

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
HARBOUR DEPARTMENT,
BOARD OF TRADE,
WHITEHALL GARDENS, S.W.

And the following letter and number should be quoted in the communication, and marked plainly on the *outside* of the envelope, viz. :—

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Board of Trade,

(Harbour Department,)

Whitehall Gardens, S.W. 16th March, 1877.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Trade to acquaint you that the oil and Stores for Cape Pembroke Lighthouse — applied for in your letter of the 21st October last have been shipped per "Lea Witch" to Stanley, and I am to transmit, herewith, a Bill of Lading for the same, together with a list of the goods shipped.

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I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

C. Cecil Trevor.

The Acting Colonial Secretary
Stanley
Falkland Islands

Est of Goods shipped in the "Sea Witch."

Marks & Numbers.	Number of Packages	Description of Packages.	Quantities and description of Goods in terms similar to those of the Requisition.	For what Lighthouse.
1 to 100	100	Oil Tins	650 gallons Kape Oil.	} Cape Pembroke 5.2.77
101	1	Case	1 set Blacklead Brushes 3 Scrubbing 2 Hand Brushes 2 Bass. 2 Sweeping Brushes	
1	1	Case	18 Lamps, 12 gross Wicks 18 Woollen rubbers 24 Glass Cloths, 24 leathers 24 Reflector cloths, 2 scissors 12 bags Polishing Powder, 6 yards Flannel.	
2	1	Case.	12 dozen Cylinders (Glass)	
3	1	"	56 lbs. Soap 28 lbs. Soda	
4	1	Package	56 lbs. Tow	
5	1.	"	28 lbs. Cotton Waste.	

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TRADE BILL OF LADING.

FREIGHT PAYABLE AT PORT OF SHIPMENT.

F. TALLACK,

Ship and Insurance Broker and General Agent,
WINDSOR CHAMBERS,
GREAT ST. HELENS,
LONDON.

Shipped in good order and condition by *The Board of Trade*
on board the good Ship *Sea Witch*
where is Master for this present voyage.
lying in the Port of London and bound for *Port Stanley Falkland Islands*



*The Colonial Secretary
Falkland Islands.*

*1/100 = 100 cans Oil
101 = 1 Case
1/3 = 3 "
4/5 = 2 Packages
1 Parcel Books*

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One hundred & seven Packages

being marked and numbered as in the margin, and to be delivered (subject to the exceptions and stipulations hereinafter mentioned) in the like good order and condition, at the aforesaid Port of *Port Stanley Falkland Islands* unto *as addressed* or to his or their Assigns. Average as accustomed. Freight for the said Goods and Primage to be paid by the Shippers in London, in cash without discount, ship lost or not lost.

The following are the exceptions and stipulations referred to:—The Act of God, the Queen's Enemies, Pirates, Robbers by land or sea (but not pilferage). Restraint of Princes, Rulers, or People, Fire, Jettison, Barratry, the neglect and default of Pilot, Muster, or Crew, in the Navigation of the Ship, and all and every the Dangers and Accidents of the Seas, Rivers, and Navigation of whatever nature or kind are excepted.

The Ship is not liable for delays in delivery arising from inaccuracies or absence of marks, numbers or address of goods; nor for leakage, breakage, loss or damage by heat, sweat, rust, or decay, unless occasioned by improper stowage.

The Ship will not be liable for gold, silver, bullion, specie, jewellery, precious stones, or precious metals unless Bills of Lading are signed for such goods, and the value declared therein.

If Chemicals or other goods of a dangerous nature are shipped without being previously arranged for, they are liable to be thrown overboard, and their loss, as well as any loss or damage to the ship or cargo, will fall upon the shippers or owners of such goods.

The Master is to deliver the Goods with all reasonable despatch: and the Consignees are to be ready to receive them within forty-eight hours after the ship commences to unload, otherwise the Master or Agent may discharge and store them at the expense and risk of the Owners of the Goods.

In Witness whereof the Master, Owner, or Agent of the said Ship has signed *three* Bills of Lading, exclusive of the Master's copy, all of this tenor and date, one of which being accomplished, the others to stand void. Weight, measure, and contents unknown.

Dated in London,

February 1877
John Hey Thomas

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guns, Carriages + Stores landed
Tuesday 4th September 1877.

All correct + in good order

Wm. Grimes
Colon Secty
R.M.L.

Exchequer and Audit Department,
Somerset House,
London, W.C.

14th November, 1877.

Sir,

I am directed by the Comptroller and Auditor-General to acknowledge the receipt of the Accounts and Vouchers transmitted to this Department on the 1st Ultimo.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

A. Keene

G. Travis Esq-
Colonial Treasurer,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

Paris, le 29 /^{br} 1877 ¹²¹

Direction Générale
des Postes.

2^e Division

Bureau
de la Corresp^{ce} Étrangère.

98513

Monsieur,

Comme suite à mes précédentes lettres
transmissives de divers timbres-postes récemment
émis par mon Administration, j'ai l'honneur
de vous adresser, ci-joint, 5 exemplaires du
timbre de 0.04 centimes (modèle de 1876)

Agitez, Monsieur,
l'assurance de ma haute considération.

Pr. le Directeur Général des Postes,
L'Administrateur de la 2^e Division,

A. B. B. B.

Monsieur le Maître général des Postes
à Falkland.

Board of Trade,

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Whitehall Gardens,

23rd March 1877

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Trade to inform you that a report has reached this Department to the effect that a Casualty has happened to the vessel mentioned on the other side hereof, at or near the place named, and to state that to this date no official return or report of the Casualty has been received.

I am therefore to call your attention to Circular No. 443, and to request that the appropriate Form, Wr. 1, filled up with the particulars of the Casualties referred to, may be furnished with as little delay as possible.

Should such return have been forwarded in the meantime, a statement to that effect should be made on the fly-leaf of this letter, which should then be torn off and returned to this Department.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

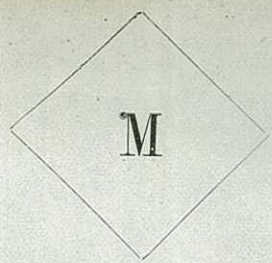
THOMAS GRAY.

SM
The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley

Falkland Islands

Board of Trade,



Marine Department,
(Wreck Division).

CASUALTY AND WRECK REPORTS.

No.	Name and Port of Vessel.	Date of Casualty.	Place and Nature of Casualty.
<u>9</u> 494.	Jessie Brown.	Sept on Oct. 1876.	Put into Stanley dismantled.

If the Report is in preparation, or if there is any cause for delay, it should be so stated.

REMARKS.

N.B.—The Officer to whom this is addressed is requested to write his observations in the above space for remarks; the leaf should then be torn off and returned to the Assistant Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, London, S.W.

23/3/77

Registered No. 47224

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In any further correspondence
on this subject, the above
Number should be quoted.

General Post Office, London,

7th May 1877.

Sir,

Referring to my letter, N^o 37239,
of the 22nd March last, I have to
acknowledge the receipt of yours
of the 1st February enclosing your
Postage Account with this Office
for the 3rd Quarter 1876.

Although amounts due on
account of Money Orders are now
promptly remitted from the
Falkland Islands, the Postage
due to this country has
The Postmaster accumulated
Falkland Islands.

accumulated since the 1st April, 1846.
I must request, therefore, that
you will remit without delay
all postage now due to this
Office, and in future, if possible,
will send, by the same Mail
that conveys the Quarterly
Account, the full amount
due for postage collected in
the Falkland Islands.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Wm. J. Page

RECEIVER AND ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

14 Nov. 1877.

SIR,

THE Receiver and Accountant General having received
 your remittance of _____ *Seventy five* Pounds
 _____ Shillings and _____ Pence,
 the same, when paid, will be placed to your credit with this Office.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

 £ *75*

for Chief Examiner.

N.B.—All Bills not made payable to Her Majesty's Postmaster General must be
 endorsed as follows—

PAY to Her Majesty's Postmaster General, or order.

Remittance
Acknowledgment.

On Her Majesty's Service.

*The Postmaster,
Stanley.*

Falkland Islands



S. A. M. Society's, Yawl
 Allen Gardiner,
 Stanley, May 7th 1877.

G. Travis Esq^r
 Acting Colonial Sec^y
 Stanley, F. I.

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge with sincere thanks, your letter of Jan^y 2^d 1877, in which by His Excellency's the Governor's request, you convey to me as Captain of the Yawl "Allen Gardiner" the warmly expressed approbation of H. M. Government for the part I took in regard to the ship-wrecked crew of the "San Rafael".

I do not disguise the satisfaction with which I have received your communication. The appreciation by H. M. Government, also the Governor of this Colony of services rendered with a good will for a worthy purpose, cannot be otherwise than prized. I therefore prize, & am thankful for your letter, and to His Excellency for having brought the matter before the Home Government. I feel special thanks are due.

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I am thankful to say that I believe
the services I rendered are simply those -
which every Englishman in my position
would have rendered & that the impulse
of humanity to help the distressed is quite
independent of the appreciation which may
or may not afterwards reward the effort.

I remain

Sir
Your obedient servant
J. C. J. Willis.

Memorandum of Dates of Deaths of the undermentioned Pensioners.

Former Regiment or Corps	Name	Date of Death.	Rate
F. I. Company Pte	Wm Elmer	25 th December 1870	1/1
" " "	John Summers	May 1873	1/11
" " "	Richard Turner	March 1875	1/1
" " "	George Hymann	November 1875	1/10 $\frac{1}{2}$
2 nd Life Guards Sgt	Henry Felton	1 st September 1876	2/-
4 th Foot "	John Smith	4 th January 1877	2/-

Wm Finnes Sgt
Colours Sgt
* B.M. L.I.

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No. Falkland Islands

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It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the Number and Date of this Letter may be quoted; and that the communication may be addressed to:—

The Under Secretary of State,
War Office, Pall Mall,
(S.W.)

WAR OFFICE,

PALL MALL, S.W.,

10 May 1877.

Sir

With reference to your Letter, dated

19 Dec: 1876

, I am directed by the

Secretary of State for War to state that the account for

non-effective garments for Malpica, ended 31 Dec: 1876

has been examined and the sum of £ 09: 2: 3 has

been duly credited.

A statement of queries is enclosed for such

explanations as you may have to offer.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. H. White

The Governor.

Stanley.

Falkland Islands

Registered No. 551 C

In any further correspondence
on this subject, the above
Number should be quoted.

General Post Office, London,

8 December 1877.

Sir,

I am directed by the Postmaster General

to transmit to you, for your information, the enclosed Copies

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of the Time Table of the Outward Brazil and
Queen Plate Mail Packet Service
for the ensuing year.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

The Postmaster
of Falkland Islands.

Wm Jas Palfrey

Wm

Montevideo 21st April
1817.

I have the honour to
inform Your Excellency that
the Falkland Islands Mail
Schooner "Black Hawk";
having arrived here, four
days previous to the arrival
of the Royal Mail Comp^{ts}
Packet from Buenos Ayres,
Mr. Dixon had to subsist
the four Invalids, that he
brought under Y. O. order
from Stanley, during that
period, after which he
placed them, at his own

His Excellency
The Governour of the
Falkland Islands.

expense.

experience, on board the Mail Steamer
Tagus.

I have the honour to be,
Your Excellency's,
most obedient

humble servant.

John Mendo.
H. B. M. Consul.



Money Order Office,
General Post Office,
London.

30th November. 1877.

Sir,

The last paragraph of the 17th Clause of the Instructions to Colonial Postmasters provides that "each Office is to forward, by the following mail, a Duplicate of the Lists of Advoices sent by the preceding mail."

As, however, it appears not to have been the practice of your Department hitherto to despatch such Duplicate Lists, and as the omission to supply them would, in the event of the loss of a mail, be productive

The Postmaster

Stanley

Falkland Islands.

of



of serious inconvenience, it
is requested that you will be
good enough to arrange that
such Lists be sent to this Office
for the future, in accordance
with the directions contained
in the paragraph quoted.

I am,
Sir

Your obedient Servant,

Chas. Ho
Controller.

Ans. in part 77

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15 September 1877

Sir,

I beg to inform you that I have now forwarded to the Falkland Islands by Book Post 2 copies of the Statutes 22 Vict., as requested by you in your letter of the 27th June.

Yours faithfully

J. Travis Esq. C. Atchley

Heppel Island 133
22 Nov^r 1877

G. Travis Esq
Shipping Master

Sir, I beg to report that John Walters, 30 years of age, a native of Cardigan, and whom I shipped at Saunders Island on 4th October as A.B. has this day deserted from the vessel, taking all his effects. — I have therefore to demand that the said J. Walters be arrested upon arrival in Stanley and dealt with according to law.

I am Sir,

Yours respectfully
"Sch. Master" U. Head
"Sch. Jessie Brown" J.



Stanley December 27/49

Sir,

I have the honor to state that the draft of the medical fees for Darwin has been made from a scale laid down by the Medical Association in England, but seeing the surgeon for Darwin has a portion of his stipend from the Fullwood Wood Co. I have not made the fee for attending the Cos employees so high as for attendance upon the

Public

I have the honor to be

Sir

To His Excellency
Gov. Callaghan C. B. G.
H. C. R. G.

Your Obedient humble servant
Morner Watts.

"Mrs. Tolage"
 Stanley, 21st January 1878.

Sir,

In answer to your letter of this day's date requesting that the Government at this place may be allowed to purchase certain stores, - I have the honor to inform you that they will be supplied and to request that payment, as stated hereon, may be made to the Paymaster of this ship

I have the honor to be

His Excellency
 Governor Callaghan
 C.M.G.

to

to

to

Sir

Your obedient Serv^t

W. M. M.

Captain
 and
 Senior Officer
 S. & American
 Station

over

2000^{lb.} Gunpowder @ 50/11 per 100 lbs.
500 Friction tubes @ 159/10 per 1000 No.
20 Cylinders tin @ 26/7 per 100
for tubes
16 Bags to hold 15 lbs. @ 88/10 per 100

Falkland Islands Co.

AGENT FOR LLOYD'S.

Stanley, 6th Feb. 1872

My dear Lewis,

Will you tell Mr. Clegg that as the voyage takes a mail so near the time the schooner leaves, I have no objection, if it would be a general convenience, to postpone the Sparrow Hawk's sailing until the 25th, which would allow her ample time to meet the next mail from England. Very truly
 Yours,
 Wm. R. Davis, Esq.

Wm. R. Davis

Falkland Islands Government.

Requisitions for Prizes for Government Schools.

^{Number to the} Tom's life in England (Illustrated)	2/-
Burnaby's Ride to Khiva (Cassell)	7/6
Sampbell's Log Letters from Challenger (Macmillan)	6/-
Lady Barker's "Stories About" (Macmillan)	4/6
Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland" (D ^o)	6/-
do "Through the Looking Glass" D ^o	6/-
Sir C. Dilke's "Greater Britain" D ^o	6/-
Globe Edition "Robinson Crusoe" D ^o	3/6
do Goldsmith's "Miscellaneous Works" D ^o	3/6
Kingsley's "Heroes - such Fairy Tales" D ^o	4/6
do "Water Babies" D ^o	5/-
Knatchbull-Hugessen's	
do "Stories for my Children" D ^o	5/-
do "Queen Talk" D ^o	5/-
Macmillan's Half Crown Series of Juvenile Books.	
The Prince and the Page	2/6
The Little Duke	2/6
With another Friends	2/6
Days of Old	2/6
Little Stella	2/6
Little Wanderer	2/6
Six Books @ 2/ each	} Cloth Binding Selected from Nelson's publications
Six Books @ 1/6 each	
Six Books @ 1/2 each	
Six Books @ 6/ each	

The above are quoted at published prices from which the usual discount for cash has to be deducted

Stanley January 1st 1872,

Sir,

We respectfully request your Excellency will be pleased to sanction the transfer of a section numbered 65, of our leasehold land to our late partner Mr. Timothy Robson.

The above section with two other sections numbered 63 & 64, is leased to the firm of Sharpe & Robson bearing date the 16th March 1844, and in accordance with the terms of the 10th clause of the said Ordinance No. 4 of 1841 we make

this application to your Excellency

His Excellency

Governor Canning C. B. G.

We assure if any connection

will

with the survey of the boundaries
of section number 65. will be borne by
Mr. J. Robson as far as the marking of the boundary

of a Chart,

We remain

Your Excellency's most obedient servants

George Patterson Smith

— Johnsons Harbour

Thos. Shap.

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Stanley, Falkland Islands
15th January 1878

G. Travis Esquire
Clerk of the Supreme Court

Sir

I hereby deposit with you
the Sum of Seventy pounds, Sterling,
being in part payment of a balance
of One hundred and twenty nine pounds
seventeen Shillings, and a half penny
due Gerold Dagenhardt of Stanley
on account of money deposited
with Messrs G. C. Hoard & Co of
Montevideo, amounting to Two
hundred and eleven pounds or
thereabouts as per ^{their} receipt in the
possession of the said Gerold
Dagenhardt.

I am Sir
Yours respectfully
J. W. W. W.

Agent for
G. C. Hoard & Co

G Travis Esquire
 Clerk of the Supreme Court,
 Stanley, Falkland Islands

Sir,
 I J W Lewis of Stanley, do hereby
 deposit in the Supreme Court, the sum
 of Seventy pounds, being in part payment
 of a balance of one hundred and twenty
 nine pounds, seventeen shilling and half penny,
 due Gerold Dagenhardt of Stanley on
 account of money deposited with G & Board Co
 of Montevideo amounting to two hundred
 and eleven pounds or thereabouts as per
 receipt in the possession of the said Gerold Dagenhardt.
 It is hereby understood, ^{that} upon
 J W Lewis, paying into Court the
 residue of the balance due Gerold Dagenhardt
 amounting to Fifty nine pounds seventeen
 shillings, that the receipt of Messrs G & Board Co
 for two hundred & eleven pounds, or thereabouts
 held by Gerold Dagenhardt shall be
 given up to J W Lewis. Dated at
 Port Stanley, Falkland, 15th January 18th 48.

J W Lewis
 Agent for G & Board Co.

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Port Stanley Falkland Islands
9th January 1848

Your Excellency

The Honble J. F. Ballagan, R. N. G.

Sir

Being daily in expectation of a cargo of general merchandize to arrive from Montevideo, but having no accommodation to store the goods, I have presumed to apply to your Excellency for the hire of a portion of the government stores for such a purpose which I should be willing to quit whenever they might be required for the government's use.

Trusting that my request will have your Excellency's consideration,

I have the honor to be

Your Excellency's humble servt

J. W. W. W.

Stanley, Falkland Islands,
August, 30th 1877.

I the undersigned, Captain M^o Nugent,
have this day thoroughly examined the
Schooner "Felis," Jose Llamasa, Owner,
the said schooner having undergone
extensive repairs, under the supervision
of J. Harner, Mess^{rs} J. M. Dean Son's foreman
Carpenter, and I find the following
repairs have been done in a good and
workmanlike manner, as follows.

The Cutwater taken to pieces and thoroughly
repaired, New Gunner Bolts, Bob, & 2
new Bolts, and one Iron Breast Hook
to strengthen the bows, Main Rail
refastened and fitted, Bowsprit lifted
and replaced, stemhead and thoroughly
overhauled it, Deck ends and Glase
Chocks repaired, New Fore Gaff, New Main
Chain Bars, eleven New Timbers, on the
Starboard side, Five do on the Port side,
Two thick Bilge pieces with through
fastenings, Inside lining entirely new,
Top sides Caulked and thoroughly
overhauled, I also find New Fore sail,
and two New Jibs, and I am of
opinion that the vessel is in every
way seaworthy —

Rich^d M^o Nugent —
Marine Superintendent,
Fred^r E^d Hornes,
Master Shipwright

Stanley 31st Dec 1877

To

The Honorable
G. Travis Esq
Clerk of the Supreme Court
Stanley

Sir,

I have to request you
will deliver to bearer,
the Statement of Ope made out
by Mr Dagenhardt, which
I deposited with you, as I
wish to take a copy of the
same, to send to M. Vidco
by the mail of 2nd Jan^y next.

I am Sir

Yours respectfully

J. W. Morris



Sturley December 27/77.

Sir,

I have the honor to ask you
to ask Mr. Gething for a copy of
the Correspondence respecting the pro-
motion or retirement during the last
two years of the Colonel Surgeon.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

Wm. W. W. W.

Colonel Surgeon

The Hon.

George Lewis

f. f. f.



Stanley December 27/77

Sir,

I have the honor to beg you
to ask Mr. Galtney the Governor for
leave of absence from Stanley for a
week or two days for the purpose
of vaccinating children in Durwin
and neighborhood; I may add that
no vaccination has lately been done in
that district-

Yours
George Smith

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I have the honor to be
Sir

Your Obedient Servant

James Murray Esq.

Public Secretary

Seething Lane, E.C.

13056 148

Stamp of Issuing Office.

 	£	s.	d.
	—	4	1

Advice of Money Order drawn by the above Office

for ~~£~~ *four & one*
 upon the Office at *Stanley, Falkland Is*
Edwards, Postmaster.

THE PAYEE: viz., the Person to whom the Order is payable.

CHRISTIAN NAME *Geo Keebley* SURNAME *Broom*
Captn Pembroke Lighthouse Falkland Is

THE REMITTER: viz., the Person who paid in the Money, and obtained the Order.

CHRISTIAN NAME *Geo Inglis* SURNAME *Edwards*

This Advice must be signed and stamped by the Postmaster who draws the Order, and stamped on receipt and again on payment of the Order by the Postmaster on whom it is drawn, and the latter must retain it until the corresponding Order has been presented and paid or the particulars carried to the List of Advices of Unpaid Orders. The Advices relating to the Orders paid daily, must be forwarded to the Metropolitan Office of the Country of payment on the day after payment, folded inside the Money Order Accounts.

N.B.—A separate Advice must invariably be sent for each Order.

Stamp of Paying Office.



On Her Majesty's Service.

MONEY ORDER ADVICE.

The Postmaster of

JOHN TILLEY.

No. of List

A LIST OF MONEY ORDERS Issued in England and Wales, and Payable in the Colony of Falkland Islands

Despatched by the Mail of the 22nd September 1877



Date of Issue	No. of Order	Where Issued	Where Payable	To whom Payable	By whom Remitted	Amount	For use of Colony		
							Date of Payment	Amount Paid	Amount Forfeited
Sep 5	13056	Seething Lane, E.C.	Stanley	H.R. Groom	J. Inglis	= 4-1			

List compiled by J.M.
List checked by _____

[Signature] Controller.

MONEY ORDER OFFICE, LONDON,
September 22nd 1877

On Her Majesty's Service.

The Colonial Treasurer
Government Office

Stanley
Falkland Islands

Remittance
Acknowledgment.



24/12/77

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope,
12th July, 1877.

SIR,

With reference to my communication of the 1st ultimo, I am directed to forward for your information a Copy of the Second Volume of the Colonial Blue-book for the Year 1876, containing the Financial Statements for the Half-year, 1st January to 30th June, 1876.

Sent Separately.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CHARLES MILLS,
Under Colonial Secretary.

The Assistant
of the Secretary
of Falkland Islands.

Answered
20/12/77

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CIRCULAR SEPARATE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope,

2nd August, 1877.

SIR,

I am directed to forward two copies of a Notice to Mariners, regarding a Light Tower in course of erection in the vicinity of Cape St. Francis, on the South East Coast of this Colony, and to request you will have the goodness to give publicity to the same.

Dated 17th July, 1877.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CHARLES MILLS.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.—SOUTH COAST.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

It is hereby notified that a Light Tower is being built about two hundred to three hundred yards within the pitch of a low point (Seal Point), situated one-and-three-quarter miles westward of Cape St Francis, to be hereafter called "Cape St. Francis Lighthouse."

The Tower is a cylindrical stone structure, ninety-one feet high, with keepers' quarters attached at base, and is situated in latitude $34^{\circ} 22' 30''$ south, and longitude $24^{\circ} 50' 20''$ east of Greenwich.

It is intended to display a second order Holophotal Revolving White Light, flashing at intervals of twenty seconds, with focal plane one hundred and one-and-a-half feet above the base of the Tower, and one hundred and eighteen feet above the level of high water.

The light will be visible in clear weather about sixteen and three-quarters sea miles from the deck of a vessel fifteen feet above the sea. It will command the coast uninterruptedly to the westward, but will be cut off to the eastward by Cape St. Francis on the line N. 53° E. true, or would not be visible from the eastward on a bearing more southerly than S. 53° W. true.

The nearest existing lights are, Cape Recife, about forty-five miles to the eastward; and Mossel Bay (Cape St. Blaize), about one hundred and thirty-three miles to the westward.

The Tower will probably be ready for the reception of the Lenticular about January, 1878, and the light may probably be exhibited some time between 1st March and 30th April, 1878, of which due and precise notice will be given.

JAMES FFORDE,

Chief Inspector of Public Works.

Public Works Office,
Cape Town, 17th July, 1877.

Stanley 155

Jan'y 24th 1878

To The Colonial Secretary

Sir I the undersigned am
willing to undertake the
carpenters work at the
Lighthouse for the sum of
five pounds Sterling and
to do the same in a
satisfactory manner

Yours Obediently
Willie Clayton

December 4th 1877 154

of Travis Esq

Please to send Mr Kelway
down to the Light house to
inspect the Works as we
shall be done on Wednesday
I shall stop all day on
Thursday for him I should
be very thankful if you
do not keep me here.

Yours Thankfully
J Buckley

Stanley, Falkland Islands

14th August 1877
(Lewis v. Krump)

Sr

I am told that in cases like mine where as you told me yesterday, I cannot get a hearing until sometime, I have a right to apply to the Court for an immediate injunction to prevent the destruction or disposal of the property, the subject of the suit.

I propose calling at your Office or at the Court as you may please to direct. at 11⁰⁰ AM on Monday next with my papers to make the application.

I have the honor to be
Your most Obedt Servt

James Wm Lewis

To

The Honorable
G. Travis
Clerk of the Supreme Court

ADMIRALTY,

7th June, 1877.

*Transport Regulations. Retention of Fittings of Hired
Transports on discharge.*

The following alteration has been made in the
Regulations for H.M. Transport Service :—

The words "or removed" have been inserted after the
word "altered" in the 16th line of Article 36, Page 15.

By Command of their Lordships,

ROBERT HALL.

(T. $\frac{797}{1877}$)

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
February, 11th. 1878.

Sir,

Agreeably to Your Excellency's request, previous to stating my departure for Monte Video, I refer to our conversation at the meeting of the last Legislative Council respecting a duty being imposed on manufactured Tobacco imported into this Colony, - it was then agreed that such a duty should be levied, but no rate per pound was arranged.

I perceive that the duty in the Australian Colonies is 2s. (two shillings) - which I do not consider too much, and would therefore recommend the same charge being made upon all manufactured tobacco imported here, - but that all unmanufactured tobacco imported for sheep dipping purposes should be free of duty.

With reference to doubling the duty on spirits and wine, the measure meets with my concurrence.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Excellency's obedient servant,
George M. Deary M.L.C.

To His Excellency
Governor Ballaghau, C. M. G.

tc

tc

Stanley.

Stonley December 28th 1879

Sir,

I have to request you will inform Mr G. W. Macey that on my last visit to the Camp the patient was 50 miles from Darwin, and that it was by accident that I visited Darwin on that occasion and for that reason I was not provided with Lymph.

I have also to state that no resident of Stonley has applied recently to me respecting vaccination.

To the Hon

George Lewis

Colonial Treasurer

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,
H. Grace Waters

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Stanley December 31st 1842

to His Excellency
Governor J. B. Callaghan C. M. G.

Sir

I sincerely regret that your Excellency cannot find time to entertain my application for the clearing of the dispute between Mr Lewis and myself in the Supreme Court of Stanley, Your Excellency will excuse me to remind you that in my previous application, I humbly requested a written reply to my application the answer I received came verbally, and will your Excellency kindly send me a written reply as I am anxious to communicate my proceedings with Mr Lewis to my Board of Directors of Montevideo

I have the honor to be
Your Excellency most obedient
servant
W. E. G. G. G.

St. Andrew's, Falkland Islands 160
28th December 1877

To His Excellency
Governor J. B. Callaghan C. M. G.
F. C. F. C. F. C.

Sir

On a previous occasion I made an application to the acting colonial secretary as to the settlement of a dispute with his wisdom between Mr. Howard & Company's agent Mr. J. W. Lewis and myself relating to a settlement of cash payments to be made in order to close the business arrangement which had been entered in to between us some months ago.

The Honorable Acting Colonial Secretary appeared to think the matter would be better settled out of court, but as I have nothing to keep out of the eyes of the public and am quite willing to trust my affairs in the hands of a just and impartial judgment of my fellow citizens.

I shall feel ever grateful to your Excellency if you will appoint an early day to hear and decide the case publicly.

Your Excellency will also gratefully receive from me by an early answer to my humble request.

I have the honor to be Sir
Your Excellency's humble
servant
W. E. G. G. G.

Mr. J. W. Lewis, Agent in Stanley =
Falkland Islands for Messrs Howard & Co
of Montevideo

Due to G. J. Dezenhardt of Stanley
for receipt as per receipt from Messrs Howard & Co

£ 203.. 0.. 11

for A.C. rendered by J. W. Lewis
for rent of Store Service as
sales man for one quarter from
proceeds on goods £ 225.. 19.. 6

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to--
 THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
 FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
 BOARD OF TRADE,
 WHITEHALL GARDENS, LONDON, S. W.,
 And the following letter and number should be quoted inside the communication, and marked plainly on the *outside* of the envelope, viz. :-
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BOARD OF TRADE

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,

Whitehall Gardens, 23rd February 1877

SIR,

I am directed by the Board of Trade to ~~acknowledge the receipt~~ of your letter of the _____ and to state that the Forms described below have been this day forwarded in 1 parcel, carriage paid, to your address by Book Post. *for use at your office*

I have to request that the receipt of this parcel may be acknowledged.

To the ^{2nd}
 Governor
 Falkland Islands

I am, SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

R. G. C. HAMILTON.

CONSULS' FORMS MARKED "C."		DESCRIPTION.	COLONIAL OFFICERS' FORMS MARKED "C.C."	
Quantity.	No.		No.	Quantity.
	11	Certificate of Discharge (in Books)	5	
	12	Account of Wages and Effects of a Seaman left behind	6	
	12A	Do. Do. Do.	6A	25
	13	Account of Wages received and Expenses paid	7	
	14	Account of Receipts and Disbursements	8	
	15	Account of Wages and Effects of a Deceased Seaman	15	
	16	Order for conveyance of Distressed Seaman	14	
	16A	Advice of sending a Seaman to another Port abroad	14A	
	17	Advice of Deceased Seaman's Effects sent to the U. K.	16	
	18	Account of Expenses to be repaid by Owners	9	
	19A	List of Seamen engaged, discharged, &c.	21	
	20	Subsistence List	10	
	24	Account of Postages	—	
	25	Account of Proceeds of Sale of Effects	17	
	26	Accounts Current	18	
	32	Consular Fees (in Books)	—	
	33	Statement of Forms C. 15, or C.C. 15.	22	
	34	Statement of Casualty Returns.....	—	

No. N.S.
Distribution
520.

It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the above Number may be quoted; and the Letter addressed to—
The Under Secretary of State for War,
War Office,
Pall Mall, London,
S.W.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT,
WAR OFFICE,

8th
May, 1877.

SIR,

In pursuance of the 1st Clause of the Act 40 Victoria, Cap. 7, commonly called the Mutiny Act, I have the honour by direction of the Secretary of State for War to transmit herewith, for your information and guidance, a copy (printed by the Queen's Printer) of the Articles of War which have been made and established by Her Majesty under the authority of the said Act.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

RALPH THOMPSON.

*The Governor
Falkland Islands*

"Volage" Rio de Janeiro
18th June 1877

Sir

I beg to inform you that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have ordered me to return to England, to take command of H.M.S. Britannia, and that on the 24th of June the duties of Senior Officers on this Station will devolve on Commander Harokins of H.M.S. Cracker.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

H.E.

Governor Callaghan
Falkland Islands

Hairfax

Captain and
Senior Officer

U. S. Consulate

August 9th 1877

Gen Travis Esq

" " "

Dear Sir,

I beg respectfully call the attention of the proper authorities to the bad condition of the street in front of my residence - The drainage has been stopped and gravelled over, so the water has no other exit but the street itself to the annoyance of passers and visitors -

Please place this complaint with the proper persons to have the same remedied -

Yours very respectfully

Dear Sir

Yours obedient servant

J. Ward

Fackland Islands
 Stanley, 30th Jan. 1876

Sir,

Some weeks ago I reported to His Excellency the Governor that a schooner named the "Charles Cole" — (last syllable uncertain) of New London had been seen at anchor in Star Harbour, near Seal Island, some time before, that a shooting party from the schooner had been seen on the island, and that on visiting the island myself on the 1st December I found the skin of a sheep on the beach, the mark on which showed it to belong to the flock put on the island some time before. I have since heard that nine sheep out of one hundred and

Hon. G. Travis Esq.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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two

Two are missing.

These sheep were specially selected for breeding purposes, and put on the island with English rams, consequently they are of much greater value than any ordinary ewes.

I am aware that it is impossible to bring home the robbery to any particular vessel; but as it is a notorious fact that American sealers were in the habit until lately of stealing sheep from New Island, I hope that His Excellency will endeavour to protect the Colonial interests by laying the matter before the United States' Consul, or by taking any course which he may think advisable under the circumstances. The present is an opportune time, as I learn that the "Charles Colegate"

an American vessel, is now
lying in Sparrow Cove, and, Sam
informed, has not yet had any
communication with this port.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

David Fox
Colonial Secretary.

RECEIVER AND ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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LONDON,

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON

19 June 1877.

SIR,

THE Receiver and Accountant General having received your remittance of _____ *ninety-eight* Pounds _____ *five* Shillings and _____ *eleven* Pence, the same, when paid, will be placed to your credit with this Office.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

J. W. K.
for

Chief Examiner.

£ 98. 5. 11

N.B.—All Bills not made payable to Her Majesty's Postmaster General must be endorsed as follows—

PAY to Her Majesty's Postmaster General, or order.

On Her Majesty's Service.

The Postmaster

Stanley

Falkland Islands

Remittance
Acknowledgment.



Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BOARD OF TRADE,
LONDON, S.W.

And the following letter and number should be quoted in the communication and marked plainly on the *outside* of the envelope, viz. :—

F 12312

BOARD OF TRADE,

WHITEHALL GARDENS,

19th Nov: 1877.

Sir,

In reply to Mr. Travis's letter of the 2nd ultimo, forwarding the Oil and Store Accounts to July 1874, and asking for a supply of certain forms used in connection with the Light House Service, I am directed by the Board of Trade to transmit to you, as requested, those named in the margin hereof.

M-

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

His Excellency
The Governor
Falkland Islands.

M. Hamilton

L.H.1. Oil acc 24 sheets
L.H.3. Lighting Store acc 24

4060
28.5.77

Counterpart for the Consignee.

WAR OFFICE STORES.

SHIPPED, in good order and condition, on board the "Vicar of Bray"
Mr. _____ Master, the stores undermentioned, measuring
8 tons 7 feet, to be delivered in the like good order and condition
to *H. Excellency - The Governor* at *Falkland Islands* ;
subject to the stipulations contained in the Charter-party entered into with, or on behalf
of, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and in the Regulations for Her Majesty's
Transport Service. In Witness whereof the Master of the said Ship hath affirmed to *Two*
(2) Bills of Lading, all of this tenor and date, — one of which Bills being
accomplished the others to stand void. Dated at *Woolwich* the *28th*
day of *May* 1877

"The Officer who gives the Receipt for the Articles mentioned in this Bill of Lading is to specify therein the date of the Vessel's arrival and the date of her being finally unloaded, and to put the date of his signing the Receipt immediately under his own signature; and if any delay arises in unloading the Vessel, the cause of such delay is to be expressed by the said Officer in his Receipt. If the Stores receive damage, the nature of that damage is to be stated, together with the expense of repairing them, should they be repairable on the spot; and the Master must not fail to Report to the Consignee the arrival of the Stores, previously to their being landed."

NOTE.—One of the Bills of Lading, receipted by the Consignee, is to be transmitted by the first opportunity to the Owners, Brokers, or Agents of the Ship, for the purpose of being forwarded to the Director of Stores, War Office, Pall Mall, London, in order that the necessary measures may be taken to enable the Transport Department to authorize payment of the hire or freight. (See Article 65, 67, 178, & 179, and Appendix, page 67, of the Regulations for H. M. Transport Service.)

4 ³¹/₄₀ Heavy
+ 3 ¹⁶/₄₀ Light

Marks, numbers, or addresses on packages.	Quantity and description of packages	Description of stores, or contents of packages
	4	Loose Carriages C. Iron
	16	" Handspikes com ^u 6 feet
<i>cro</i> 61.74.75.206	4	" Ordnance without sights
	1	base sights &c
	2	Bundles } 2 hammers. 2 sponges w ^h caps & woodhooks in each bundle

[Signature]

Commissary

Master.

This must be accompanied by a schedule, on form 1297, showing the contents of the packages above enumerated.

Exchequer and Audit Department,
Somerset House,
London, W.C.
1st November, 1877 .

Sir,

I am directed by the Comptroller and Auditor
General to transmit to you, herewith, the enclosed ^{copies of} Certificates of
the PASSING of ~~your~~ ^{the} Accounts ~~as~~ therein specified, and to state,
that the Originals have been forwarded this day to Col. D'Arcy.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

A. Keble

H.E.
The Governor,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

E. & A. Dept. Form No. 24.

Copy

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CASH ACCOUNTS.

Exchequer and Audit Department,

Somerset House,

London, W.C.

I hereby CERTIFY, that the Account of Col. D'Arny
as Governor & Accountant of the Falkland Islands

from 1 January 1871, to 31 December 1871,

has been SIGNED and PASSED by me under the 30th Section of
the Act 20 and 30 Victoria, Chap. 39, And that the Charge and
Discharge on the said Account are as follows:—

Charge £ 12,907.9.9

Discharge £ 11,923.0.9

and that on the said Account the Accountant is
indebted in the sum of nine hundred
and eighty-four pounds & nine shillings

£984.9.0

Given under my Hand, this

31st day of October 1877

(Signed) C. L. Ryan

Asst. Comptroller and Auditor-General.

To H. E. the Governor
Stanley
Falkland Islands.

CASH ACCOUNTS.

CERTIFICATE

OF THE

COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR

GENERAL.

CASH ACCOUNTS.

Exchequer and Audit Department,

Somerset House,

London, W.C.

I hereby CERTIFY, that the Account of Col. D'Arcy
as Governor & Accountant of the Falkland
Islands

from 1 January 1872, to 31 December 1872,

has been SIGNED and PASSED by me under the 36th Section of
the Act 29 and 30 Victoria, Chap. 39, And that the Charge and
Discharge on the said Account are as follows:—

Charge £ 11,183-12-10

Discharge . . . £ 11,037-3-0

and that on the said Account the Accountant is
is indebted in the sum of One hundred
and forty-six pounds, five shillings & 10^d

£ 146-9-10

Given under my Hand, this

31st day of October 1877

(Signed) C. L. Ryan

Asst. Comptroller and Auditor-General.

To H. E. The Governor
Stanley
Falkland Islands

CASH ACCOUNTS.

CERTIFICATE

OF THE

COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR

GENERAL.



Annual Return of the number of
Children attending the Government
Schools, during the year 1877.

Department	Boys	Girls	Total No on Roll	Average Attendance
Upper	33	26	59	32
Infant	42	38	80	45
			Total No enrolled <u>139</u>	Total Average attendance <u>77</u>

John Wright Collins,
Government Schoolmaster

Stanley,

11th March 1877

Certificate

Original to be kept in the office

G. W. S. F. J. ^{Official Seal} March 27th
1876

This is to certify that
James Nathan Jailer is incapable
from infirmity of body to discharge

the duties of his situation and
that such infirmity is likely to
be permanent

Wm. M. M. M. M. M.

Colonial Surgeon

Maxwell Rodgers M.D.
Staff Surgeon
P.S.