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To  
AG OFFICER STANLEY

PLEASE COME OUT AS SOON AS CONVENIENT TO MARK STALLION  
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To

Ag. Officer, STANLEY

WOULD PREFER NOW TO LEAVE YOUR VISIT TILL LATER IE APRIL-MAY REGARDS

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To  
 FERN STANLEY

CIRCUMSTANCES HAVE ARISEN MAKING FEBRUARY IMPOSSIBLE FOR COW  
 TESTING STOP CAN YOU POSTPONE UNTIL MID APRIL REGARDS

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TH ~~SIS~~ *my*

No. P/664

It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

MEMORANDUM.

26th January, 19 56.

To: Agricultural Officer,

STANLEY.

From: The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :- Agricultural Officer - Programme of Work.

I am directed to refer to your Memorandum of 25th January, 1956, and to inform you that your proposed immediate programme of work as under, has been approved:-

- (i) complete essential office work by end of January.
- (ii) T.B. test and brand cattle on Stanley Common.
- (iii) tour Fitzroy, Darwin, San Carlos, Port San Carlos.

  
ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY.

JB/VP

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To

JOHN GOODWIN PORT NORTH. FERN AGRICULTURE.

5/37.

ARE YOU DEFINITELY GATHERING SHEEP BRAMBLE POINT 23RD. STOP  
I WANT TO INSPECT FLOCK AFTER VISITING WEST POINT.

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57	F. BAY	14	0900	13.8.56

To

A G OFFICER STANLEY

I WILL BE GATHERING BRAMBLE POINT AUGUST 29th

J GOODWIN

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To

BLAKE HILL COVE.

7/37. WEST POINT 24th. AUGUST. BRABBLE POINT GATHERING 29th.  
AFTER WHICH WILL PROCEED HILL COVE.

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To

NAPIER WEST POINT

8/37. HOPE TO ARRIVE WEST POINT APPROXIMATELY 24th. AUGUST.

TWO ASSISTANTS WITH ME PLEASE INFORM CARCASS.

FERN

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Bluff Cove  
14 August 1956

9  
The Agricultural Officer  
Stanley.

Dear Sir

In reply to your letter of 29<sup>th</sup> April 1955, firstly, I must tender my apologies for such a belated answer, but as this letter arrived during my absence from the colony last year, it had somehow got pushed away in a drawer of my desk, & I have only recently discovered it.

However, to answer your question, we have app 30, which I would like tested for tuberculosis, when an opportunity arises, which will be convenient to you.

yours faithfully

G. H. Short

Manager for  
Mrs F. O. Yonge.

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14	WEST POINT	9	0945	16.8.56

To

FERN STANLEY

THANK YOU VERY MUCH ALL OK

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11  
1st March 1957.

The Hon. The Colonial Secretary  
STANLEY.

REPORT ON VISIT TO PUNTA ARENAS : CHILE.

As instructed, I left Stanley in the Fitzroy, on the 3rd February 1957, accompanied by Mr G. Stewart, Agricultural and Livestock Assistant.

Arrived at Port Howard on the 4th February, where 1033 sheep for the Rio Secco Freezer, were loaded. Messrs Lee and Llamosa, of Port Howard joined the ship, to select and to look after rams and ewes, which were to be brought back to Port Howard.

Left Port Howard the same evening, and after that had an excellent crossing to Punta Arenas. Five sheep died on the voyage; which was remarkable.

Arrived at Punta Arenas on the morning of 7th February, and the sheep were off-loaded into special sheep carrying lorries. They were not slaughtered immediately, but were put out to pasturage. I saw them on two subsequent occasions, and noticed how quickly they filled out, and recovered from the effects of the voyage.

2. In spite of previous reservations there was no accommodation available at any of the hotels, so we had to sleep on the ship, and have lunch and dinner ashore at the Cosmos Hotel.

3. After consultation with the British Consul, Messrs Dick, and Messrs Waldron, it was agreed that it would be best to inspect the Rams and Ewes for Port Howard, at Fenton and Rio Verde, the respective estancias from which they were to be obtained. The Consul very kindly arranged the hire of the necessary transport, payment for which will be recovered through the usual channels. I welcomed this opportunity, as it afforded the opportunity of seeing not only the sheep in particular but the flocks in general, as well as the actual estancias. Mr W. Blake of Hill Cove, Messrs Lee and Llamosa of Port Howard and of course Mr G. Stewart accompanied on these visits, and we all found them to be of great interest.

4. On the 8th February we visited Fenton Station. We were very impressed with the management of this estancia. Mr Gus Yonge has carried out a most interesting amount of development work, and I would like to comment on the windbreaks, planting of trees in the open, the amount of fencing and the method of grassland improvement:-

WINDBREAKS

These consist of poles to a height of about 30 feet, with spaces left between the poles. Mr Yonge prefers to place the poles horizontally, and the higher they are placed so the intervening space is enlarged. These windbreaks are erected ~~XXX~~ on the windward side of the houses, dipping tanks, gardens and so on. They seem to be most effective, but are of course rather unsightly.

TREE PLANTING.

A trench rather like a celery trench is dug. Loose shingle is placed in the bottom, and then soils and the young trees. Where possible sloping ground is selected. The idea is to prevent the trees becoming waterlogged. The results were definitely good.

FENCING.

All the roads were often double fenced, and I noticed that

deep ditches on the farm, were often double fenced, to prevent sheep getting into them.

#### GRASS IMPROVEMENT.

The pasturage was exceptionally good. Mr Yonge stated that he does not believe in disturbing the top soil in any way. All his work to improve the grasslands has been done by what might be called "animal rotation". He does not use fertilisers. He selects the camp to be improved. First, cattle are placed in it, to eat of the coarser grasses and to press down the ground. Then sheep, not by the hundred but by the thousand; ten thousand if necessary, are kept in the area until the ground is black with manure, and completely eaten off. These sheep are left in just long enough to obtain this end. Then the area is left, and the grass will grow. If seed is sown, it is broadcast after the removal of the sheep.

I must say this confirmed my own views, which I had already put forward in this country. If only, my suggestions for an experimental station had been adopted, I would certainly have carried out such experiments. But others in this Colony seem to have had different ideas, and all I am left with is "the dream of what might have been" ! ! !

In support of my view, I would ask anyone who has doubts in this matter, to look at the grass growing where there has been large concentrations of animals eg round the dipping pens, woolsheds etc, and where no machinery nor fertilisers have been used.

Another innovation, a small one, that took our fancy, was the use of powdered ruddle, wound into a ball of sacking to form a knob. When sorting sheep, a tap on the head and a mark remains. At Fenton, all lambs are run through the races, and any with a tendency to wool blindness etc are sent off to the freezer. The idea is to try and breed to an open faced type. Incidentally, no slaughtering for rations is carried out on the farm. All meat supplies are obtained from the freezer, as required.

We were able to see shearing in operation.

The next day, we visited the Rio Secco Freezer, and were shown over by the Manager and Chief Engineer. Killing was in progress. I reported on this freezer after my visit in 1955. We had the same kind reception at Rio Verde, and were shown everything possible. Again I noticed the wind breaks in evidence. We saw the prize Rams being prepared for the show at Gallegos, and the wool shed where shearing was in progress.

5. Everywhere I went I made enquiries about the purchase of horses and Bulls. I saw the Manager of the Laguna Blanca Estancia. Nothing was available at the time, but all stockowners informed me that if they received orders several months ahead, they would always be able to supply our needs. The difficulty will be to coincide our requirements with the visit of a ship from this Colony. This is not always an easy matter because sailings are never planned months ahead.

6. The day before we left we were taken over one of the Silver Fox Farms. I should say this was a precarious industry, depending on the whims of fashion, and the supply of meat and offal. If fash ons changed or meat supplies were not available the whole industry would collapse.

7. We left Punta Arenas with 53 Rams and 997 ewes on board. Unfortunately two days of exceptionally rough weather caused the loss of 28 sheep. It is remarkable so few were lost. All bt 3 Rams for Port San Carlos were put ashore at Purvis Rincon, where they will undergo quarantine. We reached Stanley at 10 A.M. on the 16th February.

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It is requested that in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

MEMORANDUM.

19th March, 19 57.

To: The Agricultural Officer,

From: Acting Colonial Secretary.

STANLEY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :-

REPORT ON VISIT TO PUNTA ARENAS

I am directed to refer to your memorandum of 1st March, 1957, regarding your visit to Punta Arenas and to convey to you His Honour's thanks for an interesting and informative report.

  
for COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DRM/MC

13/1957/37.

7th May 1957.

The Honourable The Colonial Secretary,

Agricultural Officer

S T A N L E Y.

HORSES : FOR CAMP JOURNEYS.

In view of the heavy demands which are likely to be made on the troop of Government Horses, during the next three months, I wish to bring the following facts to your notice:-

2. There are 11 riding horses available at present, and the commitments already made are:-  
7th to 18th May (approx). F. Smith and two horses to Horseshoe Bay and Salvador;  
13th May (approx) for about 10 days, Colonial Secretary and guide  
4 Horses;  
early June for 14 days (approx). H.E. and guide, 4 horses.

In addition, 2 horses must always be kept available for the medical department, in cases of emergency. Also, I shall require 3 Horses (1 each for myself and guide, and a "carrigerro") for journeys I have to undertake.

3. It will thus be seen that no spare horses will be available, and those used as above, will require a period of rest and extra food after each journey, as this time of year is very hard on them. In fact, both on the farms, and in a government troop, this is a part of the year when horses are used very carefully.

4. I have already received a request from Mr Swan, Superintendent of Education, for a horse and guide to tour the East Falkland, for about 14 days, from the 18th May onwards. (Actually, for such a trip he would require 4 Horses so as to rest them in turn.) I understand that in the past, it was always the custom to "horse" a camp teacher, and also the Superintendent of Education, half way to the first settlement. After that, each settlement provided a horse and guide as far as the next settlement.

5. I suggest that during the next few months, the demands on the horses be limited to journeys of absolute necessity.

AGRICULTURAL OFFICER.

No. 114/114

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MEMORANDUM.

It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

21st December, 1956.

To: The Agricultural Officer,

From: Colonial Secretary.

STANLEY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :-

LIVESTOCK: TO AND FROM SOUTH AMERICA: SUPERVISION OF.

I am directed to refer to your memorandum of 3rd December, 1956, and to inform you that permission is granted for your Livestock Assistant, Mr. G. Stewart, to accompany you to Punta Arenas in February next.

2. A passage has been arranged for Mr. Stewart.

*Whittle*

For Colonial Secretary.

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Copies: Treasury.  
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It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

22nd March 19 60

From The officer-in-charge,

Agricultural Department.

To The Honourable,  
The Colonial Secretary.

Stanley.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :-

Reports of Near-by Farms

I have the honour to report that I have carried out the usual visits to Moody Valley Farm, Mullet Creek Farm and Sparrow Cove and to report as follows:-

Moody Valley

As a result of planting grass seed on the paddocks broken up by pigs on the East Boundary a general improvement in the pasture is most noticeable.

The general condition of the stock carried is quite good.

Ditching has been carried out by Water Buffalo but owing to the dry summer it is difficult to say what improvements have been made in this line.

Mullet Creek

In my opinion the fine summer has helped this Farm in respect of Stock and grazing, more feed and less dead sheep is very noticeable, in fact, it is the best I have seen for several years. Improvements have been made around the Farm House and paddocks due to the turning over of the soil for vegetable use and planting of grass seed. Repair work and painting of buildings has also been carried out.

Sparrow Cove

Improvements have been made during the year, a Shanty, Dip and Wool Shed have been erected. A new fence is being erected which will keep the stock from getting into the tussock point and keep them out in the larger areas to graze, which would otherwise be wasted. The Stock on this Farm has been increased.

*S. A. Stewart*

Officer-in-Charge,  
Agricultural Department.

GIBRALTAR STATION,  
PORT SAN SALVADOR,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

30th March, 1962.

The Agricultural Officer,  
STANLEY.

Dear Sir,

I refer to my telegram last week when I advised you that it would be necessary to postpone the T.B. testing of cattle on this farm. The cause of this is the amount and pressure of work we have on hand at the moment. It may be possible to arrange something later in the year.

With reference to our rams ex Punta Arenas, which are at present in your quarantine station, I should be grateful to learn whether it will be possible for us to have them out in time for the coming breeding season; we normally put our rams out on or about the 1st May. The Philomel will be making two voyages here during the early part of next month and I may be able to arrange shipment for the rams on the second voyage if they can be released in time.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,

  
MANAGER.

R B NAPIER  
West Point Is  
Fidland Is

17 March 1963

Dear George.

Could you come out to West  
Point and examine our sheep  
to give us a clearance for Keds,  
As I am sure you will not find  
any it does not matter when you  
come within the next month or  
so.

Best wishes to you all

Yours sincerely

Roddy

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To

Agricultural Officer Stanley

Grateful if you would come and inspect sheep for permission not to dip

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Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
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To	etat MANAGER POH BAY EAST			HOA/c

Your letter 6th May Agricultural Officer will visit Bunnose Head early next month stop will confirm date later

Colonial Secretary

Copy to: Agric. Officer ✓

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Wt P2809 5/61

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
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To				
Manager Fox Bay East				

Have arranged for Frank Smith to fly Dunose Head Monday to carry out cattle tests.

Stewart.



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MEMORANDUM

25th. May, 19 63.

From: O i/c Agric Dept.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To: The Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

SUBJECT :-

REPORTS OF THE NEAR-BY FARMS.

I have the honour to report that I have carried out the usual visits to Moody Valley, Mullet Creek and Sparrow Cove farms, and to report as follows:-

MOODY VALLEY.

Some of the fences are not in the best of repair. They seem to be carrying more stock this year which are in quite good condition. The ditching that had been done a few year ago has done a of good to the land.

MULLET CREEK.

The stock on this farm are in good condition. The ram paddocks which was erected last year seems to have made a big difference to the lamb crop with not so many dead lambs.

SPARROW COVE.

This farm seems to be down in stock to what they had last year. There has been a lot more fencing done. The grass in Sparrow Cove section is still very plentiful, in fact there are only a few places that you can tell that there has been any stock on it.

*B. J. Stewart*  
O i/c Agric Dept.

No. 99/33

MEMORANDUM

It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

15<sup>th</sup> January, 1964.

From: The Colonial Secretary,

To: Officer-in-Charge,

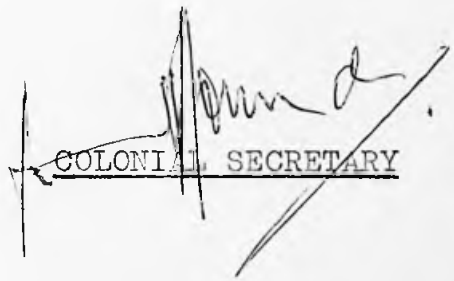
Agricultural Dept.,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

STANLEY,

SUBJECT :-

Would you please arrange to carry out your annual inspection of Mullet Creek, Moody Valley and Sparrow Cove Farms and furnish Reports not later than the 15th of February next.

  
COLONIAL SECRETARY

HLB/FH



# MEMORANDUM

Reference .....

Date .... 22nd March, 1973...

From Oic. Agricultural Department

To The Chief Secretary.

## Visit of Veterinary Officer

You are probably aware that Mr.R.Bostleman, the BAS Veterinary Officer, would like to work in the Colony for a few months on completion of his tour in the Antarctic. I am confident such a visit would be well worth while and would benefit the Colony generally. It would be a great pity if such an opportunity were missed and I recommend that machinery be put in operation to obtain the services of Mr.Bostleman next year. I appreciate that an appointment of this nature must first have the blessing of Ex.Co. and I enumerate herewith some of the obvious points for discussion.

- (a) Negotiation with BAS
- (b) Repatriation of Mr.Bostleman and his equipment on completion of his tour in the Colony.
- (c) Salary while employed in the Colony.
- (d) Fees chargeable for Vets services.
- (e) Travelling expenses, board etc.

Although Mr.Bostleman would have a certain amount of work to do in Stanley most of his services would be of benefit to the farming fraternity - The Sheep Owners Association might therefore be persuaded to share in the expenses!

A taken figure has been included in the 1973/74 estimates for this project.

6th December, 1973

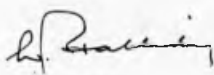
Ag. O.i/c Agric. Dept.,  
Stanley.

Ag. Chief Secretary,  
Stanley.

Mr Bostelmann, the B.A.S. Veterinary Officer has requested I procure certain items which he will require during his visit here next year. These items are not available at the hospital and I am afraid time does not permit me to Indent and receive them from the Crown Agents by April.

I should be grateful, therefore, if the items could be purchased in Buenos Aires. They are as follows: -

- A. 100 10cc Brunswick disposable syringes luer fitting eccentric nozzle.
- B. 100 5cc Syringes as A
- C. 200 80SWG 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ~~WARRIAN~~ disposable luer syringes
- D. 100 23SWG 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " needles
- E. 1 gallon Formalin

  
Ag. O.i/c Agric. Dept.

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FM STONINGTON

TO STANLEY

E/560/73



*LES HALLIDAY.*

FOLLOWING FM BOSTELMANN FOR ~~HENRY LUXTON~~ SECRETARIAT STANLEY. IN VIEW OF MY INTENDED STAY.

1. PLEASE PURCHASE UNLESS AVAILABLE AT HOSPITAL
  - A) 100 TEN CC BRUNSWICK DISPOSABLE SYRINGES LUER FITTING ECCENTRIC NOZZLE.
  - B) 100 FIVE CC SYRINGES AS ABOVE.
  - C) 200 50 SWG 1-1/2 INCH DISPOSABLE LUER SYRINGES.
  - D) 100 23 SWG 1-1/2 INCH NEEDLES.
  - E) 1 GALLON FORMALIN.
  - F) 20 KILNER JARS.
2. CONTACT VETERINARY LABORATORY IN ARGENTINA OR CENTRAL VETERINARY INVESTIGATION LABORATORY NEW HAW WEYBRIDGE SURREY AND ARRANGE FOR PROCESSING OF SOME MATERIAL I.E. BLOOD FOR EPIDIDYMITIS.
3. CONTACT MANAGERS AND SEE IF STILL INTERESTED IN CATTLE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION. IF SO ROBERTS M.A.F.F. CATTLE BREEDING ETC, SHINFIELD, BERKSHIRE MAY BE ABLE TO HELP WITH PURCHASE SEMEN AND EQUIPMENT. OTHERWISE SUGGEST TRY MACRAE.
4. TRY TO ASCERTAIN FROM MANAGERS WHETHER HAVE ANY PARTICULAR PROBLEMS REQUIRING SPECIAL EQUIPMENT OR INSTRUMENTS. REGARDS BOSTELMANN.

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deal  
with*

ENDS

*Bostelmann Stonington*

WALKER-C

*Yes tel E 560/73 Para 1 item found*  
*" 2 a) Secretariat dealing with*  
*" 4 Give ~~disposal~~ to all Falk*  
*Managers regarding reports*  
*Rever has Halliday*

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To  
 ETAT BOSTELMAN STONINGTON ISLAND

YOUR TELEGRAM E/560/73 FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM VETERINARY ATTACHE BA STOP ~~FROM~~ IN BA  
 CANNOT SUPPLY BRUNSWICK SYRINGES BUT CAN SUPPLY JAPANESE MAKE STOP NO  
 ECCENTRIC NOZZLE SYRINGES AVAILABLE IN SIZES OF LESS THAN 20CC PRECISE NON AVAILABILITY  
 THAT TYPE YOU CAN MAKE DO WITH STANDARD FITTINGS STOP REF C YOUR E/560/73 PLEASE  
 CONFIRM 200 80SWG 1½ INCH DISPOSABLE RUBR SYRINGES STOP BA THINKS THIS SHOULD BE  
 NEEDLES NOT SYRINGES

REGARDS HALLIDAY

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To	BASE LEADER STONINGTON ISLAND			(H O A(L))

YR E/560/73 FOLLOWING FOR BOSTERMANN REFERENCE YOUR  
 TELEGRAM PARA ONE BEING PURCHASED BUENOS AIRES  
 PARAS 2 AND 3 SECRETARIAT DEALING WITH PARA 4  
 CIRCULAR DESPATCHED ALL FARM MANAGERS.

REGARDS HALLIDAY

Time

CHARTRES SHEEP FARMING CO. LTD.,  
CHARTRES  
FALKLAND ISLANDS

28th December 19 73

O. i/c Agric. Dept.  
Secretariat,  
Stanley.

Dear Sir,

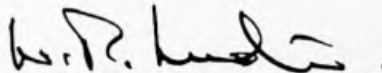
Mr R. Bostleman

Thank you for your circular letter about the forthcoming visit of the veterinary officer.

I should like Mr Bostleman, if time permits, to investigate a disease or parasite that we appear to have in some of our horses, taking the form of a swelling across the bridge of the nose. Also I should like him to determine whether we have a stomach worm problem with horses or settlement cattle.

If Mr Bostleman has the necessary equipment I should like him to examine and if possible operate on a cryptorchid horse which is here and privately owned.

Yours faithfully,



W.R. Duxton. Manager.

A.

L. Halliday, Esq.  
Agricultural Department,  
Stanley.

Johnson Harbour.  
8.th. January 1974.

Dear Les,

With reference to your Circular to all Farm Managers concerning Mr. R. Bostleman Veterinary Officer, we would like the Veterinary Officer to operate on our two troonas which I had mentioned to you when in town last . This may require special & instruments for the job.

Do not no if I have spelt troona correctly however these two horses have only one testicle .

We hope Mr. Bostleman will be able to come here shortly after he arrives as April is getting on in the season for such an operation of that kind .

Glad to report we are still kept free and as the result the sheep look extremely good.

Yours sincerely,

*O. R. Smith*

O.R. Smith,

for Smith Bros.

JAMES LOVEGROVE WALDRON  
LIMITED.

Telegraphic Address:  
HOWARD. FOXBAY, FALKLANDS.  
BENTLEY'S CODE USED.

Port Howard.  
West Falkland Islands.

January 9th. 1974.

The Officer-in-Charge,  
Agricultural Department,  
Stanley.

Dear Sir,

Further to my letter of December 17th. 73. We have now had an answer from Mr. R. W. Bostelmann regards Artificial Insemination.

He writes, the sheaths and guns are only obtainable from:-

Robert Casson, A. I. Co-op Centre, 61 - L'Aigle, France.

Will you be importing the above for Mr. Bostelmann's use ?

Our semen has been shipped by "Annette Danielson" in the Douglas Station container.

Yours faithfully,

JAMES LOVEGROVE WALDRON LTD.

Du Pote-Exus FALKLAND MANAGER



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To				
BASE LEADER STONINGTON ISLAND				

FOLLOWING FOR BOSTELMANN HAVE ENQUIRY FROM  
 PORT HAWKESBURY RE AIR EQUIPMENT STOP ASKED YOUR  
 ADVICE WHETHER FARMS CONCERNED SHOULD PURCHASE  
 OWN SHEPHERD'S GUNS ETC OR WHETHER GOVT.

REGARDS HALLIDAY

Time

NR 034 R 19/2/74 1100Z

FM STONINGTON  
TO STANLEY

E/096/74



FOLLOWING FOR HALLIDAY FROM BOSTELMANN. INDIVIDUAL CAMPS MUST  
BUY INSEMINATING APPARATUS TO PREVENT POSSIBLE DISEASE SPREAD.  
REALISE NO GOVERNMENT SCHEME BUT FAIL TO UNDERSTAND HOW SEMEN IS  
BEING STORED EFFECTIVELY WITHOUT LARGE EXPENSE.

ENDS  
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To				
<u>MANAGER PORT HOWARD FOX BAY</u>				

YOUR LETTER 9TH JANUARY SORRY FOR DELAY IN REPLYING BUT HAVE JUST HAD A REPLY FROM BOSTELMANN STOP WE WILL NOT BE IMPORTING INSEMINATING APPARATUS FOR BOSTELMANN AND AM ADVISED BY HIM INDIVIDUAL FARMS SHOULD BUY INSEMINATING APPARATUS TO PREVENT POSSIBLE DISEASE SPREAD.

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