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NAVAL & MILITARY
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WAR/W2H/5#14

19 41.

No. 59/41.

C.S.O.

SUBJECT.

19 41.

7th July.

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SPITFIRES.

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2-3. Minute from Hon. Financial Secretary of 2. 9. 41.

4. Telegram to Crown Agents of 3/9/41.

5-6. Minute from Hon. F.S. of 2. 10. 41.

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A.S.
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7. Telegram to Crown Agents of 4/10/41.

PA.

8. Telegrams No. 118 from S. of S. of 30. 10. 41.

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9. Letter to Treasurer, Fellowships of Bellons of 31/10/41.

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Hon. J.S.

to note:

G.I.C. S.
6/3/42.

Hon. Col. Sec.

Noted Thank you

dud p.F.S. 6/3/42

- 37-38. Minute from Hon. Fin. Secretary of 7/3/42.
 39. Telegram to Brown Agents of 7/3/42.

40. Telegram No. 44 from S of S of 16/3/42.

41. Letter to Mr. E. F. Bellman of 18/3/42.

J.A.
18/3/42

42. Telegram No. 55 from G.I.C. S. Georgia 2/4/42.

Hon. J.S.

For necessary action, pl.

M.A. C.S.
4/4/42.

Hon. Col. Sec.

n.g. will be taken accordingly. Thanks.

dud
p.F.S. 4/4/42

J.A.

43. Letter from Minister of Aircraft Production 12/2/42

Office

For letter similar to recd 34, pl.

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Hon. Sec.
To note.
P.A.
J.C.S.
24/4/42

Hon. Sec.

Noted Thank you

Rud
P.F.S. 24/4/42

PA.

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For necessary action, pl.

P.A.
J.C.S.
25/9/42.

Hon. Sec. (54)

N. a. Taken. Thank you

Rud
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61. Minute from O.I.C. Treasury of 26/5/43.
62. Telegram to Crown Agents of 26/1/43.
63. ~~Telegram~~ Telegram No. 59 from Secretary of State of 1/6/43.
64. Letter to Rev. G.K. Howe of 3. 6. 43
65. Telegram No. 58 from Magistrate South Georgia 9/6/43.
O.I.C. Treasury, (66)
- For necessary action, pl.
E.C. Jones.
11/6/43.
- Hon. Col. Sec.
Ur for £55.19.5 prepared for pay
to Rev. Howe
as. Supers
14.6.43
68. Letter from Ministry of Aircraft Production 31st. May 1943.
69. Letter to Rev. G.K. Howe of 6/9/43.
70. Telegram No. 92 from Magistrate, South Georgia 5/11/43.
(71)

O.I.C. Treasury

For necessary action, pl.

(72)

Hon. Col. Sec.

Ur prepared for pay to Rev. Howe pl.

73. Minute from Officer, in Charge Treasury 13/11/43 8/11/43.
74. Telegram to Crown Agents for the Colonies. 16/11/43.
75. Telegram No. 108 from Secretary of State 23rd. Nov. 1943.
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O.I.C. Treasury, (78)
- For necessary action, pl.
E.C. Jones.
24/11/44.

Hon. Col. Sec. (79)

Necessary action taken pl.

as. Supers

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DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From His Excellency the Governor,

To Ministry of Information, London.

Despatched : 8th July, 1941. Time : ...

Received : 19 ... Time : ...

It is proposed to form local Bellows fund to raise funds for purchase of Spitfires, subscriptions being farthing for every enemy plane destroyed. Should be grateful if number of planes destroyed could be telegraphed at the end of each month.

GOVERNOR.

(2.)

BEAVERBROOK FUND.

(For the Purchase of Aircraft.)

*News Weekly Office,
Stanley,2nd September 1941..*

The Manager,

Government Savings Bank,

P O R T S T A N L E Y .

Dear Sir,

I shall be obliged if you will give instructions to have remitted to The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt. Col. J. C. T. Moore-Brabazon, the sum of £290.- (two hundred and ninety pounds), to the debit of the Beaverbrook Fund Account, No. B246.

Yours faithfully

G. B. Knight.
Treasurer.

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



The Financial Secretary.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

MINUTE.

2nd September, 1941.

To The ~~Min~~ Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary.

STANLEY.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from Mr G.B.Knight for a telegraphic Remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of Two Hundred and ninety pounds (£290) for the credit of The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt.Col.J.C.T. Moore-Brabazon, being amount collected by the "Fellowship of the Bellows" (Falkland Islands Branch) for that purpose.

2. If you concur it is proposed to make the remittance without charge to the donors.
3. The Crown Agents should be asked to charged to Note Security Fund.

for Financial Secretary.

DECODE.

(4)

TELEGRAM.

From Colonial Secretary.

To Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Despatched : 3rd September, 1941. Time :

Received : 19 Time :

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £290 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

Colonial Secretary.

Rec. 7507

BEAVERBROOK FUND.
(For the Purchase of Aircraft.)

News Weekly Office,
Stanley,2nd October 1941.....

The Manager,
Government Savings Bank,
STANLEY.

Dear Sir,

Beaverbrook Fund Account No. 3246.

I shall be obliged if you will give instructions to remit to The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt. Col. J. C. T. Moore-Brabazon, the sum of £160.- (one hundred and sixty pounds) to the debit of the above account.

Yours faithfully,

G. B. Knight.

Treasurer.

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MINUTE.

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

2nd ~~May~~ October, 19 41,

From The Financial Secretary.

To The Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Res. 171
I have the honour to inform you that Mr. G. B. Knight has applied for a Telegraphic Remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of One Hundred and sixty pounds (£160) for the credit of the Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt. Col J.C.T. Moore-Brabazon, being amount collected by the "Fellowship of the Bellows" (Falkland Islands Branch) for that purpose.

2. If you concur it is proposed to make the remittance without charge to the donors.

3. The Crown Agents should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.

Guthrie
for Financial Secretary.

DECODE.

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TELEGRAM.

From Colonial Secretary.

To Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Despatched : 4th October, 19 41. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £160 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

Colonial Secretary.

DECODE.

(8)

TELEGRAM.

No. 146. *From* SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.
To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched: 30th October, 19 41. *Time:* 11.32

Received: 31st October, 19 41. *Time:* 10.30.

Red 7. No. 118. With reference to Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents of October 4th I shall be glad if you will convey to local Bellows Fund H.M. Government's warm thanks for their generous contribution towards purchase of aircraft

SECRETARY OF STATE.

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59/41.

31st October,

41.

Sir,

Ad 5.

With reference to your letter of the 2nd of October, 1941, addressed to the Manager, Government Savings Bank, I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a telegram which has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

G. H. [Signature]

Pay-Lt. G.B. Knight, R.N.V.R.,
Treasurer,

Fellowship of the Bellows
(Falkland Islands Branch),
STANLEY.

for Colonial Secretary.

BEAVERBROOK FUND.

(For the Purchase of Aircraft.)

News Weekly Office,

Stanley,8th November 1941.....

The Manager,

Government Savings Bank,

STANLEY.

Dear Sir,

I shall be obliged if you will give instructions to remit to The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt. Col. J. C. T. Moore-Brabazon, the sum of £110.- (one hundred and ten pounds), to the debit of the Beaverbrook Fund Account, No. B246.

Yours faithfully,

G. B. Knight. Pay. Lt. R.N.V.R.

Treasurer.



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

The Financial Secretary.

A circular ink stamp from the Colonial Secretary's Office, Falkland Islands. The outer ring of the stamp contains the text "COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE" at the top and "FALKLAND ISLANDS" at the bottom, separated by two small stars. In the center of the stamp, the date "8-NOV. 1941" is stamped. The stamp is slightly tilted and shows some wear.

8th November, 1941.

The Colonial
Secretary

STAILBY.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from The Treasurer of the Fellowship of the Bellows for a Telegraphic Remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies. The Sum of One Hundred and ten Pounds (£110) has been paid into the Colonial Treasury. ~~no further communication required~~

The Crown Agents should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.

for Financial Secretar.

DECODE.

(12)

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY

To CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Despatched : 10th November, 19 41. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £110 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

13

TELEGRAM.

No. 197. From SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched: 17th November, 19 41. *Time:* 14.30.

Received: 18th November, 19 41. *Time:* 10.30.

No. 125. *Ref 12.* Reference to Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents of November 10th.

Please convey to Bellows Fund my warm appreciation of their contribution for the purchase of aircraft.

G.T.C.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

59/41.

25th November,

41.

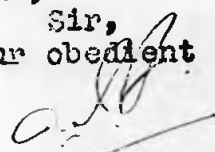
Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 8th of November, 1941, addressed to the Manager, Government Savings Bank, I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a telegram which has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



for Colonial Secretary.

Pay-Lt. G.B. Knight, R.N.V.R.,
Treasurer,

Fellowship of the Bellows
(Falkland Islands Branch),
STANLEY.

FELLOWSHIP OF THE BELLOWS.

Stanley,

1st December 1941.

The Manager,

Government Savings Bank,

S T A N L E Y.

Dear Sir,

I shall be obliged if you will give instructions to remit to The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt. Col. J. C. T. Moore-Brabazon, to the debit of the Beaverbrook Fund Account, No. B246, the sum of £130.- (one hundred & thirty pounds).

Yours faithfully,

G. B. Knight.

Treasurer.

[Handwritten signature]

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

MINUTE.

16

1st
~~2nd~~ December, 19 41

From Financial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Treasurer of the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of £ 150 (one hundred and thirty pounds).

The Crown Agents should be asked to charge to Note Security Fund.


for Financial Secretary.

DECODE.

17

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY.

To CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Despatched : 1st December, 19 41. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £130 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund

Colonial Secretary.

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TELEGRAM.

No. 111. *From* SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched : 8th December, 19 41. *Time :* 2009.

Received : 9th December, 19 41. *Time :* 1030.

Red 17.

No. 129. Reference to Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents
on December 1st.

H.M. Government gratefully acknowledge this further gift from the
Bellows Fund for the purchase of aircraft.

G.T.C.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

59/44.

11th December,

44.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 1st ad December, 1944, addressed to the Manager, Government Savings Bank, I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a telegram which has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,
Your obedient servant,

For Colonial Secretary.

*Red 15.
Red 18.*

Pay-Lt. G. B. Knight, R.N.V.R.,
Treasurer,
Fellowship of the Bellows
(Falkland Islands Branch)
STANLEY.



20

59/41
Sec/Cla/337/P.S.6.

3rd October 1941

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to inform you that he has received through the Crown Agents for the Colonies a donation of £290 towards the purchase of aircraft from the Falkland Islands Branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows.

The Minister is most grateful for this gift and he would be glad if you would convey his sincere thanks to the Secretary and members who have so generously contributed. He has received donations from branches of this organisation throughout the world and he is much encouraged by the practical and generous help that the Fellowship of the Bellows have sent towards equipping the R.A.F. with the tools for victory.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J. B. Smith", written over a horizontal line.

The Secretary,
Governor General's Office,
Falkland Islands.

TELEPHONE BRANKLIN 2211.

Extn.

Any communications on the subject of this letter should be addressed to:—

THE SECRETARY
and the following number
quoted:—



MILLBANK,

S.W.1.

Sec/Cla/337/P.S.6. 15th October 1941

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to state that he has received through the Crown Agents for the Colonies a donation of £160 being a further gift from the Falkland Islands Branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows. This brings the total from this Branch to £450.

The Minister will be grateful if you will convey his warmest thanks to all concerned for their continued generosity.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

The Secretary,
Governor General's Office,
Falkland Islands.

59/41.

29th December,

41.

Sir,

Leds 20.21.
I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, copies of letters which have been received from the Secretary Ministry of Aircraft Production on the subject of the contributions made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,
Your obedient servant,


for Colonial Secretary.

Pay-Lt. G. B. Knight, R.N.V.R.,
Treasurer,
Fellowship of the Bellows
(Falkland Islands Branch)
STANLEY.

No.

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

MINUTE.

24

6th January, 1942

From

Financial Secretary,

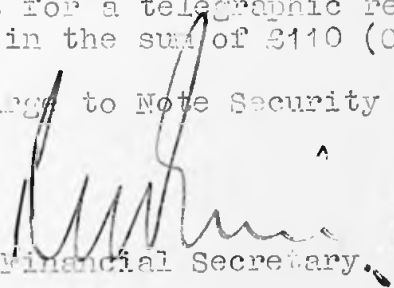
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To, The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Treasurer of the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of £110 (One hundred and ten pounds).

The Crown Agents should be asked to charge to Note Security Fund.


for Financial Secretary.

F E L L O W S H I P O F T H E B E L L O W S .

5th January 1942.

The Manager,

Government Savings Bank,

S T A N L E Y .

Dear Sir,

Beaverbrook Fund Account No. B246.

I shall be obliged if you will give instructions to remit to The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt. Col. J. C. T. Moore-Brabazon, the sum of £110.- (one hundred and ten pounds) to the debit of the above account.

Yours faithfully,

G. B. Knight.

Treasurer.

DECODE.

25

TELEGRAM.

From Colonial Secretary.

To Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Despatched : 6th January, 19 42. *Time* :

Received : 19 *Time* :

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £110 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

TELEPHONE: FRANKLIN 2344

Extn. 352924

Any communications on the subject of this letter should be addressed to:—

THE SECRETARY

and the following number quoted:—



MINISTRY OF AIRCRAFT

PRODUCTION,

P.S.6.,

MILLBANK,

S.W.1.

Sec/Claims/337.

24th November 1941.

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to say that he will be grateful if you will convey to the Falkland Islands Branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows his sincere appreciation of their further contribution of £110, remitted through the Crown Agents for the Colonies. Their continued generosity is a source of encouragement to him.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

The Secretary,
Governor General's Office,
Falkland Islands.



59/411

26th January,

42.

Sir,

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a letter which has been received from the Secretary Ministry of Aircraft Production on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for Colonial Secretary.

Pay-Lt. G. B. Knight, R.N.V.R.,
Treasurer,

Fellowship of the Bellows
(Falkland Islands Branch)
STANLEY.

Fellowship of the Bellows
Stanley, F.I.
23/1/42

I have the honour to request that the sum of One hundred pounds (£100) may be remitted through the Crown Agents for the Colonies for payment to The Minister of Aircraft Production, Lt.Col.J.C.T.Moore-Brabazon, and that the said sum be debited to the Beaverbrook Fund Account, No.B246.

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The Manager,
Govt. Savings Bank,
STANLEY.

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No. _____

MINUTE.

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

28th January, 19 42

From

To The Honourable,

The Financial Secretary,

The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

STANLEY,

I have the honour to attach herewith an application from Mr E.F. Lellman (on behalf of the Fellowship of the Bellows) for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of One hundred pounds for the credit of The Minister of Aircraft Production.

The Crown Agents should be asked to charge the remittance to Note Security Fund.


for Financial Secretary.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY.

To CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Despatched : 28th January, 19 42. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £100 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

No. 64.

From SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched: 5th February, 19 42. *Time:* 2142.

Received: 6th February, 19 42. *Time:* 1030.

No. 20. His Majesty's Government warmly appreciates further gift from the Bellows Fund notified in the Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents dated January 28th.

G.T.C.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

Red 30.

59/41.

7th February,

42.

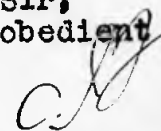
Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 28th of January, 1942, addressed to the Manager, Government Savings Bank, I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a telegram which has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



for Colonial Secretary.

Pay-Lt. G.B. Knight, R.N.V.R.,
Treasurer,
Fellowship of the Bellows,
STANLEY.

TELEPHONE: FRANKLIN 2211.

Any communications on the subject of this letter should be addressed to:—

THE SECRETARY
and the following number
quoted:—



MINISTRY OF AIRCRAFT
PRODUCTION,

P.S.6.

MILLBANK,
S.W.1.

Sec/Cla/537. 16th December 1941

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to say that he will be glad if you will convey to the Falkland Islands Branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows his very sincere thanks for their further gift of £130, remitted through the Crown Agents for the Colonies. He deeply appreciates their continued and generous support to the war effort.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Secretary,
Major General's Office,
Falkland Islands.

59/41.

25th February,

42.

Sir,

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a letter which has been received from the Secretary Ministry of Aircraft Production on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. Lallman, Esq.,
Treasurer,

Fellowship of the Bellows (F.I.s Branch)
STANLEY.

for Colonial Secretary.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From OFFICER IN CHARGE SOUTH GEORGIA.

To COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Despatched : 5th March, 19 42. *Time :* 18. 16.

Received : 6th March, 19 42. *Time :* 10.30.

No. 34. May commission be waived on draft covering Bellows contribution.

OFFICER IN CHARGE.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY.

To OFFICER IN CHARGE SOUTH GEORGIA.

Despatched : 6th March, 19 42. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Red 35.

No. 36. Your telegram No. 34 reply is in the affirmative

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE BELLOWS.
STANLEY,
7th March, 1942.

Sir,

I have the honour to ~~mmm~~ request that the sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds (£250) may be remitted through the Crown Agents for the Colonies for payment to the Minister of Aircraft Production Lt.Col.J.C.T.Moore-Brabazon, and that the said sum be debited to the Beaverbrook Fund Account, B 246.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

G. G. G. G.

for the Fellowship of the Bellows.

The Manager,
Govt. Savings Bank,
STANLEY.

No.

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

MINUTE.

7th March, 19 42

From

Financial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

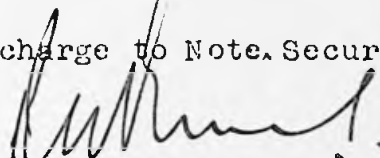
To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY

I have the honour to attach herewith an application from the Treasurer of the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds (£250) for the credit of The Minister of Aircraft Production.

The Crown Agents should be asked to charge to Note Security Fund.


for Financial Secretary,

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY.

To CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Despatched : 7th March, 19 42. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £250 to Minister of Aircraft Production from local Bellows Fund.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

No. 180. *From* SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched : 16th March, 19 42. *Time :* 1030.

Received : 17th March, 19 42. *Time :* 1030.

No. 44. Following from Colonel Llewellyn begins. Please convey my warmest thanks to the Falkland Islands branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows for gifts totalling £1150 towards aircraft production. We were greatly encouraged by their generosity and spirit which has prompted it. Ends.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

59/41.

18th March,

42.

Sir,

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a telegram which has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



for Colonial Secretary.

E.F. Lellman, Esq.,
Treasurer,

Fellowship of the Bellows,
STANLEY.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From OFFICER IN CHARGE, SOUTH GEORGIA.

To COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Despatched : 2nd April, 19 42. *Time :* 18.30.

Received : 3rd April, 19 42. *Time :* 10.30.

No. 55. Please pay sum of £184. 14s. 10d to Rev. Lowe credit of bellows.
Amount has been collected and appears in March accounts under remittances.

OFFICER IN CHARGE.

Extn.

Any communications on the subject of this letter should be addressed to:—

THE SECRETARY

and the following number quoted:—



MINISTRY OF AIRCRAFT
PRODUCTION,

P.S.6.
MILLBANK,
S.W.1.

Sec/Cla/337

12th February, 1942

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to say that he will be glad if you will convey to the Falkland Islands Branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows his sincere appreciation of their two further donations of £110 and £100, remitted through the Crown Agents for the Colonies. The continued generosity of the members is a tribute to the Royal Air Force and a source of encouragement to all who work to attain the air supremacy that will help to bring us final victory.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



The Secretary,

Governor General's Office,
Falkland Islands.



59/41.

16th April,

42.

Sir,

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, a copy of a letter which has been received from the Secretary, Ministry of Aircraft Production on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



for Colonial Secretary.

F. Lellman, Esq.
Treasurer,

Fellowship of the Bellows,

STANLEY.

Stanley.
23/4/42.

Sir.

I beg to request that the sum of Three hundred thirty five pounds (£335) be remitted by telegram through the London Agents for payment to the Minister of Aircraft Production.

Yours faithfully
Brettman

for the Fellowship of the Fellows.

The Hon

Financial Secretary.
Stanley.

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No. _____

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MINUTE.

23rd April, 1942



From

The Financial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Treasurer of the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of three hundred and thirtyfive pounds (£335) which amount has been this day been ~~not~~ paid in to the Treasury on Receipt (TrGen) No. 3298.

The Crown Agents should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.


for Financial Secretary.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY.
To CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Despatched : 23rd April, 19 42. *Time :*
Received :19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £335 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G.T.C.

DECODE.

47

TELEGRAM.

No. 245.

From SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched : 13th May, 19 42. *Time :* 0857.

Received : 13th May, 19 42. *Time :* 1030.

No. 83. Further gift from the Bellows Fund notified in the Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents for the Colonies on April 23rd is gratefully acknowledged.

G.T.C.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

59/41.

14th May,

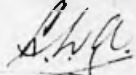
42.

Sir,

Recd 47

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, copy of a telegram which has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Palkland Islands Branch) through the Crown Agents for the Colonies on 23rd April towards the purchase of aircraft.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,



for Colonial Secretary.

E. F. Lellman, Esq.,
Treasurer,
Fellowship of the Bellows,
STANLEY

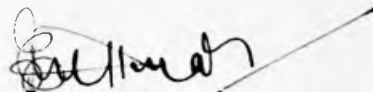
STANLEY,

28th May, 1942.

Sir,

I beg to request that the sum of
Two hundred and fortyfive pounds, (£245)
be remitted by telegram through the Crown
for the Colonies for payment to the Minister
of Aircraft Production, London.

Yours faithfully,



for The Fellowship of the Bellows.

The Honourable,
The Financial Secretary,
STANLEY.

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

MINUTE.



28th May, 1942 19

From

The Financial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Hon. Treasurer of the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of Two hundred and fortyfive pounds (£245) which amount has this day been paid in to the Treasury on Receipt (TrGen) No. 3421...

2 The Crown Agents should be asked to charge to Note Security Fund.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'J. H. ...', written over the typed name of the Financial Secretary.

for Financial Secretary.

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(51)

TELEGRAM.

From COLONIAL SECRETARY.

To CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Despatched : 28th May, 19 42. *Time :*

Received : 19 *Time :*

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £245 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(52)

From MAGISTRATE . SOUTH GEORGIA.

59/41.

To COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Despatched: 23rd. September 19 42. *Time:* 22.55.

Received: 24th. September 19 42. *Time:* 10.30.

No. 139. Please arrange payment sum £23 13s. 9d. to Rev. Lowe
credit of Bellows. Amount appears in accounts for September
under remittances.

MAGISTRATE.

G.T.C.

No.

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

MINUTE.



29th October, 1942

From

The Financial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

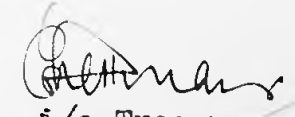
To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

I have the honour to ~~invev~~ forward herewith an application from the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of Six hundred pounds (£600) which sum has been paid into the Treasury on Receipt No. 4936.... of even date.

2. The Crown should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.


C. O. i/c Treasury.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

M. P. 59/41.

From Hon. Colonial Secretary.

To Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Despatched : 30th. October 19 42. *Time :* 10.30.

Received : 19 ... *Time :* ...

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £600 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G. T. C.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

M.F. 59/41.

(58)

No. 161.

From SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Despatched: 18th. November 19 42. *Time:* 09.36.

Received: 19th. November 19 42. *Time:* 10.30.

No. 177.

Gift of £600 from Bellows Fund to Minister of Aircraft

Production notified in Colonial Secretary's telegram to the
Crown Agents of October 10th. is warmly appreciated.

G.T.C.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

19th November, 42.

Sir,

Red 58.

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, copy of a telegram which has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) through the Crown Agents for the Colonies on 10th October towards the purchase of aircraft.

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

K. G. Bradley
K. G. BRADLEY
Colonial Secretary.

The Reverend G. K. Lowe,
STANLEY.

60

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From Magistrate, South Georgia,

To Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : 10th March, 1943. *Time :* 21.10.

Received : 11th March, 1943. *Time :* 1030.

No. 31. Please pay Reverend Lowe sum of £12. 17s. 9d.
credit of Bellows. Amount appears in accounts for March
under remittances.

MAGISTRATE.

G.T.C.

[Handwritten signature]

Stanley,
Falkland Islands.


26th May, 1943.

Sir,

I have the honour to request that the sum of £650 may be telegraphed through the Crown Agents for the Colonies for payment to the Ministry of Aircraft Production. This sum should be debited to the Savings Bank A/c of the Fellowship of the Bellows (No. B.246).

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant.


for Receiver of Windfalls.


The Honourable
The Financial Secretary,
STANLEY.

No.

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



MINUTE.

26th May,

19 43

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From

The Financial Secretary,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

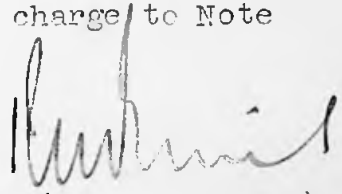
To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTY POUNDS (£650). The above amount was paid into the Colonial Treasury on Receipt No. 5278 of even date.

2. The Crown Agents should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.


O. i/c. Treasury. ↘

62
DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From Hon. Colonial Secretary.

To The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Despatched : 26th May, 19 43 *Time* : 15.00

Received : 19 ... *Time* : ...

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £650 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from local Bellows Fund.

G.T.C.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

63

TELEGRAM.

No. 189.

From SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR. M.P. 59/41.

Despatched : 1st. June 19 43. *Time :* 19.00.

Received : 3rd. June 19 43. *Time :*

No. 59.

H.M. Government warmly appreciated further gifts from the Bellows Fund notified in the Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents of May 26th. Please thank all concerned.

Red 62.

Secretary of State.

G.T.C.

3rd June,

43.

Sir,

Red 63.

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, copy of a telegram which has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) through the Crown Agents for the Colonies on 26th May towards the purchase of aircraft.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

The Reverend G. K. Lowe,
STANLEY.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From.....MAGISTRATE. SOUTH GEORGIA. M.P. 59/41.

To.....HON. COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Despatched : 9th June 1943 *Time :* 17.40.

Received : 10th June 1943. *Time :*

No. 58. Please pay Rev. Lowe sum of £55 19s. 5d. credit of Bellows.
Amount appears in May accounts under Remittances.

Magistrate.

G.T.C.

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TELEPHONE: FRANKLIN 2211.

Extn.....1108

Any communications on the subject of this letter should be addressed to:—

THE SECRETARY

and the following number quoted:—

Our Reference.....*Sec/Claims/337/PS6*

Your Reference

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MINISTRY OF AIRCRAFT
PRODUCTION,

MILLBANK,
S.W.1.

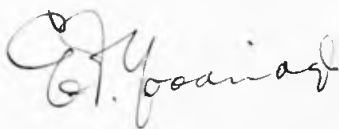
31st May 1943.

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to ask you to kindly convey to the Falkland Islands Branch of the Fellowship of the Bellows his warm thanks for their latest contribution of £650 towards the purchase of aircraft, which bring the total of their donations to £2,980.

This continued support of our countrymen overseas is a most welcome inspiration to all of us who are engaged in providing our gallant airmen with the equipment they need for their great work.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,



E.F.GOODRIDGE.

The Secretary,
Governor General's Office,
Falkland Islands.



6th September,

43.

Sir,

Red 68.

I have the honour to transmit to you, for your information a copy of a letter which has been received from the Secretary, Ministry of Aircraft Production on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) towards the purchase of aircraft.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,
K. G BRADLEY
Colonial Secretary.

The Reverend G. K. Lowe,
STANLEY.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(70)

From Magistrate. South Georgia.

To Hon. Colonial Secretary. M.P. 59/41.

Despatched : 5th November 1943. *Time :* 16. 25.

Received : 6th November 1943. *Time :*

No. 92. Please pay Revd. Lowe sum of £147 15s. credit of Bellows
Amount appears in October accounts under remittances.

Magistrate.

G.T.C.

No.

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



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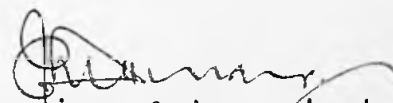
13th November, 1943.

From The Officer-in-Charge,
Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Fellowship of the Bellows for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of Seven hundred pounds (£ 700). The amount was paid into the Colonial Treasury on Receipt No. 6240 of even date.

The Crown Agents should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.


ag. Supervisor & Accountant.

JM.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(74)

From Hon. Colonial Secretary.

To Crown Agents for the Colonies. M.P. 59/41.

Despatched : 16th November 19 43. *Time* :

Received : 19 ... *Time* :

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £700 to Minister of Aircraft
Production from Local Bellows Fund.

Colonial Secretary.

G.T.C.

DECODE.

75

TELEGRAM.

No. 38.

From SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR. M.P. 59/41.

Despatched : 23rd November 19 43. Time : 06.35.

Received : 24th November 19 43. Time :

No. 108.

Please convey to all concerned the warm thanks of H.M. Government for this further gift from the Bellows Fund notified in the Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents of Nov. 15th.

Red 7H.

Secretary of State.

G.T.C.

25th November, 43.

Sir,

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, copy of a telegram which has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) through the Crown Agents for the Colonies on 16th November towards the purchase of aircraft.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

 Your obedient servant,
K. G. BRADLEY

Colonial Secretary.

The Reverend G. K. Lowe,
STANLEY.

DECODE.

77

TELEGRAM.

From Magistrate, South Georgia.

To Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : 22nd January, 19 44 *Time* : 1405

Received : 22nd January, 19 44 *Time* : 1500.

No. 11. Please pay to Reverend Lowe sum of £56 - 14s - 9d.
credit of Bellows Fund. Amount appears for December account
under remittance. Fund has now been closed and no further
contributions can be expected from here.

MAGISTRATE.

G.T.C.

Telephone :

Franklin 2211 Extn. _____

Telegrams :  prod, London.MINISTRY OF AIRCRAFT
PRODUCTION,

MILLBANK, S.W.1.



Our Reference PS6/Sec



Your Reference _____

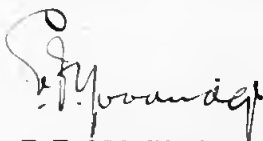
8th December 1943

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Aircraft Production to acknowledge receipt of a gift of £700 from the Falkland Islands Fellowship of the Bellows.

The Minister has received this gift with much pleasure. He would be pleased if you would convey an expression of his most sincere thanks to the members for this further evidence of their desire to help the war effort.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,


E. F. GOODRIDGE

Colonial Secretary,
Falkland Islands.

No.

MINUTE.

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

9th October, 19 44.

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From

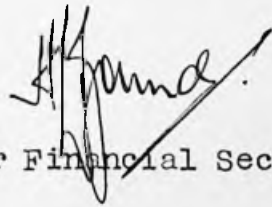
The Financial Secretary,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,
STANLEY.

I have the honour to inform you that the Hon. Treasurer, Fellowship of the Bellows has applied for a telegraphic remittance through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in the sum of FOUR HUNDRED & FIFTY EIGHT POUNDS, FOURTEEN SHILLINGS & THREEPENCE (£458. 14s.3d). The above amount was paid into the Treasury on Receipt No.7751 of even date.

The Crown Agents should be instructed to charge to Note Security Fund.


for Financial Secretary.

DECODE.

82

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To Crown Agents for the Colonies.

M.P. 59/41.

Despatched : 10th October, 19 44. *Time* :

Received : 19 ... *Time* :

Pay from Note Security Fund sum of £458. 14s. 3d.
to Minister of Aircraft Production from Local Bellows Fund.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

(83)

TELEGRAM.

From Secretary of State.

To His Excellency the Governor.

Despatched : 23rd October, 19 44. *Time :* 1905.

Received : 24th October, 19 44. *Time :* 1030.

Red 82.

No. 107. Reference Colonial Secretary's telegram to the Crown Agents of 10th October, Bellows Fund. I should be glad if you would convey to all concerned H. M. Government's warm thanks for this further gift for Aircraft.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

G. T. C.

25th October,

44.

Sir,

Red 83

I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, copy of a telegram which has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, on the subject of the contribution made by the Fellowship of the Bellows (Falkland Islands Branch) through the Crown Agents for the Colonies on 10th October towards the purchase of aircraft.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

K. G. BRADLEY
Colonial Secretary.

¹
Honorary Treasurer,
Fellowship of the Bellows,
STANLEY.