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CUSTOMS	
(Export Whale Oil Duty)	
No.	329/22

1922

Col. Treasurer

SUBJECT.

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HVALEN WHALING COMPANY, s.s. "Pythia"

15th April

Export Duty for Season, 1921/22.

Previous Paper.

MINUTES.

*1922/4/17*  
*17/4/23*

*Minute from Col Treasurer of 15<sup>th</sup> April 1922 — Encl ①*  
*Telegram to Brown Agents, 18.4.22; Encl. ②*  
*Cost of telegram £3-12-0<sup>2</sup>.*

*Y.B. Submitted for information*

*20/4/22*  
*21 April 1922*

*Hon. Treas.*

*For use*

*20/4/22*

*Hon: Col: Sec.*

*Noted.*

*Cost of telegram, £ 3-12-1, recovered through*  
*F. J. Company; Tr. Rec. 1121.*

Subsequent Paper.

*W. Thompson*  
*Treasurer,*  
*21 April 1922*

Telegram from Crown Agents of 15<sup>th</sup> May 1922 Encl (3)

Crown Agents letter of 18<sup>th</sup> May 1922 — Encl (4)

Hon Treasurer

Dr note

ttttt 1/7/22

Hon: Col: Sec.

Thanks. Noted.

K. Thompson

Treasurer,

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Letter from Chr. Christensen jun. of 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1922 — Encl (5)

Hon. Secs.

Refund

ttttt 25/9/22

Hon:Col:Sec;

The enclosed Certificate of Landing, -(5)- is in respect of 714,1~~96~~<sup>63.7</sup> gallons of oil, which is equal to 17,854.09 bbls.

2. The Master of the s.s. "Pythia", declared to 17,875 bbls as shewn by Encl:(1). The difference is 21 bbls, equal to a refund of Export Duty paid in excess of the actual quantity shipped of £5.5s. Od.

K. Thompson

Collector of Customs.

25th September 1922.

Hon. Treas.

shall I instruct the C.A. to make

the refund?

ttttt 27/9/22

Hon:Col:Sec;

I am inclined to think the refund should be made by Crown Agents, in as much as they collect duty on oil landed in excess of quantity declared to, please.

K. Thompson

Colonial Treasurer.

27th Sept:1922.

Mr. Ina.

Perhaps this might be left  
 over for <sup>inclusion in</sup> the general refund owing to  
 the price of oil - unless you see  
 reason to the contrary

Lttd 29/10/22

Hon:Col:Sect;

I will do so if you wish, but it seemed to me that whereas the refund of One-half the duty is chargeable against Ordinance No.4 of 1922, and the above mentioned £5<sup>5/-</sup> is correctly chargeable to Drawbacks and Refunds of duty collected in excess of the Tariff Ordinance 1900. It did seem to me that it might be better to keep it separate and apart, as there may be other instances as regards some other Whaling Company. In any case I will require to know what is decided before I make out the statement of amounts to be refunded under Ordinance No.4 of 1922, please.

*A. Thompson*

Colonial Treasurer.  
 2nd October/1922.

Letter to Brown Agents, 26.10.22. Encl. (6)  
 " " Hvalen Whaling Co., 26.10.22, Encl. (7)

Letter from Doktor & Hvalen Cos  
 of 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 1923 — Encl. (8)

Copy placed  
 in 301/22  
 amended  
 16/4/23  
 JCS

No.

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

MINUTE.



15th April 1922

From... Colonial Treasurer....

Stanley.  
.....  
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To

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.



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I shall be glad if the Crown Agents might be requested to collect the sum of £4,513. 8. 9d, mentioned in the attached letter from the Master of the s.s. "Pythia" dated 15th April.

*Anthony*  
Colonial Treasurer.

s. s. "PYTHIA",

Port Stanley, Falkland Islands.

15th April, 1922.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Hvalen Whaling Company, Owners of the Whaling Factory "Pythia" have made arrangements to pay to the Crown Agents in London the Customs Export Duty on my cargo of Whale Oil.

2. The estimated catch of my vessel is 17,875 barrels of whale oil, on which the duty at 5s/- per barrel amounts to £4,468: 15: 0. The Owners will also pay to the Crown Agents the remittance charge of 1% on the above amount, viz. £44: 13s: 9d, making a grand total of £4,513: 8s: 9d.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*Thorstein Andersen*

Master.

To The Collector of Customs,  
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

# DUTIABLE GOODS.

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SECTION 31.

**EXPORT**

**EXPORT**

Ship's Name, and date of departure

"Pythia" 15th April, 1922.

Port or Place to which consigned

Final destination not known

Exporter's Name

Th. Andersen for The Hvalen Whaling Company

Port of Export

South Shetlands.

Exporter.	Description of Export.	Quantity.	Duty.			Value.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Th. Andersen	Whale Oil	17,875 Barrels  (Duty 5s/- per barrel)	4468	15	0	89370	0	0
<b>Total £</b>			4468	15	0	89,370	0	0



I solemnly declare that the foregoing particulars are to the best of my knowledge accurate, and that I have herein fully described and set forth all goods liable to duty on export.

15th April, 1922 <sup>191</sup>

*Christian Pedersen.*  
Exporter or Agent.

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TELEGRAM.

From : The Colonial Secretary

To : The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

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Dispatched : 18th April, 1922 Time. 3.30 p.m.  
Received : ..... 19 .. Time. ...

CROWN  
LONDON.

ARCHITRAVE CHIROPAST SMELMUCH PILESHOE PICOLAPTE  
PHLEBOLOGY SCARIFICHI WHALE OIL DUSKINESS INCLUDING  
REMITTANCE PYTHIA FRATRICE HVALEN COMPANY.

SECRETARY.

Meaning:

You are authorized to collect sum of £4,513. 8s. 9d.,  
Whale Oil Export Duties including remittance "Pythia"  
from the Hvalen Whaling Company.

Colonial Secretary.

19 Words:-

£ 3 = 12 = 0 1/2.

**TELEGRAM.**

*From :* Crown agents  
*To :* Colonial Secretary.

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*Dispatched :* 15th May, 19 22. Time. 2.30 pm.  
*Received :* 17th May, 19 22. Time. -

COLONIAL SECRETARY,  
PORT STANLEY.

HVALEN DUNGYARD

CROWN.

Meaning

Hvalen Whaling Company's duties have been  
paid.

Crown Agents.



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Sec. Falks. 48

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

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



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

18th May, 1922.

Sir,

With reference to your telegram of the 18th April, and to our reply of the 15th of May, I have the honour to report that we have collected from the Hvalen Whaling Company the sum of £4,516.13s.9d. as follows:-

Export duty on whale oil per s.s. "Pythia" and remittance charge thereon	... ..	£4,513. 8. 9.
Cost of cablegrams	... ..	<u>3. 5. 0.</u>
Total		<u>£4,516.13. 9.</u>

This amount has been credited in our account with the Colonial Government for May (Development and Research Fund) and the sum of £3.5s.0d. has been transferred to the General account.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. S. Jones".

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

for Crown Agents.

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*Chr. Christensen jr.*  
SKIBSREDERI & HVALFANGST.

TELEGRAMAOR "JUNIOR"  
CODES  
WATKINS, SCOTT'S 10<sup>TH</sup> EDITION



TELEFONER.  
CHR. CHRISTENSEN JR 1222  
A. GORDON-FIRING 527  
KONTORCHEFEN 166  
KONTORET, EXPEDITION 498  
CHR. CHRISTENSEN JR PRIVAT 6  
A. GORDON-FIRING PRIVAT 188  
P. C. PEDERSEN PRIVAT 1286

SANDEFJORD. 22nd June 1922.  
POST BOX 31.

A/s "ODD"  
3/4 GOVERNOREN 7000 DW  
3/4 PYTHIA 5800 " "  
3/4 DOMINION I (WHALER)  
3/4 DOMINION II  
3/4 NORMANN I  
A/s FANDANGO  
5/8 ROALD AMUNDSEN 6500 DW  
A/s STOLT  
3/4 BINTHIA 1400 DW  
A/s RYVINGEN

To the Governor of Falkland Islands,  
Port Stanley.

Sir,

s/s "Pythia".

I have the honour to forward herewith certificate  
of whale oil landed from this vessel at Brake, Germany, duly certified  
by the British Consulate at discharging port.

I shall be obliged for acknowledgement of same.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

*In Collection of Customs.  
22 Sep 22*

*To Collecting Customs  
22 Sept 1922*

# Colony of the Falkland Islands.

## Customs Export Regulations of 10th March, 1921.

*Certificate of Landing to be delivered to the Collector of Customs,  
Stanley, Falkland Islands.*

Port of Discharge..... *Bea ke*.....  
 Date of Arrival..... *23. May*.....  
 Name of Ship..... *"Pythia"*.....  
 Master's Name..... *Thorstein Andersen*.....  
 Consignee..... *Fett Raffinerie A. G.*.....  
*(Aut. Jürgens Maschinen werks)*  
 Date of landing or discharge..... *24. May to 31<sup>st</sup> May*.....

Number of Ship's barrels of Oil landed	<i>3876</i>	=	Gallons. <i>152.240</i>	<i>739.</i> <i>640 003.</i>
" " " drums of Oil landed	_____	=	_____	_____
Total barrels and drums landed	<i>3876</i>	=	<i>152.240</i>	<i>640 003.</i>

Quantity of Bulk Oil ex Ship's tanks landed in Gallons *561 946 2 362 737*  
 Total quantity landed in Gallons *714 186 364 2737*

*gal. 714163.7 - 17854.09 bbl.*

I solemnly declare that the foregoing particulars are to the best of my knowledge true and accurate, and that I have herein fully described and set forth all the oil liable to export duty on export from the Colony of the Falkland Islands, and shipped at the port of... *South Shetland Isl.*... by S.S. *"Pythia"*... and declared by me as Exporter, under Section 31 of the Customs Ordinance, 1903.

*Should be  
3002736*

.....  
 Exporter or Agent.

Date *June 8<sup>th</sup> 1922.*

I certify that the above *3876* barrels landed at this port.

*Amalson*  
**ppa. Herm. Dapelsberg.**

**FETT-RAFFINERIE**  
 Aktiengesellschaft



**Hauptzollamt Brake**  
 Zollerfertigungsstelle am Pier  
 Senior Customs Officer.



*M. Ch. Robel*  
 Date.....

I certify that the above signature of the Customs Officer...  
 be that of the *Free State of Oldenburg*... Customs Officer, at the  
 Port of... *Brake, Oldenburg, Germany.*

*W. M. Consul*

**W. M. CONSUL**  
 British Consular Officer.



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26th October, 22.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Governor of the Falkland Islands to request you to be good enough to pay to the Evalon Whaling Company, the sum of £1,357. 12s. 7d, being the amount of refund of duty paid on Whale Oil for the 1921-1922 season, as shown in the attached statement.

In duplicate.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

H. Henniker-Heaton,

Colonial Secretary.

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

THE HVALDEN WHALING COMPANY.

1.	Quantity of Oil declared to at time of shipment	...	...	17,875 barrels
2.	Export Duty on above quantity paid to the Crown Agents on 11/3/22	...	...	£4,463.13. 0.
3.	Also Remittance Charge	...	...	44.13. 9.
				<u>£4,513. 8. 9.</u>
4.	Quantity of oil in barrels, landed	...	...	17,854.65 barrels
5.	Export Duty payable on (4) above	...	...	£4,463.13. 3.
6.	Also Remittance Charge on (5) above	...	...	44.13. 9.
				<u>£4,508. 6. 0.</u>
7.	Amount overpaid by Company	...	...	£5. 2. 9.
8.	Amount of refund of duty at the rate of 1s/6d per barrel, due to Company on 17,854.65 barrels, plus Remittance Charge, viz :-			
	Refund of Duty	...	...	£1,330. 2. 0.
	-do- Remittance Charge	...	...	13. 7.20.
				<u>£1,332. 9.10.</u>
9.	Actual amount to be refunded to Company	...	...	<u>£1,357. 12. 7.</u>

Note.

In calculating the amount of oil as shown in Landing Certificates, on which duty is levied, 2.2 kilos are taken as equivalent to 1 lb., 9.25 lbs to the gallon, and 40 gallons to the barrel.

329/22.

26th October,

22.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Governor of the Falkland Islands to inform you that the Crown Agents for the Colonies have been instructed to pay to your Company, the sum of £1,357. 12s. 7d, being the amount of refund of duty paid on Whale Oil for the 1921-1922 season, as shown in the attached statement.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

H. Henniker-Heaton,

Colonial Secretary.

The Managing Directors,  
The Hvalen Whaling Company,  
Sandefjord,  
NORWAY.

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**N. BUGGE**

INDEHAVERE F.BUGGE & H.KROGH-HANSEN

HVALFANGST-SKIBSREDERI  
ASSURANCE  
VICE-CONSULATER FOR  
SPANIEN & PORTUGAL

M-A/A.B.

TELEFONER:  
CENTRALBORD N<sup>o</sup>1,233,440  
TELEGRAMADRESSE:  
„E G U B”



*Tinsberg*, 8th Jan. 1923.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Port Stanley,

Falkland Islands.

Dear Sirs,

Your favours of 26th October and 2nd November last duly to hand. Also enclosed statement regarding duty on whale oil for the 1921-22 season showing a balance in favour of the Hvalen and Hektor Whaling Companies of £ 1357.12.7 and £ 2950.2.11 respectively. We have received instructions from the Crown Agents for the Colonies as to the payment of these amounts and will same be collected through our Bankers in London.

We are, Sirs,

Your obedient servants,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "N. Bugge".