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MISCELLANEOUS
LETTERS FROM
GOVERNMENT

18 April 1847 to 1
July 1848

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Government House
Stanley, Falkland Islands
15th April 1874

My Lord

I have the honor to inform your Lordship that I have drawn the undermentioned bills on the Treasury Lords.—

No One Hundred and Nine. For Three Hundred and Sixty Four Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence in favor of Thomas Cox and Co in payment of Salary due 1st January 1874 as Storekeeper Gaol & State Room 31st March 1874 after deducting Five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence income Tax. As authority I have Lord Kimberley's dispatch No 5 dated 8th November 1866.—

No One Hundred and Ten. For Three Hundred Four Pounds Three Shillings and Eight Pence in favor of Thomas Cox and Co in payment of Salary due Clerk of Petty Sessions Registrar &c & Gaol Room 31st March 1874 after deducting Two Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence income Tax. As authority I have Lord Kimberley's dispatch No 5 dated 8th November 1866.—

No One Hundred and Eleven. For Three Hundred and Forty Three Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence in favor of [illegible]

him as Colonial Chaplain up to date March 31st 1847 after deducting the Pound Six Shillings and Four Pence drawn for. By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No. 5 dated 9th September 1846. and Lord Stanley's despatch No. 49 dated 28th June 1845.—

No. One Hundred and twelve. For sum of Two Hundred Pounds drawn in favour of J. R. Longden dated March 31st 1847. "In "Exchange for Cash & to be expended in the "General Service of the Colony." By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No. 5 dated 9th September 1846.—

No. One Hundred and thirteen. For sum of Seventy five Pounds drawn in favour of J. Dudley dated 31st March 1847. "Gratuity" By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No. 5 dated 9th September 1846.—

No. One Hundred and fourteen. For sum of Ten Pounds Nine Shillings and Five pence halfpenny drawn in favour of the Protestant Communicants dated March 31st 1847 "in Exchange for Specie "received from the Government Steward "of the Colony for Income Tax which Specie "is carried to the General Revenue of the "Colony." By authority of Lord Stanley's despatch No. 54 dated 14th July 1845.—

No. One Hundred and fifteen. For sum of Eighty Pounds drawn in favour of J. Dudley dated 31st March 1847." "In Exchange for Cash to be expended in the General Service of the Colony." By authority of Earl Grey's despatch dated 9th September 1846.

No. One Hundred and Sixteen. For sum

Sum of Fifty five Pounds drawn in favor of J. R. Douglass dated 2nd April 1834 "in exchange for Cash to be Expended in "the Actual Service of the Colony." By authority of said Lords Dispatch No 5 dated 8th September 1836.—

No Six Hundred and Seventeen. For Sum of Six Hundred and Fifty Pounds drawn in favor of J. H. Bain dated 8th April 1834 "in exchange for Cash to be "Expended in the Actual Service of "the Colony." By authority of said Lords Dispatch dated 8th September 1836. and No 5.—

I have &c

/ Signed /

R. C. Moody
Gov.

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Government House
Stanley April 25th 1894

Sir

I am sorry to have to bring this matter to your notice for the third time but your defalcations are becoming serious and I shall be obliged if you will account for the missing coal at once or you will make good it and I shall be obliged if you will account for the missing coal at once.

I am Sir

Signed

R. L. Moody
Gov.

H. M. Stipendiary Magistrate
Stanley

Government House
Sunday April 20th 1851

20th April 1851

Sir

I enclose herewith a copy of a letter I have received from an individual named Smith and request you will submit me the explanation of the matter to me by him.

I am &c

(Signed)

R. E. Hoyte
Gov.

H.H. Thomé Esq
Stipendiary Magistrate

(Copy)

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(Copy)

Stanley April 20th 49

To His Excellency
Governor Stanley

Sir

I am sorry I have reason to trouble your Excellency, but the case I am about to mention to you is of such a nature that I hope you will excuse me. Mr Thomas Lee (Aboriginal Magistrate) from your Excellency's Island Settlement has this day informed me that he has in his possession a Gun which he found in the Bush near his house, which he supposes belongs to a Native, and which he has taken charge of for the purpose of restoring it to the owner. Mr Lee informed me that he had seen the Gun in the hands of a Native Boy named Jack, who had left it in the Bush near his house, and that he had taken it away with him. Mr Lee also informed me that the Boy had left the Island with his father, and that he had no doubt that they had gone to Port Phillip. I have therefore thought it my duty to write to your Excellency on the subject, and to request that your Excellency will be pleased to direct such steps to be taken as your Excellency may think proper for the purpose of restoring the Gun to the owner. I have the honor to be Sir Your Excellency's most obedient humble Servant

Charles H. Taplin

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
1st March 82

Sir

With reference to your letter of the 21st October 1881. I have to inform you that the vessel "Ethelred" Stoddard Master. has discharged at this Port the Stores Equipments in the bill of lading enclosed in that letter with the exception of one deal case marked "OATES" and containing Rubber Boots, Tackle &c. Mr Pitts at the Store & the Detectives of the Ethelred not having been taken & has it has since been found. The Master produced Invoice & Receipt for the Stores with the exception of this box & must therefore request you to Receive the Receipt.

The Stores generally have arrived in good condition with the exception of the Petroleum leaking casks and Kerosene Tins which have been Repaired & a list of the deficiencies. I would add I cannot that I left it Liverpool, but has been received for the Register Stores which with the Boats Stores will be sent to day. of very inferior quality.

The Iron, Timber, Ironmongery, and Ironwork are of a good quality but the fishing of the Lines, Hooks &c is of inferior Quality and I fear will not be suitable for

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient humble
Servant

for the purpose for which they were intended. namely the supplying of fresh water. I shall feel obliged if you will make enquiries at the Waterworks Office & let me know what is asked for this service.—

I have &c

Signed

A. C. Woods

Jun.

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
5th April 1876

Sir Thomas.

I do respectfully transmit the first of Exchange of a Bill drawn by me in favour of the Inspector of Customs for the Sum of £10.9.6 being the amount of Income Tax paid into my Office by the Officers of this Government in that portion of this Colony owned by them in Fee.

I also enclose a similar Statement of that forwarded in my letter No 30 dated 4th April 1876.

The second of Exchange of the enclosed Bill will be forwarded by another opportunity.

I am &c

Signed

R. L. Moody
Gov.

To
The Secretary to Government
&c &c &c

Q.R. 114 dated 31st March 1876

Moody

Schedule and Income Tax, 1st and 2nd Victoria Chap 4.—

Statement of Amount of Income Tax paid by Government Officers of the Colonial Service (per Year) between the 1st & 10th of April 1838 & 31st March 1839

Name	Office	Period for which Salary was paid per Year		Amount of Salary paid thereon			Remarks		Amount of Income Tax paid		
		Months	Days	£	s	d			£	s	d
A.T. Moore	Stipendiary Magistrate	3	0	150	0	0	Ho		2	10	4
H.J. Hamilton	Colonial Surgeon	3	0	75	0	0	Ho		2	3	9
H.J. Hamilton	Medical Officer	6	0	25	0	0	Ho		"	14	4
J.L. Brooks	Colonial Chaplain	3	11	83	16	6	Ho		2	1	8½
J.C. Singleton	Civil Clerk	6	0	70	0	0	Ho		2	3	9
			Amount £	358	16	6	£	— —	10	9	1½

Government House
Stanley 21st April 1894

Sir

I enclose for your information a copy of a letter I had received from H.T. Moore Esq Stipendiary Magistrate relative to the subject mentioned in your letter of the 20th instant.

I am &c

(signed)

R. E. Hoare
Lieut

The Colonial
Secretary.

Copy

/Copy/

Stanley
20th April 1857

Sir

In Reply to your Excellency's Communication of this day Date I have to state that an individual named Cubbit has been with me this morning stating he had received instructions from your Excellency to meet the Deputation of Settlers appointed by the Legislative Council and that I would not do so without additional Instructions from your Excellency I therefore requested him to call upon your Excellency & may Remember that having got your Private Secretary to make a Calculation on the subject and send me a Letter of Instructions in the matter in a few minutes afterwards I received the Original letter and finding that Mr Cubbit the person in question could write a Tolerable Clerkly hand and was about to go down as a Labourer on the Public Works I thought it a good opportunity to have the business done accordingly sent for him & my Clerk and on his hand him the letter and desired him Mr Longden in presence of Mr Cubbit the Clerk & the magistrates he appeared quite satisfied with the Terms mentioned in the letter (a Copy which I now send to your Excellency) Immediately and Commenced his Work but in the afternoon thought no more of the business

Sir

him day & for afterwards he told McCauley he could
make a deal with him for less which Mr
Langdon had calculated he would do if he
shattered and he obtained from Langdon the
deed for $40 & for $50 afterwards instead of $4
for that & $50 he afterwards took
and retained "Letter to the Knight" and he
continued talking about it, I told him afterwards
I remarked if he got so much out of that it
was more than I would give him and I showed
him the deed that Sawyer had paid
in England which was for $40 for Lots & so
would be expected me to say nothing about
it & pointed it out to him believed that
did not embody him - and that I should not
be interfere - from his after talking & Knight
had nothing to induced for him and I believe
he had nothing whereby & he left me - that day he
came a little after day light and remained till
dark but this did not long continue - for McCauley
Showing him unfavorable documents &
connected with the discharge & his note and
showing documents to take outside the door &
whether Langdon would accept & this for
$50 which would not be proper when I
had induced & concluded that we had not
nothing as I knew & him a fact that was
for him in his power & he should have
nothing & his $50 returned outside each
door Lincoln Park Lots from Engineer will
prevail that I would Read McCandless letter
Stenhouse and that is quite late his illness
and resignation & mistake it might —

Yours
Respectfully
Jerome Woods

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Government House
Stanley April 21st 1874

Sir

I have Commanded by H.E. His Governor & State with Reference to your letter of the 20th Inst that he has given the necessary directions for the daily Separation of the Convicts from those the Barracks for the use of your Department.

I have &c

(Signed)

J. R. Longden
Colonial Secretary

H.E. Moore Esq.
Stanley

Government House
Stanley April 21st 1869

Sir

In consequence of representations I have
been led to fit the Colonial Chaplain
have to request that when you require
the temporary Courthouse you will be
pleased to have the communion
table placed therein for any Sunday
Service that may

I am &c

Signed

E. C. Moody
Gov.

Hon. Thos. Ellis
Stanley

Government House
Sunday Oct 21st 1849

Sir

I Rec'd from Lieut Col Hare 16th Inst
Your & Wishes you that it is Your
Wish at present & which I would Grant
the Communion table.—

I am however Requested the Attending
Magistrate to obtain from using it for
any Secular purpose Whatever. —

I am &c

/ Signed /

R. C. Wood.
Jas

Rev'd
J. L. Wood.
Colonial Chaplain

To C. and J. Treacy

H.E. the Governor has directed me to inform you what pay you are to receive while performing the duty of Cumbera and also the hours and conditions of that service.

I am &c

(Signed)

J. P. Langslow
Private Secretary

Government House
April 23rd 1874

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Government House
Stanley April 23rd 1874

Sir

I am desired by Mr Gunn and Mr Lewis to state they withdraw their recent application for a Circuit Court at Lowestoft. —

I have the honor to transmit for your information a Copy of Mr Gunn's letter of resignation of the office of Coroner for the District of Lowestoft. —

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
(Signed)
R. C. Smith.
Col Sec

W. H. Norris Esq
Stanley.

Government House
Kaieie April 28th 1874

Sir

I have the honour to be directed by His Excellency the Governor to inform you that a Council will be held at Government House tomorrow morning the 29th inst at 10 o'Clock. —

I have &c

Signed

J. R. Swanston
Pte Secretary

The Honorable W. H. Green
Etc Etc

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Government House
Nairobi, April 26th 1897

23rd April 1897

Sir

I enclose for your information a letter addressed Dear Sir a Mr Harrison Cobbe Britannia Estate Nairobi against you.-

Although I am not desirous of keeping out the private letter or conduct of any Officer serving under me, yet when charges are made & such conduct as that specified in the enclosed letter being published, and are brought before me officially it becomes my duty to investigate & report on explanation from the Officer against whom such charges are preferred.-

With regard to Mr Cobbe letter you or your explanation, I feel inclined you will be most desirous that the fullest enquiries should be made and I am willing to adopt any measures you may think advisable for arriving at the most satisfactory conclusion.-

I am &c

(Signed)

C. C. Hardy
Esq

H.M.'s Consul
Nairobi.

Copy

Sandy Point 23rd 1845

To His Excellency
Governor Bordy.

Sir

I am sorry I have to call before your Excellency which put me much against but it is no other thing for me to do. — My State not [illegible] Sir I [illegible] Superintendent Inspector [illegible] the work which I could be a [illegible] intoxication without a hand [illegible] in his breath and a pair of [illegible] and both some of the people in the work [illegible] attacked me with red shirts. one [illegible] got me which I yielded as Rev. William [illegible] and he then taken me on the shoulder and [illegible] me to [illegible] appointed me to shake hands with him which I declined saying that without my heart it was useless to give my hand. after [illegible] which had the misfortune he [illegible] down in. one saying to work that night as he would not at [illegible] by the letter which he wrote to your Excellency which said Mr. Cully saw me threatening [illegible] with him he never Cully never [illegible] declared he never said it [illegible] which he knew nothing [illegible] after he then [illegible] as he [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible]

I then left for San Francisco where I would remain till I returned in about two months and left Mr Hunter to attend to my business with instructions to call on Mr Wilkes and get from him a statement of the affair and if possible get him to write a letter to Governor Haight stating that he had no grudge against me and that he was willing to let the matter drop. I also left with Mr Hunter a letter to Governor Haight stating that I had left for San Francisco and that I would return in about two months and that I was willing to let the matter drop. I also left with Mr Hunter a letter to Governor Haight stating that I had left for San Francisco and that I would return in about two months and that I was willing to let the matter drop.

Yours &c

Signed,

Charles Mark Hopper.

Government House
Sunday 24th April 1859
Tuesday afternoon

Sir

H.E. the Governor has desired me to express his wish to see you at Government House this morning at 9 o'clock.

I have &c

(signed)

J.R. Logan.
Chief Clerk

Lord &c
H.T. Irwin

Government House
April 27th 1847

At the Governor desires to see

J. Steel
C. St. Lupton
J. Colquhoun
J. Martin
W. Biggs
and
Wells,

at Government House
Tomorrow morning at 10 O'Clock

Government House
Stanley Nov. 7th 97.

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor for compliance with your request to forward to you the copies of the four Ordinances enumerated in the margin and to request you will return them at your earliest convenience.

Land Registration Ordinance
Conveyancing "
Improvements Protection "
Harbour Regulations "

I have &c &c

(signed)

J.B. Langdon
Chief Clerk

Hon'ble
H. S. Rowe

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Government House
Hong Kong 5th Oct 82

Sir

I have given the earliest attention to your letter dated 30th ult, and also to the evidence which has existed since the different parties, in my presence by the examination of Upton & Gigget & to which they that the conclusion I have arrived at is very unsatisfactory with respect to your conduct in the matter in question, and it becomes my painful duty to depose you which I now do. The object of the man in making the statement that is evident, but that does not excuse your conduct. The facts thus established prove that you joined in the society of men of the lowest class with a familiarity discreditable to an officer holding your position.

I have not lost sight of your statement that it was a private visit "to see a person with whom you had indirectly acted as a Public officer but as a private individual" but it appears that this cannot only be admitted with much limitation. You had a party of men present and your first visit of a very social and familiar

Gentlemen

Hong Kong.

matter, and prolonged from 8 o'clock to half past 11 P.M. at night.—

If you reflect for a moment you cannot fail to perceive that the effect of such conduct cannot fail to be an utter loss of all respect for yourself, and by loosing in uneducated minds, the respect due to the office you hold, be productive of many direful evils.—

I am &c

(Signed)

R. Brooke

for—

Government House
Stanley 15th May 1884

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this date and to request your instructions as to the disposal of the Natives now here.

Yesterday Mr Crawshay, Engineer in charge of the Telegraph Expedition, with two other Europeans, including Mr Barker, which may be termed Egan.

I propose that I should send Mr Stanley and Mr Scott with Mr Stanley and Mr Scott with Mr Stanley and Mr Scott with

Government House
Stanley 10th May 1875

Sir

I am desired by His Excellency the Governor & State that he has directed Mr Phillips the Harbour Master & proceed by water to Port Louis & board the "Captain" and bring down the mail bags referred to in your letter of 12th inst and that you are authorized & give a receipt.—

I am &c

Signed

J. R. Longden
Secretary

The Resident Ship

Government House
Hobart 10th May 1847

Sir

H.E. the Governor desires you will forward to Port Cygnet in the Sophy boat the Penguin Pobelton" spirit vessel now lying down the River for which you will give a receipt & the Master of the Vessel.—

I have &c

pro

J. E. Boyd
Secretary

The Superintendent
Hobart Town.—

Government Stores
Sunday 11th May 1806.

Sir

I enclose you an order for such of the articles enumerated in your letter as can be spared from the Government Stores.

The Charges for the articles are enumerated in the Margin.

I am Sir &c

(Signed)

R. L. Hoods
Post.

Capt
J. L. Hoods

2 hand Cross-saws 8/ each ... 1.4
2 do Bristle & Sash Tools ... 1.0
4 do 3" Chisels 8/ each ... 1.16
4 do 2" do 6/ do ... 1.4
2 do 1½" do 4/ do ... 0.8
Carried over ... 4.11.10½
Brought over ... 3.6½

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Government House
Stanley 11th May 1847.

Sir

I am desired by H.E. the Governor to state that he is only able to spare you 2 hand saw files for which an order is enclosed. And the price of which is 8 Each

I have &c

(Signed)

L. E. Crampton
Asst Secy

H.E. Capt Fitzroy
Standard

Government House
Stanley May 16th 1849

Sir

I am desired by His Excellency the Governor to request that you will send up by bearer to Govt House the Govt edition of the Statutes which he wishes to refer to there.—

His Excellency would also feel obliged if you could send up any legal work that may be in your possession containing a copy of the Statute of Frauds and Perjuries 29 Car II cap 3 amended by 9 Geo IV cap 14 or later.—

I have &c

(Signed)

J Rivers Jun
Chief Clerk

The Hon
W. L. Moore

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Government House
Stanley May 19th 1897

Sir

I am now prepared to answer any enquiries you may have to make respecting your being supplied with cattle and I should be glad to see you this morning on the subject.

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov.

Rev.d
J. L. Moody

Government House
Bermuda May 21st 1857.

Sir

I have to request you will subscribe 5½ pounds to defray half every Five Days Commencing 31st Inst 1857 for the Public Service of this Government in the undermentioned proportions. —

To Government House including the Governor Colonial Surgeon &c &c — 98 pounds
" the Colonial Chaplain (Revd J. Tweedy) — 30 "
" — Clerk to the Councils (Mr Longden) — 38 "
" — Acting Clerk (Mr Gordon) — 15 "
" — Harbour Master (Mr Phillips) — 15 "
" — School Master (Mr H. O. Brown) — 15 "
" Corporal Watts R.E. & Mr. to Department of Royal Lefroy Thomas — 25 "
" Corporal Watts for Fire Store — 9 "
" the Head Constable (Mr Perry) — 15 "
" — Jailor (Thomas Hamilton) — 15 "
" C Duckett — 15 "

Total 5½ pounds

The Bill will be taken away by the parties above named on every tenth day between 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. whether the tenth day may fall on a Sunday the Bill is to be given the day previous. —

I have &c

Richard Williams Esq. (Signed) R. L. Tweedy
Pro.

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Circular.—

Government House
Stanley May 21st 1874

Sir

I have to inform you that the price of the Seal Skin issued in Rations will for the future be 2d per Skin instead of 1½d

The Seal will for the present be issued to the Government Officers at Mr Bentley's Store only from the Government House 31st inst. between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. When the ninth day may fall on a Sunday the Rations will be issued on the day previous.—

I have &c

(Signed)

R. L. Crosby
Sgt.

Wm Moore Esq.
W. J. Hamblin Esq.
&c &c

R. L. Crosby Sgt.
Wm. Phillips
Robt Gordon.

Government House
Stanley Dec 22nd 1854

Sir

I have to request you will kindly supply me with the undermentioned Stores the Ration Issue of this Settlement in the undermentioned proportions. —

Viz.

To Government House including the
Governor Colonial Surgeon &c — 98 pounds
" Colonial Chaplain (Rev. J. Brady) — 30 "
" Clerk of the Councils (Mr. Langdon) — 38 "
" Acting Clerk (Mr. Gordon) — 15 "
" Harbour Master (Mr. Miller) — 15 "
" Clerk Master (Mr. W. Brown) — 15 "
" Colonial Sattle &c. &c. for the Establishment of Royal Artillerymen — 230 "
" Colonial Party for Store — 90 "
" Head Constable (Perry) — 15 "
" Gaoler (James Hawkins) — 15 "
" Orderly — 15 "
Total — 576 pounds

The Beef will be taken care of the above named parties as soon from your Store Keepers Bills and P.O. Orders for such Rations shall be a Return for such Beef is to be issued on the day previous

Mr. John Lawley

Copied

[illegible]
Mr.

Government House
Stanley May 21st 1847

Sir

In reply to your letter of this days date I have directed Lieut Hamilton to supply you with the portion of the building materials therein asked for by you. —

I am &c

(Signed)

R. L. Moody
Gov.

Revd
J. L. Moody
Colonial Chaplain

Circular.

Government House
Thursday 26th May 1870

Sir

With reference to my Circular No 102, 22nd inst. I am directed to inform you that the Civil Offices will be closed under the new Regulations with effect from Tuesday next the 1st proximo instead of the 31st as stated in the Circular above referred to. —

I have the

honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

humble Servant

E L Stanley

Sec.

His Worship the
Mayor
Wm Macmillan Esq
Hon. J. L. Stanley
Stanley
H. Langdon Esq
Rev. Phillips
Wm Gordon

Government House
Kandy May 28th 1844

Sir

I enclose herewith for your information Extracts from two Despatches I have recently received from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies. —

A
B

I am &c

Signed

R. L. Boyd
Govr

Rev. &c
J. L. Woody
Colonial Chaplain —

A

A.

"I have received your despatch No. 13 of the 15th January with an application from the Colonial Chaplain for leave of absence from the Sandwich Islands for twelve months. —

"It is usual to grant leave of absence after so short a period of service. But as Mr. Moody relinquishes his claim to Half-pay during his absence from the Colony you are at liberty to comply with his request." —

B.

"Under the circumstances stated by Mr Brooks, C.J. H. Govt do not object to the increase of stipend solicited by him and in the estimate for the establishment of the Falkland Islands for the ensuing year will be included a provision for the salary of the Chaplain & the settlement at the increased rate of £400 a year."

Government House
Stanley 7th June 1867

Sir

I am Commanded by H.E. the Governor to signify upon his desire of holding a meeting of the Executive Council on Tuesday next the 3rd inst at 11, A.M. in the room appointed for that purpose in Government House. —

I have the

honor

J. A. Langton
Clerk to the Council

addressed this
resolved of the
Executive Council

Government House
Sandy Bay 20th May 1847

Sir

With reference to your Letter of the 16th February ult. applying for twelve months leave of absence for the purpose of proceeding to England for the benefit of your health dated Stanley Falkland Islands I beg to inform you that as you relinquish all claim to half pay during your absence I am authorized by the Right Honble the Secretary of State to comply with your request and I accordingly grant you twelve months leave of absence to be computed from the day of your departure from this Colony.

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov.

Revd
J. L. Brody
Colonial Chaplain.

Government House
Stanley May 21st 1874

Sir

I have the pleasure of informing you that the Right Honble Earl Grey has Continued your appointment as Clerk of the Executive and Legislative Councils.

His Lordship has also sanctioned an increase to your salary of £25 per annum. Commencing on the 1st Octo. –

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Jr

J. P. Longden Esq
Clerk of the Councils

Government House
Steady Bl. Prince Edward Island
May 2nd 1827

Sir

I beg to enclose herewith a Bill in the Enclosed Schedule, No. 118 dated 21st May 1827 for the Sum of £26.11.2 which I have been directed by the Right Honble Earl Bathurst to draw upon you to pay the same paid to one of the Relatives of Edmund Mc Mahon Mercer, deceased ..

I have &c

(Signed)

R. C. Steady
for

To Basil Hall Esq
Agent General for the Colonies

Government House
Lewis 3rd June 1874

Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith a despatch which I have received from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for the Colonies in answer to your application of the 2nd instant with certain Law-books.

I have &c

(Signed)

R.E. Harris
Gov.

Lieut
H.M. Stanley
Stanley

10th December

10th November 1826

"I have received your Letter of the
"20th July 1826 with the enclosures
"respecting that Certain can be
"Shipped in the last Case to the
"Attorney General of the Falkland
"Islands might be furnished to
"you for the use of your Government,
"As it is not usual and can
"hardly not be convenient to lodge the
"Law Officers of the Crown in the Magistracy
"in St. M. Colonial Professions with whose
"in English Law at the Public Expence,
"I am unable to authorize the Colonial
"Agent to carry into Effect the Requisition
"you have submitted to me."—

I signed

"Grey."

Governor Darby
&c &c &c

Government House
Stanley 2nd June 1852

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that I have appointed Thursday the 10th instant for the General Convention of the Falkland Islands

I have &c

(signed)

J. R. Lowe-den
Colonial Clerk

To
The Hon. H. C. Moody R.N.
Stanley

Government House
Stanley 5th June 1847.

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor to enclose to you an order for two wheel-barrows the price of which is 3/- each.

I have &c

(signed)

J. R. Langdon
Chief Clerk

Rev.d
J. L. Inman
Colonial Chaplain

Please to Rev.d Mr. Inman 2
Wheelbarrows.

(signed)

J. R. Langdon

June 5th 1847

Mr Supt. Watts R.L. &c.

Government Store
Stanley June 8th 1847

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor & Commander in Chief to acquaint you that your Request to be allowed to purchase in your Retail Store Cooking &c this day is dated.

I have &c

(Signed)

J.E. Longden
Chief Clerk

Revd
J.L. Woods
Stanley

Delivered to the Revd J.L. Woods
22 feet Andersons or Shelded
3 inch deals.
455 feet inch boards

(Signed)

J.E. Longden

8th June 1847

Colonial Store Keeper

Government House
Sandy Cove 9th 1874.

Sir

I have the honor to enclose for the information of the Legislature a list of the Electors who have polled at the late Election held in this District, and I request you will cause the Writ issued for the purpose to be returned to this office duly endorsed.

I have &c

(Signed)

E. C. Wood
for

Wm. J. Starr
Esquire.

Government House
Stanley Pool 11th 1887

Sir

With reference to your letter of this days date I have to inform you that the Colonial Government have ceased to supply beef to the Public. —

In regard to your Butcher and the proper persons to apply to, I conceive you will have no difficulty in making arrangements with either party. —

I have &c.

(Signed)

H. H. Wood
Lieut

Hon'ble
W. H. Crosse Esq. C.

Government House
Stanley 15th June 1874

Sir

I have the honor to request leave from the Public Works Committee to be allowed to employ Private Mitchell for the purpose specified in your letter of this date and have caused the same to be published to them. I would request that you will cautions Private Mitchell that he is not allowed to employ soldiers and to this cautions I caused to be annexed I particularly request attention. —

I am also directed Mr Longley to furnish you with the Rules for this line. —

I am Sir

Signed

R. L. Moore
for

Hon'ble
H. C. Moore Esq.
Stanley

Quebec.

Government House
Monday 18th June 1877

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that I have desired Corporal Patterson Royal Artillery and Private [illegible] Royal Artillery to act as Messengers to the Government Offices at Rimouski until further notice and to receive for their services.

I have &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Lieut.

To
J. L. Morris Esq
Treasurer

Mr. J. Phillips
Auditor Genl

Mr. J. Gordon
Acting Clerk

Government House
Stanley, Feby 6th 1892

Sir

I have much pleasure in informing you that you have been appointed in the General Commission of the Peace issued by me on the 4th instant and that as such Warrant for you to take the necessary Oaths & qualify you to enter on the duties of the Office. —

I have &c

(Signed)

R. L. Goodwin
for

R. A. Stillman Esq
Stanley

Government Store
Stanley 25th June 1847

Sir

In consequence of several applications which have been made by letter to H.E. the Governor for certain provisions which the storekeeper are unable to supply & am directed by His Excellency to request you will act as auctioneer in disposing of the undermentioned lots by public auction on Monday the 5th day of July next at ½ past 12 o'clock —

Viz

1 Cask containing ½ Barrel of Aperient pills
1 Box containing 240 boxes do — 3 " 10 "
16 Lots each containing ½ Cwt of Biscuit — 15 " 0
5 do do do 1 Cwt of Sago & do
containing 1 Cwt — 4 " 6
1 Barrel of Coffee containing 92 lbs — 2 " 3 " 0
1 do " do do 93 do — 2 " 3 " 5
1 do " do do 94 do — 2 " 3 " 10
2 Lots each containing ½ Cwt Coffee — 1 " 3 " 4
6 do do do 1 Cwt Sugar — 2 " 5 " 0
3 do do do 1 Barrel of flour — 4 " 8 " 4

Also Lot No 1 Fire Irons
consisting of Fishing Rods, 2 Pair
Irons, 2 Pair Irons, Old Tools &c. —

I am &c

(Signed)

C. E. Lauder
Chief Clerk

Jno. H. Dunn
Stanley

Circular.

Government House
Stanley 26th June 1849.

Sir

I have to request you will inform me in what manner you wish to have your quarters salary. —

I request you will in future address this information to my office & not before the expiration of the quarter without any further notification from myself. —

I am &c

(Signed)

J. L. Moody
Gov.

Rev. J. L. Moody
Colonial Chaplain. —

Government House
Stanley 29th June 1874.

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. The Governor to request that you will attend at a meeting of the Executive Council on Friday the 2nd July 1874 at 11 a.m. in the room appointed for that purpose in Government House.

I have &c

(Signed)

J.R. Leighton
Clk to the Council

The Hon.ble
H.A. Black M.C.
Stanley.

The Hon.ble
A.J. Hansbie M.C.
Stanley.

Government House
Stanley 29th June 1854

Sir

I. I. the Governor has desired me to request his wish to see you at Government House tomorrow Morning the 30th inst. at 10 o'Clock. —

I have &c

(Signed)

J. R. Longden
Pr. Secretary

Hon.ble
Lt. Governor R. C.
Stanley. —

Government House
Stanley 4th July 1874

Sir

With reference to your letter of the 27th June I am happy to inform you that private arrangements have been made with Rathkeff to continue the hiring of the house in which the School is now held until the 1st August, for the sum of Eight Dollars. —

This will render the occupation of a room at the Barracks for that purpose unnecessary

I am &c

(Signed)

R. L. Brooke
Gov.r

Rev.d
J. L. Brooke
Colonial Chaplain. —

Government House
Stanley 3rd July 1847.

Sir

With reference to your letter of the 22nd June last requesting, for reasons therein stated, to be permitted to occupy ~~occupy~~ rent about 240 acres of rural lands, I enclose herewith, for your information, a copy of a Proclamation which has been issued setting forth in what mode and on what conditions permission to occupy the unappropriated Country Lands of the Crown may be obtained.

I have &c

(Signed)

C. A. Murray
Govr

2nd July 1847

Revd
J. L. Murray
Stanley

For reference vide Govt Land Book page 151.

Govt. House, Saturday Morning
3rd July 1847—

Sir

With reference to your letter just received I shall be happy to see you as early this morning, as you can make it convenient.—

I am &c

(signed)

P. L. Brady
Esq

Brd
P. L. Brady
Stanley.—

Government House
Stanley July 5th 1874

D. A. G. Sir

Treasury Bill No. 1 I am Commanded by His Excellency the Governor to transmit to you herewith a Treasury Bill and Receipt for Specie value £24.14.8½ Bag & Sheet containing £24.14.8½ with a Receipt for Stamps & Sheet for Postage and also one for Stores supplied to you: also three Receipts which I am desired to request you to sign Stamps Rx 2.10.4 and Return to the Government Office. —

Stores £10.0.0.

I have &c

Signed

J. R. Longden
Chief Clerk

Rev.d

J. L. Woods
Colonial Chaplain

Government House
Stanley July 6th 1887

Sir

In reply to your letter of this day's date I have to inform you that His Excellency has received instructions to make his arrangements for paying the Schoolmaster's account with the interest of the school house as he may be convenient to the other householders of the Colony. I am however not this arrangement cannot be conducive much to the best interests, and Mr Brown has therefore been directed to take the Government Wash House.

I have the

honor

E. L. Goodge
Govr

Revd
J. C. Brown
Stanley

Government House
Hamilton July 8th 1824

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor to require your attendance at the Government Office tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock to receive the allowance due to you from Government up to June 30th 1824

I am &c

(Signed)

J.K. Simpkins
Chief Clerk

Lieut. F.C. Brown
Schoonmaster.

Government House
Stanley July 10th 1874

Sir

In reply to your letter of this days date I have to inform you that I deem it necessary to secure for the Crown all the Islands except the main Islands of East and West Falkland until I receive final instructions from Her Majesty's Government relative to the disposal of the Stock to be received by yacht from Montevideo. —

I have &c

(signed)

R. L. Fitzroy
Gov.

Capt
H.M. Yacht Gleaner
Stanley

Government House
Stanley, 11th July 1874

Sir

Mr Williams has sent down a man in charge of Andrez a man named Pasheo to be tried for the Crime mentioned in the enclosed documents. Will you have the goodness to take Cognizance of the matter and act accordingly - Tomorrow at ten o'clock I would wish to see you on the subject -

I am &c

(Signed)

H. L. Goodall
Gov.

Hon'ble
W. H. Rowe
Stanley

Government House
Barbados, 15th July 1852.

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from you dated the 1st inst with enclosures relative to the Settlement of a man named Parkes, this document I forwarded to Sir [illegible] from whom I have received the enclosed letter and papers which I forward to you. In the mean while he has committed Parkes to jail to stand his trial you will perceive from the enclosed letter, that it will be necessary to ascertain whether the witnesses made their depositions or not if not it will be necessary to swear them as to the truth of their depositions when they had been done or should it have been already done you will again transmit the depositions of Sir [illegible] accompanied by a letter from you to him. It is also advisable that you should be present with Sir [illegible] on the bench when the case is gone into and as you suppose to be here shortly the enquiry will be deferred until your arrival.

I am &c

Government House
Stanley 15th July 1874

Sir

I am Commanded by H.E. the Governor to request you will kindly forward with 30 pounds of beef for the public service

I am &c

(Signed)

J.T. Lundgren
Chief Secretary

Wm. J. Lawley
Stanley

Government House
Stanley July 20th 1847

Sir

I am Commanded by H.E. the Governor to forward to you the Militia Bill with His Excellency's alterations and to request you will have the goodness to return the same with any Remarks you may have to make thereon

I have &c

(Signed)

J.R. Longden
Chief Clerk

Hon'ble
W.H. Moore
Stanley

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
5th July 1847

My Lords

I have the honor to inform your Lordships that I have drawn the undermentioned Bills on the Majesty's Treasury. —

No One Hundred and Eighteen. The sum of Six Pounds Eleven Shillings and four pence drawn in favour of G. Fuller dated May 20th 1847. In exchange for cash the assets of the late L. Hirsh which Cash is carried to the general Revenue of the Colony. By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 18 dated 24th October 1846. —

No One Hundred and Nineteen. The sum of Two Hundred and Ninety Pounds drawn in favour of J. H. Brown dated 15th June 1847. In exchange for Cash to be tendered in the general Service of the Colony. By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 5 dated 5th September 1846. —

No One Hundred and Twenty. The sum of One Hundred Pounds drawn in favour of J. Lesley dated 9th June 1847. In exchange for Cash to be tendered in the general Service of the Colony. By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 5 dated 5th September

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The Right Honble
The Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury
London.

for One Hundred and Twenty-One.
The sum of One Hundred and Ninety four Pounds three Shillings and four pence drawn in favour of Messrs Coy & Co in payment of Salary due to Lt. Governor Moody up to date June 30th 1824 After deducting Six Pounds Six Shillings and Eight pence Income tax. "Salary". By Authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 5 dated 8th September 1826. —

No One Hundred and Twenty-Two
The sum of Seventy two Pounds Six-teen Shillings and Two pence drawn in favour of A. J. Handley in payment of Salary due to him as Colonial Surgeon up to date June 30th 1824 After deducting Two Pounds three Shillings and Nine pence Income tax. Salary By Authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 5 dated 8th September 1826.

No One Hundred and Twenty-Three.
The sum of Fifty One Pounds Nine Shillings and One penny drawn in favour of J. L. Moody in part payment of Salary due to him as Colonial Chaplain up to date June 30th 1824 After deducting Six Pound ten Shillings and Eleven pence Income Tax. Salary By Authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 5 dated 8th September 1826. and Lord Bathurst's despatch No 49 dated 28th June 1824.

No One Hundred and Twenty four
The sum of Two Hundred and Seventy Pounds drawn in favour of J. Longden dated 30th June 1824

in exchange for Cash to be Expended in the General Service of the Colony. By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No. 5 dated 8th September 1846. —

No. One Hundred and Twenty five. For the sum of Thirty Pounds drawn in favour of J. R. Longden dated June 30th 1847 in exchange for Cash to be Expended in the general Service of the Colony By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No. 5 dated 8th September 1846.

No. One Hundred and Twenty six. For the sum of Fifty Pounds drawn in favour of J. Shillito dated June 30th 1847 "Ditto" By authority of Earl Grey's despatch No. 5 dated 8th September 1846. —

I have &c

(Signed)

R. C. Wood

Gov

Government Trade
Stanley July 23rd 1887

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 12th inst requesting "to be allowed to occupy a "station near Kidney Cove" on the terms of the Proclamation issued on the 2nd instant, I have to inform you that I have no objection thereto and do accordingly accept your proposal on those terms and on the further condition that you shall neither let, sublet, sell, or assign such permission during the continuance of the license. — I

I am &c

(signed)

R. L. Woods
Govt

Geo. J. Cowles
Stanley

Government House
Stanley July 23rd 1897

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 3rd inst. requesting permission "to cut a portion of land at Port Stanley for telegraph house at the Centre" on the strength of the Proclamation issued on the 2nd instant, I have to inform you that I have no objection thereto and do accordingly accept your proposal on those terms and on the further condition that you shall execute lot, lease, sell, or assign such portion during the existence of the license.

You will however understand that the Post house is to be available for the use of the Public.

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov.

Rev. J. L. Brody
Stanley.

Government House
Stanley July 28th 1854

Sir

In reply to your letter dated 2nd Inst. I have to state that the Licence to occupy the Station at Port Pelican, commenced on the 23rd Inst the date of the Letter granting the Licence. —

I shall require you to be bound from the Port of the Station to the other or until the Licence shall in conformity with the Proclamation issued on the 2nd Inst. —

I am &c

(Signed)

R. L. Moody
Gov.

Revd J. L. Moody
Stanley

Government House
Stanley July 30th 1864.

Sir

I am Commanded by H.E. the Governor to inform you that Corporal Watts of the Staff mentioned in your letter of this day dated 30th July. —

I have the
honour
to be Sir
Your obedt
humble Servt
J. E. Simpson
Chief Clerk

Lieut. J. L. Goody
Stanley

Corporal Watts R.E.

July 30th 1864.

Inform Lieut. Goody

Government House
Stanley July 31st 1897

Sir

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor & Commander in Chief to request that you will attend a Meeting of the Legislative Council on Monday Morning 2nd August at 11 a.m. in the Room appointed for that purpose in Govt House. —

I have &c

(Signed)

J. R. Templeton
Clerk of the Councils

The Hon'ble
W. H. Moore, M.C.
Stanley

R. A. Williams, Esq. M.L.C.
Stanley

Government Stock
Stanley July 31st 1874

Sir

I am Commanded by His Excellency the Governor to inform you that there will be a meeting of the legislative Council on Monday 2nd August at 11 O'Clock A.M.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant

J. H. Langdon
Clerk Executive Councils

To
J. A. Moody
Stanley

Stanley August 4th 1887

Sir

I am directed by Lt. Governor Scudamore to inform you that Lieut Watts and Stores mentioned in your letter to His Excellency of 2nd August — The prices are as follows —

1000 bricks £5.0.0 4 iron locks at 5/ each £1.0.0
Cut nails assorted at 2d per lb £2.16.0
8 pairs brass butt hinges at 2/ per pair £0.16.0
1 gross screws assorted £0.10.0 Total £9.14.0

Sergeant Saunders will inform you from whatheap the bricks are to be taken —

I am Sir
Signed
J. R. Longden
Pte Secretary

Pte Scudley
Stanley

4th August 1887

Issue to Pte Scudley —
4 iron locks
1 Cut assorted nails
8 pairs brass butt hinges
1 gross screws
1000 bricks

Signed

To Lieut Watts R.E. &c &c

J. R. Longden

Government House
Stanley August 6th 1892

Sir

I have given directions for you to be furnished with the articles enumerated in your letter of this day's date with the exception of the knitters which I am unable to furnish you with. I am myself obliged to use a private instrument on account of the small number belonging to Government. I have caused the chronometer & sextant to be issued to you.

I am &c

(signed)

R. L. Moody
for

2 pieces blue paper
2 tins sealing wax
1 Penknife
25 Nibs
2 Pencils
1 Portfolio

Rev. R. L. Moody
Stanley

Copy Letter

Government House
Stanley August 6th 1884

Sir

I enclose for your information a copy of a letter I have received from Mr John Dudley and have to request you will make arrangements that the supply of beef may not be interrupted in consequence of any arrangement he may make. —

I am &c

(Signed)

R. L. Woods
for

R. A. Williams Esqr J.P.
Stanley

Government House
Stanley 1st August 1874

Sir

I enclose for your information a copy of a letter I have caused to be addressed to the Schoolmaster Mr H. B. Brown. —

I am &c

Signed

R. L. Moody
Gov.

1st August 1874

Revd
J. L. Moody
Stanley

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Copy

Government House
Barbados 1st August 1844

Sir

On Monday Morning I place at your disposal the Long Room at the Barracks for the use of the School during the next days as heretofore - For your personal accommodation a Room will be ready at the new building at the corner of John Street probably in the course of the ensuing week of which you will receive notice - Until that time I consider you will have to provide accommodation for yourself as the Cottage you now occupy was only engaged for the School until the 1st August by a private subscription -

I am &c

(Signed)

C. C. Grey
Gov

Geo. T. B. Brown
Schoolmaster

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Government House
Stanley 9th August 1875

Sir

With reference to your letter of this day's date I am happy to inform you that it has always been my intention that as soon as the Cathedral shall be completed in the building in John Street for Divine service and the use of the School until the commencement of the public service rendered a different arrangement necessary.

I am &c

(Signed)

F. L. Seeley
Gov

Rev.d
F. L. Seeley
Colonial Chaplain

Government House
Stanley August 9th 1847.

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor with reference to your letter of the 8th inst to enclose to you an Order on the Store for 1000 smooth shingles the price of which is £1 10/ 0. —

I have &c

(Signed)

J. R. Longden
Chief Clerk

Honble
Lt Moore R.N.

Four Hundred Shingles (@ 50 each)
of smooth shingles.

(1 a)

J. R. Longden

August 9th 1847

Government House
Sarnia, 11th August 1854

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor with reference to your letter of this day's date to enclose to you an Order for the Street therein mentioned. —

I have &c

(Signed)

J.R. Roupell
Secretary

Hon.ble
T.H. Hoore. —

Order to be done 3 weeks "Whitehall" inhabitant time. —

&c

J.R. Roupell

Government House
Stanley August 12th 1884

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor to inform you that he has given directions to Corporal Watts R.E. to issue to you the articles enumerated in your letter of the 11th inst with the exception of the "Law files" which his Excellency desires Her Majesty's State Counsel be spared. —

I have &c

(Signed)

J.T. Longden
Chief Clerk

To
J. L. Woods Esq
Stanley

Government House
Stanley August 12th 1847

Sir

I have to request you will supply J Hearnden Jailor with 10 ~~lbs~~ of beef at present and 15 ~~lbs~~ of beef every succeeding "beef ration day" until further notice. —

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov.

Hon. J. Stanley
Stanley

Government House
Stanley August 12th 1847

Sir

In Consequence of application made to me on the subject by the Head Constable and Jailor, I have directed the large room at the old Barracks adjoining the room temporarily used for the Jail & to be known as for the accomodation of the Jailor and turnkeys in charge of prisoners. but as from the Construction of the building and the fireplace there is much danger of fire I have drawn up some rules & regulations which I would request you & Jailor will add any others you may suggest, for the guidance of the Jailor & Turnkeys. There is a magazine of gunpowder in a building not far distant, and as part of the building itself is used as a store, as well as a Jail, I am desirous that the Com- missioner Officer in charge of the district should visit the room himself for my satisfaction. —

I am &c

[illegible]

E. L. Cook

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Rules & Orders —

1st No wood or Shavings to be left in the Room nor any Parcel left in charge of Prisoners Relieved to stay there. —

2nd No Clothes or other articles to be placed or hung behind the Fire Place. —

3rd The ashes of the Fire to be taken up every Morning and thrown on such place as may be pointed out for that purpose by the Non-Commissioned Officer in charge of the Room. —

4th The Chimney flue to be kept near a draught. —

Government House
Tuesday 1st August 82

Sir

I place at your disposal for your present accommodation the Middle Room in the new building in John street until such time as it may be required by Government for other purposes. The large room adjoining this I design for the accomodation of the school until it also is in like manner required for other purposed but as the Carpenters have not yet completed the remainder of the building and as I understand the hire made by them may cause the evacuation of that room by the school to be inconvenient you are at liberty should you find that to be the case, to use the long room at the barracks until their work be finished but if the hire be not inconvenient you are at liberty to use it at once. —

I am &c

(Signed)

E. C. Woods
Gov

Lt. T. E. Brown
Charlottetown

Government House
Stanley August 16th 1874.

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, enclosing the Oath observed by the Jailor and Turnkey of the temporary Prison and in reply beg to state my approbation of the Labour. But would suggest that in the 9th Clause the words "or the Sen Commissioner Officer on duty" be added after the words "Dept Colonial Forts".

I am Sir

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov

Lieut
W. H. Moore R.E.
Stanley

Government Work
Stanley August 18th 1847

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 9th instant requesting permission "to be allowed to occupy a Station near Fair Cove" according to the Terms of the Proclamation lately issued. I have to inform you that I have no objection thereto, and do accordingly accept your proposal on those Terms on the further consideration that you shall neither Let, Sublet, Sell, or assign such permission during the existence of the license. —

I am,

Respected,

R. C. Moody
Gov.

Mr. Wm Bush
Stanley

Government House
Stanley August 26th 1864

Sir

I have the honor to request you will supply Mr J. Edmonds, Clerk with Rations & Rest at the usual Rate of 10 ~~Shillings~~ per day until further notice, commencing last Ration day. —

I am &c

(Signed)

E. L. Scott
Gov

Mr J. Lowley
Stanley. —

Government House
Stanley August 20th 1877

Sir

I have given the necessary instructions to have the Lots Enclosed in your letter of this day's date - I have directed also that Mr Smiths Station at Coal Mount be fenced for you for your immediate use -

I am &c

(Signed)

R. L. Brandy
Gov.

Esq.
J. Edmonds Esq.
Stanley

Government House
Stanley August 16th 1872

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor to inform you that the price of the Eagle shingles is £3.2.0 per thousand.

I have &c

(Signed)

J.R. Longden
Asst Clerk

Per Q.
J.L. Snowdy
Stanley

Government House
Stanley 9th September 1874.

Sir

I enclose herewith for your information an extract from a despatch I have had the honor to receive from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for the Colonies relative to the appointment of a Health Officer.—

I have &c

(Signed)

R. L. Moody
Lieut Gov.

Hon'ble
F. J. Hamblin M. C.
Stanley

"Considering the position of the Falkland Islands in which they are little likely to be visited by ships from countries where the more fatal contagious diseases prevail, and that as regards small pox, by due attention to vaccination the danger may be guarded against, I do not recommend the appointment of a regular Health Officer, or insisting that all ships that arrive there should be visited by the Colonial Surgeon".—

(Signed)

"Grey"

Government House
Stanley 9th September 1874.

Sir

I enclose herewith for your information a copy of a letter I have received from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies and would suggest that you communicate to Mr Stephens the information therein desired. —

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gor.

Joseph Lee.

Truro 28th February 1874.

My Lord

I hope your Lordship will pardon the liberty I am taking in addressing your Lordship on the subject of which I have had the honor to speak to you when I had the pleasure of seeing you at Government House, Victoria, Vancouver Island, on the 4th of last month. I am desirous of knowing whether your Lordship has received any communication from the Government of Canada with reference to the claim of Mr Joseph Lee, late Collector of Customs at Victoria, Vancouver Island, for compensation for loss of office, and if so, what steps your Lordship intends to take in the matter. I have the honor to be, My Lord, your Lordship's most obedient humble servant,

(Signed) Joseph Lee

The Right Honble
Earl Kimberley.

Government Office
Stanley 9th October 1826

Sir

I enclose herewith for your information an Extract from a Despatch I have had the honor to receive from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies in reply to the communication forwarded by you to his Lordship on the 20th July 1826. —

By the Enclosed Paper you will perceive I am authorized to grant you an exchange of your Town and Country Lands near Antrim for Town and Country Lands at Stanley allowing you credit in Rural Lands at the present upset price of 5/ the acre for the full amount Expended by you in Rural Lands near Antrim. —

I shall feel obliged by your informing me at early as possible of the decision at which you may arrive on this subject. —

I am &c

(Signed)

P. M.

E. — Wood

Lt

To E. Whitington
Antrim. —

Gov/

"You will acquaint Mr Whitington
"that I consider the claim he has pre-
"ferred (as a matter of right, unsanc-
"tioned by the Board) to your satisfa-
"ction as altogether inadmissible but it at
"first, that previously to the removal of
"our Establishment, land bought and
"allowed at a matter of indulgence
"to exchange them for similar allotments
"at Fort William, he might and as I con-
"ceive, still may, avail himself of
"that permission. The same indulgence
"might properly be extended to Mr Whit-
"ington in respect of his burnt land
"that is that he may exchange them for
"an equivalent quantity of other
"rural lands near that part of the
"present Capital Town. —

"If in effecting the proposed exchange
"the lands to be acquired by Mr Whitington
"in the neighbourhood of Fort William
"are valued at their present wholesale
"and he is allowed credit for the sum
"whereunder he sells in his present
"near Burton he will virtually have
"obtained his second request to be
"allowed the advantage of the deb-
"duction in the rate of Damages. —

Signed

Jas

Government House
Stanley September 4th 1847

Sir

I enclose herewith a copy of a despatch I have had the honor to receive from the Secretary of State with enclosures and request you will furnish me as early as possible with the desired explanation

I am &c

(Signed) R. C. Moody
Gov:

The Honble
W. H. Moore M. C.

For enclosure vide Lord Grey's despatch No. 31 dated 30th March 1847 - Despatches from Secy of State to the Governor &c page .-

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands 15th Sept. 1847

Sir

I consequence of the arrival of a clerk appointed in England by the Secretary of State I regret to have to inform you that the situation you have temporarily held in my office must necessarily cease.

In parting with you it gives me very great pleasure to be able to state that you have uniformly conducted yourself in a manner quite satisfactory to me, useful to the Service, and entitling you to great praise, and I shall be much gratified by learning at any time that this testimony has been of service to you

I am Sir
your Obedient Servant
(Signed) R. C. Moody
Governor

Mr James Gordon.

Government House
Stanley September 17th 1897

Sir

I enclose for your information copies of two letters which have received from Lieut Saunders Agent in charge of the Kanitius Transport

I shall feel obliged if you will cause arrangements to be made for supplying the Transport with Beef as soon as possible and give such directions as may prevent inconvenience

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
H. E. Moody
Lieut

(Signed)

R. A. Williams Esq
Stanley

Government House
Stanley, Falkland Islands
17th September 1847

Sir

I have to acquaint you that I have received a despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies enclosing a letter which Your Brother Mr Alexander M. Salone had addressed to his Lordship of the 3rd March last and I have the pleasure of adding that his Lordship has authorized me to conclude the matter with you at once.

In order to do it with full satisfaction to all parties I take the liberty of suggesting for your most attentive consideration the importance of Your visiting the Islands as early as possible and I have the full expectation in arranging such a plan as I learn you have it already in contemplation.

I am &c

(Signed)

R. R. Moody
Gov

Samuel Salone Esq
Monte Video

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
18th September 1847

My Lords

I have the honor to inform your Lordships that I have this day drawn the following Bill on Her Majesty's Treasury viz—

£ One Hundred and ~~twenty~~ seven the sum of ~~£~~ Two Hundred and Sixty-One Pounds drawn in favour of J. M. Dean dated 18th September 1847 "Postal" By Authority of Earl Grey's despatch No 30 dated 22nd March 1847

I have &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov

The Right Hon^ble
The Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury
London

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
September 18th 1847

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th Instant enclosing a copy of one addressed to you by the Master of the Transport relative to the great inconvenience which has arisen from your being unable to obtain fresh beef.

I have communicated your letter to Mr Lafone's Agent here, Mr Williams, and trust that the inconvenience will be speedily removed, and an adequate supply of fresh beef furnished for the use of the Transport.

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant

Lieut Saunders R.N.
Agent for Transports

(signed) R C Moody
Gov.

Government House
Stanley September 20th 1847

Sir

I have received your letter of the 15th Instant containing a proposition relative to a portion of the Stock to be delivered to Government by Mr Lafone, but as I am not yet aware of the views of His Majesty's Government relative to their disposal, I am at present unable to return you an answer on the subject.

I am Sir
Your Obedient Servant

(Signed) R. Moody
Lt Gov.

Mr Cooley
Stanley

Government House
Stanley September 20th 1867

Sir

In consequence of the reduction in the Estimates voted by Parliament for the service of this Colony I regret to have to inform you that I cannot for the present pay for the services of a Clerk in your Office and that from June Mr Cubey's employment must cease.

I shall take measures for providing a person to act as Registrar during the actual Session of the Supreme Court, but this is the only assistance I can afford you

I am &c
(Signed.) R. C. Moody
Gov.

Hon. C. H. H. Moore M.C.
Stanley

Government House
Stanley 20th September 1847

Sir

No. 4 Sept 1847

I enclose herewith for your information a copy of a letter I have addressed to the Schoolmaster relative to the discontinuance of his allowance from the Colonial Government

I am &c
(Sgd) R. C. Moody
Govr.

Rev. J. L. Moody
Colonial Chaplain

Government House
Stanley 20th Sept. 1847

Sir

I regret to have to inform you that the sum included by me for your allowance as Schoolmaster for the year ending March 31st. 1848 has been omitted and I am therefore under the necessity of discontinuing to pay it

I am &c
(Sigd) R. G. Moody
Govr.

Mr. H. B. Brown
Schoolmaster

Government House
Stanley September 20th 1847

Sir

With reference to my letter of the 21st May 1847 requesting you to supply 576 pounds of beef every ten days for the Public Service, I have now to request you will cause the beef to be supplied at the rate shown in the annexed Schedule once a week on every Tuesday morning, for the future.

I am &c
(Signed) R. C. Moody
Gov.

R. A. Williams Esqre.
Stanley

Scale of Rations of Beef

Rate 10 pounds per week

		Pounds
To Government House messing the Governor Colonial Surgeon &c.		65
To the Colonial Chaplain Rev J. Musty		20
" " Chief Clerk (Mr Langdon)		25
" " Second Clerk (Mr Edmonds)		10
" J. Hearnden, Jailer,		10
" C. Packet		10
" J. Parry Head Constable		10
" Corporal Watts for the detachment of Royal Sappers and Miners	Single Men's Barracks 50 Private Yates 30 " Starke 23 " Biggs 35 " Campbell 15	153
" Corporal Watts for the Store		60
" Mr Phillips Harbour master		10
" Mr Brown Schoolmaster		10
" The Jailer for one prisoner		10
	Pounds lbs.	393

With such other quantities as may be from time to time directed by H. E. the Governor to be supplied

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
27th August 1867

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd May and 12th May 1867 enclosing Invoices of the Stationary, Furniture Building Materials and other Stores shipped on board the ~~Transport~~ Hay Mountains Stockdale Master for the use of this Government and I have much pleasure in informing you that the whole of the Stores therein mentioned have been received

I am &c
(signed)
H.C. Moody
Govr

J. Baillie Esquire
Agent General for the Crown Colonies
5 Cannon Row
London

Government House
Stanley 25th Sept. 1847

Sir

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor to signify to you his desire of holding a meeting of the Executive Council on Monday next the 27th Instant at 11 o'clock A.M. in the room appointed for that purpose in Government House

I have &c

(Signed)

J. A. Longden
Clerk to the Council

Addressed to the Members of the Executive Council.—

Government House

Stanley 25th. September 1847

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor to forward to you the Parchment deeds for Captain Sullivan's lands in and near this town and to request you will return by the Office Messenger an acknowledgment of having received the same

I am &c.

(Signed) J. R. Longden.

P. Secy.

Mr Cully
Agent for Captain Sullivan R.N.
Stanley

No 1 and 2 to Mr Cruikshank
No 3 and 19 to Mr Stewart
No 4 to Mr Lewis

Government House
Stanley 30th September 1849

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor to transmit to you herewith a Treasury Bill for £ 9.1.8 being the amount of your salary for the quarter ending this day, less the Income Tax, also three receipts for the same which I am desired to request you will sign and return to this Office

I am also directed to furnish him an account for your rations and certain additional provisions supplied to you since the 1st July and an account of the other Stores furnished since the same date, from the Government Stores

I have &c
(Signed) J. R. Langdon
Chief Clerk

Rev J. L. Marsh
Colonial Chaplain

Government House

Stanley 6th October 1849

Sir

An Ordinance for the organization of a Militia Force has been passed by the Legislative Council this day

As soon as I am able I will furnish you with a Copy and a Proclamation which I should feel much obliged if you will make known to the English Residents at Anson.

My wish is to appoint you an Officer in the Force and to allot to you such duties as may obviate the inconveniences which might arise were I compelled to carry out the Provisions of the Ordinance to their fullest extent. For this reason I should be glad to see you as soon as may be convenient in order to discuss the matter with you

I am &c

(Signed) R. C. Moody
Govr.

J. R. Wilmington Esqre

Anson

Government House
Stanley
Falkland Islands
September 28th 1847

Sir

His Excellency the Governor desires me to inform you that there are seven French men on this Island in a State of great distress and who are most desirous to obtain a passage round Cape Horn on board your Vessel

His Excellency would esteem it as a favor if you could make any arrangements to convey these men who would willingly work on the voyage as sailors (of course without pay) and should you be able to do so the Governor would furnish you from the Government Stores free of charge provisions sufficient for their subsistence during the voyage

I am &c

(Signed) J. R. Longden
Chief Clerk

Captain Eckart
Brig Vigilant

Government House

Stanley 2nd October 1849

Sir

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor to inform you that there will be a meeting of the Legislative Council on Monday Morning next the 4th Inst. at 11 O'Clock in the room appointed for that purpose in Government House

I have &c

(Signed) J. R. Longden
Clerk to the Council

Revd J. L. Moody
Colonial Chaplain

Government House
Stanley Falkland Islands
2nd October 1847

My Lords.

I have the honor to inform your Lordships that I have drawn the undermentioned Bills on Her Majesty's Treasury

No One Hundred and twenty eight. The sum of One Hundred and ninety four Pounds three Shillings and fourpence drawn in favor of R. L. Moody Governor in payment of Salary due to him up to date September 30th 1847 after deducting Five Pounds sixteen Shillings and Eight-pence Income Tax

No One Hundred and twenty nine. The sum of Ninety seven Pounds one Shilling and eightpence drawn in favor of J. L. Moody Colonial Chaplain in payment of Salary due to him up to date September 30th 1847 after deducting Two Pounds eighteen Shillings and fourpence Income Tax

No One Hundred and twenty

The Right Hon.ble
the Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury
London

The sum of Seventy two Pounds six-teen shillings and threepence drawn in favor of H. J. Hamblin Colonial Surgeon in payment of Salary due to him up to date September 30th. 1847 after deducting Two Pounds three shillings and ninepence Income Tax.

No One hundred and thirty one. The sum of Forty eight Pounds ten shillings and tenpence drawn in favor of J. R. Longden Chief Clerk in payment of Salary due to him up to date September 30th. 1847 after deducting One Pound nine shillings and twopence Income Tax

No One hundred and thirty two. The sum of Ninety seven Pounds one shilling and eightpence drawn in favor of H. H. Moore Stipendiary Magistrate in payment of Salary due to him up to date September 30th. 1847 after deducting Two Pounds eighteen shillings and fourpence Income Tax

The authority by which I have drawn the abovementioned bills is Earl Grey's despatch to me No 30 dated the 22d. of March 1847

I have the honor to be
My Lord
Your Lordships most obedient
humble servant
(Signed) R. C. Woody
Govr.

Government House

Stanley 26th October 1849

Sir

H. E. the Governor has desired me to request you will inform him whether you have any of the following Articles for Sale viz. Biscuit. Coffee. Sugar. or Teas. and whether you will in your own account supply the Men lately arrived from Hope Place with the provisions they may require. The Governor understands they have each some money due to them by Mr Williams but not having yet received it they would be unable to pay for the Articles at once.

Should you be unable or unwilling to furnish them with the Provisions the Governor will be obliged to supply from the Government Store the Article most needed

I am &c

Signed J. R. Longden
P. Secretary

Mr J. M. Dear

P. S. The Governor would feel obliged if you would answer this on the return of the Messenger.

Government House
Stanley 31st Oct. 1847

Sir

H.E. the Governor has desire me to request his desire to see you this morning as early as convenient.

I have &c

(Signed)

J. A. Langdon
Chief Clerk

The Rev. J. L. Moody
Col. Chaplain.

Gov. House Stanley
1st Nov. 1847.

Sir

I am able to inform you that a wooden fence is now about to be constructed around the Burial Ground. I do not deem it necessary to notice the other matters introduced into your letter of this day's date further than to observe you are under considerable mis-apprehension with respect to them.

I am &c

(Signed)

J. L. Moody
Col.

Circular

Government House
Stanley 2nd November 1847

Sir

I beg to enclose for your information a copy of a letter addressed by Lieutenant to Mr Stowell, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, containing suggestions in the event of organizing and conducting schools for the laboring classes in Colonies where particularly desirous of introducing vaccine in the West Indies but Earl Grey considers it might be found useful in all the British Colonies.

I am &c
signed
R. G. Hornby
Govr.

The Revd
J. L. Hornby
Col. Chaplain
Hon. W. Bellairs &c
Hon. W. Hamilton &c

Government House
Stanley 2nd December 1867

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor to request you will withhold from H.M. Sloop Torch Commander Hamilton 70 pounds of beef, and 20 pounds of pork respectively until further notice —

I am &c

(Signed)

J. A. Langston
Chief Clerk

To Jno Smalley
Stanley

Govt. House Stanley 12th Decr. 1867

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Govr. to request you to desire Mr Bleaney a member of the Legislative Council to attend a meeting of the Legislative Council on Saturday morning the 15th. inst. at 11 o'clock in the room appointed for that purpose in Govt. House.

I have &c

(Signed)

J. A. Langston
Colonial Secretary

Hon. H. Bleaney M.L.C. Stanley
R. A. Williams Esq. Port Louis

Government Block Stanley
12th December 1867

Sir

In reply to your letter of this day's date I have to inform you that it is not usual for Government to sell any but condemned furniture.-

With regard to the Provisions I regret I am unable to comply with your request as the limited quantity in the Govt. Store will prevent my supplying any certain rations to individuals in any great distance.-

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Govr.

Revd. J. L. Moody -
Stanley -

Government House Stanley
12th Decr 1847

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Gov.r to inform you that there will be a meeting of the Legislative Council to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the room appointed for that purpose in Government House.

I have &c

(Signed)

J.R. Langdon
Clerk to the Council.

To

H. Moody C.C.
Stanley

Government House
Stanley 22nd. November 1847

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor to enclose for your information a copy of a note he has addressed in their respective languages, to the foreigners lately in the employ of Mr Lafone who are now in the Settlement

I have &c

(Signed) J. R. Longdon
Chief Clerk

Hon.le W. H. Moore M.C. J.P.
Stanley

Copy

I will afford assistance to no man who is not actually destitute

A man is destitute,

1st, when he has no means of obtaining employment, and has no money wherewith to support himself.

2nd If, when employed the sum allowed him is insufficient to enable him to purchase the necessaries of life.

3rdly If, when in employment, his employer withholds from him the wages due to him without which he cannot purchase the necessaries of life. — In either of these cases a man is destitute. —

Are any of you in this condition?

With the exception of Juan Pedrosa and some others you are none of you in this condition. You have all just received your's from Mr Williams namely the balance due to you. You are all offered employment at wages sufficient to purchase the necessaries of life. I have seen the prices to be charged to you and have calculated the amount. I am satisfied with these prices.

The

The Allowance, that destitute persons would receive from Government, and that only for a short time, would be eight dollars per month and neither beef nor lodgings, nor rations of any kind

The lowest allowance Mr Williams offers is eight dollars per month, beef and lodgings.

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Gov.

Government House

22. November 1847.

The foregoing paper was addressed (in French, Portuguese and English) to Governor Moody when Mr Williams arrived from Port Mahe having left the emigrants in Seychelles under the charge of Mr Adams agent to the Colonial Department

W. Williams
Asst.

Government House

Stanley 30th November 1847

Circular

Sir

I appear to me right to acquaint you that Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accede to my request to be relieved at the conclusion of the usual term of Office and the Right Honble Earl Grey has informed me by letter dated 23rd June that my succession would be appointed as early as possible.

I am, &c.,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) R. C. Moody. Lieut.

Addressed to all the Government Officers

~~Colonial Engr~~

~~Harbour~~

1 Copy Letter

Government House Stanley

Falkland Islands 1st Dec 1847.

Sir

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor to request you will inform him why the beef required for the service of Government due on Tuesday last has not been issued and when it will be.

I am &c

(Signed)

J. R. Langdon
Secy.

Mr J. Scully.

Government House

Stanley 1st December 1847

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor to inform you that in consequence of the approach of the summer it will be necessary that the beef issued for Her Majesty's Service should be delivered weekly as it could not keep in a wholesome state for a longer period.

I am Sir &c

(Signed)

J R Longden

P. Secy.

Mr J. Sculley

Government House

Stanley 10th December 1847

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 8th Inst. relative to rations I have to inform you that I do not at present see any obstacle to your being supplied with rations at a future period (although in the interim you may have ceased to draw them) if all such future period rations are still issued from the Government Stores to the other Colonial Officers.

I am &c

(Signed) R. L. Moody
Govr

Revd J. L. Moody
Colonial Chaplain

Government House
Stanley 16th Decr 1847.

Sir

I have received no communication from you or any officer in your Department relative to the sentence passed on a Prisoner now in the jail who was tried during the last Session of the Supreme Court.

It is necessary I should be made acquainted with the sentence (if of a serious nature) in order that the necessary steps may be taken for carrying it into execution

I am &c

(Signed) R. C. Moody Lieut Govr

Hon.ble W. H. Moore M.C

Stipendiary Magistrate

Government House
Stanley 22nd December 1897

Sir

A Civilian, Mr Moon, has made a complaint to me against Private Campbell M.I. Mariners for using threatening and abusive language as well as violent conduct at the door of the kitchen at Government House yesterday evening. This was followed by still further threatening on the part of Private Campbell against which Mr Moon wishes to be protected by the law. The latter removed in my presence and I hand over Private Campbell & the Civil Power - in the first instance - to deal with as to you may seem meet. I shall feel obliged by your acquainting me with the result as early as possible.

Corporal Watts M.I. Mariners will wait upon you & receive instructions as to when he shall bring Private Campbell before you -

I am &c

(Signed)

H. C. Moody
Gov.

Wm Moore Esq.
Stipendiary Magistrate

Government House
Stanley 24th December 1857.-

Sir

With reference to the sentence of "Trans-portation" passed on a Prisoner during the last Session of the Supreme Court I enclose for your information an extract from a despatch I have had the honor to receive from Lord Grey stating that "there is no place in the "Queens Dominions to which Prisoners could "properly be transported from the Falkland "Islands" and "it is therefore necessary that "some other punishment should be substituted "for that of Transportation."—

Before taking any steps in this case it is my intention to submit it for the consideration of the Executive Council.-

I am &c

(Signed)

H. C. Moody
Jun.

Encl.

W. A. Rose Esq.
Stanley.

Extract from Earl Grey's despatch to Governor Darling No. 57 dated 28th June 1847.—

"I am to acquaint you that there is no
"longer any place in the Queens dominions to
"which Prisoners could properly be transport-
"ed from the Falkland Islands.—

"It is therefore necessary that any proclamation
"which you may have issued under the authori-
"ty of Her Majesty's Order in Council of May 1840
"should be revoked, and that some other punish-
"ment should be substituted for that of transportation

"As the number of Convicts under sentence
"of Transportation to the Falkland Islands must be
"very limited you will endeavour as far as
"possible to find in the Colony the means of
"providing some other punishment and whenever
"circumstances preclude you from taking that
"course you will make the best arrangements
"therefor in your power for sending the
"convicts to this Country."

(signed)

"Grey".—

Government House
Stanley 27. Dec.r 1847

Sir

I am commanded by H.E. the Governor to signify to you his desire of holding a meeting of the Executive Council to-morrow morning the 28th Inst. at 11 o'clock in the room appointed for that purpose in Government House.—

I have &c.

(Signed)

J. A. Longden
Clerk to the Council.

Addressed to
The Members of the
Executive Council.—

Government House
Stanley 29th December 1847

Sir

I have to request you will inform me in what manner you wish to draw the salary due to you on the 31st Inst.

I am &c

(Signed)

R. C. Moody
Jnr

To the
Revd J. L. Moody
Stanley

Government House
Stanley 31st Dec. 1847.

Sir

I am desired by H.E. the Governor to enclose to you a Treasury Bill for £100 less the Income Tax being the amount of your Salary for the quarter ending this day also a receipt for the same which I am desired to request you will sign and return to this office.

By His Excellency's direction I also enclose the account of your rations for the last quarter.

I have &c

(Signed)

J. A. Langdon
Chief Clerk

No 134 dated 31 Dec. 1847 - £100 - £2.18.4 = £97.1.8

Revd. J. L. Moody
Stanley