Ships' Supplies	10												10	0	0	
(b) Repairs	40	32	9	4									7	10	8	
(c) New Connections	40	38	12	6									1	7	6	
<i>Total Water Supply</i> ...					71	1	10									
Total Ordinary Expenditure	5015				4811	3	2	510	9	4	714	6	2			
Capital Account					547	15	3									
Advances					81	7	5									
Deposits					413	4	0									
Balance, 31.12.53					1428	10	4									
					£ 7282	0	2									

ADA LUXTON,

Town Clerk.

9th February, 1954.

TOWN COUNCIL ESTIMATES, 1954.

Service.	Actual 1952.		Estimate 1953.		Estimated 1954.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
REVENUE.						
1. Cemetery		99		100		70
2. Miscellaneous		83		20		20
3. Government Grant		800		800		800
4. Library		56		80		80
5. Baths & Gymnasium						
a. Baths			80		60	
b. Gymnasium			70		70	
		177		150		130
6. General Rate						
a. Rate			2062		2130	
b. Govt. contribution			577		577	
		1777		2639		2707
7. Water Rate						
a. Rate			375		435	
b. Govt. contribution			135		135	
c. Sales			250		100	
		995		760		670
8. Town Hall						
a. Hirings			450		550	
b. Govt. Contribution			350		350	
		911		800		900
9. Transport		—		—		200
<i>Fire Brigade</i>		336		—		—
		5234		5349		5577
EXPENDITURE.						
1. TOWN CLERK		369		380		272
2. CEMETERY						
a. Wages	243		242		242	
b. Upkeep	3		50		50	
		246		292		292
3. FIRE BRIGADE						
a. Wages	362		409		150	
b. Upkeep	231		50		50	
		593		459		200
4. LIBRARY						
a. Wages	114		142		142	
b. Books etc.	11		30		30	
		125		172		172
5. MISCELLANEOUS						
a. Telephones	—		6		6	
b. Stationery	3		10		10	
c. Provident Fund	20		20		20	
d. Old Age Pensions	—		15		15	
e. Elections	1		2		2	
f. Audit	11		15		15	
g. Insurance	8		10		10	
h. Unforeseen	76		34		34	
		119		112		112
6. CHARITABLE RELIEF		868		800		850
7. PUBLIC BATHS & GYMNASIUM						
a. Wages	203		180		182	
b. Fuel	48		80		40	
c. Light	47		40		40	
		298		2215		262
<i>Carried forward</i>	298	2320	300	2215	262	1978

Service.	Actual 1952.		Estimate 1953.		Estimated 1954.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Brought forward ...</i>	298	2320	300	2215	262	1978
d. Supplies	19		25		25	
e. Laundry	13		15		15	
8. SCAVENGING		330		340		302
a. Sanitation	555		340		550	
b. Fodder	33		50		50	
c. Repairs	55		80		80	
d. New Connections	86		100		200	
e. Ash Contract	600		600		100	
9. STREET LIGHTS		1329		1170		980
a. Current	315		350		350	
b. Repairs	66		100		100	
10. TOWN HALL		381		450		450
a. Cleaner	320		350		350	
b. Fuel	301		330		200	
c. Light	47		50		50	
d. Cleaning	72		20		20	
11. WATER SUPPLY		740		750		620
a. Ships	3		10		10	
b. Repairs	25		40		40	
c. Connections	14		40		40	
12. TRANSPORT		42		90		90
a. Wages	—		—		643	
b. Upkeep	—		—		200	
13. REPAYMENT OF LOAN		—		—		200
		5142		5015		5383

Approved by the Town Council, 7th December, 1953.

ADA LUXTON,
Town Clerk.





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Rutter, A.	Agricultural	Officer-in-Charge	18.4.54	—
Coley, J. A.	Education	Assistant Master	1.5.54	—
McGill, Miss J.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	21.4.54	—
Davis, Miss P. G.	"	" "	24.5.54	—
Lindenberg, Miss O.	"	" "	1.6.54	—
Norris, J.	Police & Prisons	Acting Chief Constable	10.5.54	—
Gutteridge, E. C.	Public Works	Supt. Power House	1.4.54	—
Halliday, Miss H. F.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	1.2.50	—
Reive, Miss Z.	" " "	" "	1.1.54	—
Hirtle, W.	Secretariat	Acting Assistant Colonial Secretary	10.5.54	—
Bound, H. L.	Treasury	Acting Assistant Treasurer	10.5.54	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Rowlands, Miss C.	F.I.D.S.	Clerk, Grade IV.	1.2.52	—

TRANSFERS.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Myles, W. B.	W/T Operator	Clerk, Grade II. Posts & Telegraphs	1.5.54.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Clifford, Sir Miles, K.B.E., C.M.G., E.D.,	—	Governor	12.4.54 to	31.5.54	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Booth, S. A.	Education	Assistant Master	10.5.54	4½ mths.	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Lellman, F. T.	"	" "	10.5.54	180 days	Inclusive of period of voyages.
Hillenbrand, Dr. F. K. M., M.D.	Medical	Medical Officer	14.5.54	155 "	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Ikkint, D. E. J.	Police & Prisons	Chief Constable	10.5.54	140 "	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Bound, J., E.D., J.P.	Secretariat	Assistant Colonial Secretary	10.5.54	180 "	do.
Lellman, E. F.	Treasury	Assistant Treasurer	10.5.54	180 "	do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 31. 3rd May, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of the 14th January, 1954, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

B. Registered to practise in the Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Sarmiento, Raul Maria	M.D. (Buenos Aires)	1937.

No. 32. 7th May, 1954.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated the 22nd April,

1954, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Wednesday the 5th of May, 1954.

Ref. P/614.

No. 33. 10th May, 1954.

It is notified for public information that with effect from the 1st of June, 1954, Government Office hours will be as follows :—

Monday to Friday	8.30 a.m. — 12.30 p.m. 2.00 p.m. — 4.30 p.m.
Saturday	8.30 a.m. — 12.00 noon.

Hours for Treasury cash transactions are :—

Monday to Friday	8.30 a.m. — 12.30 p.m. 2.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m.
Saturday	8.30 a.m. — 11.00 a.m.

Ref: 142/38.

No. 34.

17th May, 1954.

The following revised list of Magistrates and Justices of the Peace of the Colony and its Dependencies is published for information :—

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Place of Residence.</i>	<i>Date of Appointment.</i>
EAST FALKLAND.		
Hon. Mr. A. G. Barton, J.P.	Stanley	15th July, 1931.
H. Bennett, J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
J. F. Bonner, J.P.	San Carlos	12th May, 1937.
J. Bound, E.D., J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Hon. Mr. C. Campbell, Magistrate	"	23rd April, 1952.
Hon. Mr. N. K. Cameron, O.B.E., J.P.	Port San Carlos	6th May, 1935.
M. G. Creece, J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Chairman, Stanley Town Council	"	28th February, 1951.
Hon. Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.	Darwin	31st January, 1949.
Dr. J. E. Hamilton, I.S.O., D.Sc., J.P.	Stanley	14th November, 1919.
Hon. Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
Hon. Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.	"	27th November, 1939.
A. Newing, J.P.	"	6th May, 1935.
M. Robson, J.P.	"	12th August, 1920.

WEST FALKLAND.

Hon. Mr. W. W. Blake, J.P.	Hill Cove	24th March, 1954.
Hon. Mr. K. W. Luxton, J.P.	Chartres	24th September, 1940.
D. M. Pole-Evans, J.P.	Port Howard	25th April, 1946.
C. H. Robertson, J.P.	Fox Bay West	27th November, 1936.

DEPENDENCIES.

F. G. Bird, Magistrate	Hope Bay	2nd March, 1954.
D. J. George, Magistrate	Admiralty Bay	24th March, 1954.
G. E. Hemmen, Magistrate	Deception Island	25th November, 1953.
W. Johnston, Magistrate	R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	13th January, 1951.
R. A. Lenton, Magistrate	Argentine Islands	1st March, 1951.
H. Smith, Magistrate	Signy Island	13th March, 1954.
R. Spivey, Magistrate	South Georgia	15th March, 1954.
W. Turner, Magistrate	Hope Bay	28th January, 1954.

Ref. 0457.

No. 35. 17th May, 1954.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
4 of 1954	Defence Force Ordinance, 1954	0838/D/II.
5 of 1954	Road Traffic (Temporary Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	0705/A.
6 of 1954	Live Stock (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1093.
7 of 1954	Stanley Town Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	0039/III.

No. 36. 1st May, 1954.

THE STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE.

NO. 1 OF 1947.

Consequent on the resignation of Mr. J. C. Osborne a casual vacancy exists in the East Ward of the Stanley Electoral Area.

In accordance with section 8 (2) of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has directed that Tuesday the 11th of May, 1954, shall be the day of the by-election to fill the vacancy thus caused.

Ref: 0039/C.

CORRIGENDA.

The periods of absence in respect of Miss D. Sedgwick and Mr. J. Raymond appearing on page 1 of January 1954 Gazette should read "20.6.53 to 5.12.53".

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Agnes Brown, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Jeannie Lilian Mary Brechin, agent for George Joseph Brown, sole Executor named in the Will of the above named deceased, dated the 29th day of December, 1950, prays that Letters of Administration with the said Will annexed, may be granted to her to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

3rd May, 1954.

L. 14/54.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 28th day of May, 1954, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above

recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 28th day of May, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

The Consular Conventions Ordinance (Cap. 14).

Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council. (under section 6 of the Ordinance).

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No 2 of 1954.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 of the Consular Conventions Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Consular Conventions (Kingdom of Greece) Order, 1954, and shall be deemed to have come into force on the 14th day of February, 1954.

2. Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Consular Conventions Ordinance, shall apply to the Kingdom of Greece.

Made by the Governor in Council at Stanley, this 20th day of April, 1954.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 1475.

The Consular Conventions Ordinance (Cap. 14).

Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council. (under section 6 of the Ordinance).

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor

No. 3 of 1954.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 of the Consular Conventions Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Consular Conventions (French Republic) Order, 1954, and shall be deemed to have come into force on the 14th day of January, 1954.

2. Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Consular Conventions Ordinance, shall apply to the Republic of France.

Made by the Governor in Council, at Stanley, this 20th day of April, 1954.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 1475.

The Efficiency Medal.

Regulations made by the Governor under Royal Warrant dated the 1st September, 1953.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

In pursuance of the Royal Warrant dated the 1st September, 1953, and with the gracious approval of Her Majesty the Queen signified through the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to amend the Efficiency Medal Regulations as follows :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Efficiency Medal Regulations, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Efficiency Medal Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.
2. Regulation 4 (1) of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting the figures "1920" and substituting therefor the figures "1954".
3. Regulation 4 (2) of the principal Regulations is amended as follows :—
 - (a) by the repeal of paragraph (h) ;
 - (b) by re-lettering paragraphs (i) and (j) as (h) and (i) respectively.

Stanley,
6th May, 1954.

Ref. 181/31.

A Bill for An Ordinance To amend the Land Ordinance.

[1954]

	Title.
[1954]	Date of commencement.
BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—	Enacting clause.
1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Land (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Land Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.	Short title. Cap. 36.
2. Part III of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion of the following new section 18 :—	Addition of new section to the principal Ordinance.
<p><small>"Disposal of Crown Lands.</small> 18. Subject to the Provisions of this Ordinance the Governor in Council may dispose of Crown lands by lease and may also dispose of Crown lands, other than lands forming part of a reserve, by grant in fee simple."</p>	
3. Section 19 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.	Repeal of section 19 of the principal Ordinance.
4. Subsection (1) of section 23 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows :—	Amendment of section 23 of the principal Ordinance.
<p>(a) by deleting the words from "country land" to "sub-urban land" and the words "town land exceed the term of sixty years";</p> <p>(b) by substituting a full stop for the semi-colon immediately following the words "three years".</p>	
5. Section 24 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.	Repeal of section 24 of the principal Ordinance.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

To Amend the Pensions Ordinance.

Title.

Date of commencement.

[, 1954.]

Enacting clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

Cap. 49.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Replacement of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

"Gratuity where an officer dies in the service after retirement.

16. (1) (a) Where an officer holding a pensionable office who is not on probation or agreement, or an officer holding a non-pensionable office to which he has been transferred from a pensionable office in which he has been confirmed, dies while in the service of the Colony, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to his legal personal representative a gratuity of an amount not exceeding either his annual pensionable emoluments, or his commuted pension gratuity if any, whichever is the greater.

(b) For the purposes of this sub-section —

(i) "annual pensionable emoluments" means the emoluments which would be taken for the purpose of computing any pension or gratuity granted to the officer if he had retired at the date of his death in the circumstances described in paragraph (v) of section 6 of this Ordinance;

(ii) "commuted pension gratuity" means the gratuity, if any, which might have been granted to the officer under Regulation 22 of the Pensions Regulations if his public service had been wholly in the Colony and if he had retired at the date of his death in the circumstances described in paragraph (v) of section 6 of this Ordinance and had elected to receive a gratuity and reduced pension.

(2) Where any such officer to whom a pension, gratuity or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance dies after retirement from the service of the Colony, and the sums paid or payable to him at his death on account of any pension, gratuity or other allowance in respect of any public service are less than the amount of the annual pensionable emoluments enjoyed by him at the date of his retirement, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to his legal personal representative a gratuity equal to the deficiency.

(3) The provisions of this section shall not apply in the case of the death of any officer where benefits corresponding to the benefits which may be granted under this section are payable under the Colonial Superannuation Scheme in respect of such death."

A Bill for
An Ordinance

Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance.

[1st January, 1955]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Income Tax Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

(2) The amendments made by this Ordinance shall come into operation with the year of assessment commencing on the 1st day of January, 1955.

2. Subsection (1) of section 14 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows :—

- (a) by the deletion of the words "one-tenth" and the substitution therefor of the words "one fifth";
- (b) by the deletion of the figure "£100" and the substitution therefor of the figure "£400".

3. Subsection (1) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the figures and words "£40 in respect of the first child and £25 in respect of each subsequent child" and the substitution therefor of the figure and words "£70 in respect of each such child".

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title and commencement.
Cap. 32.

Amendment of section 14 of the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

To apply certain specified Acts of Parliament to the Colony.

[, 1954]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954.

2. The enactments specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance are applied to the Colony to the extent and with the modifications mentioned in the Schedule, and with the further modifications that any reference in any of the said enactments to "the date of the passing of this Act" or "the commencement of this Act", or any similar expression, shall be construed as a reference to the date of this Ordinance, any reference to "the Crown" shall be construed as a reference to "the Government", any reference to the "High Court" shall be construed as a reference to the "Supreme Court" and any reference to the "Attorney General" or "Solicitor General" shall be construed as a reference to the "Colonial Secretary".

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title.

Application of certain Acts of Parliament.

SCHEDULE.

<i>Enactment.</i>	<i>Extent of Application.</i>
1. Licensing Act, 1902, 2 Ed. 7. c. 28.	Sections 1 and 5.
2. Extradition Act, 1906, 6 Ed. 7, c. 15.	The whole Act.
3. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1906. 6 Ed. 7. c. 34.	The whole Act, except Sections 2 (1), 2 (4), 2 (5) and 3. In section 2 (6) "the Supreme Court" is substituted for "Quarter Sessions".
4. Probation of Offenders Act, 1907. 7 Ed. 7, c. 17.	The whole Act, except Sections 8 and 9. For Section 3 there shall be substituted the following :— "Probation officers. 3 (1) There may be appointed as probation officer or officers such person or persons of either sex as the Governor may determine, and a probation officer when acting under a probation order shall be subject to the control of the court by which the order was made. (2) The person named in any probation order may, if the court considers it expedient on account of the place of residence of the offender, or for any other special reason, be a person who has not been appointed to be a probation officer. (3) A probation officer may be paid such salary as the Governor may determine, and, if not so paid by salary, may receive such remuneration for acting under a probation order as the Governor thinks fit, and may, in either case, be allowed by the said court his reasonable out-of-pocket expenses, such salary and expenses to be paid out of the general revenue of the Colony. (4) A person named in a probation order not being a probation officer may be paid such remuneration and out-of-pocket expenses as the Governor may direct. (5) The person named in a probation order may at any time be relieved of his duties, and, in any such case, or in case of the death of the person so named, another person may be substituted by the court by which the order was made. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".
5. Fatal Accidents (Damages) Act, 1908, 8 Ed. 7, c. 7.	The whole Act.
6. Punishment of Incest Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 45.	The whole Act, except Sections 6 and 7.
7. Law of Distress (Am.) Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 53.	The whole Act, except Sections 7 and 10.
8. Oaths Act, 1909. 9 Ed. 7, c. 39.	The whole Act, except Section 4.
9. Perjury Act, 1911. 1 & 2 G. 5, c. 6.	The whole Act, except Section 18. References to "England" shall be construed where applicable as references to "the Colony" and "Ordinance" shall be substituted for "Act of Parliament" or "Act". In Section 8 the word "Colony" shall be substituted for the words "United Kingdom" and the words "county or" shall be deleted.
10. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1912. 2 & 3 G. 5, c. 20.	The whole Act, except Sections 3, 4 (2), 4 (3), 5 (4), 6, 7 (3) and 8.
11. Prisoners (Temporary Discharge for Ill-health) Act, 1913. 3 & 4 G. 5, c. 4.	The whole Act, except Section 3. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to "the Governor".
12. Bankruptcy & Deeds of Arrange- ment Act, 1913. 3 & 4 G. 5, c. 34.	Section 15.
13. Affiliation Orders Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 6.	The whole Act, except Sections 1 (4), 1 (5), 6 (1), and 8. For Section 1 (1) there shall be substituted :— "The Registrar of the Supreme Court shall carry out the duties of collecting officer under this Ordinance". In Section 6 (2) the "Governor in Council" shall be substituted for the "Lord Chancellor".
14. Deeds of Arrangement Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 47.	The whole Act, except Sections 4, 6 (c), 10, 18, 26 (2), 27, 28, 31 (1), 31 (2), 31 (3), 32 (2), 32 (3). References to "the Registrar of Bills of Sale" and to "the Board of Trade" shall be construed as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court".

Enactment.

Extent of Application.

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| <p>15. Criminal Justice Administration Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 58.</p> | <p>Sections 28 (2), 28 (3), 38, 39 (1), 40 (1) (a), 40 (1) (c), 41.
References to "the Lord Chancellor" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".</p> |
| <p>16. Bankruptcy Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 59.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 12, 33 (1) (d), 33 (1) (e), 70, 71, 75, 89 (1), 89 (6), 90, 91, 96 (2), 96 (3), 96 (4), 96 (5), 97, 99, 100, 102, 103, 107 (1), 107 (2), 107 (3), 108 (2), 108 (3), 121, 122, 123 (1), 136 (second paragraph), 144, 153 (2), 163, 165, and Schedules III and V; "the Colony" shall be substituted for the words "England" (except in Section 140), and "the United Kingdom", and "the Chief Constable" for "Sheriff". References to "the Board of Trade", "the President of the Board of Trade", "the Treasury" and "the Speaker of the House of Commons" shall be construed as references to "the Governor"; references to "the Lord Chancellor" as references to "the Governor in Council"; references to "the House of Commons" or "Parliament" as references to "the Legislative Council"; references to "the London Gazette" as references to "the Gazette"; references to "the Bank of England" as references to "the Treasury of the Colony"; references to "the Postmaster General" as references to "the Superintendent of Posts and Telegraphs"; references to "the Workmen's Compensation Act" as references to "the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance", and the reference to "the National Insurance Act" as a reference to "the Old Age Pensions Ordinance". In Section 7 (1) for the words "an official receiver shall be thereby constituted receiver" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court shall be thereby constituted official receiver".
For Section 89 (2) there shall be substituted the following:-
"Every trustee in bankruptcy shall, in such manner and at such times as the Governor directs, pay the money received by him into the Government Savings Bank to the credit of "the Bankruptcy Estates Account" and the Treasurer shall furnish him with a certificate of receipt of the money so paid".
For Section 98 there shall be substituted the following :-
"A bankruptcy petition shall be presented to the Supreme Court".
In Section 140 the words from "or in the Court of Chancery" to "by the judge of the court" shall be omitted and the word "England" shall be inserted before the word "Scotland".</p> |
| <p>17. Indictments Act, 1915. 5 & 6 G. 5, c. 90.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 2, 9 (1), 9 (2) and 9 (4).</p> |
| <p>18. Evidence (Amendment) Act, 1915. 5 & 6 G. 5, c. 94.</p> | <p>Sections 5 and 6.</p> |
| <p>19. Larceny Act, 1916. 6 & 7 G. 5, c. 50.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 38, 40 (5), 48 and the Schedule. "the Colony" is substituted for the word "England" wherever it occurs.</p> |
| <p>20. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1916. 6 & 7 G. 5, c. 64.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>21. Bills of Exchange (Time of Noting) Act, 1917. 7 & 8 G. 5, c. 48.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>22. Animals (Anaesthetics) Act, 1919. 9 & 10 G. 5, c. 54.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Section 6. "the Governor" is substituted for "the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries".</p> |
| <p>23. Married Women (Maintenance) Act, 1920. 10 & 11 G. 5, c. 63.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>24. Gaming Act, 1922. 12 & 13 G. 5, c. 19.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>25. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1922. 12 & 13 G. 5, c. 56.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 4 and 5.</p> |
| <p>26. Bastardy Act, 1923. 13 & 14 G. 5, c. 23.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 1, 3 and 5.</p> |
| <p>27. Administration of Estates Act, 1925. 15 G. 5, c. 23.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 4, 10-14, (16), 18-20, 26 (1), 26 (2), 26 (5), 26 (6), 30, 55 (1) (xxv), 58 (2), 58 (3). References to "the Probate Judge" shall be construed as references to "the Judge". The words "the administrator appointed under Section 8 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance (Chapter 1)" shall be substituted for the words "the Administrator under a special administration in Sec-</p> |

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| 28. Guardianship of Infants Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5. c. 45. | The whole Act, except Section 10. References to "the Lord Chancellor" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council". |
| 29. Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5. c. 49. | Sections 155, 159-166, 167 (7), 185, 186, 187 and Section 188 except sub-section (4). |
| 30. Summary Jurisdiction (Separation and Maintenance) Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5. c. 51. | The whole Act. Reference to "the Dangerous Drugs Acts" shall be construed as reference to the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Chapter 18). |
| 31. Criminal Justice Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5. c. 86. | Sections 12 (4) second paragraph, 12 (6), 28, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 47. In Section 37 (2) the words "out of the Public Revenue of the Colony in pursuance of any Ordinance" shall be substituted for the words "out of the Consolidation Fund of the United Kingdom in pursuance of any Act." |
| 32. Adoption of Children Act, 1926.
16 & 17 G. 5. c. 29. | Sections 5 (3), 5 (4) and 10. |
| 33. Legitimacy Act, 1926.
16 & 17 G. 5. c. 60. | The whole Act, except Sections 2 (2), 6 (2) and 9 (4). References to "England and Wales" or "England or Wales" shall be construed as references to "the Colony". |
| 34. Administration of Justice Act, 1928.
18 & 19 G. 5. c. 26. | Section 16. |
| 35. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1928.
18 & 19 G. 5. c. 42. | The whole Act. |
| 36. Age of Marriage Act, 1929.
19 & 20 G. 5. c. 36. | The whole Act. |
| 37. Extradition Act, 1932.
22 & 23 G. 5. c. 39. | The whole Act. |
| 38. Protection of Animals (Cruelty to Dogs) Act, 1933.
23 & 24 G. 5. c. 17. | The whole Act. In Section 3 the words "the expression 'Dog Licence' means a licence under the Dogs Ordinance (Chapter 21) and the expression 'keep' has the same meaning as in the Dog Licences Act, 1867" shall be substituted for the words "the expression 'Dog Licence' means a licence under the Dog Licences Act, 1867, and the expression 'keep' has the same meaning as in that Act." |
| 39. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1933. 23 & 24 G. 5. c. 36. | Section 7. |
| 40. Arbitration Act, 1934.
24 & 25 G. 5. c. 14. | The whole Act. |
| 41. Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1934.
24 & 25 G. 5. c. 41. | The whole Act, except Sections 1 (7) and 3 (2). |
| 42. Vagrancy Act, 1935.
25 & 26 G. 5. c. 20. | The whole Act, except Section 1 (2). |
| 43. Law Reform (Married Women and Tortfeasors) Act, 1935.
25 & 26 G. 5. c. 30. | The whole Act, except Sections 5 (2) and 7. For the words "the first day of January, nineteen hundred and thirty-six", wherever they occur, there shall be substituted "the date of the commencement of this Ordinance", and for the words "the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and forty-five" there shall be substituted "the day before the date of the commencement of this Ordinance." |
| 44. Coinage Offences Act, 1936.
26 G. 5. & 1 Ed. 8. c. 16. | The whole Act, except Sections 4 (3), 4 (4), 10, 15, 16. |
| 45. Evidence Act, 1938. 1 & 2 G. 6. c. 28. | The whole Act, except Section 5. |
| 46. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1938. 1 & 2 G. 6. c. 63. | Sections 7, 8, 9, 10 (1). In Section 10 (1) the words "The Governor in Council may make Rules of Court" shall be substituted for the words "Rules of Court shall be made" to "Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act, 1925." |

Enactment.

- 47. Limitation Act, 1939.
2 & 3 G. 6, c. 21.
- 48. Law Reform (Frustrated Contracts)
Act, 1943. 6 & 7 G. 6, c. 40.
- 49. Law Reform (Contributory Negli-
gence) Act, 1945. 8 & 9 G. 6, c. 28.
- 50. Treason Act, 1945. 8 & 9 G. 6, c. 44.
- 51. Coinage Act, 1946. 9 & 10 G. 6, c. 74.
- 52. Crown Proceedings Act, 1947.
10 & 11 G. 6, c. 44.

Extent of Application.

The whole Act, except Sections 14, 30 (3). In Section 31 (3) references to the "Mental Treatment Act, 1930" and "the Mental Deficiency Acts, 1913-1938" shall be construed as references to the "Mental Treatment Ordinance (Chapter 46)".

The whole Act.

The whole Act, except Sections 2, 5 and 6.

The whole Act.

The whole Act.

The whole Act, except Sections 10, 12, 19, 20, 23 (3), 23 (4), 34, 38 (3), 41 to 53 (both inclusive). References to "the Crown", wherever that expression occurs, except in the expression "prerogative of the Crown", shall be construed as references to the Government; references to "the United Kingdom" as references to "the Colony"; references to "the Exchequer" as references to "the Treasury of the Colony", and references to "the Admiralty" or "a Secretary of State" or "the Treasury" or "a Minister of the Crown" as references to "the Colonial Secretary".

In subsection (6) of Section 2 the words "out of the general revenue of the Colony" shall be substituted for the words from "the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom" to "for the purposes of this sub-section". For Section 15 there shall be substituted the following section :-

"Arbitration. 15. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act any Civil proceedings by or against the Government, other than proceedings under Section 14, shall at the option of the other party to such proceedings be determined by arbitration, and references to "the Court" shall, in such case, be construed as references to the arbitrators and umpire (if any).

(2) The provisions of the Arbitration Acts, 1889 to 1934, shall apply to any such proceedings."

In Section 17 "the Government Printer" shall be substituted for "His Majesty's Stationery Office". In Section 18 the words "on the head of that Department" shall be substituted for the words from "on the Solicitor, if any" to the end of the Section. In Section 37 (1) for the words "out of money provided by Parliament" there shall be substituted the words "out of the general revenue of the Colony".

- 53. Attempted Rape Act, 1948.
11 & 12 G. 6, c. 19.
- 54. Law Reform (Personal Injuries) Act,
1948. 11 & 12 G. 6, c. 41.
- 55. Criminal Justice Act, 1948.
11 & 12 G. 6, c. 58.

The whole Act. In Section 1 the words "the Colony" shall be substituted for the words "England or Wales".

The whole Act, except Sections 2 (4), 2 (6) (a), 2 (6) (b), 5, 6 (2).

Sections 1, 3-8, 11 [except the words following "good Behaviour of the offender" in subsection (1)], 12, 13, 14 (1), 14 (2) (b), 14 (3), 14 (4), 14 (5), 15 (4), 15 (5), 15 (6), 16, 17 (2), 19, 37 (1) (c), 37 (6), 39 (1), 39 (3), 39 (5), 41 (1), 41 (3), 41 (4), 41 (5), 43, 44 (1), 44 (4), 44 (7), 69, 79, 80.

References to "Great Britain" shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "Court of Assize", "Court of Quarter Sessions" and "Central Criminal Court" as references to the "Supreme Court"; references to "the clerk of assize" as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court", and references to the Lunacy and Mental Treatment Act, the Lunacy Act, and the Mental Deficiency Act as references to the Mental Treatment Ordinance. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as reference to "the Governor". In subsection (2) of Section 3 there shall be substituted for the words from "A probation order" to the words "and the offender shall" the words "A probationer shall", and the words following the words "a probation officer" shall be omitted.

- 56. Marriage Act, 1949.
12 & 13 G. 6, c. 76.
- 57. Married Women (Maintenance) Act,
1949. 12 & 13 G. 6, c. 99.

Sections 1 & 2, Schedule 1.

The whole Act.

Enactment.

58. Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1949.
12 & 13 G. 6, c. 100.
59. Adoption of Children Act, 1950.
14 G. 6, c. 26.
60. Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, 1951. 14 & 15 G. 6, c. 36.
61. Guardianship and Maintenance of Infants Act, 1951.
14 & 15 G. 6 c. 56.

Extent of Application.

Sections 1, 4-7, 9. References to "England" shall be construed as references to "the Colony".

The whole Act, except in Section 4 (2) the words in parenthesis; and Sections 4 (4), 9, 15, 19, 20 and Parts II and III. References to "England" or "the United Kingdom" shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "the Lord Chancellor" as reference to "the Governor in Council"; and the references to the Births and Deaths Registration Acts as a reference to the Registration Ordinance. In Section 2 (6) (b) the words "the Chief Constable" shall be substituted for the words from "the welfare authority" to "resident". In Section 8 (i) the words "the County Court" shall be omitted. For Section 40 (6) there shall be substituted the following subsection :-

"(6) For the purposes of this section the licensing authority shall be the Magistrate".

The whole Act, except Sections 2 (2) and 2 (3).

Section 2.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Alazia, David	Posts & Telegraphs	Messenger	16.6.54	On probation for 6 months.
Harries, R. N.	Printing Office	Assistant Printer	1.5.54	—
Skilling, A. R.	Public Works	Carpenter	1.4.54	—
Skilling, L.	" "	"	1.4.54	—
Perry, T.	" "	Mason	1.4.54	—
Alazia, W.	" "	Blacksmith	1.4.54	On probation for 2 years.
Luxton, M.	" "	Peat Officer	1.4.54	" " " " "
Hansen, B.	" "	Motor Driver	1.4.54	" " " " "
McPhee, P.	" "	" "	1.4.54	" " " " "
Aldridge, S. C.	" "	Yard Foreman/ Water Bailiff	1.4.54	" " " " "
McKay, J. J.	" " (B. Electrical)	Engineman/ Power House	1.7.54	" " " " "

TRANSFERS.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Peck, Miss E. A.	Messenger, Posts & Tels. Dept.	Clerk, Posts & Tels. Dept.	8.6.54	On probation for 6 months.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Fleuret, Mrs. R.	Medical	Nursing Sister	18.6.54	116 days	Inclusive of period of voyages.
Kendall, J. A.	South Georgia	Snr. W/T Operator	1.4.54 to 2.6.54.		Exclusive of period of voyage.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 37. 2nd June, 1954.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :—

No.	Title.	Ref.
2 of 1954	Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954.	1087.

No. 38. 11th June, 1954.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated the 28th of May, 1954, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Thursday the 10th of June, 1954.

Ref. P/614.

No. 39. 11th June, 1954.

The following telegrams exchanged between His Excellency the Governor and the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies are published for general information :—

From His Excellency the Governor to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies

"Grateful if you would convey to Her Majesty with my humble duty on the occasion of her official birthday loyal greetings from all inhabitants of this Colony and its Dependencies".

From the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor

"I am commanded by the Queen to convey to you and all inhabitants of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies her sincere thanks for your kind message of loyal greetings on the occasion of Her Majesty's birthday".

Ref. 0191/B.

No. 40. 17th June, 1954.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :—

No.	Title.	Ref.
10 of 1954	Appropriation (1954/55) Ordinance, 1954	0284/VII.

No. 41. 23rd June, 1954.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant leave of absence to the undermentioned gentleman from his duties as a Member of the Executive Council with effect from the 18th of June, 1954.

THE HONOURABLE MR. A. G. BARTON, J.P.

Ref. C/0001/II.

No. 42. 1st July, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 17 of the 1st April, 1954, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 30th June, 1954, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
30th June, 1954	53.004

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, the Cost of Living Bonus will be increased by 1d. per hour with effect from the 1st July.

Ref. 0704/A.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of John Aitken, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Donald William McAskill, nephew of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

18th June, 1954.

S.C. 21/54.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing THOMAS ANDREW GILRUTH, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Temporary Member of the Executive Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Temporary Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

THOMAS ANDREW GILRUTH, ESQUIRE, J.P.

to be a Temporary Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 21st day of June, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-four.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Rules for the grant of Travelling and Subsistence Allowances to Officers attending conferences while on leave in the United Kingdom.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules for the grant of Travelling and Subsistence Allowances to officers in the public service attending conferences or engaged in other official business in the United Kingdom while on leave :—

1. Officers attending Conferences or engaged in other official business in the United Kingdom while on leave will be granted allowances, at the following rates, for each night or day necessarily spent away from their usual places of residence :

(a) £1. 17s. 6d. for each night spent away from his usual place of residence.

In addition railway fares will be refunded on the following scale :

(i) First class in the case of members of Executive Council.

(ii) Third class in the case of other officers.

(b) 10s. 0d. a day, plus necessary travelling expenses, when the officer resides within easy reach of the centre where the Conference is held and spends eight hours or more away from his usual place of residence.

2. The Rules for the Grant of Travelling and Subsistence Allowances to Officers attending Conferences while on leave in the United Kingdom, made on the 28th January, 1953, are hereby repealed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st July, 1954.

Ref. 0751/B.

The Pensions Ordinance (Cap. 49).

Regulations made under section 3 of the Ordinance.

No. 2 of 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

Cap. 49.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Governor in Council by section 3 of the Pensions Ordinance, and with the sanction of the Secretary of State, the following Regulations are hereby made :—

Short title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Regulations, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Amendment of regulation 22 (1) of the principal Regulations.

2. Sub-regulation (1) of regulation 22 of the principal Regulations is hereby amended by the deletion of the word "ten" and the substitution therefor of the words "twelve and one-half".

Made by the Governor in Council on the 26th day of May, 1954.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 0829.

Annual Report on the Education Department, 1953

PART 1

Historical

1. There is no record of any school having existed at Port Louis, the first capital of the Falklands, and it is unlikely that there was one. But by 1816, three years after the transfer of the capital from Anson to Stanley, the room used as a church served during the week as a school-room. The fourteen pupils, nine of whom were girls, contributed £18. 4s. towards the salary of the schoolmaster and Government made an annual grant of £20. Three years later the school had grown to 28, there being an equal number of boys and girls. In 1850 the children were being taught by a Chelsea pensioner, one of a number which had been sent to the Colony to form a small garrison. Two years later Government reduced its grant to £18 but contributions from the parents gave the master a total salary of £44. In 1853 there were 47 pupils of whom "twenty can read and write".
2. In 1855 the first of several short-lived private schools was opened, this one was for "young female scholars" and seven children attended it. Six years later the Government School had a roll of 117, attendance was voluntary, and the schoolmaster started evening classes.
3. Meantime no provision of any kind had been made for educating children in the Camp, the countryside outside Stanley, but Governor Callaghan in 1876 suggested the employment of travelling teachers. His preoccupation with the Colony's finances probably prevented him from putting his suggestion into effect. The first step in this direction came a few years later when the Falkland Islands Company built a school at Darwin, its farming centre on the East Falkland, and supplied a schoolmaster. Thus by 1880 there were three schools in the islands: two in Stanley and one at Darwin. But for the West Falkland and the outlying parts of the East Falkland nothing was being done.
4. In 1885 the Colonial Chaplain, Dean Brandon, who in his thirty years residence in the Colony, was a tower of strength both spiritually and culturally, reported that the Government School in Stanley was well attended and that the teaching was thorough, but that in the Camp education was in a very backward state. Two years later he again drew attention to the fact that neither Government nor the sheepowners, with the exception of the Falkland Islands Company, were doing anything for the Camp children. Even in Stanley some children did not go to school and he urged that attendance be made compulsory.
5. In 1891 a Roman Catholic School was opened in Stanley and continued in existence until the early days of the last war. Three years later Stanley possessed four schools: two run by Government, the Roman Catholic School and a short-lived, Baptist School. Yet another private school closed during the same year.
6. In 1896, twenty years after Governor Callaghan's recommendation, two itinerant teachers were appointed by Government for the West Falkland and a few years later the Falkland Islands Company started to recruit travelling teachers for Lafonia, that part of the East Falkland south of Darwin.
7. In 1909 an Education Ordinance came into force making provision for the employment of pupil-teachers and raising the school-leaving age to 14. The travelling schoolmasters continued to carry on their difficult work and made fair progress where the co-operation of parents was forthcoming. The same is true to-day. By the end of 1919 there were two travelling teachers on the East Falkland and three on the West. Five years earlier two farms had engaged governesses for the instruction of the managers' children. A few other farms followed suit and some allowed the other children in the Settlement to benefit from their action. The outbreak of the first world war put an end to this useful fillip to Camp Education.
8. In 1947 a new Education Ordinance was introduced under the terms of which all education, up to school leaving age, was to become free by 1949. In 1948 Government became responsible for education throughout the Falklands and the Falkland Islands Company ceased to employ teachers. During 1952 and 1953, however, owing to Government's difficulties with recruitment in the United Kingdom, the Company has again engaged teachers for service in Lafonia and at present has three travelling teachers and, at Goose Green, one resident teacher. Government has decided, however, that the Colony is too small to contain two educational authorities, however close the liaison, and in consequence arrangements are being made to incorporate these teachers in the Education Department.
9. In Stanley, as in the Camp, education is free, and compulsory between the ages of 5 and 14; and in the Camp compulsory for all children of 5 to 14 living within one mile of a Settlement School and for all children of 7 to 14 living within two miles. Shepherds with children on a travelling teacher's beat are expected to board the visiting teacher, the teacher pays for his board, but large families and small houses - and in a few cases difficult parents - make this, at times, impossible.
10. During 1953 the Government Schools in Stanley had an average of 155 pupils of whom 23 were Infants. The staff averaged 10 and there was for a period a teacher in training.
11. Settlement Schools were in existence for the whole, or part of the year, at: Goose Green (Darwin), Teal Inlet, Douglas Station, San Salvador, Ajax Bay and Mount Pleasant on the East Falkland and at Fox Bay, Hill Cove and Kelp Creek on the West Falkland. The staffs of these, together with

travelling teachers, including those employed by the Falkland Islands Company, totalled at one time nineteen.

12. The standard of education in Stanley compares favourably with that of an all-range school in England. There is a two year course available above the statutory school-leaving age allowing more advanced work which in some subjects reaches G.C.E. standard. Unfortunately few stay the course.

13. Camp education continues to be a serious problem, aggravated by a certain disinterestedness and apathy among some sections of the population. Government has sought to improve the standard by the employment, under a grant from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund, of travelling teachers from England and a teacher-trainer in Stanley. The experiment has, however, been beset by recruiting difficulties.

14. The school year commenced on February 9th and ended on December 19th. There were breaks of one week each in July and October.

PART 2

II. General Survey of the Educational System and Policy

15. Education in the Colony falls into three categories :

- a. Compulsory education in Stanley,
- b. Camp Education,
- c. Further Education.

16. The Government School in Stanley is an all-range school providing compulsory education to the age of 14 with voluntary extension to 16. The seniors and juniors occupy one building, the infants another. The average attendance in 1953 was 155 of whom 23 were infants. The average number of pupils staying on after 14 was 10. On September 30th the actual number of children attending school was 162 of whom 78 were girls and 84 boys. The average attendance for the whole year was 92.2%.

17. Free education was provided in Stanley from June 1st, 1949 for all pupils of 14 years of age or under, those over 14 paid one shilling a week. This was raised to 2/6 on February 1st, 1950. The purpose of this charge is to ensure that children are not kept at school merely to mark time until some employment is found. As this purpose was not at first entirely achieved an Order in Council of 1952 allowed those children receiving an average of 60% and over in the annual examinations to have their fees returned, which has acted as a spur to the less diligent pupils.

18. This Continuation Class, as it is called, was formed in the time of Governor Cardinal to provide a secondary standard of education, the Colony being too small to support a secondary grammar school. In the same Governor's term of office scholarships to the British School at Montevideo were commenced. (see para. 56). The aim of the Education Department has been to prepare the pupils of the Continuation Class for the General Certificate of Education Examination. Unfortunately, staffing difficulties apart, few stay the two year course for neither parents nor children appear to see any advantage in the possession of an education certificate. Their argument is that it has no value in the Colony and the cultural value of the course leading to it is ignored. This attitude appears to be linked up with the general malaise from which the Falklands suffer and which in turn may, perhaps, be traced to the fact that it is almost impossible for a Falkland born boy to achieve a position in the Colony's sole industry, that of sheep-farming, above that of a shepherd or navvy "boss." The plums of the industry, the managerships, are almost entirely filled by sons of former managers or cadets from overseas. This fact has in all probability contributed to the steady migration of many of the abler men and women of the Falklands; a movement which has been going on for many years, though the United Kingdom and Australasia have displaced Canada as the destination of the emigrants. The disastrous effect of this loss of ability and intelligence is obvious.

III. Camp Education

19. During 1953 full-time schooling was provided at six Settlement Schools and part-time at three others. In addition a maximum of ten travelling teachers were visiting children in outlying houses and in settlements without resident teachers.

20. Certain shepherds change employment frequently and the rolls of even Settlement Schools are never very stable. This almost nomadic habit together with poor communications makes it very difficult to keep track of children, especially as it is common for children to stay with friends and relations for many months on end. Travelling teachers have, therefore, to use their initiative and vary their beats to meet the circumstances. Children living on remote islands are the most difficult to cater for, but by the end of 1953 there was no child living on any island who was not on the beat of a travelling teacher.

21. During the past year the number of children in the Camp of school age has varied between 164 and 169. Of these 101 to 154 have received regular education from either travelling teachers or in Settlement Schools; 12 to 14 have been in houses where teachers are for some reason unable to stay; 3 to 12 have been educated by parents with assistance from the Education Department and 12 to 37 have received no education at all. At the end of 1953 the position of Camp Education was better than it has been for a number of years. What would appear to be an obvious remedy, correspondence courses, is out of the question for two reasons: the poor postal communications and the fact that many parents are themselves unable to give the assistance that such courses require.

22. In para. 23 of the Report for 1952 it was stated that broadcasting to the Camp had been commenced and that it was meeting with some measure of success. Unfortunately the number of listeners declined instead of increasing and by June it was found that there were only three groups of children listening regularly. On the West Falkland the programme seemed to be completely unknown or was not listened to because of bad atmospheric conditions. The matter obviously cannot rest here as wireless proves a useful educational medium and when the new 5 kw. transmitter comes into use it is intended to start again.

23. By way of encouragement, a board allowance of £2 per month is paid during term time for Camp children who live in private households in Stanley in order to attend the Government Schools, whilst the guardians of children sent in from outlying houses to Settlement Schools receive an allowance of fivepence per main meal.

IV. Present Practice

24. Government has provided education for all children in Stanley but its aim to cover the islands adequately has been achieved to a limited extent only by the provision of Settlement Schools and travelling teachers.

25. Children in Stanley are expected to enter the Infant School at the commencement of the term in which they reach the age of five, they must do so in any case on their fifth birthday, and most parents co-operate in seeing that they do. They leave for primary classes between seven and eight. During 1953 the average attendance at the Infants School was 91%.

26. The building at present in use as an Infant School is rented from the Roman Catholic Church; it is cramped and squalid and totally unsuitable, having at one time formed a corridor between the nuns' quarters and the church. A new school, built under a grant received from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund, is in course of erection and should be ready for occupation by the middle of 1954. It is an exceptionally fine building and will compare very favourably indeed with any school building in the United Kingdom. As the building is larger than is required for an Infant School alone it is proposed to move two of the junior classes from the "Senior" School into it, thereby relieving the pressure in the main school building. This move will allow a room in the latter to be set aside for art and handicrafts, which is very necessary, and will provide additional storage space for the very large stock of materials that the school must carry.

27. The "Senior" School is at present overcrowded and the design is primitive but it is warm in winter and for the time being serves its purpose; it is to be re-roofed and redecorated during 1954.

28. The curriculum of the Government School in 1953 comprised: Religious Knowledge, English, Arithmetic, History, Geography, Biology, Arts and Crafts, Music, Games and Physical Training. The older children in addition took Gardening, Mathematics and Woodwork.

29. In order that the Superintendent of Education may keep in touch with standards in the Camp he conducts each year a written examination of all Camp children over the age of seven. In addition he undertakes an annual tour of the East and West Falkland which he tries to make as complete as possible. Teachers in the Camp use syllabuses prepared by the Education Department. Those for travelling teachers lay down certain minimum standards which their pupils are expected to reach; a much higher performance is expected from children in Settlement Schools. All teachers have instructions to encourage their pupils in craftwork and natural history and there is a steady flow of library books to the Camp.

V. Policy and Future Aims

30. The present system of education can be described as adequate in Stanley and in those Settlements where there are full-time schools under competent teachers. But the system of travelling teachers is both educationally and economically unsound. It has been the policy of the Education Department in the past few years to restrict the length of a beat to four houses. This has not always been possible. The Department is sometimes criticised because its teachers no longer cover the distances they used to, but beats so long that a teacher visits a house for a fortnight once in eight months are unlikely to produce any useful results.

31. To overcome this unsatisfactory method of education it was decided to build eight Settlement Schools, four on each main island, to which children would go from adjacent settlements and outlying houses. It was intended that some of the children should go as boarders in the settlements, receiving financial assistance from Government. Experience with three schools over four years has shown that the co-operation promised has not been forthcoming and that very few children go to the settlements to board. The reasons may be summarised as: the unwillingness of some parents to take the children of others, lack of accommodation due to elderly householders or big families in small houses, the reluctance of some parents to send their children to live with others and in addition a good deal of apathy.

32. At the time of the decision to build Settlement Schools Government had considered the provision of boarding schools but did not pursue the matter owing to the high cost involved. The Falkland Islands Company, whose present Chairman has shown much interest in the Colony's education plan, offered as part of its Centenary benefactions to build a boarding school on the East Falkland and hand it over to Government to equip and run. This building, the estimated cost of which was £15,000 (later increased to £20,000) has been prefabricated in Sweden and will arrive in the Colony in early 1954. It is doubtful whether even £20,000 will cover the capital commitment and the Government has agreed to contribute any excess up to a maximum of £10,000. Erection is expected to commence in the spring of 1954 and the school, which will have accommodation for 40 boarders, should be ready for occupation in 1956.

33. The construction of a boarding school on the West Falkland (see para. 30 of 1951 Report and paras. 37 and 38 of that for 1952) has been left in abeyance until it is seen how the Darwin school progresses. Meantime J. C. Waldron and Co., the owners of Port Howard farm, have built a model Settlement School at a cost of £837. It caters adequately for the twenty children on the farm, is a pleasant building and its siting and interior facilities are in every way excellent. At San Carlos, on the East Falkland, the farm has built a "village" hall which includes accommodation for a teacher-storekeeper and a good hall with sliding doors making conversion to a class-room easy. A schoolroom with accommodation for the teacher has also been erected at Weddell Island.

34. The proposed establishment of Settlement Schools meant that local teachers had to receive adequate training to man them and in order to release them for this purpose a grant was made under the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund (D/970) for the provision for six years (in two periods of three years each) of six teachers and one teacher-trainer from the United Kingdom. Some of the recruits proved unsatisfactory but others have done splendid work and brought useful experience and fresh ideas into Camp teaching.

VI. Evening Classes

35. Evening classes were held in Stanley in the winter months. The subjects were mathematics, typing and shorthand. They were attended compulsorily by all Government employees under the age of 18. Others attending were, in the main, young apprentices. But, as in previous years, they were mostly ignored by the public at large.

VII. Films

36. During the year a 16 mm. Bell & Howell projector which had been ordered for the Government School arrived. It has been put to good use not only in school but in the showing of films to groups of parents who during the winter months were invited weekly to a programme of films obtained from the Central Office of Information and the British Council. All of these films were of a semi-educational nature and the evenings were popular.

37. Government has now established a Central Film Library which is run by the Superintendent of Education. There are now five sound projectors in the Camp, the property of the farms, and there will soon be seven or eight. The films sent out to the Camp include not only long feature films but a selection of the many C.O.I. films the Library possesses. This innovation is both culturally and educationally useful.

38. Certain of the Settlement Schools, and some teachers in the Camp, have strip projectors and make use of the generous supply of films received from the Central Office of Information. These projectors are not, however, very popular as they consume too much current from batteries which are dependent on wind chargers.

VIII. Broadcasting

39. See para 22. The Broadcasting Committee has continued its efforts to improve the general cultural level of the programmes by the introduction of periods devoted to serious music, talks, forums, wireless games, book reviews and discussions. On the whole it may be said to have succeeded.

IX. Youth Activities

40. The Boys' Brigade and the Junior Football League continue to flourish and the former intends to send a large contingent, for the size of the Company, to the 1954 International Camp at Eton College. The Girls' Club founded last year has maintained its numbers and progress. Badminton and Folk-Dancing continue to attract large numbers of young people and ball-room dancing remains as popular as ever. The late hour at which these dances begin and to which they continue is a cause of concern to those interested in the well-being of the younger members of the community.

X. Teachers - Conditions of Service

41. The senior classes in the Stanley School are taken by qualified teachers recruited from, or trained in, the United Kingdom. The arrangement made with the Education Committee of the Dorset County Council to advertise vacancies for teachers in that County has not been a success, only one teacher having been obtained in two years. Despite the fact that Burnham Scale, a local cost of living bonus and full superannuation contributions are paid recruiting is becoming increasingly difficult. The shortage of teachers in England together with the fact that wealthier Colonies are able to offer more attractive salaries may, in part, account for this.

42. The scale of pay for locally recruited teachers is from £78 per annum, as teachers-in-training, to £200 for women, and £360 for men. At all levels a cost of living bonus is paid in addition.

XI. Qualifications

43. Teachers recruited from the United Kingdom must be certificated, locally recruited teachers undergo a period of two years training.

XII. Legislation & Administration

44. No legislation directly concerned with education was passed in 1953.

45. There are no educational establishments in the Colony other than those provided by Government and the Superintendent of Education is responsible for education standards throughout the Colony. Some people make use of overseas correspondence courses, but the long delay in the receipt and despatch of mails acts as a deterrent.

46. Under the Education Ordinance of 1947 parents are required to have their children educated wherever there is a recognised school and wherever classes are held by a recognised teacher.

47. Parents are encouraged to send their children to school at the beginning of the term in which they reach the age of five and they are required to stay at school to the end of the term in which they reach the age of 14. They may, if they choose, stay on for a further two years doing more advanced work. In the Camp some children continue to attend classes long after they have reached the statutory school-leaving age.

48. The Falkland Islands Company now employs four teachers on their large farm in Lafonia on the East Falkland. The work of these teachers is open to inspection by the Superintendent of Education and they work in close co-operation with the Government Education Department. (See para. 8.)

49. The Staff of the Government Schools in Stanley on September 30th consisted of the Superintendent of Education, who is also Headmaster, three assistant masters and six assistant mistresses. In the Camp on the same date there were, excluding the employees of the Falkland Islands Company, three male and four female teachers. In addition there were six temporary teachers employed in settlements or outside houses.

XIII. Advisory Boards and Committees.

50. The Scholarship Committee consists of the Colonial Secretary, the Superintendent of Education and two members nominated by the Governor. (See para. 56).

XIV. Finance.

51. Expenditure from Colonial Revenue for the period 1952/53 amounted to £8,350 and under the Colonial Development and Welfare Scheme D/970 to £2,262. It is not possible to give separate figures for primary and secondary education as all schools are all-range.

52. Overseas scholarships in the financial period under review cost £231 and Administration for the same period £480.

XV. Primary Education.

53. The Infants Department at Stanley contains two classes and, when numbers justify, three. Numbers in the "Senior" School are large enough to allow of four classes in its 'Junior' section and the standard of work compares very favourably with that of primary schools in England. Teaching method varies, naturally, with the teacher. Generally speaking it can be said to be not entirely formal, but it has not gone over whole-heartedly to activity methods.

54. In the Settlement Schools, where numbers are small, work is entirely on an individual basis and there are no primary and secondary sections.

XVI. Secondary and Technical Education.

55. There is no secondary grammar and technical school education in the Colony. Children may, however, stay on at school over the statutory school-leaving age (see para. 48) and if they do so and complete the two year course they reach a standard in most subjects comparable with G.C.E. ordinary level. In the Senior section of the school a full curriculum is followed which is outlined in para. 29.

XVII. Overseas Scholarships.

56. Until 1951 it had been the practice to send up to two children annually to the British School in Montevideo. It was found, among other things however, that the climate was unsuitable for these children and they suffered a good deal in health. In consequence an arrangement was made in that year with the Education Committee of Dorset County Council for a similar number of children to be admitted to its boarding grammar schools. At present three children are at schools in Dorset, two boys and a girl, and from reports received they are doing well. There is also a boy at a grammar school in Manchester. Selection for these scholarships is made by an advisory board (see para 51) and the children who sit the examination, which is set by the Superintendent of Education, must be between the ages of 12 and 14 on August 31st in the year preceding the September in which the scholarship is taken up. As this age limit has made it possible for candidates to enter who would be 15 before going to England, which is considered to be too old, it has been decided to restrict the candidate's age to 12 to 13½ in 1954 and from 12 to 13 in succeeding years.

XVIII. Training of Teachers.

57. A mistress was appointed in 1950, under a grant from the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund, to train local students as teachers. As there has been a dearth of applicants her services have not been required whole-time and she has taken a normal class as well. Locally recruited teachers receive training lasting two years, one of which is spent in Stanley and the other either in Stanley or in the Camp, when the class taken is under supervision. This training is subsequent to a period of two years in the Continuation Class, or its Camp equivalent.

XIX. Physical Conditions in Schools

58. The Government School in Stanley is a 47 year old wooden building. It has three large and four small class-rooms all but one of which are unfortunately away from the sunny side of the building. The cloakrooms are small and rather inadequate but there is a drying system for coats and a hot-water apparatus has recently been installed. The school is centrally heated and is comfortably warm, but there is no assembly hall and the accommodation is somewhat cramped. In particular the furnishing is poor and the desks are antiquated and too small. The woodwork room is far too small but plans are in hand to enlarge it and to provide a domestic science centre.

59. The new infant school will allow sufficient room for two classes to be moved from the Senior School and thus permit a craft-room to be established there. The present Infant School consists of a large room, 75 feet long and only 13 feet wide, which has to accommodate two age groups.

60. Many of the Settlement Schools are in buildings provided by the farms. They consist generally of a single room heated by a peat fire or stove. In some cases a room in the Manager's house or a converted Nissen hut is used. Some of the teachers have spent much time in making the rooms attractive and all are well supplied with both stock and wall illustrations.

61. At Hill Cove, Fox Bay and Weddell Island the schools are provided with bedrooms for the teachers whilst during the year under review the owners of Port Howard have erected a model school. It has one large class-room with linoleum on the floor, panelled walls and an open fire-place, an entrance lobby, excellent indoor toilet facilities and a school garden. The teacher has taken out her own piano from Stanley. The total cost was £837. At San Carlos the farm has erected a village hall, it contains rooms for a teacher-storekeeper and a sliding screen allows part of the hall to be converted into a class-room. The building, which forms a most useful community centre, has cost some £2,000.

XX. Playing Fields

62. The children in Stanley make use of the playing fields in the Government House paddocks; in the Camp organised games are only possible where numbers allow. Every Camp child is an expert rider and most are capable of walking long distances, except, too often, when this is necessary to go to school.

XXI. Social and Moral Welfare

63. Religious Knowledge forms an important part of the syllabus of the schools in Stanley and the Camp, and in Stanley facilities are provided for the ministers of religion to visit the Senior School once a week to teach children belonging to their own persuasions.

64. There are no facilities for the education of the physically and mentally defective in the Colony of which happily there are practically none. There is an annual medical examination of all school-children in Stanley which in 1953 included a thorough examination by the chest specialist who is visiting the Colony. In the Camp, children are seen whenever the doctor is visiting the house or settlement.

65. The School Savings Scheme, which was started in 1951, has continued to flourish and is now well established. In the Camp, where all purchases from the stores and all wages are mainly book entries, and where little cash is handled the volume of savings is less.

66. The Boys' Brigade, which has no connection with the school, provides many opportunities for leadership and the Girls' Club, mentioned as having been newly formed in the last report of this Department (see Report for 1952, para. 84) is apparently on a sound footing. A cause of considerable concern to the more responsible members of the community are the acts of vandalism which occur from time to time and which appear to be, in the main, the work of youths. It is hoped that the better spirit appearing among the older children will in time eliminate this evil habit.

67. A prefect system exists in the Stanley School and there is a parents' association which meets in the winter months. A very large number of children are interested in philately and the number with 'pen-friends' abroad is quite remarkable. It is not un-common for a child to have as many as seven such pen-friends and some have even more.

XXII. Adult Education

68. See para. 35. There is a local branch of the Red Cross and Order of St. John and a Spinning and Weaving Guild; the latter held an exhibition of its members' work during the year.

69. Stanley has a very adequate public library with good reference and children's sections. There are plans to replace the Museum, which was lost by fire. This is very necessary as there is no doubt that there is much interest among the public in natural history and the early years of the Colony.

70. The Broadcast Advisory Committee has continued to provide good material in its programmes, much of which has real educational value. Of especial value are the many pamphlets received from the Central Office of Information.

Number of Institutions.

TABLE 1.

as at September 30th, 1953.

Classification of Institutions	Post Secondary	Secondary & Post Primary	Primary	All-range	Total
Maintained from Colonial or Government Funds	—	—	—	9	9
Aided from Colonial or Local Government Funds	—	—	—	—	—
Maintained by Public Corporations, if any	—	—	—	—	—
All other Institutions	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	9	9

The Government Schools in Stanley and Settlement Schools receive pupils from 5 to 16 years of age and their classification as other than all-range is not possible. There were in addition to the above 6 part-time institutions.

Number of Courses.

TABLE 2.

Classification of Institutions.	SECONDARY			POST SECONDARY
	General Mixed	Teacher Training Mixed	Technical & Vocational Mixed	Mixed
Maintained from Colonial or Local Government Funds	—	1	—	1
Aided from Colonial or Local Government Funds	—	—	—	—
Maintained by Public Corporations, if any	—	—	—	—
All other Institutions	—	—	—	—
Total	—	1	—	1

Number of Pupils Enrolled.

TABLE 3.

as at September 30th, 1953.

Classification of Institutions	Post Secondary		Secondary		Primary		Total		Grand Total.
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Maintained from Colonial or Local Government Funds	4	4	57	44	111	110	172	158	330
Aided from Colonial or Local Government Funds	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maintained by Public Corporations, if any	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other Institutions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	4	4	57	44	111	110	172	158	330

TABLE 4.

Number of Pupils analysed according to the type of course taken.

as at September 30th, 1953.

Classification of pupils by sex	POST SECONDARY	SECONDARY GENERAL	PRIMARY GENERAL
Male	4	57	111
Female	4	44	110
Total	8	102	221

TABLE 5.

Teachers classified by Qualifications.

It is not possible to group the teachers under Primary, Secondary and other schools as all schools in the Colony are all-range.

as at December 31st, 1953.

	Maintained from Colonial or Local Government Funds		Aided from Colonial or Local Government Funds		Other Institutions		Totals
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
<i>Completed Secondary School Course</i>							
Trained	5	2	—	—	1	—	8
Untrained	2	15	—	—	3	—	20
							28

This table now includes part-time teachers, as store-keepers, all of whom keep full school hours.

TABLE 6.

Expenditure on Education 1952-53

	£	% of Gross Expenditure of Colony
I. Expenditure on Education from Colonial Revenue excluding expenditure shown under II - V below	8,350	3.1%
II. Expenditure on Education from Local Funds, (Local Authorities, Municipalities, District Councils, etc.)	—	—
III. Expenditure on Education from Special Development Funds and not shown in I above :		
a. From Imperial Funds	—	—
b. From Colonial Funds	C.D.W. 2,262	—
IV. Expenditure on Education other than by Education Department but by other Government Departments	—	—
V. Estimated expenditure by Voluntary Agencies excluding grants from Government included in I above	—	—
Total	£10612	



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Greenaway, Dr. D. G. G., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Medical	Medical Officer	29.7.54	—
Stellfeld, Miss L. B. R.	"	Tuberculosis Sister	29.7.54	—
Evans, M. E.	Public Works	Plumber	1.8.54	On probation for 2 years.
Tapper, R.	" "	Painter	3.7.54	Development Programme.
Northwood, A.	" "	Acting Supt. of Works	17.7.54	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Reive, Miss Z. Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	1.1.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
McMullen, M. Harbour & Aviation	Coxswain "Alert"	31.7.54	Resigned.

LEAVE.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Luxton, H. T. Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	27.1.54 to 28.7.54	Both dates inclusive.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

No. 43. 2nd July, 1954.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :-

No.	Title.	Ref.
3 of 1954	Exchange Control (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954.	0078/D/II.
9 of 1954	Supplementary Appropriation (1952-53) Ordinance, 1954.	0284/VI.
1 of 1954	Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954.	31/44.

No. 44. 17th July, 1954.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated the 12th of July, 1954, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Thursday the 15th of July, 1954.

Ref. P/614.

No. 45. 30th July, 1954.

The following message from the Right Honourable Oliver Lyttleton, P.C., D.S.O., M.C., M.P., retiring Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published for general information :-

Following from retiring Secretary of State :

It is with keen regret that I lay down office of Secretary of State for the Colonies. In this 3 years I have been able to visit many of the Colonial territories and to meet both here and Overseas a large number of people from all parts of the world. I have been fortunate to make a great many friends of all races during my term of office and I have learned much about difficult problems and golden opportunities which face you all. All that I have seen and done has confirmed my deep faith, wisdom and rightness of far sighted policy for Colonial territories to which all parties in Great Britain subscribe. I am certain social progress economic prosperity and political advancement will grow and flourish in Colonial territories if we work together and are patient with each other.

Now I have to say goodbye and thank you. I know at first hand all the devoted work which the Colonial

Service in all its branches and so many men and women outside the Government service are patiently pursuing. I wish all of them unqualified success in one of the greatest tasks which can fall to Statesmen and Administrators. My regrets at leaving is only mitigated by my confidence in my successor. Mr. Lennox-Boyd has served with me as Minister of State and his is a true friendliness of people of Colonial territories.

I send to you all my warmest thanks and my best wishes for the future. Oliver Lyttleton."

Ref. 1466.

No. 46. 30th July, 1954.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that Her Majesty the Queen has been pleased to entrust to the care of the Right Honourable Alan Tindal Lennox-Boyd, P.C., M.P., as one of the Principal Secretaries of State, the Seals of the Colonial Department.

Ref. 1657.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur John Alazia, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas George James Alazia, brother of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

20th July, 1954.

S.C. 25/54.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 12th day of July, 1954, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 12th day of July, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Whale Fishery Ordinance (Cap. 76).

Regulations made by the Governor in Council.

O. R. ARTHUR,

Governor

No. 3 of 1954.

Cap. 76.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 11 of the Whale Fishery Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

Title.

Vol. II Revised Edition,
p. 323.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Whaling (Amendment) Regulations, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Whaling Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Amendment of regulation 3 of the principal Regulations.

2. Regulation 3 of the principal Regulations is hereby amended by the deletion of the figures and words "16th October to the 16th April" and the substitution therefor of the figures and words "1st October to the 31st March".

Made by the Governor in Council on the 19th day of July, 1954.

W. HIRTLE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. D/16/46.

Customs Ordinance (Cap. 16).

Regulations made by the Governor in Council.

O. R. ARTHUR,

Governor.

No 4 of 1954.

Title.

Vol. II Revised Edition
p. 147.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 230 of the Customs Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Export (Amendment) Regulations, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Export Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Amendment of Schedule to the principal Regulations

2. For Form E in the Schedule to the principal Regulations there shall be substituted the Form E set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

Made by the Governor in Council on the 19th day of July, 1954.

W. HIRTLE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 0542/A.

SCHEDULE.

FORM E.

Certificate of Sale.

Name and Address of Consignee.....

Description of Goods Exported

DETAILS OF PRODUCE SOLD AND PRICES OBTAINED AT SALE ETC.

Vessel and date of Shipment.	Marks.	Number of packages sold.	Total net weight sold.	Gross Selling price.			
				£	s.	d.	

I solemnly declare that the foregoing particulars are to the best of my knowledge and belief true and accurate.

Date.....

.....
Exporter.

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the products sold at a sale held at
on the of 19 .

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Broker, Agent or Auditors.

N.B. Where an export duty of customs is chargeable on the actual sale value of the produce in the country of destination, this certificate shall be completed and delivered to the Collector of Customs, Stanley, Falkland Islands, within six calendar months of the date of clearance of the exporting vessel.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

Title. To amend the Administration of Justice Ordinance.

Date of commencement. [, 1954]

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Administration of Justice Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 3.

Repeal and replacement of section 5 of the principal Ordinance. 2. Section 5 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

“Jurisdiction of Court when no magistrate present.

(a) One justice.

5. (1) The jurisdiction of the Court when one justice is sitting alone shall be :—

(a) to hear and determine civil cases where the amount claimed does not exceed £25, or, in the case of a claim for the recovery of possession of land, the annual rent or value thereof does not exceed £25; and

(b) to hear, try and determine criminal cases which may be dealt with summarily except cases which may only be dealt with summarily with the consent of the accused :

Provided that the Court may not impose a fine greater than £5 or imprisonment exceeding one month.

(b) Two or more justices.

(2) The jurisdiction of a Court consisting of two or more justices (each of whom must be present during the whole hearing and determination) shall be the same as that conferred upon a magistrate by section 4 of this Ordinance, but subject to the same limitation with respect to punishment as is contained therein.”

Amendment of section 48 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 48 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows :—

(a) by the insertion of the word and figure “and 5” immediately after the figures “4 (3)” in subsection (1);

(b) by the insertion of the words “or a justice” immediately after the word “magistrate” where the word occurs in subsections (1) and (2).

A Bill for
An Ordinance
To amend the Currency Notes Ordinance.

[1st April 1955]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Currency Notes (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Currency Notes Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

(2) This Ordinance shall come into operation on the 1st day of April, 1955.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the substitution of a semi-colon for the full-stop at the end of the definition "Crown Agents" and by the addition thereto of the following new definition :—

" "year" means the financial year of the Colony."

3. Section 7 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

"Note Security
Fund and Income
Account.

7. (1) There shall be established a fund to be called "The Note Security Fund" (hereinafter referred to as the Fund) and there shall be paid into the Fund the equivalent value in sterling of all currency notes issued otherwise than in exchange for currency notes already issued.

(2) There shall be charged upon the Fund the sterling payments made by the Commissioner in respect of notes lodged with him under the provisions of section 6 of this Ordinance.

(3) The Fund shall be held by the Crown Agents and may be invested in securities of, or guaranteed by, the Government of any part of the Commonwealth (except the Government of the Colony) or such other securities as the said Crown Agents, subject to the direction of a Secretary of State, may in their discretion select :

Provided that the Governor may issue directions to the Crown Agents, as to the amount of the Fund to be held in liquid form.

(4) All dividends, interest or other revenue derived from such investments or from the employment in any other manner of the moneys of the Fund and all commissions paid to the Commissioner as provided in section 6 of this Ordinance shall be paid into an account to be called "The Currency Note Income Account".

(5) There shall be charged upon the said Currency Note Income Account, —

(a) all the expenses incurred by the Commissioner and by the Crown Agents in the preparation, transport and issue of the currency notes and the transactions of business relating thereto; and

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title and commencement.

Cap. 15.

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

Replacement of section 7 of the principal Ordinance.

- (b) a sum equal to 1 per centum of the Fund, that is to say, the amount made up of the liquid moneys of the Fund together with the estimated market value of the investments in the Fund on the last day of each year, which shall be paid annually into the Fund :

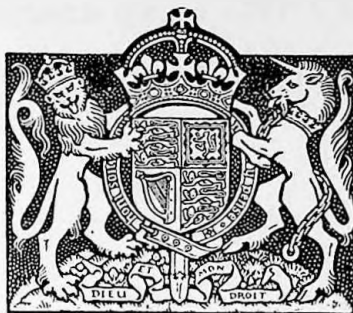
Provided that the Governor, may, with the approval of a Secretary of State, direct that any expenditure of an exceptional nature may be charged upon the Fund and not upon the Currency Note Income Account.

- (6) If on the last day in any year there is a surplus in the Currency Note Income Account it shall be transferred to the general revenues of the Colony and any deficiency in the said account on that day shall be met from moneys to be appropriated out of the said revenues :

Provided that —

- (a) if on the last day in any year the face value of the currency notes in circulation, other than notes which have been demonetised, exceeds the amount of the Fund calculated in the manner provided in paragraph (b) of subsection (5) of this section, there shall be charged against the Currency Note Income Account such sum as shall be required for the purpose of making up the moneys of the Fund as aforesaid to an amount equal to the face value of the currency notes in circulation, other than notes which have been demonetised, which sum shall be paid into the Fund ;
- (b) if on the last day in any year the Fund so calculated exceeds 110 per centum of the face value of the currency notes in circulation, other than notes which have been demonetised, the Governor may, with the sanction of a Secretary of State, direct that the whole or part of the excess over 110 per centum shall be transferred from the Fund to the general revenues of the Colony.

- (7) The liquid portion of the Fund may be held in cash or on deposit at the Bank of England or in Treasury Bills or may be lent out at call, or for short terms in such ways or invested in such readily realisable securities as may be approved by a Secretary of State."



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LEAVE.

Name	Department	Office	Period	Remarks
Biggs, T. M.	Public Works (B. Electrical)	Electrician	29.8.54 180 days	On resignation.
Carey, T. A.	South Georgia	Jun. W/T Operator	1.6.54 to 26.8.54	On completion of contract.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Department	Office	Date	Reason
Education	Assistant Teacher	13.8.54	Resigned.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 47. 6th August, 1954.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
8 of 1954	Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	0465/C.

No. 48. 16th August, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of 14th January, 1954, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

A. Registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Greenaway, David George Geoffrey	M.R.C.S., I.R.C.P. (London)	1949. Ref. 1326.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

Title. To amend the Savings Bank Ordinance.

Date of commencement. [, 1954.]

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Savings Bank (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Savings Bank Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 61.

Amendment of section 9 of the principal Ordinance. 2. Section 9 of the principal Ordinance is amended by repealing and replacing subsection (3) thereof as follows :—

“(3) Interest on deposits shall, subject to the provision of subsection (2) of this section, be calculated to the thirty-first day of March, 1955, and thereafter to the thirtieth day of June in every year commencing with the year 1956, and shall then be added to and become part of any principal money remaining on deposit.”

Replacement of section 12 of the principal Ordinance. 3. Section 12 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

“12. Annual accounts of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Savings Bank and of deposits received and repaid and interest credited during the fifteen months ended on the thirty-first day of March 1955, the fifteen months ended on the thirtieth day of June, 1956, and thereafter during the year ended on the thirtieth day of June together with a statement of the assets and liabilities of the Savings Bank, shall after being audited and certified by the Local Auditor, be laid by the Treasurer before the Legislative Council not later than the thirty-first day of March ensuing in every year and shall as soon as practicable thereafter be published in the Gazette and submitted to the Secretary of State.”

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

To bring the Savings Bank's and the Colony's financial year into coincidence.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

Further to amend the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance. Title.

[, 1954] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 33.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the addition of the following new subsection :— Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

“(7) Whenever an offence against any Ordinance or Act is under the provisions thereof made punishable by imprisonment not exceeding one year (with or without a fine) a person charged with such offence shall be tried by a court of summary jurisdiction :

Provided that if the court consists of one justice sitting alone no greater sentence may be imposed than is permitted by the Administration of Justice Ordinance in such circumstances.”

A Bill for
An Ordinance

To apply certain specified Acts of Parliament to the Colony. Title.

[, 1954] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954. Short title.

2. The enactments specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance are applied to the Colony to the extent and with the modifications mentioned in the Schedule, and with the further modifications that any reference in any of the said enactments to “the date of the passing of this Act” or “the commencement of this Act”, or any similar expression, shall be construed as a reference to the date of this Ordinance, any reference to “the Crown” shall be construed as a reference to “the Government”, any reference to the “High Court” shall be construed as a reference to the “Supreme Court” and any reference to the “Attorney General” or “Solicitor General” shall be construed as a reference to the “Colonial Secretary”. Application of certain Acts of Parliament.

SCHEDULE.

<i>Enactment.</i>	<i>Extent of Application.</i>
1. Licensing Act, 1902, 2 Ed. 7, c. 28.	Sections 1 and 5.
2. Extradition Act, 1906, 6 Ed. 7, c. 15.	The whole Act.
3. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1906, 6 Ed. 7, c. 34.	The whole Act, except Sections 2 (1), 2 (4), 2 (5) and 3. In section 2 (6) "the Supreme Court" is substituted for "Quarter Sessions".
4. Probation of Offenders Act, 1907. 7 Ed. 7, c. 17.	The whole Act, except Sections 8 and 9. For Section 3 there shall be substituted the following :— "Probation officers. 3 (1) There may be appointed as probation officer or officers such person or persons of either sex as the Governor may determine, and a probation officer when acting under a probation order shall be subject to the control of the court by which the order was made. (2) The person named in any probation order may, if the court considers it expedient on account of the place of residence of the offender, or for any other special reason, be a person who has not been appointed to be a probation officer. (3) A probation officer may be paid such salary as the Governor may determine, and, if not so paid by salary, may receive such remuneration for acting under a probation order as the Governor thinks fit, and may, in either case, be allowed by the said court his reasonable out-of-pocket expenses, such salary and expenses to be paid out of the general revenue of the Colony. (4) A person named in a probation order not being a probation officer may be paid such remuneration and out-of-pocket expenses as the Governor may direct. (5) The person named in a probation order may at any time be relieved of his duties, and, in any such case, or in case of the death of the person so named, another person may be substituted by the court by which the order was made. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".
5. Fatal Accidents (Damages) Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 7.	The whole Act.
6. Punishment of Incest Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 45.	The whole Act, except Sections 6 and 7.
7. Law of Distress (Am.) Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 53.	The whole Act, except Sections 7 and 10.
8. Oaths Act, 1909. 9 Ed. 7, c. 39.	The whole Act, except Section 4.
9. Perjury Act, 1911. 1 & 2 G. 5, c. 6.	The whole Act, except Section 18. References to "England" shall be construed where applicable as references to "the Colony" and "Ordinance" shall be substituted for "Act of Parliament" or "Act". In Section 8 the word "Colony" shall be substituted for the words "United Kingdom" and the words "county or" shall be deleted.
10. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1912. 2 & 3 G. 5, c. 20.	The whole Act, except Sections 3, 4 (2), 4 (3), 5 (4), 6, 7 (3) and 8.
11. Prisoners (Temporary Discharge for Ill-health) Act, 1913. 3 & 4 G. 5, c. 4.	The whole Act, except Section 3. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to "the Governor".
12. Bankruptcy & Deeds of Arrange- ment Act, 1913. 3 & 4 G. 5, c. 34.	Section 15.
13. Affiliation Orders Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 6.	The whole Act, except Sections 1 (4), 1 (5), 6 (1), and 8. For Section 1 (1) there shall be substituted :— "The Registrar of the Supreme Court shall carry out the duties of collecting officer under this Ordinance". In Section 6 (2) the "Governor in Council" shall be substituted for the "Lord Chancellor".
14. Deeds of Arrangement Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 47.	The whole Act, except Sections 4, 6 (c), 10, 18, 26 (2), 27, 28, 31 (1), 31 (2), 31 (3), 32 (2), 32 (3). References to "the Registrar of Bills of Sale" and to "the Board of Trade" shall be construed as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court".

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| <p>15. Criminal Justice Administration Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 58.</p> | <p>Sections 28 (2), 28 (3), 38, 39 (1), 40 (1) (a), 40 (1) (c), 41.
References to "the Lord Chancellor" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".</p> |
| <p>16. Bankruptcy Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 59.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 12, 33 (1) (d), 33 (1) (e), 70, 71, 75, 89 (1), 89 (6), 90, 91, 96 (2), 96 (3), 96 (4), 96 (5), 97, 99, 100, 102, 103, 107 (1), 107 (2), 107 (3), 108 (2), 108 (3), 121, 122, 123 (1), 136 (second paragraph), 144, 153 (2), 163, 165, and Schedules III and V; "the Colony" shall be substituted for the words "England" (except in Section 140), and "the United Kingdom", and "the Chief Constable" for "Sheriff". References to "the Board of Trade", "the President of the Board of Trade", "the Treasury" and "the Speaker of the House of Commons" shall be construed as references to "the Governor"; references to "the Lord Chancellor" as references to "the Governor in Council"; references to "the House of Commons" or "Parliament" as references to "the Legislative Council"; references to "the London Gazette" as references to "the Gazette"; references to "the Bank of England" as references to "the Treasury of the Colony"; references to "the Postmaster General" as references to "the Superintendent of Posts and Telegraphs"; references to "the Workmen's Compensation Act" as references to "the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance", and the reference to "the National Insurance Act" as a reference to "the Old Age Pensions Ordinance". In Section 7 (1) for the words "an official receiver shall be thereby constituted receiver" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court shall be thereby constituted official receiver".
For Section 89 (2) there shall be substituted the following:—
"Every trustee in bankruptcy shall, in such manner and at such times as the Governor directs, pay the money received by him into the Government Savings Bank to the credit of "the Bankruptcy Estates Account" and the Treasurer shall furnish him with a certificate of receipt of the money so paid".
For Section 98 there shall be substituted the following:—
"A bankruptcy petition shall be presented to the Supreme Court".
In Section 140 the words from "or in the Court of Chancery" to "by the judge of the court" shall be omitted and the word "England" shall be inserted before the word "Scotland".</p> |
| <p>17. Indictments Act, 1915. 5 & 6 G. 5, c. 90.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 2, 9 (1), 9 (2) and 9 (4).</p> |
| <p>18. Evidence (Amendment) Act, 1915. 5 & 6 G. 5, c. 94.</p> | <p>Sections 5 and 6.</p> |
| <p>19. Larceny Act, 1916. 6 & 7 G. 5, c. 50.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 38, 40 (5), 48 and the Schedule. "the Colony" is substituted for the word "England" wherever it occurs.</p> |
| <p>20. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1916. 6 & 7 G. 5, c. 64.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>21. Bills of Exchange (Time of Noting) Act, 1917. 7 & 8 G. 5, c. 48.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>22. Animals (Anaesthetics) Act, 1919. 9 & 10 G. 5, c. 54.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Section 6. "the Governor" is substituted for "the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries".</p> |
| <p>23. Married Women (Maintenance) Act, 1920. 10 & 11 G. 5, c. 63.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>24. Gaming Act, 1922. 12 & 13 G. 5, c. 19.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> |
| <p>25. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1922. 12 & 13 G. 5, c. 56.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 4 and 5.</p> |
| <p>26. Bastardy Act, 1923. 13 & 14 G. 5, c. 23.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 1, 3 and 5.</p> |
| <p>27. Administration of Estates Act, 1925. 15 G. 5, c. 23.</p> | <p>The whole Act, except Sections 4, 10-14, 16, 18-20, 26 (1), 26 (2), 26 (5), 26 (6), 30, 55 (1) (xxv), 58 (2), 58 (3). References to "the Probate Judge" shall be construed as references to "the Judge". The words "the administrator appointed under Section 8 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance (Chapter 1)" shall be substituted for the words "the Administrator under a special administration in Sec-</p> |

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| 28. Guardianship of Infants Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 45. | The whole Act, except Section 10. References to "the Lord Chancellor" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council". |
| 29. Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 49. | Sections 155, 159-166, 167 (7), 185, 186, 187 and Section 188 except sub-section (4). |
| 30. Summary Jurisdiction (Separation and Maintenance) Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 51. | The whole Act. Reference to "the Dangerous Drugs Acts" shall be construed as reference to the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Chapter 18). |
| 31. Criminal Justice Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 86. | Sections 12 (4) second paragraph, 12 (6), 28, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 47. In Section 37 (2) the words "out of the Public Revenues of the Colony in pursuance of any Ordinance" shall be substituted for the words "out of the Consolidation Fund of the United Kingdom in pursuance of any Act." |
| 32. Adoption of Children Act, 1926.
16 & 17 G. 5, c. 29. | Sections 5 (3), 5 (4) and 10. |
| 33. Legitimacy Act, 1926.
16 & 17 G. 5, c. 60. | The whole Act, except Sections 2 (2), 6 (2) and 9 (4). References to "England and Wales" or "England or Wales" shall be construed as references to "the Colony". |
| 34. Administration of Justice Act, 1928.
18 & 19 G. 5, c. 26. | Section 16. |
| 35. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1928.
18 & 19 G. 5, c. 42. | The whole Act. |
| 36. Age of Marriage Act, 1929.
19 & 20 G. 5, c. 36. | The whole Act. |
| 37. Extradition Act, 1932.
22 & 23 G. 5, c. 39. | The whole Act. |
| 38. Children and Young Persons Act,
23 & 24 G. 5, c. 12. | Sections 2, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 34 (1), 34 (4), 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 50, 51, 53, 55 (1), 55 (2), 55 (3), 55 (4), 55 (5) (a), 57, 61 (1) (a) & (b), 62 (1), 62 (3), 64, 66 (1), 66 (2), 69, 70 (1), 71, 72 (1), 72 (2), 72 (4), 72 (5), 75, 85 (1) (b), 85 (3), 86 (1), 86 (2), 87 (1), 87 (3), 87 (4) (a), 87 (5), 88 (1), 88 (2) (a)-(c), 88 (3), 88 (4), 89 (1), 91, 99, 100, 102 (1) (a)-(d), 102 (2), 107, 109 (1) and the First Schedule.
References to the "Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to the "Governor". In Section 55 "the Supreme Court" is substituted for "a court of quarter sessions". In Section 62 the words "by a local authority, constable or authorised person", shall be omitted. In Section 64 the words "shall not be made unless the local authority within whose area he is resident agree" shall be omitted. In Section 85 (1) the words "in any other case," shall be omitted. In Section 85 (3) the words "or with whom he has been boarded out by a local authority" shall be omitted. In Section 86 the words "not being a local authority" shall be omitted. In Section 88 (2) (a) the words "or by section thirty of the Criminal Justice Administration Act, 1914" shall be omitted. In Sections 91 and 102 references to the "quarter sessions" shall be construed as references to "the Supreme Court". In Section 102 (2) the words "fifty-six, ninety," shall be omitted. In Section 107 (1) the interpretations "Intoxicating liquor", "Metropolitan police court area", "Police authority", "Poor law authority" and "Prescribed" shall be omitted. In the First Schedule the words "three, four," and "or twenty-three" shall be omitted. |
| 39. Protection of Animals (Cruelty to Dogs) Act, 1933.
23 & 24 G. 5, c. 17. | The whole Act. In Section 3 the words "the expression 'Dog Licence' means a licence under the Dogs Ordinance (Chapter 21) and the expression 'keep' has the same meaning as in the Dog Licences Act, 1867" shall be substituted for the words "the expression 'Dog Licence' means a licence under the Dog Licences Act, 1867, and the expression 'keep' has the same meaning as in that Act." |
| 40. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1933. 23 & 24 G. 5, c. 36. | Section 7. |

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| <p>41. Arbitration Act, 1934.
24 & 25 G. 5, c. 14.</p> <p>42. Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1934.
24 & 25 G. 5, c. 41.</p> <p>43. Vagrancy Act, 1935.
25 & 26 G. 5, c. 20.</p> <p>44. Law Reform (Married Women and Tortfeasors) Act, 1935.
25 & 26 G. 5, c. 30.</p> <p>45. Coinage Offences Act, 1936.
26 G. 5, & 1 Ed. 8, c. 16.</p> <p>46. Evidence Act, 1938. 1 & 2 G. 6, c. 28.</p> <p>47. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1938. 1 & 2 G. 6, c. 63.</p> <p>48. Limitation Act, 1939.
2 & 3 G. 6, c. 21.</p> <p>49. Law Reform (Frustrated Contracts) Act, 1943. 6 & 7 G. 6, c. 40.</p> <p>50. Law Reform (Contributory Negligence) Act, 1945. 8 & 9 G. 6, c. 28.</p> <p>51. Treason Act, 1945. 8 & 9 G. 6, c. 44.</p> <p>52. Coinage Act, 1946. 9 & 10 G. 6, c. 74.</p> <p>53. Crown Proceedings Act, 1947.
10 & 11 G. 6, c. 44.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 1 (7) and 3 (2).</p> <p>The whole Act, except Section 1 (2).</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 5 (2) and 7. For the words "the first day of January, nineteen hundred and thirty-six", wherever they occur, there shall be substituted "the date of the commencement of this Ordinance", and for the words "the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and forty-five" there shall be substituted "the day before the date of the commencement of this Ordinance."</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 4 (3), 4 (4), 10, 15, 16.</p> <p>The whole Act, except Section 5.</p> <p>Sections 7, 8, 9, 10 (1). In Section 10 (1) the words "The Governor in Council may make Rules of Court" shall be substituted for the words "Rules of Court shall be made" to "Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act, 1925."</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 14, 30 (3). In Section 31 (3) references to the "Mental Treatment Act, 1930" and "the Mental Deficiency Acts, 1913-1938" shall be construed as references to the "Mental Treatment Ordinance (Chapter 46)".</p> <p>The whole Act.</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 2, 5 and 6.</p> <p>The whole Act.</p> <p>The whole Act.</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 10, 12, 19, 20, 23 (3), 23 (4), 34, 38 (3), 41 to 53 (both inclusive). References to "the Crown", wherever that expression occurs, except in the expression "prerogative of the Crown", shall be construed as references to the Government; references to "the United Kingdom" as references to "the Colony"; references to "the Exchequer" as references to "the Treasury of the Colony", and references to "the Admiralty" or "a Secretary of State" or "the Treasury" or "a Minister of the Crown" as references to "the Colonial Secretary".</p> <p>In subsection (6) of Section 2 the words "out of the general revenue of the Colony" shall be substituted for the words from "the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom" to "for the purposes of this sub-section". For Section 15 there shall be substituted the following section :-</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">"Arbitration. 15. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act any Civil proceedings by or against the Government, other than proceedings under Section 14, shall at the option of the other party to such proceedings be determined by arbitration, and references to "the Court" shall, in such case, be construed as references to the arbitrators and umpire (if any).</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(2) The provisions of the Arbitration Acts, 1889 to 1934, shall apply to any such proceedings."</p> <p>In Section 17 "the Government Printer" shall be substituted for "His Majesty's Stationery Office". In Section 18 the words "on the head of that Department" shall be substituted for the words from "on the Solicitor, if any" to the end of the Section. In Section 37 (1) for the words "out of money provided by Parliament" there shall be substituted the words "out of the general revenue of the Colony".</p> <p>The whole Act. In Section 1 the words "the Colony" shall be substituted for the words "England or Wales".</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 2 (4), 2 (6) (a), 2 (6) (b), 5, 6 (2).</p> |
| <p>54. Attempted Rape Act, 1948.
11 & 12 G. 6, c. 19.</p> <p>55. Law Reform (Personal Injuries) Act, 1948. 11 & 12 G. 6, c. 41.</p> | <p>The whole Act.</p> <p>The whole Act, except Sections 2 (4), 2 (6) (a), 2 (6) (b), 5, 6 (2).</p> |

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56. Criminal Justice Act, 1948.
11 & 12 G. 6, c. 58.

Sections 1, 3-8, 11 [except the words following "good Behaviour of the offender" in subsection (1)], 12, 13, 14 (1), 14 (2) (b), 14 (3), 14 (4), 14 (5), 15 (4), 15 (5), 15 (6), 16, 17 (2), 19, 37 (1) (c), 37 (6), 39 (1), 39 (3), 39 (5), 41 (1), 41 (3), 41 (4), 41 (5), 43, 44 (1), 44 (4), 44 (7), 69, 79, 80.

References to "Great Britain" shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "Court of Assize", "Court of Quarter Sessions" and "Central Criminal Court" as references to the "Supreme Court"; references to "the clerk of assize" as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court", and references to the Lunacy and Mental Treatment Act, the Lunacy Act, and the Mental Deficiency Act as references to the Mental Treatment Ordinance.

References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as reference to "the Governor". In subsection (2) of Section 3 there shall be substituted for the words from "A probation order" to the words "and the offender shall" the words "A probationer shall", and the words following the words "a probation officer" shall be omitted.

57. Marriage Act, 1949.
12 & 13 G. 6, c. 76.
58. Married Women (Maintenance) Act,
1949. 12 & 13 G. 6, c. 99.
59. Law Reform (Miscellaneous
Provisions) Act, 1949.
12 & 13 G. 6, c. 100.
60. Adoption of Children Act, 1950.
14 G. 6, c. 26.

Sections 1 & 2, Schedule 1.

The whole Act.

Sections 1, 4-7, 9. References to "England" shall be construed as references to "the Colony".

The whole Act, except in Section 4 (2) the words in parenthesis; and Sections 4 (4), 9, 15, 19, 20 and Parts II and III. References to "England" or "the United Kingdom" shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "the Lord Chancellor" as reference to "the Governor in Council"; and the references to the Births and Deaths Registration Acts as a reference to the Registration Ordinance. In Section 2 (6) (b) the words "the Chief Constable" shall be substituted for the words from "the welfare authority" to "resident". In Section 8 (i) the words "the County Court" shall be omitted. For Section 40 (6) there shall be substituted the following subsection :-

"(6) For the purposes of this section the licensing authority shall be the Magistrate".

61. Criminal Law (Amendment) Act,
1951. 14 & 15 G. 6, c. 36.
62. Guardianship and Maintenance of
Infants Act, 1951.
14 & 15 G. 6 c. 56.
63. Magistrates' Courts Act, 1952.
15 & 16 G. 6, & 1 E. 2, c. 55.

The whole Act, except Sections 2 (2) and 2 (3).

Section 2.

The whole Act except Sections 1 (2), 2 (2), 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19 (7) (b), 20 (5), 26 (2), 26 (6), 28, 44, 51 (2), 72, 84 (5), 98 (1), 98 (3), 98 (5), 103, 107 (2), 107 (4), 107 (5), 107 (6), 112, 113, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 123, 129, Fourth Schedule. The words "for any county or borough", in the expression "justice of the peace for any county or borough" or "Magistrates' court for a county or borough", and similar expressions shall be omitted wherever they occur. References to "England", or "England or Wales", or "the United Kingdom", shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "Quarter Sessions" as references to "the Supreme Court", references to "the clerk of the peace" as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court", and references to "the Secretary of State" as references to "the Governor".

In subsection (1) of Section 1 after the words "committed an offence" there shall be added the words "within the Colony", and the words "in any of the events mentioned in subsection (2) of this section" shall be omitted. In subsection (4) of Section 1 for the words "by virtue of paragraph (c) of subsection (2) of this section" there shall be substituted the words "if the person charged resides or is, or is believed to reside or be, within the Colony".

In subsection (1) of Section 2 for the words "within the county or borough" there shall be substituted the words "within the Colony". In subsection (3) of Section 2 the words following the words "is brought before the court" shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 5 the words "of assize or quarter sessions" shall be omitted.

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In subsection (1) of Section 7 after the words "commit him for trial" there shall be added the words "before the Supreme Court".

In subsection (3) of Section 18 the proviso shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 38 and in subsection (1) of Section 40 for the words "a police officer not below the rank of inspector" there shall be substituted the words "the Chief Constable".

In subsection (2) of Section 38 the words following the words "a magistrates' court" shall be omitted.

In Section 43 the words "acting for any petty sessions area" and "acting for that area" shall be omitted.

In paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of Section 50 a semi-colon shall be substituted for the full-stop and the following words shall be added - "or (c) a sum recoverable under the civil jurisdiction of the court under the provisions of the Administration of Justice Ordinance as amended by the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953".

In subsection (3) of Section 51 the words "acting for the same petty sessions area" shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 52 for the words from "the clerk of the court" to the end of the subsection there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court."

In subsections (1) and (3) of Section 54 after the words "eighteen hundred and seventy-nine," there shall be added the words "or under the Administration of Justice Ordinance as amended by the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953."

In subsection (1) of Section 64 after the words "conviction or order of a magistrates' court" there shall be inserted the words "other than an order made in exercise of its civil jurisdiction under the Administration of Justice Ordinance as amended by the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953."

In subsection (3) of Section 74 the words "acting for the petty sessions area for which the court acts" shall be omitted.

In Section 79 the words from "then (a) if the person" to "(b) in any other case" and the words "clerk or other" shall be omitted.

In subsections (1) and (4) of Section 84 and subsection (1) of Section 85 for the words "the clerk of the magistrates' court" and "the clerk of the court against whose decision the appeal is to be brought" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court".

In subsection (2) of Section 89 the words "twenty-eight or" shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 92 the words from "if the complainant alleges" to "entered into before a magistrates' court for that county or borough" shall be omitted.

In subsection (2) of Section 102 the words "acting within his police area" shall be omitted.

In subsection (5) of Section 109 for the words "moneys provided by Parliament" there shall be substituted the words "the general revenue of the Colony".

In subsection (1) of Section 114 for the words "A clerk of a magistrates' court" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court" and for paragraph (f) of the said subsection there shall be substituted "(f) the balance to the general revenue of the Colony".





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Barnes, B.	Harbour & Aviation	Coxswain, M.V. "Alert"	16.9.54	On probation for 2 years.
Kerr, J.	" "	Air Pilot	16.9.54	—
Mackintosh, Miss M. L.	Medical	Nursing Sister	16.9.54	—
Hirtle, Miss C.	" "	Nurse Probationer	1.10.54	—
Brown, G.	South Georgia	Senior Wireless Operator Mechanic	30.9.54	—
Grant, A.	" "	Diesel Electric Mechanic	30.9.54	—
Grant, J.	" "	Assist. Customs Officer	30.9.54	—
MacNab, D.	" "	Meteorological Assistant	30.9.54	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Smith, Eric	Posts & Telegraphs	Messenger	1.4.54	—

TRANSFERS.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Campbell, Miss J.	Clerk, Posts & Tels.	Clerk, Secretariat	16.9.54	Temporarily.
Halliday, L. J.	Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Posts & Tels.	23.9.54	"

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Cawkell, E. M.	Education	Supt. of Education	27.1.54 to 15.9.54	Both dates inclusive.
Jones, H. D.	Harbour & Aviation	Aircraft Mechanic	27.1.54 to 15.9.54	" " "
Szeley, Dr. A.	Medical	Medical Officer	12.4.54 to 7.9.54	On completion of contract.
Calvert, R.	Public Works	Plumber/Pipefitter (Development Programme)	12.4.54 to 3.9.54	do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 49. 11th September, 1954.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be advanced one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, the 25th/26th September, 1954.

Ref. 0064.

No. 50. 24th September, 1954.

It is hereby notified for general information that

MR. D. J. DRAYCOTT,
acted as Superintendent of Education, during the absence on leave of Mr. E. M. Cawkell, from the 27th January to the 15th September, 1954, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/245/II.

FALKLAND ISLANDS

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on 31st March, 1953.

OCTOBER 1, 1954

DEPOSITS :			LIABILITIES			£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Savings Bank Fund	...	...	806,031	7	2						
Intestate Estates	...	...	189	9	4						
Note Security Fund	...	...	84,032	12	0						
Provident Fund	...	...	18,192	13	0						
Postal Monies	...	...	4,378	1	1						
Miscellaneous	...	...	15,108	3	1						
						927,932	5	8			
Reserve Fund	...	...	...	...	...	244,278	0	7			
Marine Renewals Fund	...	...	...	...	...	7,144	9	6			
Workmen's Compensation Fund	...	...	...	...	...	3,363	19	10			
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund	...	...	...	...	...	4,791	0	10			
Power Station Renewals Fund	...	...	...	...	...	5,082	4	7			
Remittances	...	...	...	...	...	6,512	12	0			
Old Age Pensions Equalization Fund	...	...	...	...	...	9,227	16	7			
Aviation Renewals Fund	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	0	0			
Surplus of Assets over Liabilities :											
Land Sales Fund	...	...	268,945	14	2						
General Revenue Balance A/c. (Surplus)	...	...	192,108	10	2						
						461,054	4	4			
GENERAL REVENUE BALANCE ACCOUNT											
Balance at 1/4/52	...	...	70,359	2	11						
Add Surplus for period 1/4/52 to 31/3/53	...	...	108,095	18	5						
			178,455	1	4						
Add Appreciation of Investments	...	...	13,653	8	10						
			192,108	10	2						
						£1,671,386	13	11			
CASH BALANCES :			ASSETS			£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Treasury	...	...	23,037	18	4						
Crown Agents	...	...	917	0	7						
Joint Colonial Fund	...	...	118,000	0	0						
South Georgia	...	...	79	6	6				142,034	5	5
INVESTMENTS :											
Surplus Funds	...	...	79,181	7	3						
Reserve Fund	...	...	239,124	0	7						
Note Security Fund	...	...	33,806	9	6						
Workmen's Compensation Fund	...	...	2,458	14	2						
Provident Fund	...	...	20,983	18	9						
Savings Bank Fund	...	...	794,953	4	9						
Land Sales Fund	...	...	260,381	12	2						
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund	...	...	4,242	4	7						
Marine Renewals Fund	...	...	6,567	9	7						
Power Station Renewals Fund	...	...	5,053	9	5						
Old Age Pensions Fund	...	...	5,115	13	8						
Aviation Renewals Fund	...	...	1,999	7	6						
									1,453,867	11	11
Farm and Building Loans	...	...	...	...	...				140	1	5
Advances	...	...	...	...	...				58,122	11	1
Remittances	...	...	...	...	...				17,222	4	1
									£1,671,386	13	11

The above Statement does not include :—

- a. Interest free loan to H. M. Government amounting to £2,198 12. 0.
 b. A sum of £2,634 4. 8. due by H. M. Government in respect of under issues on the following Colonial Development and Welfare Schemes :—

Scheme No. D 970	£ 456	15	11
" " D 1072	2120	2	0
" " D 1772	57	6	9
	£ 2634	4	8

J. E. BRISCOE,
 Colonial Treasurer.
 17th June, 1954.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 31st March, 1953.

RECEIPTS.	Amount Estimated		Actual Receipts		Over the Estimate		Under the Estimate	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Net Balance ...	.....		20538	9 9	.....		.....
I Customs ...	44901	0 0	53161	13 7	8260	13 7	.....
II Dependencies Contribution to cost of Central Administration	10000	0 0	10000	0 0	.....		.....
III Fees, Fines, Reimbursements ...	4545	0 0	3507	9 8	.....		1037	10 4
IV Harbour and Aviation ...	10895	0 0	5648	8 2	.....		5246	11 10
V Internal Revenue ...	201472	0 0	247718	1 1	46246	1 1	.....
VI Interest ...	13500	0 0	12527	0 1	.....		972	19 11
VII Miscellaneous ...	5775	0 0	7106	11 6	1331	11 6	.....
VIII Posts & Telegraphs ...	14785	0 0	30730	1 2	15945	1 2	.....
IX Electricity ...	5000	0 0	5660	2 2	660	2 2	.....
X Rents ...	1500	0 0	1673	0 6	173	0 6	.....
XI Land Sales ...	211	0 0	104	5 11	.....		106	14 1
Total Ordinary Revenue ...	312584	0 0	377836	13 10	72616	10 0	7363	16 2
XII Colonial Development and Welfare ...	24022	0 0	19922	19 6	.....		4099	0 6
Total Revenue	£ 336606	0 0	397759	13 4	72616	10 0	11462	16 8
Advances ...	.....		35196	6 4	.....		.....
Deposits ...	.....		568431	12 6	.....		.....
Remittances ...	.....		225341	19 0	.....		.....
Investments ...	.....		520002	13 7	.....		.....
Investments Adjustment Account ...	.....		34676	2 7	.....		.....
General Revenue Balance Account ...	.....		121749	19 9	.....		.....
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund ...	.....		139	5 2	.....		.....
Reserve Fund ...	.....		158729	19 4	.....		.....
Aviation Renewals Fund ...	.....		2000	0 0	.....		.....
Marine Renewals Fund ...	.....		1182	18 6	.....		.....
Power Station Renewals Fund ...	.....		3060	2 10	.....		.....
Workmen's Compensation Fund ...	.....		182	5 7	.....		.....
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund ...	.....		9406	16 8	.....		.....
Farm & Building Loans ...	.....		16	10 0	.....		.....
Total Receipts ...	.....		2077876	5 2	.....		.....
Balance 1st April, 1952 ...	.....		20538	9 9	.....		.....
TOTAL	£	2098414	14 11	.....		.....

Statement shewing total Payments for the year ended 31st March, 1953.

PAYMENTS.	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I The Governor	3859	0	0	3629	1	6	.....			229	18	6
II Agriculture	3188	0	0	3103	19	10	.....			84	0	2
III Audit	746	0	0	744	8	11	.....			1	11	1
IV Communications	18099	0	0	20237	3	5	2138	3	5	.....	
V Customs	1845	0	0	11213	9	7	9368	9	7	.....	
VI Education	11042	0	0	8350	11	4	.....			2691	8	8
VII Medical	15730	0	0	12806	2	4	.....			2923	17	8
VIII Meteorological	1034	0	0	887	8	8	.....			146	11	4
IX Military	1163	0	0	1111	11	5	.....			51	8	7
X Miscellaneous	25493	0	0	23747	4	11	.....			1745	15	1
XI Pensions	6800	0	0	5565	15	0	.....			1234	5	0
XII Police & Prisons	3075	0	0	3131	19	10	56	19	10	.....	
XIII Post & Telegraphs	19735	0	0	19458	13	8	.....			276	6	4
XIV Public Works Department	18209	0	0	18391	5	9	182	5	9	.....	
XV Public Works Recurrent	16961	0	0	22925	13	10	5964	13	10	.....	
XVI Secretariat and Treasury	10663	0	0	12224	17	3	1561	17	3	.....	
XVII Supreme Court	655	0	0	718	2	0	63	2	0	.....	
XVIII Extraordinary Expenditure	148600	0	0	104656	17	4	.....			43943	2	8
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	306897	0	0	272904	6	7	19335	11	8	53328	5	1
XIX Colonial Development and Welfare	24022	0	0	16759	8	4	.....			7262	11	8
Total Expenditure ... £	330919	0	0	289663	14	11	19335	11	8	60590	16	9
Advances				66272	0	9						
Deposits				518652	4	2						
Remittances				227932	0	1						
Investments				753908	16	0						
Investments Adjustment Account				34676	2	7						
General Revenue Balance Account										12	6	
Reserve Fund				75000	0	0						
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund				179	0	1						
Surplus and Deficit Account				108095	18	5						
Total Payments				2074380	9	6						
Closing Balance on 31st March, 1953				24034	5	5						
TOTAL ... £				2098414	14	11						

J. E. BRISCOE,

Colonial Treasurer.

17th June, 1954.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 30th June, 1953

RECEIPTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Receipts.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Net Balance ...				5332	0	3						
Customs	66980	0	0	90263	4	3	23283	4	3			
Port Dues	200	0	0	220	0	0	20	0	0			
Internal Revenue	33930	0	0	53540	16	5	19610	16	5			
Fees	795	0	0	991	0	0	196	0	0			
Rents	1751	0	0	1801	0	0	50	0	0			
Post Office	2250	0	0	3481	16	10	1231	16	10			
Miscellaneous	6085	0	0	10443	5	11	4358	5	11			
Contribution from H.M. Government	47000	0	0	47000	0	0						
	£ 158991	0	0	207741	3	5	48750	3	5			
Advances				10676	16	10						
Deposits				17417	18	10						
Remittances				200046	13	10						
Investments				210120	8	3						
Reserve Fund				25629	1	10						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund				10542	5	10						
Investments Adjustment Account				3787	16	9						
General Revenue Balance Account				3429	1	10						
Total Receipts				689391	7	5						
Balance 1/7/52				5332	0	3						
TOTAL	£			694723	7	8						

Statement shewing the total Payments for the year ended 30th June, 1953

PAYMENTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
General	34032	0	0	49886	1	1	15854	1	1			
FIDS Rear Base	6471	0	0	6932	1	4	461	1	4			
FIDS Headquarters (Administration)	18550	0	0	16831	13	1				1718	6	11
FIDS Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	11027	0	0	8938	9	8				2088	10	4
FIDS Bases	63335	0	0	50161	7	10				13173	12	2
FIDS "John Biscoe"	77521	0	0	77010	6	7				510	13	5
Scientific Bureau				458	7	1	458	7	1			
	£	210936	0 0	210218	6 8		16773	9 6		17491	2 10	
Advances				23554	15	5						
Deposits				5445	3	9						
Remittances				138156	10	0						
Investments				275590	4	10						
Reserve Fund				3429	1	10						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund				442	7	9						
Investments Adjustment Account				3787	16	9						
Total Payments				660624	7	0						
Balance 30/6/53				34099	0	8						
TOTAL	£	694723	7 8									

J. E. BRISCOE,

Colonial Treasurer.

19th May, 1954.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at 30th June, 1953.

LIABILITIES				£	s.	d.	ASSETS				£	s.	d.				
DEPOSITS							CASH BALANCES										
Miscellaneous	£24,746	7	9		South Georgia	...	...	£33,828	19	0					
Security	10,000	0	0		Crown Agents	...	...	270	1	8					
						34,746							34,099	0	8		
													61,000	0	0		
REMITTANCES						21,306	0	8	REMITTANCES IN TRANSIT						2	2	
FUNDS									INVESTMENTS								
Reserve Fund	£109,369	8	4		Reserve Fund	...	...	£71,602	19	1					
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund	27,682	14	5		"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund	...	...	27,682	14	5					
						137,052	2	9	Security Deposit	...	...	9,940	16	8		
													109,226	10	2		
TOTAL LIABILITIES						193,104	11	2	ADVANCES						49,249	13	5
GENERAL REVENUE BALANCE ACCOUNT																	
Balance at the 1st July, 1952	£59,518	16	8												
Deduct: Deficit for year 1952/53	2,477	3	3												
			£57,041	13	5												
Add: Appreciation of Investments	3,129	1	10												
Balance at 30th June, 1953				60,470	15	3									
						£253,575	6	5					£253,575	6	5		

J. E. BRISCOE,
Colonial Treasurer.
19th May, 1954.



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LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Devrell, F. J.	Harbour & Aviation	Pilot	7.10.54 100 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Devrell, Mrs. G.	Medical	Nursing Sister	7.10.54 92 ..	do.
Fairclough, G.	South Georgia	Diesel Electric Mechanic	29.9.54 87 ..	do.
Kidd, J. M.	Public Works	Bricklayer, (Development Programme)	27.1.54 to 2.10.54	On completion of contract.
Somerville, A. M.	Public Works (Electrical)	Electrician/ Wireman	11.7.54 to 14.10.54	do.
Cowling, J. R.	South Georgia	Met. Assistant	21.5.54 to 14.10.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Peck, Miss E.	Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	22.10.54	Appointment terminated.
Harries, Miss H.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	3.9.54	Resigned.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 51. 2nd October, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 42 of 1st July, 1954, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 30th September, 1954, are hereby published for general information.

<i>Quarter ended</i>	<i>Percentage increase over 1948 prices</i>
30th September, 1954	54.385%

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the Cost of Living Bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 51A. 21st October, 1954.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 5th October, 1954, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Wednesday the 20th October, 1954.

Ref. P/614.

No. 52. 29th October, 1954.

It is hereby notified for general information that

MR. A. NORTHWOOD,
acted as Superintendent of Works, during the absence on duty of Mr. A. E. Livermore, from the 17th July to the 22nd October, 1954, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/561.

REGISTRATION OF
UNITED KINGDOM PATENTS ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified for general information that a letters patent particulars of which appear in the schedule hereto was registered in the Register of Patents on the 5th day of October, 1954.

SCHEDULE.

Registered No. :- 3126.

Name of Applicant :- MacMillan Clements.

Registered Address :- Griswold Street, Bethel,
Connecticut, United
States of America.

No. of grant in the
United Kingdom :- 698,722.

Nature of Invention :- Structural Panel (used in
the building industry).

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Office of the Competent Authority (Supplies),
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th October, 1954.

ORDER.

Made under regulations 41 and 79 of the
Defence Regulations, 1939.

The Orders made under regulation 41 of the
Defence Regulations, 1939, on the 15th March,
1941, and on the 18th June, 1941, are hereby
revoked.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1954.

W. J. GRIERSON,
Competent Authority (Supplies).

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and

authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 5th day of October, 1954, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 5th day of October, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing EDWIN MARK CAWKELL, ESQUIRE, to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. A R T H U R — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To EDWIN MARK CAWKELL, ESQUIRE.

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said EDWIN MARK CAWKELL, to be a Member of the Legislative Council under Clause 13 (1) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Order-in-Council, 1948.

Given at Stanley this 21st day of October, 1954.

By Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Defence Force Ordinance, 1954.

Regulations made by the Governor in Council.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 5 of 1954.

By virtue of the powers vested in him by section 46 of the Defence Force Ordinance, 1954, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to make and hereby makes the following Regulations :—

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| Short title. | 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Defence Force Regulations, 1954. |
| Interpretation. | 2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires —
“the Ordinance” means the Defence Force Ordinance, 1954, and any Ordinance amending or substituted for the same;
“recruit” means any person applying to be a member of the Force.
Other expressions shall bear the same meaning as in the Ordinance. |
| Responsibility of Commandant. | 3. The Commandant shall be responsible for the general management and control of the Force, and all moneys allotted for the establishment, upkeep and training of the Force shall be administered by him. |
| Efficiency Decoration and Medal. | 4. Officers and members are eligible for the award of the Efficiency Decoration and the Efficiency Medal respectively, in accordance with the regulations governing the award of the same. |
| Military funerals. | 5. Military funerals may, with the permission of the Commandant, be accorded to a deceased officer or member who, at the time of his death, was on the active list of the Force. |
| Responsibility for care of Arms, etc. | 6. Every member of the Force shall be responsible for the safe custody and due care of any arms, ammunition, uniform and appointments furnished to him, and shall not, when off duty, wear the uniform or any part thereof, or make use of any of the appointments of the Force. |
| Promotion of officers. | 7. The promotion of officers shall be in the discretion of the Governor, upon the recommendation of the Commandant. |
| Notification in the Gazette. | 8. Every promotion, transfer, removal, retirement, and the acceptance of an officer's resignation, shall be notified in the Gazette. |
| Commissions and enrolment. | 9. No person who is under the age of 18 years and no person who is not certified by a medical officer to be physically fit, shall be commissioned as an officer or enrolled as a member. |
| Band boys. | 10. Any person between the ages of 16 and 18 years may be appointed a band boy in the Force. |
| Arms, appointments, etc. to be delivered upon discharge. | 11. On being discharged, a member shall deliver up in good order, fair wear and tear excepted, all arms and ammunition issued to him, and also, save in the case provided for by Section 15 (4) of the Ordinance, his uniform and appointments. A member who without |

sufficient reason fails to comply with this regulation shall, in addition to any penalty, be liable to pay for the property which he has failed to deliver up.

12. On discharge, a member shall be furnished with a Discharge Certificate by the Commandant, in the form set out in the Schedule hereto. Discharge certificate.

13. Every officer and member shall undergo compulsory training each year as follows — Annual training.

- (a) annual weapon training course;
- (b) 12 instructional parades (20 in the case of first year recruits) each of two hours duration and such ceremonial parades as may be ordered by the Commandant:

Provided that the Commandant may in his discretion exempt any officer or member from carrying out the whole or any portion of the annual training.

14. (1) To become efficient a member of the Force must comply with the following conditions — Qualifications for efficiency.

- (a) attend 12 instructional parades (20 in the case of first year recruits) each of two hours duration;
- (b) fire a course of musketry of at least 45 rounds :

Provided that a member shall be deemed to be efficient if he is granted a certificate of efficiency by the Commandant.

(2) Any member who fails to become efficient through his own neglect or omission may be ordered by the Commandant to pay a fine not exceeding £3. Fine for inefficiency.

15. The composition and proceedings of Courts of Enquiry shall be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the Queen's Regulations, and the Rules of Procedure made in pursuance of the Army Act, so far as they can be made applicable to the establishment and constitution of the Force, and are not inconsistent with the provisions of the Ordinance which relate to Courts of Inquiry, Offences and Punishments. Courts of Inquiry.

16. Money due from the Government on account of the Capitation Grant shall be drawn by the Commandant, and may be expended only for the purposes and benefit of the Force. Capitation Grant.

17. Any member who fails to comply with or contravenes any provision of regulation 6 or regulation 11 of these Regulations shall be guilty of an offence and may be ordered by the Commandant to pay a fine not exceeding £3. Penalties.

18. All Regulations made under the Volunteer Ordinance, 1893, and the Defence Force Ordinance, and at present in force under Section 47 of the Defence Force Ordinance, 1954, are hereby revoked. Revocations.
Cap. 19.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 25th day of October, 1954.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

5. Any member who is a defaulter, or who misconducts himself as a member of the Club, shall be deprived of the privileges of the Club for so long as the Commandant directs, or shall be expelled. Wilful damage shall be paid for by the offender who may also be fined a sum not exceeding £1 by the Committee.

6. Subject to any extension made by the Committee or with the approval of the Commandant, the Club rooms shall be open from noon to 6 p.m. on Sundays and from 8 p.m. to 12 p.m. on weekdays except that during the months of April to August inclusive they shall be open from 7 p.m. to 12 p.m. on weekdays. Refreshments will not be served after 11 p.m. on weekdays and only between the hours of 12 noon and 1 p.m. and 4.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. on Sundays.

7. The Governor may at any time restrict any or all of the activities of the Club.

8. No liquor shall be taken away from the Club premises, and no liquor supplied to anyone not being a member or temporary member or guest. No liquor shall be served to any person under the age of 18 years or who is on the prohibited list.

9. All money matters shall be managed by the Committee and all orders for goods placed under their direction.

10. The Committee shall have power to deal with and decide upon any matter relating to the Falkland Islands Defence Force Club not embodied in these Rules.

11. The Rules of the 20th November, 1945, are hereby repealed.

12. Made at a Committee Meeting held at Headquarters on the 6th of October, 1954, under the provisions of Section 34 of the Defence Force Ordinance.

Approved by a General Meeting on the 6th of October, 1954.

Transmitted to the Governor for his approval this 22nd day of October, 1954.

C. CAMPBELL,
Commandant,
Falkland Islands Defence Force.

Approved,
O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

22nd October, 1954.

Ref. 0838/D/II.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on the 26th of October, 1954.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe.
 The Honourable Mr. E. M. Cawkell.
 The Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton.
 The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. W. W. Blake, J.P.

The Meeting opened with Prayers read by the Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.

1. The Honourable Mr. E. M. Cawkell, after taking the prescribed oaths, assumed his seat in Council.

Mr. W. Hirtle was sworn in as Acting Clerk to the Council.

2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on the 3rd of March, 1954, were confirmed.

3. His Excellency the Governor delivered the following address to the Council :-

I do not propose to delay the work of this Council by long speech-making, but there are one or two things I should like to say before we proceed. Firstly we must welcome back among us the Honourable Member for West Falkland and the Honourable the Second Nominated Unofficial Member. I fear that they have perhaps regretted their rashness in exchanging the balmy climate of these Islands for the rigours of an English summer. I must also welcome our new member the Honourable Mr. Cawkell.

Next I should like to take this opportunity of thanking everyone in the Falklands for their kindness to me personally. From the Honourable Members of Executive Council, whose advice, co-operation and support have been of inestimable value to me, to the shepherds whose hospitality I have enjoyed on the track, I have received nothing but friendliness and hospitality personally, and co-operation and sound advice officially. Thank you all very much.

The measures which will be laid before you at this meeting will be explained by the Honourable Member in charge of each and I do not propose to touch on them now except to say that in proposing a small reduction in Income Tax we hope we are setting a new fashion which will be welcome to all.

As regards other matters of public interest, in agriculture we are still trying to recruit a Veterinary Officer and have scored one or two near misses. A little while ago we thought we had a highly suitable candidate but, unfortunately, at the last moment unexpected domestic difficulties made him withdraw.

The Freezer will now, we hope, function at any rate for a while and indeed if it succeeds it should prove of great long-term benefit to the Colony. We have, however, at any rate for the present, reached the limits of the assistance which this Government could and should give and it lies with the Freezer Company to make it a success.

As regards education we still suffer from an acute shortage of teachers, since local recruits are not forthcoming and attempts to recruit from U.K. have not met with much success either. The Honourable the Superintendent of Education has devoted much of his leave to exertions in this direction, for which I should like to thank him on behalf of the Colony. He succeeded in finding two camp teachers who have now been offered appointments, that is something though not enough. I understand that the Falkland Islands Company intends to start work on the Darwin School shortly, which should be of substantial permanent benefit to the Colony.

The air service seems to become more and more popular, and I must congratulate the Harbour Master and the staff of the service for carrying substantially increased numbers of passengers this year. Demand for passages still exceeds supply and the question of how this demand is to be met is under immediate consideration.

The T.B. Survey which has now virtually reached a successful conclusion has marked a big step forward in the health of the Colony. The Public is primarily responsible for the success of the Survey and is to be heartily congratulated for the readiness with which it has grasped the benefits to be obtained and has come forward for examination. Dr. Richter is also to be heartily commended on the success of the Survey. In other respects the department is also in a prosperous condition. Work on the old wing of the hospital has now been practically completed and I am happy to record that the personnel of the department is actually up to strength.

As regards Posts & Telegraphs the new transmitter has proved an unqualified success and so has the appointment of a full time salaried Secretary of the Broadcasting Advisory Committee. I should like to mention the excellent work done by the Director of Broadcasting who has voluntarily devoted much of his spare time and energy to this work. In the Falklands the Broadcasting Service has to rely on local

talent to provide it with artists and in this direction the Falklanders have shown their abilities. I hope the public will continue to come forward and offer its services in this way.

The ambitious programme of new public buildings on which the Colony embarked after the war, with aid from Colonial Development and Welfare funds, is now virtually completed but this has been done, possibly rightly and inevitably done, at the expense of maintenance of existing works. We are left with a terrible back-log of such maintenance. We have been trying to secure the services of a qualified Engineer and have even gone so far as to offer a salary somewhat in excess of my own. We have, however, found no takers. The Superintendent of Works has recently visited the U.K. in order to recruit artisans and examine the possibilities of recruiting other labour. As regards artisans he has met with some success having secured six carpenters and two painters. As regards other labour the prospects do not seem at all favourable, and what is to be done next must be considered. It may be that we shall have to consider recruiting labour from Germany or some other foreign country, the Honourable Mr. Barton and the Honourable Mr. Luxton have been making enquiries about this matter, the upshot of which I do not yet know. In the meantime we shall have to tackle the work as and how we can. Roads, water, drainage and sewerage all need to be done. They cannot be attacked altogether and the most we can hope for, for the present, is that we shall be able to start on them piecemeal, perhaps beginning with the roads.

I have discussed with Honourable Members the proposals for giving assistance to farmers to make Land Rover tracks in the Camp and Honourable Members are fully aware of what is being done. The chief initial difficulty is the track from Stanley to Fitzroy. I have appointed a joint Committee of unofficial Members of Executive and Legislative Councils to advise Government in this matter and I hope that this innovation of associating unofficial Members of both Councils more closely with the work of Government will prove a success. The Secretary of State has recently approved of the necessary expenditure to start work on the Fitzroy track and the matter can now go forward.

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following papers:—

- (i) Copies of subsidiary Legislation made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last Meeting of the Legislative Council.
- (ii) Savings Bank Report, 1952.
- (iii) Report of the Director of Colonial Audit on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st January, 1951, to 31st March, 1952.

5. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following Questions, together with replies thereto:—

By the Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton.

Question I. Why a man employed on a Farm Station was selected for appointment as Coxswain, m.v. "Alert"?

Reply by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

The post of Coxswain, m.v. "Alert", is a permanent and pensionable one for which any person holding the requisite qualifications may apply.

The successful applicant (who had already served three years in the Harbour Department from 1948 to 1951) was considered to be the most suitable candidate by the Appointments' Board.

Question II. What steps Government is taking to repair the Gymnasium which is gradually falling into a dilapidated condition both internally and externally?

Reply by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

The responsibility for the efficient maintenance and control of the Gymnasium is vested in the Town Council by virtue of Section 34, Cap. 69, Revised Laws. It is understood that the Town Council are anxious to effect necessary repairs at an early date, but the shortage of labour and the high cost occasioned by an accumulation of arrears of maintenance will necessitate their seeking assistance from Government.

6. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, in moving the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Land Ordinance", explained that as the law stood at present certain powers of disposition over Crown Lands were vested solely in the Governor.

Clause 2 of the Bill now vested all such powers in the Governor in Council.

Clause 3 of the Bill repealed Section 19 of the Ordinance since the Section is now incorporated in the new Section 18.

Clause 4 removed the arbitrary limitation on the length of leases other than leases of Reserves.

Clause 5 repealed Section 24 which, in view of the new Section 18, became redundant.

The Honourable Mr. McWhan seconded the Bill and it was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 3 and 5, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

Clause 4 was agreed to with the following amendment:

By the insertion of the word "or" between the words "suburban land" and the inverted commas immediately following.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

7. On the motion of the Honourable Mr. Briscoe, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To amend the Pensions Ordinance" was read a first time. The Honourable Mr. Briscoe informed Council that the Bill was designed to ensure that should an officer die before reaching pensionable age his estate would not receive less than he would have received had he retired on the day he died, and to provide also that, if a pensioner died, his estate would receive a sum equal to his annual pensionable emoluments less any payments received in respect of pension or gratuity.

The Bill was read a second time and committed. Clauses 1 and 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

8. In moving the first reading of the Bill "To apply certain specified Acts of Parliament to the Colony" the Honourable the Colonial Secretary stated that all English Statute law prior to 1900 was automatically applied to the Colony. He went on to explain that the Bill had the effect of applying such post 1900 English Statutes as were considered necessary and suitable for the Colony.

The Honourable Mr. Hardy seconded the motion and the Bill was read for the first time. On further motion being made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2, the Schedule, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

9. The Honourable Mr. Briscoe moved the first reading of the Bill "Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance" and the Honourable Mr. Blake seconded the motion. The Honourable Mr. Briscoe explained that the Bill was designed to provide a measure of relief for taxpayers in 1955 by increasing the allowance for children from £40 for the first child and £25 for other children to £70 for each child, and also by increasing the earned income allowance from one tenth to one fifth.

At the second reading the Honourable Mr. Gilruth stated that in his opinion income tax on salaries and wages should, and could, be abolished completely. No further opinions being expressed the Bill was committed.

Clauses 1 to 3, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

10. In moving the first reading of the Bill "Further to amend the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance" the Honourable the Colonial Secretary explained that the Bill extended the powers of Magistrates and Justices of the Peace to dispose of certain minor cases summarily.

The Honourable Mr. K. Luxton seconded the motion and the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was passed after a third reading.

11. On the motion of the Honourable Mr. Briscoe, seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, the Bill "To amend the Savings Bank Ordinance" was read a first time. The Honourable Mr. Briscoe explained to Council that the Bill was introduced in order to bring into coincidence the Colony's and Savings Bank's financial year.

The Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 3, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

12. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Administration of Justice Ordinance" and explained that the purpose of the Bill was to clarify the civil and criminal powers of Justices of the Peace.

The Honourable Mr. Gilruth seconded the motion and the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 3, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was passed after being read a third time.

13. In moving the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Currency Notes Ordinance" the Honourable Mr. Briscoe stated that the Bill was designed to improve the accounting procedure and to ensure that the Colony's Note Issue was at all times at least one hundred per cent covered.

The Honourable Mr. Mercer seconded the motion and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion being made the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 3, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 11



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

**An Ordinance
To amend the Land Ordinance.**

[1st November, 1954]

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Land (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Land Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

2. Part III of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion of the following new section 18:—

<sup>“Disposal of
Crown Lands.</sup>

18. Subject to the Provisions of this Ordinance the Governor in Council may dispose of Crown lands by lease and may also dispose of Crown lands, other than lands forming part of a reserve, by grant in fee simple.”

3. Section 19 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.

4. Subsection (1) of section 23 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) by deleting the words from “country land” to “sub-urban land or” and the words “town land exceed the term of sixty years”;

(b) by substituting a full stop for the semi-colon immediately following the words “three years”.

5. Section 24 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title.
Cap. 36.

Addition of new section to the principal Ordinance.

Repeal of section 19 of the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 23 of the principal Ordinance.

Repeal of section 24 of the principal Ordinance.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 12



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To Amend the Pensions Ordinance.**

Date of commencement. *[1st November, 1954.]*

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.
Cap. 49.

Replacement of section 16 of the principal Ordinance. **2.** Section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

“Gratuity where an officer dies in the service after retirement.”

16. (1) (a) Where an officer holding a pensionable office who is not on probation or agreement, or an officer holding a non-pensionable office to which he has been transferred from a pensionable office in which he has been confirmed, dies while in the service of the Colony, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to his legal personal representative a gratuity of an amount not exceeding either his annual pensionable emoluments, or his commuted pension gratuity if any, whichever is the greater.

(b) For the purposes of this sub-section —

(i) “annual pensionable emoluments” means the emoluments which would be taken for the purpose of computing any pension or gratuity granted to the officer if he had retired at the date of his death in the circumstances described in paragraph (v) of section 6 of this Ordinance;

(ii) "commuted pension gratuity" means the gratuity, if any, which might have been granted to the officer under Regulation 22 of the Pensions Regulations if his public service had been wholly in the Colony and if he had retired at the date of his death in the circumstances described in paragraph (v) of section 6 of this Ordinance and had elected to receive a gratuity and reduced pension.

(2) Where any such officer to whom a pension, gratuity or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance dies after retirement from the service of the Colony, and the sums paid or payable to him at his death on account of any pension, gratuity or other allowance in respect of any public service are less than the amount of the annual pensionable emoluments enjoyed by him at the date of his retirement, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to his legal personal representative a gratuity equal to the deficiency.

(3) The provisions of this section shall not apply in the case of the death of any officer where benefits corresponding to the benefits which may be granted under this section are payable under the Colonial Superannuation Scheme in respect of such death."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of
November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 13



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To apply certain specified Acts of Parlia-
ment to the Colony.

Date of commencement.

[1st November, 1954]

Enacting clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of
Enactments Ordinance, 1954.

Application of certain
Acts of Parliament.

2. The enactments specified in the Schedule to this Ordin-
ance are applied to the Colony to the extent and with the modifica-
tions mentioned in the Schedule, and with the further modifications
that any reference in any of the said enactments to "the date of the
passing of this Act" or "the commencement of this Act", or any
similar expression, shall be construed as a reference to the date of
this Ordinance, any reference to "the Crown" shall be construed as
a reference to "the Government", any reference to the "High Court"
shall be construed as a reference to the "Supreme Court" and any
reference to the "Attorney General" or "Solicitor General" shall be
construed as a reference to the "Colonial Secretary".

SCHEDULE.

<i>Enactment.</i>	<i>Extent of Application.</i>
1. Licensing Act, 1902, 2 Ed. 7, c. 28.	Sections 1 and 5.
2. Extradition Act, 1906, 6 Ed. 7, c. 15.	The whole Act.
3. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1906, 6 Ed. 7, c. 34.	The whole Act, except Sections 2 (1), 2 (4), 2 (5) and 3. In section 2 (6) "the Supreme Court" is substituted for "Quarter Sessions".
4. Probation of Offenders Act, 1907, 7 Ed. 7, c. 17.	The whole Act, except Sections 8 and 9. For Section 3 there shall be substituted the following :— "Probation officers. 3 (1) There may be appointed as probation officer or officers such person or persons of either sex as the Governor may determine, and a probation officer when acting under a probation order shall be subject to the control of the court by which the order was made. (2) The person named in any probation order may, if the court considers it expedient on account of the place of residence of the offender, or for any other special reason, be a person who has not been appointed to be a probation officer. (3) A probation officer may be paid such salary as the Governor may determine, and, if not so paid by salary, may receive such remuneration for acting under a probation order as the Governor thinks fit, and may, in either case, be allowed by the said court his reasonable out-of-pocket expenses, such salary and expenses to be paid out of the general revenue of the Colony. (4) A person named in a probation order not being a probation officer may be paid such remuneration and out-of-pocket expenses as the Governor may direct. (5) The person named in a probation order may at any time be relieved of his duties, and, in any such case, or in case of the death of the person so named, another person may be substituted by the court by which the order was made. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".
5. Fatal Accidents (Damages) Act, 1908, 8 Ed. 7, c. 7.	The whole Act.
6. Punishment of Incest Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 45.	The whole Act, except Sections 6 and 7.
7. Law of Distress (Am.) Act, 1908. 8 Ed. 7, c. 53.	The whole Act, except Sections 7 and 10.
8. Oaths Act, 1909. 9 Ed. 7, c. 39.	The whole Act, except Section 4.
9. Perjury Act, 1911. 1 & 2 G. 5, c. 6.	The whole Act, except Section 18. References to "England" shall be construed where applicable as references to "the Colony" and "Ordinance" shall be substituted for "Act of Parliament" or "Act". In Section 8 the word "Colony" shall be substituted for the words "United Kingdom" and the words "county or" shall be deleted.
10. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1912. 2 & 3 G. 5, c. 20.	The whole Act, except Sections 3, 4 (2), 4 (3), 5 (4), 6, 7 (3) and 8.
11. Prisoners (Temporary Discharge for Ill-health) Act, 1913. 3 & 4 G. 5, c. 4.	The whole Act, except Section 3. References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to "the Governor".
12. Bankruptcy & Deeds of Arrangement Act, 1913. 3 & 4 G. 5, c. 34.	Section 15.
13. Affiliation Orders Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 6.	The whole Act, except Sections 1 (4), 1 (5), 6 (1), and 8. For Section 1 (1) there shall be substituted :— "The Registrar of the Supreme Court shall carry out the duties of collecting officer under this Ordinance". In Section 6 (2) the "Governor in Council" shall be substituted for the "Lord Chancellor".
14. Deeds of Arrangement Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 47.	The whole Act, except Sections 4, 6 (c), 10, 18, 26 (2), 27, 28, 31 (1), 31 (2), 31 (3), 32 (2), 32 (3). References to "the Registrar of Bills of Sale" and to "the Board of Trade" shall be construed as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court".

*Enactment.**Extent of Application.*

15. Criminal Justice Administration Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 58.
16. Bankruptcy Act, 1914. 4 & 5 G. 5, c. 59.
17. Indictments Act, 1915. 5 & 6 G. 5, c. 90.
18. Evidence (Amendment) Act, 1915. 5 & 6 G. 5, c. 94.
19. Larceny Act, 1916. 6 & 7 G. 5, c. 50.
20. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1916. 6 & 7 G. 5, c. 64.
21. Bills of Exchange (Time of Noting) Act, 1917. 7 & 8 G. 5, c. 48.
22. Animals (Anaesthetics) Act, 1919. 9 & 10 G. 5, c. 54.
23. Married Women (Maintenance) Act, 1920. 10 & 11 G. 5, c. 63.
24. Gaming Act, 1922. 12 & 13 G. 5, c. 19.
25. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1922. 12 & 13 G. 5, c. 56.
26. Bastardy Act, 1923. 13 & 14 G. 5, c. 23.
27. Administration of Estates Act, 1925. 15 G. 5, c. 23.

Sections 28 (2), 28 (3), 38, 39 (1), 40 (1) (a), 40 (1) (c), 41.

References to "the Lord Chancellor" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".

The whole Act, except Sections 12, 33 (1) (d), 33 (1) (e), 70, 71, 75, 89 (1), 89 (6), 90, 91, 96 (2), 96 (3), 96 (4), 96 (5), 97, 99, 100, 102, 103, 107 (1), 107 (2), 107 (3), 108 (2), 108 (3), 121, 122, 123 (1), 136 (second paragraph), 144, 153 (2), 163, 165, and Schedules III and V; "the Colony" shall be substituted for the words "England" (except in Section 140), and "the United Kingdom", and "the Chief Constable" for "Sheriff". References to "the Board of Trade", "the President of the Board of Trade", "the Treasury" and "the Speaker of the House of Commons" shall be construed as references to "the Governor"; references to "the Lord Chancellor" as references to "the Governor in Council"; references to "the House of Commons" or "Parliament" as references to "the Legislative Council"; references to "the London Gazette" as references to "the Gazette"; references to "the Bank of England" as references to "the Treasury of the Colony"; references to "the Postmaster General" as references to "the Superintendent of Posts and Telegraphs"; references to "the Workmen's Compensation Act" as references to "the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance", and the reference to "the National Insurance Act" as a reference to "the Old Age Pensions Ordinance". In Section 7 (1) for the words "an official receiver shall be thereby constituted receiver" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court shall be thereby constituted official receiver".

For Section 89 (2) there shall be substituted the following:-

"Every trustee in bankruptcy shall, in such manner and at such times as the Governor directs, pay the money received by him into the Government Savings Bank to the credit of "the Bankruptcy Estates Account" and the Treasurer shall furnish him with a certificate of receipt of the money so paid".

For Section 98 there shall be substituted the following :-

"A bankruptcy petition shall be presented to the Supreme Court".

In Section 140 the words from "or in the Court of Chancery" to "by the judge of the court" shall be omitted and the word "England" shall be inserted before the word "Scotland".

The whole Act, except Sections 2, 9 (1), 9 (2) and 9 (4).

Sections 5 and 6.

The whole Act, except Sections 38, 40 (5), 48 and the Schedule. "the Colony" is substituted for the word "England" wherever it occurs.

The whole Act.

The whole Act.

The whole Act, except Section 6. "the Governor" is substituted for "the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries".

The whole Act.

The whole Act.

The whole Act, except Sections 4 and 5.

The whole Act, except Sections 1, 3 and 5.

The whole Act, except Sections 4, 10-14, 16, 18-20, 26 (1), 26 (2), 26 (5), 26 (6), 30, 55 (1) (xxv), 58 (2), 58 (3). References to "the Probate Judge" shall be construed as references to "the Judge". The words "the administrator appointed under Section 8 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance (Chapter 1)" shall be substituted for the words "the Administrator under a special administration in Sec-

*Enactment.**Extent of Application.*

28. Guardianship of Infants Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 45.
29. Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 49.
30. Summary Jurisdiction (Separation and Maintenance) Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 51.
31. Criminal Justice Act, 1925.
15 & 16 G. 5, c. 86.
32. Adoption of Children Act, 1926.
16 & 17 G. 5, c. 29.
33. Legitimacy Act, 1926.
16 & 17 G. 5, c. 60.
34. Administration of Justice Act, 1928.
18 & 19 G. 5, c. 26.
35. Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1928.
18 & 19 G. 5, c. 42.
36. Age of Marriage Act, 1929.
19 & 20 G. 5, c. 36.
37. Extradition Act, 1932.
22 & 23 G. 5, c. 39.
38. Children and Young Persons Act,
23 & 24 G. 5, c. 12.
39. Protection of Animals (Cruelty to Dogs) Act, 1933.
23 & 24 G. 5, c. 17.
40. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1933. 23 & 24 G. 5, c. 36.
- tion 18 (2)", and for the words "a special Administrator" in Section 18 (3). There shall be substituted for the definitions of "the Court" [Section 55 (1) (iv)] and "Lunatic" [Section 55 (1) (viii)] the following— "the Court" means "the Supreme Court" and "Lunatic" means a person of unsound mind as defined by the Mental Treatment Ordinance (Chapter 46).
- The whole Act, except Section 10. References to "the Lord Chancellor" shall be construed as references to "the Governor in Council".
- Sections 155, 159-166, 167 (7), 185, 186, 187 and Section 188 except sub-section (4).
- The whole Act. Reference to "the Dangerous Drugs Acts" shall be construed as reference to the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Chapter 18).
- Sections 12 (4) second paragraph, 12 (6), 28, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 47. In Section 37 (2) the words "out of the Public Revenues of the Colony in pursuance of any Ordinance" shall be substituted for the words "out of the Consolidation Fund of the United Kingdom in pursuance of any Act."
- Sections 5 (3), 5 (4) and 10.
- The whole Act, except Sections 2 (2), 6 (2) and 9 (4). References to "England and Wales" or "England or Wales" shall be construed as references to "the Colony".
- Section 16.
- The whole Act.
- The whole Act.
- The whole Act.
- Sections 2, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 34 (1), 34 (4), 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 50, 51, 53, 55 (1), 55 (2), 55 (3), 55 (4), 55 (5) (a), 57, 61 (1) (a) & (b), 62 (1), 62 (3), 64, 66 (1), 66 (2), 69, 70 (1), 71, 72 (1), 72 (2), 72 (4), 72 (5), 75, 85 (1) (b), 85 (3), 86 (1), 86 (2), 87 (1), 87 (3), 87 (4) (a), 87 (5), 88 (1), 88 (2) (a) - (c), 88 (3), 88 (4), 89 (1), 91, 99, 100, 102 (1) (a) - (d), 102 (2), 107, 109 (1) and the First Schedule.
References to the "Secretary of State" shall be construed as references to the "Governor". In Section 55 "the Supreme Court" is substituted for "a court of quarter sessions". In Section 62 the words "by a local authority, constable or authorised person", shall be omitted. In Section 64 the words "shall not be made unless the local authority within whose area he is resident agree" shall be omitted. In Section 85 (1) the words "in any other case," shall be omitted. In Section 85 (3) the words "or with whom he has been boarded out by a local authority" shall be omitted. In Section 86 the words "not being a local authority" shall be omitted. In Section 88 (2) (a) the words "or by section thirty of the Criminal Justice Administration Act, 1914" shall be omitted. In Sections 91 and 102 references to the "quarter sessions" shall be construed as references to "the Supreme Court". In Section 102 (2) the words "fifty-six, ninety," shall be omitted. In Section 107 (1) the interpretations "Intoxicating liquor", "Metropolitan police court area", "Police authority", "Poor law authority" and "Prescribed" shall be omitted. In the First Schedule the words "three, four," and "or twenty-three" shall be omitted.
- The whole Act. In Section 3 the words "the expression 'Dog Licence' means a licence under the Dogs Ordinance (Chapter 21) and the expression 'keep' has the same meaning as in the Dog Licences Act, 1867" shall be substituted for the words "the expression 'Dog Licence' means a licence under the Dog Licences Act, 1867, and the expression 'keep' has the same meaning as in that Act."
- Section 7.

<i>Enactment.</i>	<i>Extent of Application.</i>
41. Arbitration Act, 1934. 24 & 25 G. 5, c. 14.	The whole Act.
42. Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1934. 24 & 25 G. 5, c. 41.	The whole Act, except Sections 1 (7) and 3 (2).
43. Vagrancy Act, 1935. 25 & 26 G. 5, c. 20.	The whole Act, except Section 1 (2).
44. Law Reform (Married Women and Tortfeasors) Act, 1935. 25 & 26 G. 5, c. 30.	The whole Act, except Sections 5 (2) and 7. For the words "the first day of January, nineteen hundred and thirty-six", wherever they occur, there shall be substituted "the date of the commencement of this Ordinance", and for the words "the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and forty-five" there shall be substituted "the day before the date of the commencement of this Ordinance."
45. Coinage Offences Act, 1936. 26 G. 5. & 1 Ed. 8, c. 16.	The whole Act, except Sections 4 (3), 4 (4), 10, 15, 16.
46. Evidence Act, 1938. 1 & 2 G. 6, c. 28.	The whole Act, except Section 5.
47. Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1938. 1 & 2 G. 6, c. 63.	Sections 7, 8, 9, 10 (1). In Section 10 (1) the words "The Governor in Council may make Rules of Court" shall be substituted for the words "Rules of Court shall be made" to "Supreme Court of Judicature (Consolidation) Act, 1925."
48. Limitation Act, 1939. 2 & 3 G. 6, c. 21.	The whole Act, except Sections 14, 30 (3). In Section 31 (3) references to the "Mental Treatment Act, 1930" and "the Mental Deficiency Acts, 1913-1938" shall be construed as references to the "Mental Treatment Ordinance (Chapter 46)".
49. Law Reform (Frustrated Contracts) Act, 1943. 6 & 7 G. 6, c. 40.	The whole Act.
50. Law Reform (Contributory Negligence) Act, 1945. 8 & 9 G. 6, c. 28.	The whole Act, except Sections 2, 5 and 6.
51. Treason Act, 1945. 8 & 9 G. 6, c. 44.	The whole Act.
52. Coinage Act, 1946. 9 & 10 G. 6, c. 74.	The whole Act.
53. Crown Proceedings Act, 1947. 10 & 11 G. 6, c. 44.	The whole Act, except Sections 10, 12, 19, 20, 23 (3), 23 (4), 34, 38 (3), 41 to 53 (both inclusive). References to "the Crown", wherever that expression occurs, except in the expression "prerogative of the Crown", shall be construed as references to the Government; references to "the United Kingdom" as references to "the Colony"; references to "the Exchequer" as references to "the Treasury of the Colony", and references to "the Admiralty" or "a Secretary of State" or "the Treasury" or "a Minister of the Crown" as references to "the Colonial Secretary". In subsection (6) of Section 2 the words "out of the general revenue of the Colony" shall be substituted for the words from "the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom" to "for the purposes of this sub-section". For Section 15 there shall be substituted the following section:— "Arbitration. 15. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act any Civil proceedings by or against the Government, other than proceedings under Section 14, shall at the option of the other party to such proceedings be determined by arbitration, and references to "the Court" shall, in such case, be construed as references to the arbitrators and umpire (if any). (2) The provisions of the Arbitration Acts, 1889 to 1934, shall apply to any such proceedings." In Section 17 "the Government Printer" shall be substituted for "His Majesty's Stationery Office". In Section 18 the words "on the head of that Department" shall be substituted for the words from "on the Solicitor, if any" to the end of the Section. In Section 37 (1) for the words "out of money provided by Parliament" there shall be substituted the words "out of the general revenue of the Colony".
54. Attempted Rape Act, 1948. 11 & 12 G. 6, c. 19.	The whole Act. In Section 1 the words "the Colony" shall be substituted for the words "England or Wales".
55. Law Reform (Personal Injuries) Act, 1948. 11 & 12 G. 6, c. 41.	The whole Act, except Sections 2 (4), 2 (6) (a), 2 (6) (b), 5, 6 (2).

Enactment.

56. Criminal Justice Act, 1948.
11 & 12 G. 6, c. 58.
57. Marriage Act, 1949.
12 & 13 G. 6, c. 76.
58. Married Women (Maintenance) Act,
1949. 12 & 13 G. 6, c. 99.
59. Law Reform (Miscellaneous
Provisions) Act, 1949.
12 & 13 G. 6, c. 100.
60. Adoption of Children Act, 1950.
14 G. 6, c. 26.
61. Criminal Law (Amendment) Act,
1951. 14 & 15 G. 6, c. 36.
62. Guardianship and Maintenance of
Infants Act, 1951.
14 & 15 G. 6 c. 56.
63. Magistrates' Courts Act, 1952.
15 & 16 G. 6, & 1 E. 2, c. 55.

Extent of Application.

Sections 1, 3-8, 11 [except the words following "good Behaviour of the offender" in subsection (1)], 12, 13, 14 (1), 14 (2) (b), 14 (3), 14 (4), 14 (5), 15 (4), 15 (5), 15 (6), 16, 17 (2), 19, 37 (1) (c), 37 (6), 39 (1), 39 (3), 39 (5), 41 (1), 41 (3), 41 (4), 41 (5), 43, 44 (1), 44 (4), 44 (7), 69, 79, 80.

References to "Great Britain" shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "Court of Assize", "Court of Quarter Sessions" and "Central Criminal Court" as references to the "Supreme Court"; references to "the clerk of assize" as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court", and references to the Lunacy and Mental Treatment Act, the Lunacy Act, and the Mental Deficiency Act as references to the Mental Treatment Ordinance.

References to "the Secretary of State" shall be construed as reference to "the Governor". In subsection (2) of Section 3 there shall be substituted for the words from "A probation order" to the words "and the offender shall" the words "A probationer shall", and the words following the words "a probation officer" shall be omitted.

Sections 1 & 2, Schedule 1.

The whole Act.

Sections 1, 4-7, 9. References to "England" shall be construed as references to "the Colony".

The whole Act, except in Section 4 (2) the words in parenthesis; and Sections 4 (4), 9, 15, 19, 20 and Parts II and III. References to "England" or "the United Kingdom" shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "the Lord Chancellor" as reference to "the Governor in Council"; and the references to the Births and Deaths Registration Acts as a reference to the Registration Ordinance. In Section 2 (6) (b) the words "the Chief Constable" shall be substituted for the words from "the welfare authority" to "resident". In Section 8 (i) the words "the County Court" shall be omitted. For Section 40 (6) there shall be substituted the following subsection :-

"(6) For the purposes of this section the licensing authority shall be the Magistrate".

The whole Act, except Sections 2 (2) and 2 (3).

Section 2.

The whole Act except Sections 1 (2), 2 (2), 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19 (7) (b), 20 (5), 26 (2), 26 (6), 28, 44, 51 (2), 72, 84 (5), 98 (1), 98 (3), 98 (5), 103, 107 (2), 107 (4), 107 (5), 107 (6), 112, 113, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 123, 129, Fourth Schedule. The words "for any county or borough", in the expression "justice of the peace for any county or borough" or "Magistrates' court for a county or borough", and similar expressions shall be omitted wherever they occur. References to "England", or "England or Wales", or "the United Kingdom", shall be construed as references to "the Colony"; references to "Quarter Sessions" as references to "the Supreme Court", references to "the clerk of the peace" as references to "the Registrar of the Supreme Court", and references to "the Secretary of State" as references to "the Governor".

In subsection (1) of Section 1 after the words "committed an offence" there shall be added the words "within the Colony", and the words "in any of the events mentioned in subsection (2) of this section" shall be omitted. In subsection (4) of Section 1 for the words "by virtue of paragraph (c) of subsection (2) of this section" there shall be substituted the words "if the person charged resides or is, or is believed to reside or be, within the Colony".

In subsection (1) of Section 2 for the words "within the county or borough" there shall be substituted the words "within the Colony". In subsection (3) of Section 2 the words following the words "is brought before the court" shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 5 the words "of assize or quarter sessions" shall be omitted.

*Enactment.**Extent of Application.*

In subsection (1) of Section 7 after the words "commit him for trial" there shall be added the words "before the Supreme Court".

In subsection (3) of Section 18 the proviso shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 38 and in subsection (1) of Section 40 for the words "a police officer not below the rank of inspector" there shall be substituted the words "the Chief Constable".

In subsection (2) of Section 38 the words following the words "a magistrates' court" shall be omitted.

In Section 43 the words "acting for any petty sessions area" and "acting for that area" shall be omitted.

In paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of Section 50 a semi-colon shall be substituted for the full-stop and the following words shall be added - "or (c) a sum recoverable under the civil jurisdiction of the court under the provisions of the Administration of Justice Ordinance as amended by the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953".

In subsection (3) of Section 51 the words "acting for the same petty sessions area" shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 52 for the words from "the clerk of the court" to the end of the subsection there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court."

In subsections (1) and (3) of Section 54 after the words "eighteen hundred and seventy-nine," there shall be added the words "or under the Administration of Justice Ordinance as amended by the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953."

In subsection (1) of Section 64 after the words "conviction or order of a magistrates' court" there shall be inserted the words "other than an order made in exercise of its civil jurisdiction under the Administration of Justice Ordinance as amended by the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953."

In subsection (3) of Section 74 the words "acting for the petty sessions area for which the court acts" shall be omitted.

In Section 79 the words from "then (a) if the person" to "(b) in any other case" and the words "clerk or other" shall be omitted.

In subsections (1) and (4) of Section 84 and subsection (1) of Section 85 for the words "the clerk of the magistrates' court" and "the clerk of the court against whose decision the appeal is to be brought" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court".

In subsection (2) of Section 89 the words "twenty-eight or" shall be omitted.

In subsection (1) of Section 92 the words from "if the complainant alleges" to "entered into before a magistrates' court for that county or borough" shall be omitted.

In subsection (2) of Section 102 the words "acting within his police area" shall be omitted.

In subsection (5) of Section 109 for the words "moneys provided by Parliament" there shall be substituted the words "the general revenue of the Colony".

In subsection (1) of Section 114 for the words "A clerk of a magistrates' court" there shall be substituted the words "the Registrar of the Supreme Court" and for paragraph (f) of the said subsection there shall be substituted "(f) the balance to the general revenue of the Colony".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 14



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance.

Title.

[1st January, 1955]

Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows:—

Enacting clause.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Income Tax Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Short title and commencement.

Cap. 32.

(2) The amendments made by this Ordinance shall come into operation with the year of assessment commencing on the 1st day of January, 1955.

2. Subsection (1) of section 14 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows:—

Amendment of section 14 of the principal Ordinance.

(a) by the deletion of the words "one-tenth" and the substitution therefor of the words "one fifth";

(b) by the deletion of the figure "£100" and the substitution therefor of the figure "£400".

3. Subsection (1) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the figures and words "£40 in respect of the first child and £25 in respect of each subsequent child" and the substitution therefor of the figure and words "£70 in respect of each such child".

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of
November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 15



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

Further to amend the Interpretation
and General Law Ordinance.

Date of commencement.

[1st November, 1954]

Enacting clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Interpretation and
General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as
one with the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance hereinafter
referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 33.

Amendment of
section 2 of the
principal Ordinance.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the
addition of the following new subsection :—

“(7) Whenever an offence against any Ordinance or Act
is under the provisions thereof made punishable by imprison-
ment not exceeding one year (with or without a fine) a person
charged with such offence shall be tried by a court of summary
jurisdiction :

Provided that if the court consists of one justice sitting
alone no greater sentence may be imposed than is permitted
by the Administration of Justice Ordinance in such circum-
stances.”

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me
with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found
by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]



No. 16

1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Savings Bank Ordinance.

[1st November, 1954]

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Savings Bank (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Savings Bank Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

2. Section 9 of the principal Ordinance is amended by repealing and replacing subsection (3) thereof as follows:—

“(3) Interest on deposits shall, subject to the provision of subsection (2) of this section, be calculated to the thirty-first day of March, 1955, and thereafter to the thirtieth day of June in every year commencing with the year 1956, and shall then be added to and become part of any principal money remaining on deposit.”

3. Section 12 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows:—

“12. Annual accounts of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Savings Bank and of deposits received and repaid and interest credited during the fifteen months ended on the thirty-first day of March 1955, the fifteen months ended on the thirtieth day of June, 1956, and thereafter during the year ended on the thirtieth day of June together with a statement of the assets and liabilities of the Savings Bank, shall after being audited and certified by the Local Auditor, be laid by the Treasurer before the Legislative Council not later than the thirty-first day of March ensuing in every year and shall as soon as practicable thereafter be published in the Gazette and submitted to the Secretary of State.”

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title.

Cap. 61.

Amendment of section 9 of the principal Ordinance.

Replacement of section 12 of the principal Ordinance.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 17



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To amend the Administration of Justice Ordinance.**

Date of commencement. **[1st November, 1954]**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Administration of Justice Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 3.

Repeal and replacement of section 5 of the principal Ordinance. **2.** Section 5 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

“Jurisdiction of Court when no magistrate present. **5.** (1) The jurisdiction of the Court when one justice is sitting alone shall be :—

(a) One justice. (a) to hear and determine civil cases where the amount claimed does not exceed £25, or, in the case of a claim for the recovery of possession of land, the annual rent or value thereof does not exceed £25; and

(b) to hear, try and determine criminal cases which may be dealt with summarily except cases which may only be dealt with summarily with the consent of the accused :

Provided that the Court may not impose a fine greater than £5 or imprisonment exceeding one month.

(b) Two or more justices. (2) The jurisdiction of a Court consisting of two or more justices (each of whom must be present during the whole hearing and determination) shall be the same as that conferred upon a magistrate by section 4 of this Ordinance, but subject to the same limitation with respect to punishment as is contained therein.”

3. Section 48 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows :—

Amendment of section 48 of the principal Ordinance.

- (a) by the insertion of the word and figure "and 5" immediately after the figures "4 (3)" in subsection (1);
- (b) by the insertion of the words "or a justice" immediately after the word "magistrate" where the word occurs in subsections (1) and (2).

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Ref. 0831.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of November, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 18



1954.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Currency Notes Ordinance.

Title.

[1st April, 1955]

Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :—

Enacting clause.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Currency Notes (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Currency Notes Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Short title and commencement.

Cap. 15.

(2) This Ordinance shall come into operation on the 1st day of April, 1955.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the substitution of a semi-colon for the full-stop at the end of the definition "Crown Agents" and by the addition thereto of the following new definition :—

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

" "year" means the financial year of the Colony."

3. Section 7 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :—

“Note Security
Fund and Income
Account.

7. (1) There shall be established a fund to be called “The Note Security Fund” (hereinafter referred to as the Fund) and there shall be paid into the Fund the equivalent value in sterling of all currency notes issued otherwise than in exchange for currency notes already issued.

(2) There shall be charged upon the Fund the sterling payments made by the Commissioner in respect of notes lodged with him under the provisions of section 6 of this Ordinance.

(3) The Fund shall be held by the Crown Agents and may be invested in securities of, or guaranteed by, the Government of any part of the Commonwealth (except the Government of the Colony) or such other securities as the said Crown Agents, subject to the direction of a Secretary of State, may in their discretion select :

Provided that the Governor may issue directions to the Crown Agents, as to the amount of the Fund to be held in liquid form.

(4) All dividends, interest or other revenue derived from such investments or from the employment in any other manner of the moneys of the Fund and all commissions paid to the Commissioner as provided in section 6 of this Ordinance shall be paid into an account to be called “The Currency Note Income Account”.

(5) There shall be charged upon the said Currency Note Income Account, —

- (a) all the expenses incurred by the Commissioner and by the Crown Agents in the preparation, transport and issue of the currency notes and the transactions of business relating thereto; and
- (b) a sum equal to 1 per centum of the Fund, that is to say, the amount made up of the liquid moneys of the Fund together with the estimated market value of the investments in the Fund on the last day of each year, which shall be paid annually into the Fund :

Provided that the Governor, may, with the approval of a Secretary of State, direct that any expenditure of an exceptional nature may be charged upon the Fund and not upon the Currency Note Income Account.

(6) If on the last day in any year there is a surplus in the Currency Note Income Account it shall be transferred to the general revenues of the Colony and any deficiency in the said account on that day shall be met from moneys to be appropriated out of the said revenues :

Provided that —

- (a) if on the last day in any year the face value of the currency notes in circulation, other than notes which have been demonetised, exceeds the amount of

the Fund calculated in the manner provided in paragraph (b) of subsection (5) of this section, there shall be charged against the Currency Note Income Account such sum as shall be required for the purpose of making up the moneys of the Fund as aforesaid to an amount equal to the face value of the currency notes in circulation, other than notes which have been demonetised, which sum shall be paid into the Fund ;

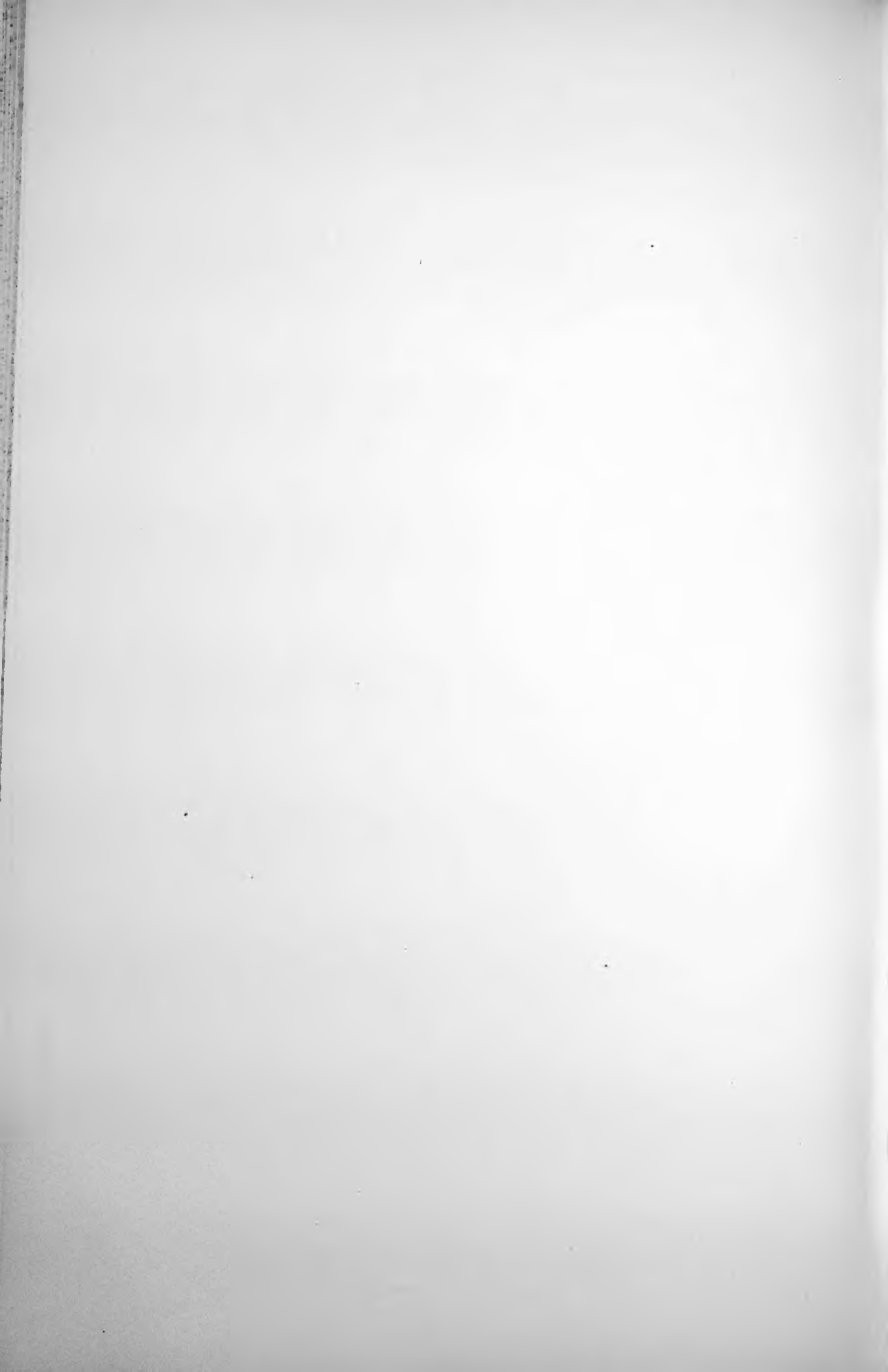
- (b) if on the last day in any year the Fund so calculated exceeds 110 per centum of the face value of the currency notes in circulation, other than notes which have been demonetised, the Governor may, with the sanction of a Secretary of State, direct that the whole or part of the excess over 110 per centum shall be transferred from the Fund to the general revenues of the Colony.

(7) The liquid portion of the Fund may be held in cash or on deposit at the Bank of England or in Treasury Bills or may be lent out at call, or for short terms in such ways or invested in such readily realisable securities as may be approved by a Secretary of State."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

W. HIRTLE,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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PROMOTION.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Brown, N. R.	F.I.D.S.	1st Officer, R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	1.7.54	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Atkins, Miss A.	Customs	Clerk	11.11.52	—

TRANSFERS.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Shorey, Bernard	Messenger, Secretariat	File Clerk, Secretariat	1.12.54	—
Smith, Eric	Messenger, Posts & Tels.	Messenger, Secretariat	1.12.54	Temporary.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Oliver, J. P.	Agricultural	Agricultural Officer	17.5.54 to 8.10.54	Both dates inclusive.
Hillenbrand, Dr. F. K. M.	Medical	Medical Officer	22.6.54 to 23.11.54	On completion of contract.
Richter, Dr. P. K. E.	"	Medical Officer (Tuberculosis Survey)	20.11.54 56 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 53. 8th November, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 4 of 14th January, 1954, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

B. Registered to practise in the Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Pallesen-Mustikay. Berger Magnus	M.D. (Oslo)	1920. Ref. 1326.

No. 54. 15th November, 1954.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies

to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies :—

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1954	Application of Colony Laws, 1954.	0188

No. 55. 22nd November, 1954.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following Efficiency Medal awards to Members of the Falkland Islands Defence Force up to and including the 31st December, 1954.

Member who has qualified for 1st Clasp to Medal.

PTE. JONES, I. H.

Members who have qualified for Medal.

L/CPL. SUMMERS, KEITH

PTE. FORD H.

Ref. 189/42.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 5th day of October, 1954, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above

recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 5th day of October, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

NOTIFICATION.

COLIN CAMPBELL,
Governor's Deputy.

In virtue of the powers in him vested by Section 2 (1) (a) of the Pensions Ordinance, and otherwise, His Excellency, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, is pleased hereby to publish a revised list of pensionable offices in the Public Service of the Colony and Dependencies:—

COLONY					<i>Office</i>
<i>Department</i>					
THE GOVERNOR	...	...	...	...	Orderly and Caretaker.
AGRICULTURAL	...	...	...	...	Agricultural Officer.
AUDIT	...	...	...	...	Local Auditor.
CUSTOMS	...	...	...	...	Collector of Customs.
EDUCATION	...	...	...	...	Superintendent of Education. Assistant Masters. Assistant Teachers, (male).
HARBOUR AND AVIATION	...	...	...	...	Harbour Master & Director of Civil Aviation.
(i) HARBOUR					Coxswain "Alert". Master m.v. "Philomel". Mate m.v. "Philomel". Engineer m.v. "Philomel".
(ii) AVIATION	...	...	...	...	Pilot. Engineer. 2nd Engineer.
MEDICAL	...	...	...	...	Senior Medical Officer. Medical Officers. Dental Surgeons. Dental Mechanic.
MILITARY	...	...	...	...	Armourer.
POLICE AND PRISONS	...	...	...	...	Chief Constable. Police Sergeant. Police Constables.
POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS	...	...	...	...	Superintendent.
(i) POSTS	...	...	...	...	Postmaster.
(ii) TELEGRAPHS	...	...	...	...	Wireless Operators Grades I - II. Electricians Grade II. R/T Operator (male).
PUBLIC WORKS	...	...	...	...	Superintendent of Works.
(i) PUBLIC WORKS	...	...	...	...	Storekeeper. Mechanic. Foreman Carpenter. Carpenters. Masons. Plumber. Blacksmith. Yard Foreman and Water Bailiff. Peat Officer. Motor Drivers.

<i>Department</i>				<i>Office</i>
(ii) ELECTRICAL	...	...	...	Superintendent, Power Station. Assistant Superintendent. Electricians Grades I - II. Enginemen Grades II - III.
SECRETARIAT AND TREASURY	...	...	...	Colonial Secretary. Treasurer. Assistant Colonial Secretary. Assistant Treasurer. Head Printer. Assistant Printers.
SUPREME COURT	...	...	...	Registrar.
ALL DEPARTMENTS	...	...	...	Clerks Grades I - IV (male).

DEPENDENCIES.

GENERAL	...	...	...	Administrative Officer. Meteorological Forecaster.
F.I.D.S. H.Q. ADMINISTRATION	...	...	...	Secretary. Assistant Secretary. Storekeeper (male).
F.I.D.S. H.Q. METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE	...	...	...	W/T Operators / Meteorological Assistants.
"JOHN BISCOE"	...	...	...	1st Officer, R.R.S. "John Biscoe".

Government House,

Stanley, Falkland Islands,

17th November, 1954.

Medical Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
15th April, 1954.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit, for the information of His Excellency the Governor, and for transmission to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Annual Medical and Sanitary Report for the year 1953.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. STEWART SLESSOR,
Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

ANNUAL MEDICAL AND SANITARY REPORT

FOR THE

YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1953.

I. ADMINISTRATION.

A. Staff.

<i>Office</i>	<i>Establishment</i>	<i>Occupant(s)</i>	<i>Dates</i>
Senior Medical Officer	1	R. S. Slessor, M.B., Ch.B.	Whole year.
Medical Officers		A. Szeley, M.D., D.Dent. F. K. M. Hillenbrand, M.D.	Whole year. Whole year.
Tuberculosis Officer	1	P. K. E. Richter, M.D.	From 21.9.53.
Nurse Matron	1	Miss R. Strong, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year.
Nursing Sisters	3	Miss G. Johnston, S.R.N., S.C.M. Mrs. R. Fleuret Miss H. Lippold	Whole year. Whole year. Whole year.
District Nurse	1	Mrs. M. E. Watson, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year.
Staff Nurses	6	Miss J. Shackel Miss H. Harries	From 1.8.53. ,, 15.8.53.
Clerk	1	T. I. Biggs	Whole year.
Caretaker	1	B. Biggs G. Harrison	Till 23.7.53. From 24.7.53.

The domestic staff of the hospital consists of a cook, four maids and a laundry-maid, all employed on a monthly basis.

DENTAL STAFF.

Office	Establishment	Occupant(s)	Dates
Colonial Dentist	1	E. Latermann (Hamburg)	Whole year.
Camp Dentist	1	H. Reichert (Kiel)	On leave from 21.11.53.
Dental Mechanic	1	W. Hasenholler (Hamburg)	Whole year.
Dental Apprentice	1	N. Bennett	Whole year.
Sanitary Inspector.	Mr. J. Ikkint, Chief Constable, was Sanitary Inspector for Port Stanley throughout the year.		

STAFF CHANGES.

The Camp dentist completed his tour in November, and went on leave. His successor had not arrived in the Colony by the end of the year.

Dr. Richter, Tuberculosis Officer, arrived in the Colony in September. He will be engaged in a T. B. Survey of the Falklands during the greater part of his tour.

Only two nurses were recruited locally during the year. There is so little interest taken in nursing that it has been decided to employ two State Enrolled Assistant nurses from the United Kingdom.

II. STATISTICAL RETURNS.

(A) FINANCIAL.

Total Government Ordinary Expenditure 1953/54 (Estimated) ... £157,691.

Expenditure on Medical Services in year 1953/54

(a) Personal Emoluments (Estimated) ... £ 8,674

(b) Other Charges (Estimated) ... £ 8,928

Total £17,602

Percentage of total expenditure 11.16%

Revenue	1948	1949	1950	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54
Medical	2364	3272	2915	3558	2143	2296
Dental	820	608	428	173	766	2303
	<u>£3184</u>	<u>£3880</u>	<u>£3343</u>	<u>£3731</u>	<u>£2909</u>	<u>£4599</u>

(B) VITAL STATISTICS.

				Rate per 1000.
Population (estimated on 31.12.53)	...	...	2,220	
Births (live)	...	...	46	20.72
Deaths	...	...	27	12.16
Maternal deaths	...	...	0	
Neo-natal deaths	...	...	3	

III. PUBLIC HEALTH.

The General health of the Community was good, but the incidence of minor ailments, such as colds and gastro-enteritis, remained relatively high. Cases of German Measles occurred till the end of May, and an outbreak of Chickenpox occurred in June, with cases appearing till the end of September.

There was one death from Pulmonary Tuberculosis, as compared with an average of almost four annually for the past fifteen years. The T. B. survey, started by Dr. Richter in October, has shown that the incidence of tuberculosis is higher than the previously-known cases had indicated.

The T.B. survey of the Colony is being greatly helped by the interest the Public are taking in it, and by their willingness to come forward for examination.

IV. HYGIENE AND SANITATION.

1. **SEWAGE DISPOSAL.** Two men are employed by the Town Council on night soil collection. There are now only 60 houses in Stanley in which a flush closet has not been installed.

2. **WATER SUPPLY.** The water supply is inadequate for all the needs of the town. The reservoirs are not large enough to meet the demands in periods of drought, and considerable difficulty is found in maintaining a workable level in the storage tanks when the usual sources of water have dried up.

Owing to lack of labour, it has not been possible to start work on the new water supply, recommended by Major Pape.

The following data have been supplied by the Town Clerk :

	1952	1953
Average daily water consumption	30,000 gals.	30,000 gals.
Total number of houses in Stanley	340	342
Properties connected to main water supply ...	311	315
Water connected to the mains	1	4
Reservoir Storage	481,000 gals.	481,000 gals.
Hydrants on Water main	38	38
Connections to main sewer	269	282
Water closets installed	4	13

3. **DAIRIES.** There are three licensed dairies in Stanley, which are inspected by the Agricultural Officer. The dairy herds are also examined by him, and all cattle are Tuberculin-tested. There were no reactors in 1953.

4. **SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.** There are two slaughter-houses in Stanley, which are inspected by the Sanitary Inspector regularly.

5. **HOUSING.** The housing shortage in Stanley is still acute. Two houses were completed and occupied during the year.

6. **RATS.** Regular and methodical laying of poison in the rubbish dumps keeps the rat population down, and there is little trouble from rats in the town.

V. SCHOOL INSPECTION.

All school children in Stanley were examined medically during the year. The standard of health of the children is considered good. Free milk is given to a few children at school who are considered to need extra nourishment.

VI. PORT HEALTH.

The health of the port has been good throughout the year. All ships arriving from South America are visited by the S.M.O. on their entering port.

VII. MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE.

The attendance at the Pre-natal and Child Welfare Clinics, which are held at the Hospital weekly, is very good. Expectant mothers in the Camp are seen by the M.O. on his rounds, and are encouraged to have their confinements in the hospital in Stanley. Free transport to and from Stanley is provided for them.

VIII. K. E. M. HOSPITAL.

The extension to the hospital, known as the Churchill Wing, was formally opened by His Excellency the Governor on the 23rd May, 1953. The new wing is a most welcome addition to the hospital. The wards are bright and cheery and the theatre, X-Ray department and the Dental surgery are fully equipped with modern appliances and instruments. It is safe

to say, I think, that no small community anywhere could have better hospital facilities than those to be found here.

Once the patients had been transferred from the old to the Churchill Wing, work was started on converting the old part of the building to make it suitable for the treatment of T.B. patients. This work is still continuing.

IX. MEDICAL SERVICES IN THE CAMP.

Dr. Szeley has been stationed at Fox Bay, in the West Falkland, throughout the year. The Falkland Islands Company has its own doctor stationed at Darwin.

X. PRISONS AND ASYLUMS.

The gaol in Stanley is the only one in the Falklands. The building is old, and badly in need of alteration and repair. A new roof was put on early in the year.

There is no asylum in the Colony. Cases requiring institutional care and treatment are accommodated in the United Kingdom. No cases were certified during the year.

XI. METEOROLOGICAL.

The weather of the Falklands is colder than in the corresponding latitude in England, and much more windy. The weather of 1953 was better than average.

The following data have been supplied by the Chief Meteorological Officer :-

Total annual rainfall	...	...	25.63 inches
Average daily sunshine	...	...	4.51 hours
Maximum temperature	...	...	77°F.
Minimum	..	...	23°F.
Mean relative humidity	...	...	85%
Mean wind speed	...	...	15.1 knots
Number of periods of calm	...	...	4 per month.

XII. DEPENDENCIES.

Each Whaling Station at South Georgia has its own medical organisation, and no medical returns are received from them.

A dental surgeon has been appointed by the Falkland Islands Government to work in South Georgia and he is expected to arrive in the Island early in January, 1954.

Four medical practitioners were registered to practise in the Dependencies in 1953. One medical practitioner was registered to practise in the Falkland Islands and Dependencies. Dr. Marsh, a member of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey, was stationed at Hope Bay during the year.

TABLE I.
RETURN OF DISEASES AND DEATHS,
KING EDWARD VII MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 1953

Disease.	In-Patients.		
	Remaining in hospital on 1.1.53.	Total Admissions.	Deaths.
002 Pulmonary tuberculosis	2	1	1
011 Tuberculous peritonitis		1	
021.0 Primary syphilis		1	
055 Diphtheria		1	
154 Carcinoma rectum		1	
170 Carcinoma breast		1	
214 Uterine fibroids		1	
231 Mediastinal tumour NOS		1	
351 Congenital paralysis	1		
420.1 Coronary thrombosis		1	1
460 Varicose veins		3	
490 Pneumonia (lobar)		2	
502.1 Chronic bronchitis		1	
510 Hypertrophied tonsils		1	
519.0 Pleurisy		1	
519.2 Pleural effusion		1	
540.1 Perforated gastric ulcer		1	1
543 Gastritis		1	
550 Appendicitis		9	
550.1 Appendix abscess		1	
560.0 Inguinal hernia	1	6	
614 Epididymitis		1	
631 Prolapse of uterus		2	
633 Hyperplastic endometritis		2	
648.3 False Labour		1	
650 Incomplete abortion		1	
660.0 Spontaneous delivery	1	32	
660.2 Low forceps delivery		5	
676 Spontaneous delivery with slight laceration		8	
690.8 Furunculosis		1	
703.7 Dermatitis NOS		1	
704.1 Pemphigus		1	
754.4 Congenital heart failure		1	1
762 Asphyxia livida (Atelectasis pulmone)		1	1
776 Immaturity		1	1
789.4 Haematuria		1	
N816 Fracture terminal phalanx finger		1	
N817 Fracture metacarpal		1	
N819 Fracture humerus		1	
N823 Fracture rib		1	
N824 Fracture fibula		1	
<i>Carried forward</i>	5	100	6

Disease.	In-Patients.		
	Remaining in Hospital on 1.1.53	Total Admissions	Deaths.
<i>Brought forward</i>	5	100	6
N828 Fracture patella		1	
N866 Ruptured kidney		1	
N867 Ruptured urethra		1	
N873 Broken teeth		1	
<i>Total</i>	5	104	6

TABLE 11.

RETURN OF CASES SEEN IN THE OUT-PATIENTS' DEPARTMENT
AND ON THE DISTRICT, 1953.

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
002 Pulmonary Tuberculosis	20	1	1	5	
003.1 Pleurisy exudative	1				
012.3 Tuberculous humerus				1	
013.3 Tuberculous ankle				1	
014.3 Tuberculid lichenoid	1				
018.2 Tuberculous abscess	2	1			
021.0 Primary syphilis	4				
030 Gonorrhoea	4				
055 Diphtheria	1			1	
064.4 Erysipeloid	1	2			
086 Rubella	24	5	28		
087.1 Varicella	14		35		
088 Herpes Zoster	6		2		
096.0 Herpes simplex	1				
096.9 Blenorrhoea	1				
122.2 Trichomoniasis of bladder	1				
130.1 Oxyuriasis	14				
131 Ringworm	3				
131 Athlete's foot	4				
134.3 Thrush	5				
151 Carcinoma of stomach			1	2	2
180 Carcinoma of kidney			1		
241 Bronchial asthma	1	2		14	
242 Angioneurotic oedema	1				
243 Urticaria NEC	6		2		
252.0 Thyrotoxicosis	2				
253 Cretinism				1	
253 Myxoedema				1	
<i>Carried forward</i>	117	11	70	26	2

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	117	11	70	26	2
260 Diabetes Mellitus		3		2	1
277 Cushing's syndrome		1			
283 Rickets, infantile	3				
286.5 Underweight (malnutrition)	3				
287 Obesity	3	3			
288 Gout	2		1	2	
291 Anaemia, hypochromic	5	2			
310 Anxiety neurosis	2				
311 Hysteria			4	1	
312 Phobic reaction (V.D. phobia)	1				
314 Psychoneurosis, depressive				1	
315.0 Neurosis, cardiac	1				
318.3 Neurasthenia	1		2		
318.5 Neurosis NOS	5	3			
322 Alcoholism			2		
325.4 Mongolism	1				
326.3 Shell-shock	1				
331 Cerebral haemorrhage			2		2
345 Disseminated sclerosis			2		1
353.1 Epilepsy			1	2	
354 Migraine	2			1	
363 Sciatica	1	1	4		
364 Polyneuritis	2				
366 Neuralgia, neuritis	5	2	4	3	
367 Vagotonia	10	6			
370 Conjunctivitis	17				
372 Sty	5				
372 Infected meibomian cyst	1		1		
374 Corneal herpes	1				
374 Keratitis	2				
378 Dacryocystitis	2				
380 Refractions	86				
390 Otitis externa	3				
394 Otitis interna	17				
396 Impacted cerumen	7				
396 Eustachian catarrh	5				
396 Otosclerosis	1				
420.1 Coronary thrombosis			3		3
420.2 Pseudo-angina pectoris	1				
422 Myocardial degeneration	2				
422.1 Myocardial degeneration with arterio-sclerosis			2	2	4
422.2 Senile myocarditis			2		2
442 Cardio-renal hypertension	1				
444 Hypertension	4	5	2	2	
450.0 Arterio-sclerosis			1		
450.1 Endarteritis obliterans	1				
451 Aortic aneurism	1				
<i>Carried forward</i>	322	37	103	42	15

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	322	37	103	42	15
453.2 Intermittent claudication	1				
453.2 Chilblains	5				
460 Varicose veins and ulcers	9	3	2	2	
461 Haemorrhoids	4	1	1		
463 Phlebitis			1		
468.2 Lymphadenitis	2				
470 Common cold	34		50		
471 Sinusitis, acute	4				
472 Pharyngitis, acute	24				
473 Tonsillitis acute	10		10		
474 Laryngitis	2				
481 Influenzal cold	12				
490 Pneumonia			3		
500 Bronchitis acute	6		4		
502.1 Bronchitis chronic	1	4	2	9	
510 Hypertrophy tonsils	1	2			
511 Peri-tonsillar abscess	2				
519 Pleurisy, dry			4		
530.2 Gum-boil	1		1		
533.1 Teething			3		
535 Bleeding socket			1		
536 Aphthous stomatitis	6				
540.0 Gastric ulcer			2	2	
543 Catarrhal dyspepsia	17		4		
543 Chronic gastritis				1	
550 Appendicitis			1		
560 Inguinal hernia				2	
561.2 Hernia, umbilical	2				
570.5 Intestinal obstruction			1		1
571.1 Gastro-enteritis	29		35		
573.0 Constipation	3		9		
585 Cholecystitis	3				
600.0 Pyelitis	4		3		
604 Calculus, vesical	1				
605 Cystitis	1		1		
607 Urethritis NOS	1				
614 Epididymitis	2				
615 Phimosis			1		
617 Balanitis	1				
621.0 Mastitis	2				
622 Salpingitis			1		
630.2 Trichomoniasis	1				
630.2 Vulvovaginitis	1	1			
631 Cystocoele and rectocoele		5	1		
634 Dysmenorrhoea	6	2			
634 Menorrhagia	4		3		
635 Menopausal symptoms	6	3		2	
650 Abortion, complete			1		
<i>Carried forward</i>	530	58	248	60	16

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	530	58	248	60	16
678 Post-partum sub-involution ...			2		
689 Breast abscess			1		
690.8 Boil	26		1		
691 Paronychia	4				
691 Septic finger	5				
691 Septic toe	2				
692.1 Abscess abdominal wall			1		
692.3 Septic hand	16		1		
692.5 Septic foot	1				
692.6 Abscess NOS	11				
693.6 Lymphangitis NOS	2				
695 Impetigo contagioso	3		4		
696 Warts	3				
697 Molluscum contagiosum	1				
698 Pyoderma	2				
701 Eczema	14	2			
703.6 Napkin rash	1		2		
703.7 Dermatitis NOS	16	2	3		
704.1 Pemphigus vulgaris	3				
705.2 Erythema nodosum	1	2			
705.4 Lupus erythematosus	1				
706.0 Psoriasis	1	2			
707 Lichen planus	1				
709 Corn	2				
712 In-growing toe-nail	3				
713 Alopecia	3				
714.1 Acne	5				
714.2 Sebaceous cyst	6				
722 Rheumatoid arthritis	3	3		4	
723 Arthritis deformans	1	3		1	
726.0 Lumbago	8		13	1	
726.3 Fibrositis			1		
727 Chronic rheumatism	6	31	1	4	
730.1 Osteomyelitis		1			
733 Epicondylitis	1				
734 I.D.K.			1		
741 Ganglion	4				
741 Tenosynovitis	6		2		
741 Bursitis	11				
744.2 Dupuytren's contracture	1		1		
746 Pes planus	3				
749 Hammer toe	1				
753.0 Congenital cataract	1				
772 Feeding problem			4		
773 Bednar's aphthae	2				
773.0 Umbilical granuloma	2				
776 Prematurity	1				
<i>Carried forward</i>	714	104	286	70	16

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	714	104	286	70	16
781 Scotoma	1				
782.4 Tachycardia	3				
782.4 Myocardial failure NOS			2		2
782.5 Vaso-vagal attack			1		
783 Epistaxis	1		1		
783.7 Pleurodynia	5				
784 Anorexia	2				
789.4 Haematuria	2		2		
791 Headache	1				
794 Senility			3	1	1
N813 Fracture radius			1		
N823 Fracture rib					
N829 Fracture NOS	21	6	1		
N831 Dislocation of shoulder	1				
N848 Sprain, strain NOS	42		2		
N852 Concussion			3		
N916 Injury to knee			1		
N918 Abrasions	8				
N921 Injury to eye			1		
N929 Contusions, NOS	22				
N930 Foreign body in eye	9				
N949 Burns; scalds NOS	13				
N969 Poisoning from Methyl Chloride	1				
N981.4 Sunburn	2				
N990 Drowning			1		1
N991 Asphyxia by constriction (clothing caught in winch)			1		1
N996.7 Injury to foot			1		
N996.7 Injury to toe			1		
	848	110	308	71	21
Special conditions and examinations without sickness					
Y00.0 Medical examinations	116				
Y00.0 Gynaecological examination	58				
Y00.0 Serological examination (Kahn)	101				
Y00.0 Electrocardiography	48				
Y00.3 Laboratory examinations					
E.S.R.	91				
Haemogram	27				
Sputum	52				
Bacteriological culture	26				
Y00.5 Well baby and child care	52				
Y06 Pre-natal care	27				
Y40 Vaccination against Smallpox	141				
Y41 Inoculation against Diphtheria	66				
<i>Totals</i>	1457	110	308	71	21

Total number of visits made to Out-patient Department ... 3558

Total number of visits made on the District ... 1504

TABLE III.

STATISTICS OF CAUSES OF DEATH ACCORDING TO AGE AND SEX GROUPINGS.

	Under 1	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85-89	Total
MALE													
Coronary thrombosis				1	1	1	1						4
Myocardial degeneration with arteriosclerosis										2			2
Myocardial failure NOS							1	1					2
Senile Myocarditis										1	1		2
Congenital heart failure	1												1
Cerebral haemorrhage								1					1
Carcinoma of stomach							1						1
Disseminated sclerosis		1											1
Perforated gastric ulcer						1							1
Intestinal obstruction						1							1
Drowning									1				1
Asphyxia by constriction			1										1
	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	2	1	3	1		18
FEMALE													
Myocardial degeneration with arteriosclerosis										2			2
Cerebral Haemorrhage											1		1
Pulmonary tuberculosis						1							1
Carcinoma of stomach										1			1
Diabetes Mellitus										1			1
Senility												1	1
Prematurity	1												1
Atelectasis Pulmone	1												1
	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	1	1	9

TABLE IV.
K. E. M. HOSPITAL — OPERATIONS. 1953.

MAJOR.	MINOR.
Appendicectomy 7	Reduction of dislocation 2
Appendicectomy with drainage ... 1	Reduction of fracture 2
Nephrectomy 1	Exploration of sinus 2
Laparotomy (perforated gastric ulcer) ... 1	Aspiration of abscess 1
Repair of inguinal hernia 7	Excision of occipital gland ... 1
Manchester operation 2	Catheterisation of ruptured urethra 1
Hysterectomy 1	Subcutaneous fasciotomy for Duyputyren contracture ... 1
Excision of patella 1	Dilatation & curettage 1
Ligation int.saph. vein 3	Implantation of Cortisone ... 1
24	Extraction impacted tooth 1
	13
OBSTETRIC	
Low forceps delivery 5	
Total operations ...	42

TABLE V.
SUMMARY OF X-RAY EXAMINATIONS 1953.

Skull 9	Spine 5
Chest 774	Pelvis 5
Ribs 10	Hip 1
Sternum 1	Leg and knee 11
Shoulder 14	Ankle 8
Clavicle 2	Foot 4
Arm and elbow 14	Heart 3
Hand and wrist 18	Pyelogram 2
Fingers and toes 21	
863	39
TOTAL ...	902

INTERIM REPORT ON THE TUBERCULOSIS SURVEY OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Dr. P. K. E. Richter has submitted the following report on his work, from 1st October till 31st December, 1953.

(a) Number of persons examined radiologically	684
(b) Number of cases of tuberculosis discovered	47
(c) Number of cases of active tuberculosis - included in (b)	11
(d) Number of children Tuberculin-tested	232
(e) Number of positive reactors to Tuberculin test	42

The majority of persons examined are resident in Stanley. Some Camp residents, known or suspected to have tuberculosis, were brought to Stanley for examination.

The cases discovered so far indicate a higher incidence of tuberculosis in the total population than is probable, as all known and suspected cases of tuberculosis have now been seen.

As the T.B. Wing of the hospital was not ready for patients, only two cases of active tuberculosis could be admitted to hospital for treatment; all other active cases have been treated at home. The District Nurse has attended those cases daily. All patients have responded well to treatment.

It is planned to vaccinate with B.C.G. all children in Stanley, who showed negative Tuberculin-test reactions, early in the New Year.

The population has taken a keen interest in the survey, and there has been no lack of people coming forward for examination.

Plans have been prepared for the installation of the portable X-Ray machine in the M.V. "Philomel", and for the alteration of the hold, to provide an examination-room, a dark room and a dressing-room. The "Philomel" will be used for the survey round the islands when the work in Stanley has been completed.

DENTAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1953.

Dr. Latermann was stationed in Stanley throughout the year, and Dr. Reichert continued his work in the Camp from January till November, when he went on leave.

The following data have been supplied by Dr. Latermann, and refer to the work done in Stanley :-

1. Number of patients :	Adults	...	...	962
	Children	...	...	194
			Total	1156
2. Analysis of work :				
	(a) General anaesthetics	...	...	3
	(b) Operations :			
	Major	...	...	15
	Minor	...	...	146
	(c) X-Ray examinations	...	...	217
	(d) Extractions	...	...	1548
	(e) Fillings	...	...	1291
	Temporary Fillings	...	...	132
	(f) Scalings	...	...	129
	(g) Dentures (partial or full)	...	...	361
	(h) Denture repairs (acrylic or vulcanite)	...	...	110

Dr. Reichert has supplied the following data on his work in the Camp :

1. Number of patients treated	...	...	...	318
2. Analysis of work :				
(a) Minor operations	...	...	...	28
(b) Extractions	...	...	...	408
(c) Fillings	...	...	...	669
(d) Dentures (partial or full)	...	...	...	180

The following settlements were visited during the year :

Darwin	Port Howard
Fitzroy	Pebble Island
Lively Island	Hill Cove
North Arm	Saunders Island
Speedwell Island	Roy Cove
Fox Bay East	West Point Island
Fox Bay West	Carcass Island
Chartres	Ajax Bay

The Dental Mechanic, Mr. Hasenholler, worked overtime from February till December, during which time his denture output was 48 per month. Since he arrived in the Colony, in May, 1952, he has made 691 dentures, and repaired 245.

Summary of work of Dental Department during the past three years.

	1951	1952	1953
Total number of patients	732	1314	1474
Total number of extractions	1500	2020	1956
Total number of fillings	932	1966	2092
Total number of dentures (full or partial)	5	150	541
Total number of denture repairs	51	135	110

A Bill for An Ordinance

Title. To amend the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954.

Date of commencement. [, 1955]

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of Enactments (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of Schedule to principal Ordinance. 2. The Schedule to the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the addition thereto of the enactment specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

<i>Enactment.</i>	<i>Extent of Application.</i>
64. Merchandise Marks Act, 1953. 1 & 2 Eliz. 2, c. 48.	Section 1 (1) – (5), 4 and 5. In Section 1 (5) the word "Colony" shall be substituted for the words "United Kingdom and Isle of Man".

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to apply to the Colony similar protective measures regarding merchandise marks as exist in the United Kingdom.

A Bill for
An Ordinance
To amend the Interpretation and General
Law Ordinance. Title.

[, 1955] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) (No. 2) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read and construed as one with the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 33.

2. Subsection (1) of Section 11 of the principal Ordinance shall be amended by being re-numbered as subsection (1) (a) and by the addition of the following paragraphs as paragraphs (b) and (c):— Amendment of section 11 (1) of the principal Ordinance.

"Concurrent appointments.

(b) When any person, who has been substantively appointed under the power in that behalf contained in any Ordinance to carry out the duties imposed by such Ordinance, is on leave of absence pending relinquishment of his office, it shall be lawful for another person to be appointed substantively to the same office.

(c) When more than one person is holding the same office by reason of an appointment made pursuant to any Letters Patent or Order in Council, or to paragraph (b) of this subsection, then for the purpose of any function conferred or duty imposed upon the holder of that office the person last appointed to the office shall be deemed to be the holder of that office, and, where the office is a pensionable office, the service of such person in that office shall be qualifying service as from the date upon which he was so appointed."

3. The Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, is hereby repealed. Repeal of Ordinance No. 1 of 1954.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Bill repeals and re-enacts the Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, consequent on an amendment to the Falkland Islands Letters Patent, 1948, and also makes provision to safeguard the pension of and legalize the acts done by an officer appointed substantively to a post during the period when the holder is on leave of absence pending final retirement.

ANNUAL STOCK RETURN FOR 1953-1954.

Prepared from information furnished in accordance with Section 13 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901.

OWNER.	NAME OF STATION.	RAMS.	WETHERS.	BREEDING EWES.	OTHER EWES.		HOGGETS.	TOTAL.
					CAST.	MAIDEN.		
EAST FALKLAND.								
Estate J. W. Miller San Carlos Sheep Farming Co., Ltd.	Moody Valley.	27	214	639	290	30	77	1277
Pitaluga Bros.	San Carlos.	396	6,093	9,153	436	2,822	5,708	24,608
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Gibraltar.	148	5,722	7,107	—	—	3,536	16,513
" " " "	Darwin & Lafonia.	2,157	54,376	56,286	2,370	16,156	34,595	165,940
" " " "	Fitzroy.	418	10,604	11,649	—	3,183	7,155	33,009
Smith Bros.	Berkeley Sound.	180	4,789	6,452	—	—	2,740	14,161
Mrs. N. S. Browning and Estate J. W. McGill	Mullet Creek.	42	245	895	—	—	248	1,430
Mrs. F. O. Yonge	Bluff Cove.	121	506	3,694	40	139	617	5,117
Estate T. Robson	Port Louis.	224	3,899	4,124	—	909	2,440	11,596
The Douglas Stn. Co., Ltd.	Douglas	467	3,064	9,389	—	1,182	3,662	22,764
Port San Carlos Co., Ltd.	Port San Carlos.	388	7,791	9,959	—	2,682	5,765	26,585
Teal Inlet Ltd.	Evelyn.	331	6,806	8,613	161	1,346	5,086	22,343
Estate H. J. Pitaluga	Rincon Grande.	108	3,957	3,318	259	890	2,126	10,658
		5,007	113,066	131,278	3,556	29,339	73,755	356,001
WEST FALKLAND.								
J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard.	321	9,110	13,320	400	3,323	7,450	33,924
Holmsted Blake & Co., Ltd.	Hill Cove.	393	9,164	11,046	896	2,977	5,838	30,314
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Port Stephens.	399	9,264	10,240	497	2,874	5,657	28,931
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Fox Bay West & Spring Point.	472	8,276	10,381	—	2,286	5,645	27,060
Packe Bros. & Co. Ltd.	Fox Bay East	348	8,344	9,159	—	2,921	6,315	27,087
Luxton & Anson	Chartres.	303	6,447	9,278	—	2,355	4,752	23,135
Bertrand & Felton Ltd.	Roy Cove.	194	4,331	5,951	—	1,872	3,630	15,978
		2,430	54,936	69,375	1,793	18,608	39,287	186,429
ISLANDS.								
Estate J. Hamilton, Ltd.	Weddell.	57	2,848	866	—	906	1,931	6,608
" " " "	Beaver.	73	90	2,372	—	—	—	2,435
" " " "	Passage.	15	—	512	—	—	—	527
" " " "	Saunders.	135	2,505	2,451	—	642	1,401	7,134
Dean Bros. Ltd.	Pebble & Keppel.	230	6,396	6,086	336	1,771	4,489	19,308
" " " "	Jasons.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
C. & K. Bertrand Co., Ltd.	Carcass.	16	682	500	—	385	627	2,210
J. Davis	New.	30	820	850	150	120	760	2,730
" " " "	Hummock.	—	—	—	—	—	—	190
J. Lee	Sea Lion.	14	448	500	—	240	605	1,807
Mrs. Napier	West Point.	13	796	540	70	390	622	2,431
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Speedwell Group.	204	4,612	3,850	214	864	2,351	12,095
		787	19,197	18,427	770	5,318	12,786	57,475

SUMMARY OF STOCK RETURNS 1949-1954.

EAST FALKLAND	...	...	...	5,007	113,066	131,278	3,556	29,339	73,755	356,001
WEST FALKLAND	...	...	...	2,430	54,936	69,375	1,793	18,608	39,287	186,429
ISLANDS	...	...	...	787	19,197	18,427	770	5,318	12,786	57,475
	TOTALS	1953-1954		8,224	187,199	219,080	6,119	53,265	125,828	599,905
		1952-1953		7,868	184,489	219,385	7,250	44,946	129,383	593,611
		1951-1952		7,978	188,716	222,325	8,677	47,281	109,085	584,062
		1950-1951		7,980	192,179	221,473	554	49,505	118,072	596,963
		1949-1950		7,509	194,932	227,363	6,546	46,035	128,486	611,168

TOTAL WOOL CLIP IN 1000 LBS.	SHEEP SHORN.	LAMBS.		SHEEP DISPOSED OF.	HORSES.	CATTLE.	SWINE.	POULTRY.	ACRES SOWN OATS.	EAR MARK.
		MARKED.	DIPPED.							

EAST FALKLAND.

6	1026	102	77	786	7	12	2	—	—	Fork & Slit.
170	22,343	5,939	5,708	3,151	138	595	4	—	5	Front Square.
104	15,193	3,980	3,536	2,083	45	237	1	—	—	Fore Bayonet.
1,256	147,887	36,229	34,595	14,824	758	4,187	2	—	—	Double Swallow.
237	29,328	8,147	7,155	2,866	183	992	—	—	—	"
90	12,833	3,330	2,740	1,582	28	220	—	—	—	Triangle.
6	1,096	253	248	104	—	18	—	—	—	Back Bayonet.
18	3,479	740	617	125	19	61	—	—	—	Double Slit.
82	9,985	2,728	2,440	576	45	275	—	—	—	Front Halfpenny.
148	21,864	4,011	3,662	1,228	83	419	3	—	—	Fork.
191	23,377	7,118	5,765	2,319	113	730	5	—	4	Slit.
135	19,768	5,747	5,086	2,294	156	340	—	—	5	Back Square.
66	9,382	2,154	2,126	619	40	161	—	—	—	Slit.
2,509	317,561	80,478	73,755	32,557	1,615	8,247	17	—	14	

WEST FALKLAND.

265	28,842	8,465	7,450	2,431	202	817	2	—	12	Fork.
207	26,297	6,467	5,838	1,585	168	397	—	—	10	Front Bayonet.
183	25,338	6,602	5,657	1,885	136	470	5	—	9½	Fork.
182	23,423	6,576	5,645	2,047	131	362	2	—	7½	Fore Bayonet.
208	24,638	7,211	6,315	4,051	143	403	—	—	—	Fore Bit.
174	20,590	5,393	4,752	2,047	186	484	—	—	9	Double Swallow.
126	14,506	3,955	3,630	2,517	105	239	4	—	5	Front Square.
1,345	163,634	44,669	39,287	16,563	1,071	3,172	13	—	59	

ISLANDS.

56	5,621	398	1,931	401	114	144	—	—	½	Fork.
21	2,147	1,436	—	286	10	64	3	—	—	"
—	503	217	—	205	—	5	—	—	—	"
50	6,289	1,551	1,401	560	19	93	3	—	—	"
146	17,332	4,558	4,489	2,357	84	283	—	—	20	Back Bayonet.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	"
23	2,342	636	627	757	14	20	—	—	—	Fore Bayonet.
27	2,562	760	760	360	6	49	—	—	—	Fork.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Fork.
17	1,840	620	605	640	2	14	—	—	—	Slit.
23	2,260	622	622	700	6	20	4	—	—	Back Square.
116	10,677	3,438	2,351	1,734	9	350	—	—	—	Double Swallow.
479	51,573	14,236	12,786	8,000	264	1,042	10	—	20½	

2,509	317,561	80,478	73,755	32,557	1,615	8,247	17	—	14	
1,345	163,634	44,669	39,287	16,563	1,071	3,172	13	—	59	
479	51,573	14,236	12,786	8,000	264	1,042	10	—	20½	
4,333	532,768	139,383	125,835	57,120	2,950	12,461	40	—	93½	
4,419	522,784	149,823	129,545	52,262	2,924	12,457	52	—	74	
4,212	526,362	122,689	109,360	50,710	3,003	12,181	40	—	93	
4,379	539,133	134,022	118,059	59,209	2,970	11,630	24	—	75½	
4,262	540,755	143,950	127,910	64,467	3,043	11,138	35	—	151½	

SHEEP DISPOSED OF.

YEAR.	SOLD LOCALLY FOR BREEDING OR FURTHER USE.	EXPORTED.	SLAUGHTERED.			OTHER LOSSES NOT LAMBS.
			MUTTON.	TALLOW.	SKINS.	
1953-1954	7,035	—	*38,266	—	11,801	62,421
1952-1953	3,932	—	32,945	565	13,194	67,572
1951-1952	4,779	1,937	23,427	8,545	12,022	76,330
1950-1951	6,614	1,331	24,526	10,330	16,408	79,669
1949-1950	8,295	851	24,179	9,321	21,821	74,897

* This total includes 16,164 sheep sent to Freezer.

RE-CALCULATED PERCENTAGES.

YEAR.	DEATH RATE %	PER 100 EWES PUT TO THE RAMS.		
		% LAMBS MARKED OF	% HOGGETS DIPPED PREVIOUS YEAR'S EWES.	% HOGGETS SHORN FOLLOWING YEAR.
1953-1954	10.56	63.53	57.35	—
1952-1953	11.57	67.39	58.19	—
1951-1952	12.78	55.39	49.37	—
1950-1951	13.03	58.94	51.92	—
1949-1950	12.40	64.94	57.70	—

IMPORTATIONS.

From UNITED KINGDOM		From NEW ZEALAND	From BERMUDA	From CHILE		
Rams	Dogs.	Rams	Dogs	Horses	Mares	Rams
8	1	20	2	2	131	18

388 head of Cattle slaughtered at Freezer.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Campbell, I. T.	Harbour & Aviation	Student Pilot	1.1.55	On probation for 2 years.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>
Elliott, F.	F.I.D.S.	Secretary	1.4.48.
Johnston, W.	"	Master, R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	17.7.50.
Brown, N.	"	1st Officer, R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	22.10.51.
Green, J.	"	Assistant Secretary	1.6.52.
Latermann, E.	Medical	Dentist	11.1.51.
Strong, Miss R.	"	Matron	16.10.52.
Livermore, A. E.	Public Works	Superintendent	11.9.51.
Huckle, J. S. R., D.S.O.	Harbour & Aviation	Harbour Master	1.3.52.

TRANSFERS.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Whitney, J. R.	Acting Customs Officer, South Georgia	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	10.12.54.
Halliday, I. J.	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk, Secretariat	1.1.55.
Campbell, Miss J.	Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	1.1.55.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Alazia, D. W.	Posts and Telegraphs	Messenger	17.12.54	Resigned.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Robinson, Miss M. H.	Education	Infant School Mistress	13.12.54 140 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Coley, J. A.	"	Assistant Master	13.12.54 28 days	do.
Booth, S. A.	"	" "	10.5.54 to 4.12.54	Both dates inclusive.
Bound, J.	Secretariat	Assist. Col. Secretary	10.5.54 to 4.12.54	do.
Lellman, E. F.	Treasury	Assist. Treasurer	10.5.54 to 4.12.54	do.
Biggs, Miss J.	Public Works	Clerk	10.7.54 to 5.12.54	148 days (101 days unpaid).

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 56. 16th December, 1954.

It is hereby notified for general information that

MR. W. HIRTLE

acted as Assistant Colonial Secretary and

MR. H. L. BOUND

acted as Assistant Treasurer from the 10th of May, 1954, to the 4th of December, 1954, both dates inclusive.

Refs. P/187 & P/197.

No. 57. 16th December, 1954.

It is hereby notified that on the following dates in 1955 the Public Offices will be closed :-

New Year's Day	...	Saturday, 1st January.
Good Friday	...	Friday, 8th April.
Easter Monday	...	Monday, 11th April.
Her Majesty the Queen's Birthday	...	Thursday, 21st April.
Empire Day	...	Tuesday, 24th May.
August Bank Holiday	...	Monday, 1st August.
Anniversary of the Battle of the Falkland Islands	...	Thursday, 8th December.
Christmas Holidays	...	Monday, 26th December. Tuesday, 27th December.

Ref. 291/33.

No. 58. 17th December, 1954.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 11th November, 1954, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Friday the 10th December, 1954.

Ref. P/614.

No. 59. 22nd December, 1954.

THE STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE.
No. 1 of 1947.

Consequent on the resignation of Mr. R. L. Robson a casual vacancy exists in the East Ward of the Stanley Electoral Area.

In accordance with Section 8(2) of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has directed that Friday the 14th of January, 1955, shall be the day of the by-election to fill the vacancy thus caused.

Ref. 0039/C/II.

No. 60. 23rd December, 1954.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 41, dated the 23rd of June, 1954, it is notified for general information that

THE HONOURABLE MR. A. G. BARTON, J.P.

resumed his duties as a Member of Executive Council with effect from the 5th of December, 1954.

Ref. C/0001/II.

No. 61. 24th December, 1954.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

In accordance with Section 3(2) of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, 1947, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to be Members of the Council :-

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.

The Superintendent of Works.

Mr. D. J. Clark.

Ref. 0039/C/II.

No. 62.

29th December, 1954.

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945.

(Gazette Notice No. 26 of 1946).

The text of the Supplies and Services (Continuation) Order, 1954, which was made on the 24th day of November, 1954, in the United Kingdom, is published for general information.

1954 No. 1559.

SUPPLIES AND SERVICES

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (CONTINUANCE) ORDER, 1954.

Made	- - -	24th November, 1954.
Laid before Parliament		1st December, 1954.
Coming into Operation		7th December, 1954.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the twenty-fourth day of November, 1954.

Present

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL.

Whereas by section eight of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, the said Act was limited to expire on the 10th day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty, five years after the passing thereof, unless continued in force under that section :

And Whereas by Orders in Council, made under that section the said Act was continued in force until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four :

And Whereas it is provided by that section that if an Address is presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament praying that the said Act should be continued in force for a further period of one year from the time at which it would otherwise expire, Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that it shall continue in force for that further period :

And Whereas such an Address has been presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the said section eight and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. The Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, shall continue in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

2. This Order may be cited as the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1954, and shall come into operation on the seventh day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

W. G. AGNEW.

No. 1.

1st January, 1955.

NEW YEAR HONOURS

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointments :—

C.B.E. (Civil) — THE HONOURABLE MR. A. G. BARTON, J.P.,
(Colonial Manager, Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.)

O.B.E. (Civil) — THE HONOURABLE MR. C. CAMPBELL,
(Colonial Secretary)

Ref 0107/C/II.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 11th day of November, 1954, for the purpose of visiting the Dependencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal

Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 11th day of November, 1954.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 5

Proclamation

1954

Made under section 12 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, (Cap. 42).

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by section 12 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, it is provided that where the Governor is satisfied that reciprocal provisions have been made by the Legislature of any British possession or any territory under Her Majesty's protection for the enforcement within such possession or territory of maintenance orders made by courts in the Falkland Islands, the Governor may by Proclamation extend the Ordinance to such possession or territory, and the Ordinance shall thereupon apply in respect of such possession or territory as though the references to England or Northern Ireland were references to such possession or territory;

AND WHEREAS the Governor is satisfied that the Legislature of the States of Jersey has made reciprocal provisions for the enforcement within the States of Jersey of maintenance orders made by courts in the Falkland Islands;

NOW THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby order that the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, shall extend to maintenance orders made by courts in the States of Jersey in like manner as it applies to maintenance orders made in England or Northern Ireland.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 16th day of December, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-four.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

The Income Tax Ordinance (Cap. 32).

Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council.

(under section 49 of the Ordinance).

O. R. ARTHUR,

Governor.

No. 4 of 1954.

Whereas it is provided by section 49 of the Income Tax Ordinance that if the Governor in Council by Order declares that arrangements specified in the Order have been made with the Government of any territory outside the Colony with a view to affording relief from Double Taxation in relation to Income Tax and any tax of a similar character imposed by the laws of that territory and that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect, the arrangements shall have effect in relation to Income Tax notwithstanding anything in any enactment : Preamble.

And whereas by a Convention dated the 30th day of March, 1949, between His Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom and His Majesty the King of Sweden, arrangements were made among other things for the avoidance of Double Taxation.

And whereas provision is made in the said Convention for the extension by means of an exchange of notes between the High Contracting Parties of the said Convention, subject to such modifications and conditions (including conditions as to termination) as may be specified in the exchange of notes, to any territory, for whose foreign relations the United Kingdom is responsible, which imposes taxes substantially similar in character to those which are the subject of the said Convention :

And whereas by a notification dated the 18th day of December, 1953, the said Convention with certain modifications was applied to the Colony : now, therefore, it is hereby declared by His Excellency the Governor in Council —

- (a) that the arrangements specified in the First Schedule to this Order, as modified by the provisions of the Second Schedule to this Order have been made with the Government of Sweden;
- (b) that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect.

This Order may be cited as the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Sweden) Order, 1954. Title.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 13th day of December, 1954.

J. BOUND,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

CONVENTION BETWEEN HIS MAJESTY IN RESPECT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SWEDEN FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBLE TAXATION AND THE PREVENTION OF FISCAL EVASION WITH RESPECT TO TAXES ON INCOME.

His Majesty The King of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas and His Majesty the King of Sweden,

Desiring to conclude a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,

Have appointed for that purpose as their Plenipotentiaries :

His Majesty The King of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas :
For the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland :

Sir William Strang, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., M.B.E., Permanent Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs;

His Majesty The King of Sweden :

His Excellency Monsieur Bo Gunnar Richardsson Haggblöf, His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary in London;

Who, having exhibited their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed as follows :—

ARTICLE I

1. The taxes which are the subject of the present Convention are —

(a) In Sweden :

The State income tax (including coupon tax) and the tax on the undistributed profits of companies (Ersättningskatt), and, for the purposes of Articles XXII, paragraph (3), and XXIII to XXV inclusive, the State capital tax (hereinafter referred to as "Swedish tax").

(b) In the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland :

The income tax (including sur-tax) and the profits tax (hereinafter referred to as "United Kingdom tax").

2. The present Convention shall also apply to any other taxes of a substantial similar character imposed in the United Kingdom or Sweden subsequently to the date of signature of the present Convention.

ARTICLE II

1. In the present Convention, unless the context otherwise requires —

(a) The term "United Kingdom" means Great Britain and Northern Ireland, excluding the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man;

(b) The terms "one of the territories" and "the other territory" means the United Kingdom or Sweden, as the context requires;

(c) The term "tax" means United Kingdom tax or Swedish tax, as the context requires;

(d) The term "person" includes any body of persons, corporate or not corporate;

(e) The term "company" means any body corporate;

(f) The terms "resident of the United Kingdom" and "resident of Sweden" mean respectively any person who is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax and not resident in Sweden for the purposes of Swedish tax, and not resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax; a company shall be regarded as resident in the United Kingdom if its business is managed and controlled in the United Kingdom and as resident in Sweden if it is incorporated under the laws of Sweden and its business is not managed and controlled in the United Kingdom, or if it is not so incorporated but its business is managed and controlled in Sweden;

(g) The terms "resident of one of the territories" and "resident of the other territory" means a person who is a resident of the United Kingdom or a person who is a resident of Sweden as the context requires;

(h) The terms "United Kingdom enterprise" and "Swedish enterprise" mean respectively an industrial or commercial enterprise or undertaking carried on by a resident of the United Kingdom and an industrial or commercial enterprise or undertaking carried on by a resident of Sweden, and the terms "enterprise of one of the territories" and "enterprise of the other territory" mean a United Kingdom enterprise or a Swedish enterprise, as the context requires;

(i) The term "industrial or commercial profits" includes rents or royalties in respect of cinematograph films;

(j) The term "permanent establishment," when used with respect to an enterprise of one of the territories, means a branch, management, factory, or other fixed place of business,

a mine, quarry or any other place of natural resources subject to exploitation. It also includes a place where building construction is carried on by contract for a period of at least one year, but does not include an agency unless the agent has, and habitually exercises, a general authority to negotiate and conclude contracts on behalf of the enterprise or has a stock of merchandise from which he regularly fills orders on its behalf. In this connexion -

- (i) An enterprise of one of the territories shall not be deemed to have a permanent establishment in the other territory merely because it carries on business dealings in that other territory through a *bona fide* broker or general commission agent acting in the ordinary course of his business as such;
- (ii) The fact that an enterprise of one of the territories maintains in the other territory a fixed place of business exclusively for the purchase of goods or merchandise shall not of itself constitute that fixed place of business a permanent establishment of the enterprise.
- (iii) The fact that a company which is a resident of one of the territories has a subsidiary company which is a resident of the other territory of which carries on a trade or business in that other territory (whether through a permanent establishment or otherwise) shall not of itself constitute that subsidiary company a permanent establishment of its parent company.

2. Where under this Convention any income is exempt from tax in one of the territories if (with or without other conditions) it is subject to tax in the other territory, and that income is subject to tax in that other territory by reference to the amount thereof which is remitted to or received in that other territory, the exemption to be allowed under this Convention in the first-mentioned territory shall apply only to the amount so remitted or received.

3. In the application of the provisions of the present Convention by one of the High Contracting Parties any term not otherwise defined shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meaning which it has under the laws in force in the territory of that Party relating to the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention.

ARTICLE III

1. The industrial or commercial profits of a United Kingdom enterprise shall not be subject to Swedish tax unless the enterprise carries on a trade or business in Sweden through a permanent establishment situated therein. If it carries on a trade or business as aforesaid, tax may be imposed on those profits by Sweden, but only on so much of them as is attributable to that permanent establishment.

2. The industrial or commercial profits of a Swedish enterprise shall not be subject to United Kingdom tax unless the enterprise carries on a trade or business in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment situated therein. If it carries on a trade or business as aforesaid, tax may be imposed on those profits by the United Kingdom, but only on so much of them as is attributable to that permanent establishment.

3. Where an enterprise of one of the territories carries on a trade or business in the other territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, there shall be attributed to that permanent establishment the industrial or commercial profits which it might be expected to derive in that other territory if it were an independent enterprise engaged in the same or similar activities under the same or similar conditions and dealing at arm's length with the enterprise of which it is a permanent establishment.

4. Where an enterprise of one of the territories derives profits, under contracts concluded in that territory, from sales of goods or merchandise stocked in a warehouse in the other territory for convenience of delivery and not for purposes of display, those profits shall not be attributed to a permanent establishment of the enterprise in that other territory.

5. No portion of any profits arising to an enterprise of one of the territories shall be attributed to a permanent establishment situated in the other territory by reason of the mere purchase of goods or merchandise within that other territory by the enterprise.

ARTICLE IV

Where -

- (a) an enterprise of one of the territories participates directly or indirectly in the management, control or capital of an enterprise of the other territory; or
- (b) the same persons participate directly or indirectly in the management, control or capital of an enterprise of one of the territories and an enterprise of the other territory;

and in either case, conditions are made or imposed between the two enterprises, in their commercial or financial relations, which differ from those which would be made between independent enterprises, then any profits which would but for those conditions have accrued to one of the enterprises but by reason of those conditions have not so accrued may be included in the profits of that enterprise and taxed accordingly.

ARTICLE V

1. The industrial and commercial profits of a Swedish enterprise shall, so long as undistributed profits of United Kingdom enterprises are effectively charged to United Kingdom profits tax at a lower rate than distributed profits of such enterprises, be charged to United Kingdom profits tax only at that lower rate.

2. Where a company which is a resident of Sweden controls, directly or indirectly, not less than 50 per cent. of the entire voting power of a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom,

distributions by the latter company to the former company shall be left out of account in computing United Kingdom profits tax effectively chargeable on the latter company at the rate appropriate to distributed profits.

ARTICLE VI

Notwithstanding the provisions of Articles III, IV and V, profits which a resident of one of the territories derives from operating ships or aircraft shall be exempt from tax in the other territory.

ARTICLE VII

1. (a) Dividends paid by a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom to a resident of Sweden, who is subject to tax in Sweden in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from United Kingdom sur-tax.

(b) The Swedish coupon tax on dividends paid by a company which is a resident of Sweden to a resident of the United Kingdom, who is subject to tax in the United Kingdom in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in Sweden through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall not exceed 5 per cent :

Provided that where the resident of the United Kingdom is a company which controls, directly or indirectly, not less than 50 per cent. of the entire voting power of the company paying the dividends, the dividends shall be exempt from coupon tax.

2. Where a company which is a resident of one of the territories derives profits or income from sources within the other territory, there shall not be imposed in that other territory any form of taxation on dividends paid by the company to persons not resident in that other territory, or any tax in the nature of undistributed profits tax on undistributed profits of the company, whether or not those dividends or undistributed profits represent, in whole or in part, profits or income so derived.

ARTICLE VIII

1. Any interest derived from sources within one of the territories by a resident of the other territory who is subject to tax in that other territory in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory.

2. In this Article, the term "interest" includes interest on bonds, securities, notes, debentures or any other form of indebtedness.

3. Where any interest exceeds a fair and reasonable consideration in respect of the indebtedness for which it is paid, the exemption provided by the present Article shall apply only to so much of the interest as represents such fair and reasonable consideration.

ARTICLE IX

1. Any royalty derived from sources within one of the territories by a resident of the other territory, who is subject to tax in that other territory in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory.

2. In this Article, the term "royalty" means any royalty or other amount paid as consideration for the use of, or for the privilege of using, any copyright, patent, design, secret process or formula, trademark, or other like property, but does not include any royalty or other amount paid in respect of the operation of a mine or quarry or of any other extraction of natural resources.

3. Where any royalty exceeds a fair and reasonable consideration in respect of the rights for which it is paid, the exemption provided by the present Article shall apply only to so much of the royalty as represents such fair and reasonable consideration.

4. Any capital sum derived from sources within one of the territories from the sale of patent rights by a resident of the other territory who does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory.

ARTICLE X

1. Income of whatever nature derived from real property within the territory of the United Kingdom (other than income from mortgages or bonds secured by real property) by a resident of Sweden who is subject to tax in the United Kingdom in respect thereof shall be exempt from tax in Sweden.

2. Any royalty or other amount paid in respect of the operation of a mine or quarry or of any other extraction of natural resources within the territory of the United Kingdom to a resident of Sweden who is subject to tax in the United Kingdom in respect thereof, shall be exempt from tax in Sweden.

3. Swedish tax payable in respect of income of the kind referred to in the preceding paragraphs, derived from sources within Sweden by a resident of the United Kingdom who is liable to tax in the United Kingdom in respect thereof, shall in accordance with Article XIX be allowed as a credit against the United Kingdom tax payable in respect of that income.

ARTICLE XI

1. Where under the provisions of this Convention a resident of the United Kingdom is exempt or entitled to relief from Swedish tax, similar exemption or relief shall be applied to the undivided estates of deceased persons in so far as one or more of the beneficiaries is a resident of the United Kingdom.

2. Swedish tax on the undivided estate of a deceased person shall, in so far as the income accrues to a beneficiary who is resident in the United Kingdom, be allowed as a credit under Article XIX.

ARTICLE XII

A resident of one of the territories who does not carry on a trade or business in the other territory through a permanent establishment situated therein shall be exempt in that other territory from any tax on gains from the sale, transfer, or exchange of capital assets.

ARTICLE XIII

1. Remuneration or pensions paid by, or out of funds created by, one of the High Contracting Parties to any individual in respect of services rendered to that Party in the discharge of governmental functions shall be exempt from tax in the territory of the other High Contracting Party, unless the individual is a national of that other Party without being also a national of the first-mentioned Party.

2. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to payments in respect of services rendered in connection with any trade or business carried on by either of the High Contracting Parties for purposes of profit.

ARTICLE XIV

1. An individual who is a resident of the United Kingdom shall be exempt from Swedish tax on profits or remuneration in respect of personal (including professional) services performed within Sweden in any year of assessment if -

- (a) he is present within Sweden for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate 183 days during that year, and
- (b) the services are performed for or on behalf of a resident of the United Kingdom, and
- (c) the profits or remuneration are subject to United Kingdom tax.

2. An individual who is a resident of Sweden shall be exempt from United Kingdom tax on profits or remuneration in respect of personal (including professional) services performed within the United Kingdom in any year of assessment, if -

- (a) he is present within the United Kingdom for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate 183 days during that year, and
- (b) the services are performed for or on behalf of a resident of Sweden, and
- (c) the profits or remuneration are subject to Swedish tax.

3. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to the profits or remuneration of public entertainers such as theatre, motion picture or radio artists, musicians and athletes.

ARTICLE XV

1. Any pension (other than a pension of the kind referred to in paragraph 1 of Article XIII) and any annuity, derived from sources within Sweden by an individual who is a resident of the United Kingdom and subject to United Kingdom tax in respect thereof, shall be exempt from Swedish tax.

2. Any pension (other than a pension of the kind referred to in paragraph 1 of Article XIII) and any annuity, derived from sources within the United Kingdom by an individual who is a resident of Sweden and subject to Swedish tax in respect thereof, shall be exempt from United Kingdom tax.

3. The term "annuity" means a stated sum payable periodically at stated times, during life or during a specified or ascertainable period of time, under an obligation to make the payments in return for adequate and full consideration in money or money's worth.

ARTICLE XVI

A professor or teacher from one of the territories, who receives remuneration for teaching, during a period of temporary residence not exceeding two years, at a university, college or other establishment for further education in the other territory, shall be exempt from tax in that other territory in respect of that remuneration.

ARTICLE XVII

A student or business apprentice from one of the territories, who is receiving full-time education or training in the other territory, shall be exempt from tax in that other territory on payments made to him by persons in the first-mentioned territory for the purposes of his maintenance, education or training.

ARTICLE XVIII

1. Individuals who are residents of Sweden shall be entitled to the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for the purposes of United Kingdom tax as British subjects not resident in the United Kingdom.

2. Individuals who are residents of the United Kingdom shall be entitled to the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for the purposes of Swedish tax as those to which Swedish nationals not resident in Sweden may be entitled.

ARTICLE XIX

1. Subject to the provisions of the law of the United Kingdom regarding the allowance as a credit against United Kingdom tax of tax payable in a territory outside the United Kingdom, Swedish tax

payable under the laws of Sweden and in accordance with this Convention, whether directly or by deduction, in respect of income from sources within Sweden shall be allowed as a credit against any United Kingdom tax payable in respect of that income. Where such income is an ordinary dividend paid by a company which is a resident of Sweden the credit shall take into account (in addition to any Swedish tax appropriate to the dividend) the Swedish tax payable by the company in respect of its profits; and, where it is a dividend paid on participating preference shares and representing both a dividend at the fixed rate to which the shares are entitled and an additional participation in profits, the Swedish tax so payable by the Company shall likewise be taken into account in so far as the dividend exceeds that fixed rate.

2. Income from sources within the United Kingdom which under the laws of the United Kingdom and in accordance with this Convention is subject to tax in the United Kingdom either directly or by deduction shall be exempt from Swedish tax :

Provided that where such income is a dividend paid by a company being a resident of the United Kingdom to a person resident in Sweden, not being a company, whether or not he is also resident in the United Kingdom, Swedish tax may be charged on the amount of the dividend after deduction of United Kingdom income tax, but the amount of Swedish tax chargeable shall be reduced by a sum equal to 20 per cent. of the amount of the dividend so charged.

3. Where income is derived from sources outside both the United Kingdom and Sweden by a person who is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax and also resident in Sweden for the purposes of Swedish tax, the income may be taxed in both countries (subject to any Convention which may exist between either of the High Contracting Parties and the territory or territories from which the income is derived), but the Swedish tax on that income shall be limited to tax on the proportion of such income represented by the proportion which such person's income from sources in Sweden bears to the sum of his income from sources in Sweden and of his income from sources in the United Kingdom, and the United Kingdom tax on that income shall be reduced by a credit, in accordance with paragraph 1 of this Article, for the Swedish tax on the proportion of that income so computed.

4. The special tax payable in Sweden by public entertainers such as theatre and radio artists, musicians and athletes (bevillningsavgift för vissa offentliga föreställningar) shall be regarded, for the purposes of this Article, as Swedish tax.

5. For the purposes of this Article, profits or remuneration for personal (including professional) services performed in one of the territories shall be deemed to be income from sources within that territory, and the services of an individual whose services are wholly or mainly performed in ships or aircraft operated by a resident of one of the territories shall be deemed to be performed in that territory.

6. The graduated rate of Swedish tax to be imposed on residents of Sweden may be calculated as though income exempted under this Convention were included in the amount of the total income.

ARTICLE XX

1. The taxation authorities of the High Contracting Parties shall exchange such information (being information which is at their disposal under their respective taxation laws in the normal course of administration) as is necessary for carrying out the provisions of the present Convention or for the prevention of fraud or for the administration of statutory provisions against legal avoidance in relation to the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention. Any information so exchanged shall be treated as secret and shall not be disclosed to any persons other than those concerned with the assessment and collection of the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention. No information as aforesaid shall be exchanged which would disclose any trade, business, industrial or professional secret or trade process.

2. As used in this Article, the term "taxation authorities" means, in the case of the United Kingdom, the Commissioners of Inland Revenue; in the case of Sweden, the Finance Ministry; and, in the case of any territory to which the present Convention is extended under Article XXIII, the competent authority for the administration in such territory of the taxes to which the present Convention applies.

ARTICLE XXI

The following agreements between the United Kingdom and Sweden shall not have effect for any period for which the present Convention has effect, that is to say -

- (a) the agreement dated 19th December, 1924, for the reciprocal exemption from income tax in certain cases of profits accruing from the business of shipping;
- (b) the agreement dated 6th July, 1931, for the reciprocal exemption from taxes in certain cases of profits arising through agencies.

ARTICLE XXII

1. The nationals of one of the High Contracting Parties shall not be subjected in the territory of the other High Contracting Party to any taxation or any requirement connected therewith which is other, higher, or more burdensome than the taxation and connected requirements to which the nationals of the latter Party are or may be subjected.

2. The enterprises of one of the territories shall not be subjected in the other territory, in respect of profits attributable to their permanent establishments in that other territory, to any taxation which is other, higher or more burdensome than the taxation to which the enterprise of that other territory are or may be subjected in respect of the like profits.

3. An individual or company being a resident of one of the territories shall not be subject to any tax on capital in the other territory which is other, higher or more burdensome than the tax on capital to which an individual or, as the case may be, a company, being a resident of that other territory is or may be subjected.

4. Nothing in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 of this Article shall be construed as obliging one of the High Contracting Parties to grant to the other High Contracting Party who are not resident in the territory of the former Party the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for tax purposes as are granted to His own nationals.

5. In this Article the term "nationals" means -

- (a) in relation to Sweden, all Swedish subjects and all legal persons, partnerships and associations deriving their status as such from the law in force in Sweden;
- (b) in relation to the United Kingdom, all British subjects and British-protected persons residing in the United Kingdom or any British territory to which the present Convention applies by reason of extension made under Article XXIII and all legal persons, partnerships and associations deriving their status as such from the law in force in any British territory to which the present Convention applies.

6. In this Article the term "taxation" means taxes of every kind and description levied on behalf of any authority whatsoever.

ARTICLE XXIII

1. The present Convention may be extended, either in its entirety or with modifications, to any territory for whose foreign relations the United Kingdom is responsible and which imposes taxes substantially similar in character to those which are the subject of the present Convention, and any such extension shall take effect from such date and subject to such modifications and conditions (including conditions as to termination) as may be specified and agreed between the High Contracting Parties in notes to be exchanged for this purpose.

2. The termination in respect of Sweden or the United Kingdom of the present Convention under Article XXV shall, unless otherwise expressly agreed by both High Contracting Parties, terminate the application of the present convention to any territory to which the Convention has been extended under this Article.

ARTICLE XXIV

1. The present Convention shall be ratified by the High Contracting Parties. Ratification by His Majesty the King of Sweden shall be subject to the consent of the Riksdag.

2. The instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at Stockholm as soon as possible.

3. Upon exchange of ratification the present Convention shall have effect -

(a) In Sweden :

as respects tax on income which is assessed in or after the calendar year beginning on 1st January, 1950, being income for which preliminary tax is payable during the period 1st March, 1949, to 28th February, 1950; or any succeeding period;

as respects coupon tax payable on or after 1st January, 1949;

as respects capital tax assessed in or after the second calendar year following that in which the notice is given.

(b) In the United Kingdom :

as respects income tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April, 1949;

as respects sur-tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April, 1948; and

as respects profits tax in respect of the following profits -

(i) profits arising in any chargeable accounting period beginning on or after 1st April, 1949;

(ii) profits attributable to so much of any chargeable accounting period falling partly before and partly after that date as falls after that date;

(iii) profits not so arising or attributable by reference to which income tax is, or but for the present Convention would be, chargeable for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April, 1949.

ARTICLE XXV

The present Convention shall continue in effect indefinitely but either of the High Contracting Parties may, on or before 30th June in any calendar year not earlier than the year 1953, give to the other High Contracting Party, through diplomatic channels, written notice of termination and, in such event, the present Convention shall cease to be effective -

(a) In Sweden :

as respects tax on income for which preliminary tax is payable after the last day of February in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given;

as respects coupon tax payable on or after 1st January in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given :

as respects capital tax assessed in or after the second calendar year following that in which the notice is given.

(b) In the United Kingdom :

as respects income tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given;

as respects sur-tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April in the calendar year in which the notice is given; and

as respects profits tax in respect of the following profits :-

- (i) profits arising in any chargeable accounting period beginning on or after 1st April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given;
- (ii) profits attributable to so much of any chargeable accounting period falling partly before and partly after that date as falls after that date;
- (iii) profits not so arising or attributable by reference to which income tax is chargeable for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April in the next following calendar year.

In witness whereof the above-mentioned Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Convention and have affixed thereto their seals.

Done at London, in duplicate, in the English and Swedish languages, both texts being equally authentic, on the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

(L.S.) William Strang.

(L.S.) Gunnar Hägglöf.

SECOND SCHEDULE

APPLICATION

1. (a) The provisions of the Convention incorporated in the First Schedule to this Order shall apply as modified below -

- (i) as if the contracting parties were the Colony and the Government of Sweden: and as if the tax concerned in the case of the Colony was income tax;
 - (ii) as if references to the date of signature were references to the 18th day of December, 1953;
- (b) The extension shall have effect in the Colony as respects tax for the year of assessment beginning in the calendar year next following the date of this Order and for subsequent years of assessment, and will have effect in Sweden -
- as respects Swedish tax on income for which preliminary tax is payable after the last day of February in the calendar year next following the date of this Order;
 - as respects Swedish coupon tax payable on or after 1st January in the calendar year next following the date of this Order;
 - as respects Swedish capital tax assessed in or after the second calendar year next following that date.

- (c) The extension shall continue in effect indefinitely but may be terminated as respects the Colony by written notice of termination given on or before the 30th June in any calendar year by either of the High Contracting Parties to the Convention to the other High Contracting Party through the diplomatic channel and in such event the extension shall cease to have effect in the Colony as respects tax for the year of assessment beginning in the calendar year next following the date of such notice and for subsequent years of assessment and will cease to have effect in Sweden as respects Swedish tax on income for which preliminary tax is payable after the last day of February in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given, as respects Swedish coupon tax payable on or after 1st January in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given, and as respects Swedish capital tax assessed in or after the second calendar year next following that in which the notice is given.

MODIFICATIONS

2. (a) In article VII (1) of the Convention the words "exempt from United Kingdom Surtax" shall be understood for the purposes of this extension as though they read "shall not be liable to tax in the territory at a rate in excess of the rate applicable to a company".
- (b) Article VIII shall be deemed to be deleted.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Dunbar, Miss M.	Education	Assistant Mistress	15.1.55	—
Todd, R. T.	Public Works	Painter	15.1.55	—
Beaton, C.	" "	Carpenter	15.1.55	—
Pollard, R. T.	" "	"	15.1.55	—
Fuller, J. S.	" "	"	14.1.55	—
Turner, W.	" "	Painter	14.1.55	—
Summers, R.	Secretariat	Messenger	4.1.55	—
Trees, S. G., M.V.O.	Treasury	Colonial Treasurer	8.12.54	Assumption of duty 15.1.55.
Dunlop, J. P.	South Georgia	Senior Customs Officer	21.10.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Halliday, Miss H. F.	Posts and Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	18.1.55 Resigned.

LEAVE.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Briscoe, J. E.	Treasury	Colonial Treasurer	19.1.55 132 days Exclusive of period of voyage.
Lellman, F. T.	Education	Assistant Master	10.5.54 to 14.1.55 Both dates inclusive.
Fleuret, Mrs. R.	Medical	Nursing Sister	18.6.54 to 14.1.55 "95 days unpaid).
Ikkint, D. E. J.	Police & Prisons	Chief Constable	10.5.54 to 14.1.55 Both dates inclusive.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2. 8th January, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 51 of 2nd October, 1954, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 31st December, 1954, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
31st December, 1954	53.59%

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the Cost of Living Bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 2A. 8th January, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated the 4th of January, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Saturday the 8th of January, 1955.

Ref. P/614.

No. 3. 10th January, 1955.

The following list of Ministers of Religion, who have been registered as Ministers for celebrating marriages, is published in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the Marriage Ordinance:—

The Right Reverend Daniel Ivor Evans, C.B.E.	Lord Bishop of the Falkland Islands.
The Reverend Jack Gould	Senior Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral.
The Right Reverend Mousignor James Ireland	Prefect Apostolic of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies.
The Reverend Father Cornelius Landman	Assistant Priest St. Mary's Church.
Pastor Walter Forrest McWhann, M.B.E.	Minister of the United Free Church.

Ref. 1163.

No. 5. 21st January, 1955.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HONOURABLE MR.
WILLIAM WEDDERBURN BLAKE, J.P.

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Richard McKay, bachelor, and Isabella Alice McLeod, spinster, at Hill Cove, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

No. 4. 12th January, 1955.

The following list containing the names and qualifications of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists, registered to practise in the Colony and the Dependencies is published in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance. Ref. 1326.

A. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE COLONY AND DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Slessor, Robert Stewart	M.B., Ch.B. (Aberdeen)	1935.
Turner, William	L.M. (Dublin)	1936.
Ashmore, James Hopkins	M.B., Ch.B. (St. Andrews)	1952.
Grave, George Frank	M.A., M.B., B.Ch. B.A.O., (Dublin)	1949.
Greenaway, David George Geoffrey	M.B., B.S., (London)	1951.
	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., (London)	1949.
<i>Midwives.</i>		
Strong, Rose	S.R.N.	1933.
	S.C.M.	1934.
Lippold, Hella	S.R.N., C.M. (Germany)	1925.
Watson, Mary Eleanor	S.R.N. S.C.M.	1930.
Henricksen, Agnes	S.C.M.	1929.
Mackintosh, Mary Letherby	S.R.N. S.C.M.	1951. 1953.
Stellfeld, Lisa Berta Rosa	S.R.N. (Germany)	1940.
<i>Dental Surgeon.</i>		
Schonfeld, Ludwig	D.M.D. (Kiel)	1952.

B. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Massey, Paul	M.A., M.B., B. Chir. (Cantab.)	1953.
Burian, Stanislaus	M.D. (Prague)	1935.
	M.B., Ch.B., (Vienna)	1937.
	D.P.H. (Prague)	1940.
	P.H.D. (Paris)	1938.
Mackintosh, Ian Warren	M.B., Ch.B., (St. Andrews)	1935.
Sarmiento, Raul Maria	M.D. (Buenos Aires)	1937.
Pallesen-Mustikay, Berger Magnus	M.D. (Oslo)	1920.
<i>Dental Surgeon.</i>		
Duncan, Robert Anthony	B.D.S. (Belfast)	1952.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 4th day of January, 1955, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 4th day of January, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of
February, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1955.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. To apply certain Laws of the Colony
to the Dependencies.

Enacting clause. ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands and the Dependencies thereof as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of Colony
Laws Ordinance, 1955.

**Application of certain
Ordinances to the
Dependencies.** 2. The Ordinances of the Colony specified in the first and
second column of the Schedule to this Ordinance are applied to the
Dependencies, and shall be deemed to be in force in the Dependencies
with effect from the respective dates set out opposite their titles in
the third column of the Schedule to this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

8 of 1954	Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st April, 1954.
11 of 1954	Land (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st November, 1954.
12 of 1954	Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st November, 1954.
13 of 1954	Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954	1st November, 1954.
14 of 1954	Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st January, 1955.
15 of 1954	Interpretation and General Law (Amend.) Ord., 1954	1st November, 1954.
17 of 1954	Administration of Justice (Amend.) Ord., 1954	1st November, 1954.
18 of 1954	Currency Notes (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	1st April, 1955.

Promulgated by the Governor on the 1st day of February, 1955.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

The Savings Bank Ordinance (Cap. 61).

Rules.

(under Section 14 of the Ordinance).

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 1 of 1954.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 14 of the Savings Bank Ordinance, is pleased by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Rules:—

1. (1) These Rules may be cited as the Savings Bank (Amendment) Rules, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Savings Bank Rules hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules.

Short title.
Revised Edition Vol. II. p. 281.

(2) These Rules shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1955.

Commencement.

2. Rule 8 of the principal Rules is hereby amended by the deletion of the figure "£5,000" and the substitution therefor of the figure "£10,000".

Amendment of Rule 8 of the principal Rules.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 13th day of December, 1954.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 241/35.

Vital Statistics for the year ended 31st December, 1954

COLONY

				Births		
				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	22	24	46
East Falkland	—	—	—
West Falkland	2	1	3
Total				24	25	49

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				Deaths		
				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	9	5	14
East Falkland	3	1	4
West Falkland	2	—	2
Total				14	6	20

Maternal Mortality —
Infantile " —
Still Births 1

DEATHS 1953 27

Marriages

	Anglican	Roman Catholic	Non-conformist	Registrar	Total
Stanley	8	3	5	6	22
East Falkland	—	—	—	1	1
West Falkland	—	—	—	3	3
Total	8	3	5	10	26

MARRIAGES 1953 19

Arrivals

1954	males 141	females 59	Total 200
1953	„ 87	„ 57	„ 144

Departures

1954	males 152	females 85	Total 237
1953	„ 118	„ 67	„ 185

Population

Estimated population of the Falkland Islands 1st January, 1954 — 2220.

Estimated population 31st December 1954 — 2212, decrease 8, as shown below —

Estimated population 31st December, 1953	Males 1230	Females 990	Total 2220
Add births 1954	24	25	49
	1254	1015	2269
Add arrivals 1954	141	59	200
	1395	1074	2469
Deduct deaths 1954	14	6	20
	1381	1068	2449
Deduct departures 1954	152	85	237
Total	1229	983	2212
Birth rate per 1,000	....	....	22.1
Illegitimate births, actual	....	....	4
Death rate per 1,000	....	....	9.04
Population per sq. mile	....	....	0.48

DEPENDENCIES

Marriages — Nil.

Births — Nil.

Deaths — 2 males.

	Males	Females	Total
Estimated resident population at South Georgia	1317	6	1323
„ „ „ „ other Dependencies	48	—	48
Total	1365	6	1371

H. BENNETT,
*Registrar General.*Stanley, Falkland Islands,
20th January, 1955.

A Bill for An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the period Title.
1955-56.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Enacting clause.
Falkland Islands, as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Short title.
Appropriation (1955-56) Ordinance, 1955.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Appropriation of
Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service £379,787 for service
of the period of 15 months ending 30th June, 1956, a sum not of the period 1955/56.
exceeding Three hundred and seventy-nine thousand seven hundred
and eighty-seven pounds, which sum is granted and shall be approp-
riated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several
services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto
which will come in course of payment during the period 1955-56.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	5808	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5018	0	0
III.	Audit	1345	0	0
IV.	Customs	2165	0	0
V.	Education	15731	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	22008	0	0
VII.	Medical	28108	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1710	0	0
IX.	Military	1261	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	22554	0	0
XI.	Pensions	7500	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4365	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	28978	0	0
XIV.	Public Works Department	29645	0	0
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	36821	0	0
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	15865	0	0
XVII.	Supreme Court	1317	0	0
XVIII.	Extraordinary Expenditure	105950	0	0
	Total	£336149	0	0
XIX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	43638	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£379787	0	0

A Bill for An Ordinance

Title. To legalise certain payments made in the year 1953-54 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 9 of 1953.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1953-54.

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1953-54) Ordinance, 1955.

Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1953/54. 2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the year 1953-54, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Governor	166	9	5
VII.	Medical	1044	19	11
X.	Miscellaneous	7198	0	6
XI.	Pensions	1137	2	1
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	2147	7	1
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	353	6	2
	Total Expenditure	£ 12047	5	2



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Fern, E. T.	Agricultural	Agricultural Officer	14.1.55	Assumed duty 11.2.55.
Craigie-Halkett, Miss V.	Posts & Tels.	Telephone Operator	19.1.55	On probation for six months.
Peck, Miss J.	" "	" "	1.2.55	do.
Hooley, T. V.	" "	Ag. Superintendent	28.2.55	—

PROMOTION.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Alazia, Miss I.	Education	Pupil Teacher	Assistant Teacher	1.1.55.

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Smith, E.	Messenger Secretariat	Messenger P. & T. Dept.	24.1.55.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Northwood, Miss M.	F.I.D.S.	Clerk	31.1.55	Resigned.
King, Mrs. V. T.	Education	Assistant Teacher	31.1.55	"
Reive, Miss D.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	16.2.55	"

LEAVE.				
Name	Department	Office	Period	Remarks
Smith, M	Harbour & Aviation	Engineer	27.2.55 144 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Strong, Miss R, M.B.E.	Medical	Matron	27.2.55 108 days	do.
Mercer, Hon. Mr. A., O.B.E.	Posts & Tels.	Superintendent	27.2.55 180 days	do.
Reive, C.	" "	Electrician	27.2.55 180 days	Inclusive of period of voyages.
Blyth, A. J.	Public Works	Assist. Supt., Power House	27.2.55 180 days	do.
Northwood, A.	" "	General Foreman	30.1.55 140 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Garner, E.	" "	Plasterer (Development Programme)	27.2.55 144 days	do.
Wilson, W.	" "	Painter (Development Programme)	27.2.55 144 days	do.
Devrell, F. J.	Harbour & Aviation	Air Pilot	7.10.54 to 13.2.55	On completion of contract.
Devrell, Mrs. G.	Medical	Nursing Sister	7.10.54 to 5.2.55	do.
Latermann, E.	"	Dental Surgeon	9.3.54 to 7.9.54	do.
Richter, Dr. P. K.	"	Tuberculosis Officer	20.11.54 to 10.2.55	do.
Fairclough, G.	South Georgia	Diesel Electric Mechanic	4.11.54 to 29.1.55	do.
Coley, J. A.	Education	Assistant Master	22.1.55 to 18.2.55	On completion of Agreement.
Biggs, T. M.	Public Works	Electrician	29.8.54 to 24.2.55	On resignation.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 6. 10th February, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated the 5th of February, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Thursday the 10th of February, 1955.

Ref. P/614.

No. 8. 15th February, 1955.

It is hereby notified for general information that

MR. A. RUTTER

acted as Officer-in-Charge, Agricultural Department, from the 18th of April, 1954, to the 10th of February, 1955, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/500.

No. 7. 15th February, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
11 of 1954	Land (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954.	0720.
12 of 1954	Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	0829/II.
13 of 1954	Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954	1460.
14 of 1954	Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	0747/II.
15 of 1954	Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	130/44.
17 of 1954	Administration of Justice (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	130/44.
18 of 1954	Currency Notes (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	0496.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, ESQUIRE, M.V.O., to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, ESQUIRE, M.V.O.

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, to be a Member of the Legislative Council under Clause 6 (1) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Order-in-Council, 1948-1950.

Given at Stanley this 3rd day of February, 1955.

By Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0456/II.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 5th day of February, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my

deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 5th day of February, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing COLIN CAMPBELL, ESQUIRE, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

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AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 28th day of February, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the Dependencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you COLIN CAMPBELL, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 28th day of February, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. CAMPBELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Harbour and Aviation Department Annual Report, 1954.

General Review.

The main emphasis of the work of the department this year has again been centred on the operation of the *M.F.V. "Philomel"* and the *M.L. "Alert"* on the marine side, and the Beaver and Auster seaplanes on the aviation side. In both spheres the results obtained during the year have proved to be the most successful to date, and although it has been found impossible for any one section of the department to become self-supporting, it is felt that the benefit to the community at large amply justifies the loss sustained.

It is interesting to note that the staff of the whole department consists of only fourteen men at present, and throughout much of the period under review has, through leave and undermanning aboard the "*Philomel*" been reduced to twelve effectives. This comparatively small number have operated both vessels and aircraft, only one member of the department not being actually engaged in active operations - the clerk. From time to time even he has been called upon to act as co-pilot with the Beaver and more frequently to assist the crew of the "*Alert*" on long voyages for which the two man crew is inadequate.

The list of equipment operated by the department is formidable: there is the 75 ton *M.F.V. "Philomel"*, the 3 ton launch "*Alert*", two motor boats, three dinghies, three light beacons in the camp, three harbour lights, four navigational beacons, and, on the aviation side the Beaver and Auster seaplanes with their associated equipment. It is therefore hardly surprising that although the improvement in the operation of the equipment of most service to the public has been maintained, little has been done during the year to improve the efficiency of the other departmental duties, namely those of Registrar of Shipping, Receiver of Wrecks and Naval Reporting Officer. Favourable mention should however be made of the particularly capable work of the clerk in attending to the accounts of the "*Philomel*", "*Alert*" and the Air Service, where a great change for the better may be seen.

M.F.V. "Philomel".

The year under review started with the "*Philomel*" but recently withdrawn from the coasting trade in order that Government operations should not embarrass the newly established private ventures the Inter-Coastal Trading Company and the "*Gambler*". This withdrawal gave the engineer an opportunity to overhaul the vessel's engines and auxiliaries, many vitally required spare parts at last being available in the Colony. This overhaul has subsequently proved its worth by nine months trouble-free operation of the "*Philomel*".

After this refit, which included alteration of the hold to form a mobile X-ray department, the vessel was controlled for three months by the medical department carrying out a T.B. survey of the settlements. This survey was most successfully completed, and indeed were it not for the availability of the "*Philomel*" for this task, it is difficult to visualise how this work could have been done either as expeditiously or economically. The actual cost involved to the Government in fuel, wages, victualling and sundry charges amounted to little more than £1,000 altogether, and by this means it was possible for over 800 persons to be examined in the camp by the Chest Specialist, 35 settlements in all being visited in a voyage of 1,522 miles.

At the completion of the survey it was hoped that the ship could be used exclusively for the maintenance and erection of the coastal lights which have, since the outbreak of the war, been sadly neglected. A start was made on this work, but before it could be completed the "*Philomel*" was again called upon to take part in the coasting trade when the Inter-Coastal Trading Company operating the "*Protector III*" suspended their traffic *sine die* at the end of September. Since that date it is satisfactory to note that the "*Philomel*" has been able to help the farmers considerably with coastal voyages, particularly in so far as Christmas mail deliveries were concerned, and has also been able to fit into some very full itineraries the maintenance of the coastal lights, only one of which now requires attention.

With a system of accounting which does not charge other Government departments for work carried out, the revenue figures for the year appear disappointing at first sight. But the only fair way to judge these now is to review the work carried out, and I feel confident that the majority of the settlers in the camp will confirm the vessel's utility to the Colony.

One last point of interest concerning the "*Philomel*": the vessel earned a poor reputation at one stage for the manner in which the crew (with a few exceptions) was constantly changing. These alterations in the crew naturally detracted from the efficiency of the vessel as a whole, and it is encouraging to note that under the present conditions of service only two changes have occurred during the past twelve months, one caused by dismissal. This new found stability is the more surprising in view of the high wages paid to seamen in certain other vessels, and the retention of a full crew of good quality by the Government may be attributed in large measure to the personal qualities of the Master of the "*Philomel*".

M.L. "Alert".

Here again the work achieved during the twelve months has been most encouraging. The "*Alert*" was completely refitted by the department at the end of the previous year, and among the alterations was the installation of a new Lister diesel engine - the first production model to be fitted in a boat - and the improvement of the cockpit canopy. Both caused considerable controversy and have fortunately completely vindicated themselves. The new engine has given perfect service since its installation, which is much to the credit of the mechanic who undertook the fitting without external assistance. The spare parts for this engine are interchangeable with those for the "*Philomel's*" winch engine, making for economy in spares holdings.

The first major duty for the "*Alert*" after her refit was a survey of the entrance to Salvador Waters, which was successfully carried out by a Royal Naval party from *H.M.S. "St. Austell Bay"*. By using the chart produced the frigate was able to visit settlements in these waters shortly afterwards - the first time a warship has ventured through this confined channel for many years.

The "Alert" has also made many voyages to settlements in Berkeley Sound during the past year - generally in an effort to cut out some of the short distance passengers from the Air Service waiting list. In all over one hundred passengers have been carried in this way, not always in comfort, but at least more quickly than other means of transport would allow, and the fact that frequent visits by ministers of the Roman Catholic Church have been possible at Johnson's Harbour has been greatly appreciated by that settlement where nearly all the residents are of that persuasion.

Lights and Beacons.

As has been mentioned earlier a considerable effort has been made during the past year to square up the position regarding coastal lights - a situation which has required attention for a considerable time, but which, like much other maintenance work in the Colony, has had to give place to more urgent tasks. Belatedly this work has now been undertaken and the position is that all but one of the established lights and beacons are in operation and have received attention such as chipping and painting. If no further difficulty is experienced in maintaining these lights, the establishment of further coastal lights will be undertaken during the coming year provided this adequate maintenance can be assured.

The Air Service.

F.I.G.A.S. has now operated for six years, and during this time problems have arisen which tended to detract from the efficiency of the service provided to the public. It is only during the past twelve months that the solutions to many of these have been found, and it is now possible to say with confidence that the Air Service has passed from the experimental to the permanent stage. The late Governor, Sir Miles Clifford, stated early in 1954 "the Air Service has come to stay". So far as popular demand was concerned that assertion was as true then as it is today, but it must be admitted that in the minds of some of the more professional critics there were at the time doubts concerning the handling, servicing and flying of the aircraft which still required solution before the service could be regarded as permanent in the full sense of the word. These solutions have now been reached, or are at least in sight, and the public can look forward with confidence to a steadily improving Air Service.

Appendix 'A' to this report presents in tabular form the progress made since the inception of the service six years ago, and as can be seen, the results obtained since December 1953, have considerably exceeded those in any previous year and it is worth noting that whereas in the previous five years a total of more than one hundred passengers per month was only achieved twice, during the thirteen months December 1953 - December 1954 this figure has been reached eight times.

Examining the reasons for this rise in efficiency in detail it is found that on the operational side the utilisation of two aircraft simultaneously, better flight planning and to some extent early morning flying have been the main contributory factors. The training of the Harbour Master as a pilot has enabled the Beaver and the Auster to fly at the same time, and more than that, it has released the pilot from many comparatively unproductive flights such as mail dropping and 'of-the-route' medical calls. Unfortunately it is impossible to calculate exactly what difference there would have been in the final total had there been only one pilot available, but it can be confidently stated that there would have been a drop of at least 35% in the number of passengers carried. Tied in with aircraft utilisation is flight planning, to which more thought was given in the past year than previously, resulting in a better 'load/mileage flown' ratio. Some improvement is still necessary in this sphere and the subject is reviewed continuously in the light of widening experience. Early morning flying has to some extent increased the volume of traffic, although during the past year it was essentially only an experiment with the Auster to check the theory that the early morning weather was more suitable for flying operations. In all, early flights were made on sixty five days during 1954: none resulted in the aircraft becoming weatherbound, and on eighteen days flying was impossible later in the day. This experiment has now been extended to the Beaver, and although positive assertions are inadvisable on the meagre evidence available, it appears that it will prove most useful.

One retrograde step, if it may be called such, has occurred in the flying operations: this concerns the payload of the Beaver seaplane when compared with that of the Norseman. Strictly speaking the carrying capacity of the Beaver is only half that of the Norseman, so that in the same number of hours flying only half the number of passengers can be carried with the new aircraft. Fortunately this reduction is offset by the easier maintenance of the Beaver which has considerably increased its availability, and it must also be remembered that it was often impossible to utilise all the seats in the Norseman during a flight owing to the number of stops this would entail.

Improvement in the system of maintenance has also contributed to the achievements of the Air Service. Less time is now lost than ever before through breakdowns and lack of spare parts, although this will inevitably continue to happen as the cost of carrying complete spares would be prohibitive. Inspections of the Beaver and Auster are carried out now after 25 and 50 hours flying respectively and are rigidly adhered to in order to eliminate salt water corrosion. The use of lanoline to protect susceptible parts has proved invaluable, and after a slight amount of superficial corrosion soon after the Beaver was assembled, this problem has practically ceased to exist.

The Certificate of Airworthiness overhaul of both aircraft has been satisfactorily undertaken and that of the Beaver completed. As this involves both aircraft in turn being laid up for an appreciable period and the reasons are not always understood by the public, some explanation of the work involved is felt to be necessary in this report. In the United Kingdom, whose legislation in aeronautical matters is followed by the Colonial Empire, an annual overhaul of an aircraft is obligatory to ensure its compliance with the safety regulations. This overhaul requires an almost complete strip-down to the component parts, and the inspection is made, not only by the maintenance staff of the company concerned, but is checked by a qualified representative of the Air Registration Board, which is a Government department responsible for the constructional and maintenance regulations governing aircraft and also the licensing of ground staff and pilots in these subjects. It is outside the jurisdiction of, but works in close conjunction with, the Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation. This independent check by a Government department safeguards against the unscrupulous operator neglecting essential repair work during the overhaul.

In this Colony no supervisory inspection is possible: for this reason the maintenance staff err, if error it can be called, on the side of safety and in cases of any doubt repair or replacement is effected.

And the fact that the pilots are on the spot to see for themselves the condition of the aircraft components does to some extent provide the independent check as there can be no one more interested in an aircraft's safety than the pilot who is flying it.

These annual overhauls will without doubt contribute greatly to the safety and operational life of the aircraft: without them the Norseman became unserviceable and a total loss after a mere three years during which it flew barely 750 hours. Ten years of life is not an over-ambitious target for the Beaver, during which it is hoped to fly at least 4,000 hours. When more adequate equipment is available in the Colony, these annual overhauls will be speeded up to some extent.

In addition to the normal routine operations of F.I.G.A.S. outlined above, one or two specialised items of work have been undertaken during the year and are worthy of brief mention: the Royal Naval survey of the entrance to Salvador Waters was greatly assisted by a mosaic of some thirty aerial photographs of the coastline taken from the Auster flying at 5,000 feet, and without these the ground party would have been involved in at least a fortnight's extra work to attain the same degree of accuracy. These photographs were taken after the party was established in Salvador Waters and their exact requirements were known, and after processing in Stanley proofs were available to the party in the field 48 hours later. A similar operation was when the Auster carried the manager of Fitzroy Farm on an inspection flight over the ditches used for draining the camp. The value of these ditches can best be appreciated by aerial observation, and it is not only the results to date that the farmer is able to evaluate, but aerial reconnaissance is useful for planning future ditching policy.

The personnel of the Air Service now consists of the Pilot, Engineer, Second Engineer and Coxswain while the Harbour Master and the Clerk also take part in the activities. Mr. Devrell completed his contract in September, his relief, Mr. Kerr, having arrived by the previous "Fitzroy" sailing. The relief was carried out smoothly without any undue interruption in the passenger services and Mr. Kerr has now settled down to his duties in the Colony with complete success. The Engineer has been placed in the permanent establishment (he was previously employed on contract) and his management of the maintenance work during the mechanic's seven months leave deserves considerable praise as extremely few flying days have been lost owing to inspections and breakdowns during the year.

Mr. Jones qualified for his engineer's licences ('A' & 'C') while on leave and has now been re-designated "Second Engineer". He is also on the permanent staff, so stability in the aircraft maintenance staff is assured for some years ahead. During his leave Mr. Jones also undertook a short welding course as it was considered desirable that one of the engineers at least should have qualifications in this subject.

Despite the failure of the apprenticeship scheme for an engineer the Government has now embarked upon a scheme to train a pilot for the Air Service from local aspirants. Past experience has proved that to obtain pilot replacements for F.I.G.A.S. is neither easy nor reliable. When the Air Service was started Mr. Spencer was obtained through the Crown Agents at a time when ex-service pilots with civil licences were finding it difficult to obtain posts in the United Kingdom since commercial flying had not then recovered from the chaos of war. By the time his three year contract had expired however, this position had radically altered and there was a growing shortage of commercial pilots in the United Kingdom. Despite attractive offers to renew his contract, Mr. Spencer left the Colony and his successor, Mr. Halls, could only be engaged for twelve months as the Crown Agents were unable to discover any pilot willing to except a longer term contract. Halls' failure here as a pilot due to medical unfitness is too well known to reiterate, and the Air Service remained virtually without a pilot until Mr. Devrell was obtained, and after a short seaplane conversion course in Norway, arrived out here. The available pilots were still strictly limited and Mr. Devrell also could only be persuaded to engage for twelve months, although he later extended his contract for a further twelve months.

A replacement for Mr. Devrell was not quite so difficult to obtain as the acute pilot shortage in Britain has been eased temporarily by the dismissal of 250 instructors employed by the civilian contract training establishments of the R.A.F., thus releasing this number of pilots onto the commercial market. Despite this temporary surplus, F.I.G.A.S. received only one suitable application for the final interview, and it should be remembered that the gross salary now offered is almost double that advertised when Mr. Spencer's services were obtained six years earlier.

From this it can be seen that the problem of pilot replacement is a very real one, which is liable to become even more acute in the future since the annual wastage of pilots in Britain exceeds the supply from the civil training establishments. A scheme was therefore drafted to train a Falkland Islander as a pilot, which had the following advantages:—

(a) by undertaking to train a local recruit the Air Service could engage the candidate on a contract for a considerably longer period than has proved possible with United Kingdom candidates. In fact, with his roots in the Colony there is an excellent chance of his remaining as a permanency and thus saving much anxiety about replacement;

(b) by establishing continuity in this way, disruption of the Service while a new pilot "feels his way" is eliminated, and it was also hoped that because he was brought up to endure the rather severe weather of the Colony a local recruit would prove less susceptible to the nerve strain of flying here than a pilot from the United Kingdom, all of whom in the past were adversely affected by this to a greater or lesser extent before the termination of their contract;

(c) the scheme accorded with the policy of training local recruits for senior Government posts.

(a) and (c) above are unquestionable: (b) remains to be proved by the success of the scheme now in hand. The cost to the Colony is negligible — the total additional expenditure necessary amounting to little more than £200 per annum for three years.

Little remains to be said about the Air Service: the reorganisation of the stores is now completed, and the accounting system is improved sufficiently to reach the standard required by the Auditor. Some useful modifications have been made to the installations during the year: a toilet for the use of the hangar staff and passengers has been provided at the hangar: petrol tanks are in the process of being sunk in the ground to the eastward of the slipway to obviate the dangerous necessity of storing high octane petrol in the hangar: with Royal Navy assistance many rocks have been blasted from the approach to the slipway, making it possible to be used at all states of the tide, although the final six feet of concrete still requires

attention. A further aid to slipping and unslipping has been the provision of waist-length waders which enable the beaching gear to be quickly put on even in the roughest weather without the ground crew getting soaked. A small electric power pump has been mounted in the hangar to provide quicker and better facilities for washing the aircraft with fresh water at the end of a days flying. A landrover has been provided for the use of the staff, but it is unfortunately not always appreciated that this is intended primarily to speed up actual flying operations and not to provide a public taxi service.

During the year the Senior Meteorological Officer and his staff have made a considerable effort to improve the forecasting services provided for the pilots which has been of great assistance in enabling the Air Service to utilise the maximum possible amount of flying weather. In particular, it is hoped that the experiment of having a trained observer with pilot balloon equipment stationed at Fox Bay may be continued, as this will enable early morning flying to extend further afield with safety.

Although this is a report of past activities, some mention should be made here concerning future policy as much time and thought has been given to this matter during the past year. Basically the Air Service is faced with the problem that the present demand for passages exceeds the facilities that can be offered by the existing staff and equipment, and even those services at present provided are carried out to the detriment of various other departmental duties.

To satisfy the present demand for passages, it is probable that two Beaver seaplanes will be required with possibly two full-time pilots and the Harbour Master acting as stand-in for leaves, sickness and other occasional duties. With this establishment it is believed that the service required by the public could be provided. The operating loss would be further increased by approximately £1,000 per annum.

However before any further extension of the existing service takes place, it would be necessary to assess more accurately the effect on the Air Service of two outside factors:—

- (a) the effect of the proposed camp tracks upon the demand for passages.
- (b) the effect of a private aircraft being operated.

JOHN HUCKLE.

Harbour Master.

APPENDIX 'A'.

	Passengers Carried	Revenue £	Flying Days
1948 (December only)	1	10	1
1949 First Quarter	1	10	2
Second Quarter	4	45	10
Third Quarter	0	0	0
Fourth Quarter	27	195	23
1949 Total	32	250	35
1950 First Quarter	90	450	42
Second Quarter	234	820	44
Third Quarter	254	1100	45
Fourth Quarter	169	670	47
1950 Total	747	3040	178
1951 First Quarter	156	730	47
Second Quarter	226	925	32
Third Quarter	235	800	33
Fourth Quarter	293	1200	38
1951 Total	910	3655	150
1952 First Quarter	90	315	19
Second Quarter	1	5	2
Third Quarter	45	195	23
Fourth Quarter	206	575	42
1952 Total	340	1090	84
1953 First Quarter	229	800	41
Second Quarter	117	450	30
Third Quarter	160	625	37
Fourth Quarter	236	905	35
1953 Total	742	2780	143
1954 First Quarter	398	1535	47
Second Quarter	323	1150	48
Third Quarter	313	1120	38
Fourth Quarter	260	985	36
1954 Total	1294	4790	169

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 24th day of February, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read and construed as one with the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 33.

2. Subsection (1) of Section 11 of the principal Ordinance shall be amended by being re-numbered as subsection (1) (a) and by the addition of the following paragraphs as paragraphs (b) and (c) :— Amendment of section 11 (1) of the principal Ordinance.

“Concurrent appointments.

(b) When any person, who has been substantively appointed under the power in that behalf contained in any Ordinance to carry out the duties imposed by such Ordinance, is on leave of absence pending relinquishment of his office, it shall be lawful for another person to be appointed substantively to the same office.

(c) When more than one person is holding the same office by reason of an appointment made pursuant to any Letters Patent or Order in Council, or to paragraph (b) of this subsection, then for the purpose of any function conferred or duty imposed upon the holder of that office the person last appointed to the office shall be deemed to be the holder of that office, and, where the office is a pensionable office, the service of such person in that office shall be qualifying service as from the date upon which he was so appointed.”

Repeal of Ordinance
No. 1 of 1954.

3. The Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, is hereby repealed.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 24th day of February, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To amend the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954.

Enacting clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of Enactments (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of Schedule to principal Ordinance.

2. The Schedule to the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the addition thereto of the enactment specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

Enactment.
64. Merchandise Marks Act, 1953.
1 & 2 Eliz. 2, c. 48.

Extent of Application.
Section 1 (1) - (5), 4 and 5.
In Section 1 (5) the word "Colony" shall be substituted for the words "United Kingdom and Isle of Man".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 24th day of February, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]



No. 3

1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1953-54 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 9 of 1953. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1953-54. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1953-54) Ordinance, 1955. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the year 1953-54, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1953/54.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Governor	166	9	5
VII.	Medical	1044	19	11
X.	Miscellaneous	7198	0	6
XI.	Pensions	1137	2	1
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	2147	7	1
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	353	6	2
Total Expenditure		£ 12047	5	2

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 24th day of
February, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To provide for the service of the period
1955-56.

Enacting clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the
Appropriation (1955-56) Ordinance, 1955.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the period of 15 months ending 30th June, 1956, a sum not exceeding Four hundred and two thousand nine hundred and forty pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the period 1955-56.

Appropriation of
£402,940 for service
of the period 1955/56.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	5808	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5018	0	0
III.	Audit	1345	0	0
IV.	Customs	2165	0	0
V.	Education	15681	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	23508	0	0
VII.	Medical	28108	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1710	0	0
IX.	Military	1261	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	23557	0	0
XI.	Pensions	7500	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4365	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	28978	0	0
XIV.	Public Works Department	29645	0	0
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	36821	0	0
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	15865	0	0
XVII.	Supreme Court	1317	0	0
XVIII.	Extraordinary Expenditure	126650	0	0
	Total	£359302	0	0
XIX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	43638	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£402940	0	0

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 15th day of June, 1954.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1954.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,

Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To provide for the service between the first day of July, 1954, and the thirtieth day of June, 1955.

Date of commencement.

[1st July, 1954.]

Enacting Clause.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows —

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (Dependencies) (1954/1955) Ordinance, 1954.

Appropriation of
£271,500 for service of the
year ending 30th June,
1955.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Dependencies and applied to the service of the period ending the 30th of June, 1955, a sum not exceeding Two hundred and Seventy One thousand Five hundred pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the period from the first day of July, 1954, to the thirtieth day of June, 1955.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

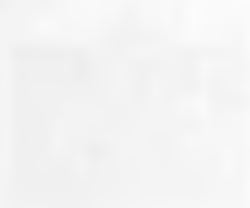
Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £
1.	General	33,946
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	3,593
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	18,410
4.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Meteorological Service) ...	11,279
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	84,180
6.	F.I.D.S. "John Biscoe"	113,678
7.	F.I.D.S. Scientific Bureau ...	6,414
	Total Expenditure	£ 271,500

Promulgated by the Governor on the 18th day of June, 1954.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

1888

Year	Amount	Balance
1887	100.00	100.00
1888	200.00	300.00
1889	150.00	150.00
1890	100.00	50.00
1891	50.00	0.00



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Denton-Thompson, A. G., M.C.	Secretariat	Colonial Secretary	5.2.55	—
Jones, Lieut. W. J.	Military	Adjutant	1.4.55	—

PROMOTION.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Pitaluga, Mrs. G.	Education	Assistant Teacher. Grade III.	Assistant Teacher Grade II.	1.1.55.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Lindenberg, Miss O.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	9.3.55	Dismissed.
O'Sullivan, Capt. D. W., E.D.	Military	Adjutant	31.3.55	Posted to Retired List at own request.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Draycott, D. J.	Education	Assistant Master	16.3.55	180 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on the 17th of February, 1955.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.
 The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable the Agricultural Officer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. S. G. Trees, M.V.O.
 The Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. W. W. Blake, J.P.

The Meeting opened with Prayers read by the Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.

1. The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern and the Honourable Mr. S. G. Trees, M.V.O., after taking the prescribed oaths, assumed their seats in Council.

2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on the 26th October, 1954, were confirmed.

3. His Excellency the Governor delivered the following address to Council :—

I should not wish this Council to approach its duties in the Budget Session, the most important and onerous of the year, with its powers impaired by the enervating effects of listening to prolonged gubernatorial oratory. I therefore propose to cut this speech to the minimum.

I should first like to record our regret at the departure of the Honourable Mr. J. E. Briscoe who has been a member of this Council for the past three years. He has served this Colony well and we wish him success in his new post in Nigeria.

At the same time we welcome the Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern and the Honourable Mr. S. G. Trees and hope they will be happy among us here in the Falkland Islands.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer will introduce the Budget later and detailed examination of it will take place in select committee, it is not therefore necessary for me to do more than touch upon one or two outstanding points. The Budget provides for a deficit of about £80,000 to which will be added a further £20,000 if you approve of the purchase of a second Beaver aircraft to which I shall refer again later. The Colony has piled up a reserve of over £750,000 because our physical resources have not been such that the money could have been spent in the past in the way that it should. We hope this year to be in a position to undertake much work which would normally have been done year by year in the past and it is only to be expected in the circumstances that a deficit should be estimated for, and only right that part of the reserve should be spent in this way. In all, the estimates will provide for £125,000 extraordinary expenditure and taking this into account a deficit of £100,000 is by no means unsatisfactory. I must emphasize that the estimates present a picture of the worst which can reasonably be expected to occur. The estimates of revenue are very conservative and in practice it may well be possible to effect savings in expenditure.

The Major Works Programme, which is the largest single item of expenditure in the estimates, is intended to make good long arrears of maintenance which should have been carried out from year to year but which have been set aside for other work which it was considered should take priority. It is also intended to deal with the difficulties of water supply and sewage disposal in Stanley, matters again which would normally have been dealt with long ago but which have been set aside for other work. The labour problem has at last been tackled and steps have been taken to secure a gang of twenty-five from Germany which will include men who already have experience of the sort of work they will be expected to do. They are being engaged on a three year contract and the first arrivals should take place about the middle of this year. I am sorry to say that we have not yet succeeded in finding an Engineer to supervise the work although the salary offered should be sufficiently attractive. Nevertheless efforts still continue and in the meantime a start can be made on the large amount of work which does not require the services of a qualified Engineer.

You will be asked to provide £35,000 to assist with the construction and improvement of Land Rover tracks connecting the farm settlements. These tracks should be of great use in making more readily available services such as medical, educational and veterinary for which Government has at present to rely on the air service which is dependent on the notoriously fickle Falklands weather. In addition these tracks should provide a considerable amenity for people living in the Camp. I am indebted to the Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton for the original idea which is that Government should not attempt to construct these tracks which would have meant expenditure beyond what Government could afford and would represent an undertaking that Government has not the means to supervise and carry out efficiently. Instead it is proposed that Government should assist the farmers themselves to construct the tracks, by providing machinery and men to work it and by assistance in the provision of materials for bridging. The machinery which has already been ordered would also be suitable for Camp drainage if and when it is no longer required for track making. We are further indebted to the Honourable Mr. A. G. Barton and the Honourable Mr. K. W. Luxton for taking a very great deal of trouble and spending a substantial part of their leave in the United Kingdom on ensuring that the equipment ordered should be the best and most suitable for the work.

The sum of £18,000 is included in the estimates for repairs to Government buildings. This again represents money which should have been spent bit by bit over many years. Instead of this it has been piling up in the reserve and Government buildings have been falling into disrepair. Energetic steps have now been taken to set matters right and there seems a fair prospect that substantial improvements will take place during the course of the year.

£9,000 is included for settlement schools. This will be used to provide equipment for the new school at Darwin and to establish a school on the West which will include facilities for taking in a small number of boarders. The building has been so planned that it can be expanded if it is found that there is a demand for more boarders to be taken in. It is not intended that this school on the West should supersede the system of travelling Camp teachers but to provide facilities in a boarding school for those children whose parents consider that they can be better educated in this way.

The last big item of expenditure which I propose to mention is on the air service. This air service has proved a great success for which the Harbour Master and the whole of his staff deserve our thanks. The demand for passages has increased rapidly, four hundred passengers being carried in the two months following the Beaver overhaul last December as compared with two hundred and sixty-five in the same period last year. This has only been possible owing to the exertions of the staff of the Falkland Islands Government Air Service. The time has now come when the Auster aircraft must be completely renovated or replaced. The matter has received prolonged and anxious consideration as a result of which you will be asked to provide £20,000 for the purchase of another Beaver aircraft as being the most efficient and economical arrangement.

The Freezer at Ajax Bay will not operate this year in spite of the fact that this Government lent the Freezer Company £50,000 on Debenture for the specific purpose of keeping it open. The matter is now the subject of urgent correspondence and negotiation. It is as yet too early to say what the result will be. I am convinced, and I believe the majority of farmers agree with me, that a freezer would be of great benefit to farming in these Islands and that it is by no means impossible to work one as an economic proposition. How exactly this is going to come about is not yet clear but we must not let ourselves be deceived into thinking that because the Freezer at Ajax Bay, which was recklessly planned and extravagantly and inefficiently constructed, has proved a failure that it is impossible for any freezer to succeed.

As regards the activities of the various departments of Government it might be desirable to say a few words. As regards the Agricultural Department, unfortunately there will be no work for Mr. Fern to do in connexion with meat inspection at the Freezer but there is almost unlimited scope for a Veterinary Officer in the Camp particularly in efforts to eradicate worms and to improve pasture.

Education still suffers from a shortage of Camp teachers. Vigorous efforts were made to recruit teachers from the United Kingdom but they have proved on the whole unsuccessful. We are now attempting to recruit them by a new method using, with the consent of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a private agency unconnected with the Colonial Office or the Crown Agents. We hope that by this means a greater degree of success will be secured. On the other side of the balance sheet handsome progress is being made on Darwin school which should prove of real and lasting benefit to the Colony.

The Medical Department has had a thoroughly successful year. The T. B. Survey has turned out an unqualified success owing to the fine work of the T. B. Officer and the co-operation he has received from the public. The new T. B. wing of the hospital is open and is full. In the Camp, medical services can be said to be now thoroughly satisfactory and I congratulate the Senior Medical Officer and all his staff on the work done by the Department during the course of the year.

The Harbour and Aviation Department has also had a thoroughly satisfactory year about which I have already said something. The Beaver aircraft has proved an unqualified success. The vessels of the Department have also done a lot of work. The T. B. Survey could not have been carried out without the "Philomel" and there is now a large demand for her services in the Camp. The retention of this vessel has been fully justified. The "Alert" has also had a busy and successful year.

The new Wireless Transmitter of the Posts and Telegraphs Department has proved a great success. If aerials are faulty and wireless sets have no "earth", reception will never be satisfactory, but it can safely be said that where sets are in good order and properly installed reception is now satisfactory everywhere in the Colony. It is hoped next year to instal new equipment in the Stanley Telephone Exchange which should greatly improve telephone facilities.

I have already spoken of the Major Works Programme which will be begun by the Public Works Department next year and of the increased work being done on arrears of maintenance of public buildings. The task of the Superintendent of Works has not been at all easy. Until recently he has been understaffed and in these circumstances it is difficult for work to proceed regularly and satisfactorily, since every time workmen are put on to a major job they are liable to be called off to set right some emergency such as a leaking roof or a defective plumbing system and while they are employed on this, other work comes to a standstill. However the prospects for the future seem to be much improved. Work has also been started on the new oil tanks and is proceeding rapidly and well. These tanks should effect substantial economy in running the Power Station.

Revised Conditions of Service were introduced into the Civil Service last year and in consequence the Service can generally be said to be contented and working well. A discontented Service is a waste of money and I am convinced that expenditure on the Revised Conditions will prove in practice a wise economy. The Secretariat has functioned through the year as Secretariats do, unobtrusively and efficiently. Before this Council is likely to meet again we shall have lost the services of the present Colonial Secretary, the Honourable Mr. C. Campbell. His departure will be a sad loss to this Colony which he has served faithfully and efficiently for the last three years. He takes with him the good wishes of us all.

In general it can be said that the prospects for next year are not too bad. There will doubtless again be the disappointments and delays which have irritated and disheartened us in the past but we can reasonably look forward to a substantial amount of progress being made during the year.

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following papers:—

- (i) Copies of subsidiary legislation made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last meeting of the Legislative Council.
- (ii) Savings Bank Report, 1953.
- (iii) Report of the Director of Colonial Audit on the Accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st April, 1952, to 31st March, 1953.
- (iv) Report of the Auditor on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st April, 1952, to 31st March, 1953.
- (v) Report of the Standing Finance Committee for period February, 1954, to February 1955.

5. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, in moving the Bill "To amend the Interpretation and General Law Ordinance" said that the object of the Bill was to repeal and re-enact the Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954. This was made necessary by an amendment to the Falkland Islands Letters Patent, 1948, and the Bill also sought to make provision to safeguard the pension of and legalize acts done by an officer appointed substantively to a post during the period when the holder is on leave pending final retirement.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary then proposed the first reading of the Bill - this was seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer and no objection being made the Bill was read accordingly.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clause 1 was agreed to with the following amendment:

By the deletion of the brackets, word and figure "(No. 2)".

Clauses 2 and 3, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

6. Introducing the Bill "To amend the Application of Enactments Ordinance, 1954", the Honourable the Colonial Secretary stated that the Bill sought to apply to the Colony similar protective measures regarding merchandise marks as exist in the United Kingdom, since it has always been customary to follow the United Kingdom law in this respect.

The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer seconded and the Bill was read a first time.

The Bill was read a second time, committed and passed through all its stages, read a third time and passed.

7. The Honourable Mr. S. G. Trees introduced the Bill "To legalise certain payments made in the year 1953-54 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 9 of 1953" and stated that the Bill was a formal act which sought to appropriate out of Public Revenue for 1953-54 £12,047 : 5 : 2 for certain services set out in the Schedule to the Bill which had already been approved by the Standing Finance Committee.

On being seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary the Bill was read a first time.

The Bill was read a second time and Council resolved itself into Committee.

The Bill passed the Committee without amendment and was read a third time and passed.

8. In introducing the Bill "To provide for the service of the period 1955-56" the Honourable Mr. S. G. Trees said:—

Your Excellency,

The Bill now under consideration constitutes the main business of the present meeting. I may say at the outset that the Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the coming year were prepared by my predecessor, Mr. J. E. Briscoe, prior to his departure last month.

With the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies the present Budget covers a period of fifteen months from 1st April next until the 30th June, 1956. Honourable Members will appreciate the reason for changing the financial year which is necessitated by the difficulty of arranging a mutually convenient day for the Budget Session within the financial year as it now stands.

The effect of the alteration on the Budget to be considered is that fifteen months expenditure has to be met from little more than twelve months revenue. While the level of expenditure remains more or less constant each month, the collection of revenue does not conform as the principal items of revenue tend to be collected in the latter part of the calendar year.

I will now comment on the financial position of the Colony. In 1953 we budgeted for a revenue of £227,000. The total collected was £231,000. In 1954 we budgeted for ordinary revenue amounting to £254,000 and it is estimated that by the end of March we shall have collected £260,000. The Reserves at the 31st March are estimated at £758,000. This figure compares favourably with the Reserve of £287,000 which was held at the end of 1950. To be set off against this increased Reserve, however, is the lower purchasing power of the pound.

Turning now to the Budget for 1955/56, ordinary revenue is estimated to yield £254,000. Recurrent expenditure is £230,000 while it is estimated that capital and development works will cost £106,000, resulting in a deficit of approximately £81,000.

As I mentioned earlier the Budget now being considered covers a period of fifteen months and Honourable Members may be interested in the following comparisons of expenditure with the twelve

months period ending the 31st March :—

- (a) In 1954 Personal Emoluments amounted to £66,000.
 In 1955 „ „ amount to £84,000, an increase of approximately 27%.
 Taking 25% as the normal increase to be expected for a fifteen months period the additional 2% is attributed to the revised and improved salaries of Civil Servants.
- (b) In 1954 Other Charges amounted to £104,000.
 In 1955 „ „ amount to £145,000, an increase of approximately 39%.
 The difference between an additional 25% which might normally be expected and the increase of 39% is brought about mainly by Other Charges and Recurrent Expenditure of the Department of Public Works such as an increase of £5,000 in the maintenance of the Power Plant and an additional £14,000 for repairs and maintenance to Government Buildings.
- (c) Extraordinary Expenditure in 1954 was estimated at £82,000 which included the purchase of £50,000 debenture stock in the Falkland Islands Freezer Company Limited. In the Budget now under consideration Extraordinary Expenditure amounts to £105,000, the major items of which include £40,000 for re-making the roads in Stanley, £35,000 for Camp Tracks of which £16,000 will be spent on the purchase of special machinery and £9,000 for settlement schools.

I regret that in presenting my first Budget I am unable to reveal a surplus but bearing in mind that a period of fifteen months is involved and that capital and development works include a number of items of major importance to the Colony, the overall financial position appears to be reasonably satisfactory.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded and the Bill was read a first time.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable Mr. S. G. Trees, then moved that the Bill and the draft Estimates for 1955-56 be referred to a Select Committee of the House and the Council adjourned.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary on reporting back to Council stated that the Select Committee had unanimously agreed on the following alterations and additions to the draft Estimates :—

Head V.	Education	4. Travelling Teachers' Expenses	— from £100 to £50.
Head VI.	Harbour & Aviation	26. Renewals Fund	— from £2,000 to £3,500.
Head X.	Miscellaneous	4. Subventions	— from £390 to £393.
Head X.	Miscellaneous	27. Survey of Freezer	— £1,000 (new item).
Head XVIII.	Extraord. Expenditure	10. Motor Vehicle	— £700 (new item).
Head XVIII.	Extraord. Expenditure	16. Purchase of Beaver Aircraft	— £20,000 (new item).

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary also reported that the Committee wished to put forward the following recommendations :—

- (a) That balance sheets showing the operating costs of the Air Service and M.V. "Philomel" should be prepared annually and made available to Members to enable them to obtain a more realistic picture of the costs of these services.
- (b) That, if the Harbour Master were to keep up his present average of flying hours, additional clerical assistance should be provided in his office.
- (c) That an investigation should be made into the present rate of Estate Duty with a view to reducing the rate substantially, and
- (d) That Government should not establish a Museum in the room originally earmarked for it in the Town Hall since this room could be more profitably used for other purposes.

The President then declared the Council to be in Committee.

Clause 1 was agreed to and Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

The Schedule was agreed to with the following amendments :—

<i>Number and Head of Service.</i>	<i>Delete.</i>	<i>Substitute therefor.</i>
V. Education	£ 15,731	£ 15,681
VI. Harbour & Aviation	22,008	23,508
X. Miscellaneous	22,554	23,557
XVIII. Extraordinary Expenditure	105,950	126,650
Total	£336,149	£359,302
Total Expenditure	£379,787	£402,940

Clause 2 was agreed to with the following amendments :—

By the deletion of the words "Three hundred and seventy-nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven pounds" in the fourth and fifth lines and the substitution of the words "Four hundred and two thousand nine hundred and forty pounds"; and by the deletion of the figure "£379,787" in the side notes, and the substitution therefor of the figure "£402,940".

The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

Annual Report on the Education Department, 1954

PART 1

Historical

1. There is no record of any school having existed at Port Louis, the first capital of the Falklands, and as Darwin on his visit described the population as "rather more than half runaway murderers and rebels", it is unlikely that there was one. But by 1846, three years after the transfer of the capital from Anson to Stanley, the room used as a church served during the week as a class-room. The fourteen pupils, nine of whom were girls, contributed £18. 4s. towards the salary of the schoolmaster and Government made an annual grant of £20. Three years later the school had grown to 28, there being an equal number of boys and girls. In 1850 the children were being taught by a Chelsea pensioner, one of a number which had been sent to the Colony to form a small garrison. Two years later Government reduced its grant to £18 but contributions from parents gave the master a total salary of £44. In 1853 there were 47 pupils of whom "twenty can read and write".

2. In 1855 the first of several short-lived private schools was opened, this one was for "young female scholars" and seven children attended it. Six years later the Government School had a roll of 117, attendance was voluntary, and the schoolmaster started evening classes.

3. Meanwhile no provision whatsoever had been made for educating children in the Camp, the countryside outside Stanley, but Governor Callaghan in 1876 suggested the employment of travelling teachers. His preoccupation with the Colony's finances probably prevented him from putting this suggestion into effect. The first step in this direction came a few years later when the Falkland Islands Company built a school at Darwin, its farming centre on the East Falkland, and supplied a schoolmaster. Thus by 1880 there were three schools in the Islands: two in Stanley and one in Darwin. But for the West Falkland and the outlying parts of the East Falkland nothing was being done.

4. In 1885, the Colonial Chaplain, Dean Brandon, who in his thirty years residence in the Colony was a tower of strength both spiritually and culturally, reported that the Government School in Stanley was well attended and that the teaching was thorough, but that in the Camp education was in a very backward state. Two years later he again drew attention to the fact that neither Government nor the sheepowners, with the exception of the Falkland Islands Company, were doing anything for the Camp children. Even in Stanley some children did not go to school and he urged that attendance be made compulsory.

5. In 1891 a Roman Catholic School was opened in Stanley and continued in existence as a school for girls and younger boys until the early days of the last war. Three years later Stanley possessed five schools: two run by Government, the Roman Catholic School, a short-lived Baptist School, and a private school which was to close during the same year.

6. In 1896, twenty years after Governor Callaghan's recommendation, two itinerant teachers were appointed by Government for the West Falkland, and a few years later the Falkland Islands Company started to recruit teachers for Lafonia, that part of the East Falkland south of Darwin.

7. In 1909 an Education Ordinance came into force making provision for the employment of pupil-teachers and raising the school-leaving age to 14. The travelling schoolmasters continued their difficult work and made some progress where the co-operation of parents was forthcoming. The same is true to-day. By the end of 1919 there were two travelling teachers on the East Falkland and three on the West. Five years earlier two farms had engaged governesses for the instruction of the managers' children. A few other farms followed suit and, where the other children in the settlement were allowed to attend the governess's classes, taxation relief was forthcoming. The outbreak of the first world war seems to have put an end to this useful filip to Camp Education, though one farm is now intending to engage a governess.

8. In 1947 a new Education Ordinance was introduced under the terms of which all education, up to school-leaving age, was to become free by 1949. In 1948 Government became responsible for education throughout the Falklands and the Falkland Islands Company ceased to employ teachers. During 1952 and 1953, however, owing to Government's difficulties with recruitment in the United Kingdom, the Company again engaged teachers for service in Lafonia and at present has three travelling teachers, whose salaries are paid from public funds, and, at Goose Green, one resident teacher.

9. In Stanley, as in the Camp, education is free, and compulsory between the ages of 5 and 14; and in the Camp compulsory for all children of 5 to 14 living within one mile of a Settlement School and for all children of 7 to 14 living within two miles. Shepherds with children on a travelling teacher's beat are expected to board the visiting teacher, the teacher pays up to 25/- a week for his board, but large families and small houses - and in a few cases difficult parents - make this, at times, impossible.

10. During 1954 the Government Schools in Stanley had an average of 150 pupils of whom 25 were Infants. The Staff averaged 11, of whom two were on leave.

11. Settlement Schools were in existence for the whole of the year at: Goose Green (Darwin), Teal Inlet, San Salvador, Mount Pleasant & Port San Carlos on the East Falkland and for part of the

year at Douglas Station. On the West Falkland a Settlement School was open for the whole year at Fox Bay and for part of the year there were schools at Kelp Creek and Port Howard. The staffs of these, together with travelling teachers, including those employed by the Falkland Islands Company, averaged 16.

12. The standard of education in Stanley compares very favourably with that of an all-range school in England. There is a two-year course available beyond the statutory school-leaving age allowing for more advanced work which in some subjects reaches G.C.E. ordinary standard. A pleasing feature is the increasing number of children staying on after the age of 14.

13. Camp education continues to be a serious problem. It is aggravated by the extreme difficulty of recruiting teachers both locally and overseas and by a disinterestedness and apathy among some sections of the population. There is no doubt that much of the work of travelling teachers is hampered by the attitude of illiterate or semi-illiterate parents who are too indifferent to see that their children do the homework left by the teacher and are too ill-educated themselves to be able to give the children any assistance.

14. The school year commenced on February 8th and finished on December 17th. In Stanley there were breaks of one week each in July and October and in the Camp similar breaks at times to suit local arrangements.

PART 2

II. General Survey of the Educational System and Policy

15. Education in the Colony falls into three categories :

- a. Education in Stanley
- b. Education in the Camp
- c. Further Education.

16. The Government Schools in Stanley provide education to the age of 14 with voluntary extension to 16. The seniors and juniors occupy one building, the infants another. The average roll in 1954 was 150 of whom 25 were infants. The average number of pupils staying on after 14 was 12. On September 30th the actual number of children attending the "senior" school was 136 of whom 63 were girls and 73 boys. The average attendance for the whole year was 92.7%.

17. Children over the age of 14 at school in Stanley pay 2/6 a week towards the cost of their education, this money is refunded at the end of the school year if the child's average percentage in the annual examinations exceeds 60.

18. As the Colony is too small to support a secondary grammar school a Continuation Class, as it is called, was formed in the time of Governor Cardinall to provide in some subjects a secondary grammar standard of education. It was intended solely for children of 14 to 16 years of age. In the same Governor's term of office scholarships to the British School in Montevideo were commenced. It has been the aim of the Education Department to provide as good a standard of education as staffing will allow up to the age of 14 and to raise the standard of work in the Continuation Class so that in the final year the G.C.E. could be taken at ordinary level.

19. Unfortunately the recruitment of qualified expatriate teachers has practically ceased and with such a small and fluctuating staff, a position aggravated by overseas leave, it has been found that it would not be possible to plan courses sufficiently far ahead for the examination to be taken other than in a very few subjects. Further, there is no guarantee that children will remain the necessary two years at school (see para. 18 of the Report for 1953). Though the increasing number of children staying at school in Stanley over the age of 14 shows that some parents at any rate realise that it is better for a child to be at school than to idle at home waiting for employment to turn up or to take on a dead-end job.

20. Because children are now moved up according to their ability as well as their age children of less than 14 are entering the Continuation Class. This is essential if the high standard of the overseas scholarship examination is to be maintained and if children are not to lose interest by being kept back in a class where the work is below their capabilities.

21. Since 1951 the overseas scholarships, two places each year, have been awarded to schools controlled by the Dorset Education Committee and the pupils who have taken them up have without exception done well.

III. Camp Education

22. During 1954 full-time schooling was provided at 6 Settlement Schools and part-time at three others. In addition a maximum of 7 travelling teachers were visiting children in outlying houses and in settlements without resident teachers.

23. During the past year the number of children in the Camp of school age has varied between 148 and 164. Of these 123 to 159 have received education from either travelling teachers or in settlement Schools; and 0 to 4 have been in houses where teachers are for some reason unable to stay.

24. With the coming into operation of the new 5 k.w. transmitter broadcasts to the Camp were resumed. These are on an experimental basis and take place for one and a half hours once a week. Use is made of transcriptions received from the B.B.C. as these are obviously better than anything that can be

produced with the limited local resources. Where they are listened to these programmes are appreciated, but it is found that in many cases unless a teacher is present in the house or settlement the parents and children "forget" to switch on their sets.

25. A boarding allowance of £2 per month is paid during term time for Camp children who live in private households in Stanley in order to attend school there, whilst the guardians of children sent in from outlying houses to Settlement Schools receive five-pence per meal or 1/3 per day.

IV. Present Practice

26. Educational facilities have been provided for all children in Stanley, but in the Camp only to a limited extent by the provision of travelling teachers and Settlement Schools.

27. Children in Stanley are expected to enter the Infants School at the commencement of the term in which they reach the age of 5 and most parents co-operate in seeing that they do. They must in any case attend from their fifth birthdays. They leave for primary classes at 7+. During 1954 the average attendance at the Infants School was 91%.

28. The building at present in use as an Infant School is rented from the Roman Catholic Church. It was formerly a corridor between the nuns' quarters and the church buildings and is squalid, in ill-repair and totally unsuitable. The new building, which has been mentioned in these Reports since 1950 is still in course of construction.

29. The "senior" school is at present overcrowded and the design is primitive. It is in a bad state of repair and in wet weather some rooms are almost unusable.

30. The curriculum of the Government School in 1954 comprised: Religious Knowledge, English, Arithmetic, Mathematics, Geography, History, Arts and Crafts, Music, Gardening, Woodwork, Games and Physical Training.

31. In order that the Superintendent of Education may keep in touch with standards in the Camp he conducts each year a written examination of all Camp children over the age of seven. In addition he undertakes a tour of the West and East Falklands, which is as complete as possible. Teachers in the Camp use syllabuses prepared by the Education Department. Travelling teachers are given certain minimum standards that their pupils are expected to reach, a much higher standard is, of course, expected from teachers in Settlement Schools. All teachers have instructions to encourage their pupils in craft-work and natural history and there is a steady flow of library books to the Camp.

V. Policy and Future Aims

32. Education can be described as adequate in Stanley and in those settlements where there are full time teachers. But the system of travelling teachers is educationally and economically unsound. The Department has tried to keep all "beats" down to four houses, even so it means a teacher only two weeks out of every eight and the homework left is frequently not touched. A scheme for the establishment of Settlement Schools came into being in 1949 but has been a partial failure through lack of co-operation on the part of parents and those with whom it was hoped the children would live in settlements.

33. As part of their centenary gift the Falkland Islands Company offered to erect a boarding school at Goose Green on the East Falkland, the fabric up to the first £20,000 to be the expense of the Company, Government to be responsible for the next £10,000 and the Company to pay any sum above this total. The building is to be furnished by Government and will be maintained and run by it. Children of employees of the Falkland Islands Company may occupy up to two thirds of the 40 boarding places in the school. Work has commenced on the school and it is hoped to open it in early 1956.

34. Plans are now going ahead for the construction of a boarding school on the West Falkland. In the Report for 1953 (para. 33) mention was made of the model boarding school erected at Fort Howard by the owners of the farm, J. C. Waldron & Co. It is hoped that the boarding school when built will incorporate this school. It is not, at the outset, to be on such a large scale as the Darwin School.

35. A number of farms have provided school-rooms and some of them have accommodation for the teacher. They range from the "village hall" type of building with class-room and teacher's room erected at San Carlos to more simple single room buildings of sheet metal.

36. The proposed establishment of Settlement Schools (see para. 32) meant that the local teachers had to receive adequate training to man them and in order to release them for this purpose a grant was made under the Colonial Development and Welfare Fund (D/970) for the provision for six years (in two periods of three years each) of six teachers and one teacher-trainer from the United Kingdom. Owing to the fact that the scheme got away to a late start permission was recently obtained for it to continue for another year. It has been difficult to get recruits, only recently two who had been appointed withdrew their acceptances before the boat sailed, and some have proved unsatisfactory. Others have done splendid work and have brought useful experiences and fresh ideas into Camp teaching. Meanwhile, although the Settlement School scheme has to some extent failed, they are holding the fort until the boarding schools and more local teachers give Camp education a firmer basis.

VI. Evening Classes

37. These are held in the winter months in Stanley only. Attendance at certain classes by all Government employees under the age of 18 is obligatory. In 1953 the public at large suddenly took an interest in them and the number of classes and the attendances has much increased. Instruction was

provided in : shorthand, typing, English, mathematics, needlework, art, navigation and Spanish.

VII. Films

38. The School in Stanley has a projector and certain schools in the Camp have strip projectors which make use of the strip-films provided by the Central Office of Information. It is intended to augment this library of 35 mm strips when funds allow. The Education Department runs Governments' Central Film Library which supplies 16 mm films to many farms and the Stanley cinema on a rental basis. The library contains films supplied by J. Arthur Rank and Co. and by the Central Office of Information. These latter films are semi-educational "shorts" and newsreels. The provision of these farm projectors is a useful educational and cultural innovation besides providing a very necessary source of entertainment.

VIII. Broadcasting

39. See para. 24. Although the Broadcasting Committee arranges a good and varied series of programmes, listening, especially in the Camp, can only be said to be selective and the programmes chosen are decidedly the lighter ones. In many houses talks, plays or even light classical concerts are never listened to.

IX. Youth Activities

40. During 1954 a party of lads from the local Boys' Brigade attended the International Camp at Eton College. They spent 8 weeks in England and Scotland, travelled extensively and much enjoyed their holiday. The Girls' Club and the Crusaders' Club, the latter founded in the year under review, continue to flourish as does the Junior Football League. All these are Stanley activities, there is no scope for them in the Camp, though Folk-Dancing, which together with Badminton is very popular amongst young people in Stanley, is to commence at Port Howard. As has been mentioned before in these Reports, dancing is the main form of entertainment, both in the Camp and Stanley, and the late hour at which these functions start and the very much later hour at which they finish cannot have a good effect on the health of young people; Especially is this so in the Camp where the rule that no child under 16 may attend is not applied and where young children are kept up to the early hours of the morning.

X. Teachers - Conditions of Service

41. The senior classes in Stanley are taught by qualified teachers recruited from, or trained in, the United Kingdom. The arrangement made with the Education Committee of the Dorset County Council by which it was hoped that teachers would be seconded to the Falklands has not succeeded. During the year under review new salary scales have been introduced. Certificated women teachers receive £100 - £460 per annum and, if eligible, an expatriation allowance of £100. Certificated men £120 - £530 together with, if entitled to it, an expatriation allowance of £100 in the lower parts of the scale and £140 in the upper. Locally recruited or uncertificated male teachers receive £180 - £400 and women £180 to £350. Expatriation allowances may be paid.

42. Despite these new salary scales recruitment overseas becomes increasingly difficult and each revision of the Burnham Scale makes the position worse.

XI. Qualifications

43. Both certificated and uncertificated teachers are recruited, from the United Kingdom. Locally recruited teachers must now have spent at least two years in the Continuation Class (see para. 18) or its equivalent, they then receive two years training, one year in the Stanley schools with a teacher-trainer and one year with a class.

XII. Legislation and Administration

44. No legislation directly concerned with Education or the welfare of young people was passed in 1954.

45. The Superintendent of Education is responsible for education throughout the Colony, the work of the teachers employed by the Falkland Islands Company being subject to inspection by him. The majority of premises used as school-rooms on farms are the property of the farms.

46. Under the Education Ordinance of 1947 parents are required to have their children educated wherever there is a school and wherever classes are held by a teacher (see para. 9).

47. Parents are encouraged to send their children to school at the commencement of the term in which they reach the age of five and they must remain at school until the end of the term in which they reach the age of 14. They may, if they choose, stay on a further two years doing more advanced work in the Continuation Class (see para. 18).

48. The Falkland Islands Company now employs four teachers on their large farm in Lafonia on the East Falkland. Syllabuses prepared in the Education Department are used.

49. The staff of the Government Schools in Stanley on September 30th, 1954 consisted of the Superintendent of Education, who is also headmaster, three assistant masters and six assistant mistresses. In the Camp on the same date there were, excluding the employees of the Falkland Islands Company, two male and four female teachers. In addition there were five temporary teachers and one honorary teacher employed in settlements or outlying houses.

XIII. Advisory Boards and Committees

50. The Scholarship Committee consists of the Colonial Secretary, two members nominated by the Governor and the Superintendent of Education. (see para. 55).

XIV. Finance

51. Expenditure from Colonial Revenue for the period 1953/54 amounted to £9247 and under the Colonial Development and Welfare Scheme D/970 to £1131. As all schools are "all-range" it is not possible to give separate figures for secondary and primary education.

52. Overseas scholarships in the financial period under review cost £781 and administration for the same period £616.

XV. Primary Education

53. The Infants' Department in Stanley usually contains three classes and numbers in the "senior" school are sufficiently high to allow of four classes in the primary section. In the Camp numbers are so small that work is on an individual basis and there are no defined junior and senior sections.

XVI. Secondary and Technical Education

54. There is no secondary grammar and technical education in the Colony. (See para. 18).

XVII. Overseas Scholarships

55. Up to two scholarships are awarded annually to boarding grammar schools in England controlled by the Dorset County Council. Two Scholarships are not necessarily awarded each year, not because there is a dearth of suitable children but because there is an unwillingness on the part of many intelligent children to enter for a scholarship which will take them away from home for three years. Those children who have taken up scholarships have, without exception, done very well.

XVIII. Training of Teachers

56. The shortage of local applicants for teaching posts is almost as serious as that for posts advertised in the United Kingdom. Locally recruited teachers must have spent two years in the Continuation Class, or its equivalent and then receive two years training, one year being in Stanley under a teacher-trainer and the second year with a class which is kept under supervision.

XIX. Physical Conditions in Schools

57. The Government School in Stanley is a wooden building nearly 50 years old, which has served its purpose and requires replacement.

58. The Infants' School is an even worse building, the state of which has been described in previous reports. The construction of a new Infants' School is nearing completion.

59. Many of the farms have school-rooms which have been erected by the owners. Some are converted Nissen huts, others are more elaborate building (see para. 35) Peat is used for heating. (See para. 61 of 1953 Report).

XX. Playing Fields

60. The children in Stanley may make use of the playing fields in the Government House paddocks. In the Camp organised games are only possible where numbers allow. Almost without exception the children in the Camp are good riders and walkers and get plenty of out-door exercise.

XXI. Social and Moral Welfare

61. Religious Knowledge forms an important part of the syllabus of the schools in Stanley and it is included in the syllabus of all Camp teachers. Unfortunately there are changes of teacher and periods when there is no teacher and as a result the Camp teacher tends to concentrate, and rightly on the Three R's. The position on the West is much worse than on the East and for that reason it is hoped that the headmaster of the new boarding school there will be a parson (see para. 34).

62. There are no facilities for the education of the physically or mentally defective in the Colony, of which there are practically none. There is an annual medical and dental inspection of all school children in Stanley whilst children in the Camp are seen whenever the doctor or dentist is visiting the settlement. The chest specialist continued and completed his examination of children during 1954.

63. The School Savings Scheme, which commenced in 1951, has continued to flourish and the amount saved is nearly £2000.

64. The Boys' Brigade, the Girl's Club and the Crusaders' Class, none of which are directly connected with the Education Department, offer valuable opportunities for leadership and the Department gives any assistance required of it.

XXII. Adult Education

65. See para. 37. There is a local branch of the Red Cross and Order of St. John and a Spinners

and Weavers Guild. Stanley has an excellent public library, with a children's section, and the Falkland Islands Company has a good subscription library. The Superintendent of Education has recently been appointed honorary curator of the museum. This was destroyed by fire some years ago and the exhibition must be rebuilt from scratch. There is a keen local interest in natural history. The Broadcast Advisory Committee has continued to provide good material in its programmes, many of which are of real educational value (see para. 24).

TABLE 1.
Number of Institutions.

as at September 30th, 1954.

Classification of Institutions	Post Secondary	Secondary & Post Primary	Primary	All-range	Total
Maintained from Colonial or Government Funds	—	—	—	6	6
Total	—	—	—	6	6

No institution, other than Government, maintains schools. The schools in Stanley and the schools in the Camp receive pupils from 5 to 16 years of age and their classification as other than all-range is not possible.

TABLE 2.
Number of Courses.

Classification of Institutions	SECONDARY			POST SECONDARY
	General Mixed	Teacher Training Mixed	Technical & Vocational Mixed	Mixed
Maintained from Colonial or Local Government Funds	1	—	—	1
Total	1	—	—	1

There are no other educational institutions other than those maintained by Government.

TABLE 3.
Number of Pupils Enrolled.

as at September 30th, 1954.

Classification of Institutions	Post Secondary		Secondary		Primary		Total		Grand Total.
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Maintained from Colonial or Local Government Funds	3	5	58	54	98	83	159	142	301
Total	3	5	58	54	98	83	159	142	301

There are no educational institutions other than those supported by Government.

TABLE 4.

Number of Pupils analysed according to the type of course taken.

as at September 30th, 1954.

Classification of pupils by sex	POST SECONDARY	SECONDARY GENERAL	PRIMARY GENERAL
Male	3	58	98
Female	5	54	83
Total	8	112	181

TABLE 5.

Teachers classified by Qualifications.

It is not possible to group the teachers under Primary, Secondary and other schools as all schools in the Colony are all-range.

as at December 31st, 1954.

	Maintained from Colonial or Local Government Funds		Aided from Colonial or Local Government Funds		Other Institutions		Totals
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
<i>Completed Secondary School Course</i>							
Trained	5	1	—	—	—	—	6
Untrained	4	14	—	—	—	—	18
							24

TABLE 6.

Expenditure on Education 1953-54

	£	% of Gross Expenditure of Colony
I. Expenditure on Education from Colonial Revenue excluding expenditure shown under II - V below	9,247	3.2%
II. Expenditure on Education from Local Funds, (Local Authorities, etc.)	—	—
III. Expenditure on Education from Special Development Funds and not shown in I above:		
a. From Imperial Funds	1,131	—
b. From Colonial Funds	—	—
IV. Expenditure on Education by any other Department	—	—
V. Estimated expenditure by Voluntary Agencies excluding grants from Government included in I above	—	—
Total	£10,378	





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Middleton, Miss R.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	18.4.55	—
Weir, A. P., I.S.O.	Public Works	Civil Engineer	11.3.55	—
Beardmore, D.	" "	Carpenter	30.4.55	—

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Gleadell, L.	Audit	Auditor	16.4.55	180 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Biggs, T. I.	Medical	Clerk	16.4.55	180 days	Inclusive of period of voyages.
Lippold, Miss H.	"	Nursing Sister	16.4.55	67 days	Inclusive of period of voyage.
Slessor, Dr. R. S.	"	Senior Medical Officer	16.4.55	180 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Campbell, C., O.B.E.	Secretariat & Treasury	Colonial Secretary	16.4.55	152 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Cochrane, E.	South Georgia	Meteorological Assistant	2.4.55	98 days	do.
Owen, T. G.	" "	W/T Operator	2.4.55	102 days	do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 13. 5th April, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated the 28th of February, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday the 4th of April, 1955.

Ref. P/614.

No. 14. 5th April, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 2 of 8th January, 1954, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 31st March, 1955, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
31st March, 1955	57.39%

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the Cost of Living Bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 15. 15th April, 1955.

Under Section 54 of the Public Health Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to be the Visiting Committee for the Hospital for the year 1955 :-

MRS. A. G. BARTON (*Chairman*)
MRS. C. LUXTON
MRS. H. C. HARDING.

Ref. 596/29.

No. 17. 23rd April, 1955.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honourable the Senior
Medical Officer, (*President*)

The Medical Officers
The Superintendent of Works
The Chief Constable
Mrs. M. Robson

The Honourable Mr. T. Gilruth, J.P.
D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.

to be members of the Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands for the year 1955.

Ref. 0537.

No. 18. 23rd April, 1955.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant leave of absence to the undermentioned gentleman from his duties as a Member of the Executive Council with effect from the 16th of April, 1955.

THE HONOURABLE

MR. N. K. CAMERON, O.B.E., J.P.

Ref. C/0001/II.

No. 19. 26th April, 1955.

It is notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

E. M. CAWKELL, ESQUIRE,
to be Director of Broadcasting and Chairman of the Broadcasting Advisory Committee, Falkland Islands, *vice*

D. MCNAUGHTON, ESQUIRE,
with effect from the 1st of May, 1955.

Ref. 0001/IV.

No. 20. 26th April, 1955.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Falkland Islands Defence Force under Section 7 (2) of the Defence Force Ordinance :-

AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON,
ESQUIRE, M.C.,

to be Honorary Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel with effect from the 17th of April, 1955.

Ref. 0206.

No. 21. 26th April, 1955.

The following telegrams exchanged between His Excellency the Governor and the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies are published for general information :-

*From His Excellency the Governor to the
Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies*

"I should be glad if you would convey to Her Majesty with my humble duty the loyal greetings of Her Majesty's Subjects in the Falkland Islands The Dependencies and the Antarctic Bases on the occasion of Her Birthday which is being celebrated here tomorrow".

*From the Right Honourable the Secretary of
State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor*

"I am commanded by the Queen to convey to you and her Subjects in the Falkland Islands The Dependencies and Antarctic Bases her sincere thanks for your kind message of loyal greetings on the occasion of Her Majesty's Birthday".

Ref. 0191/B.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQ., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR,
ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 25th day of April, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 25th day of April, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Temporary Member of the Executive Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Temporary Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, J.P.,

to be a Temporary Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 16th day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

By His Excellency's Command

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Colonial Secretary.

Administration of Estates Ordinance (Cap. 1)

Rules made by the Governor in Council.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 1 of 1955.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 22 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Rules :—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Administration of Estates (Amendment) Rules, 1955; and shall be read as one with the Administration of Estates Rules, hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules.

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2. The Second Schedule to the principal Rules is amended by the addition at the end of part I thereof of the following fees :—

“For inspecting an original Will	1. 0.
For a Copy of a Will or other document filed, per folio	1. 0.
For a Copy of Probate or Letters of Administration	2. 6.”

Made by the Governor in Council at a meeting held on the 7th day of April, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Administration of Justice Ordinance (Cap. 3).

Rules made by the Governor in Council.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 2 of 1955.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 69 of the Administration of Justice Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Rules :—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Court Fees (Amendment) Rules, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Court Fees Rules, hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules.

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2. Rule 4 of the principal Rules is hereby revoked and replaced as follows :—

“4. The fees prescribed in the Third Schedule are payable to a notary public on the specified notarial acts performed by him.”

Made by the Governor in Council at a meeting held on the 7th day of April, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Medical Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
8th February, 1955.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit, for the information of His Excellency the Governor, and for transmission to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Annual Medical and Sanitary Report for the year 1954.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. STEWART SLESSOR,

Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

ANNUAL MEDICAL AND SANITARY REPORT

FOR THE

YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1954.

I. ADMINISTRATION.

A. Staff.

<i>Office</i>	<i>Occupant(s)</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Senior Medical Officer	R. S. Slessor, M.B., Ch.B.	Whole year.	
Medical Officers	A. Szeley, M.D., D.Dent.	Till 19.3.54	On leave till transfer on 7.9.54.
	F. K. M. Hillenbrand, M.D.	Till 14.5.54	Transfer to F.I.D.S. and leave till end of contract, 23.11.54.
	G. H. Ashmore, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.	From 10.2.54.	
	G. F. Grave, M.B., B.S.	From 21.2.54.	
	D. G. G. Greenaway, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	From 29.7.54.	
T. B. Officer	P. K. E. Richter, M.D.	Till 20.11.54	On leave till end of contract.
Nurse Matron	Miss R. Strong, M.B.E., S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year.	
Nursing Sisters	Miss G. Johnston, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Till 7.10.54	On leave till end of contract.
	Miss M. Mackintosh, S.R.N., S.C.M.	From 16.9.54.	
	Mrs. R. Fleuret	Whole year.	On overseas leave from 18.6.54.
	Miss H. Lippold	Whole year.	
T.B. Sister	Miss Stellfeld	From 29.7.54.	
District Nurse	Mrs. M. E. Watson, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year.	
Staff Nurses	Miss J. Shackel	Whole year.	
	Miss H. Harries		Resigned 3.9.54.
	Miss G. McGill	From 21.4.54.	
	Miss P. Davis	„ 24.5.54.	
	Miss O. Lindenberg	„ 1.6.54.	
	Miss C. Hirtle	„ 1.10.54.	
Clerk	T. I. Biggs	Whole year.	
Caretaker	G. Harrison	Whole year.	

The domestic staff of the hospital consists of a cook, five maids and a laundry-maid, all employed on a monthly basis.

DENTAL STAFF.

Colonial Dentist	E. Latermann	On leave from 9.3.54 till end of contract.
Camp Dentist	L. Schönfeld	From 10.2.54.
Dental Mechanic	W. Hasenhöller	Whole year.
Dental Apprentice	N. Bennett	Whole year.
Sanitary Inspector.	Mr. J. Ikkint, Chief Constable, was Sanitary Inspector. During his absence on leave, his duties were undertaken by Acting Chief Constable, Sergeant J. Norris.	

STAFF CHANGES.

With the resumption of the Government Medical Service in Lafonia, the vacancy at Darwin was filled by Dr. Ashmore, who arrived in the Colony on the 10th February. Dr. Grave arrived on the 21st February, and relieved Dr. Szeley at Fox Bay. Dr. Szeley left the Colony on 9.3.54. Dr. Hillenbrand left the Colony in May, travelling to the U.K. as M.O. in the R.R.S. "John Biscoe". Dr. Grave remained at Fox Bay till 7.8.54, when he was transferred to Stanley. His place in the West Falkland was taken by Dr. Greenaway, who arrived from England on the 29th July.

Dr. Richter completed his T.B. Survey of the Islands in November, and went on leave on the 20th November.

The Colonial Dentist, Mr. Latermann, went on leave in March. Just before he was due to return to the Colony, he fell ill, and terminated his contract.

Dr. Schönfeld arrived in the Colony in February. In the absence of the Colonial Dentist, he remained in Stanley.

NURSING STAFF. Miss Mackintosh arrived in the Colony on 16.9.54, to relieve Miss Johnston, who went on leave in October. Mrs. Fleuret went on leave in June. Miss Stellfeld arrived at the end of July, as Tuberculosis Sister. This is a new appointment, made necessary by the opening of the T.B. Wing of the hospital.

The local recruitment of nurses has been very much better, and four Falkland Island nurses were appointed on probation during the year.

II. STATISTICAL RETURNS.

(A) FINANCIAL.

Total Government Ordinary Expenditure 1954/55 (Estimated) ... £171,158.

Expenditure on Medical Services in year 1954/55

(a) Personal Emoluments (Estimated) ...	£11,525
(b) Other Charges (Estimated) ...	£11,610

Total £23,135

Percentage of total expenditure 13.51%

	Revenue 1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
Medical	2,364	3,272	2,915	3,558	2,143	2,248
Dental	820	608	428	173	766	2,308
	<u>£3,184</u>	<u>£3,880</u>	<u>£3,343</u>	<u>£3,731</u>	<u>£2,909</u>	<u>£4,556</u>

(B) VITAL STATISTICS.

		Rate per 1000.
Population (estimated on 31.12.54)	...	2,212
Births (live)	...	48
Stillbirths	...	1
Deaths	...	20
Maternal deaths	...	0
Neo-natal deaths	...	0

III. PUBLIC HEALTH.

There were no epidemics during the year. The general health of the community was good, in spite of a long Winter and much less sunshine than usual. The incidence of upper respiratory tract infections was above average, but in most cases the illness was not severe.

The investigation and treatment of tuberculosis was a major work in the Medical Department programme. Dr. Richter completed the T.B. survey of the Falklands in November. A summary of his report is as follows :

Number of persons examined in Stanley	1,109
" " " " " the Camp	972
Total	2,081
Total population on 31.10.54	2,230
Percentage of the total population examined	93%

Result of the examination :

(1) Pulmonary tuberculosis	
(a) active	39
(b) inactive	60
(c) doubtful	21
Total	120
(2) Extra-pulmonary tuberculosis	
(a) bone	4
(b) T.B. Laryngitis	1
(c) T.B. peri-anal abscess	2
(d) T.B. cervical gland	1
Total	8

In 4 of these 8 cases, pulmonary tuberculosis was also present.

(3) Non-tubercular disease	16.
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Tuberculin tests. 606 persons were tested for Tuberculin sensitivity. 579 were examined after the test. Of these, 81 showed positive reactions, and 498 had no reaction.

B.C.G. vaccination. All Tuberculin-negative reactors in Stanley, with three exceptions, and all at Goose Green and Port Stephens - a total of 304 - were vaccinated with "B.C.G. Dry frozen Vaccine Behringwerke". The conversion rate in 65 persons, tested 6 to 8 months after B.C.G. vaccination, was 92.3%.

Treatment. With the completion of the T.B. Wing of the hospital in August, 1954, 10 beds and 3 cots became available for the treatment of tuberculous patients. 18 patients were treated in hospital, and 17 in their own homes. Two cases were sent to England for major surgical treatment, which has been successfully carried out.

The treatment of all T.B. patients is free, and Government introduced a scheme to give financial help to T.B. parents and their dependents.

The T.B. survey has shown that the incidence of tuberculosis is more than twice as high in Stanley than in the Camp, and much higher than in the U.K. The actual numbers, however, are such that all cases can be closely watched and treated.

Dr. Richter concluded his report as follows :

"It can be assumed that, after the nearly complete survey of the population, the isolation and treatment of the infectious cases, the B.C.G. vaccination of most of the negative reactors in Stanley children, there will be a marked decrease of mortality and morbidity in subsequent years."

IV. HYGIENE AND SANITATION.

1. **SEWAGE DISPOSAL.** The Town Council employs two night soil collectors. Householders who have not installed modern conveniences in their homes are encouraged to do so.

2. **WATER SUPPLY.** The water supply for Stanley is inadequate. Not only are the storage tanks and reservoirs too small, but the supply of water is not sufficient at times. There was an acute water shortage in November, following six weeks of drought, and fire-pumps were in almost continuous use to pump water from the Moody Valley stream. This stream will be the source of water in the scheme planned by Major Pape. There has been no labour available to start on the new water scheme, and efforts to recruit labour from Britain have failed.

The following data have been supplied by the Town Clerk :

	1953	1954
Average daily water consumption	30,000 gals.	35,000 gals.
Total number of houses in Stanley	342	343
Properties connected to main water supply ...	315	318
Water connected to the mains	4	3
Reservoir Storage	481,000 gals.	481,000 gals.
Hydrants on Water main	38	38
Connections to main sewer	282	289
Water closets installed	13	7

3. **DAIRIES.** There are three licensed dairies in Stanley, which are inspected by the Sanitary Inspector. The dairy herds are inspected by the Agricultural Department, and all animals are Tuberculin-tested. There were no reactors.

4. **SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.** There are two slaughter-houses in Stanley, which are regularly inspected by the Sanitary Inspector.

V. K. E. M. HOSPITAL.

All major alterations and additions to the hospital were completed in the course of the year, with the exception of the laundry, on which work is still continuing. The laundry will be an all-electric one, and its completion will lessen one of the major difficulties we have in running the hospital.

Much work had to be done on the old hospital building. The wooden piles on which the structure was built had all to be replaced; the corridor had to be re-floored; several partitions were pulled down and others erected. Now, on the North side, are four wards with ten beds for T.B. patients and, adjoining the Churchill Wing, a private maternity ward and the labour ward. On the North side, too, is a large sitting-room for convalescent T.B. patients. On the South side there are three small wards for T.B. cases, sluice-rooms, bath-rooms and a large store-room. In the fore-ground of the hospital two revolving chalets have been built. These are used by day only, and have proved most useful.

VI. MEDICAL SERVICES IN THE CAMP.

For Medical purposes, the Falklands are divided into three areas - Stanley and the North Camp, Lafonia and West Falklands. The S.M.O. and one M.O. are stationed in Stanley and see all the patients in Stanley and the North Camp. One M.O. lives at Darwin, in Lafonia, and deals with all the medical cases in his area. In the West Falkland, a doctor is stationed at Fox Bay. His patients live in the West Falkland and in the many islands to the North and West of it.

All settlements on the main East and West Falklands can communicate direct with a doctor by telephone; out-lying houses and the islands have radio-telephones.

Standard Medical Chests are provided at all settlements. When necessary, advice on the use of their contents - medicines, splints and dressings - can be given by telephone or R/T.

The Government Air Service is available for the transport of doctors and patients. As a rule, the Camp doctors ride to their patients but, when it is convenient, or necessary, they are flown. The Government-owned M.V. "Philomel" is also at the call of the Medical Department, and is used in emergency when the aircraft can not be used.

The system is practical and efficiently meets the peculiar needs of a roadless country of mountain ranges, great areas of peat bog and many islands, inhabited by a widely-scattered population.

VII. PRISONS AND ASYLUMS.

The gaol in Stanley is the only one in the Colony. The building is old, and would be much improved by some major alterations.

There is no asylum in the Colony. Cases requiring institutional care and treatment are accommodated in the United Kingdom. No cases were certified during 1954.

VIII. METEOROLOGICAL.

The following data have been supplied by the Chief Meteorological Officer :-

		1953.	1954.
Total annual rainfall	... ..	25.63 inches	25.21 inches
Average daily sunshine	... ..	4.51 hours	4.77 hours
Maximum temperature	... ..	77°F.	69°F.
Minimum ..	... ..	23°F.	23°F.
Mean relative humidity	... ..	85%	85%
Mean wind speed	... ..	15.1 knots	16.8 knots
Number of periods of calm	... ..	4 per month.	3 per month

IX. DEPENDENCIES.

The three Whaling Stations at South Georgia have their own medical organisation, and no returns are received from them.

A new hospital has been built at Leith Harbour ; it is commodious, and well equipped.

Mr. R. A. Duncan, B.D.S., was appointed Dental Surgeon for South Georgia and arrived on the island in January, 1954. He found much work to be done, and had a busy year. His salary has been paid from Dependencies Funds.

Four medical practitioners were registered to practise in the Dependencies in 1954. Dr. W. Turner was stationed at Hope Bay, Grahamland, throughout the year.

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	829	54	360	48	10
N944 Burn of wrist and hand	1		1		
N945 Scald of leg, foot			2		
N949 Burns, scalds, NOS	9		1		
N981.4 Actinic dermatitis	2				
N990 Drowning			3		3
E932 Exposure (cold)			1		1
E936 Accidental hanging			1		1
E976 Suicide by shooting			1		1
	841	54	370	48	16
Special conditions and examinations without sickness					
Y00.0 General medical examinations	66				
Y00.5 Well baby and child care	120				
Y01 Tuberculin sensitivity	606				
Y03.1 Inactive tuberculosis	81				
Y06 Pre-natal care	43				
Y40 Vaccination against Smallpox	106				
Y41 Inoculation against Diphtheria	24				
Y43 Inoculation against Tuberculosis	304				
<i>Totals</i>	2191	54	370	48	16

Total number of visits made to Out-patient Department ... 2691

Total number of visits made on the Stanley District ... 1638

The number of District visits does not include visits made to T.B. patients.

TABLE III.

STATISTICS OF CAUSES OF DEATH ACCORDING TO
SEX AND AGE GROUPINGS.

	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	Total
MALE															
011 Tuberculous peritonitis								1							1
162 Carcinoma of Lung										1					1
194 Carcinoma of Thyroid												1			1
332 Cerebral thrombosis											1				1
422.1 Myocardial degeneration with arterio-sclerosis														1	1
422.2 Senile Myocardial degeneration													2		2
543 Chronic gastritis												1			1
N990 Drowning	1		1							1					3
E932 Exposure (Cold)											1				1
E936 Accidental hanging					1										1
E976 Suicide by shooting									1						1
	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	14
FEMALE															
170 Carcinoma of breast						1									1
199 Malignant disease abdominal viscera												1			1
260 Diabetes Mellitus									1						1
331 Cerebral Haemorrhage												1			1
422.1 Myocardial degeneration with arteriosclerosis									1						1
465 Pulmonary embolism				1											1
	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	6

TABLE IV.

K. E. M. HOSPITAL — OPERATIONS, 1954.

MAJOR.				MINOR.			
Appendicectomy	...	...	8	Excision of sebaceous cyst	...	...	3
Ovariectomy	...	...	1	„ „ papilloma of leg	...	...	1
Salpingectomy	...	...	1	„ „ T.B. cervical gland	...	...	1
Excision of dermoid cyst	...	...	1	Drainage of abscess	...	...	2
Exploratory laparotomy	...	...	1	Removal of nail	...	...	1
Colostomy	...	...	1	Burn dressing under anaesthesia	...	...	1
Herniotomy	...	...	3	E.U.A.	...	...	1
High resection of int. saphenous vein	...	...	1	Reduction of dislocation	...	...	3
Phrenic crush	...	...	1	„ „ fracture	...	...	1
			—	D. and C.	...	...	2
			18				—
			—				16
							—
OBSTETRIC							
Forceps delivery	...	...	2				
Total operations				...	36		

TABLE V.

SUMMARY OF X-RAY EXAMINATIONS 1954.

Skull	...	...	26	Arm and elbow	...	...	24
Chest	...	...	1826	Hand and wrist	...	...	32
Ribs	...	..	6	Fingers or toes	...	...	8
Shoulder	...	...	16	Leg or knee	...	...	18
Spine	...	...	14	Ankle or foot	...	...	41
Pregnancy	...	...	1	Pelvis	...	...	2
Stomach and intestines	...	...	12				
			—				—
			1901				125
			—				—
TOTAL				...	2026		

DENTAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1954.

Mr. Latermann, Colonial Dentist, went on leave in March, and was unable to return to the Colony. Dr. Schönfeld, who came out in February as Camp Dentist, had to remain in Stanley for the greater part of the year. He made several short emergency visits to various settlements and, in December, started his long-delayed tour of the West Falkland. He has submitted the following report :

1. STAFF.

Colonial Dentist	...	E. Latermann	
Camp Dentist	...	L. Schönfeld	
Dental Mechanic	...	W. Hasenhöller	
Dental Apprentice	...	N. Bennett	

2. EQUIPMENT. The Dental Surgery and laboratory are well equipped. New equipment for metal casting was obtained and was much used.

3. STOCKS. Much inconvenience was caused by the late arrival of orders from Britain and some items, urgently required, had to be bought in Uruguay.

4. DENTAL HEALTH OF THE COLONY.

(a) Stanley. The present state of dental health in Stanley is good, but it is regrettable to find so many people wearing dentures. Now that more conservative treatment can be given by the fitting of crowns and bridges, people are keener to have these than to lose their teeth.

Children are still not paying sufficient attention to the care of their teeth, and parents should be encouraged to insist on their children brushing their teeth regularly.

(b) Camp. The dental position in the Camp is poor. Too often, teeth are found so badly decayed that extraction and the fitting of a denture is the only treatment possible. Although much was done by the Camp Dentist last year, there still remains much to do.

5. SUMMARY OF TREATMENT AND WORK.

(a) Oral surgery.

Resection of gum	...	...	5
Excision of fibroma	...	...	6
" " peri-apical cyst	...	...	3
" " submucous cyst	...	...	2
Levelling of mandible	...	...	7
Removal of foreign body from jaw	...	...	1
Implantation of teeth	...	...	2
Extractions	...	...	420
Extraction of buried roots	...	...	8
" " impacted wisdom teeth	...	...	6

(b) Conservative treatment

Fillings	...	...	860
Root fillings	...	...	17
Temporary fillings	..	...	14
Parodontal treatment	...	...	61
Scaling	...	...	92
Splinting of broken teeth	...	...	5

(c) Prosthetics

Dentures	...	...	117
Expansion splint	...	...	1
Gold pin teeth	...	...	4
Gold bridges	17
Gold crown	3
Gold inlay	63
Acrylic crown	12

(d) X-Ray examinations

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on 31st March, 1954.

MAY 1, 1955

DEPOSITS :		LIABILITIES	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	CASH BALANCES :	ASSETS	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
		Savings Bank Fund ...	859,038	19	4				Treasury ...	... 32,431	10	8				
		Intestate Estates ...	291	0	0				Crown Agents ...	... 664	11	4				
		Provident Fund ...	19,282	15	2				Joint Colonial Fund ...	... 110,000	0	0				
		Postal Monies ...	8,040	19	1				South Georgia ...	... 28	6	0		143,124	8	0
		Note Security Fund ...	99,505	5	9											
		Miscellaneous ...	9,018	3	4											
						995,177	2	8								
Reserve Fund ...						252,628	3	8								
Marine Renewals Fund ...						8,346	11	8								
Workmen's Compensation Fund ...						3,554	19	4								
Power Station Renewals Fund ...						6,689	13	0								
Remittances ...						3,706	9	7								
Old Age Pensions Equalization Fund ...						20,170	12	10								
Aviation Renewals Fund ...						4,029	19	10								
Surplus of Assets over Liabilities :																
Land Sales Fund ...			269,154	6	0											
General Revenue Balance A/c. ...			222,004	14	6											
						491,159	0	6						1,566,297	9	5
GENERAL REVENUE BALANCE ACCOUNT																
Balance on 1/4/53 ...			192,108	10	2											
Surplus on 31/3/54 ...			19,810	10	9											
Appreciation of Investments 1953/54 ...			10,085	13	7											
			222,004	14	6											
						£1,785,462	13	1						£1,785,462	13	1

The above Statement does not include

(a) Interest free loan to H.M. Government amounting to £2,198 12s. 0d.

(b) A sum of £2,004 17s. 9d. due by H.M. Government in respect of under issues on the following C. D. & W. Schemes.

D970	£1,436	17	9
D1072	568	0	0
	<u>£2,004</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>9</u>

S. G. TREES,

Colonial Treasurer,
29th March 1955.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 31st March, 1954.

RECEIPTS.	Amount Estimated		Actual Receipts		Over the Estimate		Under the Estimate	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Balance on 1st April 1953	.....	.....	24034	5 5	.....	.....	.....	.....
I Customs	44314	0 0	51758	7 1	7444	7 1	.....	.....
II Dependencies Contribution to cost of Central Administration	10000	0 0	10000	0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
III Fees, Fines, Reimbursements	4065	0 0	5099	19 9	1034	19 9	.....	.....
IV Harbour and Aviation	6850	0 0	5929	17 4	.....	.....	920	2 8
V Internal Revenue	111999	0 0	106697	11 1	.....	.....	5301	8 11
VI Interest	14250	0 0	15234	0 3	984	0 3	.....	.....
VII Miscellaneous	7795	0 0	9954	3 8	2159	3 8	.....	.....
VIII Posts & Telegraphs	21090	0 0	18288	13 0	.....	.....	2801	7 0
IX Electricity	5900	0 0	7040	16 1	1140	16 1	.....	.....
X Rents	1400	0 0	1439	17 1	39	17 1	.....	.....
XI Land Sales	211	0 0	104	5 11	.....	.....	106	14 1
Total Ordinary Revenue	227874	0 0	231547	11 3	12803	3 11	9129	12 8
XII Colonial Development and Welfare	34200	0 0	10193	17 4	.....	.....	24006	2 8
Total Revenue	£ 262074	0 0	241741	8 7	12803	3 11	33135	15 4
Advances	.....	.....	59151	8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deposits	.....	.....	574502	16 3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Remittances	.....	.....	275672	15 8	.....	.....	.....	.....
Investments	.....	.....	498838	8 8	.....	.....	.....	.....
Investments Adjustment Account	.....	.....	35738	17 8	.....	.....	.....	.....
General Revenue Balance Account	.....	.....	10085	13 7	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reserve Fund	.....	.....	8350	3 1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Aviation Renewals Fund	.....	.....	2029	19 10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marine Renewals Fund	.....	.....	1202	2 2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Power Station Renewals Fund	.....	.....	1607	8 5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Workmen's Compensation Fund	.....	.....	190	19 6	.....	.....	.....	.....
Land Sales Fund	.....	.....	208	11 10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund	.....	.....	105	11 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Farm & Building Loans	.....	.....	99	15 9	.....	.....	.....	.....
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund	.....	.....	11644	18 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Receipts	.....	.....	1721170	18 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance 1st April, 1953	.....	.....	24034	5 5	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL	.....	£	1745205	3 5	.....	.....	.....	.....

Statement shewing total Payments for the year ended 31st March, 1954.

PAYMENTS.	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I The Governor	3949	0	0	4115	9	5	166	9	5	.....	
II Agricultural	3722	0	0	2955	2	11	.....			766	17	1
III Audit	911	0	0	864	12	1	.....			46	7	11
IV Customs	1691	0	0	1611	14	6	.....			79	5	6
V Education	11060	0	0	9246	7	1	.....			1813	12	11
VI Harbour & Aviation	18979	0	0	17866	9	4	.....			1112	10	8
VII Medical	16682	0	0	17726	19	11	1044	19	11	.....	
VIII Meteorological	1284	0	0	804	17	3	.....			479	2	9
IX Military	948	0	0	771	9	9	.....			176	10	3
X Miscellaneous	20629	0	0	27827	0	6	7198	0	6	.....	
XI Pensions	7575	0	0	8712	2	1	1137	2	1	.....	
XII Police & Prisons	3227	0	0	3183	8	2	.....			43	11	10
XIII Posts & Telegraphs	21906	0	0	20823	18	10	.....			1082	1	2
XIV Public Works Department	15483	0	0	14131	12	5	.....			1351	7	7
XV Public Works Recurrent	17311	0	0	19458	7	1	2147	7	1	.....	
XVI Secretariat and Treasury	11415	0	0	11768	6	2	353	6	2	.....	
XVII Supreme Court	919	0	0	907	2	0	.....			11	18	0
XVIII Extraordinary Expenditure	60560	0	0	54274	10	11	.....			6285	9	1
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	218251	0	0	217049	10	5	12047	5	2	13248	14	9
XIX Colonial Development and Welfare ...	34200	0	0	4881	7	5	.....			29318	12	7
Total Expenditure ... £	252451	0	0	221930	17	10	12047	5	2	42567	7	4
Advances				60406	2	8						
Deposits				507257	19	3						
Remittances				277879	18	3						
Investments				603268	6	2						
Investments Adjustment Account				35738	17	8						
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund				702	1	9						
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund				4896	11	10						
Total Payments				1712080	15	5						
Closing Balance on 31st March, 1954 ...				33124	8	0						
TOTAL ... £				1745205	3	5						

S. G. TREES,

Colonial Treasurer.

4th March, 1955.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 30th June, 1954

RECEIPTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Receipts.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Net Balance ...				34099	0	8						
Customs	70400	0	0	57919	15	0				12480	5	0
Port Dues	200	0	0	190	0	0				10	0	0
Internal Revenue	45920	0	0	58432	0	0	12512	0	0			
Fees	795	0	0	826	1	11	31	1	11			
Rents	1551	0	0	1301	0	0				250	0	0
Post Office	10000	0	0	55501	7	11	15501	7	11			
Miscellaneous	7785	0	0	69340	6	5	61555	6	5			
Contribution from H.M. Government	98413	0	0	101989	0	0	3576	0	0			
	£ 265064	0	0	345499	11	3	93175	16	3	12740	5	0
Advances				61360	4	2						
Deposits				20106	15	6						
Remittances				171077	0	2						
Investments				238193	12	7						
Reserve Fund				12200	0	0						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund				45519	2	11						
Investments Adjustment Account				3458	4	8						
General Revenue Balance Account				2548	16	8						
Total Receipts				899963	7	11						
Balance 1/7/53				34099	0	8						
TOTAL	£			934062	8	7						

Statement shewing total Payments for the year ended 30th June, 1954

PAYMENTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
General	53010	0	0	54616	5	0	1576	5	0			
FIDS Rear Base	3987	0	0	3599	0	11				387	19	1
FIDS Headquarters (Administration)	16159	0	0	44590	4	7	28431	4	7			
FIDS Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	10405	0	0	8107	16	10				2297	3	2
FIDS Bases	62580	0	0	61311	6	1				1268	13	11
FIDS "John Biscoe"	111769	0	0	120025	10	7	8256	10	7			
Scientific Bureau	5882	0	0	5220	13	7				661	6	5
	£ 263822	0	0	297470	17	7	38264	0	2	4615	2	7
Advances				22583	3	6						
Deposits				31192	10	3						
Remittances				174942	19	9						
Investments				347359	14	2						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund				50509	8	0						
Investments Adjustment Account				3458	4	8						
Total Payments				927516	17	11						
Balance 30/6/54				6545	10	8						
TOTAL			£	934062	8	7						

S. G. TREES,

Colonial Treasurer.

14th April, 1955.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at 30th June, 1954.

LIABILITIES				£	s.	d.	ASSETS				£	s.	d.		
DEPOSITS							CASH BALANCES								
Miscellaneous	£13,660	13	0		South Georgia	...	...	£6,516	12	2			
Security	10,000	0	0		Crown Agents	...	...	28	18	6			
				23,660	13	0					6,545	10	8		
REMITTANCES	17,440	1	1	Joint Colonial Fund	...	...	...	...	123,000	0	0
FUNDS							REMITTANCES IN TRANSIT	...	...	...	...		2	2	
Reserve Fund	£121,569	8	4		INVESTMENTS								
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund	22,692	9	4		Reserve Fund	...	...	£74,151	15	9			
				144,261	17	8	"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund	...	...	72,292	9	4			
TOTAL LIABILITIES	185,362	11	9	Security Deposit	...	...	9,948	6	8		
GENERAL REVENUE BALANCE ACCOUNT							ADVANCES	...	...	...	...		156,392	11	9
Balance as at the 31st July, 1953	£60,470	15	3							10,472	12	9	
Add: Surplus for year 1953/54	48,028	13	8										
				£108,499	8	11									
Add: Appreciation of Investments	2,548	16	8										
Balance at 30th June, 1954	111,048	5	7								
				£296,410	17	4					£296,410	17	4		

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S. G. TREES,
Colonial Treasurer.
12th April, 1955.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Grave, Dr. G. F. M.B., B.S.	Medical	Acting Senior Medical Officer	16.4.55	During the absence on leave of the Senior Medical Officer.
Browning, Miss F.	"	Nurse Probationer	23.5.55	—
Goss, R.	Posts & Tels.	Messenger	5.5.55	On probation for six months.
Goodwin, R.	" "	"	21.5.55	do.
Dunlop, J. P.	South Georgia	Officer-in-Charge, South Georgia	30.4.55	During the absence on leave of the Adminis- trative Officer.
Maloney, L.	" "	Meteorological Assistant	21.4.55	—
Smith, M. H.	" "	Meteorological Assistant	21.4.55	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Osborne, K.	Posts & Tels.	30.4.55	Resigned.

LEAVE.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Whitney, J.	Posts & Tels.	7.5.55	180 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Halliday, L.	Secretariat	7.5.55	180 days	do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 22. 2nd May, 1955.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HON. MR. KEITH WILLIAM LUXTON, J.P.,
to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of William Frank Lang, bachelor, and May Malvina Binnie, spinster, at Chartres, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Saturday the 30th of April, 1955.

Ref. P/614.

No. 23.

4th May, 1955.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HONOURABLE MR.

AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.,

to be a Magistrate of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies with effect from the 2nd of May, 1955.

Ref. 0457.

No. 22A.

4th May, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated the 25th of April,

No. 24.

4th May, 1955.

The following revised list of Magistrates and Justices of the Peace of the Colony and its Dependencies is published for information:—

Name	Place of Residence.	Date of Appointment.
EAST FALKLAND.		
Dr. J. H. Ashmore, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., J.P.	Darwin	14th December, 1954.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Barton, C.B.E., J.P.	Stanley	15th July, 1931.
H. Bennett, Esq., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
J. F. Bonner, Esq., J.P.	San Carlos	12th May, 1937.
J. Bound, Esq., E.D., J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Hon. Mr. N. K. Cameron, O.B.E., J.P.	Port San Carlos	6th May, 1935.
M. G. Creece, Esq., J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Denton-Thompson, M.C., Magistrate	"	2nd May, 1955
Hon. Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.	Darwin	31st January, 1949.
Dr. J. E. Hamilton, I.S.O., D.Sc., J.P.	Stanley	14th November, 1919.
Hon. Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
Hon. Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.	"	27th November, 1939.
A. Newing, Esq., J.P.	"	6th May, 1935.
M. Robson, Esq., J.P.	"	12th August, 1920.

WEST FALKLAND.

Hon. Mr. W. W. Blake, J.P.	Hill Cove	24th March, 1954.
W. H. Clement, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay East	5th October, 1954.
Hon. Mr. K. W. Luxton, J.P.	Chartres	24th September, 1940.
D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.	Port Howard	25th April, 1946.
C. H. Robertson, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay West	27th November, 1936.

DEPENDENCIES.

W. E. Anderson, Esq., M.B.E., M.C., Magistrate	Hope Bay and View Point	8th November, 1954.
K. V. Blaiklock, Esq., Magistrate	M. V. "Norsel"	17th February, 1955.
A. M. Carroll, Esq., Magistrate	Port Lockroy	8th November, 1954.
H. Dollman, Esq., Magistrate	Signy Island	11th January, 1955.
J. P. Dunlop, Esq., J.P.	South Georgia	14th April, 1955.
K. M. Gaul, Esq., Magistrate	Marguerite Bay	18th February, 1955.
R. V. Hesketh, Esq., Magistrate	Argentine Islands	8th November, 1954.
P. R. Hooper, Esq., Magistrate	Anvers Island	28th February, 1955.
W. Johnston, Esq., Magistrate	R. R. S. "John Biscoe"	13th January, 1951.
J. R. Noble, Esq., Magistrate	Admiralty Bay	8th November, 1954.
C. H. Palmer, Esq., Magistrate	Deception Island	8th November, 1954.
R. E. Spivey, Esq., Magistrate	South Georgia	15th March, 1954.

Ref. 0457

No. 25. 9th May, 1955.

It is with deep regret that His Excellency the Governor announces the death on the 7th of May, 1955, of Miss Frances Bowles, Clerk in the Audit Department, Stanley.

Ref. P/606.

No. 26. 26th May, 1955.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant leave of absence to the undermentioned gentleman from his duties as a Member of the Executive Council with effect from the 7th of May, 1955.

THE HONOURABLE MR. H. C. HARDING, J.P.

Ref. C/0001/II.

No. 27. 31st May, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Colony and Dependencies of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1955 (Dependencies)	Application of Colony Laws Ordinance, 1955.	0188.
2 of 1955 (Colony)	Application of Enactments (Amend.) Ordinance, 1955.	1460.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Isabella Biggs,
deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Hubert Arthur Biggs, the widower of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

14th May, 1955.

S.C. 10/55.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Betts,
deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Whereas the above named deceased did not appoint an executor of his Will dated the 2nd day of April, 1938.

And whereas Frederick Charles Betts, son of the above named deceased, prays that Letters of Administration with the said Will annexed, may be granted to him to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

26th May, 1955.

S.C. 14/55.

H. BENNETT,

Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing KETH WILLIAM LUXTON, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Temporary Member of the Executive Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor may, from time to

time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Temporary Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

KEITH WILLIAM LUXTON, ESQUIRE, J.P.,

to be a Temporary Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 12th day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

By His Excellency's Command,

J: BOUND,

for Colonial Secretary.

Ref. C/0001/II.



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No. 7.

No. 30.

13th June, 1955.

Departure from the Colony of His Excellency the Governor.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

HIS EXCELLENCY OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, C.M.G., C.V.O.,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief, left the Colony this day for the purpose of visiting the United Kingdom.

By Command,
J. BOUND,
for Colonial Secretary.

No. 1

Proclamation

1955

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen. Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By The Honourable AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQUIRE, M.C., Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by the seventh clause of the Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 13th December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, it is provided that "whenever the Office of Governor is vacant, or the Governor is absent from the Colony or is from any cause prevented from, or incapable of, acting in the duties of his Office, then such other person as We may appoint under Our Sign Manual and Signet, or if there is no such person in the Colony so appointed and capable of discharging the duties of the administration, the Senior Member of the Executive Council then in the Colony and so capable, shall, during Our pleasure, administer the Government of the Colony".

AND WHEREAS HIS EXCELLENCY OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, has this day left the Colony for the purpose of visiting the United Kingdom.

AND WHEREAS no person has been appointed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to administer the Government of this Colony in the absence of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the Falkland Islands, the Senior Member of the Executive Council aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that, in pursuance of the said clause of the said Royal Letters Patent and having taken the oaths prescribed by law, I have this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Colony and its Dependencies.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 13th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

*By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government.*

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. P/659.



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No. 8.

APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Watson, W. H.	F.I.D.S.	Carpenter	1.5.55	—
Trees, S. G., M.V.O.	Secretariat & Treasury	Acting Colonial Secretary	13.6.55	—
Lellman, E. F.	Secretariat & Treasury	Acting Colonial Treasurer	13.6.55	—

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Richardson, Miss U. M.	Education	Mistress	13.6.55	144 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Hasenholler, W.	Medical	Dental Mechanic	13.6.55	144 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Myles, W. B.	Posts & Tels.	Clerk	13.6.55	180 days	do.
Spivey, R. E.	South Georgia	Administrative Officer	13.6.55	—	do.
Robinson, Miss M. H.	Education	Infant School Mistress	22.1.55 to 10.6.55		On completion of contract.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 28. 3rd June, 1955.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SYDNEY MILLER, ESQUIRE,

to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony, with effect from the 3rd of June, 1955.

Ref. 0457.

No. 28A. 9th June, 1955.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS, 1955.

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointment and award:—

M.B.E. (Civil) —

MR. HENRY H. SEDGWICK
(Head Printer)

The Colonial Police Medal
for Meritorious Service —

MR. JAMES NORRIS
(Police Sergeant)

Ref. 0107/C.

No. 29. 13th June, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
4 of 1955	Appropriation (1955-56) Ordinance, 1955.	0284/VIII.

No. 31. 20th June, 1955.

The Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to approve the following Efficiency Medal awards to Members of the Falkland

Islands Defence Force up to and including the 30th June, 1955.

Members who have qualified for 2nd Clasp to Medal

SGT. T. I. BIGGS
CPL. V. T. KING

Members who have qualified for 1st Clasp to Medal

C/SGT. R. JONES
SGT. P. G. SUMMERS
L/CPL. T. J. CAREY
PTE. J. K. BIGGS
PTE. A. MIDDLETON

Members who have qualified for Medal

PTE. H. BLYTH
PTE. W. A. N. GOODWIN

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Ann Cantlie, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas the Executor of the Will (dated the 20th day of May, 1936) of the above named deceased did not survive the deceased.

And whereas William Joseph Cantlie, surviving son of the above named deceased, prays that Letters of Administration with the said Will annexed, may be granted to him to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

18th June, 1955.

S.C. 32/54.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 14th day of June, 1955.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Officer Administering the Government.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1955.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.,
Officer Administering the Government.

An Ordinance

To alter the rate of export duty payable in respect of whale solubles exported from the Dependencies. Title.

ENACTED for the Dependencies of the Colony of the Falkland Islands by the Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and the Dependencies thereof, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Customs (Dependencies) Ordinance, 1955. Short title.

2. The expression "whale solubles" means residual products derived from whales, the said products being soluble and insoluble proteins in an acid solution. Definition.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Customs Order the rate of duty to be levied upon all whale solubles exported from the Dependencies shall be twopence per one hundred lb. weight or part thereof. Alteration of the export duty upon whale solubles.

Promulgated by the Officer Administering the Government on the 14th day of June, 1955.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 12th day of June, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 3



1955.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. To provide for the service between the first day of July, 1955, and the thirtieth day of June, 1956.

Date of commencement. [1st July, 1955.]

Enacting Clause. ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows —

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955/1956) Ordinance, 1955.

Appropriation of
£1,167,777 for service
of the year ending 30th
June, 1956.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Dependencies and applied to the service of the period ending the 30th of June, 1956, a sum not exceeding One million One hundred and Sixty-seven thousand, Seven hundred and Seventy-seven pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the period from the first day of July, 1955, to the thirtieth day of June, 1956.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £
1.	General	61,021
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	13,793
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	15,397
4.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	13,716
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	413,535
6.	F.I.D.S. Ships	641,943
7.	F.I.D.S. Scientific Bureau	8,372
Total Expenditure		£1,167,777

Promulgated by the Governor on the 12th day of June, 1955.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Coutts, W.	Public Works	Electrician	1.7.55	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Rowlands, Miss C.	F.I.D.S.	Clerk	7.7.55	Resigned.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	
Duncan, R. A.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	10.7.55	68 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Wallace, T. E. B.	Public Works	Carpenter	10.7.55	236 days	do.
Summers, P. G.	" "	Clerk	10.7.55	180 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Northwood, A.	" "	General Foreman of Works	30.1.55 to 13.7.55		On completion of contract.
Lippold, Migs H.	Medical	Nursing Sister	16.4.55 to 21.6.55		Both dates inclusive.
Briscoe, J. E.	Treasury	Colonial Treasurer	19.1.55 to 28.6.55		On completion of secondment.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 32. 5th July, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1955	Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955.	31/44.

No. 33. 6th July, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 3 of the 10th of January, 1955, the following name is added to the list of Ministers registered for celebrating marriages:—

The Reverend Joseph Joynes	Minister of the United Free Church.
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Ref. 1163.

No. 34. 12th July, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 14 of 5th April, 1955, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 30th June, 1955, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
30th June, 1955	57.46%

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the Cost of Living Bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 35. 29th July, 1955.

It is hereby notified that His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

MR. E. C. GUTTERIDGE

to be Superintendent, Power & Electrical Installations, with effect from 1st August, 1955. With effect from the same date the Electrical Section of the Public Works Department will be known as the Power & Electrical Department and will become a separate department of Government.

Ref. P/474.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of
Alfred Harry Duffin, deceased, of Stanley,
Falkland Islands.*

Whereas the Executor of the Will (dated the 24th day of November, 1947) of the above named deceased has renounced probate.

And whereas Sarah Emma Maud Sollis, only child of the above named deceased, prays that Letters of Administration with the Will annexed, may be granted to her to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

15th July, 1955.

S.C. 18/55.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ARTHUR GRENFELL BARTON, ESQUIRE, C.B.E., J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By the Honourable AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQUIRE, M.C., Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the

instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

ARTHUR GRENFELL BARTON, Esquire, C.B.E., J.P.,
to be a Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 8th day of July, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

*By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,*

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. C/0001/II.

The Education Ordinance (Cap. 22).

Regulations

(under section 10 of the Ordinance).

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Officer Administering the Government.

No. 1 of 1955.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 10 of the Education Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :-

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Schools (Amendment) Regulations, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Schools Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Cap. 22.
Short Title.
Vol. II Revised Edition
p. 181.

2. Regulation 9 of the principal Regulations is hereby amended as follows :-

Amendment of
regulation 9 of the
principal Regulations.

- (a) by deleting the words and figure "to his paying in advance 2/6 on Monday of each week he attends, and subject also" in sub-regulation (1);
- (b) by revoking sub-regulation (2);
- (c) by renumbering sub-regulation (3) as sub-regulation (2).

Made by the Officer Administering the Government in Council on the 12th day of July, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Registration Ordinance (Cap. 57)

Regulations

(under section 12 of the Ordinance).

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Officer Administering the Government.

No. 2 of 1955.

Cap. 57.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 12 of the Registration Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

Vol. II Revised Edition
p. 263.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Registration (Amendment) Regulations, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Registration Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Amendment of the
Second Schedule to the
principal Regulations.

2. The Second Schedule to the principal Regulations is amended by the addition to the first part thereof of the following fees :—

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|-----|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| “3. | For registering an instrument
not more than five folios | ... | ... | 10. | 0. |
| 4. | For each additional folio | ... | ... | 1. | 0.” |

Made by the Officer Administering the Government in Council on the 12th day of July, 1955.

J. BOUND,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 0783.



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No. 10.

APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Smith, F.	Agricultural	Agricultural & Livestock Assistant	1.5.55	—
Stewart, G.	"	do.	1.5.55	—
Dumaresq, M. R.	Education	Teacher	29.7.55	—
Peck, Miss L.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	10.8.55	—
Schwagereit, D. P.	"	Dental Surgeon	29.7.55	—
Collings, O. J.	Public Works	Carpenter	29.7.55	—
Startin, P. J.	" "	Motor Mechanic	29.7.55	—
Bound, J., E.D., J.P.	Secretariat	Acting Colonial Secretary	30.8.55	—
Roberts, Miss I.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	8.8.55	On probation for two years.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Craigie-Halkett, Miss V.	Posts & Tels.	Telephone Operator	19.1.55
Peck, Miss J.	" "	" "	1.2.55

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Atkinson, Mrs. C.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	31.7.55
Morrison, Mrs. S. M.	" " "	"	7.8.55

TRANSFER.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Goss, R.	Messenger, Posts & Tels.	Clerk, Treasury	1.9.55
			On probation for two years.

LEAVE.

	Department	Office	Period	Remarks
King, Mrs. G. E.*	Education	Asst. Teacher	1.2.55 to 30.7.55	On resignation.
Garner, E.	Public Works (Dev. Programme)	Plasterer	22.3.55 to 12.8.55	On completion of contract.
Wilson, W.	Public Works (Dev. Programme)	Painter	22.3.55 to 12.8.55	do.
Cochrane, J.	South Georgia	Meteorological Asst.	1.5.55 to 2.8.55	do.
Hosie, D. S.	" "	" "	11.6.55 to 12.8.55	do.
Owen, T. G.	South Georgia	Wireless Operator	2.5.55 to 11.8.55	do.

* (The Notice appearing on page 21 of March 1955 Gazette is hereby cancelled.)

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 36. 31st August, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 13 of 1951, the following reconstituted Labour Advisory Board is published for general information:—

Mr. G. A. Howkins (*Chairman*)
The Hon. Mr. A. G. Barton, C.B.E., J.P.
Mr. A. E. Livermore
Mr. M. E. Evans
Mr. M. W. H. Biggs
Mr. A. L. S. Biggs
Mr. V. A. W. Harrison.

Ref. 97/41.

14th August, 1955.

Notice is hereby given that

PHILLIP SECUNDO BERRIDO

of Goose Green, Falkland Islands, is applying to the Home Secretary for naturalisation, and that any person who knows any reason why naturalisation should not be granted should send a written signed statement of the facts to the Colonial Secretary, Stanley, Falkland Islands, for transmission to the Under Secretary of State, Home Office, London.

Ref. 1722.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Ann Craigie-Halkett, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Dominic William O'Sullivan, Attorney for Cecil Mayne Craigie-Halkett, elder son of the deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in

the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

3rd August, 1955.

L. 12/53.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Matilda Letitia Evans, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Margaret Curran, daughter of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

18th August, 1955.

S.C. 21/55.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Donald John Kiddle, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Peter Kiddle, brother of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

31st August, 1955.

S.C. 25/55.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Esq., M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Officer Administering the Government of the said Colony.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour* AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esquire, M.C., *Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*
 [L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 30th day of August, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 29th day of August, 1955.

By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,
 S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

ANNUAL STOCK RETURN FOR 1954-1955.

Prepared from information furnished in accordance with Section 40 of the Live Stock Ordinance, Cap. 40.

OWNER.	NAME OF STATION.	RAMS.	WETHERS.	BREEDING EWES.	OTHER EWES.		HOGGETS.	TOTAL.
					CAST.	MAIDEN.		
EAST FALKLAND.								
Estate J. W. Miller	Moody Valley.	30	250	652	444	—	161	1537
San Carlos Sheep Farming Co., Ltd.	San Carlos.	411	6,223	9,255	479	2,648	5,801	24,817
Pitaluga Bros.	Gibraltar.	152	5,907	7,135	—	—	3,507	16,701
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Darwin & Lafonia.	2,239	57,546	57,609	629	15,350	32,676	166,049
Smith Bros.	Fitzroy.	401	10,016	11,545	—	3,486	6,166	31,614
Mrs. N. S. Browning and Estate J. W. McGill	Berkeley Sound.	172	4,809	5,258	—	1,150	2,931	14,320
Mrs. F. O. Yonge	Mullet Creek.	33	210	1,210	—	103	125	1,681
The Douglas Ste. Co., Ltd.	Bluff Cove.	149	495	3,572	100	—	570	4,886
Port San Carlos Co., Ltd.	Port Louis.	177	3,900	4,264	—	1,005	2,241	11,585
Teal Inlet Ltd.	Douglas.	443	6,819	9,425	—	1,802	4,040	22,529
Estate H. J. Pitaluga	Port San Carlos.	326	8,172	10,091	—	2,519	5,553	26,661
	Evelyn.	379	6,677	8,980	171	1,362	4,573	22,142
	Rincon Grande.	110	3,632	3,818	200	974	1,758	10,492
		5,022	114,656	132,814	2,023	30,397	70,102	355,014

WEST FALKLAND.

J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard.	345	9,335	13,057	375	3,465	7,160	33,737
Holmsted Blake & Co., Ltd.	Hill Cove.	446	9,087	11,350	1,099	2,593	6,114	30,689
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Port Stephens.	386	8,654	9,975	329	2,396	3,904	25,644
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Fox Bay West	404	8,296	10,789	—	2,465	5,274	27,228
Packe Bros. & Co. Ltd.	Fox Bay East	385	8,324	9,362	—	2,906	5,869	26,846
Luxton & Anson	Chartres.	304	6,367	10,037	30	1,953	4,786	23,477
Bertrand & Felton Ltd.	Roy Cove.	185	4,857	5,900	—	1,668	3,544	16,154
		2,455	54,920	70,470	1,833	17,446	36,651	183,775

ISLANDS.

Estate J. Hamilton, Ltd.	Weddell.	20	3,184	1,159	400	720	1,267	6,750
" " " "	Beaver.	67	54	1,877	—	—	—	1,998
" " " "	Passage.	21	—	830	—	—	—	851
" " " "	Saunders.	141	2,293	2,532	—	569	1,186	6,721
Dean Bros. Ltd.	Pebble & Keppel.	228	6,940	5,907	900	1,960	4,074	20,009
" " " "	Jasons.	10	886	647	—	213	148	1,904
C. & K. Bertrand	Carcass.	15	889	502	—	304	455	2,165
J. Davis	New.	28	857	820	230	270	574	2,779
J. Lee	Sea Lion.	8	476	620	30	291	375	1,800
Mrs. Napier	West Point.	15	1,063	673	—	302	312	2,365
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Speedwell Group.	202	4,496	3,959	52	934	2,007	11,650
		755	21,138	19,526	1,612	5,563	10,398	58,992

SUMMARY OF STOCK RETURNS 1950-1955.

EAST FALKLAND	...	...	...	5,022	114,656	132,814	2,023	30,397	70,102	355,014
WEST FALKLAND	...	...	...	2,455	54,920	70,470	1,833	17,446	36,651	183,775
ISLANDS	...	...	...	755	21,138	19,526	1,612	5,563	10,398	58,992
TOTALS 1954-1955				8,232	190,714	222,810	5,468	53,406	117,151	597,781
1953-1954				8,224	187,199	219,080	6,119	53,265	125,828	599,905
1952-1953				7,868	184,489	219,385	7,250	44,946	129,383	593,611
1951-1952				7,978	188,716	222,325	8,677	47,281	109,085	584,062
1950-1951				7,980	192,179	221,473	554	49,505	118,072	596,963

TOTAL WOOL CLIP IN 1000 LBS.	SHEEP SHORN.	LAMBS.		SHEEP DISPOSED OF.	HORSES.	CATTLE.	SWINE.	ACRES SOWN OATS.	EAR MARK.
		MARKED.	DIPPED.						

EAST FALKLAND.

5	746	761	130	308	7	32	7	—	Fork & Slit.
175	22,345	6,335	5,801	2,993	120	643	6	14	Front Square.
110	15,064	4,125	3,507	2,099	50	230	—	—	Fore Bayonet.
1,406	149,787	35,043	32,676	13,554	730	3,959	2	17	Double Swallow.
233	29,468	7,155	6,166	3,538	177	959	—	—	"
87	12,936	3,385	2,931	1,203	28	226	—	—	Triangle.
6	952	140	125	125	—	21	—	—	Back Bayonet.
21	3,630	688	585	85	18	67	—	—	Double Slit.
83	10,400	2,607	2,241	950	46	295	—	—	Front Halfpenny.
142	19,950	4,596	4,040	1,747	76	173	—	6	Fork.
195	23,529	6,884	5,553	2,154	112	730	5	8	Slit.
137	19,902	5,125	4,573	2,080	181	324	—	2½	Back Square.
75	9,682	1,911	1,758	477	42	171	—	—	Slit.
2,675	318,391	78,155	70,086	31,313	1,587	7,830	20	47½	

WEST FALKLAND.

254	29,003	8,261	7,160	2,244	200	878	4	—	Fork.
215	26,164	6,657	6,114	2,087	127	447	—	10	Fore Bayonet.
177	23,871	4,639	3,904	1,432	160	407	4	5	Fork.
190	23,432	6,125	5,274	1,879	110	395	—	18	Fore Bayonet.
214	24,210	6,772	5,869	3,331	150	450	—	—	Fore Bit.
159	19,655	5,253	4,786	901	175	510	—	9	Double Swallow.
126	14,162	3,770	3,544	1,583	98	250	4	5	Front Square.
1,335	160,497	41,477	36,651	13,457	1,020	3,337	12	47	

ISLANDS.

54	5,736	348	250	1,011	101	152	—	½	Fork.
16	1,990	825	795	603	11	71	—	—	"
3	351	275	260	—	—	15	—	—	"
53	5,928	1,515	1,202	350	20	83	8	—	"
149	17,384	4,397	4,074	350	82	269	3	9	Back Bayonet.
31	1,776	148	148	36	1	—	—	—	"
20	2,121	466	455	357	15	24	—	—	Fore Bayonet.
26	2,812	604	574	150	7	53	3	—	Fork.
13	1,633	415	375	160	2	14	—	—	Slit.
21	2,212	323	312	190	—	20	1	—	Back Square.
101	9,867	3,085	2,835	1,355	12	388	—	—	Double Swallow.
487	51,810	12,401	11,280	4,562	251	1,089	15	9½	

2,675	318,391	78,155	70,086	31,313	1,587	7,830	20	47½	
1,335	160,497	41,477	36,651	13,457	1,020	3,337	12	47	
487	51,810	12,401	11,280	4,562	251	1,089	15	9½	
4,499	530,698	132,033	118,017	49,332	2,858	12,256	47	104	
4,333	532,768	139,383	125,835	57,120	2,950	12,461	40	93½	
4,419	522,784	149,823	129,545	52,262	2,924	12,457	52	74	
4,212	526,362	122,689	109,360	50,710	3,003	12,181	40	93	
4,379	539,133	134,022	118,059	59,209	2,970	11,630	24	75½	

SHEEP DISPOSED OF.

YEAR.	SOLD LOCALLY FOR BREEDING OR FURTHER USE.	EXPORTED.	SLAUGHTERED.			OTHER LOSSES NOT LAMBS.
			MUTTON.	TALLOW.	SKINS.	
1954-1955	7,477	1,640	21,615	—	18,590	69,943
1953-1954	7,035	—	38,266	—	11,801	62,421
1952-1953	3,932	—	32,945	565	13,194	67,572
1951-1952	4,779	1,937	23,427	8,545	12,022	76,330
1950-1951	6,614	1,331	24,526	10,330	16,408	79,669

RE-CALCULATED PERCENTAGES.

YEAR.	DEATH RATE %	PER 100 EWES PUT TO THE RAMS.		
		% LAMBS MARKED OF	% HOGGETS DIPPED PREVIOUS YEAR'S EWES.	% HOGGETS SHORN FOLLOWING YEAR.
1954-1955	11.65	60.26	53.86	49.41
1953-1954	10.56	63.53	57.35	—
1952-1953	11.57	67.39	58.19	—
1951-1952	12.78	55.39	49.37	—
1950-1951	13.03	58.94	51.92	—

IMPORTATIONS.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Williamson, Miss B. G.	Education	Infant School Mistress	5.9.55	—
Cottrill, Miss F.	F.I.D.S.	Shorthand/Typist	3.3.55	Assumed duty 11.3.55.
Ward, Miss R. J. V.	"	Stores Assistant	19.6.55	" " 30.6.55.
Quigley, J. J.	South Georgia	Diesel Electric Mech.	25.8.55	" " 24.9.55.
Halliday, Tony	Posts & Tels.	Messenger	1.9.55	On probation for 6 months.
Bound, H. L.	Treasury	Acting Asst. Treasurer	13.6.55	—
Dunlop, J. P.	South Georgia	Officer-in-Charge	30.4.55	Acted till 8.9.55.

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Smith, M.	Harbour & Aviation	Engineer (Ground)	27.2.55 to 4.9.55	Both dates inclusive.
Strong, Miss R., M.B.E.	Medical	Matron	27.2.55 to 4.9.55	" " "
Reive, C. T.	Posts & Telegraphs	Electrician	27.2.55 to 4.9.55	" " "
Blyth, A. J.	Power & Electrical	Assistant Supt.	27.2.55 to 4.9.55	" " "
Spivey, R. E.	South Georgia	Admin. Officer	13.6.55 to 8.9.55	" " "
Borland, D.	" "	Met. Forecaster	15.5.55 to 23.9.55	" " "
Mayles, W. C.	" "	Steward/Cook	10.6.55 to 23.9.55	" " "

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 37. 3rd September, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 30th August, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Honour the Officer Administering the Government returned to Stanley on Thursday, 1st September, 1955.

Ref. 0276.

No. 38. 14th September, 1955.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be advanced one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, 24th/25th September, 1955.

Ref. 0064.

No. 39. 14th September, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
3 of 1955	Supplementary Appropriation (1953-54) Ordinance, 1955	0284/VII.

No. 40. 16th September, 1955.

It is hereby notified for general information that

JOHN BOUND, ESQ., E.D., J.P.,

acted as Colonial Secretary from 30th August to 1st September, 1955.

Ref. P/186.

No. 41. 23rd September, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that in accordance with the new Austrian visa and permit requirements, only the following categories of British subjects will be permitted to enter Austria without visas:

- (i) holders of United Kingdom passports;
- (ii) holders of passports issued by United Kingdom Consulates; and

- (iii) citizens of other Commonwealth countries which have concluded a visa-abolition agreement with Austria.

Ref. 0624/VII.

14th August, 1955.

Notice is hereby given that

PHILLIP SECUNDO BERRIDO

of Goose Green, Falkland Islands, is applying to the Home Secretary for naturalisation, and that any person who knows any reason why naturalisation should not be granted should send a written signed statement of the facts to the Colonial Secretary, Stanley, Falkland Islands, for transmission to the Under Secretary of State, Home Office, London.

Ref. 1722.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of John Skilling, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Charles Robert Skilling, son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

8th September, 1955.

S.C. 26/55.



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No. 12.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Newing, Miss O. J.	Education	Assistant Teacher	31.10.55	Resigned.

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Duncan, R. A.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	17.7.55 to 22.9.55	On completion of contract.
Shackel, Miss J.	"	Nurse Probationer	9.7.55 to 8.10.55	—
Campbell, C.	Secretariat	Colonial Secretary	13.5.55 to 11.10.55	On completion of secondment.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON.
Colonial Secretary.

No. 42. 12th October, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 4th October, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Honour the Officer Administering the Government returned to Stanley on Monday, 10th October, 1955.

Ref. 0276.

No. 43. 19th October, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 34 of 12th July, 1955, the findings of the Cost of Living

Committee for the quarter ended 30th September, 1955, are hereby published for general information.

<i>Quarter ended</i>	<i>Percentage increase over 1948 prices</i>
30th September, 1955	56.70%

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the Cost of Living Bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 44. 27th October, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies :-

No.	Title.	Ref.
3 of 1955	Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955/1956) Ordinance, 1955	0284/J/IX.

No. 45. 29th October, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 18, dated 23rd April, 1955, it is notified for general information that

THE HONOURABLE

MR. N. K. CAMERON, O.B.E., J.P.,

resumed his duties as a Member of the Executive Council with effect from 23rd October, 1955.

Ref. C/0001/II.

No. 46. 1st November, 1955.

Revision of the Electoral Rolls.

In accordance with Section 5 of the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance and in readiness for the General Election early in 1956, it is hereby notified that all persons who are desirous of having their names entered on the Register for the Electoral Area in which they reside should forward their claims within 28 days from the date of publication of this notice to the Registration Officer appointed for three electoral areas, *i.e.* Stanley, West Falkland and East Falkland.

2. The following have been appointed Registration Officers :-

For Stanley -

The Chairman of the Town Council.

For the West Falkland -

W. H. Clement, Esq., J.P., Fox Bay.

For the East Falkland -

Dr. J. H. Ashmore, J.P., Darwin.

Persons living in Stanley should apply to the Town Council Office for Claim Forms and persons resident in the Camp should apply to their Managers to whom Claim Forms have been despatched.

3. The public is reminded that failure to register will disqualify them from voting at the General Election.

Ref. 0068/B/II.

No. 47. 1st November, 1955.

It is hereby notified for general information that

HIS EXCELLENCY

O. R. ARTHUR, Esq., C.M.G., C.V.O.,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief, returned to the Colony on the 31st of October, 1955.

Ref. P/614.

No. 48. 1st November, 1955.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HON. MR. S. G. TREES, M.V.O.

MR. E. F. LELLMAN

MR. H. L. BOUND

acted as Colonial Secretary, Colonial Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer respectively, from 13th June, 1955, to 30th October, 1955, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/643, P/165, P/197.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Jacob Napoleon Goss, deceased, of New Island, Falkland Islands.

Whereas the Executor of the Will (dated the 5th day of June, 1943) of the above named deceased did not survive the deceased.

And whereas Darwin Jacob Goss, a son of the above named deceased, prays that Letters of Administration with the said Will annexed, may be granted to him to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,

Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

29th October, 1955.

S.C. 31/55.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Esq., M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Officer Administering the Government of the said Colony.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esquire, M.C., Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 4th day of October, 1955, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East and West Falklands.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 4th day of October, 1955.

By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 4th day of October, 1955.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Officer Administering the Government.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1955.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.,
Officer Administering the Government.

An Ordinance

Title.

To provide for the service between the first day of July, 1955, and the thirtieth day of June, 1956.

Date of commencement.

[1st July, 1955.]

Enacting Clause.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows —

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955/1956) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955.

Appropriation of
£1,277,572 for service
of the year ending 30th
June, 1956.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Dependencies and applied to the service of the period ending the 30th of June, 1956, a sum not exceeding One million Two hundred and Seventy-seven thousand, Five hundred and Seventy-two pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the period from the first day of July, 1955, to the thirtieth day of June, 1956.

Repeal of Ordinance
No. 3 of 1955.

3. The Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955/1956) Ordinance, 1955, is hereby repealed.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £
1.	General	61,061
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	13,893
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	21,406
4.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Meteorological Service) ...	14,136
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	415,495
6.	F.I.D.S. Ships	743,134
7.	F.I.D.S. Scientific Bureau	8,447
Total Expenditure		£1,277,572

Promulgated by the Officer Administering the Government
on the 4th day of October, 1955.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of
November, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5

1955.



Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

**To amend the Customs (Dependencies)
Ordinance, 1955.**

Enacting clause.

ENACTED for the Dependencies of the Colony of the
Falkland Islands by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands and the Dependencies thereof, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Customs (Depend-
encies) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with
the Customs (Dependencies) Ordinance, 1955, hereinafter referred to
as the principal Ordinance.

Replacement of
section 2 of the principal
Ordinance.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and
replaced as follows:—

“2. The expression “whale solubles” means products
obtained by concentration of the aqueous effluents from whale
fat extraction plants.”

Promulgated by the Governor on the 1st day of November,
1955.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. D/6/47/III.



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No. 13.

APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Honeyman, D. M.	Education	Headmaster, Darwin Boarding School	10.11.55	—
Hammond, J	Public Works	Carpenter	10.11.55	—
Blyth, A. J.	Power & Electrical Installations	Acting Superintendent	15.11.55	—
Lellman, E. F.	Secretariat & Treasury	Acting Colonial Treasurer	15.11.55	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Peck, P.	Government House	Orderly & Caretaker	14.8.53	—

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Hancock, H. J.	Public Works (Dev. Programme)	Plasterer	13.11.55 - 144 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Draycott, D. J.	Education	Assistant Master	16.3.55 - 9.11.55	Both dates inclusive.
Mercer, A.	Posts & Tels.	Supt. Posts & Tels.	27.2.55 - 9.11.55	" " "
Cochrane, J.	South Georgia	Met. Assistant	2.4.55 - 6.8.55	" " "

NOTICES.

The following Notice is published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 49.

25th November, 1955.

It is hereby notified for general information that MR. T. V. HOOLEY acted as Superintendent, Posts and Telegraphs Department, from 28th February, 1955, to 9th November, 1955, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P 18/II.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing NORMAN KEITH CAMERON, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

NORMAN KEITH CAMERON, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., J.P.,

to be a Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 15th day of November, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

By His Excellency's Command

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esq., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 18th day of November, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the East and West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 17th day of November, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Colonial Secretary.

No. 2

Proclamation

1955

Made under section 12 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, (Cap. 42).

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by section 12 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, it is provided that where the Governor is satisfied that reciprocal provisions have been made by the Legislature of any British possession or any territory under Her Majesty's protection for the enforcement within such possession or territory of maintenance orders made by courts in the Falkland Islands, the Governor may by Proclamation extend the Ordinance to such possession or territory, and the Ordinance shall thereupon apply in respect of such possession or territory as though the references to England or Northern Ireland were references to such possession or territory;

AND WHEREAS the Governor is satisfied that the Legislature of the Islands of Guernsey, Alderney and Sark has made reciprocal provisions for the enforcement within the Islands of Guernsey, Alderney and Sark of maintenance orders made by courts in the Falkland Islands:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby order that the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, shall extend to maintenance orders made by courts in the Islands of Guernsey, Alderney and Sark in like manner as it applies to maintenance orders made in England or Northern Ireland.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 8th day of November, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1955 No. 1650

FALKLAND ISLANDS

**The Falkland Islands (Legislative Council)
 (Amendment) Order in Council, 1955**
Made - - - - - 28th October, 1955*Laid before Parliament* 2nd November, 1955*Coming into Operation* - On a day to be
appointed under
section 1 (3).

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of October, 1955

Present

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the British Settlements Acts, 1887 and 1945 (a), and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1955, and shall be construed as one with the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1948 (b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Order").

Citation, construction
and commencement.

(2) The principal Order, the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1950 (c), the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1951 (d), and this Order may be cited together as the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders in Council, 1948 to 1955.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Governor by Proclamation published in the Gazette, which day shall not be earlier than the day after the day on which this Order shall have been laid before both Houses of Parliament.

2. Subsection (3) of section 1 of the principal Order is hereby amended by the insertion after the word "Order" of the words "unless the context otherwise requires".

Amendment of section 1
of the principal Order.

3. Section 5 of the principal Order is hereby revoked and the following section is substituted therefor—

Amendment of section 5
of the principal Order.

"The Ex officio Members shall be the Colonial Secretary, or other the person for the time being lawfully discharging the functions of Colonial Secretary, and the persons holding the substantive appointments of Senior Medical Officer and Colonial Treasurer."

4. Paragraph (f) of subsection (1) of section 11 of the principal Order is hereby amended by the insertion of the words "in the case of a Nominated Unofficial Member" before the words "holds any office of emolument."

Amendment of section 11
of the principal Order.

(a) 50 & 51 Vict. c. 54 and 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 7.
p. 591 : 1948 I, p. 1018.
(1951 I, p. 682).

(b) S.I. 1948/2573 (Rev. VII).
(c) S.I. 1950/1184 (1950 I, p. 683).

(d) S.I. 1951/1946

Amendment of section 13
of the principal Order.

5. Subsection (1) of section 13 of the principal Order is hereby amended by the revocation of subparagraphs (b) (c), and (d) and the substitution of the following subparagraphs therefor—

- “(b) the person holding the substantive appointment of Senior Medical Officer or of Colonial Treasurer or a Nominated Member is lawfully discharging the functions of Colonial Secretary ; or
- (c) the person holding the substantive appointment of Senior Medical Officer or of Colonial Treasurer is incapable by reason of illness of discharging the functions of his office ; or
- (d) no person is holding the substantive appointment of Senior Medical Officer or of Colonial Treasurer ; or”.

W. G. AGNEW.

Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment)
Order in Council, 1955.

No. 3.

Proclamation

1955.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS it is provided by subsection (3) of section 1 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1955, that the Order shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Governor by Proclamation in the Gazette;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the said Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1955, do hereby proclaim that the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1955, shall come into operation on the 1st day of December, 1955.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this Seventeenth day of November, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-five.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Colonial Secretary.

The Income Tax Ordinance (Cap. 32).

Order

(under section 49 of the Ordinance)

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 1 of 1955.

Whereas it is provided by section 49 of the Income Tax Ordinance that if the Governor in Council by Order declares that arrangements specified in the Order have been made with the Government of any territory outside the Colony with a view to affording relief from Double Taxation in relation to Income Tax and any tax of a similar character imposed by the laws of that territory and that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect, the arrangements shall have effect in relation to Income Tax notwithstanding anything in any enactment : Preamble.

And Whereas by a Convention dated the 27th day of March, 1950, between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of Denmark arrangements were made among other things for the avoidance of Double Taxation :

And Whereas provision is made in the said Convention for the extension by means of an exchange of notes between the High Contracting Parties of the said Convention, subject to such modifications and conditions (including conditions as to termination) as may be specified in the exchange of notes, to any territory, for whose inter-national relations the United Kingdom is responsible, which imposes taxes substantially similar in character to those which are the subject of the said Convention :

And Whereas by an exchange of notes dated respectively the 18th November and the 22nd December, 1954, the said Convention with certain modifications was applied to the Colony of the Falkland Islands : now, therefore, it is hereby declared by His Excellency the Governor in Council -

- (a) that the arrangements specified in the First Schedule to this Order, as modified by the provisions of the Second Schedule to this Order, have been made with the Government of Denmark;
- (b) that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect.

This Order may be cited as the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Denmark) Order, 1955. Title.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 15th day of November, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

CONVENTION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBLE TAXATION AND THE PREVENTION OF FISCAL EVASION WITH RESPECT TO TAXES ON INCOME.

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Kingdom of Denmark,

Desiring to conclude a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,

Have appointed for that purpose as their Plenipotentiaries :

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland :

The Right Honourable Ernest Bevin, M.P., Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs ;

The Government of the Kingdom of Denmark :

His Excellency Count Eduard Reventlow, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Denmark in London ;

Who, having exhibited their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed as follows :—

ARTICLE I

1. The taxes which are the subject of the present Convention are :

(a) In Denmark :

The national income tax (including the extraordinary company tax) (hereinafter referred to as "Danish tax").

(b) In the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland :

The income tax (including sur-tax) and the profits tax (hereinafter referred to as "United Kingdom tax").

2. The present Convention shall also apply to any other taxes of a substantially similar character imposed in Denmark or the United Kingdom subsequently to the date of signature of the present Convention.

ARTICLE II

1. In the present Convention, unless the context otherwise requires :

(a) The term "United Kingdom" means Great Britain and Northern Ireland, excluding the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man ;

(b) The term "Denmark" means the Kingdom of Denmark, excluding the Faroe Islands and Greenland ;

(c) The terms "one of the territories" and "the other territory" mean the United Kingdom or Denmark, as the context requires ;

(d) The term "tax" means United Kingdom tax or Danish tax, as the context requires ;

(e) The term "person" includes any body of persons, corporate or not corporate ;

(f) The term "company" means any body corporate ;

(g) The terms "resident of the United Kingdom" and "resident of Denmark" mean respectively any person who is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax and not resident in Denmark for the purposes of Danish tax, and any person who is resident in Denmark for the purposes of Danish tax and not resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of the United Kingdom tax ; a company shall be regarded as resident in the United Kingdom if its business is managed and controlled in the United Kingdom and as resident in Denmark if its business is managed and controlled in Denmark ;

(h) The terms "resident of one of the territories" and "resident of the other territory" mean a person who is a resident of the United Kingdom or a person who is a resident of Denmark, as the context requires ;

(i) The terms "United Kingdom enterprise" and "Danish enterprise" mean respectively an industrial or commercial enterprise or undertaking carried on by a resident of the United Kingdom and an industrial or commercial enterprise or undertaking carried on by a resident of Denmark, and the terms "enterprise of one of the territories" and "enterprise of the other territory" mean a United Kingdom enterprise or a Danish enterprise, as the context requires ;

(j) The term "industrial or commercial profits" includes rents or royalties in respect of cinematograph films ;

(k) The term "permanent establishment" when used with respect to an enterprise of one of the territories, means a branch, management, factory, or other fixed place of business

but does not include an agency unless the agent has, and habitually exercises, a general authority to negotiate and conclude contracts on behalf of such enterprise or has a stock of merchandise from which he regularly fills orders on its behalf. In this connexion—

- (i) An enterprise of one of the territories shall not be deemed to have a permanent establishment in the other territory merely because it carries on business dealings in that other territory through a *bona fide* broker or general commission agent acting in the ordinary course of his business as such ;
- (ii) The fact that an enterprise of one of the territories maintains in the other territory a fixed place of business exclusively for the purchase of goods or merchandise shall not of itself constitute that fixed place of business a permanent establishment of the enterprise ;
- (iii) The fact that a company which is a resident of one of the territories has a subsidiary company which is a resident of the other territory or which carries on a trade or business in that other territory (whether through a permanent establishment or otherwise) shall not of itself constitute that subsidiary company a permanent establishment of its parent company.

2. Where under this Convention any income is exempt from tax in one of the territories if (with or without other conditions) it is subject to tax in the other territory, and that income is subject to tax in that other territory by reference only to the amount thereof which is remitted to or received in that other territory, the exemption to be allowed under this Convention in the first-mentioned territory shall apply only to the amount so remitted or received.

3. In the application of the provisions of the present Convention by one of the High Contracting Parties any term not otherwise defined shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meaning which it has under the laws in force in the territory of that Party relating to the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention.

ARTICLE III

1. The industrial or commercial profits of a United Kingdom enterprise shall not be subject to Danish tax unless the enterprise carries on a trade or business in Denmark through a permanent establishment situated therein. If it carries on a trade or business as aforesaid, tax may be imposed on those profits by Denmark, but only on so much of them as is attributable to that permanent establishment.

2. The industrial or commercial profits of a Danish enterprise shall not be subject to United Kingdom tax unless the enterprise carries on a trade or business in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment situated therein. If it carries on a trade or business as aforesaid, tax may be imposed on those profits by the United Kingdom, but only on so much of them as is attributable to that permanent establishment.

3. Where an enterprise of one of the territories carries on a trade or business in the other territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, there shall be attributed to that permanent establishment the industrial or commercial profits which it might be expected to derive in that other territory if it were an independent enterprise engaged in the same or similar activities under the same or similar conditions and dealing at arm's length with the enterprise of which it is a permanent establishment.

4. Where an enterprise of one of the territories derives profits, under contracts concluded in that territory, from sales of goods or merchandise stocked in a warehouse in the other territory for convenience of delivery and not for purposes of display, those profits shall not be attributed to a permanent establishment of the enterprise in that other territory, notwithstanding that the offers of purchase have been obtained by an agent in that other territory and transmitted by him to the enterprise for acceptance.

5. No portion of any profits arising to an enterprise of one of the territories shall be attributed to a permanent establishment situated in the other territory by reason of the mere purchase of goods or merchandise within that other territory by the enterprise.

ARTICLE IV

Where —

- (a) an enterprise of one of the territories participates directly or indirectly in the management, control or capital of an enterprise of the other territory, or
- (b) the same persons participate directly or indirectly in the management, control or capital of an enterprise of one of the territories and an enterprise of the other territory.

and in either case, conditions are made or imposed between the two enterprises, in their commercial or financial relations, which differ from those which would be made between independent enterprises, then any profits which would but for those conditions have accrued to one of the enterprises but by reason of those conditions have not so accrued may be included in the profits of that enterprise and taxed accordingly.

ARTICLE V

1. The industrial and commercial profits of a company which is a resident of Denmark shall, so long as undistributed profits of United Kingdom enterprises are effectively charged to United Kingdom Profits Tax at a lower rate than distributed profits of such enterprises, be charged to United Kingdom Profits Tax only at that lower rate.

2. Where a company which is a resident of Denmark controls, directly or indirectly, not less than 50 per cent. of the entire voting power of a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom, distributions by the latter company to the former company shall be left out of account in computing United Kingdom Profits Tax effectively chargeable on the latter company at the rate appropriate to distributed profits.

3. If the industrial and commercial profits of a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom become chargeable to a form of Danish tax under which, in the case of companies which are residents of Denmark, the undistributed or undistributable income is charged to tax at a lower rate than the distributed or distributable income of such companies, these industrial and commercial profits shall be charged to Danish tax only at the lower rate.

4. Where a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom beneficially owns not less than 50 per cent. of the entire ordinary share capital of a company which is a resident of Denmark, distributed or distributable income payable by the latter company to the former company shall be left out of account in computing the liability of the latter company to Danish tax at any higher rate appropriate to distributed or distributable income, and this shall apply, in particular, in computing the liability of the latter company to that part of the Danish extraordinary tax on companies known as Udbytterate.

ARTICLE VI

1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Articles III, IV and V, profits which a resident of one of the territories derives from operating ships or aircraft shall be exempt from tax in the other territory.

2. The Agreement dated 18th December, 1924, between the United Kingdom and Denmark for the reciprocal exemption from Income Tax in certain cases of profits accruing from the business of shipping shall not have effect for any year or period for which the present Convention has effect.

ARTICLE VII

1. (a) Dividends paid by a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom to a resident of Denmark, who is subject to tax in Denmark in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from United Kingdom sur-tax.

(b) Dividends paid by a company which is a resident of Denmark to a resident of the United Kingdom, who is subject to tax in the United Kingdom in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in Denmark through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall not be chargeable to tax in addition to the tax on the profits out of which the dividends are paid at a rate exceeding 5 per cent. : Provided that where the resident of the United Kingdom is a company which beneficially owns not less than 50 per cent. of the entire ordinary share capital of the company paying the dividends, the dividends shall be exempt from any such tax on dividends.

2. Where a company which is a resident of one of the territories derives profits or income from sources within the other territory, there shall not be imposed in that other territory any form of taxation on dividends paid by the company to persons not resident in that other territory, or any tax in the nature of undistributed profits tax on undistributed profits of the company, whether or not those dividends or undistributed profits represent, in whole or in part, profits or income so derived.

ARTICLE VIII

1. Any interest or royalty derived from sources within one of the territories by a resident of the other territory, who is subject to tax in that other territory in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory ; but no exemption shall be allowed in respect of interest paid by a company which is a resident of one of the territories to a company which is a resident of the other territory where the latter company controls, either directly or indirectly, more than 50 per cent. of the entire voting power of the former company.

2. In this Article—

(a) The term "interest" includes interest on bonds, securities, notes, debentures or on any other form of indebtedness ;

(b) The term "royalty" means any royalty or other amount paid as consideration for the use of, or for the privilege of using, any copyright, patent, design, secret process or formula, trade mark or other like property, but does not include any royalty or other amount paid in respect of the operation of a mine or quarry or of any other extraction of natural resources.

3. Where any interest or royalty exceeds a fair and reasonable consideration in respect of the indebtedness or rights for which it is paid, the exemption provided by the present Article shall apply only to so much of the interest or royalty as represents such fair and reasonable consideration.

4. Any capital sum derived from one of the territories from the sale of patent rights by a resident of the other territory, who does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory.

ARTICLE IX

Income of whatever nature derived from real property within one of the territories (except interest on mortgages secured on real property) shall be chargeable to tax in accordance with the laws of that territory. Where the said income is also chargeable to tax in the other territory, credit for the tax

payable in the first-mentioned territory shall be given against the tax payable on that income in the other territory in accordance with Article XVII.

ARTICLE X

A resident of one of the territories who does not carry on a trade or business in the other territory through a permanent establishment situated therein shall be exempt in that other territory from any tax on gains from the sale, transfer, or exchange of capital assets.

ARTICLE XI

1. Remuneration, including pensions, paid by, or out of funds created by, one of the High Contracting Parties, to any individual in respect of services rendered to that Party in the discharge of governmental functions shall be exempt from tax in the territory of the other High Contracting Party, unless the individual is a national of that other Party without being also a national of the first-mentioned Party.

2. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to payments in respect of services rendered in connexion with any trade or business carried on by either of the High Contracting Parties for purposes of profit.

ARTICLE XII

1. An individual who is a resident of the United Kingdom shall be exempt from Danish tax on profits or remuneration in respect of personal (including professional) services performed within Denmark in any year of assessment if—

- (a) he is present within Denmark for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate 183 days during that year, and
- (b) the services are performed for or on behalf of a resident of the United Kingdom, and
- (c) the profits or remuneration are subject to United Kingdom tax.

2. An individual who is a resident of Denmark shall be exempt from United Kingdom tax on profits or remuneration in respect of personal (including professional) services performed within the United Kingdom in any year of assessment, if—

- (a) he is present within the United Kingdom for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate 183 days during that year, and
- (b) the services are performed for or on behalf of a resident of Denmark, and
- (c) the profits or remuneration are subject to Danish tax.

3. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to the profits or remuneration of public entertainers such as theatre, motion picture or radio artists, musicians and athletes.

ARTICLE XIII

1. Any pension (other than a pension of the kind referred to in paragraph 1 of Article XI) and any annuity, derived from sources within Denmark by an individual who is a resident of the United Kingdom and subject to United Kingdom tax in respect thereof, shall be exempt from Danish tax.

2. Any pension (other than a pension of the kind referred to in paragraph 1 of Article XI) and any annuity, derived from sources within the United Kingdom by an individual who is a resident of Denmark and subject to Danish tax in respect thereof, shall be exempt from United Kingdom tax.

3. The term "annuity" means a stated sum payable periodically at stated times, during life or during a specified or ascertainable period of time, under an obligation to make the payments in return for adequate and full consideration in money or money's worth.

ARTICLE XIV

A professor or teacher from one of the territories, who receives remuneration for teaching, during a period of temporary residence not exceeding two years, at a university, college, school or other educational institution in the other territory, shall be exempt from tax in that other territory in respect of that remuneration.

ARTICLE XV

A student or business apprentice from one of the territories, who is receiving full-time education or training in the other territory, shall be exempt from tax in that other territory on payments made to him by persons in the first mentioned territory for the purposes of his maintenance, education or training.

ARTICLE XVI

1. Individuals who are residents of Denmark shall be entitled to the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for the purposes of United Kingdom income tax as British subjects not resident in the United Kingdom.

2. Individuals who are residents of the United Kingdom shall be entitled to the same personal allowances and reliefs for the purposes of Danish tax as Danish nationals not resident in Denmark.

ARTICLE XVII

1. The laws of the High Contracting Parties shall continue to govern the taxation of income arising in either of the territories, except where express provision to the contrary is made in this Convention. Where income is subject to tax in both territories, relief from double taxation shall be given in accordance with the following paragraphs:—

2. Subject to the provisions of the law of the United Kingdom regarding the allowance as a credit against United Kingdom tax of tax payable in a territory outside the United Kingdom, Danish tax payable, whether directly or by deduction, in respect of income from sources within Denmark shall be allowed as a credit against the United Kingdom tax payable in respect of that income. Where such income is an ordinary dividend paid by a company resident in Denmark, the credit shall take into account (in addition to any Danish tax appropriate to the dividend) the Danish tax payable by the company in respect of its profits: and, where it is a dividend paid on participating preference shares and representing both a dividend at the fixed rate to which the shares are entitled and an additional participation in profits, the Danish tax so payable by the company shall likewise be taken into account in so far as the dividend exceeds that fixed rate.

3. United Kingdom tax payable, whether directly or by deduction, in respect of income from sources within the United Kingdom shall be allowed as a deduction from the Danish tax payable in respect of that income. Provided that the amount of the deduction shall not exceed the proportion of the Danish tax which such income chargeable to Danish tax bears to the total income chargeable to Danish tax. For the purposes of this paragraph only, the expression "Danish tax" shall include the Danish inter-municipal income tax.

4. In the case of a person who is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax and is also resident in Denmark for the purposes of Danish tax, the provisions of paragraph 2 of this article shall apply in relation to income which that person derives from sources within Denmark, and the provisions of paragraph 3 of this Article shall apply in relation to income which he derives from sources within the United Kingdom. If such person derives income from sources outside both the United Kingdom and Denmark, tax may be imposed on that income in both the territories (subject to the laws in force in the territories and to any Convention which may exist between either of the High Contracting Parties and the territory from which the income is derived). A credit shall be allowed in accordance with paragraph 2 of this Article against any United Kingdom tax payable in respect of that income, equal to that proportion of the United Kingdom tax or the Danish tax on that income, whichever is the less, which such person's income from sources within the United Kingdom bears to the sum of his income from sources within the United Kingdom and his income from sources within Denmark; and a deduction shall be allowed in accordance with paragraph 3 of this Article against any Danish tax payable in respect of that income equal to that proportion of the United Kingdom tax or the Danish tax on that income, whichever is the less, which such person's income from sources within Denmark bears to the sum of his income from sources within the United Kingdom and his income from sources within Denmark.

5. For the purposes of this Article, profits or remuneration for personal (including professional) services performed in one of the territories shall be deemed to be income from sources within that territory, and the services of an individual whose services are wholly or mainly performed in ships or aircraft operated by a resident of one of the territories shall be deemed to be performed in that territory.

ARTICLE XVIII

1. The taxation authorities of the High Contracting Parties shall exchange such information (being information which is at their disposal under their respective taxation laws in the normal course of administration) as is necessary for carrying out the provisions of the present Convention or for the prevention of fraud or for the administration of statutory provisions against legal avoidance in relation to the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention. Any information so exchanged shall be treated as secret and shall not be disclosed to any persons other than those concerned with the assessment and collection of the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention. No information as aforesaid shall be exchanged which would disclose any trade, business, industrial or professional secret or trade process.

2. As used in this Article, the term "taxation authorities" means, in the case of the United Kingdom, the Commissioners of Inland Revenue or their authorised representatives; in the case of Denmark, the Director-General of Taxation or his authorised representative; and, in the case of any territory to which the present Convention is extended under Article XX, the competent authority for the administration in such territory of the taxes to which the present Convention applies.

ARTICLE XIX

1. The nationals of one of the High Contracting Parties shall not be subjected in the territory of the other High Contracting Party to any taxation or any requirement connected therewith which is other, higher, or more burdensome than the taxation and connected requirements to which the nationals of the latter Party are or may be subjected.

2. The enterprises of one of the territories, whether carried on by a company, a body of persons or by individuals alone or in partnership, shall not be subjected in the other territory, in respect of profits or capital attributable to their permanent establishments in that other territory, to any taxation which is other, higher or more burdensome than the taxation to which the enterprises of that other territory similarly carried on are or may be subjected in respect of the like profits or capital.

3. The income, profits and capital of an enterprise of one of the territories, the capital of which is wholly or partly owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by a resident or residents of the other territory shall not be subjected in the first-mentioned territory to any taxation which is other, higher or

more burdensome than the taxation to which other enterprises of that first-mentioned territory are or may be subjected in respect of the like income, profits and capital.

4. Nothing in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 of this Article shall be construed as obliging one of the High Contracting Parties to grant to nationals of the other High Contracting Party who are not resident in the territory of the former Party the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for tax purposes as are granted to His own nationals.

5. In this Article the term "nationals" means —

- (a) in relation to Denmark, all Danish citizens and all legal persons, partnerships, associations and other entities deriving their status as such from the law in force in Denmark or in any Danish territory to which the present Convention applies by reason of extension made under Article XX;
- (b) in relation to the United Kingdom, all British subjects and British-protected persons residing in the United Kingdom or any British territory to which the present Convention applies by reason of extension made under Article XX, and all legal persons, partnerships, associations and other entities deriving their status as such from the law in force in any British territory to which the present Convention applies.

6. In this Article the term "taxation" means taxes of every kind and description levied on behalf of any authority whatsoever.

ARTICLE XX

1. The present Convention may be extended, either in its entirety or with modifications, to any territory of one of the High Contracting Parties to which this Article applies and which imposes taxes substantially similar in character to those which are the subject of the present Convention, and any such extension shall take effect from such date and subject to such modifications and conditions (including conditions as to termination) as may be specified and agreed between the High Contracting Parties in notes to be exchanged for this purpose.

2. The termination in respect of Denmark or the United Kingdom of the present Convention under Article XXII shall, unless otherwise expressly agreed by both High Contracting Parties, terminate the application of the present Convention to any territory to which the Convention has been extended under this Article.

3. The territories to which this Article applies are :

- (a) in relation to the United Kingdom : any territory other than the United Kingdom for whose international relations the United Kingdom is responsible ;
- (b) in relation to Denmark : any territory other than Denmark for whose international relations Denmark is responsible.

ARTICLE XXI

1. The present Convention shall be ratified and the instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at London as soon as possible.

2. Upon exchange of ratifications the present Convention shall have effect—

(a) In the United Kingdom :

as respects income tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after the 6th April, 1949;
as respects sur-tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after the 6th April, 1948; and
as respects profits tax in respect of the following profits :—

- (i) profits arising in any chargeable accounting period beginning on or after the 1st April, 1949;
- (ii) profits attributable to so much of any chargeable accounting period falling partly before and partly after that date as falls after that date;
- (iii) profits not so arising or attributable by reference to which income tax is, or but for the present Convention would be, chargeable for any year of assessment beginning on or after the 6th April, 1949.

(b) In Denmark :

as respects Danish tax for any taxation year beginning on or after the 1st April, 1949.

ARTICLE XXII

The present Convention shall continue in effect indefinitely but either of the High Contracting Parties may, on or before the 30th June in any calendar year not earlier than the year 1953, give to the other High Contracting Party, through diplomatic channels, written notice of termination and, in such event, the present Convention shall cease to be effective—

(a) In the United Kingdom :

as respects income tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after the 6th April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given ;

as respects sur-tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after the 6th April in the calendar year in which the notice is given ; and

as respects profits tax in respect of the following profits :—

- (i) profits arising in any chargeable accounting period beginning on or after the 1st April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given;
 - (ii) profits attributable to so much of any chargeable accounting period falling partly before and partly after that date as falls after that date;
 - (iii) profits not so arising or attributable by reference to which income tax is chargeable for any year of assessment beginning on or after the 6th April in the next following calendar year.
- (b) In Denmark :

as respects Danish tax for any taxation year beginning on or after the 1st April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given.

In witness whereof the above-mentioned Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Convention and have affixed thereto their seals.

Done at London in duplicate, in the English and Danish languages, both texts being equally authentic, on the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifty.

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ERNEST BEVIN.

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E. REVENTLOW.

SECOND SCHEDULE

APPLICATION

1. (a) The provisions of the Convention incorporated in the First Schedule to this Order shall apply as modified below -
 - (i) as if the contracting parties were the Colony of the Falkland Islands and the Government of Denmark;
 - (ii) as if the tax concerned in the case of the Colony were the income tax;
 - (iii) as if the taxes concerned in the case of Denmark included the Defence Tax;
 - (iv) as if references to the date of signature were references to the 22nd day of December, 1954;
 - (v) as if references to the 6th day of April were references to the 1st day of January.
- (b) The extension shall have effect in the Colony as respects tax for the year of assessment 1954 and for subsequent years of assessment, (and will have effect in Denmark - as respects Danish Tax for any taxation year beginning on or after the 1st day of April, 1954).
- (c) The extension shall continue in effect indefinitely but may be terminated as respects the Colony by written notice of termination given on or before the 30th day of June in any calendar year not earlier than the year 1957 by either of the High Contracting Parties to the Convention to the other High Contracting Party through the diplomatic channel and in such event the extension shall cease to have effect in the Colony as respects tax for the year next following the date of such notice and for subsequent years of assessment, (and will cease to have effect in Denmark as respects Danish tax for any taxation year beginning on or after the 1st day of April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given).

MODIFICATIONS

2. (a) In article VII (1) of the Convention the words "exempt from United Kingdom sur-tax" shall be understood for the purposes of this extension as though they read "shall not be liable to tax in the territory at a rate in excess of the rate applicable to a company".
 - (b) In Articles VIII and IX all preference to interest shall be deemed to be deleted.
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The Consular Conventions Ordinance. (Cap. 14.)

Order

(under section 6 of the Ordinance).

O. R. ARTHUR,

Governor.

No. 2 of 1955.

Whereas by section 6 (1) of the Consular Conventions Ordinance, (hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance) it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council direct that all or any of the sections of the Ordinance shall apply to any foreign State specified in the Order, being a State with which a Consular Convention providing for matters of which provision is made by those sections has been made by Her Majesty ;

And Whereas a Consular Convention (hereinafter referred to as the Convention) between Her Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the President of the United States of Mexico was signed at Mexico City on the 20th day of March, 1954, which provides for matters for which provision is made in sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Ordinance ;

And Whereas the Convention came into force on the 1st day of April, 1955 ;

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 6 (1) of the Ordinance and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Consular Conventions (United States of Mexico) Order, 1955.

2. Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Ordinance shall apply to the United States of Mexico.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 15th day of November, 1955.

J. BOUND,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 1475.

Wild Animals and Birds Protection Ordinance (Cap. 77)

Order

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 3 of 1955.

His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of the Wild Animals and Birds Protection Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Order may be cited as the Wild Animals and Birds Protection Order, 1955.

Amendment of Schedule I to the Ordinance.

2. The names of the wild animals and birds listed in Schedule I to the Wild Animals and Birds Protection Ordinance shall be deleted and the following list substituted therefor :—

Otter
Reindeer (South Georgia)
Duck - Canvas Back
 Cinnamon (Red) Teal
 Logger
 Mallard
Flamingo
Goose - Ashy-headed (White-breasted-Brent)
 Kelp
 Upland (South Georgia)
Grebe - (all species)
Gull - Pink-brested
Hawk - Cassin's Falcon (Sparrow Hawk or Black Hawk)
 Cinnamon Kestrel (Small Red Hawk)
 Red-backed Buzzard (Blue Hawk)
Heron - Night (Qwark)
 Cocoi
 White
Ibis - (Bandouria)
Owl - (all species)
Partridge
Penguin - (all species)
Plover - Falkland Islands or Ring-Spur-Wing (Teru-teru)
Swan - Black-necked
 Coscoroba
Tussac Bird.

Amendment of Schedule II to the Ordinance.

3. The names of the wild birds listed in Schedule II to the Wild Animals and Birds Protection Ordinance shall be deleted and the following list substituted therefor :—

Dotterel
Duck - Grey
 Pampa
 Pintail (Grey Teal)
 South Georgia Teal
 Widgeon
 Yellow-billed (Common) Teal
Military Starling
Snipe.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 15th day of November, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 1099.

Pensions Ordinance (Cap. 49).

Regulations

(under section 3 of the Ordinance).

No. 3 of 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Governor in Council by section 3 of the Pensions Ordinance, and with the sanction of the Secretary of State, the following Regulations are hereby made:—

Cap. 49.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Regulations, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Short title.

Revised Edition Vol. II.
p. 212.

2. Sub-regulation (3) of regulation 21 of the principal Regulations is hereby amended by inserting the comma and word “, aircraft” between the word “vessel” and the words “or vehicle” wherever they appear.

Amendment of regulation 21 of the principal Regulations.

3. For the Schedule to the principal Regulations, there shall be substituted the following new Schedule:—

Amendment of the Schedule to the principal Regulations.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 8.

Aden	Jamaica
Bahamas	Kenya
Barbados	Kenya & Uganda Railways and Harbour Administration
Basutoland	Leeward Islands
Bechuanaland Protectorate	Malayan Establishment
Bermuda	Malayan Union
British Guiana	Malta
British Honduras	Mauritius
British Solomon Islands Protectorate	Nigeria
Cayman Islands	North Borneo
Ceylon	Northern Region of Nigeria
Colonial Audit Department (Home Establishment)	Northern Rhodesia
Crown Agents for Oversea Governments & Administrations	Nyasaland
Cyprus	Palestine
Dominica	St. Helena
East Africa High Commission	St. Lucia
East African Railways and Harbours Administration	St. Vincent
Eastern Region of Nigeria	Sarawak
Federated Malay States	Seychelles
Federation of Malaya	Sierra Leone
Federation of Nigeria	Singapore
Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland	Somaliland
Fiji	Straits Settlements
Gambia	Tanganyika Territory
Gibraltar	Trinidad
Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony	Turks and Caicos Islands
Gold Coast	Uganda
Grenada	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
Hong Kong	Western Region of Nigeria
	Zanzibar

Made by the Governor in Executive Council on the 15th day of November, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Harbour Ordinance (Cap 30).

Regulations

(under section 3 of the Ordinance)

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 4 of 1955.

Cap. 30.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of the Harbour Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

Short title.
Vol. II Revised Edition
p. 183.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Harbour (Amendment) Regulations, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Harbour Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Replacement of
regulation 10 of the
principal Regulations.

2. Regulation 10 of the principal Regulations is hereby revoked and replaced as follows :—

“Rubbish etc. 10. Masters of vessels who require to dispose of rubbish, etc., shall cause the same to be placed in the bins provided for this purpose on the jetties.”

Made by the Governor in Executive Council on the 15th day of November, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 0285.

A Bill for An Ordinance

Further to amend the Savings Bank
Ordinance.

Title.

Date of commencement.

[, 1955]

Enacting clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

Cap. 61.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Savings Bank (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Savings Bank Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section
12 of the principal
Ordinance.

2. Section 12 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words “March ensuing” and substituting therefor the words “December ensuing”.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

To provide for the annual accounts of the Savings Bank to be laid before the Legislative Council by the 31st December in each year.

Ref. 241/35.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

To impose penalties upon persons causing
grass fires by negligence. Title.

[, 1955] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the
Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance shall be cited as the Grass Fires Ordin-
ance, 1955. Short title.

2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires — Interpretation.
“Owner” or “Occupier” in relation to any land includes any
person who is for the time being managing a farm on such
land;

“Vegetation” means growing or standing vegetation and in-
cludes brushwood, bushes, crops, grass, stubble, trees and
undergrowth.

3. (1) If any person wilfully and without lawful authority
or negligently shall set on fire any vegetation on land of which he is
not the owner or occupier he shall be guilty of an offence. Negligent burning of
vegetation offences.

(2) If any person shall wilfully or negligently kindle any
fire which by spreading damages or destroys the property or the
vegetation upon the land of any other person he shall be guilty of
an offence.

4. (1) Every person before proceeding to burn vegetation
on his own land or upon land on which he is authorised or permitted
to burn vegetation shall give at least two days’ notice of his intention
to do so to all owners or occupiers of adjoining land which is within
half a mile of the land on which the burning is to take place. Notice to be given before
burning grass.

(2) If a fire lawfully kindled after notice given according
to the preceding sub-section spreads to adjoining land, the fact that
such notice was given shall be a sufficient defence to any charge
under the provisions of section 3 of this Ordinance brought against
the person who kindled or was responsible for kindling such fire,
unless it is proved that by the negligence of himself, his servants or
agents he permitted such fire to spread to such adjoining land, but
shall not affect the right of any person aggrieved to obtain damages
for any loss sustained by him as the result of such fire.

(3) Such notice shall be delivered by hand and shall be
deemed to commence from the time when it is received by the person
to whom it is addressed or any servant or agent of his, and shall
state as nearly as possible the time and place at which the burning
will take place.

5. Every person who commits an offence against this
Ordinance shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not
exceeding £50 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six
months, or to both such fine and imprisonment. Penalties.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to make it an offence to cause grass fires by
negligence.

A Bill for An Ordinance

Further to amend the Pensions Ordinance.

Title.

Date of commencement.

[, 1955.]

Enacting clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

Cap. 49.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 3 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Subsection (1) of section 3 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the addition thereto of the following paragraph :—

“Any pension or gratuity granted under this Ordinance shall be computed in accordance with the provisions in force at the actual date of an officer’s retirement”.

Amendment of section 6 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 6 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—

(a) by deleting paragraph (vi) and substituting the following paragraph :—

“(vi) in the case of termination of employment in the public interest as provided by this Ordinance;”

(b) by deleting subsection (2).

Replacement of section 7 of the principal Ordinance.

4. Section 7 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced as follows :—

“Retirement in the public interest.

7. Where an officer’s service is terminated on the ground that, having regard to the conditions of the public service, the usefulness of the officer thereto and all the other circumstances of the case, such termination is desirable in the public interest, and a pension, gratuity or other allowance cannot otherwise be granted to him under the provisions of this Ordinance, the Governor in Council may, if he thinks fit, grant such pension, gratuity or other allowance as he thinks just and proper, not exceeding in amount that for which the officer would be eligible if he retired from the public service in the circumstances described in paragraph (v) of the preceding section”.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to provide for the granting of a pension, gratuity or other allowance, in certain circumstances, to an officer who has not attained pensionable age and whose employment has been terminated in the public interest.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

To amend the Diplomatic Privileges
(Extension) Ordinance. Title.

[, 1955] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 20.

2. For subsection (2) of section 2 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following subsection :— Amendment of section
2 of the principal
Ordinance.

“ (2) The Governor may by Order in Council :—

(a) provide that any organisation to which this section applies (hereinafter referred to as “the organisation”) shall, to such extent as may be specified in the Order, have the immunities and privileges set out in Part I of the Schedule to this Ordinance, and shall also have the legal capacities of a body corporate ;

(b) confer upon :—

(i) any persons who are representatives (whether of Governments or not) on any organ of the organisation or are members of any Committee of the organisation or of an organ thereof ;

(ii) such number of officers of the organisation as may be specified in the Order, being the holders of such high offices in the organisation as may be so specified ; and

(iii) such persons employed on missions on behalf of the organisation as may be so specified ;

to such extent as may be specified in the Order, the immunities and privileges set out in Part II of the Schedule to this Ordinance ;

(c) confer upon such other classes of officers and servants of the organisation as may be specified in the Order, to such extent as may be so specified, the immunities and privileges set out in Part III of the Schedule to this Ordinance ;

and Part IV of the Schedule to this Ordinance shall have effect for the purpose of extending to the staffs of such representatives and members as are mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (b) of this subsection and to the families of officers of the organisation any immunities and privileges conferred on the representatives, members or officers under that paragraph, except in so far as the operation of the said Part IV is excluded by the Order conferring the immunities and privileges :

Provided that the Order shall be so framed as to secure that there are not conferred on any person any immunities or privileges greater in extent than those which, at the time of making of the Order, are required to be conferred on that person in order to give effect to any international agreement in that behalf.”

Amendment of the
Schedule to the
principal Ordinance.

3. The Schedule to the principal Ordinance shall be amended in the following respects :-

- (a) by the deletion of the heading of Part II and the substitution therefor of the following heading :-

“Immunities and privileges of Representatives, Members of Committees, High Officers and Persons on Missions.”

- (b) by the deletion of the heading of Part IV and the substitution therefor of the following heading :-

“Immunities and Privileges of Official Staffs and of High Officers’ Families.”

- (c) by the deletion of paragraph 1 of Part IV and the substitution therefor of the following paragraph :-

“1. Where any person is entitled to any such immunities and privileges as are mentioned in Part II of this Schedule as a representative on any organ of the organisation or a member of any committee of the organisation or of an organ thereof, his official staff accompanying him as such representative or member shall also be entitled to those immunities and privileges to the same extent as the retinue of an envoy of a foreign sovereign Power accredited to Her Majesty is entitled to the immunities and privileges accorded to the envoy.”

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to enlarge the field of diplomatic privileges and immunities to include non-governmental representatives and to provide that Orders are so framed as to ensure that there are not conferred on any person any immunities or privileges greater in extent than those which are required to give effect to any international agreement in that behalf.

Ref. 85/46.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

C. CAMPBELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 9. 8th March, 1955.

Under the provisions of Section 9 (1) of the Police and Prisons Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

H. Bennett, Esq., J.P. (*Chairman*)

M. Robson, Esq., J.P.

J. Bound, Esq., J.P.

to be Visiting Justices of the Prison for the year 1955.

Ref. 0049.

No. 10. 8th March, 1955.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
16 of 1954	Savings Bank (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954	241/35.

No. 11. 10th March, 1955.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be put back one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday the 26th/27th March, 1955, reverting to local mean time.

Ref. 0064.

No. 12. 31st March, 1955.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DOUGLAS MARKHAM POLE-EVANS, Esq., J.P., to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of

celebrating the marriage of William Campbell McBeth, bachelor, and Phyllis Elizabeth Grace Peck, spinster, at Pebble Island, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of
Sydney Markham Gleadell, deceased, of Darwin,
Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Ann Gleadell, the widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th March, 1955.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Browning, Miss H.	Audit	Clerk	1.7.55	On probation for 2 years.
Leben, M.	Harbour & Aviation	Mechanic, m.v. "Alert"	1.12.55	—
Thain, P.	" "	Mate, m.v. "Philomel"	1.12.55	—

PROMOTION.

		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Barnes, R.	Posts & Telegraphs	Messenger	Clerk	1.5.55	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Summers, R.	Secretariat	Messenger	10.12.55	Resigned.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Cawkell, E. M.	Education	Supt. of Education	27.12.55 60 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Turner, Dr. W.	Medical	Medical Officer	27.12.55 20 days	do.
Denton-Thompson, A. G., M.C.	Secretariat	Colonial Secretary	27.12.55 —	Special Leave.
Gleadell, L.	Audit	Auditor	16.4.55 — 3.12.55	—
Richardson, Miss U. M.	Education	Mistress	6.7.55 — 26.11.55	On completion of contract.
Slessor, Dr. R. S.	Medical	Senior Medical Officer	16.4.55 — 3.12.55	—
Halliday, L. J.	Secretariat	Clerk	7.5.55 — 3.12.55	—

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 50.

5th December, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 17th November, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Thursday, 1st December, 1955.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

No. 51.

9th December, 1955.

The following Additional Instructions passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet are published for information.

Ref. 0068/IV.

ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS to Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of the Falkland Islands and the Dependencies thereof, or other Officer for the time being Administering the Government of Our said Colony and Dependencies.

Whereas certain Instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet (hereinafter called "the Instructions of 1948") were issued to the Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our said Colony and the Dependencies thereof (hereinafter called "the Governor") on the thirteenth day of December, 1948, and were amended by Additional Instructions issued to the Governor on the twenty-seventh day of November, 1951 ;

And whereas We are minded to amend the Instructions of 1948 in the manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, as from a date to be appointed by the Governor by Proclamation published in the Falkland Islands Government Gazette, We do hereby direct and enjoin and declare Our Will and pleasure as follows :—

Amendment of Clause 3
of Instructions of 1948.

1. Paragraph (1), of Clause 3 of the Instructions of 1948 is hereby revoked and the following paragraph is substituted therefor—

"(1) three *Ex-officio* Members, namely, the Colonial Secretary, or other the person for the time being lawfully discharging the functions of Colonial Secretary, and the persons holding the substantive appointments of Senior Medical Officer and Colonial Treasurer; and".

Amendment of Clause 5
of Instructions of 1948.

2. Paragraph (1) of Clause 5 of the Instructions of 1948 is hereby amended by the revocation of sub-paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) and the substitution of the following subparagraphs therefor—

"(b) the person holding the substantive appointment of Senior Medical Officer or of Colonial Treasurer or an Appointed Member is lawfully discharging the functions of Colonial Secretary; or

(c) the person holding the substantive appointment of Senior Medical Officer or of Colonial Treasurer is incapable by reason of illness of discharging the functions of his office; or

(d) no person is holding the substantive appointment of Senior Medical Officer or of Colonial Treasurer; or".

Amendment of Clause 25
of Instructions of 1948.

3. Paragraph (2) of Clause 25 of the Instructions of 1948 is hereby amended by the insertion after the word "Instructions" of the words "unless the context otherwise requires."

Given at Our Court at St. James's this 15th day of November, 1955,
in the fourth year of Our Reign.

No. 52. 7th December, 1955.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 57 of the 9th October, 1951, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to appoint

L. GLEADELL, ESQ.,

to be Chairman of the Labour Advisory Board in place of G. A. Howkins, Esq.

Ref. 97/41.

No. 53. 9th December, 1955.

It is hereby notified for general information that

DR. G. F. GRAVE, M.B., B.S.,

acted as Senior Medical Officer from 16th April, 1955, to 3rd December, 1955, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/615.

No. 54. 12th December, 1955.

It is notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

V. HARRISON, ESQ.,

to be Director of Broadcasting and Chairman of the Broadcasting Advisory Committee, Falkland Islands, *vice* E. M. Cawkell, Esq., with effect from 3rd December, 1955.

Ref. 0001/IV.

No. 55. 13th December, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 9th December, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday, 12th December, 1955.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

No. 56. 22nd December, 1955.

It is hereby notified that on the following dates in 1956 the Public Offices will be closed :-

New Year's Day (in lieu of)	Monday, 2nd January.
Good Friday	Friday, 30th March.
Easter Monday	Monday, 2nd April.
Her Majesty the Queen's Birthday	Saturday, 21st April.
Empire Day	Thursday, 24th May.
August Bank Holiday	Monday, 6th August.
Anniversary of the Battle of the Falkland Islands	Saturday, 8th December.
Christmas Holidays	Tuesday, 25th "
	Wednesday, 26th "
	Thursday, 27th "

Ref. 291/33.

No. 57. 30th December, 1955.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated 17th December, 1955, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday, 19th December, 1955.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

No. 58. 30th December, 1955.

It is with deep regret that His Excellency the Governor announces the death on 30th December, 1955, of Mr. A. Rutter, Clerk in the Agricultural Department, Stanley.

Ref. P/500.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQ., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 9th day of December, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal

Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 9th day of December, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQ., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

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AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 17th day of December, 1955, for the purpose of visiting the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 17th day of December, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, ESQUIRE, to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, ESQUIRE,

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, to be a Member of the Legislative Council under Clause 6 (1) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders-in-Council, 1948-1955.

Given at Stanley this 15th day of December, 1955.

By Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0456/II.

No. 4.

Proclamation

1955.

To appoint a date on which the Additional Instructions passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet issued to the Governor on the 15th day of November, 1955, shall come into effect.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

Under and by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Instructions passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies thereof dated the 15th day of November, 1955, I hereby proclaim that the 15th day of December, 1955, shall be the appointed day upon which the said Instructions shall come into effect.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 13th day of December, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0068/IV.

No. 5.

Proclamation

1955

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR,
ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order
of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the
Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-
Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands
and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS it is provided by subsection (3) of Section 26 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1948-1950, that the Governor shall dissolve the Council at the expiration of four years from the date of the report to him of the return of the first successful candidate at the last preceding General Election.

NOW THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1948-1950, do hereby order and proclaim the dissolution of the Legislative Council, with effect from the 30th day of December, 1955.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 29th day of December, 1955.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

F.I. Ref. 0068/IV.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on the 16th of December, 1955.

Present: His Excellency the Governor.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.

The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.

The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern.

The Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton.

The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.

The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.

The Meeting opened with Prayers read by the Honourable Mr. W. F. McWhan, M.B.E.

1. The Honourable Mr. A. G. Denton-Thompson, M.C., after taking the prescribed oath, assumed his seat in Council.
2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on 17th February 1955, were confirmed.
3. His Excellency the Governor delivered the following address to Council:—

In the first place I should like to express our sympathy with the Honourable the Elected Member for West Falkland, Mr. Keith Luxton, who has been ill. We hope that he will recover soon and completely. Mr. John Bonner, a former Member of this Council is also ill and we hope that he too will soon be restored to full health.

It is usual for the Governor in his opening address to this Council to review the activities of Government since the last meeting. I shall try to do so as briefly as possible.

There have been a number of important developments in connexion with Education in the Falkland Islands. The new Infants' School was opened on the 11th June and this has made a marked difference to the educational facilities for the younger children in Stanley. The new Boarding School at Darwin, which marks a most important development in the history of Education in the Falkland Islands has now been completed and it is hoped that it will be possible to open it early in 1956. Mr. Honeyman has been appointed Headmaster and I have just learned from the Secretary of State that suitable candidates for appointment to the staff are now under consideration. Plans have been received and approved for the proposed new Boarding School to be situated at Port Howard in the West Falklands. This will take the form of a combined residence for the Headmaster and his wife and accommodation for a small number of boarders which can be extended as and when the need arises. Efforts are now being made to find a suitable candidate for the post of school teacher, and I am happy to say that prospects seem quite good. It is hoped that this school will be opened in 1956. A new School-house, to replace the present hut at Fox Bay is to be constructed in the new year. As Honourable Members are aware, Mr. Cawkell, our Superintendent of Education, has been appointed an Inspector of Rural Schools in the Gambia and will shortly be leaving us. During the last five years Mr. Cawkell has served this Colony well. He is a fine schoolmaster and good administrator, and in addition has outside interests which have been of much value to the Colony. I am certain that he will carry with him the best wishes of everybody in the Falkland Islands.

The main group of German labourers arrived in July for the Stanley roads and water supply projects. A Nissen Hut Camp had to be built in Stanley to accommodate them and once that was completed they were diverted to the stone quarries where it has been necessary to undertake a considerable amount of preliminary work for the roads scheme. In view of the serious shortage of water that developed in September and October of this year and the bad state of repair of the mains supply pipes running into Stanley it was decided to proceed concurrently with the roads and water projects so that a new pipe line at least could be laid and if necessary emergency pumping machinery installed in advance of the construction of the main water filtration plant. A trench digging machine operated by two of the German labour gang has now reached a point near the aircraft hangar. Preliminary work on foundations for the stone crushers and on the loading ramp is now nearing completion. It is hoped that the water filtration project will be completed by September of next year and it is estimated that the roads project will take another 2½ to 3 years to complete.

The water buffalo tractors which have been purchased for the Camp Tracks scheme have now arrived in Stanley together with their ancillary equipment. Two skilled operators have also arrived and one of them has already left for the West Falkland. It is Government's intention that in the West Falklands the first track to be drained and constructed should be that running from Fox Bay to Chartres. In the East Falklands arrangements are being made for work to start on the San Carlos/Darwin track.

We are fortunate in our Doctors and Medical staff and the Medical Service in these Islands is now of a high standard. Hospital facilities have recently been improved by the installation of the steam laundry and work has just started on the roof of the Tuberculosis wing of the hospital and on the extension to the Nurses' Home. The work of eradicating Tuberculosis has continued on the lines laid down by Dr. Richter and there are now only four patients under treatment. Routine tests on cured or suspected cases continue to be undertaken as a precaution. The Agricultural Officer is engaged in a campaign of carrying out Tuberculosis tests on as many of the dairy cattle as possible. Tests and work already done indicate that the percentage of infection amongst the dairy herds is as high as about 10%. This figure is much too high and everything possible must be done to eradicate Tuberculosis in the herds.

The Agricultural Officer has received admirable co-operation from the farmers but until this work is complete we shall never be able to say we are free from the danger of Tuberculosis.

The new Camp dentist, Dr. Schwagereit, has arrived in the Colony and, working as a team with his dental mechanic and carrying mobile equipment with him, has already undertaken a great deal of work in the Camp. Unfortunately it was necessary to repatriate the newly appointed Stanley dentist from Montevideo and subsequently it is now necessary to attempt to recruit another dentist for this vacancy.

The new Beaver seaplane arrived in Stanley on the 5th September, 1955, and was assembled in time to fly for the first time on the 29th September. The former Beaver seaplane is at present undergoing a Certificate of Airworthiness overhaul and it is expected to be ready to resume work by the end of February. The student pilot is making satisfactory progress. He has passed the Private Pilot's Licence ground examination and is now flying solo. Particular attention is being paid to the distribution and collection of mail by air from the Camp and it is intended to maintain and improve this important service. So far this year nearly 1,700 passengers have been flown, a remarkable number.

Unfortunately the "Philomel" suffered a breakdown earlier in the year and was out of action for several months. She is now running satisfactorily and directly her services are no longer required in connexion with the Air Survey of the Colony she should be available once again for her normal work. In the course of the past few months a new beacon was established at Knob Island, Fox Bay.

A new office has been obtained for the Radio Telephone Operator in the former Naturalist's Hut and a 350 watt transmitter has been installed. The necessary masts and aerials have been erected near the site and Honourable Members will doubtless agree that this has resulted in a considerable improvement in so far as this most important amenity and means of communication is concerned. The transmitting equipment now employed by the Radio Telephone Operator has made a considerable difference to the standard of reception in the Camp.

50 new Loudspeakers have been installed for rental by rediffusion listeners and a further 25 have now been ordered. Government has under consideration the installation of additional exchange facilities so that a greater number of telephone subscribers can be accommodated. During the past nine months the greater majority of incoming mails have arrived on weekends and the Postmaster and his staff have cheerfully undertaken a very considerable amount of additional overtime work. They work under great difficulties caused by lack of accommodation and it is proposed, as soon as possible, to ask you to provide money to construct new storage and sorting premises for the incoming and outgoing mail bags.

With effect from the 1st August, 1955, the Electricity Power House section was separated from the Public Works Department and established as a separate department of Government. Work on the new Power Station, which is a credit to the country, has been finally completed with the erection of two 300 ton oil fuel tanks and a pipe line feeding fuel from the tanks to the power Station.

There has recently been a big improvement in the Falkland Islands Defence Force which reflects much credit on all ranks. It has completed a very satisfactory training season with a night and day field exercise using live ammunition, and I think Honourable Members who have seen the Force on parade on recent ceremonial occasions will agree that they deserve a tribute for their fine bearing. I hope that plans for re-instituting the pre-war system of annual camps which are now under consideration will come to fruition.

Arrangements have been made through the Director of Colonial Surveys for a survey of the Falkland Islands to be carried out by an aerial photographic unit of the Huntings Group. The aircraft, belonging to the Canadian subsidiary of this firm, are expected to arrive in the Colony within the next few days. They will undertake the survey before continuing on their way to Deception Island, their base for the air survey of Grahamland. The cost of the survey of the Falklands is being met from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds.

This is the last meeting of this Council before the General Election. Membership is no bed of roses, it involves a good deal of inconvenience in attending meetings and all too often Members are the targets of ill-informed criticism. It is, nevertheless, necessary that unofficials should serve in this way and refresh and invigorate the official Members. They deserve the praise and thanks of the Public. This particular Council can look back upon a period of continuous progress with satisfaction.

I should like to conclude by thanking Honourable Members for the unfailing co-operation which they have given to me personally since I have been in the Colony. I particularly appreciate the fact that the advice I have received has been given with a wholehearted intention to promote the public interest and although there may be differences of opinion as to the means our ends have been common.

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following papers:—

- (i) Copies of subsidiary legislation made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last meeting of the Legislative Council.
- (ii) Government Savings Bank Report for the period 1st January, 1954, to 31st March, 1955.
- (iii) Report of the Standing Finance Committee for the period March, 1955, to November, 1955.
- (iv) Harbour and Aviation Department Annual Report, 1954.
- (v) Annual Report of the Education Department, 1954.
- (vi) Annual Medical and Sanitary Report, 1954.
- (vii) Report of the Director General of the Oversea Audit Service on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st April, 1953, to 31st March, 1954.
- (viii) Report of the Auditor on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st April, 1953, to 31st March, 1954.
- (ix) A certificate of urgency in respect of a certain resolution.

5. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary in moving the Resolution revoking export duty on live sheep explained that Section 3 of the Customs Order imposes an export duty of 2/- per head on live sheep from and after the date of the commencement of operations of a Freezer in the Colony.

The Freezer, as Honourable Members are aware, the Colonial Secretary went on to say, has now been placed in the hands of a Receiver and consequently the *raison d'être* for this order no longer exists. Since the Freezer has ceased operations the tax payable in the case of live sheep exported from the Colony has been refunded under powers vested in the Governor-in-Council. The loss of revenue is negligible and Government considers it highly desirable that whenever possible farmers should find a market for surplus sheep. Such a market does in fact exist overseas at the present time and their export, as opposed to slaughter, brings revenue into the country. He then moved the adoption of the following resolution :—

"WHEREAS by Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance, it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Legislative Council from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties of customs upon any goods whatsoever which may be imported into or exported from the Colony, and to revoke, reduce, increase or alter any such duties, and to provide for the importation or exportation of any goods without payment of customs duty thereon;

AND WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 3 of the Customs Order an export duty has been imposed on the exportation of live sheep at the rate of two shillings per sheep;

AND WHEREAS it is considered expedient to revoke the export duties of customs payable on all live sheep exported from the Colony;

NOW BE IT RESOLVED that the said export duty payable on all live sheep exported from the Colony and imposed under the provisions of Section 3 of the Customs Order be revoked."

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded and the resolution was adopted.

6. The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer, moved the following Resolution :—

"BE IT RESOLVED that in view of the fact that the wife of the Colonial Secretary has been advised to proceed to the United Kingdom for urgent medical attention and as it is desirable that in the special circumstances she should be accompanied by her husband, the cost of the return passages should be met from public funds."

The Governor made clear that the payment of these passages was for a Government Official who was eligible for passages at Government expense, but who through misfortune was compelled to travel before he was due for a passage. It did not constitute a precedent for payment of passages at Government expense for members of the public in general who were compelled to travel to the United Kingdom for medical or compassionate reasons. He thanked the unofficial members with whom the resolution had originated.

The Resolution was adopted unanimously.

7. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary in moving the Bill "To impose penalties upon persons causing grass fires by negligence" said that Section 60 of the Summary Jurisdiction Ordinance, 1902, provided for the infliction of penalties, in the form of a fine, in the case of persons who either wilfully or negligently set on fire any grass or other herbage which was not in the possession of the persons concerned and without lawful authority.

This Ordinance was subsequently repealed and this section was not re-enacted in the Revised Edition of the Laws. Consequently, although in the case of an act of malicious damage, prosecution would lie under the provisions of the Malicious Damage Act of 1861, the present position is that by an individual act of gross negligence or carelessness, as opposed to a malicious act, vast tracks of sheep farming country and valuable pastures could, all too easily, be destroyed. Moreover, in such cases the only redress available to the owner of such land would be by means of a civil suit and, in this case, it is probable that the extent of damages that could be recovered from the negligent party would bear little relation to the extent of the damage that can be so easily caused in country such as this.

He did not need to remind Honourable Members of the recent example, in the case of the fire in the Peninsula here in Stanley how quickly such a fire, started in all probability by a picnic party, can get out of hand and control.

In these circumstances it is Government's view that more stringent measures should be introduced so as to provide that an act of negligence of this nature can be punished by the Courts as an offence against the law in addition to any civil damages that might subsequently be claimed and awarded.

The Bill that was now before Council for consideration contained such provisions. Honourable Members would observe that Clause 3 provided that the negligent burning of vegetation by a person who was not an owner or occupier and who had not obtained lawful authority would constitute an offence under the law.

Clause 4 of this Bill contained a very necessary provision to the effect that owners or occupiers of adjoining land should be given at least 2 days' notice of any intention to burn vegetation. It was, however, provided, as a safeguard in the case of those who legitimately burned vegetation on other farms, that the fact that such notice was given would constitute a sufficient defence to a prosecution under Clause 3.

It was Government's view that this Bill was, in the circumstances of the Falkland Islands, both desirable and necessary in the interests of the country as a whole.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary then proposed the first reading of the Bill — this was seconded by the Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth and no objection being made the Bill was read accordingly.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 5, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

8. The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer introduced the Bill "Further to amend the Savings Bank Ordinance" and said that the Bill had been drawn in consequence of an amendment made in 1954 to the Savings Bank Ordinance under which the end of the financial year of the Savings Bank was changed from the 31st December to the 31st March in 1955 and in 1956 and subsequent years to the 30th June.

In previous years when the financial year of the Savings Bank ended on the 31st December it was required under the Ordinance that the annual accounts be laid before the Legislature by the 31st March of the ensuing year, a period of three months, but in consequence of the change in the financial year the period allowed for the presentation of the accounts was extended to nine months.

The Secretary of State had enquired whether the Ordinance could be further amended at a convenient opportunity to provide for the accounts to be laid before the Legislature by the 30th September each year, thus retaining the original period of three months.

To do this, however, would mean creating a statutory obligation to summon the Legislature during the third quarter of the year, perhaps only to present the Savings Bank accounts.

It was proposed as an alternative that the Ordinance should be amended to provide for the accounts to be presented by the 31st December, thereby giving a greater degree of flexibility. The Secretary of State had expressed his approval of this alternative proposal and the Bill now to be considered gave effect thereto.

On being seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. Mercer the Bill was read a first time.

The Bill was read a second time and Council resolved itself into Committee.

The Bill passed the Committee stage without amendment, was read a third time and passed.

9. The Bill "Further to amend the Pensions Ordinance" was introduced by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer who stated that Clause 2 of the Bill had the effect merely of transferring the provisions of sub-section (2) of Section 6 of the Principal Ordinance to sub-section (1) of Section 3 of the Ordinance.

Clause 3 of the Bill was a re-wording of the existing paragraph (vi) of section 6 of the principal Ordinance.

Clause 4 of the Bill arose out of a recommendation by the Secretary of State to the effect that steps should be taken to meet the circumstances of cases that might occur in which, though an officer had committed no offence meriting dismissal, with its attendant loss of pension, and, could not be said to be generally inefficient, it was advisable owing to his conduct or to his temperamental unsuitability or to some other defect of his character to dispense with his services. This clause provided for the grant of a pension, gratuity or other allowance at the discretion of the Governor-in-Council to any officer whose services had been terminated in these circumstances.

The Honourable Mr. S. C. Luxton seconded and the Bill was read a first time.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and passed through all its stages without amendment.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

10. Introducing the Bill "To amend the Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) Ordinance" the Honourable the Colonial Secretary explained that under the provisions of the Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) Ordinance, diplomatic privileges and immunities are extended, in general, to officers of specified organisations, upon such officers who are employed on missions on behalf of the organisation, and upon persons who are representatives of member Governments on the governing body or committee of the organisation.

The object of the Bill, the Colonial Secretary went on to say, was to enlarge the field of diplomatic privileges and immunities to include non-governmental representatives and to provide that orders were so framed as to ensure that there were not conferred on any person, any immunities or privileges greater in extent than those which were required to give effect to any international agreement in this connection.

The net effect of the Bill therefore, on its becoming law, would be to widen the field of diplomatic privileges to include persons who were not necessarily officers of international organisations, but who were Government or non-government representatives of such organisations or other committees, and persons who might be employed on missions on behalf of the organisations.

In the circumstances of the Falkland Islands it was very unlikely that this legislation, which applied principally to the organisations of the United Nations would be often used. It was, however, for very obvious reasons, desirable that our legislation should be similar to that of the rest of the United Nations.

The motion for the first reading of the Bill was seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy and the Bill was read accordingly.

The Bill was read a second time, committed and passed through all its stages, read a third time and passed.

The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 22nd day of December, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To impose penalties upon persons causing
grass fires by negligence. Title.

[22nd December, 1955] Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance shall be cited as the Grass Fires Ordinance, 1955. Short title.

2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires — Interpretation.
“Owner” or “Occupier” in relation to any land includes any person who is for the time being managing a farm on such land;

“Vegetation” means growing or standing vegetation and includes brushwood, bushes, crops, grass, stubble, trees and undergrowth.

3. (1) If any person wilfully and without lawful authority or negligently shall set on fire any vegetation on land of which he is not the owner or occupier he shall be guilty of an offence. Negligent burning of vegetation offences.

(2) If any person shall wilfully or negligently kindle any fire which by spreading damages or destroys the property or the vegetation upon the land of any other person he shall be guilty of an offence.

Notice to be given before
burning grass.

4. (1) Every person before proceeding to burn vegetation on his own land or upon land on which he is authorised or permitted to burn vegetation shall give at least two days' notice of his intention to do so to all owners or occupiers of adjoining land which is within half a mile of the land on which the burning is to take place.

(2) If a fire lawfully kindled after notice given according to the preceding sub-section spreads to adjoining land, the fact that such notice was given shall be a sufficient defence to any charge under the provisions of section 3 of this Ordinance brought against the person who kindled or was responsible for kindling such fire, unless it is proved that by the negligence of himself, his servants or agents he permitted such fire to spread to such adjoining land, but shall not affect the right of any person aggrieved to obtain damages for any loss sustained by him as the result of such fire.

(3) Such notice shall be delivered by hand and shall be deemed to commence from the time when it is received by the person to whom it is addressed or any servant or agent of his, and shall state as nearly as possible the time and place at which the burning will take place.

Penalties.

5. Every person who commits an offence against this Ordinance shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding £50 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Ref. 1674.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 22nd day of December, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 6



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Further to amend the Savings Bank Ordinance. Title.

[22nd December, 1955]

Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Savings Bank (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Savings Bank Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Short title.

Cap. 61.

2. Section 12 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words "March ensuing" and substituting therefor the words "December ensuing".

Amendment of section 12 of the principal Ordinance.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 22nd day of December, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 7



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. Further to amend the Pensions Ordinance.

Date of commencement. [22nd December, 1955.]

Enacting clause. ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Pensions Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 3 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Subsection (1) of section 3 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the addition thereto of the following paragraph :—

“Any pension or gratuity granted under this Ordinance shall be computed in accordance with the provisions in force at the actual date of an officer's retirement”.

Amendment of section 6 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 6 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—

(a) by deleting paragraph (vi) and substituting the following paragraph :—

“(vi) in the case of termination of employment in the public interest as provided by this Ordinance;”

(b) by deleting subsection (2).

4. Section 7 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced as follows :-

Replacement of section 7 of the principal Ordinance.

* "Retirement in the public interest.

7. Where an officer's service is terminated on the ground that, having regard to the conditions of the public service, the usefulness of the officer thereto and all the other circumstances of the case, such termination is desirable in the public interest, and a pension, gratuity or other allowance cannot otherwise be granted to him under the provisions of this Ordinance, the Governor in Council may, if he thinks fit, grant such pension, gratuity or other allowance as he thinks just and proper, not exceeding in amount that for which the officer would be eligible if he retired from the public service in the circumstances described in paragraph (v) of the preceding section".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Ref. 0829/II.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 22nd day of December, 1955.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 8



1955.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

**To amend the Diplomatic Privileges
(Extension) Ordinance.**

Title.

Date of commencement.

[22nd December, 1955]

Enacting clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955, and shall be read as one with the Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 20.

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

2. For subsection (2) of section 2 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following subsection :—

“(2) The Governor may by Order in Council :—

- (a) provide that any organisation to which this section applies (hereinafter referred to as “the organisation”) shall, to such extent as may be specified in the Order, have the immunities and privileges set out in Part I of the Schedule to this Ordinance, and shall also have the legal capacities of a body corporate ;
- (b) confer upon :—
 - (i) any persons who are representatives (whether of Governments or not) on any organ of the organisation or are members of any Committee of the organisation or of an organ thereof ;
 - (ii) such number of officers of the organisation as may be specified in the Order, being the holders of such high offices in the organisation as may be so specified ; and

(iii) such persons employed on missions on behalf of the organisation as may be so specified ;

to such extent as may be specified in the Order, the immunities and privileges set out in Part II of the Schedule to this Ordinance ;

(c) confer upon such other classes of officers and servants of the organisation as may be specified in the Order, to such extent as may be so specified, the immunities and privileges set out in Part III of the Schedule to this Ordinance ;

and Part IV of the Schedule to this Ordinance shall have effect for the purpose of extending to the staffs of such representatives and members as are mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (b) of this subsection and to the families of officers of the organisation any immunities and privileges conferred on the representatives, members or officers under that paragraph, except in so far as the operation of the said Part IV is excluded by the Order conferring the immunities and privileges :

Provided that the Order shall be so framed as to secure that there are not conferred on any person any immunities or privileges greater in extent than those which, at the time of making of the Order, are required to be conferred on that person in order to give effect to any international agreement in that behalf."

3. The Schedule to the principal Ordinance shall be amended in the following respects :—

Amendment of the Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

(a) by the deletion of the heading of Part II and the substitution therefor of the following heading :—

"Immunities and privileges of Representatives, Members of Committees, High Officers and Persons on Missions."

(b) by the deletion of the heading of Part IV and the substitution therefor of the following heading :—

"Immunities and Privileges of Official Staffs and of High Officers' Families."

(c) by the deletion of paragraph 1 of Part IV and the substitution therefor of the following paragraph :—

"1. Where any person is entitled to any such immunities and privileges as are mentioned in Part II of this Schedule as a representative on any organ of the organisation or a member of any committee of the organisation or of an organ thereof, his official staff accompanying him as such representative or member shall also be entitled to those immunities and privileges to the same extent as the retinue of an envoy of a foreign sovereign Power accredited to Her Majesty is entitled to the immunities and privileges accorded to the envoy."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Legislative Council Elections

Register of Electors

Stanley Electoral Area

1	Alazia, Agnes	58	Blyth, Alexander Latto
2	Alazia, John Albert	59	Blyth, Henry
3	Alazia, William Charles	60	Blyth, Marion Sarah
4	Alcock, Allan Strange	61	Bonner, Alice Marion
5	Aldridge, Adeline Ladora	62	Bonner, Christina Catherine
6	Aldridge, Stephen Charles	63	Bonner, Henry John
7	Aldridge, Sidney George	64	Bonner, Richard Leslie
8	Allan, Hector	65	Booth, Stuart Alfred
9	Allan, John	66	Bound, Henry John Lennard
10	Allan, Violet Margaret	67	Bound, Horace Leslie
11	Allan, William John	68	Bound, Joan
12	Anderson, Alfred	69	Bound, Mary Ann
13	Anderson, Alfred Peter	70	Bowles, Isabella
14	Anderson, Ann	71	Bowles, William John
15	Anderson, Gertrude Maud	72	Brechin, Gregor
16	Andreason, Emily	73	Brechin, Jeannie Lilian Mary
17	Ashley, Frederick Albert	74	Brechin, Teresa Mary
18	Ashley, John Richard	75	Browning, John Benjamin
19	Atkins, Iris Beatrice	76	Browning, Sarah
20	Atkins, Stanley Percival	77	Bundes, Muriel Gladys
21	Barnes, Ernest	78	Burns, Fred John
22	Barnes, Ethel	79	Burns, Martha
23	Barnes, Euphemia	80	Buse, Evelyn May
24	Barnes, Florence Mary	81	Campbell, Ethel
25	Barnes, Francis Edward	82	Campbell, John Markham
26	Barnes, John Samuel	83	Campbell, Ray
27	Barnes, Mabel Annie	84	Carey, Anthony Michael
28	Barnes, Molly Stella	85	Carey, Charles William
29	Barnes, Ronald	86	Carey, Mary Anne
30	Barton, Arthur Grenfell	87	Carey, Terence James
31	Barton, Dorothy Iowa	88	Cartnell, Robert
32	Bennett, Harold	89	Cartnell, Sarah Craig
33	Bennett, Ruth Margaret	90	Cheek, Dorothy Mary Gladys
34	Bennett, Stanley	91	Cheek, Frederick John
35	Berntsen, Flora	92	Clark, Donald John
36	Berntsen, Frederick George	93	Cletheroe, Leslie John
37	Biggs, Arthur Louis Stanley	94	Cletheroe, Lily Catherine
38	Biggs, Bernard Claud	95	Clifton, Charles
39	Biggs, Carl Patrick	96	Clifton, Hugh Ernest
40	Biggs, Dorothy	97	Clifton, James
41	Biggs, Edith Ann	98	Clifton, Jessie Emily Jane
42	Biggs, Grace Elizabeth	99	Clifton, Orissa
43	Biggs, Hilda Evangline	100	Clifton, Winnie
44	Biggs, Horace Harold	101	Coleman, Edvie Lena
45	Biggs, Hubert Arthur	102	Coleman, Frederick Albert
46	Biggs, Irene Mary	103	Cook, Beatrice Mary
47	Biggs, John Falkland	104	Coutts, John
48	Biggs, Kathleen Frances	105	Coutts, William John
49	Biggs, Kathleen Mary	106	Craigie-Halkett, Ethel
50	Biggs, Madge Bridget Frances	107	Creece, Martin George
51	Biggs, Martin William Henry	108	Creece, Mary Frances
52	Biggs, Mary Ann	109	Curran, Henry
53	Binnie, Mary	110	Curran, Margaret
54	Binnie, Muriel Denora	111	Davis, Lena
55	Binnie, Nisbet	112	Davis, Lucy Emma
56	Binnie, Terence William	113	Davis, Lucy Phyllis
57	Blyth, Alfred John	114	Daykin, Kathleen Ruth Elma

- 115 Dillon, Paschal Thomas
 116 Dixon, Ernest Vine
 117 Dixon, Georgina Ellen
 118 Dixon, Mary
 119 Dixon, Percy Stanley
 120 Duncan, Howard Henry
 121 Enestrom, Edgar William
 122 Enestrom, Frances Ellen
 123 Etheridge, William Arthur
 124 Evans, Alice Dale
 125 Evans, Morris Ellis
 126 Finlayson, Alexander James
 127 Finlayson, Dorothy
 128 Fleuret, Douglas
 129 Fleuret, Edna Ruby
 130 Fleuret, Rose Helen
 131 Fleuret, Theodore Clovis
 132 Flowers, William Roy
 133 Ford, Arthur Henry
 134 Ford, Doris Mary
 135 Ford, Sheila Ellen
 136 Fuhlendorff, Elizabeth Alice
 137 Fuhlendorff, Valdemar Ernest
 138 Gleadell, Alice Annie
 139 Gleadell, Frank
 140 Gleadell, Leslie Charles
 141 Gleadell, Marklin Lawrence
 142 Gleadell, Mildred Nessie
 143 Goodwin, Dorothy
 144 Goodwin, James
 145 Goodwin, Kathleen Edith Marguerite
 146 Goodwin, Kathleen Margaret
 147 Goodwin, Mary Ann
 148 Goodwin, Sybella
 149 Goodwin, Thomas James
 150 Goodwin, William
 151 Goodwin, William Andrew Nutt
 152 Goss, Alice Dale
 153 Goss, James William
 154 Goss, Richard Victor
 155 Gould, Asta
 156 Gould, Jack
 157 Grant, Millie
 158 Grierson, William John
 159 Grierson, Irene
 160 Hall, Albert Henry
 161 Halliday, Andrew John
 162 Halliday, Ann Miller Blyth
 163 Halliday, John James
 164 Halliday, Lilian
 165 Hamilton, James Erik
 166 Hamilton, Rose
 167 Hannaford, Alice Madeline
 168 Hannaford, Ivan Maurice
 169 Hannaford, Robert Henry
 170 Hansen, George Dedrick
 171 Hansen, Rachel
 172 Hardy, Albert Percy
 173 Hardy, Arthur Leslie
 174 Hardy, Edith Isabella
 175 Hardy, Frederick John
 176 Hardy, Jack Arthur
 177 Harries, Alice Agnes
 178 Harries, John James
 179 Harvey, Mary Edith
 180 Harvey, William
 181 Henricksen, Agnes
 182 Henricksen, Albert James
 183 Henricksen, Cyril William
 184 Henricksen, Winnifred Mary Elizabeth
 185 Hills, Heather Margaret
 186 Hills, Mary Elisabeth
 187 Hills, William Phorsen
 188 Hirtle, Caroline Ellen
 189 Hirtle, Mary Ann
 190 Hirtle, Wallace
 191 Hooley, Trevor Vernon
 192 Howkins, Gordon Arthur
 193 Howkins, Olga Annie
 194 Hutchinson, Robert
 195 Ikkint, Dudley Eustace Jan
 196 Jennings, Ada Catherine
 197 Jennings, Louisa
 198 Johnson, Annie Elizabeth Jane
 199 Johnson, Beatrice Ellen
 200 Johnson, Blanche
 201 Johnson, Edward Victor
 202 Jones, Richard
 203 Keenleyside, Dorothy Maud
 204 King, Ella Malvina
 205 King, Gladys Evelyn
 206 King, James Arnold
 207 King, Minnie Isabella
 208 King, Ronald Isbell
 209 King, Vernon Thomas
 210 Lehen, Annie Elizabeth
 211 Lehen, Maurice
 212 Lellman, Albert Ferdinand
 213 Lellman, Anne Eileen
 214 Lellman, Edward Francis
 215 Lellman, Francis Theodore
 216 Lellman, Winifred May
 217 Lindenber, Sarah Ethel
 218 Lindenber, Theodore
 219 Livermore, Albert Edward
 220 Luxton, Ernest Falkland
 221 Luxton, Henry Thomas
 222 Luxton, Markham James
 223 Luxton, Orissa
 224 Luxton, Stanley Charles
 225 Luxton, Sybil Grace
 226 Malcolm, George
 227 Martin, George Alexander
 228 Mercer, Alexander
 229 Mercer, Winifred Beatrice
 230 Middleton, Arthur
 231 Middleton, David Dawson
 232 Middleton, George Stewart
 233 Middleton, Jessie
 234 Middleton, Lora
 235 Middleton, Mary Gladys Susan
 236 Middleton, Stewart
 237 Miller, Ethel Mary
 238 Mills, Florence
 239 Morrison, Donald Finlay
 240 Morrison, Douglas Donald
 241 Morrison, Douglas Roy
 242 Morrison, Mary
 243 Morrison, Marjorie Beatrice
 244 Morrison, Minnie
 245 McAskill, Donald William
 246 McAskill, Susan Blanche
 247 McCarthy, Daisy Edna
 248 McCarthy, Michael

- 249 McCarthy, William George
 250 McGill, Maud
 251 McKay, James John
 252 McKay, Jane Elizabeth
 253 McKay, Thomas
 254 McKenzie, Margaret
 255 McLeod, Barbara
 256 McLeod, Donald
 257 McMillan, Donald Hugh
 258 McMillan, Sheila Peggy
 259 McMullen, Ann Fraser
 260 McPhee, Emily Mary Ellen
 261 McWhan, Nellie
 262 McWhan, Walter Forrest
 263 Newing, Albert
 264 Newing, John Charles
 265 Nicholson, Isabella Alice Theresa
 266 Nicholson, Leslie Holliday
 267 Norris, Eva
 268 Norris, James
 269 Num, Elizabeth Margaret
 270 Num, Henry
 271 Osborne, Dorothy Mabel
 272 Osborne, George Henry
 273 O'Sullivan, Dominic William
 274 O'Sullivan, Isabella
 275 Paice, Charles John Bond
 276 Paice, Faith Ann
 277 Paice, Victorena Enecy
 278 Pallini, Frances
 279 Pallini, George Louis
 280 Pallini, Isabella
 281 Parrin, Norman
 282 Pauloni, Helen Braid
 283 Pauloni, Robert
 284 Pearson, Arthur
 285 Pearson, Gwendoline Malvina
 286 Pearson, Rose
 287 Peck, May
 288 Pedersen, Mary Ann
 289 Perry, Annie Elizabeth
 290 Perry, George
 291 Perry, William John
 292 Pettersson, Annie Caroline
 293 Pettersson, John Silas Percival
 294 Pettersson, Mary Ann
 295 Pettersson, Velma
 296 Reive, Andrew
 297 Reive, Charles Thomas
 298 Reive, Eleanor Maud Ioné
 299 Reive, Emma Flora
 300 Reive, Frederick John
 301 Reive, Irene Rose
 302 Reive, Isabella
 303 Reive, Leonard Lawrence
 304 Reive, Stephen
 305 Reive, William John
 306 Roberts, Nora
 307 Roberts, William Edgar
 308 Robson, Laura Lucy
 309 Robson, Michael
 310 Robson, Robert Lionel
 311 Robson, Violet Malvina Emilie
 312 Robson, Winifred Maud
 313 Ross, Eileen Norah
 314 Rowlands, Harold Theodore
 315 Rowlands, James George
 316 Rowlands, John Richard
 317 Rowlands, Theodore Conrad
 318 Rutter, Esther Elizabeth
 319 Ryan, Anne
 320 Ryan, John Stanley
 321 Scott, James Mackintosh
 322 Sedgwick, Bertrand Arthur
 323 Sedgwick, Caroline
 324 Sedgwick, Dorothy Margaret
 325 Sedgwick, Elliott
 326 Sedgwick, Henry Horace, Snr.
 327 Sedgwick, Henry Horace, Jr.
 328 Sedgwick, Irene Isabella
 329 Sedgwick, Mary Jane
 330 Sedgwick, William Henry
 331 Shackel, Alexander Percival
 332 Shackel, Dorothy Ena
 333 Shorey, Beatrice Mary Malvina Laura
 334 Shorey, William Percy
 335 Short, George Henry
 336 Skilling, Charles John
 337 Skilling, Jessie Jane
 338 Slade, Harry Edward
 339 Smith, Elizabeth
 340 Smith, Hannah Caroline
 341 Smith, John Crook
 342 Smith, William John
 343 Sollis, Denis John
 344 Sollis, Maude
 345 Sornsen, Agnes Caroline
 346 Stacey, David
 347 Stacey, Lilian
 348 Steen, Emma Jane
 349 Steen, Robert Bertram
 350 Stewart, Alexander
 351 Stewart, Audrey Orissa
 352 Stewart, Elizabeth Jane
 353 Stewart, George Alexander
 354 Stewart, Muriel Olive
 355 Stokes, Patricia Audrey
 356 Stokes, Ronald
 357 Stone, Sydney Edward
 358 Summers, Alice Emily
 359 Summers, Aubrey Vernon
 360 Summers, Dorothy Constance
 361 Summers, Elizabeth Margaret
 362 Summers, Philip George
 363 Summers, Sydney Raisbeck
 364 Thompson, Hannah Frances
 365 Thompson, William John
 366 Walker, May
 367 Walker, Thomas Palmer
 368 Watson, Duncan Russel
 369 Watson, James
 370 Watson, Mary Eleanor
 371 Watson, Rica
 372 Watts, Ada Mabel
 373 Watts, James
 374 Wilkinson, Raymond Ewart
 375 Williams, Annie Margaret
 376 Williams, Charlotte Agnes
 377 Williams, John Dolan
 378 Williams, Ralph Michael

East Falkland Electoral Area

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| <p>1 Alazia, Charles
 2 Alazia, Dorothy Fay
 3 Alazia, George James
 4 Alazia, George Robert
 5 Alazia, Henry James
 6 Alazia, Iona Norma
 7 Alazia, Joseph William
 8 Alazia, Leslie Stanley
 9 Allan, Percy
 10 Anderson, Louisa Kathleen
 11 Anderson, Ludivick Riley
 12 Andreason, Sturdee
 13 Ashley, Alfred George
 14 Ashley, Nora Phyllis
 15 Ashmore, James Hopkins
 16 Ashmore, Margaret Scott
 17 Barnes, Arthur James
 18 Barnes, Frederick William
 19 Barnes, William Frederick John
 20 Barton, John David
 21 Berntsen, Frederick George
 22 Berntsen, Frederick Nathaniel
 23 Berntsen, Lars Marentius
 24 Berntsen, Lavina Maud
 25 Berntsen, Mary Anne Margaret
 26 Berntsen, Raymond
 27 Berntsen, Violet Catherine
 28 Berrido, Alexander
 29 Betts, Frederick Charles
 30 Betts, Isabella
 31 Biggs, Alexander Maxwell
 32 Binnie, Albert Frederick
 33 Binnie, Eileen Malvina
 34 Blackley, Adam Kilen
 35 Blackley, Janet Agnes Mary
 36 Blackley, Violet Regina Margaret
 37 Blyth, Frederick Isbell King
 38 Blyth, Hilary Maud
 39 Blyth, John
 40 Blyth, Winifred
 41 Bonner, Alexander Maurice
 42 Bonner, Edith Victoria Catherine
 43 Bonner, John Francis
 44 Bonner, Violet
 45 Burns, Mary Ann
 46 Burns, William Peter Thomas
 47 Butler, George Joseph
 48 Butler, Joseph Thomas
 49 Cameron, Norman Ewen Keith
 50 Cameron, Rose Anne
 51 Cartmell, Ada Annie Elizabeth
 52 Cartmell, Henry George
 53 Cartmell, Sarah Matilda
 54 Cartmell, William James Henry
 55 Clement, Doreathy Masie
 56 Clement, James Turner
 57 Clifton, Allan John
 58 Coutts, Alexander
 59 Davidson, Thomas
 60 Davis, William John
 61 Desborough, Dennis Landon Ronald
 62 Desborough, Gladys Malvina
 63 Dickson, Caroline Christine</p> | <p>64 Dickson, Charles John Edward
 Crawford
 65 Finlayson, Charles John
 66 Finlayson, Hugh
 67 Ford, Charles
 68 Gilruth, Florence Helen
 69 Gilruth, Thomas Andrew
 70 Gleadell, Bertrand Leonard
 71 Goss, Gloria
 72 Goss, Roderick Jacob
 73 Hadden, Alexander Burnett
 74 Hall, Donald John
 75 Hall, Ella
 76 Halliday, John James George
 77 Harmon, Inglis
 78 Harmon, Michael John
 79 Heathman, Stanley Kenneth
 80 Heathman, Violet
 81 Hewitt, Dorothy Ellen
 82 Hewitt, James
 83 Hollen James
 84 Hollen, Thomas
 85 Honeyman, David Masterton
 86 Honeyman, Nancy Sybil Frances
 87 Hubbard, John
 88 Jaffray, Alexander
 89 Jaffray, John
 90 Jaffray, Rebecca
 91 Jaffray, Roderick Donald
 92 Jaffray, William
 93 Johnson, Eric Thomas
 94 Johnson, Esther Emily
 95 Johnson, Henry
 96 Johnson, Stephen Neil
 97 Lang, Frank
 98 Larsen, Harold
 99 Larsen, Margaret Ann
 100 Lee, Edward John
 101 Lee, James William Thomas
 102 Lee, Joy Sarah Lucy
 103 May, Frederick Albert Charles
 104 May, James John
 105 McCallum, Daisy
 106 McCallum, James
 107 McGill, Roma Eudora Mary
 108 McKay, Clara Mary
 109 McKay, William Robert
 110 McLeod, Agnes
 111 McLeod, Archie
 112 McLeod, Dennis Leslie
 113 McLeod, John
 114 McLeod, William
 115 McMullen, David James Edward
 Henry
 116 McMullen, Maggie Ann
 117 McPhee, Owen Horace
 118 McRae, Donald Alick
 119 McRae, Robert George Hector
 120 Middleton, David John
 121 Middleton, James
 122 Middleton, Mabel
 123 Middleton, William
 124 Milne, John</p> |
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| 125 | Morrison, Donald Ewen | 160 | Reive, John |
| 126 | Morrison, Elizabeth Margaret Mary | 161 | Reive, Peter |
| 127 | Morrison, Hyacinth Emily | 162 | Roberts, Rebecca Sarah Margaret
Dickson |
| 128 | Morrison, Iris Heather | 163 | Robson, Walter Conrad |
| 129 | Morrison, John Murdo | 164 | Rozee, Derek Robert Thomas |
| 130 | Morrison, Mabel Regina Maggy | 165 | Shaw, David McCaw |
| 131 | Morrison, Mary Ellen | 166 | Shaw, Margaret Mary |
| 132 | Morrison, Murdo | 167 | Shedden, James Alexander |
| 133 | Morrison, Roderick | 168 | Short, Agnes Mary Ann |
| 134 | Morrison, William Dickson | 169 | Short, Donald Robert Gordon |
| 135 | Murphy, David John | 170 | Short, Florence Mary |
| 136 | Murphy, Mary Isabel | 171 | Short, John |
| 137 | Newman, Dorothy Elizabeth | 172 | Short, John George Archibald |
| 138 | Newman, George Henry Richard | 173 | Short, Richard Francis |
| 139 | Newman, Jessie Brown | 174 | Smith, Alfred Charles |
| 140 | Newman, Josephine Winifred | 175 | Smith, Alice Mary Teresa |
| 141 | Newman, Silas Alexander | 176 | Smith, Andrew Ludwig Clifford |
| 142 | Newman, Wilfred Lawrence | 177 | Smith, David James |
| 143 | Pecke, Christopher Vere | 178 | Smith, David Roger |
| 144 | Parrin, William Richard | 179 | Smith, Edith Winifred |
| 145 | Pearson, Ellen Elizabeth | 180 | Smith, James Hogan |
| 146 | Pearson, Robert | 181 | Smith, James Stanley |
| 147 | Peck, Edith | 182 | Sornsen, Andrew Alexander |
| 148 | Peck, Mary | 183 | Stewart, Margaret Hannah Isabella |
| 149 | Peck, Percy Phillip | 184 | Stewart, Mary Anne |
| 150 | Peck, William George Edmond | 185 | Summers, Stanley Frederick |
| 151 | Perry, Augustave Walter | 186 | Summers, Walter Falkland |
| 152 | Perry, James Julien | 187 | Turner, Grace |
| 153 | Perry, Stella Margeory | 188 | Turner, Leonard McIntosh |
| 154 | Perry, Thora Verginia | 189 | Vinson, Marjorie |
| 155 | Phillips, Jesse | 190 | Vinson, Richard George |
| 156 | Phillips, Jessie Catherine | 191 | Whitney, George Markham |
| 157 | Poole, Laurence | 192 | Younghusband, Charles Henry |
| 158 | Potter, John Shields | | |
| 159 | Poulien, Ralph | | |
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West Falkland Electoral Area

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|----|--|-----|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Alazia, Albert Faulkner | 61 | Felton, Anthony Terence |
| 2 | Alazia, Thora Lillian | 62 | Felton, Isabella Violet |
| 3 | Aldridge, Olive | 63 | Felton, Walter Arthur |
| 4 | Aldridge, Thomas George | 64 | Felton, Winifred Dorothy |
| 5 | Anderson, Alice Maud | 65 | Fitch, James |
| 6 | Anderson, William John Stephen | 66 | Forbes, James |
| 7 | Barker, Percy | 67 | Fraia, Joseph |
| 8 | Barnes, Hector Charles | 68 | Goodwin, Bert Samuel |
| 9 | Berntsen, Kathleen Edith Mary
Lucy Crawford | 69 | Goodwin, David |
| 10 | Berntsen, Linda | 70 | Goodwin, David George |
| 11 | Berntsen, Sidney Laurence | 71 | Goodwin, Ernest Gilbert |
| 12 | Berntsen, William Blyth | 72 | Goodwin, John Kenneth |
| 13 | Bertrand, Catherine Gladys | 73 | Goodwin, Lena |
| 14 | Bertrand, Cecil William Wickham | 74 | Goodwin, Mary Alice Agnes
Crawford |
| 15 | Betts, Alan Sturdee | 75 | Gray, Peter Cormack |
| 16 | Betts, Alexander John | 76 | Halliday, Jane Christina |
| 17 | Betts, Arthur John | 77 | Halliday, John Arthur Leslie |
| 18 | Betts, Henry | 78 | Hansen, Lionel Raymond |
| 19 | Betts, Hyacinth Emily | 79 | Hansen, Rose Idina |
| 20 | Biggs, Malcolm Wilfred | 80 | Harvey, Alfred Sydney |
| 21 | Binnie, James George | 81 | Harvey, Beatrice Louisa Catherine |
| 22 | Binnie, Horace James | 82 | Harvey, Claud James |
| 23 | Blackman, Thomas Henry | 83 | Harvey, Donald |
| 24 | Blake, Dulcie Doreen | 84 | Harvey, Muriel Elizabeth Elsie |
| 25 | Blake, John Locke | 85 | Hayward, Petër Dennis |
| 26 | Blake, William Wedderburn | 86 | Henricksen, Martin |
| 27 | Bunce, Clifford Cyril | 87 | Hewitt, Rachel Catherine Orissa |
| 28 | Butler, Elsie Maud | 88 | Hewitt, Robert John David |
| 29 | Butler, Frederick Lower Edward Oli | 89 | Hume, Isabella Cormack |
| 30 | Butler, George James Coppin | 90 | Hume, James Robert |
| 31 | Butler, Isabella | 91 | Johnson, Alfred George Reginald |
| 32 | Clasen, Fritz | 92 | Johnson, Frederick William |
| 33 | Clement, Viola Mary | 93 | Johnson, Howard |
| 34 | Clement, Wickham Howard | 94 | Johnson, Jean |
| 35 | Clifton, James | 95 | Johnson, Stanley Peter |
| 36 | Coutts, Frederick George | 96 | Johnson, Violet Alberta |
| 37 | Craig, Alice | 97 | Kenny, Norman David |
| 38 | Craig, Peter | 98 | Kenny, Thelma Valdina |
| 39 | Craigie-Halkett, Cecil | 99 | Kiddle, Malvina Telma |
| 40 | Davis, Agnes Janet Mary | 100 | Kiddle, Robert |
| 41 | Davis, Arthur | 101 | Kivell, Harriet Janet |
| 42 | Davis, Benjamin Charles | 102 | Kivell, William |
| 43 | Davis, Dorothy Wilhelmina | 103 | Lang, Dorothy Mary Eleanor |
| 44 | Davies, Roy | 104 | Lang, Patrick Andrew |
| 45 | Dickson, Edward Thomas Crawford | 105 | Lang, William Andrew |
| 46 | Dickson, John | 106 | Lee, Alfred Leslie |
| 47 | Douglas, George | 107 | Lee, Christina |
| 48 | Drake, Norman Kenneth | 108 | Lee, Edwin Thomas |
| 49 | Duncan, Avis Marion | 109 | Lee, Frederick Francis Jacob |
| 50 | Duncan, David Henry | 110 | Lee, June Elliot |
| 51 | Duncan, Georgina | 111 | Lee, Sidney Simpson |
| 52 | Duncan, Howard Eric | 112 | Lee, Thomas |
| 53 | Duncan, James Alexander | 113 | Llamosa, Arthur James |
| 54 | Duncan, Peter | 114 | Llamosa, George Alexander |
| 55 | Edney, William Peter | 115 | Llamosa, Rosina Winifred |
| 56 | Etheridge, Arthur George | 116 | Llamosa, William John |
| 57 | Etheridge, Jean Lavinia | 117 | Luxton, Keith William |
| 58 | Etheridge, Georgina Bond | 118 | Luxton, Margaret |
| 59 | Evans, Gladys | 119 | Lyse, Ernest Lewis |
| 60 | Evans, Griffiths | 120 | McBeth, Phyllis Elizabeth Grace |

121	McBeth, William Campbell	161	Perry, Pearl
122	Marsh, Frank	162	Pole-Evans, Anthony Reginald
123	Marsh, June Helen	163	Pole-Evans, Douglas Markham
124	Marsh, Roy	164	Pole-Evans, Jessie
125	May, Alfred William Manfred	165	Pole-Evans, Orissa Mary Eleanor
126	McAskill, Jane Eliza	166	Pole-Evans, Yvonne Mary
127	McAskill, John	167	Poole, Charlie
128	McGill, Kathleen Gladys	168	Porter, Arthur
129	McGill, Maurice	169	Porter, Charles
130	McKay, David	170	Porter, George
131	McKay, David	171	Porter, Howard
132	McKay, David	172	Robertson, Anne
133	McKay, Laura	173	Robertson, Charles Honeyman
134	McKay, Richard	174	Robertson, Peter Charles
135	McKay, Rosie Louisa	175	Robson, Edward
136	McLaren, Alexander Rodger	176	Robson, Lucy
137	McLaren, Minnie Malvina	177	Ross, Colin
138	McLeod, Christina Agnes Marion	178	Short, Christina Ethel
139	McRae, Clara	179	Short, Daisy Beatrice
140	McRae, Duncan	180	Short, Frederick George
141	McRae, Farquhar	181	Short, Joe Leslie
142	McRae, Murdo	182	Skilling, Thomas
143	McRae, Roderick M.	183	Smith, Donald Henry
144	Miller, Betty Lois	184	Smith, Francis David
145	Miller, Stanley Frank	185	Smith, Georgina Ellen
146	Miller, Sidney	186	Smith, John William
147	Minto, Gladys Elizabeth	187	Smith, Mildred Elizabeth
148	Minto, Leonard	188	Sprules, Gilbert Edwin
149	Morrison, Muriel	189	Stewart, Flora Kathleen
150	Morrison, Norman	190	Stewart, George Nathaniel
151	Murphy, Bessie	191	Stewart, Gordon
152	Murphy, Mitchael	192	Summers, Iris Blanche
153	Napier, Herbert Milne	193	Summers Victor Leonard
154	Napier, Lillian Gladys	194	Walmesley, Robert
155	Napier, Roderick Bertrand	195	White, John Wright
156	Paice, Annie	196	White, Kathleen Elizabeth
157	Paice, William Nathaniel	197	Whitney, Catherine Margaret Rebecca
158	Peck, Aubrey Frederick	198	Whitney, Fredrick Eddy
159	Peck, Gordon	199	Williets, Robert
160	Perry, Christopher		

NOTE—The Register of Electors has been revised up to the 28th of November, 1955, and in accordance with Section 9 of the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance, the Register may be inspected at the Secretariat during normal office hours.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Honeyman, Mrs. D.	Education	Matron, Darwin Boarding School	1.1.56	—
Smith, G. C.	"	Teacher	2.1.56	—
Brown, N. R.	R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	Acting Master	1.7.55	—
Lenton, R.	Transantarctic Expedition	Sub-Postmaster	30.1.56	—
Draycott, D. J.	Education	Ag. Supt. of Education	28.12.55	—
Bound, J., E.D., J.P.	Secretariat	Ag. Colonial Secretary	28.12.55	—
Hirtle, W.	"	Ag. Asst. Col. Secretary	28.12.55	—
Morrison, D. R.	"	Ag. Chief Clerk	28.12.55	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Halliday, Tony	Posts & Telegraphs	Messenger	31.12.55 Resigned.
Smith, Eric	" "	"	31.12.55 "
MacNab, D.	South Georgia	Meteorological Assist.	8.12.55 On transfer to F.I.D.S.
Grant, A.	" "	Diesel Electric Mechanic	8.12.55 do.

LEAVE.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Hasenholler, W.	Medical	Dental Mechanic	13.6.55 - 9.1.56 —
Whitney, J. R.	Posts & Tels.	Clerk	7.5.55 - 9.1.56 —
Myles, W. B.	" "	Clerk	13.6.55 - 9.1.56 —
Dixon, E. V.	Public Works	Clerk	6.1.56 - On leave prior to final retirement.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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|---|--|---|----------------------------|--|---|---|--|--|---|--|--|
| <p>No. 1. 2nd January, 1956.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NEW YEAR HONOURS.</p> <p>Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointments :—</p> <p>M.B.E. (Civil) Mr. H. K. KRISTOFFERSEN
(South Georgia)</p> <p>B.E.M. (Civil) Mr. R. A. LENTON
(Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Ref. 0107/C/III.</p> | <p>No. 3. 5th January, 1956.</p> <p>His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MR. L. E. BIGGS</p> <p>to act as a Poundkeeper with effect from 5th January, 1956.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Ref. 0797/N/II.</p> | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>No. 2. 3rd January, 1956.</p> <p>The following list of Ministers of Religion, who have been registered as Ministers for celebrating marriages, is published in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the Marriage Ordinance :—</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 20px;">The Right Reverend
Daniel Ivor Evans, C.B.E.</td> <td>Lord Bishop of
the Falkland Islands.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>The Reverend
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St. Mary's Church.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>The Reverend Walter
Forrest McWhan, M.B.E.</td> <td>Minister of the
United Free Church.</td> </tr> </table> <p style="text-align: right;">Ref. 1163.</p> | The Right Reverend
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Jack Gould | Senior Chaplain of
Christ Church Cathedral. | The Right Reverend
Monsignor James Ireland | Prefect Apostolic of the
Falkland Islands and
Dependencies. | The Reverend Father
Cornelius Landman | Assistant Priest
St. Mary's Church. | The Reverend Walter
Forrest McWhan, M.B.E. | Minister of the
United Free Church. | <p>No. 4. 11th January, 1956.</p> <p>His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the award of the Colonial Police and Fire Brigades Long Service Medal to</p> <p style="text-align: center;">POLICE CONSTABLE DOUGLAS FLEURET</p> <p>of the Falkland Islands Police Force.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Ref. P/180.</p> |
| The Right Reverend
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the Falkland Islands. | | | | | | | | | | |
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United Free Church. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | <p>No. 5. 11th January, 1956.</p> <p>With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 4th January, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday, 9th January, 1956.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Ref. 0276/II, P/614.</p> | | | | | | | | | | |

- No. 6. 11th January, 1956.
- THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945.**
(Gazette Notice No. 26 of 1946).
- The text of the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order 1955, which was made on the 1st day of December, 1955, in the United Kingdom, is published for general information.

1955 No. 1810.

SUPPLIES AND SERVICES

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (CONTINUANCE) ORDER, 1955.

Made - - - -	1st December, 1955.
Laid before Parliament	6th December, 1955.
Coming into Operation	9th December, 1955.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 1st day of December, 1955.

Present

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL.

Whereas by section eight of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, the said Act was limited to expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty, five years after the passing thereof, unless continued in force under that section :

And Whereas by Orders in Council, made under that section the said Act was continued in force until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-five :

And Whereas it is provided by that section that if an Address is presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament praying that the said Act should be continued in force for a further period of one year from the time at which it would otherwise expire, Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that it shall continue in force for that further period :

And Whereas such an Address has been presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the said section eight and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. The Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-five, shall continue in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-six.

2. This Order may be cited as the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1955, and shall come into operation on the ninth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

W. G. AGNEW.

No. 7. 17th January, 1956.

THE STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE.
(No. 1 of 1947)

Consequent on the resignation of Mr. H. L. Bound a casual vacancy exists in the Centre Ward of the Stanley Electoral Area.

In accordance with Section 8 (2) of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has directed that Tuesday, 31st January, 1956, shall be the day of the By-Election to fill the vacancy thus caused.

Ref. 0039/C/11.

No. 8. 20th January, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 43 of 19th October, 1955, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter-ended 31st December, 1955, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
31st December, 1955	54.47%

In accordance with the Formula published under Gazette Notice No. 46 of 1951, no change in the cost of living bonus results from the above quarterly review of the Index.

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 9. 24th January, 1956.

The following list containing the names and qualifications of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists, registered to practise in the Colony and the Dependencies is published in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

Ref. 1326.

A. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE COLONY AND DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Slessor, Robert Stewart	M.B., Ch.B. (Aberdeen)	1935.
	L.M. (Dublin)	1936.
Ashmore, James Hopkins	M.A., M.B., B.Ch. B.A.O., (Dublin)	1949.
Grave, George Frank	M.B., B.S., (London)	1951.
Greenaway, David George Geoffrey	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., (London)	1949.
<i>Midwives</i>		
Strong, Rose	S.R.N.	1933.
	S.C.M.	1934.
Watson, Mary Eleanor	S.R.N.	1930.
	S.C.M.	
Henricksen, Agnes	S.C.M.	1929.
Mackintosh, Mary Letherby	S.R.N.	1951.
	S.C.M.	1953.
<i>Dental Surgeons</i>		
Schonfeld, Ludwig	D.M.D. (Kiel)	1952.
Schwagereit, Dieter Peter	D.M.D. (Kiel)	1954.

B. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Massey, Paul	M.A., M.B., B. Chir. (Cantab.)	1953.
Simpson, Hugh Walter	M.B., Ch.B., (Edinburgh)	1954.
McCready, William Ewart	M.B., Ch.B., (Belfast)	1951.
Burian, Stanislaus	M.D. (Prague)	1935.
	M.B., Ch.B., (Vienna)	1937.
	D.P.H. (Prague)	1940.
	P.H.D. (Paris)	1938.
Dalgliesh, David Geoffrey	M.R.C.S. (England)	1946.
	L.R.C.P. (England)	
Mackintosh, Ian Warren	M.B., Ch.B., (St. Andrews)	1935.
Sarmiento, Raul Maria	M.D. (Buenos Aires)	1937.
Pallesen-Mustikay, Berger Magnus	M.D. (Oslo)	1920.

No. 10. 24th January, 1956.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint :-

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, (*President*)

The Medical Officers
The Superintendent of Works
The Chief Constable
Mrs. R. Hamilton
T. A. Gilruth, Esq., J.P.
D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.

to be members of the Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands for the year 1956.

Ref. 0537.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands. (Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Gladys Winnifred Hooley, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Trevor Vernon Hooley, widower of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
31st January, 1956.

S.C. 10/56.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 4th day of January, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East Falklands.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, Senior Medical Officer of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 4th day of January, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

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AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 27th day of January, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East Falklands.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, Esquire, Senior Medical Officer of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 26th day of January, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Government Savings Bank Report for the period 1st January, 1954 to 31st March, 1955.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th December, 1955.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Savings Bank for the period 1st January, 1954 to 31st March, 1955.

2. During the period 153 accounts were closed and 185 new accounts were opened. The total number of depositors on the 31st March, 1955 was 2,082.

3. There were 4,605 deposits totalling £294,413 : 8 : 3 and 2,155 withdrawals totalling £236,079 : 7 : 10. Accrued interest credited to depositors amounted to £24,722 : 0 : 6.

4. Deposits and accrued interest exceeded the withdrawals by £83,056 : 0 : 11 and brought the total amount due to depositors at the 31st March, 1955 to £906,932 : 10 : 3.

5. Investments were revalued at mid market prices prevailing on 31st March, 1955 and resulted in depreciation amounting to £13,592 : 9 : 4.

6. The following Statements are attached :—

1. Monthly summary of transactions.
2. Investments 1955.
3. Savings Bank Accounts 1955.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Savings Bank Fund.

MONTHLY SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS FOR THE PERIOD 1ST JANUARY, 1954 to 31st MARCH, 1955.

Date.	Deposits.			Withdrawals.			Difference.			Interest.			TOTAL.			Accounts Opened.	Accounts Closed.	No. of Deposits.	No. of With-drawals.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Balance ...													823,876	9	4				
January 1954	10,124	6	10	9,400	5	11	+	724	0	11	.....		824,600	10	3	5	8	219	114
February ...	18,340	17	6	17,701	17	3	+	639	0	3	.....		825,239	10	6	6	4	277	104
March ...	15,048	11	3	14,242	12	10	+	805	18	5	.....		826,045	8	11	17	7	425	109
April ...	15,289	13	9	21,589	4	8	-	6,299	10	11	23 8 7		819,769	6	7	6	15	238	196
May ...	18,040	4	2	22,526	6	6	-	4,486	2	4	37 8 10		815,320	13	1	5	20	292	169
June ...	30,563	2	7	12,435	19	4	+	18,127	3	3	6 7 4		833,454	3	8	24	4	347	145
July ...	23,706	3	6	22,227	13	2	+	1,478	10	4	30 11 4		834,963	5	4	11	13	291	154
August ...	16,981	12	7	10,937	7	2	+	6,044	5	5	2 4 5		841,009	15	2	13	6	275	122
September ...	19,764	6	0	12,187	14	0	+	7,576	12	0	29 8 3		848,615	15	5	12	6	379	127
October ...	16,951	0	10	13,840	15	5	+	3,110	5	5	35 3 0		851,761	3	10	6	14	229	132
November ...	10,363	18	8	9,671	3	1	+	692	15	7	15 8 4		852,469	7	9	29	9	299	147
December ...	28,246	4	10	12,530	4	4	+	15,716	0	6	23 0 5		868,208	8	8	12	9	344	198
January 1955	19,711	2	6	24,291	10	7	-	4,580	8	1	79 18 9		863,707	19	4	7	21	186	184
February ...	16,559	8	3	18,845	15	4	-	2,286	7	1	32 4 10		861,453	17	1	12	10	295	140
March ...	34,722	15	0	13,650	18	3	+	21,071	16	9	24,406 16 5		906,932	10	3	20	7	509	114
	£294,413	8	3	236,079	7	10	+	58,334	0	5	24,722 0 6					185	153	4,605	2,155

Investments, Savings Bank Fund.

Name of Stock.		%	Face Value of Stocks.			Book Value prior to revaluation.			Market Value of Investments at 31st March, 1955.				
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.	
South Africa	1953/73	...	3½	8315	14	6	7692	0	11	89½	7442	11	6
Serial Funding	1955	...	3	17430	10	8	17648	8	3	100	17430	10	8
Ceylon	1954/59	...	3½	3379	18	0	3329	4	0	97½	3295	8	1
Brit. Transport	1972/77	...	4	19869	6	3	20366	0	11	100½	19968	13	2
Kenya	1971/78	...	4½	10000	0	0	10350	0	0	103½	10350	0	0
British Gas	1969/72	...	4	74832	17	4	76885	8	9	102½	76703	13	9
Nigeria	1963	...	4	14787	2	8	14935	0	1	99½	14713	3	11
Gold Coast	1956	...	4½	5775	4	8	5948	9	10	100½	5804	2	2
New Zealand	1952/55	...	3	6758	10	5	6792	6	3	100	6758	10	5
Ceylon	1960/70	...	5	2000	0	0	2070	0	0	103	2060	0	0
Consols	1957 o/a	...	4	32284	0	11	30831	5	3	94½	30508	8	6
Ceylon	1965	...	4½	5064	6	11	5292	4	9	103½	5241	11	11
Kenya	1961/71	...	4½	12000	0	0	12240	0	0	101½	12180	0	0
Gold Coast	1960/70	...	4½	1896	4	11	1924	13	10	100	1896	4	11
War Loan	1955/59	...	3	7949	16	6	8108	16	5	98½	7830	11	7
Kenya	1957/67	...	3½	5000	0	0	4675	0	0	93½	4675	0	0
Ceylon	1959/64	...	3	3881	11	8	3629	5	8	91½	3551	13	0
Australia	1955/58	...	3	23237	2	9	23120	19	0	96½	22423	16	9
Australia	1958/60	...	3	14000	0	0	13650	0	0	95½	13370	0	0
New Zealand	1955/60	...	3½	3516	1	6	3498	9	11	96½	3393	0	3
Australia	1961/66	...	3½	6850	12	2	6542	6	7	93½	6405	6	4
Savings Bonds	1955/65	...	3	104158	14	3	102240	4	8	95½	99471	11	5
Savings Bonds	1960/70	...	3	123828	3	2	114743	13	6	91½	113302	15	4
Palestine	1962/67	...	3	12506	11	9	11568	12	0	90½	11318	9	3
Middlesborough	1953/73	...	3½	2026	4	11	1884	8	2	90½	1833	15	1
New Zealand	1960/64	...	3½	25459	12	7	24950	8	9	95½	24313	18	11
S. Rhodesia	1955/65	...	3½	1200	0	0	1110	0	0	92½	1110	0	0
Walsall	1954/64	...	3½	2060	0	0	1998	4	0	95½	1967	6	0
Savings Bonds	1965/75	...	3	60005	18	1	53705	5	8	88½	53105	4	6
Wolverhampton	1959/64	...	3½	2035	10	8	1974	9	4	95½	1943	18	9
Swansea	1963/66	...	3	12713	18	9	11823	19	3	91½	11633	5	1
British Guiana	1975/80	...	3	14000	0	0	11550	0	0	82½	11550	0	0
New Zealand	1973/77	...	3	4852	1	6	4294	1	10	85½	4148	10	7
Australia	1975/77	...	3	5175	5	10	4424	17	7	86½	4476	12	7
Fed. Malay States	1974/76	...	3	4051	12	10	3281	16	7	82½	3342	12	1
Nigeria	1975/77	...	3	6000	0	0	5070	0	0	84½	5070	0	0
Northern Rhodesia	1963/65	...	3	27915	19	4	25822	5	5	91½	25543	2	3
Jamaica	1968/73	...	3½	11548	14	2	10798	0	10	92½	10682	11	1
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	...	3½	4928	12	10	4608	5	8	94½	4657	11	4
Uganda	1966/69	...	3½	100	0	0	93	10	0	92½	92	10	0
E.A.H.C.	1968/70	...	3½	10000	0	0	9150	0	0	91½	9150	0	0
Sierra Leone	1968/70	...	3½	30150	15	1	28190	19	2	91	27437	3	9
Ceylon	1959	...	3½	9178	5	2	8948	16	0	96½	8857	0	5
Kenya	1973/78	...	3½	21000	0	0	18585	0	0	91½	19215	0	0
Funding Loan	1956/61	...	2½	62217	17	10	60662	8	11	95½	59418	1	10
British Guiana	1966/68	...	3½	20618	11	2	18969	1	6	93½	19278	7	1
Trinidad	1967/71	...	3	31137	14	6	27556	17	9	88½	27556	17	9
Conversion Stock	1969	...	3½	30000	0	0	30487	10	0	97½	29250	0	0
Funding Stock	1966/68	...	3	20395	3	1	20000	0	0	92½	18865	10	5
Brit. Electricity	1968/73	...	3	5839	14	8	5390	6	0	89½	5226	11	3
				943934	4	0	903413	3	0		889820	13	8
Depreciation	...						13592	9	4				
				943934	4	0	889820	13	8		889820	13	8

Savings Bank Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 1st JANUARY, 1954 to 31st MARCH, 1955.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Interest paid on closed accounts and interest capitalised and credited to depositors	24,722	0	6		By Interest on Investments	37,570	2 : 8
.. Administration charge	1,000	0	0				
.. Balance transferred to Reserve Account	11,848	2	2				
	£37,570	2	8			£37,570	2 : 8

DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance at credit of depositors on 31st March, 1954	823,876	9	4		By Withdrawals	236,079	7 : 10
.. Deposits during 1954/55	294,413	8	3		.. Balance - credit of depositors	906,932	10 : 3
.. Interest credited depositors 1954/55	24,722	0	6				
	£1,143,011	18	1			£1,143,011	18 : 1

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Depreciation Investments	13,592	9	4		By Profit on realization	542	18 : 11
.. Loss on sale of Investments	97	18	0		.. Transfer to Reserve Account	13,147	8 : 5
	£13,690	7	4			£13,690	7 : 4

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

To Investments Adjustment Account	13,147	8	5		By Balance brought forward	19,009	17 : 2
.. Balance carried forward	17,710	10	11		.. Revenue & Expenditure Account	11,848	2 : 2
	£30,857	19	4			£30,857	19 : 4

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH, 1955.

Due to Depositors	906,932	10	3		Investments at Market Value	889,820	13 : 8
Reserve Account	17,710	10	11		Cash in hand	34,822	7 : 6
	£924,643	1	2			£924,643	1 : 2

Customs Ordinance (Cap 16)

RESOLUTION

(under Section 5 of the Ordinance)

No. 1 of 1955.

Whereas by Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance, it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Legislative Council from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties of customs upon any goods whatsoever which may be imported into or exported from the Colony, and to revoke, reduce, increase or alter any such duties, and to provide for the importation or exportation of any goods without payment of customs duty thereon ;

And whereas under the provisions of Section 3 of the Customs Order an export duty has been imposed on the exportation of live sheep at the rate of two shillings per sheep ;

And whereas it is considered expedient to revoke the export of customs payable on all live sheep exported from the Colony ;

Now be it resolved that the said export duty payable on all live sheep exported from the Colony and imposed under the provisions of Section 3 of the Customs Order be revoked.

Made at a meeting of the Legislative Council on the 16th day of December, 1955.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

To amend the Registration of United Kingdom Patents Ordinance. Title.

[, 1956] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Registration of United Kingdom Patents (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Registration of United Kingdom Patents Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 58.

2. Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words from "Such grounds" up to the words and full-stop "section 4 of this Ordinance." both inclusive, and by substituting the following — Amendment of section 8
of the principal
Ordinance.

"Such grounds shall be deemed to include the manufacture, use or sale of the invention in the Colony before the priority date applicable to the patent in the United Kingdom, but not to include the manufacture, use or sale of the invention in the Colony by some person or persons after the priority date applicable to the patent in the United Kingdom and before the date of the issue of the certificate of registration under section 4 of this Ordinance."

For the purposes of this sub-section the expression "priority date" in its application to a patent in the United Kingdom has the meaning assigned to it in section 5 of the Patents Act, 1949.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to set forth more clearly the grounds upon which any person interested in an invention may object to the issue of a certificate of registration.

A Bill for
An Ordinance

Title. To amend the Government Wharves Ordinance.

Date of commencement. [, 1956]

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Government Wharves (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Government Wharves Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.
Cap. 29.

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance. 2. In section 2 of the principal Ordinance the interpretation of "Boat" is amended by the substitution of a comma for the full-stop at the end thereof, and by the addition immediately after that comma of the following words —

"sails not exceeding 75 square feet in area, or an engine not exceeding 35 horse power."

Amendment of section 11 of the principal Ordinance. 3. Section 11 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the substitution of the figure "£50" for the figure "£5".

Amendment of Schedule to the principal Ordinance. 4. The Schedule to the principal Ordinance shall be amended as follows :—

(a) for paragraph 2 there shall be substituted the following new paragraph —

"2. Wharfage duty for one day or any part thereof.

	£	s.	d.
Vessel of 2 tons but under 10 tons	5	0	0
" " 10 " " " 20 "	7	6	0
" " 20 " " " 50 "	10	0	0
" " 50 " " " 100 "	15	0	0
" " 100 " " " 200 "	1	0	0
" " 200 tons and upwards	2	0	0

(b) by deleting paragraph 4 ;

(c) by the substitution of the word "five" for the word "two" in paragraph 5 and by renumbering paragraph 5 as paragraph 4.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The objects of this Bill are further to clarify the interpretation of "Boat"; to increase certain penalties; and to increase the wharfage fees to meet the prevailing circumstances.

Vital Statistics for the year ended 31st December, 1955

COLONY

Births

				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	....	....	....	28	20	48
East Falkland	....	....	....	—	—	—
West Falkland	....	....	....	—	—	—
			Total	28	20	48

BIRTHS 1954 49

Deaths

				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	....	....	....	12	7	19
East Falkland	....	....	....	—	1	1
West Falkland	....	....	....	2	—	2
			Total	14	8	22

Maternal Mortality	—
Infantile	3
Still Births	2

DEATHS 1954 20

Marriages

		Anglican	Roman Catholic	Non-conformist	Registrar	Total
Stanley	....	5	3	1	4	13
East Falkland	....	—	—	—	1	1
West Falkland	....	—	—	—	4	4
	Total	5	3	1	9	18

MARRIAGES 1954 26

Arrivals

1955	males	192	females	117	Total	309
1954	„	141	„	59	„	200

Departures

1955	males	175	females	123	Total	298
1954	„	152	„	85	„	237

Population

Estimated population of the Falkland Islands 1st January, 1955 — 2212.

Estimated population 31st December 1955 — 2249, increase 37, as shown below —

Estimated population	Males	Females	Total
31st December, 1954	1229	983	2212
Add births 1955	28	20	48
	1257	1003	2260
Add arrivals 1955	192	117	309
	1449	1120	2569
Deduct deaths 1955	14	8	22
	1435	1112	2547
Deduct departures 1955	175	123	298
Total	1260	989	2249
Birth rate per 1,000	....	....	21.34
Illegitimate births, actual	....	....	3
Death rate per 1,000	....	....	9.78
Population per sq. mile	....	....	0.48

DEPENDENCIES

Marriages — Nil.

Births — Nil.

Deaths — 2 males.

	Males	Females	Total
Estimated resident population at South Georgia	1321	8	1329
“ “ “ “ other Dependencies	60	—	60
Total	1381	8	1389

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands,
26th January, 1956.



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APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Middleton, A.	Police & Prisons	Police Constable	1.2.56	On probation for 2 years.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Browning, Miss F.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	31.12.55	Resigned.
Davis, Miss P. G.	"	" "	31.12.55	"
Biggs, G. N.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	31.1.56	"
Luxton, M.	Public Works	Peat Officer	23.2.56	"
Mayles, W. C.	South Georgia	Steward/Cook	31.12.55	"

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
O'Sullivan, D. W., E.D.	Police Constable, Police & Prisons	Clerk, Agricultural Dept.	1.3.56.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Sollis, D. J., B.E.M.	Harbour	Master, m.v. "Philomel"	23.2.56 180 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyages.
Henricksen, C. W., B.E.M.	Military	Armourer	23.2.56 180 days	do.
Smith, E. S.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	23.2.56 180 days	do.
Fuhlendorff, V. E.	" "	Electrician	23.2.56 180 days	do.
Braxton, T. N.	Public Works	Mason	23.2.56 180 days	do.
Hirtle, W.	Secretariat	Clerk	23.2.56 180 days	do.
Bound, H. L.	Treasury	Clerk	23.2.56 180 days	do.
Kirk, W. G. N.	Public Works (Development Programme)	Carpenter	23.2.56 156 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 11. 3rd February, 1956.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies :-

No.	Title.	Ref.
4 of 1955	Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955/1956) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955.	0284/J/IX.

No. 12. 7th February, 1956.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 26th January, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday, 6th February, 1956.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

No. 13. 1st March, 1956.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 10th February, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Wednesday, 29th February, 1956.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

No. 14. 1st March, 1956.

In accordance with Section 19 (2) of the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance it is hereby notified for general information that the following three candidates have been nominated to fill the two elected seats on the Legislative

Council for the Electoral Area of Stanley :-

1. MARTIN GEORGE CRICECE.

Proposed by Arthur Grenfell Barton.

Secunded by Albert Newing.

Supported by Ronald Stokes
Sydney Stone
Duncan Russel Watson
Mary Eleanor Watson
Jack Gould
Esther Asta Gould
Gordon Arthur Howkins.

2. RICHARD VICTOR GOSS.

Proposed by Arthur Pearson.

Secunded by Frederick John Reive.

Supported by Alfred Peter Anderson
William Phorsen Hills
Arthur Henry Ford
James George Rowlands
John Markham Campbell
Frederick Albert Coleman
Carl Patrick Biggs.

3. ARTHUR LESLIE HARDY.

Proposed by George Perry.

Secunded by Edgar Enestrom.

Supported by George Stewart Middleton
Alexander Mercer
Alexander Percival Shackel
Edward Victor Johnson
John James Harries
John Samuel Barnes
George Malcolm.

2. An Election will be held on Wednesday 14th March, 1956, and the poll will be taken at the Gymnasium, Ross Road, Stanley between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

The Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance.

WRIT OF ELECTION

You are hereby directed to receive nominations for candidates for election to the Legislative Council at Fox Bay East on Thursday, 1st March, 1956, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

You are further directed that should more than one candidate be nominated you are to hold an election in accordance with the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance, at the places and on the dates which would be notified to you, and to return this Writ duly endorsed in accordance with the said Ordinance.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1956.

[L.S.]

R. STEWART SLESSOR,
Governor's Deputy.

To: The Returning Officer,
West Falkland Electoral Area.

The Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance.

WRIT OF ELECTION

You are hereby directed to receive nominations for candidates for election to the Legislative Council at Port San Carlos on Thursday, 1st March, 1956, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

You are further directed that should more than one candidate be nominated you are to hold an election in accordance with the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance, at the places and on the dates which would be notified to you, and to return this Writ duly endorsed in accordance with the said Ordinance.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1956.

[L.S.]

R. STEWART SLESSOR,
Governor's Deputy.

To : The Returning Officer,
East Falkland Electoral Area.

The Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance.

WRIT OF ELECTION

You are hereby directed to receive nominations for candidates for election to the Legislative Council at the Court and Council Chamber, Stanley, on Thursday, 1st March, 1956, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 noon.

You are further directed that should more than two candidates be nominated you are to hold an election in accordance with the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance, on Wednesday, 14th March, 1956, at the Gymnasium, Stanley, and to return this Writ duly endorsed in accordance with the said Ordinance.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1956.

[L.S.]

R. STEWART SLESSOR,
Governor's Deputy.

To : The Returning Officer,
Stanley Electoral Area.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 11th day of February, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East and West Falklands.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, Senior Medical Officer of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 10th day of February, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Morrison, D. R.	Secretariat	Ag. Assist. Colonial Secretary	23.2.56	—
Halliday, L. J.	"	Acting Chief Clerk	23.2.56	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Biggs, Miss E. J.	Public Works	Clerk	7.3.56	Resigned.
Malony, L.	South Georgia	Meteorological Assistant	16.2.56	On transfer to F.I.D.S.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Cawkell, E. M.	Education	Supt. of Education	26.1.56 to 25.3.56	On transfer to The Gambia.
Turner, Dr. W.	Medical	Medical Officer	27.12.55 to 14.2.56	On completion of contract.
Summers, P. G.	Public Works	Clerk	10.7.55 to 29.2.56	—
Wallace, T. E. B.	Public Works (Development Programme)	Carpenter	17.8.55 to 8.4.56	On completion of contract.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 15. 6th March, 1956.

In accordance with Section 18 of the Legislative Council (Elections) Ordinance it is hereby notified that the following candidates for election to the Legislative Council have been returned unopposed and have been declared elected for their respective areas :-

East Falkland -

THOMAS ANDREW GILRUTH

West Falkland -

SYDNEY MILLER.

Ref. 0068/B/II.

No. 16. 12th March, 1956.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be put back one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday the 31st March/1st April, 1956, reverting to local mean time.

Ref. 0064.

No. 17. 15th March, 1956.

Under the authority contained in Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. DAVID MASTERTON HONEYMAN
of Darwin, East Falkland, to be Deputy-Registrar

for the purpose of the registration of Births and Deaths, and for the celebration of Marriages in Darwin and district, with effect from the 23rd February, 1956.

Ref. 312/28.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Donald George McKay, deceased, of Teal Inlet, East Falkland.

Whereas Isabella Jane McKay, mother of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

6th March, 1956.

S.C. 14/56.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 7th day of March, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the Dependencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, Senior Medical Officer of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

This Instrument shall cease and determine upon the return of the Colonial Secretary to the Colony.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 6th day of March, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, Esq., to be a Temporary Member of the Executive Council.

R. STEWART SLESSOR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, ESQUIRE,

to be a Temporary Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 31st day of March, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-six.

By His Excellency's Command

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Toye, G. C.	Harbour & Aviation	Air Pilot	29.3.56	—
Ferguson, Miss M.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	1.4.56	On probation for 2 years.
Allan, H. F.	South Georgia	W/T Operator	10.12.55	Assumed duty 15.3.56.
Evans, W. D.	" "	Steward/Cook	27.3.56	—
Parker, J.	" "	Steward/Cook	27.3.56	—
Grant, J.	" "	Ag. Senior Customs Officer	9.4.56	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Aldridge, S. C.	Public Works	Yard Foreman/ Water Bailiff	1.4.54	—
Alazia, W.	" "	Blacksmith	1.4.54	—
Hansen, R. B.	" "	Motor Driver	1.4.54	—
McPhee, P.	" "	Motor Driver	1.4.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Biggs, T. I.	Medical	Clerk	12.10.55	Resigned.

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Livingstone, W.	Public Works (Development Programme)	Carpenter	16.4.56	164 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 18.

5th April, 1956.

The following revised list of Magistrates and Justices of the Peace of the Colony and its Dependencies is published for information:—

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Place of Residence.</i>	<i>Date of Appointment.</i>
EAST FALKLAND.		
Dr. J. H. Ashmore, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., J.P.	Darwin	14th December, 1954.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Barton, C.B.E., J.P.	Stanley	15th July, 1931.
H. Bennett, Esq., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
J. F. Bonner, Esq., J.P.	San Carlos	12th May, 1937.
J. Bound, Esq., E.D., J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Hon. Mr. N. K. Cameron, O.B.E., J.P.	Port San Carlos	6th May, 1935.
Hon. Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Denton-Thompson, M.C., Magistrate	"	2nd May, 1955.
Hon. Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.	Darwin	31st January, 1949.
Dr. J. E. Hamilton, I.S.O., D.Sc., J.P.	Stanley	14th November, 1919.
Hon. Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
Hon. Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.	"	27th November, 1939.
A. Newing, Esq., J.P.	"	6th May, 1935.
M. Robson, Esq., J.P.	"	12th August, 1920.

WEST FALKLAND.

W. W. Blake, Esq., J.P.	Hill Cove	24th March, 1954.
W. H. Clement, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay East	5th October, 1954.
K. W. Luxton, Esq., J.P.	Chartres	24th September, 1940.
D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.	Port Howard	25th April, 1946.
C. H. Robertson, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay West	27th November, 1936.
Hon. Mr. S. Miller, J.P.	Roy Cove	3rd June, 1955.

DEPENDENCIES.

N. Brown, Esq., Magistrate	R. R. S. "John Biscoe"	2nd December, 1955.
A. M. Carroll, Esq., Magistrate	Port Lockroy	8th November, 1954.
D. G. Dalgliesh, Esq., Magistrate	I. G. Y. Vahsel Bay	25th December, 1955.
R. A. Foster, Esq., Magistrate	Danco Coast	6th February 1956.
P. Guyver, Esq., Magistrate	Deception Island	16th February, 1956.
N. A. Hedderley, Esq., Magistrate	Argentine Islands	19th March, 1956.
P. R. Hooper, Esq., Magistrate	Anvers Island	28th February, 1956.
W. Johnston, Esq., Magistrate	R. R. S. "Shackleton"	13th January, 1951.
T. L. Murphy, Esq., Magistrate	Loubet Coast	6th February, 1956.
D. J. H. Searle, Esq., Magistrate	Horseshoe Island	18th March, 1956.
R. E. Spivey, Esq., Magistrate	South Georgia	15th March, 1954.
W. L. N. Tickell, Esq., Magistrate	Signy Island	14th December, 1955.
R. F. Worswick, Esq., Magistrate	Hope Bay	18th February, 1956.

Ref. 0457.

No. 19.

9th April, 1956.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

<i>No.</i>	<i>Title.</i>	<i>Ref.</i>
5 of 1955	Grass Fires Ordinance, 1955.	1674.
6 of 1955	Savings Bank (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955.	241/35.

No. 20.

10th April, 1956.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 6th March, 1956,

it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Sunday, 8th April, 1956.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

No. 21.

25th April, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 8 of 20th January, 1956, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter-ended 31st March, 1956, are hereby published for general information.

<i>Quarter ended</i>	<i>Percentage increase over 1948 prices</i>
31st March, 1956	50.11%

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 22.

26th April, 1956.

Constitution of Legislative Council.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the Constitution of the Legislative Council under the provisions of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders-in-Council 1948-1955, as follows:—

President

His Excellency the Governor.

Ex-Officio

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.

*Elected Members***FOR THE TOWN OF STANLEY**

Arthur Leslie Hardy, Esquire, B.E.M., J.P.
Martin George Creece, Esquire, J.P.

FOR THE WEST FALKLAND

Sydney Miller, Esquire, J.P.

FOR THE EAST FALKLAND

Thomas Andrew Gilruth, Esquire, J.P.

Nominated Unofficial Members

Hugh Cullen Harding, Esquire, J.P.
James Turner Clement, Esquire.

Nominated Official Members

Alexander Mercer, Esquire, O.B.E.
Edward Tunstall Fern, Esquire.

Ref. 0456.

No. 23.

27th April, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. C. T. REIVE

to be a member of the Broadcasting Committee, *vice* Mrs. V. Malcolm, with effect from the 26th April, 1956.

Ref. 0001/IV.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Vida Pebbleina Smith, deceased, of Darwin, Falkland Islands.

Whereas the Executor of the Will (dated the 26th May, 1943) of the above named deceased did not survive the deceased.

And whereas James Stanley Smith, younger son of the above named deceased, prays that Letters of Administration with the said Will annexed, may be granted to him to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,

Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

9th April, 1956.

S.C. 33/55.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing HUGH CULLEN HARDING, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To HUGH CULLEN HARDING, ESQUIRE, J.P.

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said HUGH CULLEN HARDING, to be a member of the Legislative Council under Clause 6 (2) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders-in-Council, 1948-1955.

Given at Stanley this 16th day of April, 1956.

By Command,

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0456/II

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing JAMES TURNER CLEMENT, ESQUIRE, to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To JAMES TURNER CLEMENT, ESQUIRE.

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said JAMES TURNER CLEMENT, to be a Member of the Legislative Council under Clause 6 (2) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders-in-Council, 1948-1955.

Given at Stanley this 16th day of April 1956.

By Command,

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0456/II

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ALEXANDER MERCER, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To ALEXANDER MERCER, ESQUIRE, O.B.E.

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said ALEXANDER MERCER, to be a Member of the Legislative Council under Clause 6 (1) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders-in-Council, 1948-1955.

Given at Stanley this 16th day of April, 1956.

By Command,

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0456/II.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, ESQUIRE, to be a Member of the Legislative Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

To EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, ESQUIRE.

By virtue of the powers and authority in me vested by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, I do hereby appoint you, the said EDWARD TUNSTALL FERN, to be a Member of the Legislative Council under Clause 6 (1) of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders-in-Council, 1948-1955.

Given at Stanley this 16th day of April, 1956.

By Command,

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. 0456/II.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on the 21st of April, 1956.

Present: His Excellency the Governor.
 The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern.
 The Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. Miller, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement.

1. The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, the Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement, the Honourable Mr. S. Miller and the Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece, after taking the prescribed Oaths assumed their seats in Council.

2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on 16th of December 1955, were confirmed.

3. Prayers were read by the Reverend J. Gould.

4. His Excellency the Governor delivered the following address to Council:—

It has always been the custom for the proceedings of this Council to open with a prayer. Hitherto we have been fortunate in that one of the Honourable Members of Council has been a clergyman and I have called upon this Honourable Member to say a prayer. He is, unfortunately, no longer with us and I will therefore ask the Reverend Mr. Gould to say a prayer

On behalf of Council I welcome our new Members the Honourable Mr. Miller, the Honourable Mr. Creece, the Honourable Mr. Harding and the Honourable Mr. Clement. I am aware that some of these gentlemen, maybe all, have not sought membership of this Council of their own accord and they have either stood for election or accepted nomination from a sense of the duty they owe to the Colony. We appreciate their motives and their strong sense of their responsibility towards the public. We welcome their services which will be of the greatest benefit to this Council and to the Colony in general.

The Honourable Mr. Hardy is absent from the Colony in consequence of illness. I wish to express to him the sincere sympathy of Council and our best wishes for a speedy recovery.

In opening this Council I take the opportunity to read two messages which I have received as President of Council. The first is from the Right Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons and is in the form of a letter. It runs as follows:—

"My dear Governor,

(dated 22.11.55)

As Joint President of the United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, I am anxious to take advantage of the visit of Mr. Anthony Hurd, M.P., a Member of the United Kingdom Branch, to send by him my warm greetings and good wishes to Your Excellency as President of the Legislative Council of the Falkland Islands and of the Falkland Islands Subsidiary Branch of the Association.

The visit of a Member of this Parliament and Branch to the Falkland Islands is a rare, if not a unique, event, and it is our earnest hope that in the future others may follow in Mr. Hurd's footsteps. As Your Excellency is aware, since the Falkland Islands Branch was formed, we have had the pleasure of receiving two or three of its Members at Westminster, where they have been most welcome to us all. I am convinced that reciprocal visits of this sort are of great value in strengthening the bonds between our Legislatures as well as between this country and the Falkland Islands.

I would be grateful, therefore, if Your Excellency would convey to the Members of the Falkland Islands Branch the warm regards and good wishes of the Members of the United Kingdom Branch, with an assurance of the pleasure it gives us to see any visitors from the Islands at Westminster.

Yours sincerely,

W. S. MORRISON,
 SPEAKER."

The second is from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies and reads as follows:—

"I am glad to have the opportunity of Mr. Anthony Hurd's visit to the Falkland Islands to send my greetings to you and your colleagues in the Legislative Council. Although in miles you are very far away from us you are much in our thoughts, especially in these times when such great interest is centred on the Southern latitudes. I should dearly like to visit your Islands myself, but alas! - I cannot at the moment foresee when this may be. Meanwhile I send you my best wishes for the New Year.

ALAN LENNOX-BOYD."

There is one more matter which I have to mention on this occasion and that is the announcement that His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh will be visiting this Colony early in the New Year. This announcement has caused the greatest delight to all of us. When learning of the visit of Her Majesty the Queen and His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh to other parts of the Empire we had all wished that it might be possible on some occasion to include a visit to this Colony, but our situation is so far removed from the main highways of communication of the world that we had hardly dared to hope that this would come about. I think it right that we should send to His Royal Highness an expression of our delight and joy at his decision and therefore move the adoption of the following Resolution :-

It is with profound pleasure that this Council has learned that His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh intends to visit the Falkland Islands early next year. Council requests that the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies convey to His Royal Highness a respectful expression of their pleasure and an assurance that the warmest welcome awaits His Royal Highness in this Colony.

The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary seconded the motion which was carried unanimously.

5. The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth moved the adoption of the following Resolution :-

This Council requests His Excellency the President of this Council to reply to the Right Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons and Joint President of the United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association in the following terms:-

When opening a new Legislative Council of the Falkland Islands on 21st April, 1956, I read out your letter of 22nd November, 1955, which you sent by the hand of Mr. Anthony Hurd, M.P.

The Council was touched by your message and by the fact that the Speaker of the House of Commons and Joint President of the United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association should send them greetings by this personal channel. A motion was proposed by the senior Unofficial Member of Council, desiring me to reply to you in my capacity as President of the Council, expressing the deep appreciation by Council of your message and offering you as Speaker of the House of Commons and Joint President of the United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association the warmest greetings and good wishes of Council. I was further desired to inform you that we were delighted to welcome Mr. Hurd in this Colony and we share your hopes that other Members of the House of Commons and of your Branch of the Association will follow in his footsteps. They will always be welcomed here.

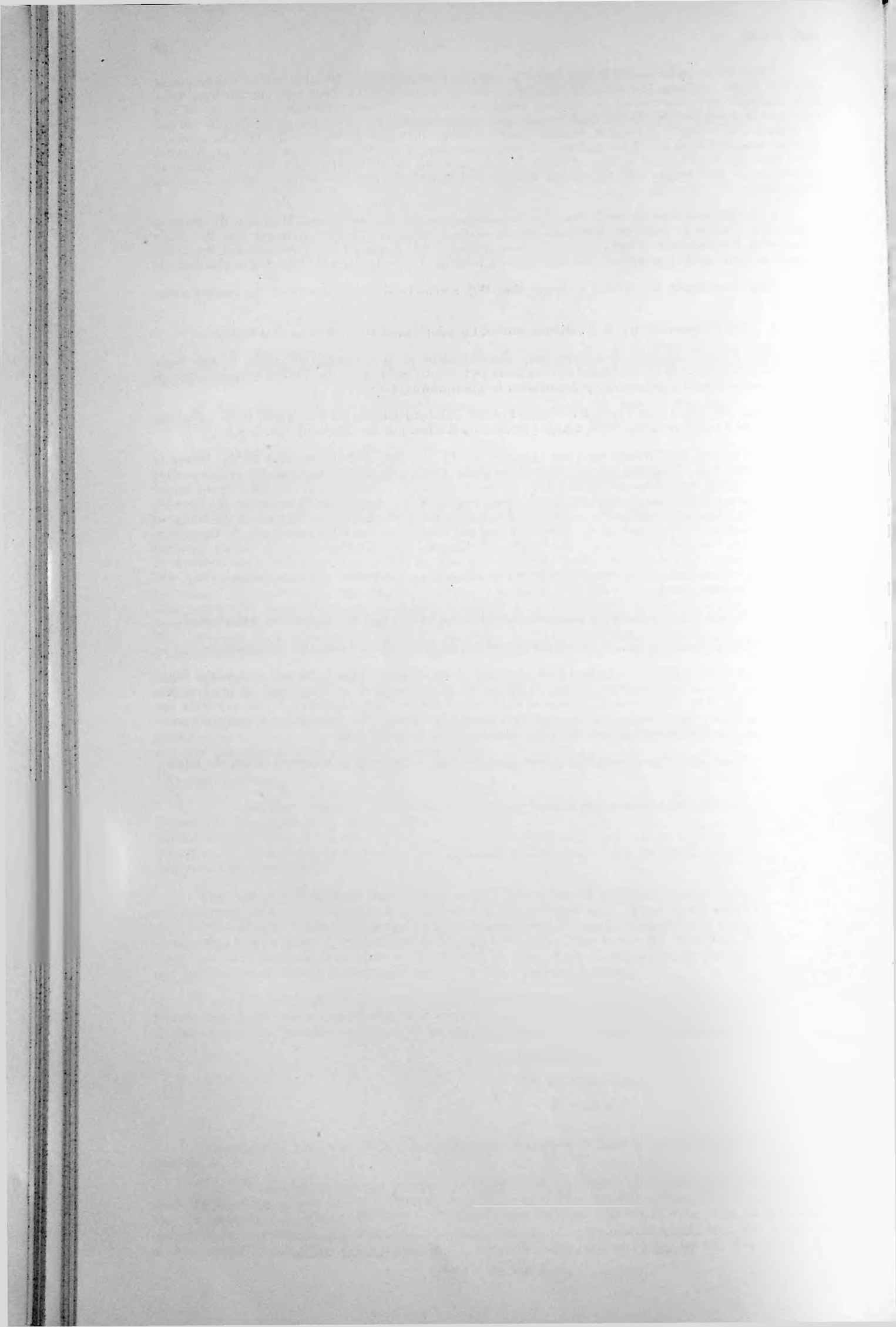
The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer seconded the motion and the Resolution was adopted.

6. The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth moved the adoption of the following Resolution :-

BE IT RESOLVED : The Legislative Council of the Falkland Islands warmly thanks the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies for his message of greetings sent by hand of Mr. Anthony Hurd, M.P. The Council is aware of the heavy duties and responsibilities which rest upon the Secretary of State and which have so far prevented him from visiting these Islands, but if ever the opportunity for such a visit should offer it would be most welcome to this Colony.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer seconded and there being no objection raised the motion was carried.

The Council then adjourned *sine die*.





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No. 6.

A Bill for An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year Title.
1956-57.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Enacting clause.
Falkland Islands, as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Short title.
Appropriation (1956-57) Ordinance, 1956.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Appropriation of
Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service £331,817 for service
of the year ending 30th June, 1957, a sum not exceeding Three of the year 1956/57.
hundred and thirty-one thousand eight hundred and seventeen
pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the
purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed
and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come
in course of payment during the year 1956-57.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	5635	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5605	0	0
III.	Audit	1235	0	0
IV.	Customs	1966	0	0
V.	Education	33483	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	20917	0	0
VII.	Medical	26213	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1610	0	0
IX.	Military	1645	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	37558	0	0
XI.	Pensions	5400	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4490	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	34466	0	0
XIV.	Power & Electrical	22086	0	0
XV.	Public Works Department	9026	0	0
XVI.	Public Works Recurrent	36088	0	0
XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure	38780	0	0
XVIII.	Secretariat & Treasury	13040	0	0
XIX.	Supreme Court	1174	0	0
	Total	£300417	0	0
XX.	Colonial Development & Welfare ...	31400	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£331817	0	0

A Bill for An Ordinance

Title. To legalise certain payments made in the year 1954-55 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 10 of 1954.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1954-55.

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1954-55) Ordinance, 1956.

Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1954/55. 2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the year 1954-55, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Governor	388	3	8
III.	Audit	73	19	5
V.	Education	2236	15	8
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	2160	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	8168	3	1
XI.	Pensions	103	1	3
XII.	Police & Prisons	168	15	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	250	2	3
XIV.	Public Works	9028	6	8
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	14973	2	2
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	1729	13	0
XVII.	Supreme Court	265	16	10
	Total Expenditure	£ 39545	19	0





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Ward, Mrs. M. M.	Education	Assistant Mistress, Darwin Boarding School	30.4.56	—
Ward, A. H.	Education	Assistant Master, Darwin Boarding School	30.4.56	—
Jacoby, H.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	30.4.56	—
Browning, D. L.	Public Works	Peat Officer	1.5.56	On probation for two years.
Smillie, J. B.	South Georgia	Dental Surgeon	7.5.56	—
Webb, E. C.	South Georgia	Senior Diesel Electric Mechanic	20.4.56	Assumed duty 7.5.56
Owen, H. H.	South Georgia	Steward	30.4.56	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Williams, Miss S.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	25.5.53	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
McGill, Miss J.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	6.5.56	Resigned.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Bound, J., E.D., J.P.	Secretariat	Asst. Colonial Secretary	6.5.56	—	Special Leave.
Schonfeld, L.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	24.4.56	104 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage to Germany.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 25. 3rd May, 1956.

The following telegrams exchanged between His Excellency the Governor and the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies are published for general information :—

From His Excellency the Governor to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies

"Would you please convey to Her Majesty on the occasion of Her Birthday with our humble duty Loyal Greetings from the inhabitants of this Colony, the Dependencies and the Antarctic Bases".

From the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor

"I am commanded by the Queen to convey to you and the peoples of the Colony, the Dependencies and the Antarctic Bases her sincere thanks for your kind message of loyal greetings on the occasion of Her Majesty's Birthday".

Ref. 0191/B.

No. 26. 17th May, 1956.

Under the provisions of Section 9 (1) of the Police and Prisons Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

H. Bennett, Esq., J.P. (*Chairman*)

M. Robson, Esq., J.P.

Hon. Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.

to be Visiting Justices of the Prison for the year 1956.

Ref. 0049.

No. 27. 25th May, 1956.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :—

No.	Title.	Ref.
8 of 1955	"Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) (Amendment) Ordinance".	85/46.

No. 28. 31st May, 1956.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS, 1956.

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointments :—

M.B.E. (Civil) —

Mr. GORDON A. HOWKINS.

B.E.M. (Civil) —

Mr. Edwin T. Lee.

Ref. 0107/C/III.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Honoria Biggs, deceased, of Southampton, England.

Whereas Kathleen Mary Biggs, a daughter of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

25th May, 1956.

S.C. 19/56.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing THOMAS ANDREW GILRUTH, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

THOMAS ANDREW GILRUTH, ESQUIRE, J.P.,

to be a Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 2nd day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-six.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Rules for the grant of Travelling and Subsistence Allowances to Officers attending conferences while on leave in the United Kingdom.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules for the grant of Travelling and Subsistence Allowances to officers in the public service attending conferences or engaged in other official business in the United Kingdom while on leave :—

1. Officers attending Conferences or engaged in other official business in the United Kingdom while on leave will be granted allowances, at the following rates, for each night or day necessarily spent away from their usual places of residence :

- (a) (i) £2. 8s. 6d. for each night spent away from his usual place of residence in the case of members of Executive Council.
- (ii) £2. 3s. 0d. for each night spent away from his usual place of residence in the case of other officers.

In addition railway fares will be refunded on the following scale :

- (i) First class in the case of members of Executive Council.
 - (ii) Third class in the case of other officers.
- (b) (i) 12/- a day, plus necessary travelling expenses, when the officer resides within easy reach of the centre where the Conference is held and spends eight hours or more away from his usual place of residence in the case of members of Executive Council.
- (ii) 10/9d per day, plus necessary travelling expenses, when the officer resides within easy reach of the centre where the Conference is held and spends eight hours or more away from his usual place of residence in the case of other officers.

2. The Rules for the Grant of Travelling and Subsistence Allowances to Officers attending Conferences while on leave in the United Kingdom, made on the 1st July, 1954, are hereby repealed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
26th May, 1956.

Ref. 0751/B.



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No. 8.

A Bill for An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year 1956-57. Title.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1956-57) Ordinance, 1956. Short title.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1957, a sum not exceeding Three hundred and forty-one thousand eight hundred and forty-three pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1956-57. Appropriation of £341,843 for service of the year 1956/57.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	5815	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5605	0	0
III.	Audit	1235	0	0
IV.	Customs	1966	0	0
V.	Education	33883	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	21327	0	0
VII.	Medical	26213	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1610	0	0
IX.	Military	1645	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	37558	0	0
XI.	Pensions	5400	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4490	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	34466	0	0
XIV.	Power & Electrical	22086	0	0
XV.	Public Works Department	9026	0	0
XVI.	Public Works Recurrent	36088	0	0
XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure	38780	0	0
XVIII.	Secretariat & Treasury	13076	0	0
XIX.	Supreme Court	1174	0	0
	Total	£301443	0	0
XX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	40400	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£341843	0	0

(The Bill for an Ordinance to provide for the service of the year 1956-57 as printed above supersedes and revokes the Bill for an Ordinance to provide for the service of the year 1956-57 as printed in the Falkland Islands Gazette Extraordinary No. 6 dated the 18th May, 1956.)



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No. 9.

APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Tinsey, Mrs. V. M.	Govt. House	Personal Assistant/ Cypher Officer	26.3.56	—
Gee, Miss N.	Education	Assistant Mistress, Darwin Boarding School	20.5.56	—
Lindsay, Miss J.	Audit	Clerk	25.6.56	On probation for two years.
Halliday, Miss O. B.	Power & Electrical	Clerk	1.7.56	do.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Thain, P.	Harbour & Aviation	Mate. m.v. "Philomel"	31.5.56 Resigned.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 29.

7th June, 1956.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

RICHARD GEORGE VINSON, ESQ.,

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Roderick Donald William John Jaffray, bachelor, and Valma Emily Phillips, spinster, at North Arm, East Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

No. 30.

13th June, 1956.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with Section 84 of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance His Excellency the Governor has approved the following:—

The Petrol Storage (Amendment) By-Laws made the 28th day of May, 1956.

Ref. 0039/F.

No. 31. 18th June, 1956.

It is hereby notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor has, in accordance with recommendations made by the Labour Advisory Board, been pleased to direct that an Apprenticeship Board be established with the following terms of reference :-

(a) To promote in every way the advancement and welfare of Apprentices and to regulate and control all matters concerning the recruitment and indenturing of Apprentices.

(b) To adopt, publish and regulate the use of the Standard Form of Apprenticeship Agreement (Indenture) and to authorise such modifications as in its discretion appear desirable to deal with the individual or special circumstances of any proposed Apprentice or category of Apprentices.

(c) To keep a Register of Apprentices.

(d) To issue to all persons completing their term of Apprenticeship, certificates signed by the Chairman of the Apprenticeship Board.

(e) To keep under review any facilities provided by the Education Authorities or available through Correspondence Courses for technical and general education of apprentices and to approve such facilities as are considered suitable.

(f) To deal with all disputes or differences arising under a deed of Apprenticeship other than matters concerning the general conditions of labour laid down for Stanley in the Working Rules.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the following persons to be members of the Board :-

Representatives of Employers -

Mr. E. C. Gutteridge
Mr. A. E. Livermore
Mr. G. A. Cahill.

Representatives of Operatives -

Mr. W. P. Hills
Mr. M. E. Evans
Mr. R. L. Robson.

Ref. 0780.

No. 32.

23rd June, 1956.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 14th June, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday, 18th June, 1956.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614.

Stanley Town Council Ordinance (Cap. 68).

By-laws made by the Stanley Town Council and confirmed by the Governor.

Cap. 68.	In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Stanley Town Council by section 84 of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, the following By-laws are hereby made.
Title.	1. These By-laws may be cited as the Petrol Storage (Amendment) By-laws, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Petrol Storage By-laws, hereinafter referred to as the principal By-laws.
Vol. II. Revised Edition p. 303.	
Amendment of by-law 4 of the principal By-laws.	2. By-law 4 of the principal By-laws shall be amended by the insertion, immediately after the figure "4", of the figure and brackets "(1)" and the addition of the following new paragraph :- " (2) No person on or attending a vehicle conveying petrol shall smoke or carry matches or lighters."

Made at a meeting of the Stanley Town Council held on the 28th day of May, 1956.

D. W. O'SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

Confirmed.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 7th day of June, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Registration of United Kingdom Patents Ordinance. Title.

[7th June, 1956]

Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Registration of United Kingdom Patents (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Registration of United Kingdom Patents Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 58.

2. Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words from "Such grounds" up to the words and full-stop "section 4 of this Ordinance." both inclusive, and by substituting the following — Amendment of section 8 of the principal Ordinance.

"Such grounds shall be deemed to include the manufacture, use or sale of the invention in the Colony before the priority date applicable to the patent in the United Kingdom, but not to include the manufacture, use or sale of the invention in the Colony by some person or persons after the priority date applicable to the patent in the United Kingdom and before the date of the issue of the certificate of registration under section 4 of this Ordinance."

For the purposes of this sub-section the expression "priority date" in its application to a patent in the United Kingdom has the meaning assigned to it in section 5 of the Patents Act, 1949.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

D. R. MORRISON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 7th day of June, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. To amend the Government Wharves Ordinance.

Date of commencement. [7th June, 1956]

Enacting clause. ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows:—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Government Wharves (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Government Wharves Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

2. In section 2 of the principal Ordinance the interpretation of "Boat" is amended by the substitution of a comma for the full-stop at the end thereof, and by the addition immediately after that comma of the following words —

"sails not exceeding 75 square feet in area, or an engine not exceeding 35 horse power."

Amendment of section 11 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 11 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the substitution of the figure "£50" for the figure "£5".

Amendment of Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

4. The Schedule to the principal Ordinance shall be amended as follows:—

(a) for paragraph 2 there shall be substituted the following new paragraph —

"2. Wharfage duty for one day or any part thereof.

			£	s.	d.
Vessel of	2 tons but under	10 tons	5	0	
" "	10 " " "	20 " "	7	6	
" "	20 " " "	50 " "	10	0	
" "	50 " " "	100 " "	15	0	
" "	100 " " "	200 " "	1	0	0
" "	200 tons and upwards		2	0	0

(b) by deleting paragraph 4 ;

(c) by the substitution of the word "five" for the word "two" in paragraph 5 and by renumbering paragraph 5 as paragraph 4.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

D. R. MORRISON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 7th day of June, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 3



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1954-55 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 10 of 1954. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1954-55. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1954-55) Ordinance, 1956. Short title.

Appropriation of excess
expenditure for the year
1954/55.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the year 1954-55, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Governor	388	3	8
III.	Audit	73	19	5
V.	Education	2236	15	8
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	2160	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	8168	3	1
XI.	Pensions	103	1	3
XII.	Police & Prisons	168	15	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	250	2	3
XIV.	Public Works	9028	6	8
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	14973	2	2
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	1729	13	0
XVII.	Supreme Court	265	16	10
Total Expenditure		£ 39545	19	0

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

D. R. MORRISON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 7th day of June, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year 1956-57. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1956-57) Ordinance, 1956. Short title.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1957, a sum not exceeding Three hundred and forty-two thousand and twenty-three pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1956-57. Appropriation of £342,023 for service of the year 1956/57.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	6315	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5605	0	0
III.	Audit	1235	0	0
IV.	Customs	1966	0	0
V.	Education	33483	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	21367	0	0
VII.	Medical	26253	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1610	0	0
IX.	Military	1645	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	37558	0	0
XI.	Pensions	5400	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4490	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	34466	0	0
XIV.	Power & Electrical	22086	0	0
XV.	Public Works Department	9026	0	0
XVI.	Public Works Recurrent	36088	0	0
XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure	38780	0	0
XVIII.	Secretariat & Treasury	13076	0	0
XIX.	Supreme Court	1174	0	0
	Total	£301623	0	0
XX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	40400	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£342023	0	0

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

D. R. MORRISON,
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 19th day of June, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1956.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To declare the place-names in the Dependencies of the Colony of the Falkland Islands which are officially accepted and to provide for the declaration from time to time of new place-names.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and the Dependencies thereof as follows :-

- 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Place-names Ordinance, 1956. Short title.
- 2. (1) The Governor may by Proclamation under his hand declare and publish a list of the names of the various islands and lands constituting the Dependencies and of the coasts, peninsulas, capes, headlands, hills, mountains, peaks, plateaus, nunataks, glaciers, valleys, seas, straits, sounds, bays, inlets and other physical features thereof; and of the harbours and whaling stations therein, and may from time to time in like manner add to or alter such list. Declaration of place-names.
- (2) Every Proclamation made under sub-section (1) of this section shall be published in the Gazette, and the list of place-names contained therein or appended thereto shall show such particulars of the geographical position of each item as the Governor shall think necessary. Publication of list of place-names.
- 3. No place-names other than those that have been declared and published in the manner provided by the last preceding section shall be officially accepted or recognised. Only place-names published to be officially recognised.
- 4. The Governor may make Regulations for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance and in particular prescribing the manner in which recommendations may be made to the Government for additions to or alterations in the list of place-names which is in force for the time being and the particulars which such recommendations shall contain. Regulations.

Promulgated by the Governor on the 19th day of June, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 23rd day of June, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1956.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To provide for the service between the first day of July, 1956, and the thirtieth day of June, 1957.

Date of commencement.

[1st July, 1956.]

Enacting Clause.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows —

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (Dependencies) (1956/1957) Ordinance, 1956.

Appropriation of
£854,408 for service
of the year ending 30th
June, 1957.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Dependencies and applied to the service of the period ending the 30th of June, 1957, a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and Fifty-four thousand, Four hundred and Eight pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the period from the first day of July, 1956, to the thirtieth day of June, 1957.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £
1.	General	43,711
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	20,869
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	22,882
4.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	13,727
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	162,371
6.	R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	263,688
7.	F.I.D.S. Scientific Bureau	16,306
8.	R.R.S. "Shackleton"	73,978
9.	W/T Service	8,561
10.	Aerial Survey	228,315
Total Expenditure		£ 854,408

Promulgated by the Governor on the 23rd day of June, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 31st March, 1955.

RECEIPTS.	Amount Estimated			Actual Receipts			Over the Estimate			Under the Estimate		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance on 1st April 1954 ...	.....			33124	8	0	.....			.....
I. Customs	53614	0	0	79233	2	9	25619	2	9	.....	
II. Dependencies Contribution to cost of Central Administration	10000	0	0	10000	0	0	.....			.....
III. Fees, Fines, Reimbursements ...	4275	0	0	5029	15	10	754	15	10	.....	
IV. Harbour and Aviation	7265	0	0	6273	7	1	.....			991	12	11
V. Internal Revenue	130619	0	0	107119	0	0	.....			23500	0	0
VI. Interest	14138	0	0	15602	3	3	1464	3	3	.....	
VII. Miscellaneous	4315	0	0	11271	13	10	6956	13	10	.....	
VIII. Posts & Telegraphs	21335	0	0	15597	13	4	.....			5737	6	8
IX. Electricity	7100	0	0	8565	3	2	1465	3	2	.....	
X. Rents	1550	0	0	1537	15	5	.....			12	4	7
XI. Land Sales	211	0	0	1924	5	2	1713	5	2	.....	
Total Ordinary Revenue	254422	0	0	262153	19	10	37973	4	0	30241	4	2
XII. Colonial Development and Welfare ...	30720	0	0	6040	12	2	.....			24679	7	10
Total Revenue	£ 285142	0	0	268194	12	0	37973	4	0	54920	12	0
Advances				83967	1	11						
Deposits				493767	14	11						
Remittances				312064	16	2						
Investments				541486	1	0						
Investments Adjustment Account				25388	5	8						
Reserve Fund				8294	6	8						
Marine Renewals Fund				1253	19	7						
Aviation Renewals Fund				2124	11	6						
Power Station Renewals Fund				1704	12	2						
Workmen's Compensation Fund				197	0	1						
Land Sales Fund				1924	5	2						
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund ...				10390	10	0						
Farm & Building Loans				10	0	0						
Total Receipts				1750767	16	10						
Balance 1st April, 1954				33124	8	0						
TOTAL	£			1783892	4	10						

Statement shewing total Payments for the year ended 31st March, 1955.

PAYMENTS.	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I. The Governor	4564	0	0	4952	3	8	388	3	8			
II. Agricultural	4184	0	0	2836	19	6				1347	0	6
III. Audit	949	0	0	1022	19	5	73	19	5			
IV. Customs	1625	0	0	1518	5	7				106	14	5
V. Education	10761	0	0	12997	15	8	2236	15	8			
VI. Harbour & Aviation	18803	0	0	20963	0	0	2160	0	0			
VII. Medical	23135	0	0	22809	15	0				325	5	0
VIII. Meteorological	1334	0	0	1181	10	5				152	9	7
IX. Military	888	0	0	793	19	10				94	0	2
X. Miscellaneous	24885	0	0	33053	3	1	8168	3	1			
XI. Pensions	6408	0	0	6511	1	3	103	1	3			
XII. Police & Prisons	3428	0	0	3596	15	0	168	15	0			
XIII. Posts & Telegraphs	22067	0	0	22317	2	3	250	2	3			
XIV. Public Works Department	17869	0	0	26897	6	8	9028	6	8			
XV. Public Works Recurrent	18474	0	0	33447	2	2	14973	2	2			
XVI. Secretariat and Treasury	10980	0	0	12709	13	0	1729	13	0			
XVII. Supreme Court	804	0	0	1069	16	10	265	16	10			
XVIII. Extraordinary Expenditure	82770	0	0	70302	10	8				12467	9	4
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	253928	0	0	278981	0	0	39545	19	0	14492	19	0
XIX. Colonial Development and Welfare ...	30720	0	0	7351	5	9				23368	14	3
Total Expenditure ... £	284648	0	0	286332	5	9	39545	19	0	37861	13	3
Advances				50297	6	1						
Deposits				451818	8	11						
Remittances				364132	12	4						
Investments				578190	2	2						
Investments Adjustment Account				25388	5	8						
General Revenue Balance Account				9234	9	5						
Land Sales Fund				25	0	0						
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund				1292	18	1						
Total Payments				1766711	8	5						
Closing Balance on 31st March, 1955				17180	16	5						
TOTAL ... £				1783892	4	10						

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.
15th March, 1956.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on 31st March, 1955.

	LIABILITIES									
DEPOSITS:		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Savings Bank Fund	...	930,310	6	8						
Intestate Estates	...	291	0	0						
Provident Fund	...	10,724	0	0						
Postal Monies	...	5,937	19	2						
Note Security Fund	...	82,317	17	8						
Miscellaneous	...	7,515	5	2						
					1,037,126	8	8			
Reserve Fund	...	260,922	10	4						
Marine Insurance Fund	...	9,600	11	3						
Power Station Renewals Fund	...	8,394	5	2						
Remittances	...	12,770	12	8						
Old Age Pensions Equalization Fund	...	29,268	4	9						
Aviation Renewals Fund	...	6,154	11	4						
Workmen's Compensation Fund	...	3,751	19	5						
Surplus of Assets over Liabilities:										
Land Sales Fund	...	271,053	11	2						
General Revenue Balance A/c.	...	194,632	11	4						
					465,686	2	6			
					£1,833,675	6	1			

	ASSETS						
CASH BALANCES:		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Treasury	...	16,866	15	0			
Crown Agents	...	314	1	5			
Joint Colonial Fund	...	93,000	0	0			
					110,180	16	5
INVESTMENTS:							
Surplus Funds	...	84,012	7	2			
Reserve Fund	...	239,631	5	3			
Note Security Fund	...	66,263	2	8			
Workmen's Compensation Fund	...	3,017	2	1			
Provident Fund	...	22,655	2	3			
Savings Bank Fund	...	889,820	13	8			
Land Sales Fund	...	262,350	17	6			
Power Station Renewals Fund	...	8,267	12	3			
Marine Renewals Fund	...	9,132	11	4			
Old Age Pensions Equalisation Fund	...	28,750	12	7			
Aviation Renewals Fund	...	6,100	3	10			
					1,620,001	10	7
Farm and Building Loans	...				30	5	8
Advances	...				25,707	9	11
Remittances	...				77,755	3	6
					£1,833,675	6	1

The above Statement does not include :

- a. Interest free loan to H. M. Government amounting to £2198. 12s.
- b. A sum of £568. 4s. 5d. due by H. M. Government in respect of under issues on the following C. D. & W. Schemes

D970A	£137.	16.	1.
D1130	40.	0.	0.
D2325	390.	8.	4.
	£568.	4.	5.

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.
15th March, 1956

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 30th June, 1955

RECEIPTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Receipts.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Net Balance ...				6545	10	8						
1. Customs	84400	0	0	118895	14	11	34495	14	11			
2. Port Dues	200	0	0	200	0	0						
3. Internal Revenue ...	42420	0	0	54524	0	7	12104	0	7			
4. Fees	995	0	0	793	3	6				201	16	6
5. Rents	1631	0	0	1892	18	2	261	18	2			
6. Post Office	5000	0	0	16698	2	10½	11698	2	10½			
7. Miscellaneous	7780	0	0	21672	13	3	13892	13	3			
8. Contribution from H.M. Government	99706	0	0	85650	0	0				14056	0	0
	£ 242132	0	0	300326	13	3½	72452	9	9½	14257	16	6
Advances				36789	3	8						
Deposits				30413	11	1½						
Remittances				184224	0	6						
Investments				307705	13	4						
Reserve Fund				5977	18	6						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund ...				2560	13	9						
Investments Adjustment Account ...				8885	13	4						
Total Receipts ...				876883	7	6						
Balance 1/7/54 ...				6545	10	8						
TOTAL ...	£			883428	18	2						

Statement shewing total Payments for the year ended 30th June, 1955

PAYMENTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. General	33946	0	0	47705	8	11	13759	8	11			
2. FIDS Rear Base	3593	0	0	5951	14	9	2358	14	9			
3. FIDS Headquarters (Administration)	18410	0	0	18711	15	7	301	15	7			
4. FIDS Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	11279	0	0	9711	19	8				1567	0	4
5. FIDS Bases	84180	0	0	153718	5	8	69538	5	8			
6. FIDS "John Biscoe"	113678	0	0	67552	1	4				46125	18	8
7. Scientific Bureau	6414	0	0	5159	16	9				1254	3	3
	£ 271500	0	0	308511	2	8	85958	4	11	48947	2	3
Advances				37624	0	11						
Deposits				19797	7	2						
Remittances				219190	17	2						
Investments				273336	2	1						
Reserve Fund				4024	10	8						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund				4861	2	8						
Investments Adjustment Account				8885	13	4						
General Revenue Balance Account				5977	18	6						
Total Payments				882208	15	2						
Balance 30/6/55				1220	3	0						
TOTAL	£			883428	18	2						

E. F. LELIMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

4th January, 1956.



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14th July, 1956.

Departure from the Colony of His Excellency the Governor.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

HIS EXCELLENCY OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, C.M.G., C.V.O.,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief, left the Colony this day for the purpose of visiting the United Kingdom.

By Command,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 1

Proclamation

1956

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour* AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQUIRE, M.C., *Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by the seventh clause of the Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 13th December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, it is provided that "whenever the Office of Governor is vacant, or the Governor is absent from the Colony or is from any cause prevented from, or incapable of, acting in the duties of his Office, then such other person as We may appoint under Our Sign Manual and Signet, or if there is no such person in the Colony so appointed and capable of discharging the duties of the administration, the Senior Member of the Executive Council then in the Colony and so capable, shall, during Our pleasure, administer the Government of the Colony".

AND WHEREAS HIS EXCELLENCY OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, has this day left the Colony for the purpose of visiting the United Kingdom.

AND WHEREAS no person has been appointed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to administer the Government of this Colony in the absence of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the Falkland Islands, the Senior Member of the Executive Council aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that, in pursuance of the said clause of the said Royal Letters Patent and having taken the oaths prescribed by law, I have this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Colony and its Dependencies.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 14th day of July, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-six.

*By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,*

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Kerr, J.	Aviation	Director of Civil Aviation	14.7.56	—
Grierson, W. J.	Customs & Harbour	Collector of Customs and Harbour Master	14.7.56	—
Andersen, Miss D.	Education	Assistant Teacher	2.7.56	On probation for 2 years.
Trees, S. G., M.V.O.	Secretariat & Treasury	Acting Colonial Secretary	14.7.56	—
Halliday, Miss F.	Secretariat	Filing Clerk	1.7.56	On probation for 2 years.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
McKay, J. J.	Power & Electrical	Engineman	1.7.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Williamson, Miss B. G.	Education	Assistant Mistress	14.7.56	Resigned.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Aldridge, Miss E. B.	Education	Assistant Teacher	1.2.56	180 days	—
Campbell, I. T.	Harbour & Aviation	Student Pilot	14.7.56		Training Leave.
Huckle, J. S. R., D.S.C.	" "	Harbour Master & Director of Civil Aviation	14.7.56	160 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Malcolm, Mrs. V.	Secretariat	Clerk	27.2.56 - 13.6.56		On resignation.
Dunlop, J. P.	South Georgia	Senior Customs Officer	14.5.56 - 8.7.56		" "

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 34. 17th July, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 36 of 1955, the following appointment to the Labour Advisory Board is published for information:—

Member: Mr. P. Anderson vice Mr. M. W. H. Biggs.

Ref. 97/41.

No. 35. 18th July, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 21 of 25th April, 1956, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter-ended 30th June, 1956, are hereby published for general information.

<i>Quarter ended</i>	<i>Percentage increase over 1948 prices</i>
30th June, 1956	50.81%

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 36. 27th July, 1956.

THE INTERPRETATION AND
GENERAL LAW ORDINANCE (Cap. 33).

NOTICE.

(under Section 11 (7) of the Ordinance)

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare that the titles of the public officers set out in the first column of the Schedule hereto are hereby replaced by the titles set out in the second column of the said Schedule with effect from the 14th July, 1956.

SCHEDULE

FORMER TITLE	NEW TITLE
Harbour Master and Director of Civil Aviation	Director of Civil Aviation
Collector of Customs	Collector of Customs and Harbour Master.

The Income Tax Ordinance. (Cap. 32.)

Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council.

(under section 49 of the Ordinance)

O. R. ARTHUR,

Governor.

No. 1 of 1956.

Preamble.

Whereas it is provided by section 49 of the Income Tax Ordinance that if the Governor in Council by Order declares that arrangements specified in the Order have been made with the Government of any territory outside the Colony with a view to affording relief from Double Taxation in relation to Income Tax and any tax of a similar character imposed by the laws of that territory and that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect, the arrangements shall have effect in relation to Income Tax notwithstanding anything in any enactment:

And Whereas by a Convention dated the 2nd day of May, 1951, between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of Norway, arrangements were made among other things for the avoidance of Double Taxation:

And Whereas provision is made in the said Convention for the extension by means of an exchange of notes between the Contracting Parties of the said Convention, subject to such modifications and conditions (including conditions as to termination) as may be specified in the exchange of notes, to any territory, for whose international relations the United Kingdom is responsible, which imposes taxes substantially similar in character to those which are the subject of the said Convention:

And Whereas by an Exchange of Notes dated the 18th day of May, 1955, the said Convention with certain modifications was applied to the Colony of the Falkland Islands: now, therefore, it is hereby declared by His Excellency the Governor in Council—

- (a) that the arrangements specified in the First Schedule to this Order, as modified by the provisions of the Second Schedule to this Order, have been made with the Government of Norway.
- (b) that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect.

This Order may be cited as the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Norway) Order, 1956. Title.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 30th day of May, 1956.

D. R. MORRISON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBLE TAXATION AND THE PREVENTION OF FISCAL EVASION WITH RESPECT TO TAXES ON INCOME.

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of Norway,

Desiring to conclude a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,

Have agreed as follows :—

ARTICLE I

1. The taxes which are the subject of the present Convention are :

(a) In Norway :

The national income tax, including the national defence tax on income, the communal income tax, the old age pension tax, the war pension tax, and the seamen's tax, and, for the purposes of Article XIX, the national property tax, including the national defence tax on property (hereinafter referred to as "Norwegian tax");

(b) In the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland :

The income tax (including surtax) and the profits tax (hereinafter referred to as "United Kingdom tax").

2. The present Convention shall also apply to any other taxes of a substantially similar character imposed in Norway or the United Kingdom subsequently to the date of signature of the present Convention.

ARTICLE II

1. In the present Convention, unless the context otherwise requires :

(a) The term "United Kingdom" means Great Britain and Northern Ireland, excluding the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man;

(b) The term "Norway" means the Kingdom of Norway, excluding Spitsbergen and Bear Island and Jan Mayen and the Norwegian dependencies outside Europe;

(c) The terms "one of the territories" and "the other territory" mean the United Kingdom or Norway, as the context requires;

(d) The term "tax" means United Kingdom tax or Norwegian tax, as the context requires;

(e) The term "person" includes any body of persons, corporate or not corporate;

(f) The term "company" means any body corporate;

(g) The terms "resident of the United Kingdom" and "resident of Norway" mean respectively any person who is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax and not resident in Norway for the purposes of Norwegian tax, and any person who is resident in Norway for the purposes of Norwegian tax and not resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax; a company shall be regarded as resident in the United Kingdom if its business is managed and controlled in the United Kingdom and as resident in Norway if its business is managed and controlled in Norway;

(h) The terms "resident of one of the territories" and "resident of the other territory" mean a person who is a resident of the United Kingdom or a person who is a resident of Norway, as the context requires;

- (i) The terms "United Kingdom enterprise" and "Norwegian enterprise" mean respectively an industrial or commercial enterprise or undertaking carried on by a resident of the United Kingdom and an industrial or commercial enterprise or undertaking carried on by a resident of Norway, and the terms "enterprise of one of the territories" and "enterprise of the other territory" mean a United Kingdom enterprise or a Norwegian enterprise, as the context requires;
- (j) The term "industrial or commercial profits" includes rents or royalties in respect of cinematograph films;
- (k) The term "permanent establishment," when used with respect to an enterprise of one of the territories, means a branch, management, factory, or other fixed place of business, but does not include an agency unless the agent has, and habitually exercises, a general authority to negotiate and conclude contracts on behalf of such enterprise or has a stock of merchandise from which he regularly fills orders on its behalf. In this connexion -
 - (i) An enterprise of one of the territories shall not be deemed to have a permanent establishment in the other territory merely because it carries on business dealings in that other territory through a bona fide broker or general commission agent acting in the ordinary course of his business as such.
 - (ii) The fact that an enterprise of one of the territories maintains in the other territory a fixed place of business exclusively for the purchase of goods or merchandise shall not of itself constitute that fixed place of business a permanent establishment of the enterprise.
 - (iii) The fact that a company which is a resident of one of the territories has a subsidiary company which is a resident of the other territory or which carries on a trade or business in that other territory (whether through a permanent establishment or otherwise) shall not of itself constitute that subsidiary company a permanent establishment of its parent company.

2. Where under the present Convention any income is exempt from tax in one of the territories if (with or without other conditions) it is subject to tax in the other territory, and that income is subject to tax in that other territory by reference to the amount thereof which is remitted to or received in that other territory, the exemption to be allowed under this Convention in the first-mentioned territory shall apply only to the amount so remitted or received.

3. In the application of the provisions of the present Convention by one of the Contracting Parties any term not otherwise defined shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meaning which it has under the laws in force in the territory of that Party relating to the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention.

ARTICLE III

1. The industrial or commercial profits of a United Kingdom enterprise shall not be subject to Norwegian tax unless the enterprise carries on a trade or business in Norway through a permanent establishment situated therein. If it carries on a trade or business as aforesaid, tax may be imposed on those profits by Norway, but only on so much of them as is attributable to that permanent establishment.

2. The industrial or commercial profits of a Norwegian enterprise shall not be subject to United Kingdom tax unless the enterprise carries on a trade or business in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment situated therein. If it carries on a trade or business as aforesaid, tax may be imposed on those profits by the United Kingdom, but only on so much of them as is attributable to that permanent establishment.

3. Where an enterprise of one of the territories carries on a trade or business in the other territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, there shall be attributed to that permanent establishment the industrial or commercial profits which it might be expected to derive in that other territory if it were an independent enterprise engaged in the same or similar activities under the same or similar conditions and dealing at arm's length with the enterprise of which it is a permanent establishment.

4. Where an enterprise of one of the territories derives profits, under contracts concluded in that territory, from sales of goods or merchandise stocked in a warehouse in the other territory for convenience of delivery and not for purposes of display, those profits shall not be attributed to a permanent establishment of the enterprise in that other territory, notwithstanding that the offers of purchase have been obtained by an agent in that other territory and transmitted by him to the enterprise for acceptance.

5. No portion of any profits arising to an enterprise of one of the territories shall be attributed to a permanent establishment situated in the other territory by reason of the mere purchase of goods or merchandise within that other territory by the enterprise.

ARTICLE IV

Where -

- (a) an enterprise of one of the territories participates directly or indirectly in the management, control or capital of an enterprise of the other territory, or
- (b) the same persons participate directly or indirectly in the management, control or capital of an enterprise of one of the territories and an enterprise of the other territory,

and, in either case, conditions are made or imposed between the two enterprises, in their commercial or financial relations, which differ from those which would be made between independent enterprises, then any profits which would but for those conditions have accrued to one of the enterprises but by reason of

those conditions have not so accrued may be included in the profits of that enterprise and taxed accordingly.

ARTICLE V

Notwithstanding the provisions of Articles III and IV, profits which a resident of one of the territories derives from operating ships or aircraft shall be exempt from tax in the other territory.

ARTICLE VI

1. (a) Dividends paid by a company which is a resident of the United Kingdom to a resident of Norway, who is subject to tax in Norway in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from United Kingdom surtax.

(b) Norwegian tax on dividends paid by a company which is a resident of Norway to a resident of the United Kingdom, who is subject to tax in the United Kingdom in respect thereof and does not carry on trade or business in Norway through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall not exceed 5 per cent.

Provided that, where the resident of the United Kingdom is a company which controls, directly or indirectly, not less than 50 per cent. of the entire voting power of the company paying the dividends, the dividends shall be exempt from Norwegian tax.

2. Where a company which is a resident of one of the territories derives profits or income from sources within the other territory, there shall not be imposed in that other territory any form of taxation on dividends paid by the company to persons not resident in that other territory, or any tax in the nature of an undistributed profits tax on undistributed profits of the company, whether or not those dividends or undistributed profits represent, in whole or in part, profits or income so derived.

ARTICLE VII

1. Any interest or royalty derived from sources within one of the territories by a resident of the other territory, who is subject to tax in that other territory in respect thereof and does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory.

2. In this Article -

(a) The term "interest" includes interest on bonds, securities, notes, debentures or on any other form of indebtedness;

(b) The term "royalty" means any royalty or other amount paid as consideration for the use of, or for the privilege of using, any copyright, patent, design, secret process or formula, trade mark or other like property, but does not include any royalty or other amount paid in respect of the operation of a mine or quarry or of any other extraction of natural resources.

3. Where any interest or royalty exceeds a fair and reasonable consideration in respect of the indebtedness or rights for which it is paid, the exemption provided by the present Article shall apply only to so much of the interest or royalty as represents such fair and reasonable consideration.

4. Any capital sum derived from sources within one of the territories from the sale of patent rights by a resident of the other territory, who does not carry on a trade or business in the first-mentioned territory through a permanent establishment situated therein, shall be exempt from tax in that first-mentioned territory.

ARTICLE VIII

1. Where under the provisions of the present Convention a resident of the United Kingdom is exempt or entitled to relief from Norwegian tax, similar exemption or relief shall be applied to the undivided estates of deceased persons in so far as one or more of the beneficiaries is a resident of the United Kingdom.

2. Norwegian tax on the undivided estate of a deceased person shall, in so far as the income accrues to a beneficiary who is resident in the United Kingdom, be allowed as a credit under Article XVI.

ARTICLE IX

1. Remuneration, including pensions, paid by, or out of funds created by, one of the Contracting Parties to any individual in respect of services rendered to that Party in the discharge of governmental functions shall be exempt from tax in the territory of the other Contracting Party, unless the individual is a national of that other Party without being also a national of the first-mentioned Party.

2. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to payments in respect of services rendered in connexion with any trade or business carried on by either of the Contracting Parties for purposes of profit.

ARTICLE X

1. An individual who is a resident of the United Kingdom shall be exempt from Norwegian tax on profits or remuneration in respect of personal (including professional) services performed within Norway in any year of assessment if -

- (a) he is present within Norway for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate 183 days during that year, and
- (b) the services are performed for or on behalf of a resident of the United Kingdom, and
- (c) the profits or remuneration are subject to United Kingdom tax.

2. An individual who is a resident of Norway shall be exempt from United Kingdom tax on profits or remuneration in respect of personal (including professional) services performed within the United Kingdom in any year of assessment, if -

- (a) he is present within the United Kingdom for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate 183 days during that year, and
- (b) the services are performed for or on behalf of a resident of Norway, and
- (c) the profits or remuneration are subject to Norwegian tax.

3. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to the profits or remuneration of public entertainers such as theatre, motion picture or radio artistes, musicians and athletes.

ARTICLE XI

A resident of one of the territories shall be exempt from tax in the other territory in respect of remuneration for services performed on ships or aircraft operating outside the other territory.

ARTICLE XII

1. Any pension (other than a pension of the kind referred to in paragraph (1) of Article IX) and any annuity, derived from sources within Norway by an individual who is a resident of the United Kingdom and subject to United Kingdom tax in respect thereof, shall be exempt from Norwegian tax.

2. Any pension (other than a pension of the kind referred to in paragraph (1) of Article IX) and any annuity, derived from sources within the United Kingdom by an individual who is a resident of Norway and subject to Norwegian tax in respect thereof, shall be exempt from United Kingdom tax.

3. The term "annuity" means a stated sum payable periodically at stated times, during life or during a specified or ascertainable period of time, under an obligation to make the payments in return for adequate and full consideration in money or money's worth.

ARTICLE XIII

A professor or teacher from one of the territories, who receives remuneration for teaching, during a period of temporary residence not exceeding two years, at a university, college, school, or other educational institution in the other territory, shall be exempt from tax in that other territory in respect of that remuneration.

ARTICLE XIV

A student or apprentice from one of the territories, who is receiving full-time education or training in the other territory, shall be exempt from tax in that other territory on payments made to him from abroad for the purposes of his maintenance, education or training.

ARTICLE XV

1. Individuals who are residents of Norway shall be entitled to the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for the purposes of United Kingdom tax as British subjects not resident in the United Kingdom.

2. Individuals who are residents of the United Kingdom shall be entitled to the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for the purposes of Norwegian tax as Norwegian nationals not resident in Norway.

ARTICLE XVI

1. Subject to the provisions of the law of the United Kingdom regarding the allowance as a credit against United Kingdom tax of tax payable in a territory outside the United Kingdom, Norwegian tax payable, whether directly or by deduction, in respect of income from sources within Norway shall be allowed as a credit against any United Kingdom tax payable in respect of that income.

Where such income is an ordinary dividend paid by a company resident in Norway the credit shall take into account (in addition to any Norwegian tax appropriate to the dividend) the Norwegian tax payable by the company in respect of its profits; and, where it is a dividend paid on participating preference shares and representing both a dividend at the fixed rate to which the shares are entitled and an additional participation in profits, the Norwegian tax so payable by the company shall likewise be taken into account in so far as the dividend exceeds that fixed rate.

Provided that for the purposes of this paragraph of this Article, the credit to be allowed for Norwegian communal income tax shall not exceed one-half of the said communal income tax.

2. Where United Kingdom tax is payable, whether directly or by deduction, in respect of income from sources within the United Kingdom, and that income is chargeable also to Norwegian tax, the Norwegian tax payable by the person entitled to such income on his total income chargeable to Norwegian tax shall be reduced by an amount which bears the same proportion to that Norwegian tax as the income from sources within the United Kingdom bears to the said total income. Provided that the Norwegian

Ministry of Finance and Customs may decide that the deduction shall not exceed the amount of the United Kingdom tax.

Where such income is an ordinary dividend paid by a company resident in the United Kingdom, the deduction, in the event that it is restricted to the amount of the United Kingdom tax, shall take into account (in addition to the United Kingdom tax appropriate to the dividend) the United Kingdom profits tax payable by the company in respect of its profits; and, where it is a dividend paid on participating preference shares and representing both a dividend at a fixed rate to which the shares are entitled and an additional participation in profits, the profits tax so payable by the company shall likewise be taken into account in so far as the dividend exceeds that fixed rate.

3. Where income is derived from sources outside both the United Kingdom and Norway by a person who is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of United Kingdom tax and also resident in Norway for the purposes of Norwegian tax, the income may be taxed in both countries (subject to any Convention which may exist between either of the Contracting Parties and the territory or territories from which the income is derived). A credit shall be allowed in accordance with paragraph 1 of this Article against any United Kingdom tax payable in respect of that income, equal to that proportion of the United Kingdom tax or the Norwegian tax, whichever is the less, which such person's income from sources within the United Kingdom bears to the sum of his income from sources within the United Kingdom and his income from sources within Norway; and a deduction shall be allowed in accordance with paragraph 2 of this Article against any Norwegian tax payable in respect of that income equal to that proportion of the United Kingdom tax or the Norwegian tax, whichever is the less, which such person's income from sources within Norway bears to the sum of his income from sources within the United Kingdom and his income from sources within Norway.

4. For the purposes of this Article, profits or remuneration for personal (including professional) services performed in one of the territories shall be deemed to be income from sources within that territory, except that the remuneration of a director of a company shall be deemed to be income from sources within the territory in which the company is resident, and the services of an individual whose services are wholly or mainly performed in ships or aircraft operated by a resident of one of the territories shall be deemed to be performed in that territory.

ARTICLE XVII

1. The taxation authorities of the Contracting Parties shall exchange such information (being information which is at their disposal under their respective taxation laws in the normal course of administration) as is necessary for carrying out the provisions of the present Convention or for the prevention of fraud or for the administration of statutory provisions against legal avoidance in relation to the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention. Any information so exchanged shall be treated as secret and shall not be disclosed to any persons other than persons (including a Court) concerned with the assessment, determination and collection of the taxes which are the subject of the present Convention. No information as aforesaid shall be exchanged which would disclose any trade, business, industrial or professional secret or trade process.

2. As used in this Article, the term "taxation authorities" means, in the case of the United Kingdom, the Commissioners of Inland Revenue or their authorised representative; in the case of Norway, the Ministry of Finance and Customs; and, in the case of any territory to which the present Convention is extended under Article XX, the competent authority for the administration in such territory of the taxes to which the present Convention applies.

ARTICLE XVIII

The Agreement of 18th December, 1924, between Great Britain and Norway for the reciprocal exemption from income tax in certain cases of profits accruing from the business of shipping, and the Agreement of 21st December, 1938, between the United Kingdom and Norway for the reciprocal exemption from taxes in certain cases of profits arising through agencies, shall not have effect -

- (a) in Norway, for any period for which the present Convention has effect in that country;
- (b) in the United Kingdom, in relation to any tax for any period for which the present Convention has effect as respects that tax.

ARTICLE XIX

1. The nationals of one of the Contracting Parties shall not be subjected in the territory of the other Contracting Party to any taxation or any requirement connected therewith which is other, higher or more burdensome than the taxation and connected requirements to which the nationals of the latter Party are or may be subjected.

2. The enterprises of one of the territories shall not be subjected in the other territory, in respect of profits or capital attributable to their permanent establishments in that other territory, to any taxation which is other, higher or more burdensome than the taxation to which the enterprises of that other territory are or may be subjected in respect of the like profits or capital.

3. The income, profits and capital of an enterprise of one of the territories, the capital of which is wholly or partly owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by a resident or residents of the other territory shall not be subjected in the first-mentioned territory to any taxation which is other, higher or more burdensome than the taxation to which other enterprises of that first mentioned territory are or may be subjected in respect of the like income, profits and capital.

4. Nothing in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 of this Article shall be construed as obliging one of the Contracting Parties to grant to nationals of the other Contracting Party who are not resident in the territory of the former Party the same personal allowances, reliefs and reductions for tax purposes as are granted to its own nationals.

5. In this Article the term "nationals" means -

- (a) in relation to Norway, all Norwegian citizens and all juridical persons domiciled in Norway;
- (b) in relation to the United Kingdom, all British subjects and British-protected persons residing in the United Kingdom or any British territory to which the present Convention applies by reason of extension made under Article XX, and all legal persons, partnerships and associations deriving their status as such from the law in force in any British territory to which the present Convention applies.

6. In this Article the term "taxation" means taxes of every kind and description levied on behalf of any authority whatsoever.

ARTICLE XX

1. The present Convention may be extended, either in its entirety or with modifications, to any territory for whose international relations the United Kingdom is responsible and which imposes taxes substantially similar in character to those which are the subject of the present Convention, and any such extension shall take effect from such date and subject to such modifications and conditions (including conditions as to termination) as may be specified and agreed between the Contracting Parties in notes to be exchanged for this purpose.

2. The termination in respect of Norway or the United Kingdom of the present Convention under Article XXII shall, unless otherwise expressly agreed by both Contracting Parties, terminate the application of the present Convention to any territory to which the Convention has been extended under this Article.

ARTICLE XXI

1. The present Convention shall be ratified and the instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at Oslo as soon as possible.

2. The present Convention shall enter into force upon the exchange of ratifications and the foregoing provisions thereof shall have effect -

(a) in the United Kingdom :

as respects income tax for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April, 1950; as respects surtax for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April, 1949; and as respects profit tax in respect of the following profits :-

- (i) profits arising in any chargeable accounting period beginning on or after 1st April, 1950;
- (ii) profits attributable to so much of any chargeable accounting period falling partly before and partly after that date as falls after that date;
- (iii) profits not so arising or attributable by reference to which income tax is, or but for the present Convention would be, chargeable for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April, 1950 ;

(b) In Norway :

for the taxable years beginning on or after 1st January, 1950.

ARTICLE XXII

The present Convention shall continue in force indefinitely but either of the Contracting Parties may, on or before 30th June in any calendar year not earlier than the year 1954, give to the other Contracting Party, through diplomatic channels, written notice of termination, provided that such notice of termination may be given in any year before 1954 if there should be any important change in the laws of the other Contracting Party affecting the application of Article XVI. In such event, the present Convention shall cease to be effective -

(a) In the United Kingdom :

as respects income tax, for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given;

as respects surtax, for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April in the calendar year in which the notice is given; and as respects profits tax, in respect of the following profits :-

- (i) profits arising in any chargeable accounting period beginning on or after 1st April in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given;
- (ii) profits attributable to so much of any chargeable accounting period falling partly before and partly after that date as falls after that date;
- (iii) profits not so arising or attributable by reference to which income tax is chargeable for any year of assessment beginning on or after 6th April in the next following calendar year;

(b) In Norway :

for the taxable years beginning on or after 1st January in the calendar year next following that in which the notice is given.

In witness whereof the undersigned, being duly authorised by their respective Governments, have signed the present Convention and have affixed thereto their seals.

Done at London, in duplicate, in the English and Norwegian languages, both texts being equally authoritative, on the 2nd day of May, 1951.

(L.S.) HERBERT MORRISON.

(L.S.) P. PREBENSEN.

SECOND SCHEDULE

APPLICATION

1. (a) The provisions of the Convention incorporated in the First Schedule to this Order shall apply as modified below –
 - (i) as if the Contracting Parties were the Colony of the Falkland Islands and the Government of Norway; and as if the tax concerned in the case of the Colony were the income tax.
 - (ii) as if references to the date of signature were references to the 18th day of May, 1955.
- (b) The extension shall have effect in the Colony as respects tax for the year of assessment 1955 and for subsequent years of assessment, (and will have effect in Norway – as respects Norwegian tax for the taxable years beginning on or after 1st January, 1954).
- (c) The extension shall continue in effect indefinitely but may be terminated as respects the Colony by written notice of termination given on or before the 30th June in any calendar year not earlier than the year 1957 by either of the Contracting Parties to the Convention to the other Contracting Party through the diplomatic channel and in such event the extension shall cease to have effect in the Colony as respects tax for the year of assessment beginning in the calendar year next following the date of such notice and for subsequent years of assessment, (and will cease to have effect in Norway as respects Norwegian tax for the taxable years beginning on or after 1st January in the calendar year in which the notice is given).

MODIFICATIONS

2. (a) In Article VI 1 of the Convention the words "shall be exempt from United Kingdom Surtax" shall be understood for the purposes of this extension as though they read "shall not be liable to tax in the territory at a rate in excess of the rate applicable to a company".
 - (b) (i) In Article VII all references to interest shall be deemed to be deleted; and
 - (ii) in paragraph 2 of Article XVI references to income (except in the phrase "total income") shall be deemed not to include interest.
 - (c) Article X shall be deemed to be deleted.
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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on the 4th of June, 1956.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.
 The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern.
 The Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. Miller, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement.

The meeting opened with prayers read by the Reverend J. Gould.

2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on 21st April, 1956, were confirmed.
3. His Excellency delivered the following address to Council :

One of the Honourable Members of this Council has recently sustained a terrible loss. I do not wish to say anything to renew his grief, but I cannot omit to say that he has the profound sympathy, indeed affection, of us all. Another Member is in the United Kingdom recovering from a serious operation but we are delighted to know that the operation has been successful and his recovery has begun. He has our warmest wishes that it may be speedy and complete.

The Honourable Gentleman, the Colonial Secretary, when presenting the budget to you will go into the figures in detail, it is therefore unnecessary for me to do more than to describe the outline of the financial position and the proposals which will be put before you and to touch upon the past and proposed activities of Government, as is customary at the Budget Session.

Last year the budget approved by this Council provided for a deficit of £104,000 because Council considered it right that some of the money which had accumulated in reserve should be spent on capital improvement and on rectifying the inevitable shortcomings in maintenance consequent upon the extensive new works which had been put in hand in the previous few years. In the event it was found necessary to provide £40,000 more than had been estimated, for three principal reasons. £14,000 had to be found to meet our commitments on Darwin School which had not been fully provided for in the previous Estimates, it was decided to buy the dwelling houses at Ajax Bay, and it was found possible to spend more money during the period on the Roads and Water Scheme than had been expected. We also spent much more money than was estimated on passages. The Honourable Gentleman Mr. Gilruth during the debate on the budget, if I remember right, drew attention to the fact that the figure included was quite unreal and would almost certainly be overspent and this has proved to be so. An increased amount is being provided this year which it is hoped will prove a more realistic figure. On the other hand, there have been considerable savings in other items of expenditure, and revenue has turned out to be more fruitful than had been anticipated, so that the deficit is in fact only about £29,000 greater than had been expected. In return for this extra expenditure we have the Ajax Bay houses and future expenditure on the Roads and Water Scheme will not be as great as it would have been if the money had not been spent already.

Although next year it is proposed to continue with our steady programme of development, nevertheless the budget which will be presented to you is virtually balanced. We are able to continue spending money on capital improvement without dipping further into our reserves, in a very large measure because I have been recently informed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies that he has been able to approve an allocation of £50,000 from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds to the Falkland Islands for the period 1955-60. This is a generous act of Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom. Their own financial position is far from satisfactory, indeed, per head of population it is less satisfactory than our own, and they are still labouring under the financial consequences of war. Nevertheless they have provided a generous amount to help us with our improvement plans, for which we are truly grateful.

In reviewing the activities of Government I start with education because this year should be an exceptional one for education. On Saturday, the 2nd June, the Darwin Boarding School opened and this is a really important event in the Colony. You are aware that the Falkland Islands Company has provided a large sum of money towards the building of this school, which was decided upon to mark the centenary of the Company. I cannot imagine a more suitable monument and I take this opportunity to thank the Company for its generosity. We are fortunate in having Mr. Honeyman, who is already well-known here and has the confidence of parents, as our Head Master, and I also believe that we are fortunate in the staff which we have been able to recruit to serve under him. Starting an enterprise of this sort is not at all easy, as one difficulty is surmounted another one presents itself, but I have every confidence that Mr. Honeyman and his staff will make a success of their task which is of the first importance for this Colony.

You will be asked again to approve expenditure on the establishment of a boarding school at Port Howard since no expenditure was possible last year. This school is planned on a much more modest scale than the Darwin one and will at first do no more than provide accommodation for a very small

number of boarders under the care and instruction of a resident master and his wife. The plans have been prepared so as to allow for extension if in the future, as the school becomes established, the need for more boarding accommodation should arise. The school building has been prefabricated and is expected to arrive in the Colony in November. It is to be built on contract and should be ready early next year. Meanwhile, vigorous steps have been taken to find a good head master since it is on him personally, and on his wife, that the success or failure of the school will depend. The prospects of securing a good one seem to be promising.

The scheme under which we send scholars to school in the United Kingdom continues to function satisfactorily. The scholars are doing very well indeed and compare well scholastically with children previously educated in the United Kingdom. Our scholars are also, as one would expect, proving highly satisfactory in other ways.

We still lack a Superintendent of Education but I hope this state of affairs will very soon come to an end and that I shall be able to announce the appointment of a new Superintendent in the near future.

The Public Works programme seems to be like the mythical Hydra; as fast as one horrid head is cut off another one grows. Much has been done on the renovation and repair programme of Government buildings but the work has proved to be much more extensive than had been expected. Those Honourable Members who are themselves responsible for maintenance of old buildings are aware that once you start stripping them down goodness knows what you will find, and the prospect of finding a job far worse than expected increases if the buildings have been neglected in the past. This has proved only too true of Government buildings in Stanley, an outstanding example being the Senior School where, when work started, it was found that the renovation necessary amounted almost to rebuilding. This has now been done, the Infants' School has been completed, most Government dwelling houses have been put in a reasonable state of repair, and further deterioration has at least been stopped. Work on the Nurses' Home which has been so long required is now approaching completion although here again, once the internal woodwork had been uncovered, the damage was found to be far more extensive than had been expected. Experiments are in hand for heating the hospital and its water supply by means of oil instead of peat, experiments which so far seem likely to show that oil firing will prove more efficient, cheaper and more economic in man power.

Much has been done but as one task is completed another presents itself. You will be asked to provide money for removing and re-erecting the Ajax Bay houses. You will also be asked to provide money to build a new Post Office sorting room which is an urgent requirement. Mails become heavier and heavier and conditions become more and more difficult so that staff which is frequently inexperienced is asked to cope with conditions which would put the most skilled and experienced staff in difficulties. This problem affects Council itself since the room provided as a Council Chamber has to be used for storing heavy parcel post and is being ruined. You will also be asked to provide money for a new telephone exchange to accommodate the new and additional equipment which should make a marked difference in the standard of telephonic communication. When we consider our limited man power available and the additional strain which will be thrown upon it by the preparations for the Duke of Edinburgh's visit, this programme is a heavy one and if the Department completes it, it will have done very well.

There remain two matters for which you will be asked to provide money. The first is the Roads and Water Scheme for Stanley. You will see that much of the money for this Scheme is being provided from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds. Last year more money was spent on the Roads project than had been considered possible when the Estimates were prepared, but this does not mean that the total estimate is likely to be exceeded. Progress made has not been showy since work has been delayed by bad weather but when actual road making has been interrupted other work, which it would be necessary to do at some stage but which does not appear for all to see, has quietly gone forward. When the concreting of Ross Road is complete, work will be begun on the Water Filtration Plant and new main pipeline from the head of the Bay to Stanley. I must emphasise that this does not mean that the road work has been abandoned. In many ways the Water Scheme is the more important but the state of the roads was such that we were losing considerable sums of money in damage to vehicles. It was therefore planned all along to give the Town one decent road, Ross Road, and thereafter start on the Water Scheme. When that is completed it is proposed to proceed with giving the remaining roads in Stanley a tarmac surface.

The last item is the Camp Tracks Programme which was put in hand early this year. There have been initial difficulties and teething troubles but I am sure that the advice given by the Unofficial Members of this Council and of Executive Council when the Scheme was under discussion, was sound and that the Honourable Gentlemen who spent so much time and trouble on choosing machinery will prove to have made a wise choice. I thanked them last year and I thank them again. It may be that experience will show that additional equipment will be required and if it is, I shall again seek the advice of the Honourable Gentlemen who have experience of such matters and I hope it will be forthcoming. Meanwhile we must realise that the Scheme is in the experimental stage and proceed with caution and for that reason the money provided in the Estimates allows for only a small amount of capital expenditure on additional equipment.

The Medical Services of this Colony continue to be first-class. We are exceedingly fortunate in our staff under the Senior Medical Officer, the Honourable Dr. Slessor. There is little to say about this Department except to point out the admirable service it gives. Dr. Jacoby has recently arrived to be Dentist in Stanley and this has freed Dr. Schwagereit for the work in the camp for which he was intended.

The Air Service has continued to operate well. There was considerable delay in overhauling the old Beaver aircraft, consequent upon the necessity for obtaining additional spare parts and this delay would have caused considerable inconvenience if it had not been for the foresight of Council in providing money last year to buy a second Beaver. Both are now in the air and so far as can be foreseen will suffice for our needs in the immediate future. The student pilot continues to make satisfactory progress and we have every reason to believe that when he goes to the United Kingdom early in the New Year to complete his training he will succeed in qualifying. The Air Service also continues mail distribution and thereby provides considerable facility to the camp. Much work has recently been done by the Philomel and she too has been trying to make regular voyages with parcel mail for the camp.

The Agricultural Officer's programme for eliminating tuberculosis in the dairy herds has continued satisfactorily and it is hoped in the near future that tuberculosis in cattle will be completely eradicated. The reception of imported animals has recently thrown some strain on this department but this strain has been satisfactorily met.

The Defence Force has had a good year. The camp which was held as an experiment proved an unqualified success and the number of recruits coming forward is witness to the increasing popularity of the Force. Not only has much work been done to make them an effective fighting unit, but their smartness on parade, which is usually a fair test of keenness and efficiency of a unit, has shown marked improvement. I expect Honourable Members, in common with myself, noticed the good turnout and arms drill of the Guard of Honour on the occasion of opening this Council. The progress of the Force reflects much credit on the Commandant, the Honourable Mr. Denton-Thompson, and other officers including the Adjutant, Lieutenant Jones, who, with Sergeant Major Goss has spared neither time nor trouble to improve the Force.

Lastly I should like to mention the Air Survey, which, as Honourable Members know, has been planned to be carried out at the expense of the United Kingdom Government. It was planned for the aircraft concerned to spend April in the Falkland Islands to do this survey, and had they done so they would have had sufficient fine weather to complete the photography. Unfortunately, they had to go north at once for repairs but it is hoped that the photography will be completed either in the Autumn of this year or the Spring of next.

The past year, or rather the period covered by the last budget, may have seen nothing much which is spectacular, nevertheless steady and solid progress has been made, and it is planned for this progress to continue during the period of the budget which is now presented to Council for its consideration. It should be a cause for satisfaction that this can be done without diminishing our reserve.

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following Paper:

The Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Norway) Order, 1956.

5. The following question was asked by the Honourable Mr. S. Miller:—

“Will the Government announce the source and authority whereby the mechanical appliances and equipment for Camp Tracks were supplied both from England and locally and on whose advice was all this equipment detailed and also who was responsible for drawing up the contracts of the technicians imported for this track work. Secondly what was the sum spent nine months ago on repairs to ‘Pony’s Pass Road’ and who authorised this contract?”

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary replied:—

1. The decision to purchase the two Buffalo drainage units was taken by the Governor-in-Council. The decision was made in the light of advice tendered to Government by an Unofficial Member of Executive Council and a Senior Unofficial Member of Legislative Council after exhaustive enquiries in the United Kingdom into problems connected with the construction of tracks over peat lands and with regard to the machinery required for the purpose. They concluded that drainage operations should be undertaken as the first step in the camp tracks programme and that the Cuthbertson Drainage units were the most suitable machines for the purpose.

Government was responsible for the purchase and supply of equipment provided locally.

The contracts for the Drainage Machine Operators were drawn up by the Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations, acting on behalf of the Falkland Islands Government. They were prepared after consultation with the Managing Director of James A. Cuthbertson Ltd. who, in accordance with advice tendered by Executive Council, was asked to assist in the recruitment of operators, and with the Falkland Islands Government.

2. The sum spent on the repairs to the Stanley-Pony’s Pass track which were undertaken in accordance with the advice tendered to Government by a Special Committee consisting of Unofficial Members of Legislative Council, under the chairmanship of an Unofficial Member of Executive Council, amounted to £5,263 2s. 9d. Government authorised the contract.

6. The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer, in moving the Bill “To amend the Registration of United Kingdom Patents Ordinance”, explained that the Bill set forth more clearly the grounds upon which any person interested in an invention could object to the issue of a certificate of registration.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer then proposed the first reading of the Bill – this was seconded by the Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece and no objection being made the Bill was read accordingly.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 & 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

7. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary in moving the Bill “To amend the Government Wharves Ordinance” explained that the Bill sought to further clarify the interpretation of “Boat”, to increase certain penalties and to increase wharfage fees in the case of certain classes of vessel.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary then proposed the first reading of the Bill – this was seconded by the Honourable Mr. S. Miller and no objection being made the Bill was read accordingly.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 4, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

8. The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer, introducing the Bill "To legalise certain payments made in the year 1954-55 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 10 of 1954", explained that this was purely a formal Bill and the expenditure had already been approved by Standing Finance Committee. It in no way reflected the present financial position of the Colony.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer then proposed the first reading of the Bill - this was seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary and no objection being made the Bill was read accordingly.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2, the Enacting Clause, the Schedule and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

9. In introducing the Bill "To provide for the service of the period 1956-57", the Honourable the Colonial Secretary said :-

As my Honourable friend, the Colonial Treasurer has been engaged very largely in the difficult task of disposing of the Ajax Bay Freezer, it has fallen to me to present the estimates for 1956-57 for the consideration of this Council.

For the 15 month financial period that is now concluding Government budgeted for an estimated deficit of £104,310. It was for that period estimated that total expenditure would amount to £402,940 and total revenue would amount to £298,630.

In drawing up estimates of revenue for the financial period 1955-56 Government concluded that it was very probable that there would be a drop, but not a serious decline, in the price of wool, the economic backbone and staple of the country. In fact Government expectations were on this occasion accurate and it will be seen that the estimated total of £36,000 from the wool tax will have just been exceeded, so it is anticipated, by the close of the current financial period. The estimates of revenue in the case of Internal Taxation, covering as they do Income and Companies Tax have proved substantially accurate and the final total is expected to be within £200 of the estimated total in spite of an anticipated decrease of approximately £3,000 from companies tax. To counterbalance this however there has been an unexpected increase in the amount of revenue obtained from the duty on spirits and it is expected that this source of revenue will now yield approximately £25,000 as against an original estimate of £12,000. This satisfactory windfall, the result very largely of stockpiling, cannot unfortunately be anticipated in the forthcoming financial year. In fact taking all revenue heads into account it is expected that there will be an increase in the actual revenue, as against the original estimate of revenue, for 1955-56 amounting to approximately £25,442 - an increase made up by additional revenue from the consumption and sale of Electricity, £15,000 from Customs Duties and Fees and additional revenue from miscellaneous sources and interest rates and Colonial Development and Welfare.

On the other hand Government expenditure has increased very considerably during this current financial period. Instead of £402,000 Government has in fact spent, or will have spent, an estimated total of £457,000 a net increase of £55,000. This very substantial increase has been due to a number of factors and it is important that I should deal with the items of major importance in some detail.

The purchase of the Ajax Bay houses for the sum of £8,700 was one of the principal items of additional and unforeseen expenditure. I do not think that there will be any disagreement with regard to the purchase of these houses which, have so unfortunately in one respect, become available. Expenditure on the Darwin School for which provision was not included in the Estimates has amounted to £14,000 over and above that amount for which provision was foreseen in the Estimates and which was inserted for the purchase of equipment and furniture. A further principal and serious item of expenditure is that connected with the cost of overseas passages. The figure for which budgetary provision was made in the 1955-56 Estimates amounted to £10,000 but with the need to bring in additional staff for essential public services from overseas in addition to leave requirements, the cost has increased to an estimated figure of £20,000. This is an unavoidable commitment that could only be cut at the expense of our social services which, in a country so isolated, must of necessity be of a particularly high standard since we cannot readily and easily call upon outside sources for assistance and supplies. A further £7,000 over and above the figure which it was estimated could be spent during the current financial period on the Stanley Roads Scheme has had, or will have, to be spent. In addition to these items additional supplementary expenditure amounting to £3,590 has been incurred on Broadcasting Equipment (which in effect constitutes a revote).

Taking into account this additional expenditure and off-setting it against estimated savings on items for which budgetary provision has been made and increased revenue it is estimated that at the conclusion of the present financial year the total deficit will amount to £133,000 as opposed to the £104,000 deficit for which provision was made in the 1955-56 Budget.

FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC POSITION OF THE COLONY.

The financial position of the Colony is at the moment undoubtedly healthy. It is provisionally estimated that on the 1st July, 1956, the General Revenue Balance will amount to £61,598, the Land Sales Fund to £271,053, and the Reserve Fund to £260,922, providing the Colony with an estimated free surplus - with which to begin the new financial period - of £593,930 or approximately the equivalent of two years Government expenditure if some moderate reduction were to be made in the rate of capital expenditure. In fact if one excludes capital expenditure to the tune of £60,000 which it is proposed should be spent in the next financial year, our reserves represent the equivalent of just over two years Government expenditure. Bearing in mind in particular the fact that this Government has no public debt and consequently is not committed at present to servicing loans, this must be regarded, particularly from the financial aspect, as a most satisfactory state of affairs. A further and equally important point is that the great majority of farms have, as a result of the greater prosperity experienced over the past few years, Reserve Funds on which to call for capital improvements, and to cushion a further decline in wool prices.

I think it is important to refer at this stage to one particularly vital factor, a factor which prevails in few other countries of the western world at the present time. Over the past year the general cost of living in the Falklands has, in spite of increased costs of materials obtained from overseas, remained extremely stable, and in fact recent cost of living indices have indicated that there is a drop and even a marked drop. While it must be clearly recognised that this has been due to quite a substantial degree to the movement of the Uruguayan exchange in our favour it must nevertheless be regarded as a modest achievement considering the very substantial injections of large scale capital expenditure into the Colony's economic veins, expenditure which in other instances has frequently proved to be inflationary in nature, particularly when large scale capital expenditure has taken place at a time of full employment. It must also be regarded as solid proof of the good sense and restraint of business, commerce and labour in the Falkland Islands. Significant feature is that for 1953-55 Savings Bank deposits exceeded withdrawals by nearly £92,000. The first five months 1956 withdrawals exceeded deposits by £30,000 but the level of deposits was maintained and substantial withdrawals can be accounted for by the large number of people who went on leave or holiday or left the Colony early this year.

Unfortunately one cannot leave it at that as one is compelled to recognise that those responsible for the financial and administrative management of this country must constantly bear in mind the inescapable fact that this country is based on a single economy and everyone whether farmer or housewife, civil servant or business man, artisan or labourer, living and working in the Falkland Islands lives entirely off the sheep's back and what can be obtained, in terms of real money, for the wool that the sheep produces on the free markets of the world. There has in fact been a drop in the wool price but it seems very likely that the decline in price has been halted, at least for the time being, and the market appears to be generally firmer. We have reason to believe that the average price yielded by Falkland Islands wool on the conclusion of the present series of sales, will be in the neighbourhood of 48 - 50d. In addition, of course, the decline in the price of wool will inevitably have some effect on other forms of revenue and it must be anticipated if the existing rates of taxation and duty are to be retained that there will be a decline albeit a moderate one, in the revenue obtained from Income and Companies Tax as a result of a smaller rate of profit and moderate decreases in the general level of the internal trading.

It is against this background therefore that the budget reflected in the Draft Estimates that are now before this Council for consideration has had to be considered and prepared. It is my view that the soundest criterion for the financial management of this country in existing circumstances must be conservative finance or - in other and plainer words - the budget must be balanced. It would be practicable and quite reasonable to draw further on our considerable reserves to meet capital expenditure. But it is my contention that our reserves must never be permitted, except in the gravest circumstances, to fall below a figure of half a million pounds and once that level is approached then it is essential that the budget should be stabilised by means of three possible methods :-

- (a) A drastic reduction in the general level of Capital and Recurrent Expenditure.
- (b) By means of increases or extensions in taxation which might well prove impracticable in the face of a general fall in wool prices, or
- (c) By resorting to a loan policy for further capital expenditure.

The Estimates before you reflect a deficit of £154, or in other words the budget has very nearly been balanced. And let me say at this stage that Government does not propose in respect of the forthcoming financial period to introduce any new measures of taxation, nor does it propose to raise the level of existing rates of taxation or duty. On the other hand in view of our vital commitments and the need for conserving our reserves it is not possible at this stage to afford any general measure of relief from taxation or duty.

The Draft Estimates before Council reflect an estimated total revenue of £341,689, and expenditure of £341,843. It must however be appreciated that the Estimated Revenue has been increased, to some extent artificially, by providing for the payment to the Falkland Islands Government of the £50,000 Falkland Islands Freezer debenture loan. As Honourable Members are unfortunately aware the Freezer is now in the hands of the Receiver who has a most difficult and unenviable task to perform. It is therefore to be hoped that during the course of the financial year 1956/57 the plant will be sold and the debenture repaid in full. In this connection provision has been included in the Estimates for payment of interest to the Falkland Islands Government amounting to just over £1,000. Provision has also been included for the repayment to Government of the £1,000 advanced to the Receiver with the approval of Standing Finance Committee to enable him to meet current expenses in connection with the disposal of the plant. Revenue is also benefited by the remarkably generous allowance by Her Majesty's Government from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds of the sum of £50,000 for the period 1955/60. This represents £10,000 a year over a five year period and as His Excellency has said in his address to Council, will be regarded and appreciated as a gift of very considerable generosity and as solid evidence of the close and continuing interest of Her Majesty's Government and peoples in the United Kingdom in the welfare and interest of the people of this Colony. It is proposed that £30,000 of this should be used in the 1956/57 financial year to meet the greater proportion of expenditure to be incurred on the roads and water filtration and pipeline projects which have already benefited to the extent of £37,400 from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds.

If the Freezer is not sold then there will be a substantial deficit but it must be remembered that so far as the long term factors and principles are concerned that capital expenditure on major items for which provision has been included in the Draft Estimates to be presented and which is to be met primarily from Colony sources amounts to very nearly £60,000 expenditure that need not be repeated in subsequent financial years unless major projects are approved and which would not be carried out if the financial position of the Colony were to deteriorate to any substantial degree.

With the permission of Honourable Members I would like at this point to refer in some detail to some of the major items of estimated revenue.

1. Government has estimated that Customs revenue for the financial year 1956-57 will amount to £45,950 as opposed to the revised estimate of £72,000 for the 15 month period 1955-56 a drop of £26,050. This has been largely accounted for by the estimated drop of £13,000 for duty paid on liquor which has been arrived at as a result of a survey of stocks of liquor held in the country as against the general level of demand and consumption. There is also an estimated drop of £10,000 in the amount it is estimated will be obtained from the export tax on wool and here Revenue has been calculated on the basis of the existing scale of duty of 1½d. per lb. on an average price ranging from 40 - 50d. per lb. Provision has also been made for an equivalent decrease in the estimated Internal Revenue which amounts to £10,000 and represents what is calculated to be the probable drop in Income and Companies Tax as a result of the lower wool income and a lower level of trading profits. There is a very substantial increase in the estimated revenue to be obtained from miscellaneous sources and this is due to the insertion of provision for the redemption of the Falkland Islands Freezer Company debenture to which I have already referred.

EXPENDITURE.

As I have already indicated Estimated Expenditure is calculated at £341,843, as opposed to a total Revised Estimate of Expenditure in the closing financial period of £457,107, a drop of £116,000 in the level of Government expenditure. Of the total estimated expenditure it is anticipated that £60,000 or £90,000 if one includes Capital Expenditure from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds, will be taken up by expenditure on capital items. To some of these I would like to refer in some detail.

Firstly there are the Stanley Roads and Water Projects which between them will require £8,000 as representing the Colony's contribution towards the total cost during the forthcoming year. The remaining £30,000 which it is estimated will be spent in 1956/57 on these two major projects is to come from Colonial Development and Welfare sources. Provision has also been included for the expenditure of £15,000 on the Camp Tracks Scheme which was begun last year with the purchase and importation of two Cuthbertson drainage machines. As a result of expert advice obtained by Government it was concluded that the first step on the construction of camp tracks should be drainage and it was for this purpose that these machines were obtained. Experiments have been carried out on the extent to which these machines are also capable of track making and it may well be that in the light of these experiments and the results of further consideration, additional capital expenditure may be required to purchase additional machinery. I would therefore emphasise that Government did not indulge in the purchase of additional and expensive equipment until it was seen to what extent the machines we already have meet our requirements and that this decision was taken as a deliberate act of policy. The provisional amount of £15,000 which has been inserted in the draft estimates represents estimated recurrent expenditure, provision for bridging materials and some moderate additional capital expenditure.

2. Provision amounting to £10,000 has also been included for the construction, with the approval of Standing Finance Committee, of the boarding school in the West Falklands to be situated at Port Howard, to which His Excellency referred in his opening address to Council. It must be emphasised that in the early stages the building would constitute only the quarters of a headmaster and his wife and accommodation for a few children. It is Government's intention to proceed cautiously on this project and the plans have so been prepared as to enable the school to be extended as the need arises.

A further £5,000 is accounted for by new communications equipment consisting of a telephone switchboard, exchange and teleprinter. The new postal department sorting office, the need for which was so clearly emphasised by His Excellency will account for a further £3,000. In this connection I think that Honourable Members will agree that it would be quite wrong to go on using the Council Chamber as a storage for several hundred mail bags at a time. The capital costs to be incurred in dismantling and re-erecting the Ajax Bay houses is estimated at £5,000. Finally, the sum of £8,500 is required for the erection of new office space to house a combined and centralised F.I.D.S. and Secretariat Administration. Funds were voted this current financial period for its construction, as an adjunct to the present Secretariat, but it has not been found possible to carry out the work. This in effect represents a revote but to offset the total expenditure involved there is a revenue item amounting to £5,500 which represents the F.I.D.S. contribution towards the cost of the work.

A further and important item of expenditure is the sum of £9,500 provided for under the carriage of mails. As Honourable Members are aware, under the terms of the present contract with the Falkland Islands Company, Government pays the sum of £6,000 per annum. In January 1955, the Chairman of the Company informed Government that the Company proposed to purchase a replacement for the "Fitzroy" but if it did so it would require an annual subsidy of £12,000 per annum. Executive Council agreed to the approval of the Legislature being sought for this additional subsidy which would be more in keeping with present day costs on the understanding that the new vessel would be larger and faster than the "Fitzroy" that she would make regular monthly voyages and there would be accommodation for 36 passengers. Negotiations have continued during the course of the last fifteen months and as Honourable Members are aware the Falkland Islands Company are now building a new 36 passenger 11 knot ship at a total cost of about £320,000. Subject to the approval of this Council, Government now proposes to enter into an agreement with the Falkland Islands Company for an annual subsidy of £13,200 per annum, or £14,200 if 8,000 to 9,000 cubic feet of refrigerated cargo space are incorporated in the new ship. This matter has received very careful consideration by Government and we are satisfied that the new ship will be a very marked improvement on the "Fitzroy" particularly as regards passenger accommodation and amenities and from personal enquiries I made during the course of my recent visit to the United Kingdom it seems clear that having regard to modern costs of shipbuilding and cargo vessel operations the proposed subsidy is reasonable and fair to both sides. Under the terms of the proposed new contract Government retains the rebate of 25% of all cargo and passenger rates on all bona fide Government personnel and cargo. It is anticipated that the new ship will be ready in March or April next year.

Finally, Honourable Members will be asked to approve financial provision amounting to £5,000 to meet the costs that will be incurred in preparations, renovations and transport connected with the visit, in the new year, of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, a visit to which we are all looking forward with expectation and delight.

To sum up, I would regard the budget now presented for your consideration as a stable and conservative one and one that represents the present stability of the Falkland Islands, the need to progress and to improve our services, communications and amenities and the need, against the background of our economic position, to conserve our resources and revenues. We propose in the coming financial year to spend £60,000 from our own resources, we will have the benefit of a lesser degree of Colonial Development and Welfare financial assistance than in the current financial period, we are compelled to anticipate a drop in wool revenue and a consequential decrease in the revenues obtained from Internal Taxation, the cost of many essential supplies and services are increasing, and yet – in spite of all these factors – we have a balanced budget and have effected a substantial reduction in the general cost of public expenditure.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary then proposed the first reading of the Bill. This was seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer and no objection being made the Bill was read accordingly.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time.

The Honourable Mr. S. Miller :-

Your Excellency,

I noticed in your address that you referred to Camp Tracks and I've felt for some time since I have been in here that some reference should be made to them, and I hope to make some few remarks in a constructive manner.

I noticed that you did say in your address that the Scheme was suffering from teething troubles – if that is a correct description it has got very bad teeth – but you also referred to the efforts of two Honourable Members and the Government in initiating this Scheme and I would like to say that I very much agree with it and I think that they deserve all praise for what they did and also I think they went to the right source, Mr. Cuthbertson; he is probably the World's, certainly the British, expert on roads, but I would also like to thank the Colonial Secretary who has been very helpful in putting all the files at my disposal last week in which I was able to find out all the odd gen that I did not know, and so far as I can see, from the initiation of this scheme, Mr. Cuthbertson was rather led up the wrong street because he appears to have made all his judgments on the aerial photographs that the Falkland Islands Company have of their drainage scheme with their Buffalo, and I have seen those photographs too and they seem to be of purely peaty country. Well, on the West at any rate, and probably to a large extent on the East, a very large amount of the country over which this road has got to go is hard country and the machinery that has been bought at considerable expense is quite inadequate for making roads on that type of country and at the present moment we have more or less come to a standstill on the West and it is a question of what we are going to do next. It is very difficult to see what we can do next except to hold on until we get some new type of machinery and I can only suggest that the scheme be temporarily suspended in the manner in which it is being conducted at present.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary :-

Your Excellency. Honourable Members.

There are one or two points that I would like to emphasise in connection with this Camp Tracks scheme. I would like to make it clear at the outset that Government welcomes and are grateful for all the advice and assistance that we are getting not only from the members from this Council but from farmers. This project is one that is entirely and completely new to the Falkland Islands. We had no means of assessing in detail what the problems would be. We took steps to obtain the best advice that was obtainable and I have little doubt that that advice was sound. We have, after the most exhaustive and careful enquiries in the United Kingdom, concluded that the first step in this Camp Tracks programme should be drainage. It was the idea that the traces should be drained and left to dry for a year before any road making was attempted. At the same time these machines have certain additional equipment and this was purchased in order to try out in the field and endeavour to ascertain to what extent they might help and assist in the actual making of tracks, but Government was anxious that as a first step we should drain and then experiment before we indulged in additional heavy capital expenditure and before we had succeeded in assessing the real facts of the problem with which we were faced.

It may very well be necessary to move the Buffaloes to draining other parts of the camp tracks traces in the Falkland Islands. Government will not insist on a rigid programme or attempt to do so but we are anxious to ensure that the Buffaloes should as far as possible and practicable carry out the purposes for which they are mainly designed, that is drainage.

With His Excellency's permission, I might say that I propose personally to fly to the West Falklands very shortly to discuss the next step with two of the farm managers who are mostly concerned in the West, and if it is found that additional machinery is required and would be of assistance to the programme, then a proposition would be put to this Council if additional funds are required in order to purchase such equipment. I think we can count on the co-operation and help of Members. We have never envisaged there will be no difficulties. We are now meeting certain difficulties but we are confident that they can be overcome.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer, then moved that the Bill and draft Estimates for 1956/57 be referred to a Select Committee of the House and the Council adjourned.

His Excellency adjourned Council.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer on reporting back to Council stated that the Select Committee had unanimously agreed on the following alterations and additions to the draft Estimates :-

HEAD I. Governor. Personal Emoluments 1. i. Governor from £1500 to £2000.

HEAD V. Education. 14. Courses of Instruction from £680 to £280.

HEAD VI. Harbour & Aviation. 2. Stationery from £50 to £10.

26. Training of Pilot from £400 to £480.

HEAD VII. Medical. 18. Temporary Clerical Assistance from £350 to £390.

His Excellency then declared the Council to be in Committee. Clause 1 was agreed to and Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

The Schedule was agreed to with the following amendments :-

<i>Number and Head of Service.</i>	<i>Delete.</i>	<i>Substitute therefor.</i>
I. The Governor	£ 5,815	£ 6,315
V. Education	£33,883	£33,483
VI. Harbour & Aviation	£21,327	£21,367
VII. Medical	£26,213	£26,253
	Total £301,443	£301,623
	Total Expenditure £341,843	£342,023

Clause 2 was agreed to with the following amendments :-

By the deletion of the words "Three hundred and forty-one thousand eight hundred and forty-three pounds" in the third, fourth and fifth lines and the substitution of the words "Three hundred and forty-two thousand and twenty-three pounds"; and by the deletion of the figure "£341,843" in the side notes, and the substitution therefor of the figure "£342,023".

The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

Currency Note Security Fund.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th June, 1956.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report on the transactions of the Note Security Fund for the year ended 31st March, 1954, together with the Statement of Receipts and Payments, and of Investments held at the 31st March, 1954.

2. The value of notes of the various series and denominations in circulation at the 31st March, 1954, was as follows:—

Series	Denomination	Value		
		£	s.	d.
"A"	£5	10	0	0.
"B"	£5	60	0	0.
"C"	£5	18,025	0	0.
"A"	£1	57	0	0.
"B"	£1	120	0	0.
"C"	£1	42,343	0	0.
"D"	£1	21,000	0	0.
"C"	10/-	8,031	0	0.
"A"	5/-	7	15	0.
"B"	5/-	7	5	0.
		£89,661 : 0 : 0.		

3. The value of currency notes lodged with the Commissioner during the year by persons desiring to receive sterling in London amounted to £26,168 : 5 : 2 and yielded commission amounting to £559 : 3 : 4.

4. Investment income amounting to £1,671 : 2 : 6 was transferred to Falkland Islands Revenue during the year.

5. The revaluation of the investments of the Note Security Fund at the 31st March, 1954, showed an appreciation of £840 : 14 : 7 which was credited to the Fund.

6. After providing for 110% of the note issue and remittances in transit the fund showed a surplus on the year's working of £25 : 3 : 9. Approval of the Secretary of State is being sought for the transfer of this sum to Revenue in accordance with Section 7 (4) of the Currency Notes Ordinance.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Note Security Fund.

STATEMENT OF TRANSACTIONS 1st APRIL, 1953 TO 31st MARCH, 1954.

RECEIPTS.	PAYMENTS.
To	By
Balance 1st April, 1953 £84,032 : 12 : 0	Sterling payments in London £56,175 : 5 : 2
Currency lodged for sterling payment in London 56,168 : 5 : 2	Sterling Payments made in Colony 1,751 : 15 : 9
Currency lodged with Crown Agents for payment, Colony 1811 : 15 : 9	Overpayments recovered, per Contra 20 : 0 : 0
Commission received on transfers to London 559 : 3 : 4	Commission transferred, recovered per Contra 3 : 0 : 9
Commission received on transfers from London 17 : 11 : 0	Printing, freight etc. new notes 19 : 7
Telegraphic charges recovered 3 : 4 : 5	Dividends transferred to Falkland Islands Revenue 1,671 : 2 : 6
Recovery of overpayment per contra 20 : 0 : 0	Balance 99,505 : 5 : 9
Recovery of Commission transferred, per contra 3 : 0 : 9	
Dividends 1,671 : 2 : 6	
Increase of Note Issue 14,000 : 0 : 0	
Appreciation of Investments 840 : 14 : 7	
£159,127 : 9 : 6	£159,127 : 9 : 6

Balance :-

Market value of Investments ...	£40,173 : 14 : 8
Remittances in transit 	853 : 0 : 0
Liquid balance 	58,478 : 11 : 1
	£99,505 : 5 : 9

Note Security Fund.

INVESTMENTS 31st MARCH, 1954.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 31st MARCH, 1954.				
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Fed. Malay States	1960/70	3	2925	11	4	2413	11	11	84	2457	9	7
Jamaica	1956/61	3	2020	4	0	1888	17	9	96	1939	8	0
Kenya	1965/70	2½	2829	5	10	2249	5	9	82½	2334	3	4
Nigeria	1963	4	1842	16	7	1833	12	3	101	1861	5	1
Savings Bonds	1955/65	3	880	4	4	831	16	1	97	853	16	1
Australia	1964/66	3	1444	4	8	1249	5	3	91	1314	5	1
Nigeria	1975/77	3	3000	0	0	2445	0	0	84½	2535	0	0
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	2021	5	3	1859	11	4	93½	1889	17	8
Funding	1956/61	2½	9000	0	0	8595	0	0	97½	8775	0	0
N. Rhodesia	1970/72	3½	9860	3	2	8874	2	11	92½	9120	13	0
Appreciation			35823	15	2	32240	3	3		33080	17	10
						840	14	7				
			35823	15	2	33080	17	10		33080	17	10
Joint Colonial Fund			7092	16	10	7092	16	10		7092	16	10
		£	42916	12	0	40173	14	8		40173	14	8

Government Employees' Provident Fund 1951.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th July, 1956.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Provident Fund Ordinance No. 8 of 1938, I have the honour to submit a report on the transactions of the Fund for the year ended 31st December, 1951.

Appended are the following statements of account :-

- (i) Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure, Deposits and Withdrawals, Investments Adjustment Account, Reserve Account, and statement of Assets and Liabilities.
- (ii) Nominal value, cost and market value of Investments at 31st December, 1951.

2. The amount standing to the credit of depositors at the close of the year is shown in the following statement :-

Balance 1st January, 1951	...	...	...	£19,359 : 18 : 4
Compulsory deposits	...	...	...	972 : 15 : 3
Repayment of Advances	...	...	...	53 : 0 : 0
Government Bonus	...	...	...	972 : 15 : 3
Interest on closed accounts	...	...	...	11 : 0 : 7
Accrued interest	...	...	...	339 : 18 : 5
				£21,709 : 7 : 10
<i>Less Withdrawals :</i>				
Closed accounts	...	...	£2,996 : 18 : 10	
Advances	...	...	78 : 0 : 0	
			3,074 : 18 : 10	
Balance due to depositors 31/12/51	...	...		£18,634 : 9 : 0

3. Investments of a redemption value made and held by the Crown Agents for and on behalf of the Fund, are detailed on the statement forwarded herewith. The revenue from Investments was £844 : 7 : 6, and depreciation amounted to £2,339 : 2 : 0.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Government Employees' Provident Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1951.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

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INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.	ASSETS.
Amount due to Depositors	Market value of Investments
To Cash due to Treasurer	Reserve A/c. deficit
£23,449 : 12 : 10	£23,449 : 12 : 10

Provident Fund Account.

INVESTMENTS 31ST DECEMBER, 1951.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 31ST DECEMBER, 1951.				
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British Guiana	1959/69	3	1835	0	5	1770	15	11	88	1614	16	4
Sierra Leone	1958/63	3½	2240	1	11	2296	1	11	95½	2139	5	10
Gold Coast	1956	4½	2417	7	0	2586	11	3	103	2489	17	5
Savings Bonds	1960/70	3	4462	16	2	4407	0	6	87¼	3893	16	0
Savings Bonds	1965/75	3	5562	19	6	5396	1	9	84¼	4686	16	2
Australia	1963/65	3	1789	13	2	1762	16	3	88½	1583	17	0
Kenya	1961/71	4½	2118	12	11	2341	2	0	103	2182	4	0
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	924	1	5	951	15	10	94½	873	5	0
Savings Bonds	1955/65	3	2490	6	5	2521	9	0	92	2291	2	0
War Loan	1955/59	3	1509	4	3	1573	7	1	100¼	1512	19	9
			25350	3	2	25607	1	6		23267	19	6
	Depreciation					2339	2	0				
			25350	3	2	23267	19	6		23267	19	6

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 18th day of July, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Officer Administering the Government.

[L.S.]

No. 3



1956.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.

Officer Administering the Government.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1954-55 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 2 of 1954. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Dependencies for the year 1954-55. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1954-55) Ordinance, 1956. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year 1954-55, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1954-55.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
1.	General	13,759	8	11
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	2,358	14	9
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	301	15	7
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	69,538	5	8
	Total Expenditure ...	85,958	4	11

Promulgated by the Officer Administering the Government on the 18th day of June, 1956.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Dalgleish, Surg. Lt. D. G., R.N.	I.G.Y.E. Base, Halley Bay	Sub-Postmaster	6.1.56	—
Morrison, D. R.	Secretariat	Acting Assistant Colonial Secretary	7.5.56	—
Halliday, L. J.	Secretariat	Acting Chief Clerk	7.5.56	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Browning, Miss H.	Audit	Clerk	1.7.56	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Evans, Miss N.	Audit	Clerk	18.8.56	Resigned.
Tait, Mrs. F. S.	Education	Assistant Teacher	20.7.56	"
McLeod, P.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	28.8.56	"

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Shorey, B.	File Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Public Works Department	1.7.56

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Aldridge, Miss E. B.	Education	Assistant Teacher	1.2.56 - 29.7.56	On resignation.
Luxton, Miss J.	"	Teacher	1.2.56 - 6.5.56	" "
Schonfeld, L.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	2.5.56 - 13.8.56	—
Richards, W.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	7.5.56 - 28.6.56	On resignation.
Kirk, W. G. N.	Public Works	Carpenter Development Programme	20.3.56 - 22.8.56	On completion of contract.
Denton-Thompson, A. G., M.C.	Secretariat	Colonial Secretary	27.12.55 - 29.4.56	Special Leave.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 37. 21st August, 1956.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint :-

CHARLES HONEYMAN ROBERTSON, J.P.,

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Peter Cormack Gray, bachelor, and Betty Johnson, spinster, at Fox Bay West, West Falklands.

Ref. 1169.

No. 38. 20th August, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has appointed an Immigration Advisory Committee to advise His Excellency on matters concerning immigration into the Colony, with particular regard to the recruitment of labour from abroad.

The following have been appointed Members :-

- The Chairman, Sheep Owners' Association.
- The Secretary, Sheep Owners' Association.
- The Chairman, Falkland Islands Labour Federation.
- The Secretary, Falkland Islands Labour Federation.

Ref. 0209/II.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Atilio Vaghi,
deceased.*

Whereas Atilio Vaghi, late of Stanley, died at Stanley, on the 16th day of July, 1956, intestate.

And whereas the Supreme Court has appointed the Official Administrator to administer the estate of the said deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors having claims against the estate should submit their claims to me the undersigned on or before the 19th day of September, 1956.

And all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Stanley this 29th day of August, 1956.

H. BENNETT,
Official Administrator.

S.C. 22/56.

CHANGE OF NAME

by Deed Poll.

BY THIS DEED, I the undersigned BRIAN MICHAEL GRANT of 7, Drury Street, Stanley, Falkland Islands, and of 37, Kessock Avenue, Inverness, Scotland, a natural-born British Subject do hereby absolutely renounce and abandon the use of my former surname of BRIGHT and in lieu thereof do assume as from the date hereof the surname of GRANT.

AND in pursuance of such change of surname as aforesaid I HEREBY DECLARE that I shall at all times hereafter in all records deeds and instruments in writing and in all actions and proceedings and in all dealings and transactions and upon all occasions whatsoever use and sign the said name of GRANT as my surname in lieu of the said surname of BRIGHT so renounced as aforesaid.

AND I HEREBY AUTHORISE and request all persons to designate and address me by such assumed surname of GRANT only.

IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto signed my Christian names of BRIAN MICHAEL and my assumed surname of GRANT and my relinquished surname of BRIGHT and have set my seal this thirteenth day of August, 1956.

(Sgd.) BRIAN MICHAEL GRANT

formerly known as

(Sgd.) BRIAN MICHAEL BRIGHT.

Signed sealed and delivered by the above named Brian Michael Grant in the presence of :

(Sgd.) H. BENNETT,

Justice of the Peace.

Registered in the Registrar General's Department, Falkland Islands, No. 3307, Volume XIV., page 189 on the 14th day of August, 1956.

(Sgd.) H. BENNETT.

Registrar General,

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Esq., M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Officer Administering the Government of the said Colony.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour* AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esquire, M.C., *Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*
[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 18th day of August, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 18th day of August, 1956.

By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,
S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Currency Note Security Fund.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th July, 1956.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report on the transactions of the Note Security Fund for the year ended 31st March, 1955, together with the Statement of Receipts and Payments, and of Investments held at the 31st March, 1955.

2. The value of notes of the various series and denominations in circulation at the 31st March, 1955, was as follows:—

Series	Denomination	Value		
		£	s.	d.
"A"	£5	10	0	0.
"B"	£5	60	0	0.
"C"	£5	13,610	0	0.
"A"	£1	57	0	0.
"B"	£1	112	0	0.
"C"	£1	16,788	0	0.
"D"	£1	38,461	0	0.
"C"	10/-	3,730	0	0.
"A"	5/-	7	15	0.
"B"	5/-	7	5	0.
		£72,843 : 0 : 0.		

3. The value of currency notes lodged with the Commissioner during the year by persons desiring to receive sterling in London amounted to £72,000 : 13 : 4 and yielded commission of £719 : 2 : 4.

4. Investment income amounting to £1,497 : 3 : 4 was transferred to Falkland Islands Revenue during the year.

5. The revaluation of the investments of the Note Security Fund at the 31st March, 1955, showed a depreciation of £1,958 : 6 : 0 which was charged against the Fund.

6. At the close of the year a sum of £1,185 : 15 : 6 was erroneously transferred from Falkland Islands Revenue. After providing for 110% of the note issue the surplus available at 31/3/55 was £1,464 : 15 : 2 which will be automatically adjusted at the close of the 1955/56 Accounts.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Note Security Fund.

STATEMENT OF TRANSACTIONS 1st APRIL, 1954 TO 31st MARCH, 1955.

RECEIPTS.	PAYMENTS.
<p>To</p> <p>Balance 1st April, 1954 £99,505 : 5 : 9</p> <p>Currency lodged for sterling payment in London 72,000 : 13 : 4</p> <p>Currency lodged with Crown Agents for payment, Colony 705 : 16 : 7</p> <p>Commission received on transfers to London 719 : 2 : 4</p> <p>Commission received on transfers from London 7 : 1 : 5</p> <p>Telegraphic charges recovered 4 : 13 : 0</p> <p>Deposit, refunded per contra 40 : 8 : 0</p> <p>Recovery of Commission, etc. transferred, per contra 3 : 9 : 1</p> <p>Dividends 1,497 : 3 : 4</p> <p>Transfer from Falkland Islands Revenue to bring Fund to 110% of Note Issue 1,185 : 15 : 6</p> <p>Increase of Note Issue 21,500 : 0 : 0</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£197,169 : 8 : 4</p>	<p>By</p> <p>Sterling payments in London £72,657 : 8 : 11</p> <p>Sterling Payments made in Colony 176 : 4 : 6</p> <p>Refund of Deposit per contra 40 : 8 : 0</p> <p>Specimen Notes sent to The National Bank, Vienna 13 : 0 : 0</p> <p>Specimen Note sent to Police Commissioners, Paris 5 : 0 : 0</p> <p>Commission, etc. transferred, recovered per Contra 3 : 9 : 1</p> <p>Telegrams 2 : 1 : 4</p> <p>Sorting, etc. of Currency Notes 198 : 9 : 6</p> <p>Dividends transferred to Falkland Islands Revenue 1,497 : 3 : 4</p> <p>Depreciation of Investments 1,958 : 6 : 0</p> <p>Decrease of Note Issue 38,300 : 0 : 0</p> <p>Balance 82,317 : 17 : 8</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£197,169 : 8 : 4</p>

Balance :-

Market value of Investments ...	£66,263 : 2 : 8
Remittances in transit 	725 : 16 : 6
Liquid balance 	15,328 : 18 : 6
	£82,317 : 17 : 8

Note Security Fund.

INVESTMENTS 31st MARCH, 1955.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 31st MARCH, 1955.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
Fed. Malay States 1960/70	3	2925	11	4	2457	9	7	86½	2530	12	4
Jamaica 1956/61	3	2020	4	0	1939	8	0	94½	1909	1	9
Kenya 1965/70	2½	2829	5	10	2334	3	4	82½	2334	3	5
Nigeria 1963	4	1842	16	7	1861	5	1	99½	1833	12	4
Savings Bonds 1955/65	3	19980	2	2	19989	10	1	95½	19081	0	1
Australia 1964/66	3	1444	4	8	1314	5	1	88½	1278	2	11
Nigeria 1975/77	3	3000	0	0	2535	0	0	84½	2535	0	0
E.A.H.C. 1966/68	3½	2021	5	3	1889	17	8	94½	1910	1	10
Funding Loan 1956/61	2½	24805	0	8	24639	6	0	95½	23688	16	2
N. Rhodesia 1970/72	3½	9860	3	2	9120	13	0	91½	9022	1	0
		70728	13	8	68080	17	10		66122	11	10
Depreciation					1958	6	0				
		70728	13	8	66122	11	10		66122	11	10
Joint Colonial Fund		140	10	10	140	10	10		140	10	10
	£	70869	4	6	66263	2	8		66263	2	8

Government Employees' Provident Fund 1952.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th July, 1956.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Provident Fund Ordinance No. 8 of 1938, I have the honour to submit a report on the transactions of the Fund for the year ended 31st December, 1952.

Appended are the following statements of account :-

- (i) Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure, Deposits and Withdrawals, Investments Adjustment Account, Reserve Account, and statement of Assets and Liabilities.
- (ii) Nominal value, cost and market value of Investments at 31st December, 1952.

2. The amount standing to the credit of depositors at the close of the year is shown in the following statement :-

Balance 1st January, 1952	...	...	...	£18,634 : 9 : 0
Compulsory & Voluntary deposits	...	...	...	973 : 9 : 8
Repayment of Advances	...	...	...	45 : 16 : 8
Government Bonus	...	...	...	973 : 9 : 8
Interest on closed accounts	...	...	...	27 : 10 : 7
Accrued interest	...	...	...	318 : 0 : 4
				£20,972 : 15 : 11
<i>Less</i> Withdrawals :				
Closed accounts etc.	...	...	...	£3,773 : 13 : 5
				£17,199 : 2 : 6

3. Investments of a redemption value of £27,141 : 9 : 3 made and held by the Crown Agents for and on behalf of the Fund, are detailed on the statement forwarded herewith. The revenue from Investments was £877 : 2 : 4.

4. The Fund's Investments were revalued at the prices in the London market at the close of the year. Depreciation amounted to £260 : 15 : 8.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Government Employees' Provident Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1952.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Amount due to Depositors	17,199 : 2 : 6	Market value of Investments	24,607 : 3 : 10
To Cash due to Treasurer	7,443 : 18 : 11	Reserve	35 : 17 : 7
	£24,643 : 1 : 5		£24,643 : 1 : 5

Provident Fund Account.

INVESTMENTS 31ST DECEMBER, 1952.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 31ST DECEMBER, 1952.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.	
British Guiana	1959/69	3	1835	0	5	1541	8	4	83½	1532	4	9
Sierra Leone	1958/63	3½	2240	1	11	2038	9	9	94½	2116	17	11
Gold Coast	1956	4½	2417	7	0	2453	12	2	102½	2477	15	8
Savings Bonds	1955/65	3	2490	6	5	2241	5	9	93	2316	0	0
War Loan	1955/59	3	1509	4	3	1471	9	8	100¼	1512	19	8
Savings Bonds	1960/70	3	4462	16	2	3748	15	2	86	3838	0	4
Savings Bonds	1965/75	3	5562	19	6	4533	16	7	84	4672	18	0
Australia	1963/65	3	1789	13	2	1530	3	2	87½	1565	19	1
Kenya	1961/71	4½	2118	12	11	2161	0	4	99½	2108	1	0
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	924	1	5	831	13	3	90½	836	5	10
Uganda	1966/69	3½	1791	6	1	2274	19	2	91	1630	1	7
Add (see footnote)			27141	9	3	24826	13	4		24607	3	10
Depreciation						41	6	2				
			27141	9	3	24867	19	6		24607	3	10
						260	15	8				
			27141	9	3	24607	3	10		24607	3	10

At the close of the Colony's financial year ending on the 31st March, 1952 the book values were adjusted to coincide with market values at that date which were £41 : 6 : 2 less than the market values of stock held on the 31st December, 1951 and the book values of stocks purchased during the quarter ended 31st March, 1952.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Anderson, J. H.	Customs & Harbour	Mate, m.v. "Philomel"	15.9.56	—
Gleadell, Miss D.	Education	Assistant Teacher	20.9.56	—
Morrison, D. R.	Secretariat	Acting Chief Clerk	8.9.56	—
Nesbitt, I. H.	South Georgia	Senior Customs Officer	14.7.56	Assumed duty 2.9.56.
Betts, W. R.	Treasury	Clerk	4.9.56	On probation for two years.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Goss, R.	Treasury	Clerk	23.9.56	Dismissed.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Middleton, G. S.	Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	12.9.56	180 days	Exclusive of period of voyages.
Thackeray, W.	Public Works	Painter Development Programme	12.9.56	140 days	Exclusive of period of voyage.
Weir, A. P., I.S.O.	" "	Civil Engineer	12.9.56	72 days	do.
Bound, J., E.D., J.P.	Secretariat	Assist. Colonial Secretary	6.5.56 - 7.9.56		Special Leave.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 39. 14th September, 1956.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be advanced one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, 29th/30th September, 1956.

Ref. 0064.

No. 40. 18th September, 1956.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise Her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1956	Registration of United Kingdom Patents (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956.	1739
2 of 1956	The Government Wharves (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956.	1731
3 of 1956	Supplementary Appropriation (1954/55) Ordinance, 1956.	0284/VIII.

No. 41. 19th September, 1956.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
4 of 1956	Appropriation (1956-57) Ordinance, 1956.	0284/IX.

25th September, 1956.

TOWN COUNCIL NOTICE.

Register of Electors.

The Register of Electors has been compiled and may be inspected at the Town Council Office on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays between the hours of 6.30 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. and on Saturdays between the hours of 2 p.m. and 6 p.m.

A. S. ALCOCK,
Registration Officer.

Ref. 0039/C

REGISTRATION OF UNITED KINGDOM PATENTS ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified for general information that a letters patent, particulars of which appear in the schedule hereto was registered in the Register of Patents on the 10th day of September, 1956.

SCHEDULE

Registered No. :-	3312.
Name of Applicant :-	Biochemie Gesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung.
Registered Address :-	Kundl, Tyrol, Austria.
No. of grant in the United Kingdom :-	734,232.
Nature of invention :-	A new penicillin compound and its production.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th September, 1956.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of John Richard Ashley, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas William Charles Alazia, Attorney for the brothers of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th September, 1956.

S.C. 23/56.

The Currency Notes Ordinance (Cap. 15)

RULES

(under Section 13 of the Ordinance).

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

No. 1 of 1956.

Officer Administering the Government.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 13 of the Currency Notes Ordinance, and with the approval of the Secretary of State, His Honour the Officer Administering the Government is pleased to make and hereby makes the following Rules :

1. These Rules may be cited as the Currency Notes (Amendment) Rules, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Currency Notes Rules hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules.

Short title.
Revised Edition
Vol. II, p 135.

2. Rule 15 of the principal Rules is hereby amended as follows :-

Amendment of Rule 15
of the principal Rules.

(a) for sub-Rule (1) there shall be substituted the following sub-Rule :-

“(1) In the Register of Currency Note Issues shall be recorded consecutively the serial numbers of the currency notes issued by the Commissioner, together with the date of issue and the date on which each note is withdrawn from circulation, and re-issued, cancelled or destroyed by the Commissioner.”

(b) there shall be inserted, immediately after sub-Rule (2) the following new sub-Rule (3) :-

“(3) There shall be kept in respect of each prefix number of a series of currency notes a control account showing the total number of the currency notes issued or re-issued by the Commissioner, the total number of notes withdrawn from circulation by the Commissioner and selected for re-issue, and the total number of notes cancelled or destroyed by the Commissioner, together with the date of issue, re-issue, withdrawal from circulation, cancellation or destruction and the balance of currency notes in circulation.”

Dated this 19th day of September, 1956.

By Command,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Government Employees' Provident Fund 1953.

Colonial Treasury,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

19th July, 1956.

The Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Provident Fund Ordinance No. 8 of 1938, I have the honour to submit a report on the transactions of the Fund for the year ended 31st December, 1953.

Appended are the following statements of account :-

- (i) Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure, Deposits and Withdrawals, Investments Adjustment Account, Reserve Account, and statement of Assets and Liabilities.
- (ii) Nominal value, cost and market value of Investments at 31st December, 1953.

2. The amount standing to the credit of depositors at the close of the year is shown in the following statement :-

Balance 1st January, 1953	...	...	...	£17,199 : 2 : 6	
Deposits	...	...	...	981 : 19 : 9	
Bonus	...	...	...	981 : 19 : 9	
Overpaid Bonus (F.I.D.S.)	...	...	...	7 : 1 : 9	
Interest on closed accounts	...	...	...	19 : 4 : 4	
Interest on current accounts	...	...	...	322 : 4 : 1	
				£19,511 : 12 : 2				
Less Withdrawals	...	...	...	£1,731 : 5 : 1	
				£17,780 : 7 : 1				
Balance due to depositors 31/12/53	£17,773	:	5	:	4			
" " " F.I.D.S. "	£	7	:	1	:	9		
				£17,780	:	7	:	1

3. Investments of a redemption value of £23,006 : 2 : 9 made and held by the Crown Agents for and on behalf of the Fund, are detailed on the statement forwarded herewith. The revenue from Investments was £844 : 0 : 3.

4. The Fund's Investments were revalued at the prices in the London market at the close of the year. Appreciation amounted to £627 : 0 : 1.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Government Employees' Provident Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1953.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
To Interest on Closed A/cs.	19	4	4		By Interest on Investments	844	0	3
.. Interest credited to Depositors' A/cs.	322	4	1					
.. Proportion of salaries	100	0	0					
.. Reserve Account	402	11	10					
	£844	0	3			£844	0	3

DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance 1/1/53.	17,199	2	6		By Withdrawals	1,731	5	1
.. Deposits	981	19	9		.. Balance Credit of Depositors	£17,773	5	4
.. Bonus	981	19	9		.. Balance credit of F.I.D.S.	£	7	1
.. Overpaid Bonus (F.I.D.S.)	7	1	9			17,780	7	1
.. Interest on Closed A/cs.	19	4	4					
.. Interest on Current A/cs.	322	4	1					
	£19,511	12	2			£19,511	12	2

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Reserve Account	776	8	2		By Appreciation	627	0	1
					.. Profit on sale of Investments	149	8	1
	£776	8	2			£776	8	2

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

To Balance b/fwd.	35	17	7		By Investments Adjustment A/c.	776	8	2
.. Balance c/d.	1,143	2	5		.. Revenue & Expenditure A/c.	402	11	10
	£1,179	0	0			£1,179	0	0

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.
Amount due to Depositors	£17,773	21,383
Amount due to F.I.D.S. (Bonus overpd.)	7	12
Reserve	1,143	0
Cash due to Treasurer	2,460	0
	£21,383	£21,383

Provident Fund Account.

INVESTMENTS 31ST DECEMBER, 1953.

NAME OF STOCK.		%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 31ST DECEMBER, 1953.			
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
British Guiana	1959/69	3	1835	0	5	1605	12	11	86½	1587	5	11
Sierra Leone	1958/63	3½	2240	1	11	2150	9	11	96½	2161	13	9
Gold Coast	1956	4½	2281	11	2	2338	11	11	102	2327	3	9
Savings Bonds	1960/70	3	4462	16	2	3927	5	7	91½	4083	9	5
Savings Bonds	1965/75	3	5562	19	6	4756	7	0	89½	4978	17	3
Australia	1963/65	3	1789	13	2	1565	19	0	91½	1637	10	10
Kenya	1961/71	4½	2118	12	11	2150	8	6	100	2118	12	11
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	924	1	5	850	3	0	91	840	18	2
Uganda	1966/69	3½	1791	6	1	1639	0	11	92	1648	0	0
			23006	2	9	20983	18	9		21383	12	0
Deduct (see footnote)						227	6	10				
			23006	2	9	20756	11	11		21383	12	0
Appreciation						627	0	1				
			23006	2	9	21383	12	0		21383	12	0

At the close of the Colony's financial year ended on the 31st March, 1953 the book values were adjusted to coincide with market values at that date which were £227 : 6 : 10 higher than the market values of stock held on the 31st December, 1952 less the book values of stocks sold during the quarter ended 31st March, 1953.



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No. 14.

A Bill for
An Ordinance
Further to amend the Customs Ordinance.

[1st November, 1956.]

Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows:—

Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read and construed as one with the Customs Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Short title.

Cap. 16.

2. The definition of "export" contained in Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced by the following definition:—

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

“Export” with its grammatical variations and cognate expressions means to send, or cause to be sent from some place or port in the Colony or the Dependencies goods consigned to a destination outside the Colony or Dependencies, and for the purpose of any liability under this Ordinance the exportation of goods consigned to a destination outside the Colony or Dependencies shall be deemed to have taken place when the same are put on board the exporting aircraft or ship, notwithstanding that such aircraft or ship may first call at some other

place or places, port or ports, in the Colony or the Dependencies before proceeding to its destination outside the Colony or Dependencies, and notwithstanding that by reason of some accident the aircraft or ship may not pass the line bounding the Colony or Dependencies and the waters thereof.”.

Amendment of section 209 (3) of the principal Ordinance.

3. Sub-section (3) of Section 209 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced by the following sub-section :—

“(3) The time of exportation of goods prohibited to be exported shall be deemed to be the actual time at which the aircraft or ship containing such goods departed from its final position, anchorage or berth within the Colony or the Dependencies notwithstanding that by reason of some accident such aircraft or ship may not have passed the line bounding the Colony or Dependency and the waters thereof.”.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Bill is designed to clarify the definition of “export” and to define more precisely when goods are deemed to be exported and the time of exportation of goods prohibited to be exported.

A Bill for An Ordinance Further to amend the Public Health Ordinance.

Date of commencement.

[1st January, 1957]

Enacting Clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Public Health Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 54.

(2) This Ordinance shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1957.

Insertion of new Part IVA in the principal Ordinance.

2. The principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after Part IV thereof the following new Part :—

“PART IVA.

TUBERCULOSIS.

No person suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis to enter the Colony.

50A. (1) Any person entering the Colony shall produce to the Senior Medical Officer a certificate signed by a radiologist showing —

- (a) that he has submitted to a radiological examination of his chest and that at the time of such examination he was free from active pulmonary tuberculosis; and
- (b) that such examination was made not more than three months before the date on which such certificate is produced to the Senior Medical Officer :

Provided that no such certificate shall be required :

- (i) from any person who is a bona fide visitor to the Colony for a period of not exceeding six months; or
- (ii) in respect of any child under the age of three years; or
- (iii) from any person born in the Colony or its Dependencies ; or
- (iv) from any person domiciled in the Colony :

Provided also that the Governor may permit any person to enter the Colony from the Dependencies for the purpose of taking up residence therein, on the condition that he submits to an examination of his chest within seven days of his entry into the Colony.

Penalty.

(2) Any person who wilfully contravenes or evades or attempts to contravene or evade the provisions of this section or who aids or abets any such contravention or evasion or attempted contravention or evasion shall be liable on conviction by a court of summary jurisdiction to a fine not exceeding £50 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

Removal to hospital of infectious persons suffering from tuberculosis of the respiratory tract.

50B. (1) Where a court of summary jurisdiction is satisfied, on the application of the Senior Medical Officer, that a person suffering from tuberculosis of the respiratory tract (in this section referred to as "the patient") is in an infectious state, and -

- (a) that his circumstances are such that proper precautions to prevent the spread of infection cannot be taken, or that such precautions are not being taken; and
- (b) that serious risk of infection is thereby caused to other persons; and
- (c) that accommodation for him is available in the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital; and
- (d) that adequate provision will be made for the maintenance of his dependants, if any;

the court may order him to be removed to the said hospital and to be detained and maintained therein for such period not exceeding three months as the court thinks fit.

(2) Where, before the expiration of any period for which a patient has been ordered to be detained under this section, a court of summary jurisdiction is satisfied, upon the application of the Senior Medical Officer, that the conditions which led to his detention being ordered will again exist if he is not detained for a further period, the court may order his detention for a further period, not exceeding three months.

(3) Before making an application for an order under this section, the Senior Medical Officer shall give to the patient, or to some person having care of him, not less than three clear days' notice of the time and place at which the application will be made.

(4) At any time after the expiration of six weeks from the date of an order made under subsection (1) of this section, application for the rescission of that order, if it is still in force, or of any further

order made under subsection (2) of this section, may, upon not less than three clear days' notice to the Senior Medical Officer, be made to a court of summary jurisdiction and upon the hearing of any such application the court may rescind the order."

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The objects of this Bill are, firstly to prevent the entry into the Colony of persons suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, and secondly to ensure that infectious cases of pulmonary tuberculosis do not spread infection.

A Bill for
An Ordinance
To amend the Old Age Pension Ordinance, 1952.

Date of commencement.

[1st November, 1956]

Enacting Clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Old Age Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Old Age Pensions Ordinance, 1952, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 5 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Section 5 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—

(a) by the deletion of paragraph (c) ;

(b) by re-numbering paragraph (d) as paragraph (c).

Amendment of section 10 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 10 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words "who satisfies the requirements of paragraph (c) of section 5 of this Ordinance and who at the date of its coming into operation" where they appear in subsections (1) and (2) and by substituting therefor the words "resident in the Colony at the date of coming into operation of this Ordinance who".

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

4. Subsection (2) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced as follows :—

“(2) A sum shall not be paid on account of an old age pension if payment of the sum is not obtained within six months after the date upon which it has become payable.”.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to make provision for the payment of old age pensions to pensioners residing overseas, irrespective of the country of residence.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Bush, Miss M. A.	Education	Assistant Mistress	30.9.56	—
Paice, Miss M.	"	Camp Teacher	1.8.56	—
Barnes, N. A., A.M.I.C.E.	Public Works	Civil Engineer	25.10.56	—
Canning, Miss M. P.	Secretariat	Clerk	26.10.56	On probation for two years.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Barnes, B.	Customs & Harbour	Coxswain "Alert"	31.10.56	Resigned.
Roberts, Miss I. M.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	25.10.56	"

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Mackintosh, Miss M. L.	Medical	Nursing Sister	10.10.56	96 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Whitney, J. R.	Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	11.10.56	180 days	On resignation.
Livingstone, W.	Public Works	Carpenter	9.5.56 - 19.10.56		On completion of contract.
		Development Programme			
Hancock, H. J.	" "	Plasterer	20.12.55 - 11.5.56		do.
Williscroft, L. A.	South Georgia	Steward/Cook	18.5.56 - 4.10.56		do.
Williscroft, Mrs. G.	" "	Stewardess	18.5.56 - 4.10.56		do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Sarah Scott,
deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Daisy Hansen, sister of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
10th October, 1956.

S.C. 25/56.

REGISTRATION OF UNITED KINGDOM PATENTS ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified for general information that a letters patent, particulars of which appear in the schedule hereto was registered in the Register of Patents on the 8th day of October, 1956.

SCHEDULE

Registered No. :- 3325.
Name of Applicant :- Pfizer Corporation.
Registered Address :- Avenida Central, 14.132, Colón,
Republic of Panama.
No. of grant in the
United Kingdom :- 747,779.
Nature of invention :- A new Antibiotic Tetracycline
and Salts thereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th October, 1956.

The Post Office Ordinance (Cap. 52).

Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council.

(under section 4 of the Ordinance).

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

No. 2 of 1956.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 4 of the Post Office Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :-

Title.

1. This Order may be cited as the Post Office (Amendment) Order, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Post Office Order, 1953, hereinafter referred to as the principal Order.

Amendment of paragraph
2 of the principal
Order.

2. Paragraph 2 of the principal Order is amended as follows :-

(a) by substituting the following new sub-paragraph for sub-paragraph (j);

"Insurance (j) The fees for insurance shall be 6d. for the first £12 of the declared value, and 4½d. for every additional £12 or fraction thereof, with a maximum declared value of £50."

(b) by deleting from sub-paragraph (p) the words from "Postal matter" up to and including the words and full-stop "South Georgia post offices."

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 9th day of October, 1956.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Rescinded Order 4/65

*See p. 27
1966 Gazette*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQ., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 18th day of October, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 17th day of October, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Customs Ordinance (Cap. 16)

RESOLUTION

(under Section 5 of the Ordinance).

WHEREAS by Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance, it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Legislative Council from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties of customs upon any goods whatsoever which may be imported into or exported from the Colony, and to revoke, reduce, increase or alter any such duties, and to provide for the importation or exportation of any goods without payment of customs duty thereon;

AND WHEREAS Section 2 of the Customs Order admits the importation of British Empire goods at preferential rates of Customs duty;

AND WHEREAS it is considered expedient to extend the preferential rates of customs importation duties to include the goods of certain countries which are no longer members of the Commonwealth;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Legislative Council of the Falkland Islands that Section 2 of the Customs Order shall be amended as follows:—

- (a) by the deletion from the first column of Item 1 of the words "part of the British Empire" and the substitution therefor of the words "of the scheduled territories";
- (b) by the deletion from the first column of paragraph (c) of Item 2 of the words "British wines" and the substitution therefor of the words "wines produced in the scheduled territories";
- (c) by the deletion from the first column of Item 3 of the words "British Empire" wherever they occur and the substitution therefor of the words "scheduled territories".

Made at a meeting of the Legislative Council on the 12th day of October, 1956.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Medical Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
30th June, 1956.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit, for the information of His Excellency the Governor, and for transmission to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Annual Medical and Sanitary Report for the year 1955.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. STEWART SLESSOR,
Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

ANNUAL MEDICAL AND SANITARY REPORT

FOR THE

YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1955.

I. ADMINISTRATION.

A. Staff.

<i>Office</i>	<i>Occupant(s)</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Senior Medical Officer	R. S. Slessor, M.B., Ch.B.	Whole year	On leave from 16.4.55 - 4.12.55.
Medical Officers	G. H. Ashmore, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.	Whole year	
	G. F. Grave, M.B., B.S.	Whole year	
	D. G. G. Greenaway, M.R.C.S., I.R.C.P.	Whole year	
	W. Turner, M.B., Ch.B.	4.5.55 till 27.12.55	On secondment from F.I.D.S.
Nurse Matron	Miss R. Strong, M.B.E., S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year	On leave from 29.2.55 - 3.9.55.
Nursing Sisters	Miss M. Mackintosh, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year	
	Mrs. R. Fleuret	Whole year	
	Miss H. Lippold	Till 16.4.55	On leave till end of contract.
T.B. Sister	Miss Stellfeld	Whole year	
District Nurse	Mrs. M. E. Watson, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year	
Staff Nurses	Miss J. Shackel	Till 6.7.55	On leave till end of contract.
	Miss J. McGill	Whole year	
	Miss P. Davis	Whole year	Resigned 31.12.55.
	Miss O. Lindenberg	Till 9.3.55	Appointment terminated.
	Miss C. Hirtle	Whole year	
	Miss R. Middleton	From 18.4.55	
	Miss L. Peck	„ 10.8.55	

Office	Occupant(s)	Dates	Remarks
Clerk	T. I. Biggs	Till 30.9.55	On leave from 16.4.55 and resigned.
	Mrs. Martin	1.4.55 till 22.11.55	Resigned.
	Mrs. Beaton	From 1.11.55	
Caretaker	G. Harrison	Till 31.7.55	Resigned.
	K. McGill	From 1.8.55	

The domestic staff of the hospital consists of a cook, five maids and a laundry-maid, all employed on a monthly basis.

DENTAL STAFF.

Colonial Dentist	L. Schönfeld	Transferred to South Georgia 22.4.55 <i>vice</i> Mr. Duncan.
	R. Duncan	Transferred from South Georgia. On leave from 10.7.55 till end of contract.
	D. P. Schwagareit	From 29.7.55.
Dental Mechanic	W. Hasenhöller	On leave from 13.6.55 till end of year.
	N. Bennett	Whole year.

SANITARY INSPECTOR.

Mr. J. Ikkint was Sanitary Inspector throughout the year.

STAFF CHANGES.

The S.M.O. went on leave in April and returned in December. In his absence, Dr. Grave acted as S.M.O. The M.O. vacancy thus incurred was filled by Dr. Turner, who had been M.O. at Hope Bay, in the Dependencies. Dr. Ashmore was stationed at Darwin and Dr. Greenaway at Fox Bay, throughout the year. Mr. Duncan, Dental Officer at South Georgia, changed places with Dr. Schönfeld, so that Mr. Duncan could go on leave at the proper time. Dr. Schwagareit arrived in July. Although appointed as Camp Dentist, he had to spend most of his time in Stanley, as the Colonial Dentist vacancy could not be filled. The dentist appointed for this vacancy reached Montevideo, but suffered a nervous breakdown there and had to return home.

NURSING STAFF. Miss Strong went on leave in February and Miss Mackintosh was acting Matron. Miss Lippold went on leave at the end of her contract. Although application for a Nursing Sister to replace her had been made in July, 1954, the post has not yet been filled.

II. STATISTICAL RETURNS.

(A) FINANCIAL.

Total Government Ordinary Expenditure in year 1955/56 (Estimated) £457,107.

Expenditure on Medical Services in year 1955/56 (Estimated)

(a) Personal Emoluments	...	£15,330.
(b) Other Charges	... ..	£12,778.

Total £28,108

Percentage of total expenditure 6.14%

Revenue	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Medical	3,272	2,915	3,558	2,143	2,248	2,150	1,739
Dental	608	428	173	766	2,308	345	580
	<u>£3,880</u>	<u>£3,343</u>	<u>£3,731</u>	<u>£2,909</u>	<u>£4,556</u>	<u>£2,495</u>	<u>£2,319</u>

(B) VITAL STATISTICS.

				<i>Rate per 1000.</i>
Population (estimated on 31.12.55)	...	2,249		
Births (live)	... ..	48		21.34
Stillbirths	... ..	2		
Deaths	... ..	22		9.78
Maternal deaths	... ..	0		
Neo-natal deaths	... ..	0		

III. PUBLIC HEALTH.

There was an epidemic of an influenza-like upper respiratory infection in July; almost every household in Stanley was affected. Otitis media was a common complication. The general health of the community was good.

There was one new case of pulmonary tuberculosis. All the known, treated cases were examined periodically; six of them were admitted to hospital for further treatment.

IV. HYGIENE AND SANITATION.

1. SEWAGE DISPOSAL. The Town Council employs two night soil collectors. There are still just over one hundred houses in Stanley without modern sanitation.

2. WATER SUPPLY. The Stanley water supply is inadequate. In times of drought, which occur every year, water has to be pumped from the Moody Valley stream into the reservoirs. A start has been made on the new water scheme.

3. DAIRIES. There are three licensed dairies in Stanley. The dairy herds are inspected periodically by the Agricultural Officer, and all animals are Tuberculin-tested.

4. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES. There are two slaughter-houses in Stanley. They are regularly inspected by the Sanitary Inspector.

V. K. E. M. HOSPITAL.

With the completion of the all-electric laundry, all the major alterations and additions to the hospital have been made. The hospital has thirty-two beds, for the treatment of medical, surgical, obstetric and T.B. cases. Most of the wards face North, and are bright and cheery. The building is centrally-heated but the peat fuel does not heat the water adequately and electric radiators have to be used in the wards during cold spells.

VI. MEDICAL SERVICES IN THE CAMP.

For medical purposes, the Falklands are divided into three areas - Stanley and the North Camp, Lafonia and West Falklands. The S.M.O. and one M.O. are stationed in Stanley and see all cases in Stanley and the North Camp. One M.O. lives at Darwin, and deals with all cases in Lafonia. In the West Falkland, one M.O. lives at Fox Bay, and sees all patients in the West Falkland.

All settlements on the East and West Falklands can communicate direct with a doctor by telephone; some out-lying houses and the islands have radio-telephones.

Standard Medical Chests have been supplied to all settlements. When necessary, advice on the use of their contents can be given by telephone or R/T.

The Government Air Service is used extensively for the transport of doctors and patients. The Government-owned M.V. "Philomel" is at the call of the Medical Department, for use in emergency, but it was not required during the year.

VII. PRISONS AND ASYLUMS.

The gaol in Stanley is the only one in the Colony. The building is old, and would be much improved by some major alterations.

There is no asylum in the Colony. Cases requiring institutional treatment are sent to the United Kingdom. No case was sent there during the year.

VIII. METEOROLOGICAL.

The following data have been supplied by the Chief Meteorological Officer :-

		1954.	1955.
Total annual rainfall	... ..	25.21 inches	23.05 inches
Average daily sunshine	... ..	4.77 hours	4.6 hours
Maximum temperature	... ..	69°F.	70°F.
Minimum	... ..	23°F.	22°F.
Mean relative humidity	... ..	85%	85%
Mean wind speed	... ..	16.8 knots	17.8 knots
Number of periods of calm	... ..	3 per month.	3 per month

IX. DEPENDENCIES.

The three Whaling Stations at South Georgia have their own medical organisation. Reports on their work are included in the Annual Report.

The Falkland Islands Dependencies employ a dentist at South Georgia. Mr. Duncan arrived at South Georgia in January, 1954 and left in April, 1955. He was relieved by Dr. Schönfeld.

The dental appointment in South Georgia has been most acceptable to the Whaling community. The Whaling Companies have provided all the necessary equipment for the dental surgeries and have been most co-operative in meeting the dentist's requirements.

Two medical practitioners were registered to practise in the Dependencies in 1955. Dr. Paul Massey was stationed at Hope Bay throughout the year.

TABLE I.
RETURN OF DISEASES AND DEATHS,
KING EDWARD VII MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 1955

Disease.		In-Patients.		
		Remaining in hospital on 1.1.55.	Total Admissions.	Deaths.
002	Pulmonary tuberculosis	11	6	
012.0	Tuberculous Spine	2	1	
154	Carcinoma rectum	1		1
199	Carcinoma abdominal viscera		1	1
204.3	Acute leukaemia		2	1
228	Angioma of ear		1	
260	Diabetic gangrene		1	
291	Hypochromic anaemia		1	
301.2	Manic depressive psychosis		1	
307	Delirium tremens		1	
314	Psychogenic depression		2	
331	Cerebral haemorrhage		2	2
351	Congenital paralysis	1		
353.3	Epilepsy		1	
385	Cataract		1	
410	Mitral stenosis		2	
420.1	Coronary thrombosis		1	
420.2	Angina pectoris		1	
422.2	Senile myocardial degeneration		1	1
460	Varicose veins	1	4	
461	Haemorrhoids		1	
465	Pulmonary embolism		1	1
481	Influenza		3	
490	Pneumonia (lobar)		3	
502.1	Chronic bronchitis	2	2	
510.1	Hypertrophy of tonsils and adenoids		3	
541.0	Duodenal ulcer		2	
544.2	Dyspepsia		6	
550.0	Appendicitis		8	
550.1	Appendicitis, gangrenous, with peritonitis		1	
560.0	Inguinal hernia	1	4	
572.2	Ulcerative colitis		1	
574	Fissure in ano		1	
575	Peri-anal abscess		1	
576	Peritonitis		2	
583	Infective hepatitis		1	
585	Cholecystitis		3	
600	Pyelitis		3	
613	Hydrocoele		1	
615	Phymosis		1	
631	Cystocoele		1	
<i>Carried forward</i>		19	79	7

Disease.		In-Patients.		
		Remaining in Hospital on 1.1.55	Total Admissions	Deaths.
<i>Brought forward</i>		19	79	7
634	Metrorrhagia		1	
650.0	Incomplete abortion,		4	
650.1	Therapeutic abortion (Tuberculosis) ...		1	
660	Normal delivery	2	45	
660.2	Low forceps delivery		1	
670	Delivery complicated, accidental haemorrhage		2	
676	Delivery with perinaeal laceration, slight		4	
692.3	Infected hand		1	
706.0	Psoriasis		1	
712	Infected ingrowing toe-nails ...		1	
723.0	Osteo-arthritis		3	
726.2	Spasmodic torticollis		1	
727	Acute rheumatism		1	
730.2	Osteitis (Upper jaw)		1	
741	Bursitis		1	
769.4	Toxaemia, antenatal NEC		1	
783.0	Epistaxis		1	
784.5	Haematuria		1	
786.1	Acute retention NOS	1		
794	Senility	1	2	1
N802	Fracture jaw		1	
N807	Fracture ribs		1	
N812	Fracture humerus		1	
N813	Fracture radius and ulna		1	
N815	Fracture metacarpal		1	
N821	Fracture shaft femur		1	
N823	Fracture tibia		2	
N823	Fracture fibula	1	2	
N823	Fracture tibia and fibula		2	
N832	Dislocation of elbow		1	
N836	Dislocation of patella		1	
N839	Dislocation of cervical vertebra ...		1	
N848	Sprain	1		
N854	Extradural haematoma		1	
N873	Laceration of lip		1	
N885	Bullet wound of arm		1	
N893	Bullet wound of foot		1	
<i>Total</i>		25	171	8

Four cases were admitted more than once to hospital for a relapse of their illness; the hospital records therefore show a total of 178 admissions.

TABLE II.
RETURN OF CASES SEEN IN THE OUT-PATIENTS' DEPARTMENT
AND ON THE DISTRICT, 1955.

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
002 Pulmonary Tuberculosis				1	
011 Tuberculous peritonitis			1		1
012.3 Tuberculous humerus				1	
013.3 Tuberculous ankle				1	
021 Syphilis (primary)	1				
030 Gonorrhoea	8				
087 Chickenpox	4		3		
096.0 Herpes simplex	1				
130.1 Oxyuriasis	6				
131 Trichophytosis	8				
134.3 Thrush	5				
138.1 Roseola infantum	3				
154 Carcinoma recti				1	1
161 Neoplasm of larynx	1				
199 Carcinoma of abdominal viscera	1			1	2
210 Dental cyst	1				
223 Neurofibroma	1				
228 Naevus	1				
241 Asthma	1	1		7	
243 Urticaria NOS	11		1		
253 Myxoedema		1			
260 Diabetes mellitus	1	5			
287 Obesity	4	1			
291 Iron deficiency anaemia	8	3	4		
304 Senile dementia			2		
310 Anxiety neurosis	1	2			
311 Hysteria		1			
317.2 Pruritis	1				
318.0 Hypochondria	2	1			
322.1 Chronic alcoholism			1	2	
325.4 Mongolism				1	
331 Cerebral haemorrhage				1	
344 Hydrocephalus				2	
345 Disseminated sclerosis				1	
350 Parkinsonism				1	1
353.0 Petit Mal			1		
353.1 Epilepsy	1	1			
362 Neuritis	1				
363 Sciatica	3				
366 Neuritis	1				
370 Conjunctivitis	6		1		
371 Blepharitis	11				
372 Meibomian cyst	6				
<i>Carried forward</i>	99	16	14	20	5

Disease.					O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
					New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>					99	16	14	20	5
373	Iritis	...	...	...	1				
380	Refractions	...	...	...	64				
381	Corneal ulcer	...	...	...	2				
384	Strabismus	...	...	...	1				
385	Cataract	...	...	...	1				
390	Otitis externa	...	...	...	7				
396	Eustachian catarrh	...	...	...	11				
391.2	Otitis media	...	...	...	23		5		
396	Impacted cerumen	...	...	...	7				
410	Mitral stenosis	...	...	...		2			
420.1	Coronary thrombosis	...	...	...			1		1
420.2	Angina pectoris	...	...	...	2	1	1		
422.1	Myocardial degeneration	...	...	...		3	1	1	1
422.2	Senile myocardial degeneration	...	...	...			3	1	3
431	Myocarditis	...	...	...			1		
434.1	Congestive heart failure	...	...	...				1	1
444	Hypertension	...	...	...	1	2		2	
453.2	Chilblains	...	...	...	6	3			
460	Varicose veins and ulcers	...	...	...	8	2	3	5	
461	Haemorrhoids	...	...	...	1	2		2	
463	Thrombophlebitis	...	...	...	2				
470	Coryza	...	...	...	27		43		
471	Sinusitis	...	...	...	10		3		
472.2	Pharyngitis NOS	...	...	...	31		12		
473	Tonsillitis	...	...	...	17		17		
481	Influenza	...	...	...	25		124		
501	Bronchitis NOS	...	...	...	4	2	6		
502.1	Bronchitis chronic	...	...	...				4	
512.1	Rhinitis	...	...	...	4				
527.1	Emphysema	...	...	...	3	2			
531.2	Gumboil	...	...	...	7				
532.0	Gingivitis	...	...	...	2				
536	Stomatitis	...	...	...	4		1		
543	Gastric catarrh	...	...	...	20	2	5		
560.0	Inguinal hernia	...	...	...				2	
571.1	Gastro-enteritis	...	...	...	17		7		
573.0	Constipation	...	...	...	1				
574	Fissure in ano	...	...	...	1				
584	Cholecystitis	...	...	...	2	3	3		
592	Chronic nephritis	...	...	...		1			
600.0	Pyelitis	...	...	...	7		6		
605	Cystitis	...	...	...	5	1	2		
610	Adenoma of prostate	...	...	...	2				
613	Hydrocoele	...	...	...	1	2			
614	Epididymitis	...	...	...			1		
615	Phimosis	...	...	...	1				
617	Balanitis	...	...	...			1		
622	Salpyngitis	...	...	...	1				
<i>Carried forward</i>					428	44	260	38	11

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	428	44	260	38	11
631 Cystocoele and rectocoele	4	4			
634 Menorrhagia	2				
634 Dysmenorrhoea	2				
635 Menopausal symptoms	5		2		
637.0 Leukorrhoea	1				
642.4 Hyperemesis gravidarum			1		
648 Threatened abortion	1				
650.0 Incomplete abortion			1		
689 Breast abscess			1		
690.8 Boils NOS	25				
692.1 Abscess of buttock	4				
692.3 Infected hand	32				
696 Wart	6				
698 Purulent dermatitis	4				
701 Eczema	4				
703.7 Dermatitis NOS	15				
704 Dermatitis herpetiformis	1				
706 Psoriasis		4			
708.3 Neuro-dermatitis	1				
712 Onychogryphosis	2				
713 Sycosis barbae	4				
714.1 Acne	9				
714.2 Sebaceous cyst	9				
716 Flexural dermatitis	2				
722.0 Rheumatoid arthritis	3	6			
723.0 Osteo-arthritis	6				
726.0 Lumbago	5		2		
727 Rheumatism NOS	2		4	2	
730.1 Chronic osteo-myelitis				1	
730.3 Periostitis	1				
733 Cyst of jaw	1				
741 Ganglion	5				
741 Tenosynovitis	11				
741 Bursitis	4		1		
746 Pes planus	1				
782.5 Vaso-vagal attacks			1		
783.0 Epistaxis	2		2		
786.2 Nocturnal enuresis	1				
789.4 Haematuria	4				
794 Senility			1	5	
N807 Fracture of ribs	1		2		
N810 Fracture of clavicle	1				
N812 Fracture of humerus	2				
N813 Fracture of radius and or ulna	4				
N814 Fracture of scaphoid	1				
N816 Fracture of phalanges	3				
N824 Fracture of ankle	2				
N826 Fracture of toe	2				
<i>Carried forward</i>	623	58	278	46	11

Disease.				O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
				New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>				623	58	278	46	11
N828	Fracture NOS	...	...	5				
N831	Dislocation of shoulder	...	...	2				
N834	Dislocation of thumb	...	...	1				
N848	Sprain, strain NOS	...	...	23		2		
N851	Contusion of scalp	...	...	3				
N852	Concussion	...	...	1				
N884	Laceration of finger	...	...	22				
N891	Laceration of knee	...	...	1				
N893	Laceration of foot	...	...	2				
N908	Lacerations cuts NOS	...	...	26				
N918	Superficial injury NOS	...	...	89				
N921	Contusion of eye	...	...	3				
N922	Contusion of chest	...	...	3				
N929	Contusion NOS	...	...	4				
N930	Foreign body in eye	...	...	16				
N949	Burns NOS	...	...	12		1		
N981.4	Sunburn	...	...	2				
N991	Suffocation by bedclothes	...	...			2		2
N991	Hanging	...	...			1		1
				838	58	284	46	14
Special conditions and examinations without sickness								
Y00.0	Medical examinations	...	...	119				
Y00.5	Well baby and child care	...	...	134				
Y01	Tuberculin sensitivity	...	...	5				
Y06	Pre-natal care	...	...	48				
Y40	Vaccination against Smallpox	...	...	248				
Y41	Inoculation against Diphtheria	...	...	39				
Y43	Inoculation against Tuberculosis	...	...	5				
<i>Totals</i>				1436	58	284	46	14

TABLE III.

STATISTICS OF CAUSES OF DEATH ACCORDING TO
SEX AND AGE GROUPINGS.

	Still- birth.	0-5	15-19	25-29	30-34	35-39	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	85-89	Total
MALE														
011 Tuberculous peritonitis		1												1
092 Infective Hepatitis												1		1
154 Carcinoma Rectum									1					1
199 Carcinoma Abdominal Viscera								1			1			2
350 Parkinsonism												1		1
420.1 Coronary Thrombosis							1							1
422.1 Myocardial degeneration											1			1
422.2 Senile Myocardial degeneration											1		1	2
465 Pulmonary embolism								1						1
N990 Drowning			1											1
N991 Suffocation by bed clothes		2												2
Y32.2 Antepartum hæmorrhage	1													
	(1)	3	-	1	-	-	1	2	1	-	3	2	1	14
FEMALE														
154 Carcinoma of Rectum											1			1
199 Carcinoma of Abdominal Viscera											1			1
204.3 Acute leukæmia			1											1
331 Cerebral Hæmorrhage							1		1					2
434.1 Congestive heart failure									1					1
794 Senility												1		1
N991 Hanging								1						1
Y32.2 Antepartum hæmorrhage	1													
	(1)	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	2	1	-	8

TABLE IV.
K. E. M. HOSPITAL — OPERATIONS, 1955.

		MAJOR.			
Appendicectomy	...	5	Cholecystectomy	...	2
Appendicectomy with drainage	...	1	Herniotomy	...	4
Drainage of appendix abscess	...	1	High resection of int. saph. vein	...	8
Drainage of abdominal abscess	...	5	Haemorrhoidectomy	...	1
Exploratory laparotomy	...	1	Excision of rectal tumour	...	1
		13			16
		MINOR.			
Excision of sebaceous cyst	...	1	Removal of foreign body	...	1
" neurofibroma	...	1	" " bullet	...	2
" gland	...	1	" " nail	...	3
" ganglion	...	3	" " Kirschner wire	...	1
" Dermoid cyst	...	1	Suprapubic cystostomy	...	1
" warts	...	3	Cystoscopy	...	2
" anal fistula	...	1	Surgical induction labour	...	1
" anal fissure	...	1	Evacuation of incomplete abortion	...	6
Incision of septic finger	...	1	Circumcision	...	1
" " ganglion	...	1	Aspiration of abdo. abscess	...	1
Tonsillectomy	...	2	Aspiration of ascites	...	1
Adenoidectomy	...	1	Reduction of dislocation	...	1
E.U.A.	...	4	" " fracture	...	19
Suture of wound	...	3	Dental extractions	...	5
Radical cure of hydrocoele	...	2			45
Ligation of varicose veins	...	3			29
		29			
OBSTETRIC					
Forceps delivery	...	1	Total operations	...	104

TABLE V.
SUMMARY OF X-RAY EXAMINATIONS 1955.

Chest	...	216	Femur	...	2
Ribs	...	1	Arm and elbow	...	19
Shoulder	...	7	Hand and wrist	...	41
Skull	...	23	Fingers or toes	...	5
Spine	...	6	Leg	...	26
Abdomen	...	43	Knee	...	4
Gall bladder	...	4	Ankle or foot	...	34
Pelvis	...	4			131
		304			
TOTAL		...	435		

DENTAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1955

The following report has been submitted by Dr. Schwagereit :—

1. **EQUIPMENT.** The Dental Surgery and laboratory are well equipped. The old Army Field Dental Equipment is still very useful for the Camp work, but a new outfit is now desirable.

2. **STOCKS.** Inconvenience has again been caused by the long-delayed arrival of orders from the United Kingdom.

3. DENTAL HEALTH OF THE COLONY.

(a) **Stanley.** The present state of dental health in Stanley is good. But it is regrettable to see how many children do not pay sufficient attention to the care of their teeth. With the arrival of another dental surgeon, a regular inspection of children should be carried out so that parents can be informed when treatment is necessary.

(b) **Camp.** With the post of Colonial Dentist still vacant, the work in Stanley has kept the Camp Dentist most of the time in town. Though it was possible to visit most of the settlements during the year, the dental condition in the Camp is still below the standard reached when Dr. Reichert was available for full Camp duties. The children, especially, suffer from the lack of regular supervision and much irreparable damage is caused by the too-early loss of their first teeth.

4. SUMMARY OF TREATMENT AND WORK.

(a) Oral surgery.

Resection of gum	...	...	...	2
Excision of epulis	...	...	...	1
Excision of foreign body from jaw	...	...	...	1
Levelling of jawbone	...	...	...	3
Replantation of teeth	...	...	...	1
Extractions	...	...	...	415
Extraction of buried roots	...	...	...	9
Extraction of impacted teeth	...	...	...	5
Splinting of broken jaw	...	...	...	1
" " " teeth	...	...	...	3

(b) Conservative treatment

Fillings	...	...	...	1092
Root fillings	...	...	...	11
Temporary fillings	...	...	...	8
Gold inlays	...	...	...	9
Parodontal treatment	...	...	...	30

(c) Prosthetics

Dentures	...	...	...	178
Gold bridges	...	...	...	2
Pin tooth	...	...	...	2
Goldfacing of teeth	...	...	...	2
Denture repairs	104

(d) Orthodontics

Regulation plates	3
Extractions	7

(e) X-Ray examinations

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5. CAMP TOURS. The number of patients seen is shown in brackets.

(a) Fox Bay East and West	(33)
Chartres	...	...	...	(14)
Roy Cove	...	...	...	(14)
Hill Cove	...	...	...	(26)

(b)	Port Howard	...	...	...	(51)
	Pebble Island	...	...	...	(18)
(c)	Port Stephens	...	...	...	(41)
	Weddell Island	...	...	...	(12)
	Beaver Island	...	...	...	(11)
(d)	Darwin	...	...	...	(73)

In addition, short calls were made by plane to attend urgent cases at Lively Island, Port Stephens, West Point Island, Roy Cove, San Carlos and North Arm.

6. CONCLUSION. The problem of treating such a scattered population, in which the caries index is so much higher than in European countries, cannot be solved satisfactorily by one dental surgeon.

MEDICAL REPORTS FROM MEDICAL OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY THE WHALING COMPANIES IN SOUTH GEORGIA.

The medical reports received from the Whaling Stations are made up for the Whaling season and for the Winter. In the case of Leith and Husvik, one medical officer looks after both stations during the Winter and therefore his Winter Report is a combined one for both stations.

1. Report from the South Georgia Company, Ltd., Leith.

Summary of Medical Reports.

Winter 1954	...	...	...	480 Officers and ratings
First attendances	...	...	...	576
Total „	...	...	...	1527
Days in Hospital (23 men)	...	...	...	257
Number of men off duty	...	...	...	82
One appendicectomy performed.				
Season 1954/55	...	...	...	581 Officers and ratings
First attendance	...	..	...	811
Total „	...	...	...	1557
Days in Hospital	...	...	...	651
Number of men off duty	...	...	...	138
One appendicectomy and one suture of perforated duodenal ulcer.				

2. Report from the South Georgia Company Ltd., Leith, and Tönsbergs Hvalfangeri, Husvik, for the Winter 1955 is shown in Appendix I.

3. Report from Tönsbergs Hvalfangeri for the 1954/55 season is shown in Appendix II.

4. Report from the Compania Argentina de Pesca S/A, Grytviken for the period 1.4.53 to 31.12.55 is shown in Appendix III.

APPENDIX I.

REPORT FROM THE SOUTH GEORGIA COMPANY, LTD., AND TONSBERGS
HVALFANGERI FOR THE WINTER 1955.

Disease.				Disease.					
052.	Erysipelas	...	...	1	543	Gastritis	...	...	15
136	Pediculi pubis	...	...	1	550.0	Acute appendicitis	...	...	2
221	Pilonidal fistula	...	...	1	573	Constipation	...	...	6
241	Asthma	...	...	1	584	Cholelithiasis	...	...	1
245	Allergic dermatitis	...	...	3	602	Nephrolithiasis	...	...	1
289.2	Renal glycosuria	...	...	1	614	Orchitis	...	...	1
318.3	Asthenia	...	...	8	692.6	Abscess NOS	...	...	20
366	Neuralgia	...	...	20	696	Verrucae	...	...	2
370	Conjunctivitis	...	...	13	701	Exzema	...	...	19
371	Blepharitis	...	...	3	720	Arthritis NOS	...	...	1
380	Asthenopia	...	...	1	723.0	Arthrosis	...	...	1
384	Strabismus	...	...	1	726.0	Lumbago	...	...	24
388	Chalazion	...	...	2	738	Hydrops genu	...	...	5
390	Otitis externa	...	...	1	741	Bursitis, tenosynovitis	...	...	2
391.2	Otitis media	...	...	8	749	Coxalgia	...	...	1
396	Impacted cerumen	...	...	9	785.5	Colic	...	...	4
420.2	Angina pectoris	...	...	1	N807	Fracture of ribs	...	...	1
444	Hypertension	...	...	1	N816	" " fingers	...	...	2
461	Hemorrhoids	...	...	1	N824	" " ankle	...	...	1
472.1	Pharyngitis	...	...	4	N840	Dislocation of humerus	...	...	1
472.1	Phlegmonous pharyngitis	...	...	2	N848	Sprain, strain NOS	...	...	44
473	Tonsillitis	...	...	1	N870	Wound of sclera	...	...	1
474	Laryngitis	...	...	21	N908	Incised or puncture wounds	...	...	24
501	Bronchitis	...	...	4	N929	Contusions	...	...	28
536	Stomatitis	...	...	2	N930	Foreign body in eye	...	...	28
541.0	Duodenal ulcer	...	...	1	N949	Burns, scalds	...	...	11

APPENDIX II.

REPORT FROM THE TONSBERGS HVALFANGERI, HUSVIK HARBOUR,
FOR THE 1954/55 SEASON.

Disease.				Disease.					
052	Erysipelas	...	...	1	710.1	Keratoderma	...	...	1
131	Trichophytosis	...	...	1	726.2	Torticollis	...	...	1
241	Bronchial asthma	...	...	2	726.3	Myalgia	...	...	11
318.3	Neurasthenia	...	...	1	738	Hydrops genu	...	...	2
322.0	Acute alcoholism	...	...	1	786.1	Acute retention of urine	...	...	1
334	Cerebral apoplexy	...	...	1	787.3	Arthralgia	...	...	1
391.2	Otitis media	...	...	1	N807	Fracture of ribs	...	...	1
420.1	Coronary thrombosis	...	...	1	N817	„ „ metacarpals	...	...	11
420.2	Angina NOS	...	...	1	N823	„ „ tibia and fibula	...	...	1
461	Haemorrhoids	...	...	1	N831	Dislocation of	...	...
470	Cold	...	...	3		acromic-clavicular joint	...	...	1
481	Grippe	...	...	12	N840	Sprain of shoulder	...	...	1
491	Broncho-pneumonia	...	...	5	N841	Dislocation of humerus	...	...	1
501	Bronchitis	...	...	5	N842	Sprain of fingers	...	...	1
540.0	Ulcus ventriculi	...	...	2	N844	„ „ leg	...	...	9
540.1	Gastric ulcer with perforation	...	...	1	N848	Sprains, strains NOS	...	...	6
543	Gastritis	...	...	4	N929	Contusions NOS	...	...	3
590	Acute nephritis	...	...	2	N949	Burns NOS	...	...	3
691	Paronychia	...	...	2					

APPENDIX III.

REPORT FROM THE COMPANIA ARGENTINA DE PESCA, S/A, GRYTVIKEN,
FOR THE PERIOD 1.4.53 to 31.12.55.

Disease.		1.4.53 to 31.3.54	1.4.54 to 31.3.55	1.4.54 to 31.12.55
030	Gonorrhoea		1	5
062	Anthrax		2	
088	Herpes zoster		1	
096.0	Herpes labialis, genitalis	1	3	1
134.5	Mycosis	7	7	4
136	Pediculosis	1		
245	Allergic dermatitis		10	7
286.3	Avitaminosis		1	
363	Sciatica			1
370	Conjunctivitis	3	8	14
371	Blepharitis	3		2
373	Iridocyclitis		5	
390	Otitis externa			5
391.2	Otitis media	3	5	3
453.2	Pernio			1
464	Thrombophlebitis		1	
470	Rhinitis, rhinopharyngitis	7	10	
472.1	Pharyngitis		1	3
473	Acute tonsillitis	10	6	6
473	Phlegmonous tonsillitis		1	
474	Laryngitis		5	
481	Grippe	3	12	10
491	Bronchopneumonia	1		
501	Bronchitis	4	7	6
513	Sinusitis	3	3	3
531.2	Gumboil			4
532.0	Gingivitis NOS		2	6
532.1	Periodontitis		3	
536	Stomatitis			3
543	Gastritis	4		
544.2	Indigestion NOS	13	13	3
560.0	Inguinal hernia NOS			3
571.1	Gastro-enteritis or colitis	7	4	10
578	Proctitis			1
585	Cholecystitis		4	
601	Nephrolithiasis	1	3	1
602	Hydronephrosis	1		
605	Cystitis	4	2	1
607	Urethritis NOS	1		4
617	Balanitis	1	2	2
690.8	Furunculosis	9	3	3
692.6	Abscess NOS	9	4	5
693.6	Lymphangitis			1
695	Impetigo	1		
<i>Carried forward</i>		97	129	118

Disease.					1.4.53 to 31.3.54	1.4.54 to 31.3.55	1.4.55 to 31.12.55
<i>Brought forward</i>					97	129	118
698	Pyoderma	...	...	...		4	
701	Eczema	...	...	...	6	1	3
703.7	Dermatitis NOS	...	...	...		2	3
706.0	Psoriasis	...	...	...	1		
714.0	Hydrosadenitis	...	...	...	2	2	1
725	Sacro-iliac arthritis	...	...	...		8	7
726.0	Lumbago	...	...	...		8	5
726.2	Torticollis	...	...	...		1	1
726.3	Myositis NOS	...	...	...			2
727	Rheumatism NOS	...	...	...	5	10	9
<i>Total</i>					111	165	149

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on the 12th of October, 1956.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.

The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.

The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern.

The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.

The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement.

The meeting opened with prayers read by the Reverend J. Gould.

2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on 4th June, 1956, were confirmed.

3. His Excellency delivered the following address to Council :

Honourable Members will recall that on the occasion of the opening of the new Legislative Council on the 21st April, 1956, a motion was proposed by the Senior Unofficial Member of Council desiring me to express to the Speaker of the House of Commons and Joint President of the United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association the deep appreciation of Council of the message received from the Speaker and Joint President of the United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association and offering him the warmest greetings and good wishes of Council. Similarly Council at the same time warmly thanked The Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies for his message of greetings sent by hand of Mr. Anthony Hurd, M.P. In this message Council intimated that it was aware of the heavy duties and responsibilities which rest upon the Secretary of State and which have so far prevented him from visiting the Falkland Islands. Council further intimated that if, however, the opportunity for such a visit should offer it would be most welcome to this Colony.

In accordance with your wishes I conveyed these messages to the Speaker of the House of Commons and to the Secretary of State. In reply I received the following message from the Secretary of State.

"Please convey to Members of Legislative Council my very warm thanks for their kind resolution".

I have also received a message from the Speaker's Secretary in which he says that the Speaker had asked him to say that he very much appreciated the kind way in which his letter was received by the Legislative Council and that he would bring to Mr. Hurd's notice the kind remarks made about him by Council and to Members of United Kingdom Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association Councils my words of welcome on that occasion.

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary by command laid on the Table the following Papers.

- (i) Annual Medical and Sanitary Report, 1955.
- (ii) Government Employees' Provident Fund Reports, 1951, 1952, 1953 and 1954/55.
- (iii) Currency Note Security Fund Reports, 1953/54 and 1954/55.
- (iv) Government Savings Bank Report 1954/55 (Amended).
- (v) Report of the Standing Finance Committee for the period December, 1955, to September, 1956.

5. In moving the Resolution regarding the Address of Welcome to His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, the Honourable the Colonial Secretary said that as Honourable Members were aware His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh has graciously consented to receive an address of welcome on the occasion of His Royal Highness's visit to the Falkland Islands and it was felt that the Legislature should now consider the terms of this Address. He then moved the following Resolution

"Be it resolved that a Select Committee be appointed by the President to consider and advise on the terms of the Address of Welcome to be presented by Council to His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh on the occasion of His Royal Highness's forthcoming visit to the Falkland Islands."

The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding seconded the motion and the Resolution was carried.

The President then appointed the following Honourable Members to compose the Select Committee :-

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.

The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.

The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.

6. The Resolution amending the Customs Order was introduced by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer who said

"The Customs Ordinance was amended in 1954 to provide for the imposition of different rates of import duty upon goods as shown to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to have been imported from certain scheduled territories instead of having been consigned from the British Empire (as provided for under the Customs Ordinance prior to this amendment).

When the amending Ordinance was passed and approved a resolution providing for equivalent amendment to the Customs Order should also have been introduced into the Legislature. Owing to an oversight this was not done and the omission should now be rectified."

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer then moved the adoption of the following Resolution :-

Whereas by Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance, it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Legislative Council from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties of customs upon any goods whatsoever which may be imported into or exported from the Colony, and to revoke, reduce, increase or alter any such duties, and to provide for the importation or exportation of any goods without payment of customs duty thereon;

And whereas Section 2 of the Customs Order admits the importation of British Empire goods at preferential rates of customs duty;

And whereas it is considered expedient to extend the preferential rates of customs importation duties to include the goods of certain countries which are no longer members of the Commonwealth;

It is hereby resolved by the Legislative Council of the Falkland Islands that Section 2 of the Customs Order shall be amended as follows :-

- (a) by the deletion from the first column of Item 1 of the words "part of the British Empire" and the substitution therefor of the words "of the scheduled territories";
- (b) by the deletion from the first column of paragraph (c) of Item 2 of the words "British wines" and the substitution therefor of the words "wines produced in the scheduled territories";
- (c) by the deletion from the first column of Item 3 of the words "British Empire" wherever they occur and the substitution therefor of the words "scheduled territories".

The motion was seconded by the Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece and carried.

7. In moving the first reading of the Bill "To further amend the Customs Ordinance" the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer said

"The object of this Bill is to clarify the definition of 'export' and to define more precisely when goods are deemed to be exported.

A case arose some time ago in which whale oil from the shore station in South Georgia escaped into the sea after it had been placed on board a tanker which grounded in Leith Harbour.

Government contended that export duty was payable on the oil under the provisions of Section 209 (3) of the Customs Ordinance which states that the time of exportation shall be deemed to be the time when the goods are put on board the ship.

The owners took the view that export duty was payable only when the vessel left the territorial waters of the Colony or Dependency.

The dispute went to arbitration and Government lost the case on the interpretation of export in the definition clause.

The Bill now under consideration makes it quite clear that in the event of a similar occurrence there can be no doubt about the interpretation of export which is extended to ensure that the moment of export is when the goods are put on board the ship irrespective of any subsequent ports of call or damage that may be suffered.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable Mr. A Mercer seconded and the Bill was read a first time.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 3, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

8. The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer seconded by the Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, proposed the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Old Age Pensions Ordinance, 1952" and said

"The object of this Bill is to make provision for the payment of old age pensions to pensioners residing overseas, irrespective of their country of residence and subject only to the overriding effects of exchange control regulations.

I may mention that the question of amending the Old Age Pensions Ordinance in this way has been raised in Council on a previous occasion.

This amendment provides for the deletion of paragraph C of Section 5 of the principal Ordinance, under which a pension was payable only to a person actually residing in the Colony. Clause 4 of the

Bill extends from three months to six months the time during which a pension may be paid. This extension is important, as with our limited communications with the outside world, it would not always be possible to ensure that payment of a pension to a person residing, for example, in New Zealand, could be effected within the period of three months, as required by the principal Ordinance.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy seconded and the Bill was read a first time.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time, committed and passed through all its stages without amendment.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

9. The Bill "Further to amend the Public Health Ordinance" was introduced by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer who said

"The object of the amendments to the Public Health Ordinance is to help prevent the introduction and spread of tuberculosis in the Colony.

When the T.B. Survey of the Falkland Islands had been completed in 1954, 94% of the population had been examined, and it was considered that all sufferers from Tuberculosis had been found. All those cases were treated, or are still undergoing treatment.

The benefit of the treatment has been not only the restoration to health of the patients, but also as a result of that, the removal of sources of infection which, had they gone undetected, must inevitably have led to new cases occurring.

The removal of sources of infection would be in vain, if fresh cases of Tuberculosis were introduced into the Colony by persons coming to live here. The first amendment is to prevent such an occurrence.

The second amendment is introduced to help prevent the spread of the disease. It could happen that a person suffering from tuberculosis might refuse treatment and refuse to co-operate with the medical authorities in their efforts to prevent dissemination of the germs. If such a case occurred, the Bill would enable the medical authorities to ensure proper isolation.

In this Colony, where the incidence of tuberculosis was so high, it is essential that everything be done to prevent further cases occurring. This Bill is an important step towards this object.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth seconded and the Bill was read a first time.

On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time.

His Excellency declared the Council to be in Committee and Clauses 1 and 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 17th day of October, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To amend the Old Age Pension Ordinance, 1952.

Date of commencement.

[1st November, 1956]

Enacting Clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Old Age Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Old Age Pensions Ordinance, 1952, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 5 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Section 5 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—

- (a) by the deletion of paragraph (c) ;
- (b) by re-numbering paragraph (d) as paragraph (c).

Amendment of section 10 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 10 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words "who satisfies the requirements of paragraph (c) of section 5 of this Ordinance and who at the date of its coming into operation" where they appear in subsections (1) and (2) and by substituting therefor the words "resident in the Colony at the date of coming into operation of this Ordinance who".

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

4. Subsection (2) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced as follows :—

"(2) A sum shall not be paid on account of an old age pension if payment of the sum is not obtained within six months after the date upon which it has become payable."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 17th day of October, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 6



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Further to amend the Customs Ordinance.

[1st November, 1956.]

Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read and construed as one with the Customs Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Short title.

Cap. 16.

2. The definition of "export" contained in Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced by the following definition :—

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

" "Export" with its grammatical variations and cognate expressions means to send, or cause to be sent from some place or port in the Colony or the Dependencies goods consigned to a destination outside the Colony or Dependencies, and for the purpose of any liability under this Ordinance the exportation of goods consigned to a destination outside the Colony or Dependencies shall be deemed to have taken place when the same are put on board the exporting aircraft or ship, notwithstanding that such aircraft or ship may first call at some other place or places, port or ports, in the Colony or the Dependencies before proceeding to its destination outside the Colony or Dependencies, and notwithstanding that by reason of some accident the aircraft or ship may not pass the line bounding the Colony or Dependencies and the waters thereof."

3. Sub-section (3) of Section 209 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced by the following sub-section :—

Amendment of section 209 (3) of the principal Ordinance.

"(3) The time of exportation of goods prohibited to be exported shall be deemed to be the actual time at which the aircraft or ship containing such goods departed from its final position, anchorage or berth within the Colony or the Dependencies notwithstanding that by reason of some accident such aircraft or ship may not have passed the line bounding the Colony or Dependency and the waters thereof."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 17th day of October, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 7



1956.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Further to amend the Public Health Ordinance.

Date of commencement.

[1st January, 1957]

Enacting Clause.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Public Health Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 54.

(2) This Ordinance shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1957.

Insertion of new Part IVA in the principal Ordinance.

2. The principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after Part IV thereof the following new Part :—

“PART IVA.

TUBERCULOSIS.

No person suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis to enter the Colony.

50A. (1) Any person entering the Colony shall produce to the Senior Medical Officer a certificate signed by a radiologist showing —

(a) that he has submitted to a radiological examination of his chest and that at the time of such examination he was free from active pulmonary tuberculosis; and

- (b) that such examination was made not more than three months before the date on which such certificate is produced to the Senior Medical Officer :

Provided that no such certificate shall be required :

- (i) from any person who is a bona fide visitor to the Colony for a period of not exceeding six months; or
- (ii) in respect of any child under the age of three years; or
- (iii) from any person born in the Colony or its Dependencies ; or
- (iv) from any person domiciled in the Colony :

Provided also that the Governor may permit any person to enter the Colony from the Dependencies for the purpose of taking up residence therein, on the condition that he submits to an examination of his chest within seven days of his entry into the Colony.

Penalty.

(2) Any person who wilfully contravenes or evades or attempts to contravene or evade the provisions of this section or who aids or abets any such contravention or evasion or attempted contravention or evasion shall be liable on conviction by a court of summary jurisdiction to a fine not exceeding £50 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

Removal to hospital of infectious persons suffering from tuberculosis of the respiratory tract.

50B. (1) Where a court of summary jurisdiction is satisfied, on the application of the Senior Medical Officer, that a person suffering from tuberculosis of the respiratory tract (in this section referred to as "the patient") is in an infectious state, and -

- (a) that his circumstances are such that proper precautions to prevent the spread of infection cannot be taken, or that such precautions are not being taken; and
- (b) that serious risk of infection is thereby caused to other persons; and
- (c) that accommodation for him is available in the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital; and
- (d) that adequate provision will be made for the maintenance of his dependants, if any;

the court may order him to be removed to the said hospital and to be detained and maintained therein for such period not exceeding three months as the court thinks fit.

(2) Where, before the expiration of any period for which a patient has been ordered to be detained under this section, a court of summary jurisdiction is satisfied, upon the application of the Senior Medical Officer, that the conditions which led to his detention being ordered will again exist if he is not detained for a further period, the court may order his detention for a further period, not exceeding three months.

(3) Before making an application for an order under this section, the Senior Medical Officer shall give to the patient, or to some person having care of him, not less than three clear days' notice of the time and place at which the application will be made.

(4) At any time after the expiration of six weeks from the date of an order made under subsection (1) of this section, application for the rescission of that order, if it is still in force, or of any further order made under subsection (2) of this section, may, upon not less than three clear days' notice to the Senior Medical Officer, be made to a court of summary jurisdiction and upon the hearing of any such application the court may rescind the order."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.







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No. 16.

APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Stewart, H. W. A.	Customs & Harbour	Coxswain "Alert"	1.11.56	On probation for two years.
Hansen, Miss G.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	5.11.56	—
Shaw, Mrs. M.	"	Staff Nurse	5.11.56	—
Black, J. M.	Public Works	Painter	25.11.56	—
Nicholson, R. J.	" "	Carpenter	25.11.56	—

PROMOTION.

		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Pitaluga, Mrs. G.	Education	Assistant Mistress	Senior Mistress, Infants' Department	15.7.56.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Hirtle, Miss C.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	25.11.56	Dismissed.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Strong, Miss R., M.B.E.	Medical	Matron	30.11.56	56 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Sollis, D. J., B.E.M.	Customs & Harbour	Master. m.v. "Philomel"	23.2.56	— 12.11.56	—
Fuhlendorff, V. E.	Posts & Telegraphs	Electrician	23.2.56	— 24.11.56	—
Hirtle, W.	Secretariat	Clerk	23.2.56	— 12.11.56	—
Bound, H. L.	Treasury	Clerk	23.2.56	— 12.11.56	—
Braxton, T. N.	Public Works	Mason	23.2.56	— 24.11.56	—
Weir, A. P., I.S.O.	" "	Civil Engineer	12.9.56	— 30.11.56	On completion of contract.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 42. 5th November, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 9 of 24th January, 1956, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

B. Registered to practise in the Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Johansen. Anders Vinten	M.D. (Copenhagen)	1940
		Ref. 1326.

No. 43. 6th November, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 35 of 18th July, 1956, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 30th September, 1956, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
30th September, 1956.	52.48
	Ref. 0704/A.

No. 44. 7th November, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HON. MR. S. G. TREES, M.V.O.
acted as Colonial Secretary from 14th July, 1956, to 29th September, 1956, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/643.

No. 45. 12th November, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that the Polish Government has appointed Monsieur Jan Petrus as Consul-General of Poland in London with jurisdiction including British Colonial Territories.

Ref. 0754.

No. 46. 14th November, 1956.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies:-

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1956	Place-names Ordinance, 1956	F.I.D.S./311.

No. 47. 15th November, 1956.

With reference to the Instruments under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 17th October and 8th November, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Thursday, 25th October, Saturday, 10th November, and Wednesday, 14th November, 1956.

Ref. P/614/II, 0276.

No. 48. 16th November, 1956.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Honour the Governor's Deputy has been pleased to appoint

KEITH WILLIAM LUNTON, ESQ., J.P.,

to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 1 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Patrick Andrew Lang, bachelor, and Vera Alice Aldridge, spinster, at Chartres, West Falklands.

Ref. 1169.

No. 49. 19th November, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HON. MR. S. G. TREES, M.V.O.,

acted as Colonial Secretary from 6th November, 1956, to 17th November, 1956, both dates inclusive; and

THE HON. MR. A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.,
assumed duties as Governor's Deputy with effect from 18th November, 1956.

Ref. P/643, P/659.

No. 50. 23rd November, 1956.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 16th November, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Thursday, 22nd November, 1956.

Ref. P/614/II, 0276.

No. 51. 1st December, 1956.

With reference to Gazette Notice, No. 56 of 1955, it is notified for general information that Thursday, 27th December, 1956, is deleted from the List of Public Holidays and that Public Offices will open for business on that day.

Ref. 291/33.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, ESQUIRE, M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 9th day of November, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 8th day of November, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, ESQUIRE, M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

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AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 12th day of November, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

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AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 16th day of November, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 16th day of November, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Annual Summary of the Education Department for the year 1955.

In June the new Infants' School in Stanley, built very largely with a grant from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds, was opened.

2. At the end of the year the boarding school built at Goose Green on the East Falklands as a joint project of Government and the Falkland Islands Company was completed and taken over by Government, which is to be responsible for maintaining and running it. It accommodates a total of forty boarders of both sexes and twenty day children.

3. Plans for a smaller boarding school to be built at Port Howard on the West Falklands have been approved and the building ordered. This school is planned on a very much more modest scale than the Goose Green School and will, in the first place, consist of a residence for a Headmaster and his wife and a few boarders. It is, however, so designed as to provide for expansion as and when the need arises. It is hoped that it will be opened early in 1957.

4. Repairs have been carried out to the Stanley school. It is hoped that when funds can be made available the school will be replaced by a more modern building.

5. The staffing position in the Colony throughout the year has been difficult. Nevertheless, the percentage of children in the Colony not receiving education (1.2%) has fallen to the lowest on record. This has been accomplished without increasing the length of the "beats" of the travelling teachers.

6. The travelling teacher system, while the best that could be devised in the past, has not proved satisfactory and is obviously, in the circumstances of the Falkland Islands, both inefficient and uneconomic. It is believed that the problem of education in the camp will be largely solved by the East and West Falklands Boarding Schools.

7. In Stanley children go to school at five and remain in the Infants' School until they are seven when they transfer to an all-range school. They remain there until they are at least fourteen. In the Camp, the countryside outside Stanley, they start school at five and either attend Settlement Schools or are visited by Travelling Teachers until they are fourteen.

8. The Superintendent of Education left the Colony on December 27th on transfer to The Gambia.

TABLE I.

Numbers and descriptions of Schools and Enrolment by Education level.

January - December, 1955.

	INFANTS				ALL-RANGE				CAMP			
	Schools	Enrolment			Schools	Enrolment			Schools & Travelling Teachers	Enrolment		
		M.	F.	Total		M.	F.	Total		M.	F.	Total
Government Schools	1	15	23	38	1	56	58	114	20	87	91	178
Totals	As above											

In Stanley there is one Infants' School attended by children from the age of 5 to 7. At 7 they move to the All-Range school where they remain until they are at least 14. In the camp, the countryside, outside Stanley, there are nine small settlement schools and 11 travelling teachers visiting periodically the houses on their 'beats'. It is not possible to classify Camp Children any other way than the above.

There are no schools other than Government Schools and there are no Teacher Training, Technical or Vocational Schools.

Explanation to Table III.

In compiling this Table, it has been assumed, as in past years, that the children in the Camp are educationally one year behind those in Stanley. This state of affairs is bound to exist where untrained teachers have small isolated classes and where travelling teachers visit the houses on an average of two weeks in every eight. In December there were 330 children of school age in the Colony: 152 attended school in Stanley, 174 were receiving education in the Camp, and 4 received no education.

TABLE IIIB. There are no Teacher Training Courses held in the Colony. Children may start training as teachers at the age of 16 and they join one of the certificated members of the staff in order to be trained in his or her class.

No external examinations are taken. A scholarship examination is held each year and two pupils may be transferred to boarding school in Dorset.

TABLE IV.

There are no technical or vocational courses in the Colony.

TABLE V.

Expenditure on Education 1955.

	January - December, 1955.	
	Recurrent £	% of gross expenditure of Colony.
I. Expenditure on Education Department	13,203	4.4%
II. Expenditure by Local Authorities	—	
III. Expenditure from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds	1,209	
	<hr/> 14,412	

Pay and Working Rules for Hourly Paid Employees in Stanley.

These Rules shall constitute an agreement between Stanley Employers and the Labour Federation. The Agreement shall be reviewed annually in June and then signed by Government and the Falkland Islands Company, Limited, as employers, and the Labour Federation. The Agreement shall be effective for a period of twelve months beginning on the 1st January in the year following the annual review.

The first Agreement shall be retrospectively effective from the 1st July, 1955, except that overtime rates shall be retrospectively effective from the 1st August, 1955, and shall be binding until the 31st December, 1956.

1. Basis of Wage Rates.

Cost of Living Bonus shall be consolidated for Stanley Hourly Paid Employees and all wages shall be adjustable by negotiation, up or down, in accordance with the cost of living and the conditions in industry. Reviews shall take place at annual intervals and any changes based on the four previous Cost of Living Indices (published quarterly) shall operate automatically, any changes being applied to the nearest penny. The Craftsman's Rate shall be regarded as the basis for fixing all other rates and the existing relationships between the various rates shall be preserved.

(a) CRAFTSMEN.

All Craftsmen shall be paid at the full basic rate and the following Trades shall be recognised:—

Carpenters and Joiners	Masons
Blacksmiths	Plumbers
Painters	Electricians
Motor Mechanics	

The normal entry to a Trade shall be by a full term of apprenticeship, but special arrangements shall be made for the absorption of men already practising Trades without previously serving apprenticeships. These arrangements are laid down in the apprenticeship regulations.

(b) APPRENTICES.

The rates of pay for apprentices shall be as follows—

Year.	Fraction of Craftsman's Rate.
1st	One Third
2nd	Two Fifths
3rd	One Half
4th	Two Thirds
5th	Four Fifths.

Serving apprentices may be offered a transfer to new indentures but shall be paid at their present rates until these are exceeded by the new rates.

(c) HANDYMEN.

This term includes those employees doing skilled or semi-skilled work in one or more trades, but who have not served an apprenticeship nor have been recognised by the Apprenticeship Board. The minimum rate for Handymen shall be one penny more than the Labourer's rate and the maximum one penny less than the Craftsmen's rate.

(d) SLAUGHTERMEN AND LORRY DRIVERS.

Slaughtermen shall be paid one penny more than the Labourer's rate and shall be provided with suitable protective clothing and footwear.

All drivers of petrol, steam or diesel engines, whether stationary or mobile, shall be paid 2d. per hour more than the Labourer's rate while engaged in this work.

(e) LABOURERS.

Labourers shall be paid at 80% of the Craftsman's rate.

2. Actual Rates until December 31st, 1956.

The following rates shall apply until December 31st, 1956.

Class		Hourly Rate.
1. Tradesmen		2/11d.
2. Apprentices *	1st year	1/-
	2nd year	1/2
	3rd year	1/6
	4th year	1/11
	5th year	2/4
3. Handymen		2/5 to 2/10 according to ability.
4. Slaughtermen		2/5
5. Lorry Drivers, including men tending stationary engines or boilers		2/6
6. Labourers		2/4
7. Boy Labourers *	Age	% of man's rate
	14-15	40
	15-16	50
	16-17	66 $\frac{2}{3}$
	17-18	80
	18	100
		11d.
		1/2
		1/7
		1/10 $\frac{1}{2}$
		2/4

* = Boys already employed shall continue at their present rates until these are exceeded

by the new rates given above. Present rates are as follows -

Age	% of man's rate	
14-15	60	1/5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.
15-16	60	1/5 $\frac{1}{4}$
16-17	70	1/7 $\frac{1}{2}$
17-18	75	1/9 $\frac{1}{4}$
18	100	2/4

The above hourly rates are minimum and employers may, if they so wish, offer higher rates, incentive bonuses, etc.

CASUAL LABOUR. There is now no work which justifies a casual labour rate.

3. Extra Payments.

(a) "DIRT" MONEY.

As a general guide, "Dirt" money should only be paid when the work in hand is substantially dirtier than the work which an employee is normally called upon to do. The normal rate is 1d. per hour, but up to 4d. may be paid for the dirtiest jobs and the precise rate for each job shall be agreed between Employer and Employees.

(b) "DANGER" MONEY.

Employees working on isolated structures, such as masts, at heights over 30 feet from the ground or where the structure joins the main roof of a building, shall receive from 4d. to 8d. per hour according to the risk involved. This does not apply to work on properly erected scaffolding.

(c) INCONVENIENCE PAY.

Employees required, by the employer, to carry their midday meal shall receive 1/- per day. Employees required to sleep away from home in a building not normally used as accommodation shall receive an allowance of 4/- per day. Employees required to sleep away from home in a recognised camp house or cook-house shall have their lodgings paid for by their employer.

(d) EXTRA SKILL OR RESPONSIBILITY.

(i) Any employee specifically detailed to supervise the work of three or more other employees shall receive 2d. per hour extra while taking this responsibility.

(ii) Any labourer employed on semi-skilled work which would normally fall to a Handyman (e.g. painting, fencing, concrete laying) shall receive pay as a Handyman (i.e. a minimum of 1d. per hour extra) while engaged on this work. The precise rate shall be fixed by the employer according to the nature of the work and the skill of the particular labourer so employed.

4. Working Hours.

The normal working hours shall be 45 hours per week made up as follows:-

Monday to Friday - 7.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. with Dinner break from noon till 1 p.m.

Saturday - 7.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

A refreshment break of fifteen minutes shall be allowed between 08.30 and 09.30 a.m., the precise time being laid down by the employer.

Other hours of work may be laid down by mutual agreement between employers and employees, provided that the total number of hours does not exceed 45 per week.

5. Overtime.

(a) Overtime shall be paid for all hours worked outside normal working hours and overtime rates shall be as follows:-

TIME AND A HALF.

- (i) Between the end of the normal day and midnight.
- (ii) From 6 a.m. to the start of the normal working day, provided that work did not start before 6 a.m.

DOUBLE TIME.

- (i) Between midnight and 6 a.m.
 - (ii) From 6 a.m. to the start of the normal working day, if work commenced before 6 a.m.
 - (iii) On Sundays and recognised Public Holidays.
 - (iv) For meal hours or parts thereof, if work continues through the normal working day without a full meal-hour break.
 - (v) Double time rates shall also be paid during normal working hours if, exceptionally, an employee starts work before midnight and continues without a break into normal working hours. Double time rates shall then continue to apply until there is an (unpaid) break from work exceeding four hours, after which the normal rates will again apply.
- (b) An unpaid meal hour shall be allowed at a reasonable time if overtime is expected to continue for more than two hours beyond normal finishing time, and a paid refreshment break of not more than fifteen minutes shall be allowed in each subsequent 4-hour period.
- (c) Overtime is voluntary and an employee shall not be dismissed if he objects to working outside normal working hours. However, certain jobs may require attendance at times outside the

normal hours and in these cases employees shall be given the option of a 45-hour week by allowing time off during normal working hours, at a time to be agreed with the employer.

6. Holidays.

(a) ANNUAL HOLIDAYS.

All employees shall be entitled to a paid holiday of one week (45 hours) in each completed year of work with one employer. The annual holiday shall be taken at a time to be mutually agreed between employer and employee but must fall between October 1st and March 31st unless the employee agrees to take it at another time. An employee who has completed six months with one employer but who leaves his employment before completing twelve months, shall be entitled to 2½ days (20 hours) paid holiday, before leaving such employment, except where he is dismissed for misdemeanour.

(b) PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

These are days on which Government Offices are closed by notification in the Gazette and the following seven days shall be paid holidays for all employees :-

Good Friday, The Queen's Birthday, Empire Day, December 8th, Xmas Day, Boxing Day, and one other day to coincide with the Stanley Annual Sports Meeting.

Individual employers shall be entitled to decide whether or not to observe the remaining Public Holidays or to treat them as normal working days but in no circumstances may they be treated as unpaid holidays.

(c) Any allowance or special rates earned on both the working day preceding *and the working day following* the holiday shall be paid for the holiday.

(d) When a dated holiday falls on a Sunday the next working day shall be the holiday.

7. Sick Pay.

(a) Employees who have not completed one year's service with their employer shall not be entitled to sick pay.

(b) The following rules apply to employees who have completed one year's service with their employer.

(i) There shall be no entitlement to sick pay for the first week of absence caused by sickness, but an employee shall have the option of taking part or the whole of any annual leave due to him.

(ii) If sickness lasts for more than one week, an employee shall be entitled to half pay for the second, third and fourth weeks only.

(iii) Full pay shall be paid for any Public Holiday which falls during the first four weeks of sickness, provided that the employee, when he has recovered, returns to work for the same employer.

(c) An employer may demand a medical certificate before applying any of the rules 7 (b) (i), (ii), (iii).

(d) The Workmen's Compensation Ordinance shall apply in cases of sickness resulting from accidents at work.

8. General.

(a) Employment is normally terminated, either by employer or employee, at the end of the working week, but employment may be terminated at the end of any working day. A minimum of two hours' notice shall be given, except in the case of misdemeanour, when an employee may be summarily dismissed.

(b) When a party of employees are required to carry meals to their work, one employee shall be allowed reasonable time to heat meals for the rest of the party.

(c) Individual employers may lay down the time when employees shall appear for their wages, provided that the payment is completed within ten minutes of the end of the normal working day.

(d) An official or delegation of a recognised union may, with the employer's consent, attend at a job or shop at any time to interview workmen, but no meeting shall take place in working hours without the express permission of the employer. If a dispute arises, the employer or his nominee shall interview, by appointment, any official representative of his employees.

(e) All employers shall display for the benefit of their employees copies of regulations and agreements pertaining to wages and conditions of service of workers.

Government Savings Bank Report for the period 1st January, 1954 to 31st March, 1955.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
25th July, 1956.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Savings Bank for the period 1st January, 1954 to 31st March, 1955.

2. During the period 153 accounts were closed and 185 new accounts were opened. The total number of depositors on the 31st March, 1955 was 2,082.

3. There were 4,605 deposits totalling £294,413 : 8 : 3 and 2,155 withdrawals totalling £236,079 : 7 : 10. Accrued interest credited to depositors amounted to £24,722 : 0 : 6.

4. Deposits and accrued interest exceeded the withdrawals by £83,056 : 0 : 11 and brought the total amount due to depositors at the 31st March, 1955 to £906,932 : 10 : 3.

5. Investments were revalued at mid market prices prevailing on 31st March, 1955 and resulted in depreciation amounting to £8,113 : 2 : 5.

6. The following Statements are attached :-

1. Monthly summary of transactions.
2. Investments 1954/55.
3. Savings Bank Accounts 1954/55.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Savings Bank Fund.

MONTHLY SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS FOR THE PERIOD 1ST JANUARY, 1954 to 31st MARCH, 1955.

Date.	Deposits.		Withdrawals.		Difference.		Interest.		TOTAL.		Accounts Opened.	Accounts Closed.	No. of Deposits.	No. of With-drawals.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.					
Balance ...															
January 1954	10,124	6 10	9,400	5 11	+	724	0 11		823,876	9 4	5	8	219	114	
February	18,340	17 6	17,701	17 3	+	639	0 3		825,239	10 6	6	4	277	104	
March	15,048	11 3	14,242	12 10	+	805	18 5		826,045	8 11	17	7	425	109	
April	15,289	13 9	21,589	4 8	-	6,299	10 11	23 8 7	819,769	6 7	6	15	238	196	
May	18,040	4 2	22,526	6 6	-	4,486	2 4	37 8 10	815,320	13 1	5	20	292	169	
June	30,563	2 7	12,435	19 4	+	18,127	3 3	6 7 4	833,454	3 8	24	4	347	145	
July	23,706	3 6	22,227	13 2	+	1,478	10 4	30 11 4	834,963	5 4	11	13	291	154	
August	16,981	12 7	10,937	7 2	+	6,044	5 5	2 4 5	841,009	15 2	13	6	275	122	
September	19,764	6 0	12,187	14 0	+	7,576	12 0	29 8 3	848,615	15 5	12	6	379	127	
October	16,951	0 10	13,840	15 5	+	3,110	5 5	35 3 0	851,761	3 10	6	14	229	132	
November	10,363	18 8	9,671	3 1	+	692	15 7	15 8 4	852,469	7 9	29	9	299	147	
December	28,246	4 10	12,530	4 4	+	15,716	0 6	23 0 5	868,208	8 8	12	9	344	198	
January 1955	19,711	2 6	24,291	10 7	-	4,580	8 1	79 18 9	863,707	19 4	7	21	186	184	
February	16,559	8 3	18,845	15 4	-	2,286	7 1	32 4 10	861,453	17 1	12	10	295	140	
March	34,722	15 0	13,650	18 3	+	21,071	16 9	24,406 16 5	906,932	10 3	20	7	509	114	
	£294,413	8 3	236,079	7 10	+	58,334	0 5	24,722 0 6			185	153	4,605	2,155	

Investments, Savings Bank Fund.

Name of Stock.	%	Face Value of Stocks.			Book Value prior to revaluation.			Market Value of Investments at 31st March, 1955.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
South Africa 1953/73 ...	3½	8315	14	6	7692	0	11	89½	7442	11	6
Serial Funding 1955 ...	3	17430	10	8	17648	8	3	100	17430	10	8
Ceylon 1954/59 ...	3½	3379	18	0	3329	4	0	97½	3295	8	1
Brit. Transport 1972/77 ...	4	19869	6	3	20366	0	11	100½	19968	13	2
Kenya 1971/78 ...	4½	10000	0	0	10350	0	0	103½	10350	0	0
British Gas 1969/72 ...	4	74832	17	4	76885	8	9	102½	76703	13	9
Nigeria 1963 ...	4	14787	2	8	14935	0	1	99½	14713	3	11
Gold Coast 1956 ...	4½	5775	4	8	5948	9	10	100½	5804	2	2
New Zealand 1952/55 ...	3	6758	10	5	6792	6	3	100	6758	10	5
Ceylon 1960/70 ...	5	2000	0	0	2070	0	0	103	2060	0	0
Consols 1957 o/a ...	4	32284	0	11	30831	5	3	94½	30508	8	6
Ceylon 1965 ...	4½	5064	6	11	5292	4	9	103½	5241	11	11
Kenya 1961/71 ...	4½	12000	0	0	12240	0	0	101½	12180	0	0
Gold Coast 1960/70 ...	4½	1896	4	11	1924	13	10	100	1896	4	11
War Loan 1955/59 ...	3	7949	16	6	8108	16	5	98½	7830	11	7
Kenya 1957/67 ...	3½	5000	0	0	4675	0	0	93½	4675	0	0
Ceylon 1959/64 ...	3	3881	11	8	3629	5	8	91½	3551	13	0
Australia 1955/58 ...	3	23237	2	9	23120	19	0	96½	22423	16	9
Australia 1958/60 ...	3	14000	0	0	13650	0	0	95½	13370	0	0
New Zealand 1955/60 ...	3½	3516	1	6	3498	9	11	96½	3393	0	3
Australia 1961/66 ...	3½	6850	12	2	6542	6	7	93½	6405	6	4
Savings Bonds 1955/65 ...	3	104158	14	3	102240	4	8	95½	99471	11	5
Savings Bonds 1960/70 ...	3	123828	3	2	114743	13	6	91½	113302	15	4
Palestine 1962/67 ...	3	12506	11	9	11568	12	0	90½	11318	9	3
Middlesborough 1953/73 ...	3½	2026	4	11	1884	8	2	90½	1833	15	1
New Zealand 1960/64 ...	3½	25459	12	7	24950	8	9	95½	24313	18	11
S. Rhodesia 1955/65 ...	3¼	1200	0	0	1110	0	0	92½	1110	0	0
Walsall 1954/64 ...	3¼	2060	0	0	1998	4	0	95½	1967	6	0
Savings Bonds 1965/75 ...	3	60005	18	1	53705	5	8	88½	53105	4	6
Wolverhampton 1959/64 ...	3¼	2035	10	8	1974	9	4	95½	1943	18	9
Swansea 1963/66 ...	3	12713	18	9	11823	19	3	91½	11633	5	1
British Guiana 1975/80 ...	3	14000	0	0	11550	0	0	82½	11550	0	0
New Zealand 1973/77 ...	3	4852	1	6	4294	1	10	85½	4148	10	7
Australia 1975/77 ...	3	5175	5	10	4424	17	7	86½	4476	12	7
Fed. Malay States 1974/76 ...	3	4051	12	10	3281	16	7	82½	3342	12	1
Nigeria 1975/77 ...	3	6000	0	0	5070	0	0	84½	5070	0	0
Northern Rhodesia 1963/65 ...	3	27915	19	4	25822	5	5	91½	25543	2	3
Jamaica 1968/73 ...	3½	11548	14	2	10798	0	10	92½	10682	11	1
E.A.H.C. 1966/68 ...	3½	4928	12	10	4608	5	8	94½	4657	11	4
Uganda 1966/69 ...	3½	100	0	0	93	10	0	92½	92	10	0
E.A.H.C. 1968/70 ...	3½	10000	0	0	9150	0	0	91½	9150	0	0
Sierra Leone 1968/70 ...	3½	30150	15	1	28190	19	2	91	27437	3	9
Ceylon 1959 ...	3¼	9178	5	2	8948	16	0	96½	8857	0	5
Kenya 1973/78 ...	3½	21000	0	0	18585	0	0	91½	19215	0	0
Funding Loan 1956/61 ...	2½	62217	17	10	60662	8	11	95½	59418	1	10
British Guiana 1966/68 ...	3½	20618	11	2	18969	1	6	93½	19278	7	1
Trinidad 1967/71 ...	3	31137	14	6	27556	17	9	88½	27556	17	9
Conversion Stock 1969 ...	3½	30000	0	0	30487	10	0	97½	29250	0	0
Funding Stock 1966/68 ...	3	20395	3	1	20000	0	0	92½	18865	10	5
Brit. Electricity 1968/73 ...	3	5839	14	8	5390	6	0	89½	5226	11	3
		943934	4	0	903413	3	0		889820	13	8
Deduct (see footnote)					5479	6	11				
		943934	4	0	897933	16	1		889820	13	8
Depreciation ...					8113	2	5				
		943934	4	0	889820	13	8		889820	13	8

At the close of the Colony's financial year ended on 31st March 1954 the book values were adjusted to coincide with market values at that date which were £5,479 : 6 : 11 higher than the market values of stock held on 31st December, 1953.

Savings Bank Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 1st JANUARY, 1954 to 31st MARCH, 1955.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Interest paid on closed accounts and interest capitalised and credited to depositors	24,722	0	6		38,090	0	0
„ Administration charge	1,250	0	0				
„ Stationery (Binders)	51	18	9				
„ Balance carried down to Reserve Account	12,066	0	9				
	£38,090	0	0		£38,090	0	0

DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance at credit of depositors on 31st March, 1954	823,876	9	4		236,079	7	10
„ Deposits during 1954/55	294,413	8	3		906,932	10	3
„ Interest credited to depositors 1954/55	24,722	0	6				
	£1,143,011	18	1		£1,143,011	18	1

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Depreciation of Investments	8,113	2	5		542	18	11
„ Loss on sale of Investments	97	18	0		7,668	1	6
	£8,211	0	5		£8,211	0	5

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

To Investments Adjustment Account	7,668	1	6		19,009	17	2
„ Balance carried forward	23,407	16	5		12,066	0	9
	£31,075	17	11		£31,075	17	11

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH, 1955.

Due to Depositors	906,932	10	3		Investments at Market Value	889,820	13	8
Reserve Account	23,407	16	5			40,519	13	0
	£930,340	6	8			£930,340	6	8

NOTE: The Government Savings Bank Report for the period 1st January, 1954, to 31st March, 1955, in the Gazettes for February, 1956, is hereby cancelled.

Government Employees' Provident Fund 1954-1955

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
25th July, 1956.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Provident Fund Ordinance No. 8 of 1938, I have the honour to submit a report on the transactions of the Fund for the period 1st January, 1954 to 31st March, 1955. It will be observed that this report covers a period of fifteen months which coincides with the Colony's Financial year which ended on 31st March, 1955.

Appended are the following statements of account :-

(i) Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure, Deposits and Withdrawals, Investments Adjustment Account, Reserve Account, and statement of Assets and Liabilities.	
(ii) Nominal value, cost and market value of Investments at 31st March, 1955.	
2. Balance 1st January, 1954	£17,773 : 5 : 4
(due to depositors)	
Deposits	1,357 : 19 : 10
Bonus	964 : 3 : 0
Bonus Dependencies	290 : 17 : 10
Interest on closed accounts	109 : 7 : 0
Interest on current accounts	206 : 12 : 9
	£20,702 : 5 : 9
<i>Less</i> Withdrawals	£11,077 : 10 : 10
	£9,624 : 14 : 11

3. Investments of a redemption value of £24,309 : 4 : 5 made and held by the Crown Agents for and on behalf of the Fund, are detailed on the statement forwarded herewith. The revenue from Investments was £1,053 : 3 : 5.

4. The Fund's Investments were revalued at the prices in the London market at the 31st March, 1955. Depreciation amounted to £1 : 5 : 11 and this amount was debited direct to the Fund.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Government Employees' Provident Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31st MARCH, 1955.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
To Interest on Closed A/cs.	109	7	0		By Interest on Investments	1,053	3	5
.. Interest credited to Depositors' A/cs.	206	12	9					
.. Proportion of salaries	200	0	0					
.. Reserve Account	537	3	8					
	<u>£1,053</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>			<u>£1,053</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>

DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance 1/1/54.	17,780	7	1		By Withdrawals	11,077	10	10
.. Deposits	1,357	19	10		.. Misallocation (Recovery in the period ending 30/6/56)	295	14	7
.. Bonus on Dependencies contributors credited to individual accounts but not paid into Fund at 31/3/55	290	17	10		.. Balance Credit of Depositors £9,624 : 14 : 11			
.. Interest on Closed A/cs.	109	7	0		.. Balance credit of F.I.D.S.	7	1	9
.. Interest on Current A/cs.	206	12	9			<u>9631</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>8</u>
.. Bonus	964	3	0		.. Less Misallocation	295	14	7
	<u>£20,709</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>			<u>9336</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>
						<u>£20,709</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Depreciation of Investments	1	5	11		By Reserve Account	1	5	11
	<u>1</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>			<u>1</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

To Investments Adjustment A/c.	1	5	11		By Balance b/fwd.	1,143	2	5
.. Balance c/d. forward	1,679	0	2		.. Revenue & Expenditure A/c.	537	3	8
	<u>£1,680</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>			<u>£1,680</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Amount due to Depositors	£ 9,624 : 14 : 11	Market value of Investments	22,655 : 2 : 3
Amount due to F.I.D.S. (Bonus overpaid.)	7 : 1 : 9	Misallocation-recoverable from Deposits Sundry Accounts	295 : 14 : 7
Reserve	1,679 : 0 : 2	Amount due from F.I.D.S. in respect of Employers Bonus for the period ending 31/3/55	290 : 17 : 10
Cash due to Treasurer	11,930 : 17 : 10		
	<u>£23,241</u>		<u>£23,241</u>
	<u>14</u>		<u>14</u>
	<u>8</u>		<u>8</u>

Provident Fund Account.

INVESTMENTS 31ST MARCH, 1955.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 31ST MARCH, 1955.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.	
British Guiana	1959/69	3	1835	0	5	1623	19	11	88½	1623	19	11
Sierra Leone	1958/63	3½	2240	1	11	2184	1	11	96½	2161	13	11
Gold Coast	1956	4½	2281	11	2	2350	0	1	100½	2292	10	4
Savings Bonds	1960/70	3	4462	16	2	4128	2	0	91½	4083	9	5
Savings Bonds	1965/75	3	5562	19	6	4978	17	3	88½	4923	4	8
Australia	1963/65	3	1789	13	2	1637	10	10	90½	1619	12	10
Kenya	1961/71	4½	2118	12	11	2161	0	4	101½	2150	8	6
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	924	1	5	864	0	2	94½	873	5	0
Uganda	1966/69	3½	1791	6	1	1674	17	5	92½	1656	19	2
E.A.H.C.	1972/74	4	1280	1	3	1250	1	6	97½	1248	1	3
Nigeria	1964/66	3½	23	0	5	22	14	8	93	21	8	3
			24309	4	5	22875	6	1		22655	2	3
Deduct (see footnote)						218	17	11				
			24309	4	5	22656	8	2		22655	2	3
Appreciation						1	5	11				
			24309	4	5	22655	2	3		22655	2	3

At the close of the Colony's financial year ended on the 31st March, 1954 the book values were adjusted to coincide with market values at that date which were £218 : 17 : 11 higher than the market values of stock held on the 31st December, 1953 and the book values of stocks purchased during the quarter ended 31st March, 1954.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 23rd day of November, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1956.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the period 1st January to 30th June, 1950, in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 1 of 1949.

Title

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Dependencies for the period 1st January to 30th June, 1950.

Preamble.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows :—

Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1950) Ordinance, 1956.

Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the period 1st January to 30th June, 1950, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

Appropriation of excess expenditure for the period 1st January to 30th June, 1950.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
1.	South Georgia	101	4	3
2.	Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey	18,943	13	4
	Total Expenditure	19,044	17	7

Promulgated by the Governor on the 23rd day of November, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 23rd day of
November, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5



1956.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To legalise certain payments made in
the year 1950-51 in excess of the Expend-
iture sanctioned by Ordinance No. 1 of
1950.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for
the service of the Dependencies for the year 1950-51.

Enacting clause.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands, and the Dependencies thereof as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the
Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1950/51) Ordinance,
1956.

Appropriation of excess
expenditure for the year
1950-51.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto
having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the
amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for
the service of the year 1950/51 the same are hereby declared to have
been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies
in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition
to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
1.	General	891	19	0
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	1,492	10	10
3.	Headquarters (Administration)	13,774	10	9
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	16,194	10	4
6.	"John Biscoe"	63,814	7	7
7.	A/K "Penelope"	2,491	7	3
Total Expenditure ..		98,659	5	9

Promulgated by the Governor on the 23rd day of November, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 23rd day of November, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 6

1956.



Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1951-52 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 5 of 1951. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Dependencies for the year 1951-52. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and Dependencies thereof as follows:— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1951-52) Ordinance, 1956. Short title.

Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1951-52.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year 1951-52 the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
1.	General	3,450	2	6
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	304	12	11
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	667	15	11
6.	F.I.D.S. "John Biscoe"	24,002	17	7
	Total Expenditure	28,425	8	11

Promulgated by the Governor on the 23rd day of November, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 23rd day of November, 1956.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 7



1956.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,

Governor.

An Ordinance

Title.

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1952-53 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1952.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Dependencies for the year 1952-53.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and Dependencies thereof, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1952-53) Ordinance, 1956. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year 1952-53 the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1952-53.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
1.	General	15,854	1	1
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	461	1	4
7.	F.I.D.S. Scientific Bureau	458	7	1
	Total Expenditure ...	16,773	9	6

Promulgated by the Governor on the 23rd day of November, 1956.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at 30th June, 1955.

LIABILITIES				£	s.	d.	ASSETS				£	s.	d.			
DEPOSITS							CASH BALANCES									
Miscellaneous	£24,276	16	11½		South Georgia	...	...	£ 828	15	8				
Security	10,000	0	0		Crown Agents	...	...	391	7	4				
						34,276	16	11½					1,220	3	0	
REMITTANCES	11,053	14	7					95,000	0	0	
FUNDS							REMITTANCES IN TRANSIT							28,580	12	4
Reserve Fund	£123,522	16	2		INVESTMENTS									
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund	20,392	0	5		Reserve Fund	...	...	£70,127	5	1				
						143,914	16	7		"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund	...	69,992	0	5		
										Security Deposit	...	9,903	15	0		
TOTAL LIABILITIES	189,245	8	1½					150,023	0	6	
GENERAL REVENUE BALANCE ACCOUNT							ADVANCES							11,307	10	0
Balance as at the 1st July, 1954	£111,048	5	7											
Deduct: Appreciation of Investments Reserve Fund for the years 1952/53 and 1953/54	5,977	18	6*											
			£105,070	7	1											
Deduct: Deficit for the year 1954/55	8,184	9	4½											
Balance at 30th June, 1955	96,885	17	8½								
						£286,131	5	10					£286,131	5	10	

* Sum of £5977 : 18 : 6d. credited to Reserve Fund in accordance with S/S Saving 157 of 8th December, 1953.

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer,
4th January, 1956.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Scott, T. M.	Education	Teacher	22.12.56	—
Peck, Miss L.	F.I.D.S.	Supplies Clerk	1.12.56	On probation for two years.
Marshall, Dr. D. B., M.B., Ch.B.	Medical	Medical Officer	22.12.56	—
Halliday, K.	Secretariat	Messenger	22.12.56	On probation for six months.
Freer, A. J. E.	South Georgia	Met. Assistant	14.11.56	—

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	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Halliday, L. J.	Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	1.10.56
	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk, Secretariat	18.10.56
	Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	25.10.56
	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk, Secretariat	5.11.56
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LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Tait, Mrs. F. S.	Education	Assistant Teacher	18.8.56	28.10.56	On resignation.
Henricksen, C. W., B.E.M.	Military	Armourer	23.2.56	22.12.56	—
Braxton, T. N.	Public Works	Mason	25.11.56	238 days	On retirement.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 52. 1st December, 1956.

It is hereby notified that on the following dates in 1957 the Public Offices will be closed :-

New Year's Day	...	Tuesday, 1st January.
Stanley Sports	...	Friday, 4th January Saturday, 5th January
Visit of H. R. H. The Duke of Edinburgh		Monday, 7th January Tuesday, 8th January
Good Friday	...	Friday, 19th April.
Easter Monday	...	Monday, 22nd April.
Her Majesty the Queen's Birthday	...	Tuesday, 23rd April. (in lieu of Sunday, 21st April)
Empire Day	...	Friday, 24th May.
August Bank Holiday	...	Monday, 5th August.
Anniversary of the Battle of the Falkland Islands		Monday, 9th December. (in lieu of Sunday, 8th December)
Christmas Holidays	...	Wednesday, 25th " Thursday, 26th " Friday, 27th "

Ref. 291/33.

No. 53. 4th December, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned officers acted in the following appointments :-

MR. D. R. MORRISON

acted as Assistant Colonial Secretary, with effect from 23rd February to 29th April, 1956, and from 6th May to 7th September, 1956, all dates inclusive.

MR. L. J. HALLIDAY

acted as Clerk, Grade I, Secretariat, with effect from 23rd February to 29th April, 1956, and from 6th May to 7th September, 1956, all dates inclusive.

P/262 & P/290.

No. 54. 4th December, 1956.

REMISSION OF INCOME TAX

In accordance with Section 90 of the Income Tax Ordinance the Governor in Council has directed the remission of Income Tax due for the years of assessment 1955 and 1956 in respect of profits realised during the years 1954 and 1955 respectively from the 16 m.m. cinema business owned by The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.

Ref. 0747.

No. 56. 12th December, 1956.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

In accordance with Section 3 (2) of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to be Members of the Council :-

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
The Superintendent of Works.
Mr. D. J. Clark.

Ref. 0039/C/II.

No. 57. 11th December, 1956.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated 4th December, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Tuesday, 11th December, 1956.

Ref. 0276/II, P/614/II.

No. 58. 27th December, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MRS. C. SMITH

to be a member of the Broadcasting Committee, vice Mr. G. Howkins, M.B.E., with effect from the 22nd December, 1956.

Ref. 0001/IV.

No. 59. 27th December, 1956.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HON. MR. S. G. TREES, M.V.O.

acted as Colonial Secretary from 28th November, 1956, to 16th December, 1956, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/643.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Margaret
Byires Cartmell, deceased, of Stanley,
Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Robert Cartmell, son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th December, 1956.

S.C. 26/56.

No. 55.

6th December, 1956.

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945.

(Gazette Notice No. 26 of 1946).

The text of the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1956, which was made on 29th day of November, 1956, in the United Kingdom, is published for general information.

1956 No. 1882.

SUPPLIES AND SERVICES

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (CONTINUANCE) ORDER, 1956.

Made - - - 29th November, 1956.

Laid before Parliament 5th December, 1956.

Coming into Operation 9th December, 1956.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 29th day of November, 1956.

Present

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

Whereas by section eight of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, the said Act was limited to expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty, five years after the passing thereof, unless continued in force under that section :

And Whereas by Orders in Council, made under that section the said Act was continued in force until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty six :

And Whereas it is provided by that section that if an Address is presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament praying that the said Act should be continued in force for a further period of one year from the time at which it would otherwise expire, Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that it shall continue in force for that further period :

And Whereas such an Address has been presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the said section eight and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. The Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty six, shall continue in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty seven.

2. This Order may be cited as the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1956, and shall come into operation on the 9th day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty six.

W. G. AGNEW.

Ref. 0561.

No. 1.

1st January, 1957.

NEW YEAR HONOURS, 1957.

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointments :—

HIS EXCELLENCY OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, C.M.G., C.V.O.

to be a Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George (K.C.M.G.)

and

MR. T. V. HOOLEY,

to be a Member of the British Empire (Civil) (M.B.E.)

Ref. 0107/C/III.

NOTIFICATION.

S. G. TREES,
Governor's Deputy.

In virtue of the powers in him vested by Section 2 (1) (a) of the Pensions Ordinance, and otherwise, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, is pleased hereby to declare to be pensionable the undermentioned office in the Public Service of the Colony and Dependencies with effect from the 7th April, 1955.

DEPENDENCIES.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES SURVEY ... Carpenter

Government House,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th December, 1956.

NOTIFICATION.

S. G. TREES,
Governor's Deputy.

With reference to the Notification published in the Gazette for December, 1954, it is hereby notified for information that the following changes are made in the pensionable posts of officers shown under Dependencies.

Delete.

W/T Operators/Meteorological Assistants
First Officer, R.R.S. "John Biscoe"

Substitute.

W/T Operators.
Captain N. Brown – whilst employed
by Falkland Islands Dependencies
Survey.

Government House,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th December, 1956.

Ref. 1171.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, ESQUIRE, M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 5th day of December, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 4th day of December, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esq., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 24th day of December, 1956, for the purpose of visiting the Dependencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1956.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Colonial Secretary.

No. 2

Proclamation

1956

Made under section 2 of the Place-names Ordinance, 1956.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour* AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esquire, M.C., *Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by subsection (1) of section 2 of the Place-names Ordinance, 1956, it is provided that the Governor may by Proclamation under his hand declare and publish a list of the names of various islands and lands constituting the Dependencies and of the coasts, peninsulas, capes, headlands, hills, mountains, peaks, plateaus, nunataks, glaciers, valleys, seas, straits, sounds, bays, inlets and other physical features thereof; and of the harbours and whaling stations therein :

AND WHEREAS it appears to the Officer Administering the Government expedient that such a list should be published :

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare the place-names in the Dependencies of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, listed in the Gazetteer of the Falkland Islands Dependencies published by the Foreign Office, London, on the 20th September, 1955, to be the accepted place-names for official use.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal at Government House, Stanley, this 4th day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and fifty-six.

By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,
S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. F.I.D.S. 311.

The Electricity Supply Ordinance (Cap. 23)

REGULATIONS

(under Section 3 of the Ordinance)

O. R. ARTHUR,

Governor.

No. 1 of 1956.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of the Electricity Supply Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Electricity Supply (Amendment) Regulations, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Electricity Supply Regulations, 1951, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

2. Regulation 10 of the principal Regulations is hereby revoked and the following new regulation 10 is substituted therefor :—

“Charge for the supply of energy.

10. The general rates to be charged for the supply of electrical energy shall be those fixed by the Governor-in-Council from time to time and published in the Gazette”.

3. The Schedule to the principal Regulations is hereby revoked.

Made by the Governor in Council on the 11th day of December, 1956.

W. HIRTLE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 1027.





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No. 7.

22nd January, 1957.

Departure from the Colony of His Excellency the Governor on leave of absence.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

HIS EXCELLENCY O. R. ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, K.C.M.G., C.V.O.,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief, left the Colony this day for the United Kingdom on leave of absence.

By Command,

J. BOUND,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 1

Proclamation

1957

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQUIRE, M.C., Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by the seventh clause of the Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 13th December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, it is provided that "whenever the Office of Governor is vacant, or the Governor is absent from the Colony or is from any cause prevented from, or incapable of, acting in the duties of his Office, then such other person as We may appoint under Our Sign Manual and Signet, or if there is no such person in the Colony so appointed and capable of discharging the duties of the administration, the Senior Member of the Executive Council then in the Colony and so capable, shall, during Our pleasure, administer the Government of the Colony".

AND WHEREAS HIS EXCELLENCY OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, has this day left the Colony on leave of absence.

AND WHEREAS no person has been appointed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to administer the Government of this Colony in the absence of the Governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the Falkland Islands, the Senior Member of the Executive Council aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that, in pursuance of the said clause of the said Royal Letters Patent and having taken the oaths prescribed by law, I have this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Colony and its Dependencies.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 22nd day of January, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,
J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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No. 3.

APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Swann, J. B., D.S.C.	Education	Superintendent of Education and Headmaster, Government School	22.12.56	—
Felton, W. A.	Police & Prisons	Police Constable	1.2.57	On probation for 2 years.
Biggs, G.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	23.1.57	—
Reive, G.	" "	W/T Operator	21.10.56	—
Whyte, C. R.	Public Works	Plumber/Pipe Fitter	22.12.56	—
			<i>From</i> <i>To</i>	
Hooley, Miss D.	Medical	Nursing Sister	24.9.56 14.1.57	Resigned.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Owen, H. H.	South Georgia	Steward	25.12.56	Resigned.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Grave, Dr. G. F., M.B., B.S.	Medical	Medical Officer	18.1.57	139 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 2. 3rd January, 1957.

The following list of Ministers of Religion, who have been registered as Ministers for celebrating marriages, is published in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the Marriage Ordinance :—

The Right Reverend Daniel Ivor Evans, C.B.E.	Lord Bishop of the Falkland Islands.
The Reverend Jack Gould	Senior Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral.
The Right Reverend Monsignor James Ireland	Prefect Apostolic of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies.
The Reverend Father Cornelius Landman	Assistant Priest St. Mary's Church.
The Reverend Walter Forrest McWhau, M.B.E.	Minister of the United Free Church.

Ref. 1163.

No. 3. 10th January, 1957.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated 24th December, 1956, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Monday, 7th January, 1957.

Ref. P/614/II., 0276/II,

No. 4. 22nd January, 1957.

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Falkland Islands Defence Force with effect from the 28th May, 1956 :—

RICHARD VICTOR GOSS, ESQUIRE,

to be Second Lieutenant.

Ref. 0206.

No. 5. 21st January, 1957.

Under the provisions of Section 9 (1) of the Police and Prisons Ordinance, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

H. Bennett, Esq., J.P. (*Chairman*)

M. Robson, Esq., J.P.

Hon. Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.

to be Visiting Justices of the Prison for the year 1957.

Ref. 0049.

No. 6. 21st January, 1957.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 8th January,

1957, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Tuesday, 15th January, 1957.

Ref. P/614/II, 0276.

No. 8. 25th January, 1957.

The Cost of Electricity to the Consumer.

Government has recently reviewed the cost of electricity to the consumer in Stanley in the light of experience obtained over the past year in the purchase and storage of bulk supplies of fuel and the cost of such supplies.

2. It has been decided to apply the principle that the electricity supply should pay for itself and should not be subsidised in any way either by Government or by any one section of the consumers. In order to apply this principle, in the interests of simplicity and in order to ensure that everybody pays no more and no less than the cost of the electricity he uses, it has been decided to abolish the existing two part tariff and to have only a single flat rate that will be reviewed annually in the light of production costs.

3. With effect, therefore, from the 1st January, 1957, and in accordance with Section 2 of the Electricity Supply (Amendment) Regulations, 1956, all electricity will be charged at a flat rate of 4½d. per unit. It must, however, be appreciated by the Public that this figure is related to the cost of production and if as a result of present events in the Middle East or other developments the costs of bulk supplies purchased by the Colony increase then it will be necessary to adjust the price to the consumer.

Ref. 1027.

No. 9. 25th January, 1957.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance, His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint :—

The Honourable the Senior
Medical Officer, (*President*)

The Medical Officers

The Superintendent of Works

The Chief Constable

Miss M. Biggs, M.B.E.

The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.

D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.

to be members of the Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands for the year 1957.

Ref. 0537.

No. 10.

28th January, 1957.

The following list containing the names and qualifications of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists, registered to practise in the Colony and the Dependencies, is published in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

Ref. 1326.

A. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE COLONY AND DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Slessor, Robert Stewart	M.B., Ch.B. (Aberdeen)	1935.
	L.M. (Dublin)	1936.
Ashmore, James Hopkins	M.A., M.B., B.Ch. B.A.O., (Dublin)	1949.
Grave, George Frank	M.B., B.S., (London)	1951.
Greenaway, David George Geoffrey	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., (London)	1949.
Marshall, David Basil	M.B., Ch.B. (Leeds)	1955.
<i>Midwives</i>		
Watson, Mary Eleanor	S.R.N., S.C.M.	1933.
Henricksen, Agnes	S.C.M.	1929.
Marshall, Lilian Mary	S.R.N., S.C.M.	1950.
<i>Dental Surgeons</i>		
Jacoby, Heinz	D.M.D. (Tübingen)	1949.
Schwagereit, Dieter Peter	D.M.D. (Kiel)	1954.
Smillie, John Barr	L.D.S. (Glasgow)	1949.

B. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Burian, Stanislaus	M.D. (Prague)	1935.
Dalglish, David Geoffrey	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	1946.
Emerson, David	M.B., B. Chir. (Cantab.)	1955.
Evans, Malcolm	M.B., B.S. (London)	1953.
Imrey, Herbert Alexander	M.B., Ch.B., (Aberdeen)	1954.
Johansen, Anders Vinten	M.D. (Copenhagen)	1940.
Mackintosh, Ian Warren	M.B., Ch.B., (St. Andrews)	1935.
Simpson, Hugh Walter	M.B., Ch.B., (Edinburgh)	1954.
Wyatt, Henry Turner	M.B., B.S. (London)	1955.

No. 12.

29th January, 1957.

On the occasion of the departure of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh from the Colony, the following messages were exchanged:—

To His Excellency the Governor on board Her Majesty's Royal Yacht "Britannia"

"Members of Executive and Legislative Councils have asked that the following message be conveyed to His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh begins:—

The people of the East and West Falklands have greatly appreciated and enjoyed your visit to these Islands. We trust you will have a safe and pleasant voyage home and on your return we should be grateful if you would convey the most loyal greetings to Her Majesty the Queen from the people of this Colony.

GOVERNOR'S DEPUTY."

To His Honour the Governor's Deputy from His Excellency the Governor

"I have received the following signal from His Royal Highness begins:—

As I leave the Falkland Islands and the Dependencies I want you to know how I have enjoyed the last ten days and the many interesting things I have seen in the Islands. Please thank the Falkland Islands Legislative and Executive Councils for their very kind message of farewell on my departure and I would be most grateful if you would express my gratitude and appreciation to all the people who had a hand in making my visit such a pleasant and enjoyable experience, to all the people of the Falkland Islands for their welcome, to the leaders and members of F.I.D.S. Bases and the Whaling Companies of South Georgia.

I send you all my very best wishes for a happy and prosperous future.

PHILIP."

Ref. 1765/III.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Edwin Thomas Lee, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas James William Thomas Lee, son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
10th January, 1957.

S.C. 5/57.

No. 11.

29th January, 1957.

The following Loyal Address of Welcome delivered to His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh by the Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P., on behalf of the Legislative Council on the occasion of His Royal Highness's visit to the Colony on 7th and 8th January, 1957, is published for information together with His Royal Highness's reply :—

LOYAL ADDRESS OF WELCOME TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH

"Your Royal Highness,

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Council of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, present our humble duty to Her Majesty the Queen through you, Sir, and request you to convey to Her Majesty on your return the loyal greetings of the Falkland Islands.

We beg leave on behalf of the people of this Colony to welcome you to our shores. The occasion of the visit of Your Royal Highness is indeed historic in the annals of the Falkland Islands and we are grateful that you should have seen fit to include this Colony and its Dependencies in the course of your journey, embracing as it has, not only visits to the great countries of Australia and New Zealand, but also to Her Majesty's peoples in many of the small and isolated Colonies, of which we are one.

The first visit to the Falkland Islands of a Member of the Royal Family was in 1871, when His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh arrived in H.M.S. Galatea. In 1881, Prince George, later to become our beloved Sovereign King George V, entered Port William in H.M.S. Bacchante but he was prevented from landing by the receipt of orders to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope.

And now, Sir, seventy-six years later, it is our honour and privilege to extend this warm welcome to Your Royal Highness.

The people of this Colony are intensely loyal to the Crown and proud of their heritage. They are proud, also, that their Island home, situated as it is, so far from the Mother Country, is a part of that great family which constitutes the British Commonwealth.

Although the time Your Royal Highness has with us is short, we pray that you will enjoy your visit to the Falkland Islands and that fair winds will be encountered on the voyage home."

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS'S REPLY

"Mr. President and Members of the Legislative Council,

I thank you and all the people of the Falkland Islands for your very kind and warm welcome.

It will give me the greatest pleasure to convey your loyal greetings to The Queen, and I can assure you that these greetings coming as they do from the most southerly Colony of her Empire will give her most particular pleasure.

I am delighted to have had this opportunity of visiting these Islands and their Dependencies, especially as seventy-six years seems rather a long interval between visits of this sort.

I have discovered that there are very few places in the British Commonwealth to which the last Duke of Edinburgh did not go, in fact, of all the places

I have been to so far only the Chatham Islands and Grahamland had not welcomed him earlier.

I am very glad to hear that the wool industry upon which the whole prosperity of the Falkland Islands depends, is in such a flourishing condition.

I have just come from New Zealand, and, while there, I had a chance to see what marvels modern agricultural science can perform in the way of increasing production. Pastures have been improved to such an extent that they can now carry four times the amount of stock. Eight sheep where two were before, eight thousand where two thousand were before.

But I have no doubt that the sheep farmers of these Islands are well aware of the possibilities of well managed improvements; for without improvements prosperity does not last.

Thank you again for your words of welcome which bear eloquent witness to your loyalty to The Queen and to your pride of membership of our great brotherhood of peoples and nations.

I wish you all great happiness and continued prosperity.

PHILIP."

Ref : 1765/III.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, ESQUIRE, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 8th day of January, 1957, for the purpose of visiting the West Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR, Senior Medical Officer of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such

powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 8th day of January, 1957.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQ., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

O. R. ARTHUR — *By His Excellency* OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 10th day of January, 1957, for the purpose of visiting South Georgia.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 10th day of January, 1957.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 16th day of January, 1957.

O. R. ARTHUR,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1957.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
OSWALD RAYNOR ARTHUR, C.M.G., C.V.O.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1953-54 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 1 of 1953. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Dependencies for the year 1953-54. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and Dependencies thereof, as follows:— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1953-54) Ordinance, 1957. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year 1953-54 the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1953-54.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
1.	General	1,576	5	0
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	28,431	4	7
6.	F.I.D.S. "John Biscoe"	8,256	10	7
	Total Expenditure ...	38,264	0	2

Promulgated by the Governor on the 16th day of January, 1957.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 23rd day of
January, 1957.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Officer Administering the Government.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1957.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.,
Officer Administering the Government.

An Ordinance

Title. To apply certain Laws of the Colony
to the Dependencies.

Enacting clause. ENACTED by the Officer Administering the Government
of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and the Dependencies thereof
as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of
Colony Laws Ordinance, 1957.

**Application of certain
Ordinances to the
Dependencies.** 2. The Ordinances of the Colony specified in the first and
second column of the Schedule to this Ordinance are applied to the
Dependencies, and shall be deemed to be in force in the Dependencies
with effect from the respective dates set out opposite their titles in
the third column of the Schedule to this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE

1 of 1955	Interpretation and General Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955	1st March, 1955.
2 of 1955	Application of Enactments (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955	1st March, 1955.
7 of 1955	Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955	1st January, 1956.
8 of 1955	Diplomatic Privileges (Extension) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1955	1st January, 1956.
1 of 1956	Registration of United Kingdom Patents (Amend.) Ordinance 1956	1st July, 1956.
2 of 1956	Government Wharves (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956	1st July, 1956.
6 of 1956	Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956	1st November, 1956.

Promulgated by the Officer Administering the Government on the 23rd day of
January, 1957.

J. BOUND,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES, 31ST DECEMBER 1955.

LIABILITIES				ASSETS									
			£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.		
Deposits	150	:	11	:			1685	:	18	:	7
Fire Brigade Fund	214	:	18	:			32	:	6	:	10
Capital Account	515	:	15	:							
Museum Fund	8	:	16	:							
Cemetery Investment Fund	1685	:	18	:							
Surplus & Deficit Account, being surplus	843	:	12	:			513	:	15	:	0
			<u>£3419</u>						<u>1701</u>			: 7 : 5	
			<u>£3419</u>						<u>£3419</u>			<u>: 12 : 10</u>	

• Surplus and Deficit Account - details

Balance 1/1/55	...	...	£384	:	3	:	8
Surplus 1955	...	...	459	:	8	:	10
			<u>£843</u>			<u>: 12 : 6</u>	

W. A. ETHERIDGE,
Town Clerk.
10th July, 1956.

The above statement has been examined by me in accordance with the requirements of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, 1947. I have obtained all the information that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the statement is correct, subject to the observation in the attached report.

L. GLEADELL,
Town Council Auditor.
23rd August, 1956.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

EXPENDITURE 1955

Account title and No.	Amount Estimated.			Actual Expenditure.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
ORDINARY EXPENDITURE												
1. Town Clerk	383	382	3 7	382	3 7					16	5	
2. CEMETERY												
(a) Wages	251	270	19 4			19	19 4					
(b) Upkeep	188	78	10 3					109	9 9			
<i>Total Cemetery</i> ...				349	9 7							
3. FIRE BRIGADE												
(a) Wages	297	335	8 4			88	8 4					
(b) Upkeep	50	239	8 4			189	8 4					
<i>Total Fire Brigade</i> ...				624	16 8							
4. LIBRARY												
(a) Wages	148	148	0 0					28	3 11			
(b) Books	30	58	3 11									
<i>Total Library</i> ...				206	3 11							
5. MISCELLANEOUS												
(a) Telephones	12	8	3 4							3	16 8	
(b) Stationery	10	1	18 9							8	1 3	
(c) Provident Fund	26	34	16 6			8	16 6					
(d) O. A. Pensions	20	20	0 0									
(e) Election	2									2	0 0	
(f) Audit	15	12	11 0							2	9 0	
(g) Insurance	10	5	11 6							4	8 6	
(h) Unforeseen	10	84	0 2			74	0 2					
<i>Total Miscellaneous</i> ...				167	1 3							
6. CHARITABLE RELIEF	800	579	11 3	579	11 3			220	8 9			
7. PUBLIC BATHS and GYMNASIUM												
(a) Wages	187	73	10 4					113	9 8			
(b) Fuel	80							80	0 0			
(c) Light	46	26	10 0					19	10 0			
(d) Supplies	15	4	12 11					10	7 1			
(e) Laundry	10	2	3 4					7	16 8			
<i>Total Public Baths and Gymnasium</i> ...				106	16 7							
8. SCAVENGING												
(a) Sanitation	590	595	4 5			5	4 5			22	3 10	
(b) Fodder	50	27	16 2							4	11 9	
(c) Repairs	30	25	8 3							53	7 9	
(d) Connections	70	16	12 3									
(e) Ash Contract	—	150	0 0			150	0 0					
<i>Total Scavenging</i> ...				815	1 1							
9. STREET LIGHTING												
(a) Current	350	284	7 6							65	12 6	
(b) Repairs	25	60	2 4			35	2 4					
<i>Total Street Lighting</i> ...				344	9 10							
10. TOWN HALL												
(a) Cleaner	355	367	17 11			12	17 11					
(b) Fuel	200	291	13 7			91	13 7					
(c) Light	67	84	17 2			17	17 2			5	18 0	
(d) Cleaning	20	14	2 0									
<i>Total Town Hall</i> ...				758	10 8							
11. WATER SUPPLY												
(a) Ships	10	33	0 8			23	0 8					
(b) Repairs	40	69	11 1			29	11 1			40	0 0	
(c) Connections	40											
<i>Total Water Supply</i> ...				102	11 9							
12. TRANSPORT												
(a) Wages	605	384	5 11					220	14 1			
(b) Upkeep	200	319	16 0			119	16 0					
<i>Total Transport</i> ...				704	1 11							
13. REPAYMENT OF LOAN	220	216	0 8	216	0 8					3	19 4	
Total Ordinary Expenditure	5462			5356	18 9	893	19 9	999	1 0			
EXTRAORDINARY EXPENDITURE												
Repairs to Gymnasium ...	—	315	9 7	315	9 7							
				5672	9 4							
Advances				32	6 10							
Deposits				242	1 0							
Fire Brigade				294	6 5							
Balance, 31.12.55				1701	7 5							
				£ 7942	10 0							

W. A. ETHERIDGE.
Town Clerk.

STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL

REVENUE 1955

Account title and No.	Amount	Actual Receipts.			Over the			Under the		
	Estimated.				Estimate.	Estimate.				
	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ORDINARY REVENUE										
1. CEMETERY	80	150	18	9	150	18	9	70	18	9
2. MISCELLANEOUS	40	45	9	9	45	9	9	5	9	9
3. GOVERNMENT GRANT	800	800	0	0	800	0	0			
4. LIBRARY	80	40	9	8	40	9	8			39 10 4
5. BATHS AND GYMNASIUM										
(a) Baths	60	14	10	8						45 9 4
(b) Gymnasium	70	84	17	0				14	17	0
<i>Total Baths and Gymnasium</i> ...					99	7	8			
6. GENERAL RATE										
(a) Rate	2225	2293	9	0				68	9	0
(b) Government Contribution ...	577	577	0	0						
<i>Total General Rate</i> ...					2870	9	0			
7. WATER RATE										
(a) Rate	443	457	17	3				14	17	3
(b) Government Contribution ...	135	135	0	0						
(c) Sales	100	110	19	9				10	19	9
<i>Total Water Rate</i> ...					703	17	0			
8. TOWN HALL										
(a) Hiring	550	644	15	3				94	15	3
(b) Government share	350	750	19	9				400	19	9
<i>Total Town Hall</i> ...					1395	15	0			
9. TRANSPORT	30	25	10	4	25	10	4			4 9 8
Total Ordinary Revenue ...	5540	6131	17	2				681	6	6
Capital Account		15	11	3						
Advances		23	15	0						
Deposits		307	14	10						
Fire Brigade Fund		16	1	3						
Balance, 1.1.55		1447	10	6						
	£	7942	10	0						

The above statement has been examined by me in accordance with the requirements of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, 1947. I have obtained all the information that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the statement is correct, subject to the observation in the attached report.

L. GLEADELL,
Town Council Auditor.
23rd August, 1956.

TOWN COUNCIL ESTIMATES, 1956.

Service.	Actual 1954.		Estimate 1955.		Estimated 1956.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
REVENUE.						
1. Cemetery		31		80		80
2. Miscellaneous		80		40		45
3. Government Grant		800		800		800
4. Library		48		80		70
5. Baths & Gymnasium						
a. Baths	36		60		—	
b. Gymnasium	81		70		134	
		117		130		134
6. General Rate						
a. Rate	1951		2225		2530	
b. Govt. contribution	577		577		577	
		2528		2802		3107
7. Water Rate						
a. Rate	383		443		480	
b. Govt. contribution	135		135		135	
c. Sales	95		100		100	
		613		678		715
8. Town Hall						
a. Hirings	559		550		660	
b. Govt. Contribution	212		350		350	
		771		900		1010
9. Transport		15		30		25
		5003		5540		5986
EXPENDITURE.						
1. TOWN CLERK		321		383		395
2. CEMETERY						
a. Wages	256		251		270	
b. Upkeep	188		188		70	
		444		439		340
3. FIRE BRIGADE						
a. Wages	340		297		370	
b. Upkeep	40		50		50	
		380		317		420
4. LIBRARY						
a. Wages	145		148		148	
b. Books etc.	—		30		30	
		145		178		178
5. MISCELLANEOUS						
a. Telephones	16		12		10	
b. Stationery	2		10		10	
c. Provident Fund	4		26		32	
d. Old Age Pensions	25		20		23	
e. Elections	—		2		2	
f. Audit	25		15		15	
g. Insurance	6		10		20	
h. Unforeseen	69		10		50	
		147		105		162
6. CHARITABLE RELIEF		483		800		800
7. PUBLIC BATHS & GYMNASIUM						
a. Wages	188		187		80	
b. Fuel	—		80		80	
c. Light	46		46		46	
<i>Carried forward</i>	234	1920	313	2252	206	2295

Service.	Actual 1954.		Estimate 1955.		Estimated 1956.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Brought forward ...</i>	234	1920	313	2252	206	2295
d. Supplies	4		15		15	
e. Laundry	8		10		3	
8. SCAVENGING		246		338		224
a. Sanitation	573		590		590	
b. Fodder	27		50		26	
c. Repairs	14		30		30	
d. New Connections	58		70		70	
e. Ash Contract	22		—		800	
9. STREET LIGHTS		694		740		1516
a. Current	310		350		300	
b. Repairs	26		25		25	
10. TOWN HALL		336		375		325
a. Cleaner	362		355		365	
b. Fuel	280		200		200	
c. Light	67		67		85	
d. Cleaning	16		20		15	
11. WATER SUPPLY		725		642		665
a. Ships	1		10		10	
b. Repairs	82		40		60	
c. Connections	15		40		—	
12. TRANSPORT		98		90		70
a. Wages	612		605		—	
b. Upkeep	179		200		100	
13. REPAYMENT OF LOAN		219		220		210
14. GARAGE		—		—		130
		5029		5462		5535

W. A. ETHERIDGE,
Town Clerk.





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APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Smart, Col. R. S.,	I.G.Y.E. Base, Halley Bay	Sub-Postmaster	8.1.57	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Cronin, D.	Education	Assistant Master	15.8.53	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Dalglish, Surg.-Lt. D. G., R.N.	I.G.Y.E. Base, Halley Bay	Sub-Postmaster	7.1.57	Completion of Contract.

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Carey, A. M.,	Aviation	Clerk	18.2.57	180 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Cronin, D.	Education	Assistant Master	18.2.57	5 months & 1 week	do.
Pollitt, Mrs. E.	Governor	Cook/Housekeeper	18.2.57	136 days	do.
Atkins, S. P.	Posts & Tels.	W/T Operator	18.2.57	180 days	do.
Bain, J. L.	Public Works	Plumber	18.2.57	144 days	do.
Fleuret, D.	Police & Prisons	Police Constable	18.2.57		On leave prior to final retirement.
Huckle, J. S. R., D.S.C.	Harbour & Aviation	Harbour Master & Director of Civil Aviation	14.7.56 - 4.2.57		—
Mackintosh, Miss M. L.	Medical	Nursing Sister	8.11.56 - 11.2.57		—

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 13. 4th February, 1957.

It is hereby notified for general information that

J. BOUND, ESQ., E.D., J.P.,

acted as Colonial Secretary from 22nd January, 1957, to 1st February, 1957, both dates inclusive.
Ref. P/186.

No. 14. 5th February, 1957.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

MR. J. B. SWANN, D.S.C.,

to be a member of the Broadcasting Advisory Committee, with effect from 1st February, 1957.

Ref. 0001/IV.

No. 15. 9th February, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies :-

No.	Title.	Ref.
3 of 1956	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1954/55) Ordinance, 1956.	0284/J/VIII.

No. 16. 12th February, 1957.

Compensation for victims of Nazi Persecution.

A recent law amending and changing the title of the Supplementary Federal Law for the Compensation of Victims of Nazi persecution of 21st September, 1953, has the effect of extending

the eligibility and increasing the compensation in some respects.

Information and application forms may be obtained from the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, 21-23 Belgrave Square, S.W.1.

Claims must reach the Federal German Compensation Office before the 1st October, 1957.

Ref. 1632.

REGISTRATION OF UNITED KINGDOM PATENTS ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified for general information that a letters patent, particulars of which appear in the schedule hereto was registered in the Register of Patents on the 14th day of March, 1957.

SCHEDULE

Registered No. :-	3362.
Name of Applicant :-	Alf Kaare Kristoffersen.
Registered Address :-	Dølebakken 16b, Sandefjord, Norway.
No. of grant in the United Kingdom :-	753,290.
Nature of invention :-	A method of treating newly shot whales whereby to reduce or prevent fermentation or decomposition occurring in the interior of the whale before it can be delivered to the factory or the like for processing, and also in respect of apparatus for carrying out the said method.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
14th March, 1957.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing HUGH CULLEN HARDING, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQUIRE, M.C., Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

HUGH CULLEN HARDING, Esquire, J.P.,

to be a Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 19th day of February, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,

S. G. TREES,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ref. C/0001/II.

Government Savings Bank Report for the period 1st April 1955 to 30th June 1956.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st February, 1957.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Savings Bank for the period 1st April, 1955 to 30th June, 1956.

2. During the period 222 accounts were closed and 249 new accounts were opened. The total number of depositors on the 30th June, 1956 was 2,109.

3. There were 4,949 deposits totalling £397,267 : 9 : 8 and 2,616 withdrawals totalling £361,583 : 9 : 6. Accrued interest credited to depositors amounted to £25,962 : 0 : 1.

4. Deposits and accrued interest exceeded the withdrawals by £61,646 : 0 : 3 and brought the total amount due to depositors at the 30th June, 1956 to £969,637 : 14 : 7.

5. Investments were revalued at mid market prices prevailing on 30th June, 1956 and resulted in depreciation amounting to £113,410 : 15 : 10. Interest from Investments amounted to £36,703 : 1 : 6 and this sum was credited to the Fund.

6. The following Statements are attached :-

1. Monthly summary of transactions.
2. Investments 1955/56.
3. Savings Bank Accounts 1955/56.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Savings Bank Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 1ST APRIL, 1955 TO 30TH JUNE, 1956.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Interest paid and interest capitalised and credited to depositors	27,021	4	2	By Interest on Investments	36,703	1	6
„ Administration charge	1,250	0	0				
„ Balance to Reserve Account	8,431	17	4				
	£36,703	1	6		£36,703	1	6

DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance at credit of depositors on 31st March, 1955	906,932	10	3	By Withdrawals	361,583	9	6
„ Deposits during 1955/56	397,267	9	8	„ Balance – credit of depositors	969,637	14	7
„ Interest credited to depositors 1955/56	27,021	4	2				
	£1,331,221	4	1		£1,331,221	4	1

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Depreciation of Investments	113,410	15	10	By Profit on realization	208	6	3
„ Loss on sale of Investments	3,913	17	1	„ Transfer to Reserve Account	117,116	6	8
	£117,324	12	11		£117,324	12	11

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

To Investments Adjustment Account	117,116	6	8	By Balance brought forward	23,407	16	5
				„ Revenue & Expenditure Account	8,431	17	4
				„ Balance carried forward	85,276	12	11
	£117,116	6	8		£117,116	6	8

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1956.

Due to Depositors	969,637	14	7	Investments at Market Value	811,310	12	11
				Reserve Account	85,276	12	11
				Cash in hand	73,050	8	9
	£969,637	14	7		£969,637	14	7

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer,
1st February, 1957.

The above account has been examined under my direction in accordance with Section 12 of the Savings Bank Ordinance. I have obtained all the information and explanations that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the account is correct.

L. GLEADELL,
Auditor,
13th February, 1957.

Savings Bank Fund.

MONTHLY SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS FOR THE PERIOD 1st APRIL, 1955 to 30th JUNE, 1956.

Date.	Deposits.			Withdrawals.			Difference.			Interest.			TOTAL.			Accounts Opened.	Accounts Closed.	No. of Deposits.	No. of With- drawals.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Balance ...													906,932	10	3				
April 1955	21,700	5	11	32,006	11	7	— 10,306	5	8	.....			896,626	4	7	10	15	279	176
May ...	26,322	13	5	30,828	5	5	— 4,505	12	0	.....			892,120	12	7	16	21	294	216
June ...	35,641	0	5	21,081	11	1	+ 14,559	9	4	.....			906,680	1	11	14	14	400	182
July ...	16,399	16	1	17,413	8	6	— 1,013	12	5	38 9 10			905,704	19	4	9	12	214	113
August ...	17,876	8	4	16,047	8	10	+ 1,828	19	6	11 12 10			907,545	11	8	15	9	287	143
September ...	24,935	13	7	13,287	4	6	+ 11,648	9	1	11 16 3			919,205	17	0	16	9	363	129
October ...	13,936	0	10	16,412	0	1	— 2,475	19	3	52 12 1			916,782	9	10	12	15	307	127
November ...	33,211	1	6	36,370	14	3	— 3,159	12	9	11 15 10			913,634	12	11	10	6	268	144
December ...	35,461	8	0	16,322	17	10	+ 19,138	10	2	10 17 8			932,784	0	9	27	7	356	184
January 1956	21,499	10	9	25,827	11	9	— 4,328	1	0	162 0 7			928,618	0	4	21	17	260	230
February ...	21,490	16	6	39,329	13	3	— 17,838	16	9	188 2 2			910,967	5	9	14	25	291	225
March ...	33,818	14	0	23,466	3	11	+ 10,352	10	1	58 7 2			921,378	3	0	36	11	443	146
April ...	24,327	4	8	42,919	18	10	— 18,592	14	2	381 4 0			903,166	12	10	10	38	325	286
May ...	33,295	19	0	20,484	9	4	+ 12,811	9	8	120 9 7			916,098	12	1	16	17	305	173
June ...	37,350	16	8	9,785	10	4	+ 27,565	6	4	25,973 16 2			969,637	14	7	23	6	557	142
	£397,267	9	8	361,583	9	6	+ 35,684	0	2	27,021 4 2						249	222	4,949	2,616

Investments, Savings Bank Fund.

Name of Stock.	%	Face Value of Stocks.			Book Value prior to revaluation.			Market Value of Investments at 30th June, 1956.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
South Africa 1953/73 ...	3½	8315	14	6	7442	11	6	76½	6361	10	8
Ceylon 1954/59 ...	3½	3379	18	0	3295	8	1	92½	3126	8	2
Brit. Transport 1972/77 ...	4	27973	2	7	27474	0	4	84½	23637	5	11
Kenya 1971/78 ...	4½	10000	0	0	10350	0	0	88½	8850	0	0
British Gas 1969/72 ...	4	93672	1	9	93910	14	4	86½	81026	7	1
Nigeria 1963 ...	4	14787	2	8	14713	3	11	91½	13530	4	7
Australia 1954/59 ...	3½	3629	5	3	3448	18	8	94	3411	10	2
British Electric 1967/69 ...	4½	3030	4	7	2974	18	3	93½	2833	5	4
Ceylon 1960/70 ...	5	2000	0	0	2060	0	0	92½	1850	0	0
Consols 1957 o/a ...	4	32284	0	11	30508	8	6	77½	25020	2	9
Ceylon 1965 ...	4½	5064	6	11	5241	11	11	89½	4532	11	10
Kenya 1961/71 ...	4½	12000	0	0	12180	0	0	88½	10620	0	0
Gold Coast 1960/70 ...	4½	1896	4	11	1896	4	11	91½	1735	1	4
War Loan 1955/59 ...	3	8602	3	3	8451	8	4	95	8172	1	1
Exchequer Stock 1960 ...	2	7303	7	10	6735	5	10	91½	6682	12	1
Kenya 1957/67 ...	3½	5000	0	0	4675	0	0	83½	4175	0	0
Ceylon 1959/64 ...	3	3881	11	8	3551	13	0	76½	2969	8	3
Australia 1955/58 ...	3	23237	2	9	22423	16	9	94	21842	18	2
Australia 1958/60 ...	3	14000	0	0	13370	0	0	90	12600	0	0
New Zealand 1955/60 ...	3½	3937	17	6	3786	9	6	93	3662	4	6
Australia 1961/66 ...	3½	6850	12	2	6405	6	4	82½	5651	15	2
Savings Bonds 1955/65 ...	3	79158	14	3	75596	11	5	84½	66889	2	3
Savings Bonds 1960/70 ...	3	123828	3	2	113302	15	4	76½	94728	10	10
Palestine 1962/67 ...	3	12506	11	9	11318	9	3	82	10255	8	0
Middlesborough 1953/73 ...	3½	2026	4	11	1833	15	1	79	1600	14	9
New Zealand 1960/64 ...	3½	25459	12	7	24313	18	11	86½	22022	11	7
S. Rhodesia 1955/65 ...	3¼	1200	0	0	1110	0	0	82½	990	0	0
Walsall 1954/64 ...	3¼	2060	0	0	1967	6	0	86	1771	12	0
Savings Bonds 1965/75 ...	3	60005	18	1	53105	4	6	74½	44704	8	0
Wolverhampton 1959/64 ...	3¼	2035	10	8	1943	18	9	86	1750	11	2
Swansea 1963/66 ...	3	12713	18	9	11633	5	1	82	10425	8	7
British Guiana 1975/80 ...	3	14000	0	0	11550	0	0	66½	9310	0	0
New Zealand 1973/77 ...	3	4852	1	6	4148	10	7	70½	3420	14	3
Australia 1975/77 ...	3	5175	5	10	4476	12	7	69½	3596	16	7
Fed. Malay States 1974/76 ...	3	4051	12	10	3342	12	1	69½	2815	17	11
Nigeria 1975/77 ...	3	6000	0	0	5070	0	0	70½	4230	0	0
Northern Rhodesia 1963/65 ...	3	27915	19	4	25543	2	3	81½	22751	10	4
Jamaica 1968/73 ...	3½	11548	14	2	10682	11	1	78½	9065	14	9
E.A.H.C. 1966/68 ...	3½	4928	12	10	4657	11	4	80½	3967	11	2
Uganda 1966/69 ...	3½	100	0	0	92	10	0	80½	80	10	0
E.A.H.C. 1968/70 ...	3½	10000	0	0	9150	0	0	80½	8050	0	0
Sierra Leone 1968/70 ...	3½	30150	15	1	27437	3	9	79½	23969	17	0
Ceylon 1959 ...	3¼	9178	5	2	8857	0	5	90½	8306	6	6
Kenya 1973/78 ...	3½	21000	0	0	19215	0	0	75½	15855	0	0
Funding Loan 1956/61 ...	2½	43692	18	11	40077	15	11	91	39760	11	8
British Guiana 1966/68 ...	3½	20618	11	2	19278	7	1	82½	17010	6	3
Trinidad 1967/71 ...	3	31137	14	6	27556	17	9	73½	22886	4	7
Conversion Stock 1969 ...	3½	30000	0	0	29250	0	0	83½	25050	0	0
Funding Stock 1966/68 ...	3	47416	19	10	41140	2	4	78½	37222	6	10
Brit. Electric 1968/73 ...	3	5839	14	8	5226	11	3	74½	4350	12	1
Brit. Electric 1976/79 ...	3¼	49437	10	10	43586	0	3	78½	38808	9	5
Conversion 1957/58 ...	4	3424	16	9	3362	15	7	98½	3373	9	4
		992309	4	10	924721	8	9		811310	12	11
Depreciation ...					113410	15	10				
		992309	4	10	811310	12	11		811310	12	11

Vital Statistics for the year ended 31st December, 1956

COLONY

Births

				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	26	22	48
East Falkland	—	—	—
West Falkland	—	—	—
			Total	<u>26</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>48</u>

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Deaths

				Male	Female	Total
Stanley	9	7	16
East Falkland	1	—	1
West Falkland	1	—	1
			Total	<u>11</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>18</u>

Maternal Mortality —
 Infantile " 1
 Still Births 2

DEATHS 1955 22

Marriages

		Anglican	Roman Catholic	Non-conformist	Registrar	Total
Stanley	8	3	—	7	18
East Falkland	—	—	—	2	2
West Falkland	—	—	—	2	2
	Total	<u>8</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>22</u>

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Arrivals

1956	males 162	females 105	Total 267
1955	„ 192	„ 117	„ 309

Departures

1956	males 154	females 98	Total 252
1955	„ 175	„ 123	„ 298

Population

Estimated population of the Falkland Islands 1st January, 1956 — 2249.

Estimated population 31st December 1956 — 2294, increase 45, as shown below —

	Males	Females	Total
Estimated population 31st December, 1955	1260	989	2249
Add births 1956	26	22	48
	1286	1011	2297
Add arrivals 1956	162	105	267
	1448	1116	2564
Deduct deaths 1956	11	7	18
	1437	1109	2546
Deduct departures 1956	154	98	252
Total	1283	1011	2294
Birth rate per 1,000 ....	....	20.92	
Illegitimate births, actual ....	....	3	
Death rate per 1,000 ....	....	7.85	
Population per sq. mile ....	....	0.49	

DEPENDENCIES

Marriages — Nil.

Births — Nil.

Deaths — 6 males.

	Males	Females	Total
Estimated resident population at South Georgia	1279	6	1285
„ „ „ „ other Dependencies	76	—	76
Total	1355	6	1361

H. BENNETT,

Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands,
5th February, 1957.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Watson, N.	Customs & Harbour	Clerk	1.9.56	On probation for two years.
Turner, E. J.	Education	Headmaster, Port Howard Boarding School.	6.3.57	—
Beal, Miss V. E.	Medical	Nursing Sister	6.3.57	—
Fleuret, Mrs. R.	"	Acting Matron	30.11.56	—
Browning, Miss M.	"	Nurse Probationer	1.4.57	—
Blyth, A. J.	Power & Electrical	Acting Supt.	17.3.57	—
Halliday, L. J.	Secretariat	Acting Chief Clerk	17.3.57	—
Gleadell, L. C.	Treasury	Acting Col. Treasurer	19.3.57	—
Butts, J. L.	South Georgia	Jnr. Customs Officer	4.2.57	Assumed duty 21.3.57.
Stroughair, C.	" "	Steward/Cook	4.2.57	do.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>	
Hammond, J.	Public Works	Carpenter	9.3.57	Resigned.
Skilling, L.	" "	"	4.1.57	"
Whyte, C. R.	" "	Plumber/Pipe fitter	24.3.57	"
Beaton, C.	" "	Carpenter	23.3.57	Dismissed.
Nicholson, R. J.	" "	"	23.3.57	"

PROMOTION.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Bound, H. L. Clerk, Scale C, Treasury	Postmaster, Posts & Telegraphs	16.3.57.

TRANSFERS.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Halliday, L. J. Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk, Secretariat	1.3.57.
Hirtle, W. Clerk, Secretariat	Clerk, Treasury	16.3.57.

LEAVE.

Name	Department	Office	Date	Period	Remarks
Ashmore, Dr. J. M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.	Medical	Medical Officer	16.3.57	148 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Enestrom, E.	Posts & Tels.	Postmaster	16.3.57		On leave prior to final retirement.
Gutteridge, E. C.	Power & Electrical	Superintendent	16.3.57	140 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Morrison, D. R.	Secretariat	Clerk	16.3.57	180 days	do.
Turner, W.	Public Works	Painter	25.3.57	104 days	do.
Thackeray, W.	" "	"	12.9.56 to 28.2.57		On completion of agreement.
Parker, J. W. H.	South Georgia	Steward/Cook	7.2.57 to 13.3.57		—

NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 17. 7th March, 1957.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 10 of 28th January, 1957, the following name is hereby added to the List of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance.

A. Registered to practise in the Colony and Dependencies.

Name	Qualification	Date of Qualification
Beal, Vera Edith	S.R.N.	1954.
	S.C.M.	1956.
		Ref. 1326.

No. 18. 15th March, 1957.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be put back one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, 30th/31st March, 1957.

Ref. 0064.

No. 19. 14th March, 1957.

THE STANLEY TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE.
No. 1 of 1947.

Consequent on the resignation of Mr. A. Alcock a casual vacancy exists in the East Ward of the Stanley Electoral Area.

In accordance with Section 8 (2) of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance, His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has directed that Wednesday the 10th April, 1957, shall be the day of the By-Election to fill the vacancy thus caused.

Ref. 0039/C/II.

No. 20. 28th March, 1957.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint
GEORGE CHRISTOPHER REGINALD BONNER, ESQ.
to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4

of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of William Middleton, bachelor, and Joan Eliza Alazia, spinster, at San Carlos, East Falklands.

Ref. 1169.

No. 21. 28th March, 1957.

It is hereby notified for general information that

MR. E. F. LELLMAN

acted as Colonial Treasurer from 15th November, 1955, to 18th March, 1957, both dates inclusive.

Ref. P/165.

No. 22. 29th March, 1957.

Mr. E. M. Cawkell, late Superintendent of Education, was granted an extension of leave under Colonial Regulation 88 (iv) by the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Accordingly the duration of his leave published at page 41 of April 1956 Gazette is hereby amended to read "26.1.56 - 4.4.56".

Ref. P/504.

No. 23. 29th March, 1957.

The following extracts from telegrams exchanged between His Honour the Officer Administering the Government and the Commanding Officer, H.M.S. Protector are published for general information :-

From His Honour the Officer Administering the Government to the Commanding Officer, H.M.S. Protector.

"Goodbye Protector, goodluck, bon voyage and best wishes from all of us here in the Falklands. Thank you for all you have done for us this commission. It was nice having you."

From the Commanding Officer, H.M.S. Protector to His Honour the Officer Administering the Government.

"Thank you for nice message. We have enjoyed our stay and wish to thank the many friends who have been so kind and hospitable to us. Many of us are looking forward to coming down again and some who would like to unfortunately know they cannot. Goodbye and good luck."

Ref. 0625/IIV.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Esq., M.V.O., to be the Deputy for the Officer Administering the Government of the said Colony.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON — *By His Honour* AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQUIRE, M.C., *Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 26th day of March, 1957, for the purpose of visiting the East Falkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Officer Administering the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, Acting Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 26th day of March, 1957.

By Command of the
Officer Administering the Government,
S. G. TREES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Electricity Supply Ordinance (Cap. 23)

REGULATIONS

(under Section 3 of the Ordinance)

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Officer Administering the Government.

No. 1 of 1957.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of the Electricity Supply Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Electricity Supply (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Electricity Supply Regulations, 1951, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Cap. 23.

Short title.

Amendment of principal Regulations.

2. The principal Regulations shall be amended by the substitution of the word "Superintendent" for the words "Executive Engineer" wherever those words occur.

Amendment of regulation 6 of the principal Regulations.

3. Regulation 6 of the principal Regulations is amended as follows :—

- (a) in paragraph (1) by the substitution of the words "Regulations for the Electrical Equipment of Buildings issued by the Institute of Electrical Engineers in the United Kingdom and for the time being current," for the words "Electricity Supply Regulation, 1937, made by the Electricity Commissioner of the United Kingdom";
- (b) in paragraph (2) by the substitution of the words "Regulations may be seen" for the words "Electricity Regulation may be had";
- (c) in paragraph (3) by the substitution of the word "Regulations" for the words "Electricity Supply Regulation".

Amendment of regulation 12 of the principal Regulations.

4. Regulation 12 of the principal Regulations is amended by the substitution of the words "the Electricity Supply Regulations, 1937, made by the Electricity Commissioner of the United Kingdom" for the words "these Regulations".

Made by the Officer Administering the Government in Council on the 13th day of March, 1957.

J. BOUND,

Ref. C.S. 1027.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Education Ordinance (Cap. 22).

REGULATIONS

(Under section 10 of the Ordinance.)

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,

Officer Administering the Government.

No. 2 of 1957.

Cap. 22.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 10 of the Education Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

Short title.

Vol. II Revised Edition p. 181.

Amendment of regulation 3 of the principal Regulations.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the School (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, and shall be read as one with the School Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

2. For paragraph (1) of regulation 3 of the principal Regulations, there shall be substituted the following new paragraph —

" (1) The regular School holidays shall be —

- (a) a fortnight towards the end of May;
- (b) a fortnight at the beginning of September; and
- (c) eight weeks at Christmas.

The actual dates shall be fixed annually by the Governor and published in the Gazette".

Made by the Officer Administering the Government in Council on the 21st day of January, 1957.

J. BOUND,

Ref. 0084/A.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Currency Note Security Fund.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
10th December, 1956.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit my report for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, together with the statement of accounts for the same period.

NOTES IN CIRCULATION

2. The value of notes of the various series and denominations in circulation at the 30th June, 1956, was as follows :—

Series	Denominations	Value		
		£	s.	d.
"A"	£5	10	0	0
"B"	£5	60	0	0
"C"	£5	17,610	0	0
"A"	£1	57	0	0
"B"	£1	112	0	0
"C"	£1	11,268	0	0
"D"	£1	43,181	0	0
"C"	10/-	4,030	0	0
"A"	5/-	7	15	0
"B"	5/-	7	5	0
		£76,343 : 0 : 0.		

NOTE INCOME ACCOUNT

3. Commission received on transfers to and from London amounted to £1,154 : 7 : 10.

The revenue derived from dividends on investments amounted to £2,683 : 18 : 9.

The expenditure charged to the Income account during the period ended 30th June, 1956, amounted to £135 : 10 : 0 and a contribution of £787 : 1 : 11 was made to the Note Security Fund, being 1% of the value of the Note Security Fund in accordance with the provision of Section 3 (5) (b) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1954 leaving a surplus of £2,915 : 14 : 8 transferred to General Revenue.

NOTE SECURITY FUND

4. The revaluation of the investments of the Note Security Fund at the 30th June, 1956, resulted in a net decrease of £6,382 : 11 : 7 in relation to the book value of the investments at that date.

The position of the Fund may be summarised as follows :—

General Reserve at 1st April, 1955	...	£8,749 : 1 : 2
Transferred from Income Account	...	787 : 1 : 11
		£9,536 : 3 : 1
Less Depreciation of Investments	...	6,382 : 11 : 7
		£3,153 : 11 : 6

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,

Commissioner of Currency.

CURRENCY NOTE INCOME ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1956.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Sorting etc. of Currency Notes	134	10	0				
Refund of commission on unpaid remittance	1	0	0		1,147	19	7
Cost of telegram transferred, received per contra		6	4		6	8	3
Surplus carried down	3,702	16	7		2,683	18	9
	<u>£3,838</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>11</u>		<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	
					£3,838	12	11
To Transfer to Note Security Fund -							
Ordinance No. 18 of 1954 section 3 (5) (b)	787	1	11		3,702	16	7
Transfer to General Revenue -							
Ordinance No. 18 of 1954 section 3 (6)	2,915	14	8				
	<u>£3,702</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>		<u>£3,702</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>

THE NOTE SECURITY FUND ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1956.

To Sterling payments made in London	115,701	6	2		82,317	17	8
Sterling payments made in Colony	1,227	17	6		115,665	1	9
Decrease of Issue	11,000	0	0		690	7	1
Sorting etc. of notes debited in error, recovered per contra	18	10	0		14,500	0	0
Transfer of commission, recovered per contra	326	13	3		326	13	3
Refund to remitter of amount short paid in London	100	0	0		18	10	0
Overpayment, recovered per contra	72	0	0		72	0	0
Adjustment of misallocation, per contra	200	0	0		787	1	11
Depreciation of Investments	6,382	11	7		200	0	0
Balance at 30th June, 1956	79,548	13	2		<u>£214,577</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>
	<u>£214,577</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>		<u>£214,577</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1956.

LIABILITIES		ASSETS
Note Security Fund :-		
Notes in circulation	76,343	74,876
Remittances in transit	52	4,672
General Reserve	3,153	13
	<u>£79,548</u>	<u>£79,548</u>

These accounts have been examined under my direction in accordance with Section 12 (2) of the Currency Notes Ordinance. I have obtained all the information and explanations that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the accounts are correct, subject to the following observation. The market value of investments is understated by £30 as the result of an error in revaluing the holding of £3,000 Nigeria 1975/77 3%. The General Reserve is understated by the same amount.

L. GLEADELL, Auditor.
19th February, 1957.

E. F. LELLMAN,
Commissioner of Currency.
10th December, 1956.

Note Security Fund.

INVESTMENTS 30th JUNE, 1956.

NAME OF STOCK.		%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 30th JUNE, 1956.			
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
Fed. Malay States	1960/70	3	2925	11	4	2530	12	4	69½	2033	5	5
Jamaica	1956/61	3	2020	4	0	1909	1	9	90½	1828	5	8
Kenya	1965/70	2½	2829	5	10	2334	3	5	71½	2022	18	10
Nigeria	1963	4	1842	16	7	1833	12	4	91½	1686	3	10
Savings Bonds	1955/65	3	19980	2	2	19081	0	1	84½	16883	3	10
Australia	1964/66	3	1444	4	8	1278	2	11	80½	1162	12	2
Nigeria	1975/77	3	3000	0	0	2535	0	0	70½	2085	0	0
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	2021	5	3	1910	1	10	80½	1627	2	4
Funding Loan	1956/61	2½	24805	0	8	23688	16	2	91	22572	11	7
N. Rhodesia	1970/72	3½	9860	3	2	9022	1	0	79½	7838	16	7
			70728	13	8	66122	11	10		59740	0	3
	Depreciation					6382	11	7				
			70728	13	8	59740	0	3		59740	0	3
	Joint Colonial Fund		15136	6	3	15136	6	3		15136	6	3
		£	85864	19	11	74876	6	6		74876	6	6

Government Employees' Provident Fund 1955-1956

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th December, 1956.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Provident Fund Ordinance No. 8 of 1938, I have the honour to submit a report on the transactions of the Fund for the period 1st April, 1955 to 30th June, 1956. It will be observed that this report covers a period of fifteen months which coincides with the Colony's Financial year which ended on 30th June, 1956.

Appended are the following statements of account :-

(i) Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure, Deposits and Withdrawals, Investments Adjustment Account, Reserve Account, and statement of Assets and Liabilities.

(ii) Nominal value, cost and market value of Investments at 30th June, 1956.

2. Balance 1st April, 1955	...	...	...	£9,336	:	2	:	1
(due to depositors)								
Adjustment of misallocation	...	...	...	295	:	14	:	7
Deposits	...	...	...	857	:	16	:	6
Bonus	...	...	...	857	:	16	:	6
Interest on closed accounts	...	...	...	14	:	7	:	6
Interest on current accounts	...	...	...	211	:	3	:	5
				£11,573	:	0	:	7
<i>Less</i> Refund of overpaid								
bonus F.I.D.S.	7	:	1	:	9			
Withdrawals	...	1,671	:	1	:	4	:	1
				£9,894	:	17	:	6

3. Investments of a redemption value of £24,906 : 15 : 0 made and held by the Crown Agents for and on behalf of the Fund, are detailed on the statement forwarded herewith. The revenue from Investments was £998 : 19 : 4.

4. The Fund's Investments were revalued at the prices in the London market at the 30th June, 1956. Depreciation amounted to £2,622 : 14 : 4 and was debited direct to the Fund.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,
E. F. LELLMAN,

Acting Colonial Treasurer.

Government Employees' Provident Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 1st APRIL, 1955 - 30th JUNE, 1956.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Interest on Closed A/cs.	14	7	6	By Interest on Investments	998	19	4
„ Interest credited to Depositors	211	3	5				
„ Administrative charge	125	0	0				
„ Reserve Account	648	8	5				
	£998	19	4		£998	19	4

DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance 1/4/55.	9,336	2	1	By Withdrawals	1,671	1	4
„ Recovery of misallocation (R. Campbell)	295	14	7	„ Payment to F.I.D.S.	7	1	9
„ Deposits	857	16	6	„ Balance credit of Depositors	9,894	17	6
„ Bonus	857	16	6				
„ Interest on Closed A/cs.	14	7	6				
„ Interest on Current A/cs.	211	3	5				
	£11,573	0	7		£11,573	0	7

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Depreciation of Investments	2,622	14	4	Profit on sale of Investments	28	16	1
				Balance to Reserve Account	2,593	18	3
	£2,622	14	4		£2,622	14	4

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

To Investments Adjustment A/c.	2,593	18	3	By Balance b/fwd.	1,679	0	2
				„ Revenue & Expenditure A/c.	648	8	5
				„ Balance c/fwd.	266	9	8
	£2,593	18	3		£2,593	18	3

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.	ASSETS.
Amount due to Depositors	9,894 : 17 : 6
Cash due to Treasurer	10,512 : 4 : 1
	£20,407 : 1 : 7
	Market value of Investments
	20,140 : 11 : 11
	Reserve
	266 : 9 : 8
	£20,407 : 1 : 7

E. F. LELLMAN,
Acting Colonial Treasurer,
5th December, 1956.

The above account has been examined by me in accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Government Employees Provident Fund Ordinance. I have obtained all the information and explanations that I have required and I certify, as a result of this audit, that in my opinion the account is correct, subject to the observations in the attached report.

L. GLEADELL,
Auditor.
11th February, 1957.

Observations arising from the Audit examination of the Accounts of the Government Employees Provident Fund for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956.

INVESTMENTS ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT. The holding of £5,562 : 19 : 6 1965/75 3% Savings Bonds, revalued at 74½, is shown as £4,422 : 11 : 4 instead of £4,144 : 8 : 4. Market value is therefore overstated by £278 : 3 : 0 and depreciation understated by the same amount.

RESERVE ACCOUNT. The balance brought down from the Investments Adjustment Account should be £2,872 : 1 : 3 and the balance carried down to the Statement of Assets and Liabilities should be £544 : 12 : 8 deficit.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES. The Market Value of Investments should be £19,862 : 8 : 11 and the Reserve Account deficit should be £544 : 12 : 8.

L. GLEADELL,
Auditor,
11th February, 1957.

Provident Fund Account.

INVESTMENTS 30TH JUNE, 1956.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			BOOK VALUE PRIOR TO REVALUATION.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS, 30TH JUNE, 1956.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.	
British Guiana	1959/69	3	1835	0	5	1623	19	11	77½	1422	2	10
Sierra Leone	1958/63	3½	2240	1	11	2161	13	11	87½	1960	1	8
Savings Bonds	1960/70	3	4525	0	8	4135	18	7	76½	3461	13	1
Savings Bonds	1965/75	3	5562	19	6	4923	4	8	74½	4422	11	4
Australia	1963/65	3	1789	13	2	1619	12	10	80½	1440	13	6
Kenya	1961/71	4½	2118	12	11	2150	8	6	88½	1875	0	1
E.A.H.C.	1966/68	3½	924	1	5	873	5	0	80½	743	17	7
Uganda	1966/69	3½	1791	6	1	1656	19	2	80½	1442	0	0
E.A.H.C.	1972/74	4	1280	1	3	1248	1	3	84½	1081	13	0
Nigeria	1964/66	3½	23	0	5	21	8	3	84½	19	9	1
Kenya	1978/82	5	27	19	0	26	18	9	94½	26	8	3
Cyprus	1969/71	3½	2788	18	3	2321	15	5	80½	2245	1	6
			24906	15	0	22763	6	3		20140	11	11
Depreciation						2622	14	4				
			24906	15	0	20140	11	11		20140	11	11

**A Bill for
An Ordinance
Further to amend the Licensing Ordinance.**

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

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|---|---|
| <p>1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Licensing (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Licensing Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.</p> | <p>Title.</p> <p>Enacting clause.</p> <p>Short title.</p> <p>Cap. 38.</p> |
| <p>2. Section 63 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—</p> <p>(a) by deleting the words and comma "shepherds and other employees bona fide in his own employment," and by substituting therefor the words and comma "employees bona fide in his own employment and to other persons resident on such station," ;</p> <p>(b) by inserting immediately after the words "his own employees" the words "or other persons resident on such station".</p> | <p>Amendment of section 63 of the principal Ordinance.</p> |

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to permit Managers of Camp Stations to sell intoxicating liquor to persons resident on their stations other than bona fide employees.

**A Bill for
An Ordinance
To amend the Electricity Supply Ordinance.**

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :—

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|--|---|
| <p>1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Electricity Supply (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Electricity Supply Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.</p> | <p>Title.</p> <p>Enacting clause.</p> <p>Short title.</p> <p>Cap. 23.</p> |
| <p>2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced as follows :—</p> <p>"Definition 2. In this Ordinance or any regulations made thereunder unless the context otherwise requires the expression "Superintendent" means the Superintendent of the Power and Electrical Department."</p> | <p>Replacement of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.</p> |
| <p>3. The principal Ordinance shall be amended by the substitution of the word "Superintendent" for the words "Executive Engineer" wherever those words occur.</p> | <p>Amendment of principal Ordinance.</p> |

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to change the title of the public officer in charge of the Electrical Department from Executive Engineer to Superintendent Power and Electrical Department.

ANNUAL STOCK RETURN FOR 1955-1956.

Prepared from information furnished in accordance with Section 40 of the Live Stock Ordinance, Cap. 40.

OWNER.	NAME OF STATION.	RAMS.	WETHERS.	BREEDING EWES.	OTHER EWES.		HOGGETS.	TOTAL.
					CAST.	MAIDEN.		
EAST FALKLAND.								
Estate J. W. Miller	Moody Valley.	30	128	750	200	—	277	1385
San Carlos Sheep Farming Co., Ltd.	San Carlos.	368	7,533	9,551	495	2,336	5,952	26,235
Pitaluga Bros.	Gibraltar.	158	6,422	7,204	—	—	3,499	17,283
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Darwin & Lafonia.	2,191	55,427	56,999	2,959	14,709	34,466	166,751
" " "	Fitzroy.	434	10,934	12,320	—	3,431	7,083	34,211
Smith Bros.	Berkeley Sound.	170	4,700	5,680	—	1,210	3,259	15,019
Mrs. N. S. Browning and Estate J. W. McGill	Mullet Creek.	27	160	1,170	—	44	230	1,631
Mrs. F. O. Yonge	Bluff Cove.	142	471	2,682	278	—	712	4,285
Estate T. Robson	Port Louis.	190	3,510	4,329	—	949	2,503	11,481
The Douglas Stn. Co., Ltd.	Douglas	386	6,981	10,543	—	1,766	4,289	23,967
Port San Carlos Co., Ltd.	Port San Carlos.	399	7,397	10,097	—	2,488	6,114	26,495
Teal Inlet Ltd.	Evelyn.	340	6,579	9,305	327	1,178	4,663	22,392
Estate H. J. Pitaluga	Riucon Grande.	133	3,708	4,023	318	880	2,221	11,283
		4,968	113,950	134,655	4,577	28,991	75,258	362,418
WEST FALKLAND.								
J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard.	302	9,175	13,298	425	3,321	7,730	34,251
Holmested Blake & Co., Ltd.	Hill Cove.	368	9,654	10,997	1,219	2,684	6,165	31,087
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Port Stephens.	358	8,860	9,312	200	1,896	4,862	25,488
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Fox Bay West	410	8,328	11,356	—	2,325	5,883	28,302
Packe Bros. & Co. Ltd.	Fox Bay East	366	8,459	9,842	—	2,756	6,471	27,894
Luxton & Anson	Chartres.	296	6,577	10,310	—	2,170	4,952	24,305
Bertrand & Felton Ltd.	Roy Cove.	168	4,793	5,620	—	1,690	3,775	16,046
		2,268	55,846	70,735	1,844	16,842	39,838	187,373
ISLANDS.								
Estate J. Hamilton, Ltd.	Weddell.	66	3,103	2,076	—	553	2,257	8,055
" " " "	Beaver.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" " " "	Passage.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" " " "	Saunders.	290	2,257	2,803	—	513	1,593	7,396
Dean Bros. Ltd.	Pebble & Keppel.	251	7,026	6,005	294	2,021	4,313	19,920
" " " "	Jasons.	10	815	666	—	62	499	2,052
C. & K. Bertrand	Carcass.	16	1,146	561	—	200	382	2,291
J. Davis	New.	30	1,015	800	134	252	531	2,762
J. Lee	Sea Lion.	13	400	570	50	128	515	1,676
Mrs. Napier	West Point.	14	992	694	—	277	437	2,414
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Speedwell Group.	184	4,528	4,048	—	813	2,953	12,526
		814	21,282	18,223	478	4,819	13,480	59,092

SUMMARY OF STOCK RETURNS 1951-1956.

EAST FALKLAND	...	...	...	4,968	113,950	134,655	4,577	28,991	75,258	362,418
WEST FALKLAND	...	...	...	2,268	55,846	70,735	1,844	16,842	39,838	187,373
ISLANDS	...	...	...	814	21,282	18,223	478	4,819	13,480	59,092
TOTALS				8,050	191,078	223,613	6,899	50,652	128,576	608,882
				1955-1956	8,050	191,078	223,613	6,899	50,652	128,576
				1954-1955	8,232	190,714	222,810	5,468	53,406	117,151
				1953-1954	8,224	187,199	219,080	6,119	53,265	125,828
				1952-1953	7,868	184,489	219,385	7,250	44,946	129,383
				1951-1952	7,978	188,716	222,325	8,677	47,281	109,085

TOTAL WOOL CLIP IN 1000 LBS.	SHEEP SHORN.	LAMBS.		SHEEP DISPOSED OF.	HORSES.	CATTLE.	SWINE.	ACRES SOWN OATS.	EAR MARK.
		MARKED.	DIPPED.						
EAST FALKLAND.									
6	1,112	300	277	548	5	29	18	2	Fork & Slit.
177	22,747	6,148	5,952	1,935	144	677	7	11	Front Square.
103	15,177	3,933	3,526	1,433	54	203	1	—	Fore Bayonet.
1,349	149,888	38,720	34,466	12,234	814	3,646	—	70	Double Swallow.
228	28,208	8,181	7,083	3,165	188	930	—	—	" "
92	13,250	3,841	3,259	1,288	23	241	—	—	Triangle.
6	987	226	230	130	—	26	—	—	Back Bayonet.
23	3,956	882	712	386	19	59	—	—	Double Slit.
82	10,225	2,744	2,503	1,148	50	305	—	—	Front Halfpenny.
147	10,835	5,282	4,289	1,028	102	289	—	6	Fork.
195	23,127	7,337	6,114	2,976	119	778	2	4	Slit.
137	19,758	4,937	4,663	1,880	160	300	—	21	Back Square.
70	10,385	2,382	2,221	640	57	201	—	—	Slit.
2,613	318,655	84,913	75,295	28,791	1,735	7,684	28	95½	

WEST FALKLAND.									
271	29,505	8,800	7,730	2,407	204	898	—	11	Fork.
214	27,276	6,912	6,165	2,990	178	525	—	10	Fore Bayonet.
163	21,958	5,226	4,427	1,977	143	507	10	8	Fork.
195	24,425	6,641	5,883	1,779	122	359	—	25	Fore Bayonet.
207	24,210	6,954	6,471	2,853	134	388	5	—	Fore Bit.
182	21,248	5,625	4,942	1,614	176	594	2	11	Double Swallow.
136	14,689	4,085	3,775	2,452	101	218	4	4	Front Square.
1,368	163,310	44,243	39,393	16,072	1,058	3,489	21	69	

ISLANDS.									
62	5,876	2,600	2,377	1,025	89	141	—	4	Fork.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	"
58	—	1,929	1,634	250	28	101	11	—	"
154	17,872	4,648	4,313	2,636	91	287	—	10	Back Bayonet.
21	1,666	499	—	129	1	—	—	—	" "
25	2,154	382	368	225	12	20	—	—	Fore Bayonet.
27	2,760	590	531	180	6	53	—	—	Fork.
13	1,546	538	515	300	2	13	—	—	Slit.
22	2,199	440	437	205	9	25	—	—	Back Square.
114	9,946	3,973	2,953	1,470	9	355	—	—	Double Swallow.
496	44,019	15,599	13,128	6,420	247	995	11	10½	

2,615	318,655	84,913	75,295	28,791	1,735	7,684	28	95½	
1,368	163,310	44,243	39,393	16,072	1,058	3,489	21	69	
496	44,019	15,599	13,128	6,420	247	995	11	10½	
4,478	525,984	144,755	127,816	51,283	3,040	12,168	60	174½	
4,499	530,698	132,033	118,017	49,332	2,858	12,256	47	104	
4,333	532,768	139,383	125,835	57,120	2,950	12,461	40	93½	
4,419	522,784	149,823	129,545	52,262	2,924	12,457	52	74	
4,212	526,362	122,689	109,360	50,710	3,003	12,181	40	93	

SHEEP DISPOSED OF.

YEAR	SOLD LOCALLY FOR BREEDING OR FURTHER USE	EXPORTED	SLAUGHTERED		
			MUTTON	TALLOW	SKINS
1955-1956	3,853	2,487	19,908	6,663	14,389
1954-1955	7,477	1,640	21,615	—	18,590
1953-1954	7,035	—	38,266	—	11,801
1952-1953	3,932	—	32,945	565	13,194
1951-1952	4,779	1,937	23,427	8,545	12,022

IMPORTATIONS.

From UNITED KINGDOM.			From CHILE		From URUGUAY	From TASMANIA
DOGS	RAMS	BULLS	HORSES	RAMS	DOG	RAMS
4	21	2	128	12	1	14

A Bill for
An Ordinance
Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance.

Enacting clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title and commencement.
Cap 32.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Income Tax Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

(2) The amendment made by this Ordinance shall be deemed to have come into operation with the year of assessment commencing on the 1st day of January, 1958.

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Subsection (1) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the figure "£70" and the substitution therefor of the figure "£100".

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to increase the deduction allowed in respect of each child under the age of 16 years for the purposes of Income Tax.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Jennings, Miss A.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	1.4.57	On probation for six months.
Berntsen, D.	Secretariat & Treasury	Messenger	1.4.57	do.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Peck, Miss L.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	11.4.57	Resigned.
Skilling, A. R.	Public Works	Carpenter	25.4.57	"
Hansen, R. B.	" "	Motor Driver	1.5.57	"
Halliday, K.	Secretariat & Treasury	Messenger	31.3.57	"

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Middleton, G. S.	Posts & Telegraphs	Clerk	12.9.56 to 9.4.57	On resignation.
Whitney, J. R.	" "	"	11.10.56 to 8.4.57	do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 24. 2nd April, 1957.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated 26th March, 1957, it is hereby notified that His Honour the Officer Administering the Government returned to Stanley on Friday, 29th March, 1957.

Ref. P/659. 0276.

No. 25. 3rd April, 1957.

Under Section 54 of the Public Health Ordinance, His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint the following to be the Visiting Committee for the Hospital for the year 1957 :-

MRS. C. LUXTON (*Chairman*)
MRS. A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON
MRS. D. J. DRAYCOTT.

Ref. 596/29.

No. 26. 6th April, 1957.

It is notified for general information that the Official Representative in the Overseas Territories Income Tax Office at 26, Grosvenor Gardens, London, S.W. 1., has been appointed to act on all matters relating to the assessment and collection of Falkland Islands Income Tax and Companies Tax in the United Kingdom within the meaning of Section 41 of the Income Tax Ordinance.

Ref. 0747/II.

No. 27. 6th April, 1957.

It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 10 of the Government Employees Provident Fund Ordinance (Cap. 28) and with effect from 1st January, 1957, the rate of interest on Government Employees Provident Fund compulsory deposits, voluntary deposits, and bonuses has been fixed at 2½%.

Ref. 0426.

No. 28. 18th April, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :-

No.	Title.	Ref.
5 of 1956	Old Age Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance 1956	0323/A/II.
6 of 1956	Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1956	0465/C.

No. 29. 20th April, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Dependencies:-

No.	Title.	Ref.
4 of 1956	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1950) Ord. 1956	0284/J/III.
5 of 1956	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1950/51) Ord. 1956	0284/J/IV.
6 of 1956	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1951/52) Ord. 1956	0284/J/V.
7 of 1956	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1952/53) Ord. 1956	0284/J/VI.

No. 30. 27th April, 1957.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

STANLEY GRAHAM TREES, ESQUIRE, M.V.O.,

to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony, with effect from the 11th April, 1957.

Ref. 0457.

No. 31. 27th April, 1957.

His Honour the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

DONALD JOHN CLARK, ESQUIRE,

to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony, with effect from the 27th April, 1957.

Ref. 0457.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Iris Malvina Andreasen, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Lucy Emma Davis, mother of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th April, 1957.

S.C. 10/57.

The Immigration Ordinance (Cap. 31).

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 3 of the Immigration Ordinance, prohibits the following persons from landing in the Dependencies of the Colony of the Falkland Islands:—

Alberto Alvarez	Juan Carlos Rodriguez	Luben C. Yentzch
Ruben H. Villasante	Juan Rodriguez Davalo	Marco Cesat Duran
Juan Carlos J. Torne	Oswaldo Domingo Valente	Raul C. Correa
José Antonio Garay	Antonio Mircovich	José Erucie
Francisco E. Seoane	Ernesto Rodriguez	Romualdo Duarte
Rufino Benitez	Juan Landetta	Eduanro Suarez Lopez
Arturo Juan Coullery	Carlos Vega	Sebastian Broccio
Hipolito E. Grandinetti	José Malek	Ventura Aguirre
Pedro Pablo Pascual	Manuel Martinez	Fernando Golcalvez
Nicolas Kalovic	Agustin Gutierrez	Maximo Rufeno Romero
Erwin Moreira	Enrique Vargas	José Crucic
Roberto Espinosa	Juan Lino Labarte	Juan Carlos Peducci
Atilano de Vigo	Antonio Sacco	Juan Carlos Saiz
Juan Felix Almazabal	Carlos Fernandez	Manuel F. Rey
Horacio H. Pardo	Armando Silvio Tamaro	Juan Carlos Huertas

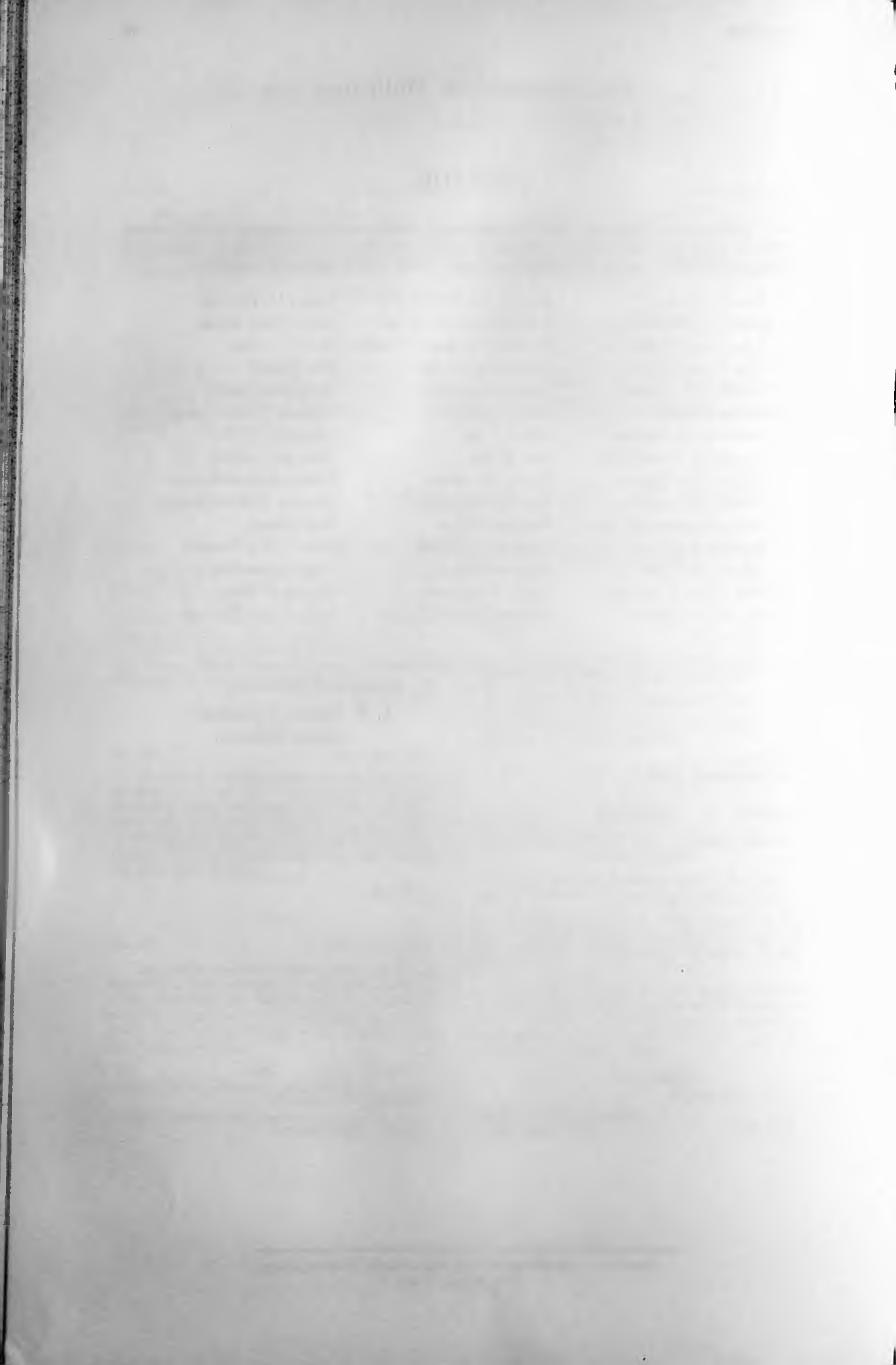
By Command of

His Excellency the Governor,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

31st December, 1956.

Ref. D/7/56.





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Notice.

No. 32.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st May, 1957.

The following Commission passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, appointing EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, is published for general information.

By Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref : P/756

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

COMMISSION passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet appointing EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQ., C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

ELIZABETH R.

Dated 25th February, 1957.

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Common-

wealth, Defender of the Faith: To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Greeting:

Appointment of
E. P. Arrowsmith, Esq.,
C.M.G., to be Governor.

We do, by this Our Commission under our Sign Manual and Signet, appoint you, the said EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, to be, with effect from the twenty-ninth day of March, 1957, Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, during Our pleasure, with all the powers, rights, privileges, and advantages to the said Office belonging or appertaining.

Termination of
Commission dated 25th
January, 1954.

II. And further We do hereby appoint that the Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet bearing date the twenty-fifth day of January, 1954, appointing Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Oswald Raynor Arthur, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, (now Sir Oswald Raynor Arthur, Knight Commander of Our said Most Distinguished Order) Commander in Our Royal Victorian Order, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Our Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies shall determine upon signification to that effect being given by Us through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State.

Officers and others
to obey.

III. And We do hereby command all and singular Our Officers and loving subjects in our said Colony and its Dependencies, and all others whom it may concern, to take due notice hereof, and to give their ready obedience accordingly.

Termination of this
Commission.

IV. And We do hereby direct that this Our Commission shall determine upon signification to that effect being given by Us through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State.

Given at our Court at Saint James's, this twenty-fifth day of February, 1957, in the sixth year of our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command.

HOME.

No. 2.

Proclamation

1957

Assumption of the Administration of the Colony by His Excellency

EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, C.M.G.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

His Excellency EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies hereby gives notice that he has in pursuance of Her Most Gracious Majesty's Commission this day taken the Oaths prescribed by law as Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies and assumed the Administration of the Government.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this twenty-eighth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

 Notice.

No. 31A.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th April, 1957.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HONOURABLE MR. AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, M.C.,
Colonial Secretary, Administered the Government from the 22nd January, 1957, to 27th April, 1957, both dates inclusive.

By Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Curtis, Dr. (Miss) J. M. M.B., B.S., D. (Obst.) R.C.O.G.	Medical	Medical Officer (Locum Tenens)	28.4.57	—
Wollman, G.	"	Dental Surgeon	28.4.57	—
Smith, Mrs. F.	"	Nurse Probationer	16.5.57	—
Gilbert, J.	South Georgia	Steward	3.5.57	—
Gilbert, Mrs. E.	" "	Cook/Stewardess	3.5.57	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Watson, W. H.	F.I.D.S. Carpenter	1.5.55	—

TRANSFER.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Lindsay, Miss J. Clerk, Audit Department	Telephone Operator, Posts & Telegraphs	1.5.57.

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Grant, Mrs. J. née Andersen	Education	Clerk	23.2.57 to 6.5.57	On resignation.
Garner, Mrs. S.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk	16.3.57 to 4.5.57	" "

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 33. 14th May, 1957.

It is hereby notified for general information that

THE HON. MR. S. G. TREES, M.V.O., J.P.,
acted as Colonial Secretary from 2nd February, 1957, to 25th March, and from 29th March, to 27th April, 1957; and

MR. J. BOUND, E.D., J.P.,
acted as Colonial Secretary from the 26th March, to 28th March, 1957.

Ref. P/643. P/186.

No. 34. 17th May, 1957.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HON. MR. JAMES TURNER CLEMENT,
to be Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the Marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Albert Edward Michael Jeffery, bachelor, and Whilhelmina Blanche Hewitt, spinster, at Fitzroy, East Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

No. 35. 18th May, 1957.

It is hereby notified that the Bill for an Ordinance further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance, appearing on page 46 of April Gazette, has been withdrawn and is now incorporated in the Bill appearing on page 59 herein.

Ref. 0747/II.

No. 36. 18th May, 1957.

Her Majesty the Queen has approved that the order and form of Loyal Toasts to be used in

No. 37.

18th May, 1957.

The following revised list of Magistrates and Justices of the Peace of the Colony and its Dependencies is published for information:—

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Place of Residence.</i>	<i>Date of Appointment.</i>
EAST FALKLAND.		
Dr. J. H. Ashmore, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., J.P.	Darwin	14th December, 1954.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Barton, C.B.E., J.P.	Stanley	15th July, 1931.
H. Bennett, Esq., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
Hon. Mr. J. F. Bonner, J.P.	"	12th May, 1937.
J. Bound, Esq., E.D., J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
Hon. Mr. N. K. Cameron, O.B.E., J.P.	Port San Carlos	6th May, 1935.
Hon. Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.	Stanley	3rd January, 1953.
D. J. Clark, Esq., J.P.	"	27th April, 1957.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Denton-Thompson, M.C., Magistrate	"	2nd May, 1955.
Hon. Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.	Darwin	31st January, 1949.
Hon. Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.	Stanley	22nd July, 1946.
Hon. Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.	"	27th November, 1939.
M. Robson, Esq., J.P.	"	12th August, 1920.
Hon. Mr. S. G. Trees, M.V.O., J.P.	"	11th April, 1957.

future shall be as follows:—

1. The Queen.
2. Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother, The Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, and the other Members of the Royal Family.

Ref 46/37.

No. 38. 21st May, 1957.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant leave of absence to the undermentioned gentleman from his duties as a Member of the Executive Council with effect from the 15th May, 1957.

THE HONOURABLE MR. A. G. BARTON, C.B.E., J.P.

Ref. C/0001/II.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of William John Smith, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Hannah Caroline Smith, widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th May, 1957.

S.C. 27/56.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Place of Residence.</i>	<i>Date of Appointment.</i>
WEST FALKLAND.		
W. W. Blake, Esq., J.P.	Hill Cove	24th March, 1954.
W. H. Clement, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay East	5th October, 1954.
K. W. Luxton, Esq., J.P.	Chartres	24th September, 1940.
Hon. Mr. S. Miller, J.P.	Roy Cove	3rd June, 1955.
D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.	Port Howard	25th April, 1946.
C. H. Robertson, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay West	27th November, 1936.
DEPENDENCIES.		
C. C. Clements, Esq., Magistrate	Port Lockroy	5th April, 1956.
J. Paisley, Esq., Magistrate	Deception Island	8th November, 1956.
L. Rice, Esq., Magistrate	Hope Bay	8th November, 1956.
D. Emerson, Esq., Magistrate	Argentine Islands	5th November, 1956.
A. Precious, Esq., Magistrate	Admiralty Bay	5th November, 1956.
C. D. Scotland, Esq., Magistrate	Signy Island	1st April, 1957.
R. Miller, Esq., Magistrate	Graham Coast	16th February, 1957.
J. W. Thompson, Esq., Magistrate	Anvers Island	21st March, 1957.
R. A. Foster, Esq., Magistrate	Danco Coast	6th February, 1956.
A. B. Erskine, Esq., Magistrate	Loubet Coast	5th November, 1956.
P. Guyver, Esq., Magistrate	Horseshoe Island	16th February, 1956.
W. Johnston, Esq., Magistrate	R. R. S. "John Biscoe"	13th January, 1951.
N. R. Brown, Esq., Magistrate	R. R. S. "Shackleton"	2nd December, 1955.
R. A. Smart, Esq., Magistrate	I. G. Y. Vahsel Bay	17th December, 1956.
J. W. Matthew, Esq., Magistrate	South Georgia	23rd March, 1957.
V. E. Fuchs, Esq., Magistrate	T.A.E. Base	30th January, 1948.

Ref. 0457.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Temporary Member of the Executive Council.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency* EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the great seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor may, from time to time, appoint persons other than ex-officio Members to be Temporary Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, J.P.,

to be a Temporary Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 16th day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3. **Proclamation** 1957

Made under section 24 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council)
Order in Council, 1948 to 1955.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency* EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH,
Esquire, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by subsection (1) of section 24 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders in Council, 1948 to 1955, it is provided that the sittings of the Council shall be held at such times and places as the Governor shall from time to time appoint by Proclamation :

NOW THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me as aforesaid, do by this Proclamation appoint Monday the twenty-fourth day of June, 1957, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Court and Council Chambers, Stanley, to be the time and place for a sitting of the Legislative Council of the Colony.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 1st day of June, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

**A Bill for
An Ordinance
Further to amend the Live Stock Ordinance.**

[, 1957.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Live Stock (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Live Stock Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

2. Section 34 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.

Title.

Date of Commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title.

Cap. 40.

Repeal of section 34 of the principal Ordinance.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to remove the statutory obligation of farmers to notify neighbours when they intend to gather their flocks.

**A Bill for
An Ordinance
Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance.**

[1st January, 1958]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Income Tax Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

(2) The amendments made by this Ordinance shall come into operation with the year of assessment commencing on the 1st day of January, 1958.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the addition of the following new definitions immediately after the definition of "Commissioner" :—

" "The Commonwealth" shall be deemed to include those territories and their dependencies which are named in the fifth schedule hereto.

"Commonwealth income-tax" means any income-tax charged under any law in force in any part of the Commonwealth other than the United Kingdom."

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title and commencement.
Cap 32.

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 8 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the substitution of a semi-colon for the colon at the end of paragraph (i) and the addition of the following new paragraph :—

“(j) any grant made from the public revenue of the Colony, in respect of any person between the ages of 11 and 18 years, who is receiving full time instruction at a recognised educational establishment outside the Colony :”.

Amendment of section 12 of the principal Ordinance.

4. Paragraph (g) of section 12 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “Commonwealth income-tax” for the words “Empire income-tax as defined by this Ordinance”.

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

5. Subsection (1) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the figure “£70” and the substitution therefor of the figure “£100”.

Amendment of section 18 of the principal Ordinance.

6. Paragraph (f) of section 18 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “the Commonwealth” for the words “His Majesty’s Dominions or in territory under His Majesty’s protection”.

Amendment of section 26 of the principal Ordinance.

7. Subsection (2) of section 26 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words “not being a British subject, or a firm or company whose principal place of business is situated in His Majesty’s Dominions or in territory under His Majesty’s protection, or a branch thereof,”.

Amendment of section 47 of the principal Ordinance.

8. Section 47 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—

- (a) the words “Subject to the provisions of subsection (3) of this section” are inserted at the beginning of subsections (1) and (2);
- (b) the words “Commonwealth income-tax” are substituted for the words “Empire income-tax” wherever those words occur;
- (c) the words “rate of Commonwealth income-tax” are substituted for the words “Empire rate of tax” wherever those words occur;
- (d) subsection (3) is repealed and replaced by the following :—

“(3) No relief shall be granted in accordance with the provisions of subsection (1) or subsection (2) of this section in respect of Commonwealth income-tax charged in any part of the Commonwealth unless the legislature of that part has provided for relief in respect of tax charged on income both in that part and in the Colony in a manner similar to that provided for in this section.”.

Amendment of section 48 of the principal Ordinance.

9. Section 48 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “Commonwealth income-tax” for the words “Empire income-tax”.

Amendment of section 49 of the principal Ordinance.

10. Subsection (3) of section 49 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “the Commonwealth” for the words “His Majesty’s dominions” and by deleting the words “or the Colony”.

Amendment of section 52 of the principal Ordinance.

11. Section 52 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “the Commonwealth” for the words “His Majesty’s Dominions or in any place under His Majesty’s protection” wherever those words occur.

12. The following Fifth Schedule is added to the principal Ordinance :—

Addition of Fifth Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

“FIFTH SCHEDULE.

Aden	Leeward Islands
Australia	Malta
Bahamas	Mauritius
Barbados	New Hebrides
Basutoland	New Zealand
Bechuanaland	North Borneo
Bermuda	Northern Rhodesia
British Guiana	Nyasaland Protectorate
British Honduras	Pakistan
British Solomon Islands	St. Helena
Brunei	Sarawak
Canada	Seychelles
Ceylon	Sierra Leone
Channel Islands	Singapore
Cyprus	Somaliland Protectorate
Federation of Malaya	Southern Rhodesia
Federation of Nigeria	South-West Africa
Fiji	Swaziland
Gambia	Tanganyika
Ghana	Tonga
Gibraltar	Trinidad and Tobago
Gilbert & Ellice Islands	Uganda Protectorate
Hong Kong	Union of South Africa
India	United Kingdom of Great Britain
Isle of Man	and Northern Ireland
Jamaica	Windward Islands
Kenya	Zanzibar.”

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The objects of this Bill are :

- (a) to amend the double taxation relief provisions regarding income-tax by adopting the term “Commonwealth” in place of “Empire”. Such change accords with present usage and more accurately describes what is intended ;
- (b) to exempt from income-tax any grant made from the public revenue of the Colony towards the further education overseas of any person between the ages of 11 and 18 years ;
- (c) to increase the deduction allowed in respect of each child under the age of 16 years for the purposes of income-tax ;
- (d) to levy the same tax upon non-resident British subjects and companies who carry on business by an agent etc., in the Colony, as is leviable upon other non-resident persons and companies who carry on business by an agent etc., in the Colony.

A Bill for
An Ordinance
To amend the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance.

Date of commencement.

[, 1957]

Enacting clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title.

Cap. 18.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Dangerous Drugs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Interpretation.

2. In this Ordinance unless the context otherwise requires —

“Raw opium” means the spontaneously coagulated juice obtained from the capsules of the *papaver somniferum* which has only been submitted to the necessary manipulations for packing and transport whatever its content of morphine.

“Prepared opium” means the product of raw opium obtained by a series of special operations, especially by dissolving, boiling, roasting and fermentation, designed to transform it into an extract suitable for consumption, and includes dross and all other residues remaining when opium has been smoked.

“Medicinal opium” means raw opium which has undergone the processes necessary to adapt it for medicinal use in accordance with the requirements of the British pharmacopoeia whether in powder form or granulated or otherwise or mixed with neutral materials.

“Coca leaf” means the leaf of any plant of the genus of the erythroxyllaceae from which cocaine can be extracted either directly or by chemical transformation.

Cultivation of the opium poppy prohibited.

3. It shall not be lawful to cultivate the opium poppy (*papaver somniferum*) in the Colony.

Importation of prepared opium prohibited.

4. It shall not be lawful to import or bring into the Colony or to possess therein any prepared opium.

Amendment of First Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

5. The First Schedule to the principal Ordinance is amended —

(a) by deleting and replacing Item 1 as follows —
“1. Raw opium. Medicinal opium.”;

(b) by deleting the word “Cocaine” which occurs at the beginning of Item 4 and substituting therefor the words “Coca leaves and cocaine”;

(c) by the addition of a new Item 15 as follows —

“15. The amphetamines (beta-aminopropylbenzene and beta-aminoisopropylbenzene).”.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The objects of this Bill are :—

- (a) to prohibit the cultivation of the opium poppy *papaver somniferum*;
- (b) to prohibit the importation or possession of prepared opium; and
- (c) to declare raw opium, coca leaves and their derivatives and the amphetamines to be dangerous drugs.

A Bill for An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1955. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the period 1st April, 1955 to 30th June, 1956. Preamble.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1955-56) Ordinance, 1957. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that period, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Governor	820	11	3
II.	Agriculture	612	16	8
V.	Education	1600	14	10
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	3005	17	8
VII.	Medical	1760	18	2
IX.	Military	25	8	4
X.	Miscellaneous	19592	5	0
XI.	Pensions	693	6	6
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	2812	2	5
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	2499	7	7
XVIII.	Extraordinary Expenditure	16354	0	11
XIX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	1108	12	10
	Total Expenditure £	50886	2	2

A Bill for
An Ordinance

Title.

To provide for the service of the year
1957-58.

Enacting clause.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the
Falkland Islands as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the
Appropriation (1957-58) Ordinance, 1957.

Appropriation of
£314,956 for service
of the year 1957/58.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public
Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service
of the year ending 30th June, 1958, a sum not exceeding Three
hundred and fourteen thousand nine hundred and fifty six pounds,
which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and
to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly
mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of pay-
ment during the year 1957-58.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	7250	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5880	0	0
III.	Audit	1155	0	0
IV.	Aviation	16414	0	0
V.	Education	33776	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Customs	10634	0	0
VII.	Medical	28863	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1295	0	0
IX.	Military	1418	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	32438	0	0
XI.	Pensions & Gratuities	7983	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4488	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	43533	0	0
XIV.	Power & Electrical	26430	0	0
XV.	Public Works	9170	0	0
XVI.	Public Works Recurrent	26966	0	0
XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure	23798	0	0
XVIII.	Secretariat & Treasury	15118	0	0
XIX.	Supreme Court	1148	0	0
	Total	£297757	0	0
XX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	17199	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£314956	0	0



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A Bill for
 An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year Title.
 1957-58.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Enacting clause.
 Falkland Islands as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Short title.
 Appropriation (1957-58) Ordinance, 1957.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1958, a sum not exceeding Three hundred and six thousand four hundred and ninety one pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1957-58.

Appropriation of
 £306,491 for service
 of the year 1957/58.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	7250	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5880	0	0
III.	Audit	1155	0	0
IV.	Aviation	16414	0	0
V.	Education	34031	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Customs	10634	0	0
VII.	Medical	28578	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1295	0	0
IX.	Military	1418	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	32438	0	0
XI.	Pensions & Gratuities	8248	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4788	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	43533	0	0
XIV.	Power & Electrical	15430	0	0
XV.	Public Works	9170	0	0
XVI.	Public Works Recurrent	28966	0	0
XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure	23798	0	0
XVIII.	Secretariat & Treasury	15118	0	0
XIX.	Supreme Court	1148	0	0
	Total	£289292	0	0
XX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	17199	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£306491	0	0

[This Bill supersedes the Bill published on page 64 of the Gazette of 1st June, 1957.]



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Campbell, I. T.	Aviation	Pilot	14.2.57	On probation for one year.
Reive, T.	"	Hangar Assistant	1.7.57	—
Hutton, P.	Education	Travelling Teacher (Temporary)	1.7.57	—
Turner, Mrs. E.	"	Matron, Port Howard Boarding School	22.5.57	—
Williams, E.	Government House	Head Gardener	1.7.57	—
Ford, J.	South Georgia	Senior Meteorological Assistant	1.4.57	Assumed duty 6th May, 1957.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Brown, N. R.	R.R.S. "Shackleton"	Master	1.7.55	—

PROMOTION.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Morrison, D. R.	Secretariat & Treasury	Clerk, Scale K	Clerk, Scale C	16.3.57.
Allan, H. F.	South Georgia	Junior W/T Operator	Senior W/T Operator	1.6.57.

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
O'Sullivan, D. W., E.D.	Clerk, Agricultural Dept.	Clerk, P.W.D. (Civil Engineer's Office)	24.6.57.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Grant, J.	South Georgia	Assistant Customs Officer	13.3.57 to 25.6.57	On completion of contract.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 39. 13th June, 1957.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS, 1957.

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointment:—

O.B.E. (Civil) —

DR. ROBERT STEWART SLESSOR.

Ref. 0107/C/III.

*From His Excellency the Governor to the
Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies*

"I should be glad if you would convey to Her Majesty the Queen, with my humble duty, the loyal and affectionate greetings of Her Majesty's subjects in the Falkland Islands, the Falkland Islands Dependencies and the Antarctic Bases on the occasion of the observance in the United Kingdom of Her Majesty's Birthday."

*From the Right Honourable the Secretary of
State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor*

"I am commanded by the Queen to convey to you and Her Majesty's subjects in the Falkland Islands, Falkland Islands Dependencies and Antarctic Bases her sincere thanks for your kind message of loyal and affectionate greetings on the occasion of Her Majesty's Birthday."

Ref. 0191/B.

No. 40. 26th June, 1957.

The following telegrams exchanged between His Excellency the Governor and the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies are published for general information:—

No. 4.

Proclamation

1957

Made under section 24 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council)
Order in Council, 1948 to 1955.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by subsection (1) of section 24 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders in Council, 1948 to 1955, it is provided that the sittings of the Council shall be held at such times and places as the Governor shall from time to time appoint by Proclamation:

NOW THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me as aforesaid, do by this Proclamation appoint Wednesday the twenty-sixth day of June, 1957, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the Court and Council Chambers, Stanley, to be the time and place for a sitting of the Legislative Council of the Colony.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable that the Proclamation made by me on the first day of June, 1957, whereby I appointed the twenty-fourth day of June, 1957, as the day on which a sitting of the Legislative Council of the Colony should be held, should be cancelled I hereby cancel the said Proclamation.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 20th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on 26th, 27th and 28th June, 1957.

Present : His Excellency the Governor.
 The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
 The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.
 The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.
 The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.
 The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern, M.R.C.V.S.
 The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. S. Miller, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.
 The Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement.

The meeting opened with prayers read by the Reverend J. Gould.

2. The Minutes of the Legislative Council Meeting, held on the 12th October, 1956, were confirmed.

3. His Excellency delivered the following address to Council.

Honourable Members of Legislative Council,

Since the last Budget Meeting of this Council, and in fact since its last meeting, we have had the great honour and privilege of a visit to the Colony by His Royal Highness the Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh. It was a visit that gave immense pleasure and satisfaction to the people of this Colony, and it was one that Prince Philip himself enjoyed and in which Her Majesty the Queen most graciously took the keenest interest. This happy occasion will always be remembered in the history of these Islands, and it demonstrated most vividly how close are the ties which bind us in loyalty and affection to the Throne.

Since my predecessor last addressed this Council, we have had a year of steady progress and development. Unfortunately, we have had our disappointments and setbacks as well.

As a result very largely of the Royal Visit, the Public Works programme was advanced and speeded up, and some of the work that was not scheduled to be undertaken for some time to come, was, in fact, carried out in 1956. We have, as I think Honourable Members will agree, our reward in the more satisfactory appearance and condition of our public buildings and Government properties, and in having reached the beginning of the last stages of the very heavy programme of repair and deferred maintenance on which this Council so wisely embarked a few years ago. I am sure Honourable Members will agree that it must be the task of Government, once the major programme is completed, to ensure regular and periodical maintenance, so that in future years the Colony is not again found with such a backlog of work and heavy capital expenditure.

I am glad to say that work on the new filtration plant is proceeding satisfactorily. Progress has not been as fast as Government had originally hoped, but it is clear that some of the complexities of the project, the amount of work involved, and the speed with which it could be completed, were underestimated, and we were, perhaps, rather too hopeful and optimistic. I am advised that provided no major difficulties arise, and we must always be prepared for them, the plant should be working early in the New Year, and we should then be relieved of some of the anxieties with regard to the recurrent shortages of water in Stanley that have constantly beset us during the past two years.

Once work on the filtration plant is completed, our labour resources will be devoted to the roads programme. At one time it was considered that it might be practicable to split the labour and undertake some of the work on the roads at the same time as the construction of the water filtration plant. As time went on, however, it became clear that not only would this involve an uneconomic distribution of labour, but it would defer a solution to the water supply problem that had become increasingly more pressing. It is expected that to complete the Stanley roads programme a further three years will be required with the labour resources now at our disposal.

Work on four of the Ajax Bay houses has been practically completed and they will be ready for occupation in the near future. A fifth house has very recently been dismantled and brought into Stanley. That will leave the large Manager's house to be brought in for erection during the next financial year. Work on the new telephone exchange is nearly finished, and it will be ready in time for the new equipment, which I hope will arrive within the next three or four months, and which will alleviate the shortage of lines and at the same time provide the facilities we require to meet future demands.

I should like now to turn to one of the most important, and indeed vital aspects of our life and indeed, of the future of the Falkland Islands - education. As my predecessor so rightly forecast when he last addressed Council, it has been a notable year for education. The past twelve months have set the seal of success on the Darwin Boarding School where there are now thirty-nine boarders and eleven day children. This has been a revolutionary development in the Falkland Islands, and I would like to pay a tribute to Mr. Honeyman and his staff who have worked so hard to make the school the success it has proved to be. But they themselves will be the first to admit that much credit too must go to the parents for their very ready co-operation with the Headmaster and teachers, and to the children themselves who have settled down so well, so quickly, and so happily in their new surroundings. The critical and, I am

told, almost unprecedented water shortage that developed at Darwin last term, was certainly a setback, but I am glad to learn that efforts are being made to find additional sources of supply, and to avoid a repetition of such an unfortunate state of affairs.

The Port Howard house for the schoolmaster has been completed, and the Reverend J. E. Turner, the newly appointed Headmaster, and his wife are now in residence. We wish them every success in this new and important venture. In comparison to Darwin, of course, the West Falkland Boarding School is a very much more modest project. But it is designed with a view to expansion, and as demand grows and the whole boarding school experiment grows in status, Government has in mind extensions to the building to provide more accommodation for boarders and school activities. It is hoped that the school will be taking a few boarders in the very near future.

The overseas scholarship scheme is functioning well and at present we have five children at Dorset schools. So far eighteen children have benefited from this scholarship scheme and the nineteenth scholarship child, Daisy Clifton, will be going to the High School for Girls at Shaftesbury in September. We have, of course, had one or two disappointments, but the progress of the great majority has been very heartening, and in some cases the results have been outstanding. We owe much to the continuing co-operation and interest of the Dorset Education Authorities and there can be no doubt that the expenditure on this scheme has been fully justified. Education cannot and must never be allowed to stagnate, for if education stagnates then a nation stagnates, and Government must always be on the alert for new methods, new ideas, and new ways of improving the general standards of education. I am sure that Mr. Swann is very much alive to this and I am confident that he will be sustained in his task by your continuing interest and co-operation.

Included in the Estimates that will shortly be presented for your consideration, is provision for an Overseas Education Scheme. This is a new, and I believe important, measure of Government policy. It is now commonly accepted that there is an obligation on Government to provide facilities for secondary education. At the present time it is beyond our resources to do so, having regard to all our other commitments, involving as it would considerable sums of capital expenditure, in building a new school and in providing the additional staff, quarters and facilities required for such a project. But at least, for the present, we can provide a measure of financial assistance towards more advanced education, and consequently Government proposes, subject to your approval, to introduce an Overseas Education Scheme. The full details of the scheme will be announced later, but in general outline it will provide for a tax free grant of £150 for the first year and £100 a year for four years thereafter in the case of any child whose parents or guardians are living in the Falkland Islands, who is between the ages of eleven and eighteen, who is being educated abroad at a school approved by the Superintendent of Education, and who is considered by the Superintendent to be capable of benefiting from such education.

To turn to another important subject, that of health, I am afraid I have to record that there have been several further cases of tuberculosis during the period under review. Two or three of these cases were found amongst ships' officers or crews, and illustrate the care we must take to ensure that there is no general recurrence of this disease, once so prevalent in the Falkland Islands. I am confident that the recent legislation on this subject will assist the Medical Department in its efforts to diagnose the disease in its early stages and prevent the spread of infection.

I have been very impressed by the hospital and by the general standards of our Medical Department. I feel that we are indeed fortunate both in the hospital and its equipment and in our medical and dental staff. I am aware of the fact that the Department was seriously handicapped by staff shortages during 1956, and indeed it is still short of nursing staff. But it is clear that in spite of these difficulties the Department has never relaxed in any way its high standards of efficiency and service. During 1956, 151 patients were cared for in the hospital, and 1,200 people attended in the Out-patients Department or in their own homes by the medical staff in Stanley. In addition to this, of course, there are the numerous patients who have been cared for by our Camp doctors. As was to be expected, the Dental Department has had a busy year, and I am glad to learn that the greater proportion of the backlog of work has now been overtaken.

I was particularly pleased to hear that Doctor Greenaway, our Medical Officer in the West Falkland, has decided to return for a further tour of duty, and I am sure that Honourable Members will join me in welcoming this decision.

Finally, I think all Members will join me in congratulating the Hon. Dr. Slessor on his very well merited award of the O.B.E. This award reflects the greatest credit on him personally and on his Department.

Until we suffered the setback of having two aircraft engines "pack up" on us within a comparatively short time of each other, and well before they had flown the stipulated number of hours, the Aviation Department had had another good year. During the past twelve months our two Beavers have carried 1,716 passengers and made 325 medical calls. I do not think I need underline in any way the importance of these aircraft to our island life, but I feel sure that you would wish me to express the appreciation of all of us for the efficient way in which the Director of Civil Aviation and his colleagues in his Department have carried out their duties, and met the many and varying demands made upon them and their aircraft. I would not wish to tempt fortune, but I must say a special word of appreciation to the ground engineers for as much depends upon them as it does on the pilots for the safety of the aircraft and passengers, and I feel certain that both our pilots will be the first to agree with me. Arrangements are being made for the purchase of a fourth engine in order to mitigate, as far as possible, the chance of our again being placed in a position in which the aircraft can only be used for emergency medical flights, and I hope that the aircraft will be flying normally again early in August.

As Members are aware, the aerial cover of the Falkland Islands by Hunting Aero Surveys has been completed. For a number of years now a topographical survey of the Falklands had been on the list of work to be undertaken by the Directorate of Colonial Surveys, but unfortunately we have hitherto been low on the list of priorities. Now a third of the job is done. The next stage is the ground control. For this two surveyors will be coming out to work in the Falklands, and the first of them is expected to

arrive on the first trip of the "Darwin". Government is endeavouring to ensure that calls on farms will be reduced to a minimum, but inevitably some assistance will be required. This is a most important project, and I am sure that Government can be confident of the ready support and assistance of all farm managers which will be very necessary if the ground control programme is to be successfully completed. The third stage will be the preparation and printing of our maps, but this part of the programme will, in all probability, take two or three years. I have no doubt that the resulting maps will be of assistance to shipping, aircraft and farmers.

Another department which has created a marked impression in my mind is the Power & Electrical Department. The Power House is certainly one of the best I have seen for its size anywhere, and here again, it is quite clear that the public in Stanley is served by an efficient department. As Members are aware, a new flat rate electricity tariff, based on production costs, was introduced with effect from the 1st of January this year. This new tariff meant, of course, that Government Departments and some of the larger private consumers would have to pay more for their electricity, but it did bring to an end the system under which many of the small consumers were, in effect, subsidising the large consumers of electricity. The immediate effect of the new tariff has been to increase the demand for electricity in Stanley by just over 20% in the first quarter of this year.

The Posts and Telegraphs Department is another Government Department that has experienced staff shortages during the period under review, and in particular the vacancies for W/T operators have thrown a heavy strain on Mr. Hooley and his colleagues. It reflects greatly to the credit of the Superintendent and his staff that in spite of these difficulties services have been maintained at a high standard throughout the year. I am glad to be able to say that we have at last been able to recruit another operator who will be arriving shortly. The service that this Department gives to the public will be considerably improved when the new telephone exchange comes into operation towards the end of this year, and with the installation of a teleprinter link between V.P.C. and the Post Office.

I am afraid that this Department will suffer a serious loss when Mr. Hooley, our Senior Operator, retires towards the end of this year. For 35 years he has been a loyal and devoted public servant and we owe much to him for the very high standards of efficiency which have been maintained in our telegraphic services with the outside world. He will, I know, carry into retirement the best wishes of us all.

I must also record that our small, but efficient, Police Force will also have vacancies in the next few months. Mr. Ikkint, the Chief Constable, leaves us in January, and Sergeant Norris, after 28 years' service, has decided to retire at the end of next month. I view the departure of these two officers both of whom have done so much for the Force, with real regret and I wish them every success and happiness in the future.

I am sure Members would also wish me to extend our best wishes for the future to the Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern, who will shortly be leaving us after completing his tour of duty in the Colony. I little thought when I first met Mr. Fern in the Kalahari Desert some 25 years' ago that our next encounter would be in the Falkland Islands.

Another project to which I would wish to refer, and one that is integrally tied up with an attempt to improve life and conditions in the Camp, is the Camp Tracks programme. I think all Members who have considered this project, and who have had something to do with it, will agree that the problem is a difficult one and one that is not susceptible to any quick or easy solution. It is a new project, we are still finding our way, and it is costing a lot of money. As members will recall, it was originally felt that the first move should be drainage of the camp track traces in an attempt to lower the water table. This, combined with bridging, was all it was felt could be done in the initial stages and in some cases, where it is folly to move the top vegetation cover, all that could be done short of a major all-weather road construction programme. The scheme has had setbacks and these have to some extent been due to the large number of mechanical breakdowns arising, very probably, from the fact that the tracks provided with the machine are too wide, generally speaking, for this type of country. This is being rectified.

It would seem that in some areas all that might be required is a rotovator, and the Honourable Mr. Miller's successful experiment in the West Falkland is an illustration of what can be done with this type of machine. In other areas, where there is clay or shale lying underneath, it may be possible to bulldoze off the top surface and, in effect, to make a track. It is the intention to carry out experiments with the bulldozer blades designed by Mr. Cuthbertson to fit the Buffalo. If these fail, then the drainage machine will have to be utilised solely for drainage of the traces in those areas where drainage is useful and necessary, and further consideration given to the extent to which track making, as opposed to drainage, is a practical and economic proposition. I am grateful for the close co-operation of farmers in this project, for without such co-operation and their assistance in providing close supervision and encouragement to the operators, the project cannot succeed.

There is, perhaps, a risk that we might too easily be deterred by the difficulties that have arisen and our apparent lack of physical progress compared to the time taken and money spent. I suggest that having profited by our experiences and, quite frankly, our failures, we should at least carry through the programme for a further year. I am very anxious to see for myself the work that is going on and to talk to farmers about it on the spot.

As we are all only too well aware, we are going through a prolonged period without mails, due to the delayed arrival of the s.s. "Darwin" and due to the fact that for the first time for some years we have not at present got one of Her Majesty's ships with us. I know, of course, that there is a feeling in some quarters that this state of affairs could have been avoided with a little more forethought by Government. Arrangements were made by the Falkland Islands Company, in conjunction with Government, for a fourth charter, and the R.R.S. "Shackleton" made an additional trip to Montevideo. Unfortunately, for operational reasons, neither the R.R.S. "John Biscoe" nor the "Shackleton" could be made available for any further period. Enquiries were made over a period of months to see if something could be done to fill the remaining gap. There was one possibility, but the shipowners in question required a minimum of £8,000 and total expenditure would have exceeded that figure by a substantial sum. I am sure, that in spite of the inconvenience we are suffering through lack of shipping, Honourable Members will agree that expenditure of this order would only have been justified in the event of some grave emergency.

This "shipping gap", combined with our misfortunes over aircraft engines, has, as I think Honourable Members will agree, brought home quite forcibly to us all the value and importance to the Colony of the "Philomel", originally purchased as a hospital boat. Since her refit in September of last year, she has steamed 4,297 miles, made over 80 visits to Falkland Islands ports of call, and carried over 850 tons of cargo in addition to mails and passengers. Under Mr. Grierson's direction and that of her captain, Mr. Sollis, she fulfils a most important and perhaps vital role in the Falkland Islands, particularly when it comes to serving some of the more remote camp stations and outlying islands.

Members will observe that following the decision taken at a recent meeting between representatives of the Sheep Owners' Association and Members of Executive and Legislative Councils, provision has been inserted in the Estimates to meet the cost of a soil survey. The figure inserted, however, must at this stage be regarded in the light of a token estimate. The general consensus of opinion expressed at the meeting was conveyed to the Secretary of State, and he has recently advised me that the whole question of a soil survey and the objectives of such a survey are being closely studied by the Macaulay Institute, whose advice I am sure should prove most valuable.

Important as a soil survey is for obtaining basic information, I venture to suggest it will be of little practical value unless it is closely integrated with a much wider programme of long term experimental work and pasture improvement. A soil survey now is timely, because it is the intention of the Falkland Islands Company to inaugurate an experimental programme of pasture improvement and to carry it out over a period of years. The soil survey should provide the basic information necessary for this programme, and also by providing general information on soil types throughout the Colony be of assistance to farmers in any pasture improvement schemes they are undertaking. The results of the Company's experiments will be generously available to all farmers and will, I trust, yield important results which will prove of real benefit to the industry.

Finally, before referring in general terms to the financial position, I should like to mention another matter of considerable public importance. Government has for some time been disturbed by the lack of recruits for the public service, by difficulties experienced in recruiting essential staff from overseas, and a prevalent feeling amongst the Civil Service that salaries and conditions are not commensurate with their responsibilities or present day conditions. It must, I think, always be remembered that apart from the normally high standards we have the right to expect from the public service, it is vitally important, in view of our geographical position and comparative isolation, to ensure that our essential services are of the highest standard. It is, I suggest, important that Government should be able to offer a remuneration and conditions of service that will attract the right people to the public service both from the Falkland Islands and from overseas. To that end, a special sub-committee of Executive Council was set up recently to consider and make recommendations with regard to the salaries and conditions of established Civil Servants. I am advised that the report of this Committee has been completed, and I have in mind that after consideration by Executive Council, the report and such proposals as it may contain will be submitted to the Legislature. I am sure that when it comes before you you will give the matter the very serious consideration that it merits.

I do not propose in this address to give you an account of the current year's workings, or to go into details of next year's proposals, of which you will hear in the course of the 1957/58 Budget that is shortly to be presented to you. I have been in the Colony but a few weeks, and have felt some diffidence about delivering the usual budget address, but perhaps you will forgive me if I mention some things which have struck me as a newcomer.

In this Colony we have, and rightly have, an extremely well equipped and extensive medical service, an air service net work that is probably unique, an extensive communications system, and now a boarding school that provides a high standard of tuition. We have also a non-contributory scheme for Children's Allowances. Not one of these basic services is self-supporting. For them to be so, we should have to raise the medical fees, the telegram and postage charges, the air fares, and the school fees very substantially, and beyond, perhaps, what the ordinary individual can afford. But, as individuals, we can send a telegram or a letter for a penny a word or a penny a stamp within the Falkland Islands. As individuals, we pay but a fraction of the cost of providing us with skilled medical attention and medical flights. Parents in the Camp can now send their children to what is, from all accounts I have heard, a first-rate boarding school, where there are far less children per class, and consequently a greater degree of personal attention, than is the case in very many schools in the United Kingdom, for an overall cost of £12 a year. We are improving our communications and our public utilities. We are building roads and financing overseas education and scholarships. In my opinion we are rightly doing all these things, but of course, the bill must be paid, and if it is not paid by the individual, it must be paid by the community as a whole. In view of this, I suggest the account which will be presented to you for payment, as detailed in the 1957/58 Estimates, does not appear to be in any way excessive.

And what of the revenue which gives us the means to pay for these and our other services? We cannot, of course, afford to be complacent, dependent as we are on but one industry and on world prices over which we have no control, but, with our reserves standing a little short of half a million pounds, our financial position can certainly be regarded as sound, and I believe we can look forward to the future with confidence.

4. Council then adjourned until 2.30 p.m.

5. On resuming the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following Papers:—

- (i) Report of the Commissioner of Currency for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956.
- (ii) Government Savings Bank Report for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956.
- (iii) Government Employees' Provident Fund Report, 1955-1956.
- (iv) Agricultural Department Report, 1955-1956.
- (v) Education Department Summary, 1956.
- (vi) Report of the Police and Prisons Department, 1956.

- (vii) Report of the Standing Finance Committee for the period September 1956, to May, 1957.
- (viii) Copies of subsidiary legislation made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last Meeting of the Legislative Council.
- (ix) Report of the Director General of the Overseas Audit Service on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the period 1st April, 1954, to 31st March, 1955.
- (x) Reports of the Auditor on the accounts of the Falkland Islands for the periods 1st April, 1954, to 31st March, 1955, and 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956.

6. In moving the first reading of the Bill "Further to amend the Licensing Ordinance" the Honourable the Colonial Secretary said -

"Your Excellency and Honourable Members,

The object of this Bill is to rectify what in fact has become something of an anomaly. Section 63 of the Licensing Ordinance authorises any owner, lessee, manager or agent in charge of a station to sell liquors, without a licence, to shepherds and other bona fide employees in his employment provided that such station is not less than six miles from Stanley.

This means of course that the managers of Darwin, Fox Bay and Port Howard are unable to sell liquor to Government Officers, such as doctors and schoolteachers, who are normally resident, more or less permanently, on those stations.

Government considers that such persons should be placed on precisely the same footing, so far as the law is concerned, as people who are bona fide employees and that is the object of this Bill, which will amend section 63 by providing for the legal sale of liquor by the manager to other persons who are resident on the station.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth seconded and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time. His Excellency declared the Council to be in Committee. Clauses 1 and 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to. The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

7. In introducing the Bill "To amend the Electricity Supply Ordinance" the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer said -

"Your Excellency,

This Bill is a formal measure designed to change the title of the Public Officer in charge of the Power and Electrical Department. Prior to 1955 the Electrical Department came under the jurisdiction of the Public Works Department although for all intents and purposes it operated as a separate entity under the control of a Supervisor. The two Departments were separated in 1955 and it is now deemed desirable to change the title of the officer in charge of the Department from that of Supervisor to Superintendent.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The motion was seconded by the Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed. Clauses 1 and 2 were agreed to. Clause 3 was amended by the substitution of the word "Supervisor" for the words "Executive Engineer". The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to, the Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

8. The first reading of the Bill "Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance" was moved by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer who said -

"Your Excellency,

This Bill now before Council provides for the incorporation of four separate and distinct amendments to the present Income Tax legislation and I propose briefly to explain the object of the amendments.

Throughout the principal Ordinance as it now stands reference is made to the word "Empire" in relation to taxation. The Ordinance refers to Empire Income Tax and Empire rate of tax. It refers also to His Majesty's Dominions. The Bill now under consideration provides for the substitution of the word "Commonwealth" for the word "Empire" or for the words "His Majesty's Dominions" where such words occur in the principal Ordinance. The word "Commonwealth" accords apparently with present day usage.

The second amendment to the principal Ordinance exempts from Income Tax any grant made from public revenue towards the education overseas of children between the ages of 11 and 18 years.

The third amendment affords some modicum of relief to the taxpayer inasmuch as it increases from £70 to £100 the allowance in respect of each child under the age of 16 years.

The fourth and final amendment provides for the removal of the present discrimination against foreign companies engaging in business through the medium of an agent in the Colony, a discrimination that dates back to the First World War. The effect of the amendment is to place non-resident foreigners and foreign companies who might do business here on the same basis as non-resident British subjects and British companies as far as liability to tax is concerned.

All amendments, if approved, will come into effect with the year of assessment commencing on 1st January, 1958, which means that the benefit of taxation relief will be enjoyed in respect of the year 1957."

The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer seconded and the Bill was read a first time. The Bill was read a

second time after further motion made and seconded. His Excellency declared the Council to be in Committee and the Bill passed through all its stages without amendment.

9. The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern introduced the Bill "Further to amend the Livestock Ordinance" and said -

"Your Excellency,

This Bill is introduced in order to remove the statutory obligation of farmers to notify their neighbours when they intend to gather their flocks.

It is therefore proposed to repeal Section 34 of the Livestock Ordinance. This section reads :-

'Every farmer who shall gather any flock for the purpose of shearing, dipping, dressing, cutting, tailing or ear-marking, or removal from the station or for any other purpose, shall, forty eight hours at least before gathering the same, give notice in writing to the occupiers of all the adjoining stations of his intention so to do.'

I doubt, Sir, if this obligation has ever been observed. I would go further, and say that I doubt if it *could* be carried out satisfactorily under present day conditions. It is certainly not only unnecessary but also impracticable.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding seconded and the Bill was read a first time. The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern then moved the second reading of the Bill and the Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding seconded.

In debate the Honourable Mr. S. Miller said -

"Your Excellency, as the original proposer of the amendment in this Ordinance, I feel it is a little incumbent upon me, as there are some Members round this table who don't know the original amendment in full, to make some explanation.

The Honourable Member opposite me has given you in detail the actual amendment; it was a small clause. I don't think any farmer knew anything of it, or if he did I have never heard of any farmer in all my years, and that is nearly 30 as farming manager, who observed it, and I only put it into my proposed amendment, because it was obsolete, and I thought it was time it was crossed out.

So much for that one.

But the main purpose of this amendment of mine - I can give it to you in full because there are some people here who do not know it - referred to the dipping regulation. I wish the second proviso to Section 11 subsection (1), to be deleted and the following proviso substituted :-

'Provided also that the Agricultural Officer may exempt the Owner of any farm from dipping until further notice if he is satisfied that sheep on that farm have been absolutely free of ked, lice and scab during the preceding sheep shearing season, and that the boundary fences of that farm are in sound condition and properly maintained.'

We hope, at least I suppose we do, in this Colony, to make some sort of progress on the job, and no industry, sheep or anything else, can hope to survive if it is not going to make progress. We all have had, and many still have, these parasites on the farm. There appeared to me that there might be some sort of financial reward to the owner if he can arrive at a state in which he can get rid of these insects, where he may be exempted from the very considerable expenses of the dipping operation. The actual expense of the dip itself is small in relation to the damage to the stock, the waste of a farm's time, and the loss of wool weight, and I have gone into this matter pretty fully and I have satisfied my own Directors that there is quite a loss.

I had managed to clear our particular place some years ago, but I still have to dip although we have nothing to dip for, and I maintain that if a farmer can arrive at that state there should be some means in the Ordinance whereby he can take advantage of them and not have to go through the considerable operation of dipping.

Britain and British Colonies usually pride themselves on being a little bit further ahead of other countries. Well, there has been a recent importation to the Falklands of 1,000 sheep from Latin American countries - from two separate farms in Chile. Those sheep were taken from two Chilean farms where they have not had to dip for seven in the case of one, and I think eight years in the case of the other, because they had nothing to dip for. That apparently is the state of affairs to which the Falklands are unable to arrive, and I think it is a deplorable situation, and I think when this motion was proposed it is a retrograde step for the Council to turn down, and although it has been turned down, and I accept that it has been turned down by Government, I felt it was incumbent upon myself to explain to Members who did not know what it was about and so enable them to think it over for another occasion."

The Honourable Mr. E. T. Fern replied as follows :-

"Your Excellency, annual compulsory dipping was introduced to combat external parasitic infection of sheep.

While Government welcomes the efforts of all farmers who are endeavouring to clean their flocks, and to keep them clean, no relaxation of control measures can be made without adequate safeguards. It would indeed, be a step in the wrong direction to take any risks in this connection.

If dipping exemptions are to be made, Government must be satisfied that the risk of the exempted flocks becoming re-infected is reduced to the absolute minimum.

Such exemptions can be granted on islands, once the flocks are clean, because there can be no contact with other flocks, and because all sheep imported can be cleaned (if necessary), before being admitted to that particular island.

On the other hand, before dipping exemptions can be allowed on any farm, three main factors are absolutely essential :-

1. The flocks must be free from external parasitic infection;
2. The fences bordering on neighbouring farms, must be sheep-proof;
3. The boundary with adjoining farms, must be double-fenced, and the intervening "no-mans-land", kept free from sheep.

Only in this way, can there be freedom from contact with sheep on adjoining farms."

The Bill was then read a second time and committed. Clauses 1 and 2, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to, the Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

10. In moving the first reading of the Bill "To amend the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance" the Senior Medical Officer said -

"Throughout the world more and greater efforts are being made to prevent the misuse of narcotics and dangerous drugs. This Bill concerns three of them - opium, cocaine and the amphetamines.

I beg to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement seconded and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time. His Excellency declared the Council to be in Committee. Clauses 1 to 5, the Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to. The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

11. The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer introduced the Bill "To legalise certain payments made in the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, in excess of the expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1955" and said -

"This Bill, Sir, might be termed the hardy annual of all Budget meetings of Council. I should perhaps hasten to explain, as I do every year, that this is not a request for additional funds but only a measure to legalise certain payments made during the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, in excess of the expenditure sanctioned by the Appropriation Ordinance of 1955. The expenditure of the various amounts shown in the Schedule has already been approved at earlier meetings of the Standing Finance Committee.

I beg, Sir, to move the first reading of the Bill."

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded the motion and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time and committed. Clauses 1 and 2 were agreed to as were the Enacting Clause, Title, Preamble and the Schedule. The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

12. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved the first reading of the Bill "To provide for the service of the year 1957-58", said -

"As Members of this Council are aware my Honourable friend the Colonial Treasurer has for some months past been engaged as a member of the Executive Council sub-committee appointed to consider and make recommendations with regard to the salaries and conditions of service of established Civil Servants in addition to his other duties as Receiver of the Falkland Islands Freezer Company. Consequently it has fallen to my lot to again present the budget and estimates for your consideration.

I would like first to survey briefly the financial history, if I may refer to it as such, of the past twelve months.

For the 1956/57 financial year Government estimated that revenue would amount to approximately £341,000, a figure that included provision for £40,000 from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds, and that expenditure, including capital expenditure, would amount to an overall total of £342,000.

In the event, however, the revenue estimate proved to be optimistic and it is calculated that revenue will in fact amount to £275,000, a shortfall of £66,000 compared to the original estimate. This has been due principally to two factors. Firstly, the Ajax Bay Freezer has not been sold - and Honourable Members will recall that in presenting the current estimates to Council in June 1956, I emphasised that if the Freezer were not sold then there would be a substantial deficit on this year's accounts. Secondly, there has been an unforeseen drop in the sale of postage stamps, and instead of the £13,000 I originally budgeted for, the revised estimate shows a figure of £7,000 only.

There are also a number of other items under which revenue will not amount to as much as was originally expected. This includes Customs, under which Government now expects to receive some £2,000 less than estimated - and Harbour - in the case of which the long period towards the end of last year when the "Philomel" was undergoing rudder repairs, combined with an over optimistic revenue estimate, has resulted in a shortfall of approximately £3,000. Another factor that has affected the revenue position (and to a lesser extent expenditure also) is that the F.I.D.S. contribution of £5,500 towards the cost of building new offices adjacent to the Secretariat was not forth-coming because the offices were not built. This project has now been abandoned.

Of importance too is the fact that in respect of the current financial year we now expect to receive rather less than was budgeted for from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds. This is because that proportion of the £45,000 C. D. & W. Grant allocated to the water and roads projects is based on an annually calculated formula of 53% from C. D. & W. and 47% from Colony funds, in the case of the water project and 68% from C. D. & W. and 32% from Colony funds in the case of the roads scheme, a fact that was not known when the estimates were framed. Instead of spending £38,000 in the current financial year on these two schemes we will have spent approximately £30,000, thus reducing the C. D. & W. Grant proportionately. This does not of course mean we shall not get the money, it means only we shall get it later. All in all we expect to claim and receive a total of some £17,000 from C. D. & W.

Funds in respect of the current financial period instead of £30,000, for these two schemes and excluding the C. D. & W. allocation for the cost of the Aerial Survey.

Some of these items, however, are counterbalanced by increases in the revised figures of revenue as compared to the original estimates. There is a net increase of approximately £5,000 under the heading of "interest" which arises from a decision to credit interest from the Reserve Fund to general revenue following advice to that effect from the Director General of the Overseas Audit Service. It is expected also that there will be an increase of approximately £2,000 under internal revenue.

But, generally speaking, from the revenue aspect, the overall difference between the revenue figure as it was originally estimated and the revised estimate which reveals a shortfall of some £66,000 is due mainly to the fact that the Freezer has, unfortunately, not been disposed of in spite of the continued attempts of the Receiver who has, as Members are aware, tried every means possible to effect a sale and recover Government's investment in the project, and to the drop in the sale of Falkland Islands stamps. For this I can give no explanation other than it must be due to a decline in philatelic interest, which I hope will revive when we bring the outstanding denominations bearing the Queen's head into circulation later this year.

The overall expenditure figure for the current financial year, on the other hand, is expected to be within approximately £1,000 of the original estimate. Government originally budgeted for expenditure amounting to £342,000 and the revised figure for the financial year stands at £341,000, (or over £100,000 less than actual expenditure during the 1955/56 fifteen months period).

In comparison to the original estimates under the main expenditure heads, there has been increased expenditure during the period under review, under Aviation, Miscellaneous, Pensions and Gratuities, Power and Electrical. So far as the Aviation Department is concerned, the increase has been due firstly to what I think was a wise decision taken by the Standing Finance Committee of this Council to provide the Department with a more adequate supply of hangar equipment, secondly to unforeseen additional expenditure on overhauls of engines, equipment and instruments outside the Colony, thirdly to the need to purchase a new aero engine to replace the one that completed only 134 hours of its expected life and fourthly to a combination of an underestimate of the amount required to purchase petrol and oil and the need to stockpile fuel in the light of the shipping situation.

In the case of Miscellaneous, the increased expenditure is largely due to the costs incurred in connection with the visit of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, and to the write off of long outstanding advances, dating back to the war years, which are now considered to be irrecoverable, and the recent loan to the Stanley Sports Association to help meet the costs of the new stands on the race-course. There is an increase under Pensions and Gratuities due to new Pensions, Gratuities, and Arrears of contributions to other territories in respect of seconded officers, there was also a moderate increase under Power and Electrical, as in the event the Colony was able to take, and the tanker was able to offer, rather more oil than had originally been expected, and the opportunity of the presence of the tanker was naturally taken to "stock up" to the maximum possible extent.

It is estimated that additional provision amounting to £3,000 will be required under Public Works Recurrent, in order to meet the increased cost to Government of electricity. This arises from the recent abolition of the two-part electricity tariff and its replacement by a flat rate tariff based on the costs of production, which has had the effect of ending the system whereby the larger consumers, such as Government, were subsidised by the small consumers. Honourable Members will, however, notice that the draft estimates now presented for your consideration, provide for expenditure in respect of Heat, Light and Fuel to be met from individual departmental votes, thereby making each of the consuming departments responsible for control over their respective votes under this heading.

To offset these additional items, there will be savings under Head I, The Governor, Education, Posts and Telegraphs, and Public Works Special Expenditure and the net result is that total expenditure will amount to practically the same figure as that of the original estimate.

In many respects the year under review has been a particularly satisfactory one particularly from the economic aspects. As His Excellency has said, the financial position of the Colony remains sound, and the price of wool, our basic commodity, has risen substantially from 49d. to 65d.

The general level of farm, business and personal savings has risen during the period under review, and the total sum lying to the credit of Savings Bank depositors now stands at the unprecedented figure of £978,000 as compared to £969,000 at the end of June 1956. I appreciate, of course, that some of the higher figures in the Savings Bank are farm accounts, but even excluding Farm, Clubs and Church Funds, the amount due to private depositors stands at something over £800,000.

And now to turn to the future.

We calculate that on the 1st July, 1957, the Land Sales Fund will stand at £271,262, and the Reserve Fund at £263,246. Taking into account an estimated deficit of £43,193 on the General Revenue Balance Account, I estimate that on that date the free surplus will stand at (£491,315), just under half a million pounds.

In the forthcoming financial year, Government is budgeting for ordinary revenue amounting to £299,483 which includes provision for the sale of the Ajax Bay Freezer, or, alternatively, the possibility of the redemption by the Colonial Development Corporation of Government's debenture holding. In addition to this, Government expects to receive £17,000 from Colonial Development and Welfare. Including C. D. & W. and Land Sales the total estimated revenue figure stands at £316,786.

With the increase in the price of wool and on the basis of the existing scale of export duty of 2½d. per lb. on a gross selling price exceeding 60d, Government expects to receive £48,000 as compared with the revised estimate of £28,000 during the current financial period. Additional revenue from income and companies tax, resulting from the higher prices of wool, is not expected to accrue to Government until the 1958/59 financial year. So far as internal revenue is concerned, we are budgeting for receipts totalling £88,000, as compared to the revised estimate of £102,000 in respect of 1956/57 - when we were budgeting on the basis of the higher wool price of 1955. Import duties are estimated at £18,000 as

compared to £14,000, the revised figure for the current financial year. The increase takes in to account a substantial shipment of whisky which is expected in the forthcoming financial year.

As against an estimated revenue figure of £316,786 total expenditure is estimated at £306,491 inclusive in both cases of revenue and expenditure under the C. D. & W. heads. Ordinary expenditure is estimated at £249,319, which means that ordinary expenditure and ordinary revenue will be almost in balance if one excludes altogether from ones reckoning the redemption of the Ajax Bay debenture of £50,000. Special expenditure, or expenditure on items of a "capital" nature from Colony funds is estimated to amount to £39,973.

Ordinary expenditure, or expenditure under the Personal Emoluments and Other Charges heads shows a decrease of £2,891 as compared to the revised figure for 1956/57. With permission of Honourable Members I should like to deal in some detail with some of the principal expenditure items that show an increase and the main items involving capital expenditure - and I propose to take first those that properly fall under the heading of recurrent expenditure.

Under Aviation I am proposing an additional £1,500 for Petrol and Oil as it is quite clear that there was an underestimate last year. In addition, there is provision for a new item amounting to £1,500 to cover the cost of overhauls of engines, equipment and instruments outside the Colony. Here again, insufficient provision has been made in the past to cover this important and expensive item.

We must of course expect increased expenditure under Education as we now have two boarding schools in addition to the camp teachers and the Stanley schools. This means in effect that we must now budget for expenditure amounting to approximately £26,500 a year under Personal Emoluments and Other Charges as compared to the £18,000 to £20,000 we formerly needed. In addition, the estimates must provide for the cost of the overseas education allowances scheme, to which His Excellency referred in his opening address, and for which a provisional figure of £1,500 has been included.

One of the principal items of recurrent expenditure is that connected with the carriage of mails. We must now provide an extra £7,200 for the new mail contract which will cost £13,200 per annum, and in addition, extra provision to meet Uruguayan postal charges on our air mails. In accordance with a recent decision by the Governor in Council, the estimate provides for a moderate and well justified increase in pensions which so far as the immediate increase is concerned, has been calculated on the basis of an overall upper limit of £1,000 per annum. The figure of £1,257 inserted in the 1957/58 estimates provides for the increase to be made retrospective from the 1st January, 1957.

Finally heat, light and fuel, to which His Excellency has already referred and to which I referred in commenting on the expenditure during the current financial period. I estimate that this will now cost Government departments an additional £3,000 a year, although, of course, this expenditure accrues, in the form of revenue, to the Power and Electrical Department - now organised on a self financing basis. This additional expenditure will, of course, be offset, to some extent, by the decrease in Government subsidisation of electricity. But in dealing with the subject of heat, light and fuel, I think the day has come when we must recognise that it will be necessary, and probably more economic, to convert the larger Government and public buildings to oil firing. Apart from its much greater efficiency, the physical task of cutting the peat Government requires annually, is rapidly exceeding the resources of man power available for the task.

Now I should like to turn to some of the major items of capital expenditure firstly, there is expenditure on camp tracks, for which approximately £10,000 has been provided in the estimates. This is, of course, a "one line" vote, and covers not only wages and fuel but also spares and bridging materials which Government has undertaken to provide.

Secondly, I estimate that expenditure on Stanley roads, which will cover approximately a six months period, will amount to £2,900 from Colony Funds, and £6,163 from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds, a total of just over £9,000.

As His Excellency has already intimated, it is hoped that the Water Filtration project will be completed early in the new year. It is estimated that what remains to be done before the work is finished will cost approximately £8,000 from Colonial Development and Welfare Funds, and just over £7,000 from Colony Funds, or a total of £15,000. If these estimates prove accurate in the event the scheme will then have cost £80,000 as compared to the original estimate including provision for imported labour and the labour camp, for the project of £75,000. Consequently the margin of error will be small indeed.

In addition to the expenditure on the roads themselves, expenditure amounting to £2,500 for the purchase of pipes, ducting and cable is provided for in order that these materials and items, which will be required for renewals and new connections, will be ready and at hand when the time comes to concentrate on the roads, thereby reducing to a minimum. I most sincerely trust any subsequent digging up of the surface.

Finally, quite substantial revotes are required, as a result of delayed deliveries, under Posts and Telegraphs, for the Teleprinter that is on order and that will link the Post Office with the Wireless Station and improve very considerably our communications system, and also for the new Telephone Exchange equipment, also on order and expected in the near future.

That then is the overall expenditure picture. Ordinary expenditure amounting to nearly £250,000, special expenditure of £40,000 and an additional amount of £17,000 from C. D. & W. sources, a total of £306,000 in all which, if the estimates prove substantially correct, will provide an estimated surplus of approximately £10,000.

I would like to conclude by paying a tribute to my Honourable friends the Unofficial Members of this Council. There are times perhaps when they are possibly tempted to agree with a comment I saw a day or so ago that described budget making as a curiously ponderous exercise in comparing a number of hypothetical figures with each other in order to produce an estimate which in fact never turns out to be achieved. And of course this is to some extent true because it would be a foolish man indeed who could claim that estimates, and remember they are only estimates, can turn out to be entirely accurate save by a miracle.

But it is of course most important that the figures in a set of printed estimates, dry and dull as they may be, should be closely and constructively examined because, they, and what they represent, affect the lives of every man, woman and child in the Falkland Islands in one way or the other.

For that reason great care is taken in their preparation and presentation. It has always been my experience, since I have been connected with the affairs of this Colony, that in both select committee and Finance Committee Government can always be assured of the full co-operation, assistance and advice of the Unofficial Members. There is frequently criticism, but it is of course right there should be criticism but in my experience such criticism has invariably been helpful and constructive and always put forward with the best interests of these islands in view.

I beg to move the Bill be read a first time."

This motion was seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer and the Bill was read a first time. On further motion made and seconded the Bill was read a second time. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary then moved that the Bill and the draft Estimates for 1957-58 be referred to a Select Committee of the House consisting of the Honourable the Unofficial Members and the Colonial Treasurer with the Colonial Secretary as Chairman and that the Council adjourn. This was seconded by the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer and the Council adjourned accordingly.

On reporting back to Council at 10 a.m., 28th June, the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer stated that the Select Committee had agreed to the following amendments to the draft Estimates :-

REVENUE :

Head VIII.	Internal Revenue	2. Income Tax from £23,500 to £20,000.
		3. Companies' Tax from £63,500 to £60,000.
Head X.	Miscellaneous (New Item)	20. Transfer from Currency Note Income Account £2,000.

EXPENDITURE :

Head I.	The Governor. Personal Emoluments	1. ii. from £350 to £450.
Head II.	Agricultural Dept. Personal Emoluments	1. iii. from £400 to £150.
Head V.	Education.	22. Purchase of Typewriters from £300 to £240.
Head VII.	Medical. Add new Item	Purchase & Installation Oil Burner Pilot Plant, K.E.M. Hospital £500.
Head XIV.	Power & Electrical. Delete	22. Purchase & Installation Pilot Oil Burner Plant, K.E.M. Hospital £500.
Head XVI.	Public Works Recurrent. Add New Item	18. Temporary Repairs Stanley Roads £350.
Head XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure.	19. Camp Tracks from £9,846 to £7,846.

His Excellency then declared the Council to be in Committee. Clause 1 was agreed to and consideration of Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule. The Schedule was agreed to with the following amendments :-

<i>Number and Head of Service.</i>	<i>Delete.</i>	<i>Substitute therefor.</i>
I. The Governor	£ 7,250	£ 7,350
V. Education	£ 34,031	£ 33,971
VII. Medical	£ 28,578	£ 29,078
XIV. Power and Electrical	£ 15,430	£ 14,930
XVI. Public Works Recurrent	£ 28,966	£ 29,316
XVII. Public Works Special Expenditure	£ 23,798	£ 21,798
	Total	£289,292
	Total Expenditure	£306,491
		£304,631

Clause 2 was agreed to with the following amendments :-

By the deletion of the words "Three hundred and six thousand four hundred and ninety one pounds" in the third and fourth lines and the substitution of the words "Three hundred and four thousand six hundred and thirty one pounds"; and by the deletion of the figure "£306,491" in the side notes, and the substitution therefore of the figure "£304,631".

The Enacting Clause and the Title were agreed to. The Council resumed and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

13. Before adjourning Council, His Excellency thanked Honourable Members for their attendance and the hard work they had done on the Estimates. His Excellency went on to say that this was the first time he had presided over the Falkland Islands Legislative Council and he was very pleased to have had the honour to do so. His Excellency then wished the Council all success and particularly to the Honourable Members from the Camp - a pleasant journey home.

The Council adjourned *sine die*.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 1



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance
Further to amend the Licensing Ordinance. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Licensing (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Licensing Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 38.

2. Section 63 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :— Amendment of section 63 of the principal Ordinance.

- (a) by deleting the words and comma "shepherds and other employees bona fide in his own employment," and by substituting therefor the words and comma "employees bona fide in his own employment and to other persons resident on such station," ;
- (b) by inserting immediately after the words "his own employees" the words "or other persons resident on such station".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 2



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To amend the Electricity Supply Ordinance.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Electricity Supply (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Electricity Supply Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 23.

Replacement of section 2 of the principal Ordinance. **2.** Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is repealed and replaced as follows :—

“Definition **2.** In this Ordinance or any regulations made thereunder unless the context otherwise requires the expression “Superintendent” means the Superintendent of the Power and Electrical Department.”

Amendment of principal Ordinance. **3.** The principal Ordinance shall be amended by the substitution of the word “Superintendent” for the words “Supervisor” wherever those words occur.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 3



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Further to amend the Income Tax Ordinance.

[1st January, 1958]

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Income Tax Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

(2) The amendments made by this Ordinance shall come into operation with the year of assessment commencing on the 1st day of January, 1958.

2. Section 2 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the addition of the following new definitions immediately after the definition of "Commissioner" :—

" "The Commonwealth" shall be deemed to include those territories and their dependencies which are named in the fifth schedule hereto.

"Commonwealth income-tax" means any income-tax charged under any law in force in any part of the Commonwealth other than the United Kingdom."

Title.

Date of commencement.

Enacting clause.

Short title and commencement.
Cap 32.

Amendment of section 2 of the principal Ordinance.

Amendment of section 8 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the substitution of a semi-colon for the colon at the end of paragraph (i) and the addition of the following new paragraph :—

“(j) any grant made from the public revenue of the Colony, in respect of any person between the ages of 11 and 18 years, who is receiving full time instruction at a recognised educational establishment outside the Colony :”.

Amendment of section 12 of the principal Ordinance.

4. Paragraph (g) of section 12 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “Commonwealth income-tax” for the words “Empire income-tax as defined by this Ordinance”.

Amendment of section 16 of the principal Ordinance.

5. Subsection (1) of section 16 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the figure “£70” and the substitution therefor of the figure “£100”.

Amendment of section 18 of the principal Ordinance.

6. Paragraph (f) of section 18 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “the Commonwealth” for the words “His Majesty’s Dominions or in territory under His Majesty’s protection”.

Amendment of section 26 of the principal Ordinance.

7. Subsection (2) of section 26 of the principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words “not being a British subject, or a firm or company whose principal place of business is situated in His Majesty’s Dominions or in territory under His Majesty’s protection, or a branch thereof,”.

Amendment of section 47 of the principal Ordinance.

8. Section 47 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows :—

- (a) the words “Subject to the provisions of subsection (3) of this section” are inserted at the beginning of subsections (1) and (2);
- (b) the words “Commonwealth income-tax” are substituted for the words “Empire income-tax” wherever those words occur;
- (c) the words “rate of Commonwealth income-tax” are substituted for the words “Empire rate of tax” wherever those words occur;
- (d) subsection (3) is repealed and replaced by the following :—

“(3) No relief shall be granted in accordance with the provisions of subsection (1) or subsection (2) of this section in respect of Commonwealth income-tax charged in any part of the Commonwealth unless the legislature of that part has provided for relief in respect of tax charged on income both in that part and in the Colony in a manner similar to that provided for in this section.”.

Amendment of section 48 of the principal Ordinance.

9. Section 48 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “Commonwealth income-tax” for the words “Empire income-tax”.

Amendment of section 49 of the principal Ordinance.

10. Subsection (3) of section 49 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “the Commonwealth” for the words “His Majesty’s dominions” and by deleting the words “or the Colony”.

Amendment of section 52 of the principal Ordinance.

11. Section 52 of the principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words “the Commonwealth” for the words “His Majesty’s Dominions or in any place under His Majesty’s protection” wherever those words occur.

12. The following Fifth Schedule is added to the principal Ordinance :—

Addition of Fifth Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

“FIFTH SCHEDULE.

Aden	Leeward Islands
Australia	Malta
Bahamas	Mauritius
Barbados	New Hebrides
Basutoland	New Zealand
Bechuanaland	North Borneo
Bermuda	Northern Rhodesia
British Guiana	Nyasaland Protectorate
British Honduras	Pakistan
British Solomon Islands	St. Helena
Brunei	Sarawak
Canada	Seychelles
Ceylon	Sierra Leone
Channel Islands	Singapore
Cyprus	Somaliland Protectorate
Federation of Malaya	Southern Rhodesia
Federation of Nigeria	South-West Africa
Fiji	Swaziland
Gambia	Tanganyika
Ghana	Tonga
Gibraltar	Trinidad and Tobago
Gilbert & Ellice Islands	Uganda Protectorate
Hong Kong	Union of South Africa
India	United Kingdom of Great Britain
Isle of Man	and Northern Ireland
Jamaica	Windward Islands
Kenya	Zanzibar.”

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of
June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **Further to amend the Live Stock Ordinance.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Live Stock (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Live Stock Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance.

Cap. 40.

Repeal of section 34 of the principal Ordinance.

2. Section 34 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

**An Ordinance
To amend the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance.**

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Dangerous Drugs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short title.
Cap. 18.

2. In this Ordinance unless the context otherwise requires — Interpretation.

“Raw opium” means the spontaneously coagulated juice obtained from the capsules of the *papaver somniferum* which has only been submitted to the necessary manipulations for packing and transport whatever its content of morphine.

“Prepared opium” means the product of raw opium obtained by a series of special operations, especially by dissolving, boiling, roasting and fermentation, designed to transform it into an extract suitable for consumption, and includes dross and all other residues remaining when opium has been smoked.

“Medicinal opium” means raw opium which has undergone the processes necessary to adapt it for medicinal use in accordance with the requirements of the British pharmacopoeia whether in powder form or granulated or otherwise or mixed with neutral materials.

“Coca leaf” means the leaf of any plant of the genus of the erythroxylaceae from which cocaine can be extracted either directly or by chemical transformation.

Cultivation of the opium poppy prohibited.

3. It shall not be lawful to cultivate the opium poppy (*papaver somniferum*) in the Colony.

Importation of prepared opium prohibited.

4. It shall not be lawful to import or bring into the Colony or to possess therein any prepared opium.

Amendment of First Schedule to the principal Ordinance.

5. The First Schedule to the principal Ordinance is amended —

(a) by deleting and replacing Item 1 as follows —
“1. Raw opium. Medicinal opium.”;

(b) by deleting the word “Cocaine” which occurs at the beginning of Item 4 and substituting therefor the words “Coca leaves and cocaine”;

(c) by the addition of a new Item 15 as follows —

“15. The amphetamines (beta-aminopropylbenzene and beta-aminoisopropylbenzene).”.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 6



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 4 of 1955. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the period 1st April, 1955 to 30th June, 1956. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1955-56) Ordinance, 1957. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Colony in that period, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the period 1st April, 1955, to 30th June, 1956.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Governor	820	11	3
II	Agriculture	612	16	8
V.	Education	1600	14	10
VI.	Harbour & Aviation	3005	17	8
VII.	Medical	1760	18	2
IX.	Military	25	8	4
X.	Miscellaneous	19592	5	0
XI.	Pensions	693	6	6
XV.	Public Works Recurrent	2812	2	5
XVI.	Secretariat & Treasury	2499	7	7
XVIII.	Extraordinary Expenditure	16354	0	11
XIX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	1108	12	10
	Total Expenditure	£ 50886	2	2

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J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 29th day of June, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 7



1957.

Colony of the Falkland Islands.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year 1957-58. Title.

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the Falkland Islands as follows :— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1957-58) Ordinance, 1957. Short title.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1958, a sum not exceeding Three hundred and four thousand six hundred and thirty one pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1957-58. Appropriation of £304,631 for service of the year 1957/58.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	The Governor	7350	0	0
II.	Agriculture	5630	0	0
III.	Audit	1155	0	0
IV.	Aviation	16414	0	0
V.	Education	33971	0	0
VI.	Harbour & Customs	10634	0	0
VII.	Medical	29078	0	0
VIII.	Meteorological	1295	0	0
IX.	Military	1418	0	0
X.	Miscellaneous	32438	0	0
XI.	Pensions & Gratuities	8248	0	0
XII.	Police and Prisons	4788	0	0
XIII.	Posts & Telegraphs	43533	0	0
XIV.	Power & Electrical	14930	0	0
XV.	Public Works	9170	0	0
XVI.	Public Works Recurrent	29316	0	0
XVII.	Public Works Special Expenditure	21798	0	0
XVIII.	Secretariat & Treasury	15118	0	0
XIX.	Supreme Court	1148	0	0
	Total	£287432	0	0
XX.	Colonial Development & Welfare	17199	0	0
	Total Expenditure	£304631	0	0

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J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.



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APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Smith, Miss O. A.	F.I.D.S.	Clerk, Scale L	1.2.57	On probation for two years.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Kerr, J.	Aviation	Director of Civil Aviation	14.7.56 *

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Berntsen, D.	Secretariat	Messenger	25.7.57 Dismissed.

PROMOTION.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Williams, J. D.	Police Constable Scale G	Police Sergeant Scale D	1.8.57.

TRANSFER.

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Smith, Miss O. A.	Clerk, F.I.D.S.	Clerk, Posts & Telegraphs	24.7.57.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Grave, Dr. G. F., M.B., B.S.	Medical	Medical Officer	18.1.57 to 3.7.57	On completion of contract.

* (for pension purposes with effect from 16.9.54, being the date of original appointment as Air Pilot)

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 41. 22nd July, 1957.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 43 of 6th November, 1956, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 30th June, 1957, are hereby published for general information.

<i>Quarter ended</i>	<i>Percentage increase over 1948 prices</i>
30th June, 1957.	55.54

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 42. 1st August, 1957.

The date of appointment in respect of Mr. J. B. Swann, D.S.C., Superintendent of Education, appearing on page 11 of 1st February, 1957, Gazette, should read 26th November, 1956.

Ref. P/741.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of William Miller,
deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Richard William Hills, Agent for the heirs-at-law, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

31st July, 1957.

S.C. 13/57.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

The Place-names Ordinance, 1956.

REGULATIONS

(Under section 4 of the Ordinance.)

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

No. 1 of 1957.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 4 of the Place-names Ordinance, 1956, is pleased to make the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Place-names Regulations, 1957.

2. (1) Every suggestion or recommendation of or for the addition of any place-name to the list of place-names in force for the time being, or for any alteration thereof, shall be made to the Colonial Secretary either directly or through the Under-Secretary of State, Colonial Office, London.

(2) Every such suggestion or recommendation shall be in writing and shall contain particulars of the physical feature or place with which the suggestion or recommendation is concerned sufficient to render it easily recognisable, together with particulars of its geographical position, and shall be accompanied by a map or plan showing its position.

(3) A suggestion or recommendation for the alteration of a place-name appearing in the list of place-names in force shall state the reasons for such alteration.

Made by the Governor at Stanley on the 1st day of August, 1957.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. F.I.D.S./311.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 24th day of July, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 3



1957.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.

Governor.

An Ordinance

To provide for the service between the first day of July, 1957, and the thirtieth day of June, 1958. Title.

[1st July, 1957.] Date of commencement.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and the Dependencies thereof, as follows — Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (Dependencies) (1957/1958) Ordinance, 1957. Short title.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Dependencies and applied to the service of the period ending the 30th of June, 1958, a sum not exceeding Five hundred and nineteen thousand, Three hundred and Thirty-seven pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the period from the first day of July, 1957, to the thirtieth day of June, 1958. Appropriation of £519,337 for service of the year ending 30th June, 1958.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £
1.	General	59,065
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	43,543
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	17,725
4.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	16,147
5.	F.I.D.S. Bases	157,336
6.	R.R.S. "John Biscoe"	119,053
7.	R.R.S. "Shackleton"	71,793
8.	W/T Service	6,775
9.	Aerial Survey	27,900
Total Expenditure		£ 519,337

Promulgated by the Governor on the 24th day of July, 1957.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 24th day of July, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 4



1957.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year 1955-56 in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 3 of 1955. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Dependencies for the year 1955-56. Preamble.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and Dependencies thereof, as follows:— Enacting clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955-56) Ordinance, 1957. Short title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year 1955-56 the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the service of the Dependencies in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sum mentioned for those services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1955-56.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
2.	F.I.D.S. Rear Base	3,762	6	0
3.	F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	637	12	11
	Total Expenditure ...	4,399	18	11

Promulgated by the Governor on the 24th day of July, 1957.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.

Statement shewing total Receipts for the year ended 30th June, 1956

RECEIPTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Receipts.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Net Balance ...				1220	3	0						
1. Customs ...	84950	0	0	73496	13	3				11453	6	9
2. Port Dues ...	200	0	0	190	0	0				10	0	0
3. Internal Revenue ...	42670	0	0	70871	13	11	28201	13	11			
4. Fees ...	735	0	0	885	0	9	150	0	9			
5. Rents ...	1631	0	0	1681	10	6	50	10	6			
6. Post Office ...	8500	0	0	20981	9	0	12481	9	0			
7. Miscellaneous ...	7975	0	0	20689	5	4	12714	5	4			
8. Contribution from H.M. Government	1160500	0	0	1119372	12	0				41127	8	0
	£ 1307161	0	0	1308168	4	9	53597	19	6	52590	14	9
Advances ...				67367	2	9						
Deposits ...				9519	14	4						
Remittances ...				162871	17	5						
Investments ...				1543146	17	10						
Reserve Fund ...				2937	2	10						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund ...				2672	1	10						
Investments Adjustment Account ...				14214	6	6						
Total Receipts ...				3110897	8	3						
Balance 1/7/55 ...				1220	3	0						
TOTAL ...	£			3112117	11	3						

Statement shewing total Payments for the year ended 30th June, 1956

PAYMENTS	Amount Estimated.			Actual Payments.			Over the Estimate.			Under the Estimate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. General	61061	0	0	55430	7	4				5630	12	8
2. F.I.D.S. Rear Base ...	13893	0	0	17655	6	0	3762	6	0			
3. F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Administration)	21406	0	0	22043	12	11	637	12	11			
4. F.I.D.S. Headquarters (Meteorological Service)	14136	0	0	9538	8	0				4597	12	0
5. F.I.D.S. Bases	415495	0	0	386752	15	3				28742	4	9
6. F.I.D.S. Ships "John Biscoe"	369639	0	0	238653	1	9				130985	18	3
7. F.I.D.S. Ships "Shackleton"	373495	0	0	358840	9	0				14654	11	0
8. F.I.D.S. Scientific Bureau	8447	0	0	8221	12	4				225	7	8
	£ 1277572	0	0	1097135	12	7	4399	18	11	184836	6	4
Advances				64475	14	10						
Deposits				32526	13	0						
Remittances				139685	10	10						
Investments				1700729	13	2						
Reserve Fund				7332	18	9						
"John Biscoe" Renewals Fund ...				6881	7	9						
Investments Adjustment Account ...				14214	6	6						
Total Payments				3062981	17	5						
Balance 30/6/56				49135	13	10						
TOTAL	£			3112117	11	3						

W. A. TINCEY,
Assistant Treasurer, F.I.D.S.
2nd November, 1956.

Section 1: Introduction

This document is a preliminary report on the project.

The project aims to investigate the effects of climate change on the environment.

The methodology used in this study is a combination of field observations and laboratory experiments.

The results of the study show a significant increase in temperature over the last decade.

This increase is attributed to the greenhouse effect caused by human activities.

The study also found that there is a correlation between rising temperatures and the melting of glaciers.

These findings have important implications for the future of our planet.

Further research is needed to understand the long-term effects of climate change.

The data collected during the study is available for public access.

We hope this report provides a clear overview of the current state of climate change research.

Thank you for your interest in this important issue.

The research team consists of several leading experts in the field.

Our findings are based on a thorough analysis of the available data.

The study was funded by several government and private organizations.

We are grateful to the many individuals who assisted us throughout the project.

The information presented here is for informational purposes only.

It is not intended to be used as a basis for policy decisions.

For more information, please contact the lead researcher.

The project website provides additional resources and updates.

We look forward to sharing our findings with the wider community.

The report is available in both English and Spanish.

For a full list of references, please see the end of the document.

The authors would like to express their appreciation to the funding agencies.

This report is a preliminary draft and subject to change.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Stewart, G.	Agricultural	Officer-in-Charge	8.8.57	—
Nelson, C. A. J.	Education	Teacher	28.4.57	—
Stansbury, Miss A. P.	"	Assistant Mistress	22.8.57	—
Williams, Miss J.	"	Assistant Mistress	3.8.57	—
Allan, J.	Police & Prisons	Police Constable	1.8.57	On probation for two years.
Leaff, A. F.	Posts & Telegraphs	Wireless Operator	3.8.57	—
Biggs, A. R.	Public Works	Carpenter	22.6.57	On probation for two years.
Lawrance, J.	" "	Mason	3.8.57	—
Thompson, K.	Secretariat & Treasury	Messenger	21.8.57	On probation for six months.

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Fern, E. T., M.R.C.V.S.	Agricultural	Agricultural Officer	8.8.57	120 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Jones, H. D.	Aviation	Aircraft Engineer	8.8.57	136 days	do.
Greenaway, Dr. D. G. G., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Medical	Medical Officer	8.8.57	144 days	do.
Stellfeld, Miss L. B. R.	"	Tuberculosis Sister	8.8.57	144 days	do.
Norris, J.	Police & Prisons	Police Sergeant	8.8.57	—	On leave prior to final retirement.
Bain, J. L.	Public Works	Plumber (Development Programme)	18.2.57 to 10.8.57		On completion of Agreement.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF UNITED KINGDOM
PATENTS ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified for general information that a letters patent, particulars of which appear in the Schedule hereto, was registered in the Register of Patents on the 15th day of August, 1957.

SCHEDULE.

Registered No. :- 3379.
Name of Applicant :- Chelton (Poppets) Limited.
Registered Address :- Spittall Square, Marlow,
Buckinghamshire, England.
No. of grant in the
United Kingdom :- 750,737.
Nature of Invention :- Beads and like ornamental bodies
which are suitable for forming
necklaces or bracelets and its
principal object is to provide an
improved method and means of
connecting or linking such beads
or bodies together.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th August, 1957.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Flora Sarah
Braxton, deceased, of Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Flora Berntsen, daughter of the
above named deceased, has applied for Letters of
Administration to administer the estate of the
deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin
and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner
will be granted provided no caveat be entered in
the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of
the date of publication hereof.

II. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th August, 1957.

S.C. 15/57.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Esq., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 1st day of September, 1957, for the purpose of visiting the East and West Falklands.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 31st day of August, 1957.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Medical Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
6th April, 1957.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit, for the information of His Honour the Officer Administering the Government, and for transmission to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Annual Medical and Sanitary Report for the year 1956.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. STEWART SLESSOR,
Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable,
The Acting Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

ANNUAL MEDICAL AND SANITARY REPORT

FOR THE
YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1956.

I. ADMINISTRATION.

A. Staff.

<i>Office</i>	<i>Occupant(s)</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Senior Medical Officer	R. S. Slessor, M.B., ch.B.	Whole year	
Medical Officers	G. H. Ashmore, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.	Whole year	
	G. F. Grave, M.B., B.S.	Whole year	
	D. G. G. Greenaway, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Whole year	
Nurse Matron	Miss R. Strong, M.B.E., S.R.N., S.C.M.	Till 20.11.56	Resigned.
Nursing Sisters	Miss M. Mackintosh, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Till 30.9.56	Resigned.
	Mrs. R. Fleuret	Whole year	Acting Matron from 30.11.56.
	Miss D. Hooley, S.R.N., S.C.M.	From 24.9.56	Part-time duties.
T.B. Sister	Miss L. Stellfeld	Whole year	
District Nurse	Mrs. M. E. Watson, S.R.N., S.C.M.	Whole year	
Staff Nurses	Miss J. McGill	Till 6.5.56	Resigned.
	Miss C. Hirtle	Till 25.11.56	"
	Miss R. Middleton	Whole year	
	Miss L. Peck	" "	
	Miss G. Hansen	From 5.11.56	
	Mrs. P. Shaw	From 5.11.56	
Clerk	Mrs. Beaton	Whole year	
Caretaker	K. McGill	Whole year	

The domestic staff of the hospital consists of a cook, five maids and a laundry-maid, all employed on a monthly basis.

DENTAL STAFF.

Office	Occupant(s)	Remarks
Colonial Dentist	H. Jacoby	From 30.4.56.
Camp Dentist	D. P. Schwagereit	Whole year.
Dental Mechanic	W. Hasenhöller	On leave till 10.1.56.
Dental Apprentice	N. Bennett	Whole year.

SANITARY INSPECTOR.

Mr. J. Ikkint, Chief Constable, was Sanitary Inspector throughout the year.

STAFF CHANGES.

MEDICAL AND DENTAL STAFF. The S.M.O. and Dr. Grave were stationed in Stanley throughout the year. Dr. Ashmore at Darwin, and Dr. Greenaway, at Fox Bay, both elected to remain in the Camp for the year.

Dr. Schwagereit worked in Stanley and in the Camp till the end of April, when Dr. Jacoby arrived, to fill the vacant post of Colonial Dentist. Thereafter, Dr. Schwagereit spent all his time in the Camp.

NURSING STAFF. The hospital has been understaffed throughout the year. During the past two years, repeated attempts have been made to recruit nursing sisters, but all were in vain. The result has been that the Matron and Nursing Sisters have been continuously over-working. Miss Mackintosh had to resign first and the Matron, who has given years of hard work and devoted service to the hospital, was unable to carry on for much longer. Her resignation, on health grounds, was accepted with great regret. Mrs. Fleuret became acting Matron on Miss Strong's departure. Miss Hooley was able to do part-time duties in the hospital; her help was greatly appreciated.

II. STATISTICAL RETURNS.

(A) FINANCIAL.

Total Government Ordinary Expenditure in year 1956/57 (estimated) £239,150.

Expenditure on Medical Services in year 1956/57 (estimated)

(a) Personal Emoluments	...	£11,865.
(b) Other Charges	...	£12,738.

Total £24,603

Percentage of total expenditure 10.28%

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Revenue	2,915	3,558	2,143	2,248	2,150	1,739	2,856
Medical	428	173	766	2,308	345	580	627
	<u>£3,343</u>	<u>£3,731</u>	<u>£2,909</u>	<u>£4,556</u>	<u>£2,495</u>	<u>£2,319</u>	<u>£3,483</u>

(B) VITAL STATISTICS.

		Rate per 1000.
Population (estimated on 31.12.56)	...	2,294
Births (live)	...	48
Stillbirths	...	2
Deaths	...	18
Maternal deaths	...	0
Neo-natal deaths	...	1

III. PUBLIC HEALTH.

The general health of the Colony has been good. There were no epidemics, but a severe common cold affected many during the Winter.

There were three new cases of pulmonary tuberculosis, two of them in young men who immigrated from England. Legislation was passed in October, making it compulsory for all immigrants to the Colony to have a radiological examination of the chest and a report certifying that they are free from pulmonary tuberculosis. The Regulation comes into force on the 1st January, 1957.

IV. HYGIENE AND SANITATION.

1. **SEWAGE DISPOSAL.** Stanley still requires the services of two night-soil collectors. The number of houses with modern sanitation is slowly increasing but, until the town water supply is greatly increased, and new main sewers have been built in several parts of the town, it will not be possible for all householders to instal flush closets.

2. **WATER SUPPLY.** A prolonged drought, in the late Spring caused a severe shortage of water, and continuous pumping from the Moody Valley Stream was necessary for six weeks.

3. **DAIRIES.** There are three licensed dairies in Stanley. The dairy herds are inspected periodically by the Agricultural Officer, and all animals are Tuberculin-tested.

4. **SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.** There are two slaughter-houses in Stanley. They are inspected regularly by the Sanitary Inspector.

V. K. E. M. HOSPITAL.

The hospital was painted throughout in the latter months of the year. The extension to the Nurses' Home has been completed, and is now ready for occupation.

Investigations are being made into the possibilities of using furnace oil for firing the central-heating boilers. Apparatus was installed for burning gas oil, and it worked extremely well. The high cost of gas oil, and the limited supplies available here make the use of furnace oil highly desirable.

VI. MEDICAL SERVICES IN THE CAMP.

For medical purposes, the Falklands are divided into three areas - Stanley and the North Camp, Lafonia and West Falklands. The S.M.O. and one M.O. live in Stanley. One M.O. is stationed at Darwin, in the Lafonia area, and one lives at Fox Bay, in the West Falkland, and sees all patients in the West Falkland and its adjacent islands.

Most houses in the Camp can communicate with their doctor either by land telephone or radio-telephone.

Standard Medical Chests have been supplied to all settlements.

The Government Air Service is being used more and more by the Camp Medical Officers. This saves them many hours of riding and travel in small boats. Flying was possible on all occasions when the call was urgent.

VII. PRISONS AND ASYLUMS.

The Gaol in Stanley is the only one in the Colony. In the course of the year, the building was re-roofed, re-plastered and re-decorated throughout.

There is no asylum in the Colony. Cases requiring institutional treatment are sent to the United Kingdom ; no such cases occurred in 1956.

VIII. METEOROLOGICAL.

The following data have been supplied by the Chief Meteorological Officer :-

		1955.	1956.
Total annual rainfall	... ..	23.05 inches	22.72 inches
Average daily sunshine	... ..	4.6 hours	4.16 hours
Maximum temperature	... ..	70°F.	67°F.
Minimum	... ..	22°F.	25°F.
Mean relative humidity	... ..	85%	85%
Mean wind speed	... ..	17.8 knots	16.8 knots
Number of periods of calm	... ..	3 per month.	7 per month

IX. DEPENDENCIES.

The three whaling stations at South Georgia each have their own medical organisation. Each has its own small hospital, equipped with operating theatre, X-Ray apparatus etc.

The Falkland Islands Dependencies employ a dentist at South Georgia. The post was filled by Dr. Schönfeld till January, when he left to do a dental tour of the F.I.D.S. bases. His place at South Georgia was taken by Mr. Smillie, who arrived early in May.

Six medical practitioners were registered to practise in the Dependencies in 1956. Three of them have been stationed at F.I.D.S. bases.

TABLE I.
RETURN OF DISEASES AND DEATHS,
KING EDWARD VII MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 1956

Disease.		In-Patients.		
		Remaining in hospital on 1.1.56.	Total Admissions.	Deaths.
002	Pulmonary tuberculosis	2	5	
003.1	Pleurisy with effusion		1	
012	Tuberculous spine	3	3	
018.2	T.B. abscess of breast		1	
088	Herpes zoster		1	
151	Carcinoma of stomach		1	
199	Carcinoma of abdominal viscera		1	1
214	Uterine fibroids		1	1
215	Cervical polyp		2	
310	Anxiety state		2	
314	Psychogenic depression	1		
322.1	Alcoholism		1	
331	Cerebral haemorrhage		2	2
351	Congenital paralysis	1		
410	Mitral stenosis		1	
420.1	Coronary thrombosis	1	1	
422.2	Senile myocardial degeneration		1	1
433	Heart Block		1	
434.2	Cardio-bronchial asthma		1	
434.3	Cor pulmonale		1	1
444	Hypertension		1	
460	Varicose veins		4	
481	Influenzal cold		1	
490	Pneumonia (lobar)		3	
491	Broncho-pneumonia		1	
502.1	Chronic bronchitis	1	1	
540	Gastric ulcer		2	
540.1	Perforated gastric ulcer		1	
541.0	Duodenal ulcer		1	
543	Gastritis		2	
550	Appendicitis		17	
550.1	Appendicitis, gangrenous		3	
560.0	Inguinal hernia		4	
561.0	Strangulated inguinal hernia		1	
561.2	Strangulated umbilical hernia		1	
571.1	Gastro-enteritis		1	
573	Constipation		1	
574	Fissure, fistula, in ano	1	1	
585	Cholecystitis		2	
600	Pyelitis	1	2	
602	Renal calculus		1	
<i>Carried forward</i>		11	78	6

Disease.	In-Patients.		
	Remaining in Hospital on 1.1.56	Total Admissions	Deaths.
<i>Brought forward</i>	11	78	6
634 Menorrhagia		1	
648.3 False labour, cyesis, normal puerperium	4	5	
650.0 Incomplete abortion		2	
650.1 Therapeutic abortion (Tuberculosis) ...	1		
660 Normal delivery		43	
674 Breech delivery		1	
676 Delivery with perineal laceration ...		6	
691 Pyosalpinx		1	
692.5 Septic foot		1	
722 Rheumatoid arthritis		1	
726 Lumbago		1	
735 Prolapsed intervertebral disc ...		1	
762.5 Atelectasis with immaturity ...		1	1
785.5 Abdominal pain NOS		1	
794 Senility	1	3	
N807 Fracture ribs		1	
N821 Fracture femur	1		
N823 Fracture tibia and fibula		1	
N824 Fracture ankle		1	
N839 Dislocation of cervical vertebra ...	1		
N852 Concussion		1	
N870 Bullet wound of eye		1	
<i>Total</i>	19	151	7

TABLE II.
RETURN OF CASES SEEN IN THE OUT-PATIENTS' DEPARTMENT
AND ON THE DISTRICT, 1956.

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
002 Pulmonary Tuberculosis		33		1	
012.3 Tuberculous humerus				1	
013.3 Tuberculous ankle				1	
021 Syphilis (primary)	2				
030 Gonorrhoea	5				
086 Rubella			3		
087 Varicella			1		
088 Herpes zoster	3		1		
130 Round worms	2				
130.1 Thread worms	6		2		
131 Trychophytosis	3				
136 Pediculosis	1				
151 Carcinoma of stomach			1		1
161 Carcinoma of larynx			1		1
222 Papilloma	1				
240 Allergic rhinitis	1				
241 Asthma			1	7	1
243 Urticaria NOS	16		2		
253 Myxoedema				1	
260 Diabetes mellitus	1	6			
287 Obesity	1	3			
289.2 Oxaluria	1				
291 Iron deficiency anaemia	13		3		
301 Manic depressive reaction				1	
310 Anxiety state	5		2		
318.3 Neurasthenia	1				
322.1 Chronic alcoholism			2	16	
322.2 Alcoholic gastritis	1				
325.4 Mongolism				1	
325.5 Mental deficiency				1	
331 Cerebral haemorrhage				1	
345 Disseminated sclerosis					
353.1 Epilepsy		2			
354 Migraine	1		1		
362 Neuritis	3				
363 Sciatica	4				
370 Conjunctivitis	12				
371 Blepharitis	3				
372 Meibomian cyst, styne	5				
377 Retrobulbar neuritis	1				
378 Dacrocystitis	1				
380 Refractions	58				
381 Corneal ulcer	2				
<i>Carried forward</i>	153	44	20	32	3

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	153	44	20	32	3
390 Otitis externa	16				
391.2 Otitis interna	11				
396 Eustachian catarrh	6				
396 Impacted cerumen	7				
410 Mitral stenosis		2			
420.1 Coronary thrombosis			1		1
420.2 Angina pectoris	2				
422.1 Myocardial degeneration		2	1	2	1
422.2 Senile myocarditis			3		3
433.1 Auricular fibrillation			1		
444 Hypertension	4			4	
453.2 Chilblains	8				
460 Varicose veins, ulcers, eczema	11			4	
461 Haemorrhoids	4				
465 Pulmonary embolism			1		1
470 Coryza	57		77		
471 Sinusitis	12		2		
472.2 Pharyngitis NOS	17		5		
473 Tonsillitis	17		2		
474 Laryngitis	1		3		
490 Pneumonia			4		
501 Bronchitis NOS			10		
502.0 Emphysema		1	1		
502.1 Chronic bronchitis			1	4	
511 Quinzy	1		1		
512.1 Rhinitis	1				
519.0 Pleurisy			1		
531.2 Dental abscess	2				
532.0 Gingivitis	2		1		
536 Stomatitis			1		
544.2 Indigestion NOS	35		9		
560.0 Inguinal hernia		2			
571.1 Gastro-enteritis	12		51		
572.1 Diverticulitis	1				
573.0 Constipation	2				
584 Cholelithiasis	2				
600.0 Pyelitis	9		10		
605 Cystitis	7		2		
610 Enlargement of prostate			1		
617 Balanitis	1				
621.0 Abscess of breast	1		2		
624 Salpingitis	2				
631 Cystocoele, rectocoele	1	7			
634 Amenorrhoea, dysmenorrhoea	3		1		
634 Menorrhagia	5		2		
635 Menopausal symptoms	4				
650 Abortion complete	1				
651.0 Septic abortion			1		
<i>Carried forward</i>	418	58	215	46	9

Disease.	O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
	New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>	418	58	215	46	9
690.1 Carbuncle	2				
690.8 Boils NOS	30		1		
691 Septic finger, toe	17				
692.0 Septic hand	9				
692.4 Cellulitis	1		2		
695 Impetigo	15				
696 Warts	6				
698 Granuloma of umbilicus	1				
701 Eczema	2				
703.7 Dermatitis NOS	21				
705.2 Erythema nodosum	1				
706 Psoriasis	1	3			
706.2 Pityriasis rosea	1				
709 Corns	3				
712 Ingrowing toenail	2		2		
714.1 Acne	2		1		
714.2 Sebaceous cyst	6				
722.0 Rheumatoid arthritis		1	1		
723.0 Osteo-arthritis	2	6			
726.0 Lumbago	9		12		
726.2 Spasmodic torticollis	3		2		
726.3 Rheumatism, myalgia, fibrositis	8		3		
727 Rheumatism NOS	4				
730 Chronic osteo-myelitis				1	
740 Bunion	1				
741 Tenosynovitis, ganglion	8				
742 Bursitis	1				
747 Hallux valgus	3				
752 Hydrocephalus			1	1	
780.7 Insomnia	2				
782.5 Vaso-vagal attacks			1		
783.0 Epistaxis	2		1		
789.4 Haematuria			1		
791 Headache	1		1		
794 Senility			3		
N807 Fracture of ribs	4		3		
N810 Fracture of ulna	1				
N814 Fracture of scaphoid	1				
N823 Fracture of tibia	1				
N831 Dislocation of shoulder	1				
N848 Sprain, strain NOS	44		10		
N862 Multiple injury			1		1
N893 Laceration of foot	1		1		
N908 Lacerations, cuts, NOS	67				
N918 Superficial injury NOS	84				
N929 Bruise			4		
N930 Foreign body in eye	21				
N949 Burns	10		1		
<i>Carried forward</i>	817	68	267	48	10

Disease.					O.P.D.		DISTRICT		
					New	Old	New	Old	Deaths
<i>Brought forward</i>					817	68	267	48	10
N981.4	Sunburn	...	...	...	4		1		
N990	Drowning	...	...	...			1		1
N992	Electric shock	...	...	...			1		
N997	Vaccinia	...	...	...			1		
					821	68	271	48	11
Special conditions and examinations without sickness									
Y00.0	Medical examinations	...	...	...	180				
Y00.5	Well baby and child care	...	...	...	145				
Y01	Tuberculin sensitivity	...	...	...	7				
Y06	Pre-natal care	...	...	...	49				
Y40	Vaccination against Smallpox	...	...	...	126				
Y41	Inoculation against Diphtheria	...	...	...	32				
Y43	Vaccination against Tuberculosis	...	...	...	39				
<i>Totals</i>					1399	68	271	48	11

TABLE III.
STATISTICS OF CAUSES OF DEATH ACCORDING TO
SEX AND AGE GROUPINGS.

	Still- birth.	0-4	30-34	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	90-94	Total
MALE													
151 Carcinoma stomach											1		1
241 Bronchial asthma			1										1
331 Cerebral haemorrhage									1				1
420.1 Coronary Thrombosis									1				1
422.1 Myocardial degeneration							1						1
422.2 Senile Myocardial degeneration									1	1		1	3
465 Pulmonary embolism							1						1
862 Multiple injuries						1							1
990 Drowning				1									1
Y38.0 Anencephaly	1												
Y39.5 Death in utero	1												
	(2)	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	3	1	1	1	11
FEMALE													
161 Carcinoma of larynx								1					1
189 Carcinoma of Abdominal Viscera								1					1
214 Uterine fibroids					1								1
331 Cerebral Haemorrhage									1				1
422.2 Senile myocardial degeneration											1		1
434.3 Cor pulmonale					1								1
762.5 Atelectasis with prematurity		1											1
	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	7

TABLE IV.
K. E. M. HOSPITAL — OPERATIONS, 1956.

MAJOR.					
Appendicectomy	...	20	Hysterectomy	...	1
Laparotomy with drainage	...	1	Hysterotomy	...	1
Gastro-enterostomy	...	1	Myomectomy	...	1
Cholecystectomy	...	1	Bilateral salpingectomy	...	1
Inguinal herniotomy	...	5	High resection of int. saph. vein	...	4
Umbilical herniotomy	...	1	Enucleation of eye	...	1
		29			9
MINOR.					
Excision of cyst	...	3	Suture of wound	...	1
" " nail	...	1	Reduction of fracture	...	4
" " anal fistula	...	1	" " dislocation	...	1
" " sinus	...	1	Cystoscopy	...	1
Removal of foreign body	...	1	Circumcision	...	1
" " finger	...	1	D & C	...	3
Drainage of hæmatoma	...	1	Evacuation of incomplete abortion	...	2
" " breast abscess	...	1	Surgical induction of labour	...	1
		10			14
OBSTETRIC NIL			Total operations ... 62		

TABLE V.
SUMMARY OF X-RAY EXAMINATIONS 1956.

Skull	...	3	Kidney	...	6
Jaw	...	1	Shoulder	...	2
Spine	...	5	Arm and elbow	...	3
Neck	...	1	Hand and wrist	...	12
Chest	...	305	Fingers or toes	...	2
Abdomen	...	13	Hip and thigh	...	5
Gall bladder	...	2	Knee	...	6
Intestine	...	13	Leg	...	14
			Ankle or foot	...	10
		343			60
TOTAL			... 403		

DENTAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1956 - DENTAL DEPARTMENT, STANLEY.

The following report has been submitted by Dr. Jacoby :—

1. **EQUIPMENT.** The Dental Surgery and laboratory are well equipped. Orders have been placed for a porcelain oven, so that porcelain crowns and inlays can be made.

2. **STOCKS.** The Department is now well stocked. Much inconvenience was again caused by the delayed arrival of plaster and plastic material from the United Kingdom.

3. **DENTAL HEALTH.** The present state of dental health in Stanley is good. More extensive use of local anaesthetics for conservative treatment has led to treatment being given to some who have always avoided dental treatment.

All the school children were examined ; about 20% required no treatment.

There still remain quite a number of patients who need full or partial dentures. The cost of partial dentures, in which gold has to be used at present, is too high for many patients. It is proposed, therefore, to procure equipment for the manufacture of partial dentures in stainless steel, and so lower the cost considerably.

4. SUMMARY OF TREATMENT AND WORK.

(a) Oral surgery

Extractions	...	...	...	678
Extraction of buried roots	...	...	...	41
Extraction of impacted teeth	...	...	...	14

(b) Conservative treatment

Examination (no treatment necessary)	...	...	...	11
Fillings (amalgam or synthetic porcelain)	...	...	...	1125
Root treatment and fillings	...	...	...	9
Temporary fillings	...	...	...	148
Gold inlays	...	...	...	41
Parodontal treatment	...	...	...	41

(c) Prosthetics

Dentures (full and partial)	...	...	...	216
(about 50% of them for Camp patients)				
Dentures with gold basis	...	...	...	7
Bridges	...	...	...	3
Pin-teeth	...	...	...	3
Crowns (acrylic or gold)	...	...	...	7
Minor work (gold facing, acrylic splint, cast clasps etc.)	...	...	...	6
Denture repairs	...	...	...	155

REPORT ON THE DENTAL WORK IN THE CAMP, 1956.

Dr. Schwagereit has submitted the following report :—

The Camp Dentist was able to spend all but eight weeks of the year in the Camp.

The following Camp tours were made :—

January :	Dunnose Head, Saunders Island, Chartres.
February :	Chartres, North Arm, Speedwell Island, Pebble Island, Hill Cove.
March/April :	Carcass Island, West Point Island, Roy Cove, Hill Cove.
May/September :	San Carlos, Port San Carlos, Fox Bay East, Fox Bay West, Darwin (including patients from Walker Creek and Lively Island), Teal Inlet, North Arm, Fitzroy (including patients from Bluff Cove).
Sept./October :	Bleaker Island, Douglas Station, Teal Inlet, Salvador, Rincon Grande (including Horse-shoe Bay).
Nov./December :	Hill Cove, Roy Cove, Saunders Island, Port Howard, Port Stephens, Beaver Island, Pebble Island, Carcass Island, New Island, Weddell Island.

SUMMARY OF TREATMENT.

(a) Oral Surgery				
Extractions	...	...	...	418
Levelling of mandible	...	...	...	3
Excision of dental cyst	...	...	...	3
(b) Conservative treatment				
Fillings	...	...	...	1115
Root fillings	...	...	...	3
Parodontal treatment	...	...	...	54
(c) Prosthetics				
Dentures	...	...	...	110
Repairs	...	...	...	25
Orthodontic appliances	...	...	...	3

All children in the recently opened school at Darwin were examined in July, and all necessary treatment was carried out. As the Darwin School gives a good opportunity for checking early caries in approximately fifty children, a regular six-monthly inspection is strongly recommended.

Every settlement in the Falklands, with the exception of Port Louis and Johnson's Harbour, which are close to Stanley, was visited at least once during the year. Lack of time prevented the completion of necessary work at Salvador, Rincon Grande, Port Stephens and West Point Island.

Several settlements received two visits. A comparison of the work required at the first and second visits is of interest.

		Patients	Extractions	Fillings
Roy Cove -	First visit	18	4	29
	Second visit (Six months later)	14	-	13
Hill Cove -	First visit	38	19	103
	Second visit (Six months later)	23	3	21
Saunders Is. -	First visit	17	23	29
	Second visit (Six months later)	18	5	17
Port Howard -	First visit	50	24	102
	Second visit (Twelve months later)	30	13	43
Port Stephens -	First visit	42	21	113
	Second visit (Twelve months later)	22	11	20

MEDICAL REPORT FROM SOUTH GEORGIA.

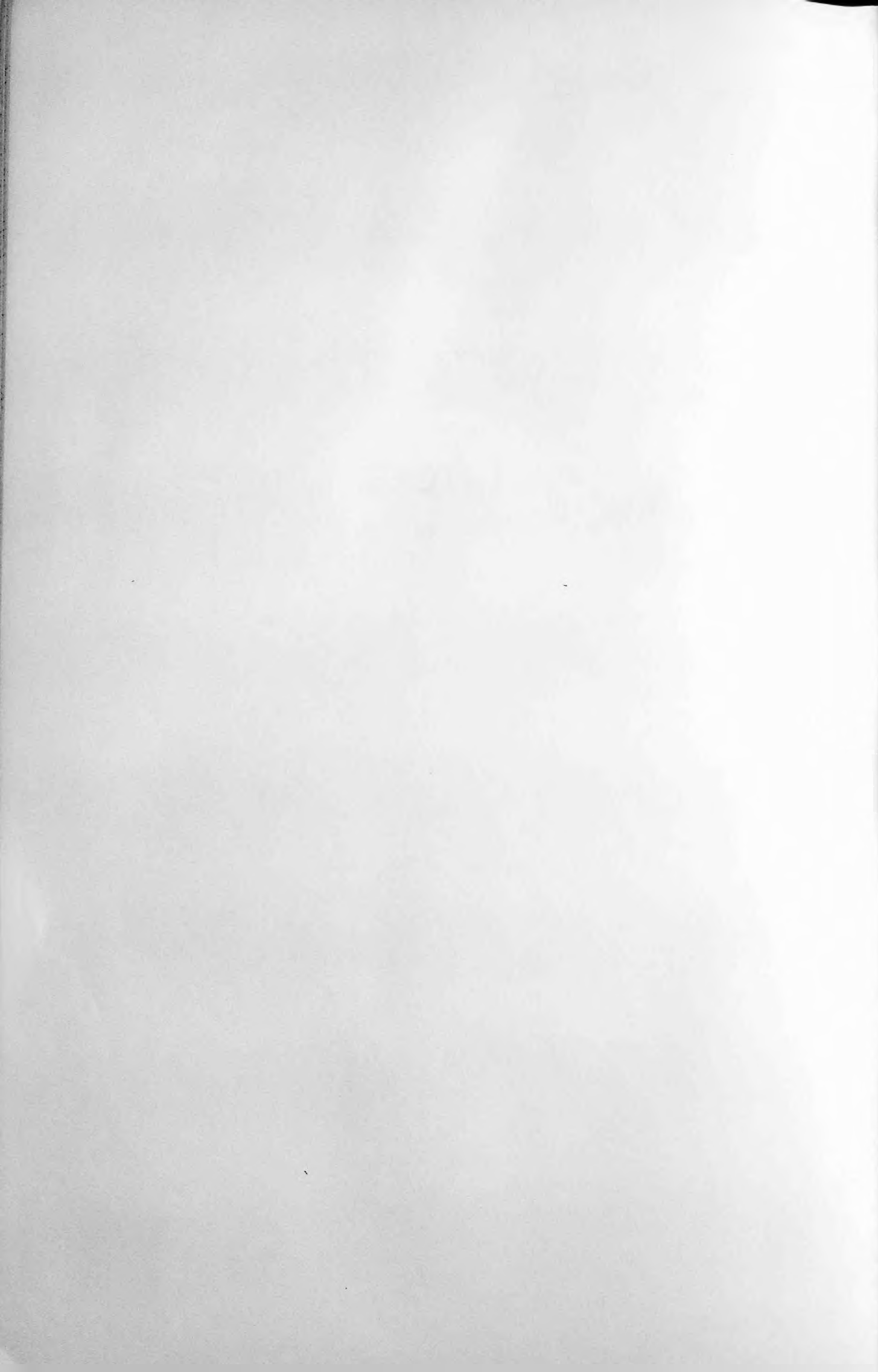
The following report was received from the South Georgia Company, Limited, at Leith Harbour, for the 1955/56 season :—

First attendance	... 832	Number of days in hospital	... 498
Total attendances	... 1894	Number of men put off duty	... 83
Men admitted to hospital	72	Number of days off duty	... 424

Summary of Diseases

(No detailed analysis was given)

V	Neurosis	... ..	... ..	27
VI	Ear diseases	... ..	... ..	36
VI	Eye diseases	... ..	... ..	32
VI	Organic nervous diseases	... ..	... ..	8
VII	Cardio-vascular diseases	... ..	... ..	3
VIII	Respiratory diseases (excluding colds)			4
VIII 470	Common cold	... ..	... ..	166
IX	Dental diseases	... ..	... ..	15
IX	Diseases of Alimentary tract	... ..	... ..	63
IX 560.0	Hernia	... ..	... ..	2
X	Urogenital diseases	... ..	... ..	11
XII	Septic conditions	... ..	... ..	55
XII	Skin diseases	... ..	... ..	72
XIII	Diseases of muscles, tendons, joints			69
XVI	Miscellaneous	27
XVIII	Injuries, including burns	201
XVIII	Eye injuries	41
	Total	832





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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Duff, Miss I. A. L.	Education	Assistant Mistress	24.9.57	—
McMullen, Miss E.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	19.9.57	On probation for six months.
Summers, H. V.	Public Works	Motor Driver	1.10.57	On probation for two years.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>	
Greenaway. Dr. D. G. G., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Medical	Medical Officer	29.7.54	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>	
Reive, Miss Z.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	19.9.57	Dismissed.

TRANSFER.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Stroughair, G. C. Steward/Cook, South Georgia	Constable/Handyman, South Georgia	10.5.57

LEAVE.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>	
Carey, A. M.	Aviation	Clerk	18.2.57 - 24.9.57	—
Cronin, D.	Education	Assistant Master	18.2.57 - 24.9.57	—
Atkins, S. P.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator	18.2.57 - 24.9.57	—
McInerney, J.	South Georgia	Met. Assistant	15.4.57 - 29.8.57	—
Hooley, T. V., M.B.E.	Posts & Telegraphs	W/T Operator, 1st Class	12.9.57 -	On leave prior to final retirement.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No 43. 7th September, 1957.

It is notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

C. T. REIVE, ESQUIRE,

to be Director of Broadcasting and Chairman of the Broadcasting Advisory Committee, Falkland Islands, vice

V. A. W. HARRISON, ESQUIRE,

with effect from the 1st September, 1957.

Ref. 0001/IV.

No. 44. 13th September, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1957	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1953-54) Ordinance, 1957.	0284/J/VII.

No. 45. 17th September, 1957.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated 31st August, 1957, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on Tuesday, 10th September, 1957.

Ref. P/756. & 0276.

No. 46. 18th September, 1957.

It is hereby notified, that within the meaning of Section 3 (1) of the Income Tax Ordinance:—

MR. J. W. MATTHEW

is Collector of Income Tax at South Georgia and

MR. W. HIRTLE

is Income Tax Officer, Falkland Islands.

Ref. 0747/II.

No. 47. 18th September, 1957.

It is hereby notified that Government clocks will be advanced one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, 28th/29th September, 1957.

Ref. 0064.

No. 48. 26th September, 1957.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MRS. CONSTANCE LUXTON

to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony, with effect from the 17th September, 1957.

Ref. 0457.

No. 49. 28th September, 1957.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

MR. J. D. WILLIAMS

to be a member of the Broadcasting Advisory Committee, with effect from 27th September, 1957.

Ref. 0001/IV.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of Francis Frederick Lellman, deceased of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Edward Francis Lellman, son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

4th September, 1957.

S.C. 17/57.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

In the Matter of the Estate of John George Kelway, deceased of Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Whereas Mary Ellen Kelway, widow of the above named deceased has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

30th September, 1957.

S.C. 19/57.

No. 5.

Proclamation

1957

Made under section 24 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council)
Order in Council, 1948 to 1955.

IN THE NAME of Her Majesty ELIZABETH II., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency* EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH,
ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order
of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and
Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the
Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by subsection (1) of section 24 of the Falkland Islands (Legislative Council) Orders in Council, 1948 to 1955, it is provided that the sittings of the Council shall be held at such times and places as the Governor shall from time to time appoint by Proclamation :

NOW THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, in exercise of the powers vested in me as aforesaid, do by this Proclamation appoint Tuesday and Wednesday the 15th and 16th of October, 1957, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Court and Council Chambers, Stanley, to be the time and place for a sitting of the Legislative Council of the Colony.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 16th day of September, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

1887

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Received of the Treasurer of the State of New York
the sum of \$100.00

for the purchase of land in the town of
Canaan, Co. of Hamilton, N. Y.

in full of the purchase money of the same

land as shown in the following description

to-wit: One acre and one half

of the land of the State of New York

in the town of Canaan, Co. of Hamilton, N. Y.

as shown in the following description

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APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Toye, G. C.	Aviation	Acting Director of Civil Aviation	11.10.57	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Jennings, Miss A.	Posts & Telegraphs	Telephone Operator	1.4.57	—

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Reason</i>
Browning, Miss M.	Medical	Nurse Probationer	5.10.57	Resigned.
Hansen, Miss G.	"	" "	5.10.57	"
Shaw, Mrs. M.	"	Staff Nurse	31.10.57	"

TRANSFERS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Date</i>
Carey, A. M.	Clerk, Aviation Dept.	Clerk, Medical Dept.	1.10.57
Shorey, B.	Clerk, Public Works Dept.	Clerk, Aviation Dept.	1.10.57

LEAVE.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Kerr, J.	Aviation	Director of Civil Aviation	10.10.57 144 days	Exclusive of time taken on voyage.
Schwagereit, D. P.	Medical	Dental Surgeon	14.6.57 - 5.9.57	On completion of contract.
Pollitt, Mrs. E.	Govt. House	Cook/Housekeeper	18.2.57 - 29.7.57	do.
Turner, W.	Public Works	Painter	25.3.57 - 23.8.57	do.
Brown, G.	South Georgia	Senior Wireless Operator Mechanic	6.5.57 - 25.8.57	do.
Spivey, R. E.	" "	Administrative Officer	1.5.57 - 28.9.57	do.

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 50. 1st October, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
3 of 1957	Appropriation (Dependencies) (1957/1958) Ordinance, 1957.	F.I.D.S. 46/IV.

No. 51. 4th October, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
6 of 1957	Supplementary Appropriation (1955/56) Ordinance, 1957.	0284/VIII.
7 of 1957	Appropriation (1957/58) Ordinance, 1957.	0284/X.

No. 52. 4th October, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies:—

No.	Title	Ref.
2 of 1957	Application of Colony Laws Ordinance, 1957.	0188.

No. 53. 10th October, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title	Ref.
5 of 1957	Dangerous Drugs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957.	0029/II.

No. 54. 23rd October, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Dependencies:—

No.	Title	Ref.
4 of 1957	Supplementary Appropriation (Dependencies) (1955/56) Ordinance, 1957.	0284/J/IX.

No. 55. 29th October, 1957.

Under Section 4 sub-section (2) of the Provident Fund Ordinance (Cap. 28 Vol. 1), His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

A. J. BLYTH, ESQUIRE,

to the Board of Management of the Government Employees' Provident Fund.

Ref. 0146/A.

No. 56. 31st October, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands:—

No.	Title.	Ref.
1 of 1957	Licensing (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957.	1092.
2 of 1957	Electricity Supply (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957.	1027.
4 of 1957	Live Stock (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957.	1093.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of Cecil Mayne
Craigie-Halkett, deceased, of Fox Bay West,
Falkland Islands.*

Whereas Dominic William O'Sullivan, Attorney for Ethel Jane Primrose Craigie-Halkett, widow of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

26th October, 1957.

S.C. 23/57.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of the Meeting held on 15th and 16th October, 1957.

Present: His Excellency the Governor.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer.

The Honourable Mr. A. L. Hardy, B.E.M., J.P.

The Honourable Mr. M. G. Creece, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. T. A. Gilruth, J.P. (on 16th only)

The Honourable Mr. S. Miller, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. A. Mercer, O.B.E.

The Honourable Mr. H. C. Harding, J.P.

The Honourable Mr. J. T. Clement.

The Meeting opened with prayers read by the Reverend J. Gould.

1. The Minutes of the Meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 26th, 27th and 28th June were confirmed.

2. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following Papers:

- (i) Report of the Standing Committee on Finance for the period 1st June to 30th September, 1957.
- (ii) Report of the Executive Council Sub-Committee on the Salary Structure and Conditions of Service of Established Civil Servants.

3. The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer in moving that the Report of the Executive Council Sub-Committee on the Salary Structure and Conditions of Service of Established Civil Servants, laid on the Table by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, be considered by a Select Committee said:—

"The Report, compiled by a Sub-Committee of Executive Council appointed by Your Excellency's predecessor and adopted by Executive Council, recommends increased salaries for civil servants, improved leave conditions for locally recruited officers, a slightly more generous maximum of sick leave for officers in the lower scales of the Civil Service, pensionability for female officers with retention of Provident Fund benefits and other improvements in general conditions of service."

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded and there being no objection raised, His Excellency appointed the Select Committee as follows:—

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary (in the chair)

The Honourable the First and Second Elected Members for Stanley

The Honourable the Elected Member for the East Falkland

The Honourable the Elected Member for the West Falkland

The Honourable the Nominated Unofficial Members

The Honourable the Colonial Treasurer (as a non-voting Member).

On reporting back to the Council at 4 p.m. on 16th October, the Honourable the Colonial Secretary said:—

"Your Excellency, I beg to report that the Report of the Executive Council Sub-Committee on the Salary Structure and Conditions of Service of Established Civil Servants, has been adopted by the Select Committee subject to the following amendments, with a recommendation that, subject to the provision of the necessary funds by Standing Finance Committee, the Report should be implemented:—

SALARY SCALE G. For the figures £120, £130, £140, £155, £170, £185, £200 and £220 shown on page 3 of Annexure B, substitute the figures £120, £150, £160, £170, £180, £200, £220.

GRATUITIES. That the recommendation in paragraph 101 of the Report regarding the payment of gratuities be deleted.

PASSAGES AND ACCOMMODATION. That the recommendations in paragraphs 117 and 119 of the Report regarding passages and accommodation be reviewed on receipt of further information concerning the availability and cost of passages between Montevideo and the United Kingdom and the availability of satisfactory and suitable boarding house accommodation in Montevideo for officers in transit to and from the United Kingdom.

APPRENTICES. For the figures "£300" in paragraph 124 of the Report, substitute the figures "£340", that is to say the entry point in Scale F1 of apprentices on completing their Indentures and on being admitted to the Pensionable Establishment will be £340 per annum."

There being no objection to the motion the Report was adopted and ordered accordingly.

4. Before adjourning Council His Excellency thanked the Sub-Committee of Executive Council for their hard work in the preparation of the very able report on the Salary Structure and Conditions of Service of Established Civil Servants which had been before the House at that meeting. Consideration of a report such as this was no easy task and His Excellency expressed his thanks to the members of the Select Committee for the careful and thorough way in which they had performed this duty during the past two days. His Excellency then went on to thank Honourable Members for their attendance and wished the members from the Camp a safe return to their homes.

The Council adjourned *sine die*.

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 1st day of
November, 1957.

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

[L.S.]

No. 5



1957.

Falkland Islands Dependencies.

IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.
EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, C.M.G.,
Governor.

An Ordinance

Title. **To apply certain Laws of the Colony to
the Dependencies.**

Enacting clause. **ENACTED** by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland
Islands and the Dependencies thereof as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Application of
Colony Laws (No. 2) Ordinance, 1957.

Application of certain
Ordinances to the
Dependencies. **2.** The Ordinances of the Colony specified in the first and
second column of the Schedule to this Ordinance are applied to the
Dependencies, and shall be deemed to be in force in the Dependencies
with effect from the respective dates set out opposite their titles in
the third column of the Schedule to this Ordinance.

SCHEDULE

3 of 1957	Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957	1st January, 1958.
5 of 1957	Dangerous Drugs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957	1st July, 1957.

Promulgated by the Governor on the 1st day of November, 1957.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

The Education Ordinance (Cap. 22).

REGULATIONS

(under Section 10 of the Ordinance)

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

No. 3 of 1957.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 10 of the Education Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

Cap. 22.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the School (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1957, and shall be read as one with the School Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Vol. II Revised Edition
p. 181.

2. Regulation 8 of the principal Regulations is hereby revoked and the following new regulation 8 is substituted therefor :—

Replacement of regulation 8 of the principal Regulations.

Materials.

8. (1) A percentage of the cost of all materials used in day classes in the instruction of handicrafts other than that which the headmaster shall decide is necessary for the purpose of instruction shall be borne by the parent of the child or the person receiving such instruction. Such percentage shall be determined by the headmaster.

(2) The cost of all materials used in Evening Classes other than that which the headmaster shall decide is necessary for the purpose of instruction shall be borne by the person receiving such instruction."

Made by the Governor in Council on the 17th day of October, 1957.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 24/44.

The Public Health Ordinance (Cap. 54)

REGULATIONS

(under Section 55 of the Ordinance)

E. P. ARROWSMITH,
Governor.

No. 4 of 1957.

His Excellency the Governor in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 55 of the Public Health Ordinance, is pleased, by and with the advice of the Executive Council to make the following Regulations :—

Cap 54.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, and shall be read as one with the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

Short title.

Vol. II Revised Edition,
1950, p.255.

Replacement of regulation 10 of the principal Regulations.

2. Regulation 10 of the principal Regulations is revoked and replaced as follows :—

“10. Any person who commits an offence against these regulations shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £5.”

Made by the Governor in Council on the 17th day of October, 1957.

J. BOUND,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ref. 1112.

A Bill for An Ordinance

Title. To provide for the granting of a pension
to William Bleaker Myles.

Date of commencement. [, 195]

Enacting clause. BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Colony of the
Falkland Islands, as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions (W. B.
Myles) Ordinance, 1957.

Provision for the payment of pension. 2. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Pen-
sions Ordinance or the Pensions Regulations, it shall be lawful for
the Governor to award to William Bleaker Myles, a pension calculated
as though his service in the Government has been pensionable under
the provisions of the Pensions Ordinance and the Regulations made
thereunder.

Cap. 49.

OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to provide for the granting of a Pension to William Bleaker Myles in recognition of his service in the Government of the Colony.

Mr. Myles' office became pensionable six months after he had served the Government some 28 years and has reached the maximum pensionable age whilst still employed by Government.

Ref. P/13.

TOWN COUNCIL ESTIMATES, 1957.

Service.	Actual 1955.		Estimate 1956.		Estimated 1957.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
REVENUE.						
1. Cemetery		151		80		80
2. Miscellaneous		45		45		132
3. Government Grant		800		800		300
4. Library		40		70		60
5. Gymnasium						
a. Baths	15					
b. Gymnasium	85					
		100		134		190
6. General Rate						
a. Rate	2293		2530		2650	
b. Govt. Contribution	577		577		577	
		2870		3107		3227
7. Water Supply						
a. Rate	458		480		470	
b. Govt. contribution	135		135		135	
c. Sales	111		100		100	
d. Repairs reclaimed	—		—		40	
		704		715		745
8. Town Hall						
a. Hirings	645		660		660	
b. Govt. Contribution	751		380		380	
		1396		1040		1040
9. Transport		26		—		—
		6132		5991		6274
EXPENDITURE.						
1. TOWN CLERK		382		395		400
2. CEMETERY						
a. Wages Caretaker	271		270		275	
b. Upkeep	78		70		165	
		349		340		440
3. FIRE BRIGADE						
a. Wages	385		370		136	
b. Upkeep	239		50		100	
		624		420		236
4. LIBRARY						
a. Wages	148		148		148	
b. Books etc.	58		30		30	
		206		178		178
5. MISCELLANEOUS						
a. Telephones	8		10		10	
b. Stationery	2		10		35	
c. Provident Fund	35		32		15	
d. Old Age Pensions	20		23		25	
e. Elections	—		2		2	
f. Audit	13		15		15	
g. Insurance	6		20		15	
h. Unforeseen	84		50		15	
		168		162		132
6. CHARITABLE RELIEF		580		800		800
7. GYMNASIUM						
a. Caretaker	74		80		80	
b. Fuel	—		80		30	
		74		160		110
<i>Carried forward</i>	74	2309	160	2295	110	2186

Service.	Actual 1955.		Estimate 1956.		Estimated 1957.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Brought forward</i> ...	74	2309	160	2295	110	2186
c. Light ...	27		46		30	
d. Care & Maintenance ...	6		18		60	
		107		224		200
8. SCAVENGING						
a. Sanitation ...	594		590		582	
b. Fodder (fuel) ...	28		26		110	
c. Repairs ...	25		30		170	
d. Connections ...	17		70		30	
e. Ash Contract ...	150		800		1000	
f. Rodent Control ...	—		—		60	
		814		1516		1952
9. STREET LIGHTS						
a. Current ...	284		300		300	
b. Repairs ...	60		25		80	
		344		325		380
10. TOWN HALL						
a. Caretaker ...	368		365		381	
b. Fuel ...	292		200		200	
c. Light ...	85		85		100	
d. Care & Maintenance ...	14		15		15	
		759		665		696
11. WATER SUPPLY						
a. Ships ...	33		10		—	
b. Repairs ...	70		60		60	
c. Connections ...	—		—		60	
		103		70		120
12. TRANSPORT						
a. Wages ...	384		—		—	
b. Upkeep ...	320		100		210	
		704		100		210
13. REPAYMENT OF LOAN		216		210		420
14. GARAGE		—		130		10
15. ARCH GREEN		—		—		275
		5356		5535		6449

J. J. HANDSAKER,
Town Clerk.



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APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Halliday, Miss L.	Public Works	Clerk	1.10.57	On probation for two years.
Roberts, R. J.	Secretariat & Treasury	Assistant Printer	1.11.57	—

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Date</i>	
Ashmore, Dr. J. H., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., M.A., L.M.	Medical	Medical Officer	10.2.54	—
Spivey, R. E.	South Georgia	Administrative Officer	10.2.56	—

LEAVE.

	<i>Department</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Curtis, Dr. (Miss) J. M., M.B., B.S., D. (Obst.), R.C.O.G.	Medical	Medical Officer (Locum Tenens)	22.11.57 27 days	—
Smith, M. H.	South Georgia	Meteorological Asst.	25.11.57 102 days	—
Gutteridge, E. C.	Power & Electrical	Superintendent	16.3.57 to 22.10.57	—
Morrison, D. R.	Secretariat	Senior Clerk	16.3.57 to 12.11.57	—

NOTICES.

The following Notices are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 57. 1st November, 1957.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 41 of 22nd July, 1957, the findings of the Cost of Living Committee for the quarter ended 30th September, 1957, are hereby published for general information.

Quarter ended	Percentage increase over 1948 prices
30th September, 1957.	57.70

Ref. 0704/A.

No. 58. 6th November, 1957.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 38, dated the 21st May, 1957, it is hereby notified for general information that

THE HONOURABLE MR. A. BARTON, C.B.E., J.P., resumed his duties as a Member of Executive Council with effect from the 23rd October, 1957.

Ref. C/0001/II.

No. 59. 7th November, 1957.

Intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Dependencies—

No.	Title	Ref.
2 of 1955	Customs (Dependencies) Ordinance, 1955	D/6/47/III.
5 of 1955	Customs (Dependencies) (Amendment) Ord., 1955	D/6/47/III.

No. 60. 9th November, 1957.

In accordance with Section 2 of the School (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, His Excellency the Governor has fixed the regular school terms and holidays for 1958 as follows:—

- 1st Term : 17th February to 16th May.
- 2nd Term : 2nd June to 20th August.
- 3rd Term : 15th September to 19th December.

Ref. 0084/A.

No. 61. 23rd November, 1957.

The Marriage Ordinance.

His Honour the Governor's Deputy has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM WEDDERBURN BLAKE, ESQ., J.P., to be a Registrar within the meaning of Section 4 of the marriage Ordinance for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Thomas Henry Blackman, bachelor, and Anne Beatrice Morrison, spinster, at Hill Cove, West Falkland.

Ref. 1169.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.
(Probate Division)

*In the Matter of the Estate of
John Jordan George Halliday, deceased,
of Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Whereas John Henry Halliday, a son of the above named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next-of-kin and the creditors that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days of the date of publication hereof.

H. BENNETT,
Registrar.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

12th November, 1957.

S.C. 24/57.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the great seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 13th day of December, 1948, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

AND WHEREAS by instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is declared that the Governor in pursuance of the instructions from Her Majesty the Queen through one of her Principal Secretaries of State, may, from time to time, appoint persons other than ex-officio Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint

JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, J.P.,

to be a Member of my Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 15th day of October, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ref. C/0001/II.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, ESQ., M.C., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

E. P. ARROWSMITH — *By His Excellency EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1948, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others;

AND WHEREAS I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on the 19th day of November, 1957, for the purpose of visiting the Dependencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWIN PORTER ARROWSMITH, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you AUBREY GORDON DENTON-THOMPSON, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this 18th day of November, 1957.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. G. DENTON-THOMPSON,
Colonial Secretary.

ANNUAL STOCK RETURN FOR 1956-1957.

Prepared from information furnished in accordance with Section 40 of the Live Stock Ordinance, Cap. 40.

OWNER.	NAME OF STATION.	RAMS.	WETHERS.	BREEDING EWES.	OTHER EWES.		HOGGETS.	TOTAL.
					CAST.	MAIDEN.		
EAST FALKLAND.								
Estate J. W. Miller	Moody Valley	33	178	700	350	—	142	1428
San Carlos Sheep Farming Co., Ltd.	San Carlos	446	7,173	9,540	434	2,544	5,088	26,189
Pitaluga Bros.	Gibraltar	252	6,152	6,692	211	—	2,738	16,678
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Darwin & Lafonia	2,239	56,959	57,398	1,569	16,060	31,925	167,402
" " "	Fitzroy	393	12,955	11,993	—	3,109	5,411	35,196
Smith Bros.	Berkeley Sound	166	4,934	5,818	—	1,232	2,687	15,196
Mrs. N. S. Browning and Estate J. W. McGill	Mullet Creek	42	136	1,170	—	90	153	1,665
Mrs. F. O. Yonge	Bluff Cove	168	366	2,567	566	—	526	4,496
Estate T. Robson	Port Louis	183	3,443	4,331	—	1,048	2,049	11,342
The Douglas Stu. Co., Ltd.	Douglas	464	6,876	10,506	—	2,009	3,731	25,336
Port San Carlos Co., Ltd.	Port San Carlos	423	8,315	10,230	—	2,661	5,310	27,802
Teal Inlet, Ltd.	Evelyn	349	6,593	8,622	124	2,129	3,872	22,181
Estate H. J. Pitaluga	Rincon Grande	159	3,657	4,001	356	855	1,681	11,297
		5,317	117,737	128,568	3,610	31,737	65,313	366,208

WEST FALKLAND.								
J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard	334	9,490	14,783	400	3,551	6,729	36,562
Holmsted Blake & Co., Ltd.	Hill Cove	342	10,210	11,144	1,807	2,689	5,646	32,191
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Port Stephens	348	9,613	9,609	225	1,939	3,824	26,147
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Fox Bay West	364	8,507	11,344	—	2,598	5,029	29,053
Packe Bros. & Co., Ltd.	Fox Bay East	387	8,328	9,966	—	3,133	5,776	28,202
Luxton & Anson, Ltd.	Chartres	309	6,551	10,227	55	2,239	4,332	23,987
Bertrand & Felton, Ltd.	Roy Cove	179	4,941	5,642	—	1,793	3,352	15,899
		2,263	57,640	72,715	2,487	17,942	34,688	192,041

ISLANDS.								
Estate J. Hamilton, Ltd.	Weddell	110	3,470	3,850	—	1,040	2,083	10,843
" " " "	Beaver Passage							
" " " "	Saunders	168	2,045	2,680	—	661	1,305	7,346
Dean Bros. Ltd.	Pebble & Keppel	224	7,063	6,005	612	1,981	3,910	19,806
" " " "	Jasons	10	823	601	—	221	440	2,188
C. & K. Bertrand	Carcass	16	885	499	—	193	346	2,138
J. Davis	New	30	1,050	840	—	276	530	2,786
J. Lee	Sea Lion	12	513	500	—	217	449	1,657
Mrs. Napier	West Point	14	1,032	663	—	200	422	2,389
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Speedwell Group	155	3,832	3,860	150	1,305	2,600	12,182
		739	20,713	19,498	762	6,094	12,085	61,335

SUMMARY OF STOCK RETURNS 1951-1956.

EAST FALKLAND	...	...	...	5,317	117,737	128,568	3,610	31,737	65,313	366,208
WEST FALKLAND	...	...	...	2,263	57,640	72,715	2,487	17,942	34,688	192,041
ISLANDS	...	...	...	739	20,713	19,498	762	6,094	12,085	61,335
TOTALS	1956-1957			8,319	196,090	220,781	6,859	55,773	112,086	619,584
	1955-1956			8,050	191,078	223,613	6,899	50,652	128,576	608,882
	1954-1955			8,232	190,714	222,810	5,468	53,406	117,151	597,781
	1953-1954			8,224	187,199	219,080	6,119	53,265	125,828	599,905
	1952-1953			7,868	184,489	219,385	7,250	44,946	129,383	593,611

TOTAL WOOL CLIP IN 1000 LBS.	SHEEP SHORN.	LAMBS.		SHEEP DISPOSED OF.	HORSES.	CATTLE.	SWINE.	POULTRY.	ACRES SOWN OATS.	EAR MARK.
		MARKED.	DIPPED.							

EAST FALKLAND.

5	968	167	157	217	4	40	30	—	—	Fork & Slit.
189	23,901	6,749	6,052	3,183	139	704	6	280	18	Front Square.
107	15,174	4,291	3,371	2,130	50	266	—	—	—	Fore Bayonet.
1,344	152,416	38,133	33,177	15,727	831	3,673	—	—	—	Double Swallow.
259	30,752	8,348	6,746	3,627	185	973	—	—	—	"
92	13,830	1,167	3,046	1,340	29	272	—	94	—	Triangle.
6	1,070	284	227	70	—	22	—	—	—	Back Bayonet.
21	3,600	1,028	829	482	19	67	—	23	—	Double Slit.
80	10,271	2,855	2,301	1,170	51	307	—	—	—	Front Halfpenny.
162	20,316	6,121	5,481	1,567	99	312	—	—	6	Fork.
199	23,816	7,326	6,173	1,832	117	760	—	—	4	Slit.
133	19,785	5,295	4,364	1,590	144	308	—	—	2	Back Square.
77	10,234	2,350	2,269	1,049	48	163	—	62	—	Slit.
2,674	326,133	84,114	74,193	33,984	1,716	7,867	36	459	30	

WEST FALKLAND.

282	30,646	8,947	8,004	2,441	204	919	—	—	11	Fork.
214	27,952	6,686	5,999	2,204	185	455	7	495	10	Fore Bayonet.
172	21,525	5,140	4,413	1,990	161	497	4	196	5	Fork.
192	24,477	6,239	5,390	2,079	133	352	—	190	10½	Fore Bayonet.
220	24,888	7,213	6,388	3,696	137	391	2	204	—	Fore Bit.
176	21,781	5,202	4,373	2,138	186	531	1	—	8	Double Swallow.
130	14,657	3,591	3,344	2,088	100	253	10	—	4	Front Square.
1,386	165,926	43,018	37,911	16,636	1,106	3,398	24	1,369	48½	

ISLANDS.

90	9,430	2,712	2,373	625	110	280	—	142	—	Fork.
58	6,400	1,982	1,827	451	32	88	—	—	—	"
151	17,647	4,205	3,921	1,605	98	294	1	150	10	Back Bayonet.
23	1,859	538	538	219	1	—	—	—	—	"
22	2,086	545	545	711	12	18	—	28	—	Fore Bayonet.
28	2,830	650	590	200	6	43	—	34	—	Fork.
14	1,470	424	415	205	2	14	—	—	—	Slit.
22	2,320	506	480	474	6	25	—	46	—	Back Square.
105	10,576	4,048	2,889	1,881	14	365	—	—	—	Double Swallow.
513	54,618	15,610	13,578	6,371	281	1,127	1	400	10½	

2,674	326,133	84,114	74,193	33,984	1,716	7,867	36	458	30	
1,386	165,926	43,018	37,911	16,636	1,106	3,398	24	1,369	48½	
513	54,618	15,610	13,578	6,371	281	1,127	1	400	10½	
4,573	546,677	142,742	125,682	56,991	3,103	12,392	61	2,228	88½	
4,479	525,984	144,755	127,816	51,283	3,040	12,168	60	—	174½	
4,499	530,698	132,033	118,017	49,332	2,858	12,256	47	—	104	
4,333	532,768	139,383	125,835	57,120	2,950	12,461	40	—	93½	
4,419	522,784	140,823	129,545	52,262	2,924	12,457	52	—	74	

SHEEP DISPOSED OF.

YEAR	SOLD LOCALLY FOR BREEDING OR FURTHER USE	EXPORTED	SLAUGHTERED		
			MUTTON	TALLOW	SKINS
1956-1957	3,488	1,033	21,004	1,500	14,564
1955-1956	3,853	2,487	19,908	6,663	14,389
1954-1955	7,477	1,640	21,615	—	18,590
1953-1954	7,035	—	38,266	—	11,801
1952-1953	3,932	—	32,945	565	13,194

IMPORTATIONS.

From UNITED KINGDOM.			From CHILE			
DOGS	RAMS	BULLS	DOGS	HORSES	RAMS	EWES
5	5	4	3	2	53	1,000

TOWN COUNCIL ESTIMATES, 1958.

Service.	Actual 1956.		Estimated 1957.		Estimated 1958.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
REVENUE.						
1. CEMETERY		74		80		80
2. MISCELLANEOUS						
a. Misc.	80		132		50	
b. Garbage removal	—		—		60	
c. Arch Green Govt. Contrib.	—		—		52	
		80		132		162
3. LIBRARY		59		60		60
4. GYMNASIUM HIRE		180		190		150
5. GENERAL RATE						
a. Rate	2425		2650		2700	
b. Govt. Contribution	356		577		825	
		2781		3227		3525
6. WATER SUPPLY						
a. Rate	430		470		650	
b. Govt. Contribution	—		135		—	
c. Sales	85		100		100	
d. Repairs reclaimed	—		40		100	
		515		745		850
7. TOWN HALL						
a. Hirings	455		660		650	
b. Govt. Contribution	298		380		450	
		753		1040		1100
8. TRANSPORT		4		—		—
		4446		5474		5927
<i>Charitable Relief</i>		800		800		—
EXPENDITURE.						
1. TOWN CLERK		211		400		400
2. CEMETERY						
a. Wages Caretaker	273		275		300	
b. Upkeep	15		165		200	
		288		440		500
3. FIRE BRIGADE						
a. Wages	369		136		110	
b. Upkeep	93		100		200	
		462		236		310
4. LIBRARY						
a. Wages	148		148		148	
b. Books etc.	2		30		30	
		150		178		178
5. MISCELLANEOUS						
a. Telephones	6		10		20	
b. Stationery	31		35		30	
c. Provident Fund	14		15		15	
d. Old Age Pensions	23		25		30	
e. Elections	1		2		2	
f. Audit	—		15		20	
g. Insurance	13		15		15	
h. Unforeseen	8		15		20	
		96		132		152
<i>Carried forward</i>		1207		1386		1540

Service.	Actual 1956.		Estimated 1957.		Estimated 1958.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Brought forward ...</i>		1207		1386		1540
6. GYMNASIUM						
a. Caretaker ...	66		80		80	
b. Fuel ...	2		30		—	
c. Light ...	23		30		30	
d. Care & Maintenance ...	13		60		50	
		104		200		160
7. SCAVENGING						
a. Sanitation ...	588		582		650	
b. Fuel ...	46		110		120	
c. Repairs ...	69		170		100	
d. Connections ...	4		30		50	
e. Ash Contract ...	983		1000		1000	
f. Rodent Control ...	34		60		60	
		1724		1952		1980
8. STREET LIGHTS						
a. Current ...	311		300		400	
b. Repairs ...	76		80		50	
		387		380		450
9. TOWN HALL						
a. Caretaker ...	375		381		400	
b. Fuel ...	473		200		500	
c. Light ...	117		100		150	
d. Care & Maintenance ...	—		15		50	
e. Cleaning ...	31		—		20	
		996		696		1120
10. WATER SUPPLY						
a. Ships ...	—		—		10	
b. Repairs ...	54		60		100	
c. Connections ...	2		60		100	
		56		120		210
11. TRANSPORT ...		463		210		—
12. REPAYMENT OF LOAN - LORRY		—		420		—
13. GARAGE		161		10		10
14. ARCH GREEN		278		275		200
15. GYMNASIUM GLASS ROOF		—		—		150
16. TOWN HALL, INSTALLATION OF VENTILATORS ...		—		—		150
17. CEMETERY COTTAGE ...		—		—		50
		5376		5649		6020
<i>Charitable Relief ...</i>		556		800		—

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