



FALKLAND ISLANDS Monthly Review

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MINI-MONTHLY REVIEW:

A number of people, both here and in the United Kingdom, have asked us to restart publishing the "Monthly Review" and give them some news of the Islands. They are particularly interested in personal glimpses such as births, marriages, etc.

We are not keen on starting another 20 pages booklet; so this will be a very mini-effort of a size some three and a half pages of the original Review (unless, of course, personal items increase during a month). In order for overseas Islanders to recognise the parents under births or marriages, wherever possible we hope to show one grandparent's name of the child, mother, bride or groom. Items, such as weddings, will be in an abbreviated form.

We make no breakable promises, but hope to have the Mini on sale on the first Monday of the month - this we were able to do with every issue of the Monthly Review for six and a half years, except where a public holiday fell on a Monday. Issues of the sheets covering items for July to November will be placed on sale as prepared.

Any small items of a personal nature you would like a

relative or friend to see in print will be gladly accepted for inclusion.

Paper now costs nearly six times as much as it did when we stopped printing the Review in May, 1973, and, we are sorry to say, this mini effort will cost you 3p.

W. & M.A. Hirtle

JUNE WEATHER: (From the Meteorological Officer)

The most noticeable feature of June, 1975, was the low average wind speed of 8.3 knots, about half of what would be expected at this time of year and the lowest monthly wind speed since comparable records began in 1948. 29 percent of the hourly winds during the month were calm. There were two hours when the average wind speed was of gale force, and 457 hours when it was of 10 knots or less. The highest gust recorded was 55 knots about midday on 16th.

The average temperature was 2.4°C (36.3°F), just a little below average for the time of year. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 8.6°C (47.5°F) on the 14th and the lowest was minus 3.5°C (25.7°F) on the early morning of the 1st. The maximum temperature on the 1st was minus 0.5°C (31.1°F) the first June day that the maximum temperature has not been above freezing point since 28th June, 1972.

The average daily sunshine was 1.4 hours, about 25 minutes a day less than what would be expected at this time of year.

The total rainfall was 55.2 mm (2.17 in), about 8 mm more than is normal in June. There were 23 occasions when ground frost was recorded during the month, three more than is normal in June.

In brief, a dull and rather wet month, with wind well below average.

WEDDING:

The wedding of Brenda Diann Joanna Blackley and Richard Edward John Fogerty took place at the Manager's House at Port Stephens on Friday, 4th July. The ceremony was conducted by Mr Peter Robinson. Brenda wore a long dress of white broderie not satin, cut on simple lines, with a high neck and long gathered sleeves, and trimmed with seed pearls. The bride was attended by Mrs Candy Blackley, Matron of [redacted], and two bridesmaids, the [redacted] [redacted] and Faith Felton, Brenda's half-sisters. The best man was Mr Richard McRae. The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs Janet and the late Adam Blackley. Our best wishes to the young couple who are making their home at Port Stephens.

BIRTHS:

23 Jul: Elaine Ellen to Mr and Mrs John Berntsen (formerly Ellen Stewart) of Port San Carlos - 6 lb. 12 oz. Elaine's great grandmother is Mrs. Ellen (Nell) McCallum.

16 Jul: A son to Mr and Mrs Syd Hayles (née Phyllis Rozee) in England. Phyllis's grandfather was the late R. (Dick) Larsen.

SILVER WEDDING:

We offer our congratulations to Mr and Mrs Reg Blanchard, who celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage on 5th July. Reg is Plant Manager with the Johnston Construction Company at present building the permanent airfield.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD:

Christopher Barber, son of Mr Roy Barber (Air Service Mechanic) and Mrs Barber, received his Duke of Edinburgh's Bronze Award on 18th July. Christopher's award was won for his efforts in four fields - Expedition, Service, Interests, and Physical Efficiency. He successfully completed a First Aid Course, Camping Expedition with a written account, and studied Meteorology.

GOLD COINS:

18 proof sets of the gold coins of the Colony were received by the Treasury from the Royal Mint on 13th July. These sets were ordered by persons resident in the Colony and cost £450 each. The coins bear an effigy of Her Majesty the Queen on the obverse and depicts a Romney/Corriedale sheep on the reverse.

R. I. P.:

Frank (Tots) Gleadell in New Zealand on 29th June. Tots went to live in New Zealand a number of years ago.

David Honeyman in Palmerston, New Zealand, on 5th July, at the age of 71. The late David Honeyman was a teacher for many years in Stanley and at the Darwin Boarding School, where he was the first Headmaster.

We extend our deepest sympathy to relatives and friends of the deceased.

WOOL QUEEN, 1975:

At a dance, organised by Mr Bob Peart, held in the Town Hall on 25th July, the 1975 Wool Queen was chosen from among many charming young ladies. Dr Lee and Mr and Mrs Kerr made a popular choice by awarding the first prize to Theresa Dobbhyns, with Elizabeth Triggs as Runner-up. His Excellency the Governor presented the prizes to Theresa and Elizabeth.

RECORD RUN TO MONTEVIDEO:

Mr Harry Sarney, who made the voyage many times on R.M.S. Darwin, now claims to have made a record run from the Colony to Montevideo, arriving there eight hours and ten minutes after leaving Stanley.

CRUISE SHIP:

The F.I.C. Shipping Office reports that the cruise vessel "Enrico 'C'" plans to visit Stanley on the following dates in 1976 - 17th January, 31st January, 21st February,

JULY PASSENGERS: (Residents only, i.e. permanent or contract)

13th: Arrived: Dr & Mrs B. Lee & 2 children, Mr & Mrs H. Sosa & 2 children (LADE), Mr F. Gooch, Students Misses N. & A. King, S. Booth, Mstrs. N. Keenleyside, J. Barton, F. Wallace.

Departed: Messrs P. Biggs, L. Small, B. Summers, Mr & Mrs R. Cockwell & 2 children.

14th: Arrived: Mr and Mrs P. Eeck, Mrs T. Petersson & Derck, Messrs A. & T. Miller, A. Smith, R. Watson, Kim Summers.

Departed: Mrs L. Clifton & Child, Mrs M. Villanueva, Messrs I. Strange, G. Duncan.

20th: Arrived: Mr J. Coutts, Students Misses C. Ferguson, F. Clements, J. Hardcastle, C., T., D., & C.J. Johnson, A. Keenleyside, S. Napier, J. Rowlands, J. Robertson, N. Stephenson, S. Stocks, H. Shaw, Mstrs. S. Hardcastle, R. King, P. Minto, P. Miller, P. Robertson.

Departed: V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve (LADE).

21st: Arrived: Mr F. Navarro, Mr & Mrs C.D. Kerr & 3 children.

Departed: Messrs W.A. Etheridge, T. Hansen.

22nd: Arrived: V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve (LADE).

Departed: Rev. R. Forrester, Mr & Mrs P. Goss, Mr & Mrs H. Greenshields, Mr & Mrs R. Reid & 5 children.

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WEDDING:

On 26th July Christ Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Colleen Clifton, daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Clifton of Stanley, and Gus Reid were married. Colleen wore a long white lace dress with a fitted bodice. It had a full skirt, with a tiered back, forming a long shaped train. The fitted sleeves were wrist length. Colleen wore a spray of roses in her headdress.

Three bridesmaids attended the bride - friend Barbara Minto, niece Teresa Clifton and the groom's half-sister Carol Stewart. Gus's best man was Robert Ford.

Our best wishes to the young couple.

GOLDEN WEDDING:

Married at Pebble Island 50 years before, on 6th August, 1975, Jim and Elsie Peck celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary by inviting relatives and friends to a party at their home in Stanley. Congratulations to you both.

GRAND OLD MAN:

Mr Jim Pitaluga, a well known figure on the West Falklands and in Stanley after he retired, was 99 on 29th July. He lives

at Saltash in Cornwall, and the Mayor of Saltash visited him, and had a drink with Jim, on this important day.

BIRTHS: In the K.E.M. Hospital

- Aug 1st: DIANA JULIE to Mr and Mrs Keith Baillie (née Virginia Morrison) of Darwin - 6 lb. 6 oz. Diana's grandfather is Mr D.J. (Sonny) Morrison.
- 10th: SHAUN RODERICK to Mr and Mrs D. Limburn (née Monica Bonner) of Fox Bay - 7 lb. 7½ oz. Shaun's great grandparents were the late Mr and Mrs Harry Bonner.
- 21st: PATRICIA to Mr and Mrs Robin Smith (née Heather Murphy) of Port Howard - 6 lb 13 oz. Patricia's grandparents were the late John and Mary Murphy.
- 28th: COLIN DAVID to Mr and Mrs David Shepherd of Darwin - 5 lb. 13½oz.
Overseas
- Jul 13th: TERRENOANA GRACE to Mr and Mrs Tyrone Goss in Australia. Terrenoana's grandparents are Mr and Mrs W.H. Goss of Stanley,
- 22nd: CHRISTOPHER KENNETH to Mr and Mrs Stephen Duke (nee Stephanie White) of Chacewater, Cornwall. Christopher's grandparents are Mrs Nellie White and the late Captain F.W. White,
- Aug 11th: A daughter to Mr and Mrs Clive Hart (née Angela Bonner) of New Zealand. Baby's great grandparents were the late Mr and Mrs Jeff Bundes.

EXAMINATION RESULTS:

Three Falkland Islands students at the British Schools in Montevideo completed Higher Level Studies in the International Baccalaureate - Colleen Carey 35 points, John Draycott 26, Graham Bound 23. Colleen has now gained admission to Essex University where she will study for a degree in Literature and Art.

Nicholas Keenleyside, Gavin McMillan and Nicola Reive have gained the first passes of their I.B. Diploma, having taken two subsidiary level subjects this year; they hope to take the remaining subsidiary and three higher levels next year.

REUNION PARTY:

On 16th August 80 guests attended a Falkland Islanders Reunion Party, held at the Station Hotel, Carnoustie, Scotland.

PRESS CONFERENCE:

Mr and Mrs N. Watson, Mrs V. Malcolm, Mr and Mrs T. Spruce and Mr and Mrs J. Alazia were present with the United Kingdom Falkland Islands Committee at a Press Conference with Members of Parliament at the House of Commons in mid July.

ENGAGEMENT:

Mr and Mrs Terry Peck were pleased to announce, on 18th August, the engagement of their daughter, Frances, to Dr Tony Royappa. Dr Royappa served in the Medical Department from January to September.

POSTAGE STAMPS:

Government intends commemorating the Permanent Airfield by issuing a set of four postage stamps.

JULY WEATHER:

July, 1975, was a dry month. The total rainfall was 39.2 mm (1.54 in), about 7 mm below the normal for this time of year.

The average temperature was 1.9° C (35.4°F), nearly half a degree less than is usual for July. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 8.4°C (47.1°F) on the 22nd - this is the highest July temperature since 28th July, 1969. The lowest temperature recorded during the month was minus 6.3°C (20.7°F) on the night of the 8th/9th, and this was the lowest temperature recorded in July since 18th July, 1961.

The average daily sunshine was two hours, about ten minutes per day less than is usual in July.

The average wind speed was 10.5 knots and, apart from 1974, the lowest July figure on record. The highest gust during the month was 54 knots, about 7.00 p.m. on the 23rd. There were 15 hours when the average hourly wind speed

was of gale force and 399 hours when it averaged 10 knots or less. More than half the ground at the Meteorological Station was covered in snow on 14 days during the month, the highest number of days with snow cover in July since 1961. There were 24 occasions when ground frost was recorded during July.

In brief, a little colder, drier, less sunny and much less wind than is usual in July.

R. I. P:

George Charles Short on 29th July in Stanley.	Aged 79.
W.H.C. (Ben) Watson on 8th August in Stanley.	Aged 71.
Peter Anderson on 15th August in Stanley.	Aged 72.
David Brown MacKay on 19th August in Stanley.	Aged 69.

FARM RECORDS:

Records achieved on F.I.C. Farms last season included: Dipped 7,025 sheep more than last year; the overall lamb-marking figure of 71.09% was the highest since 1962/63; lambs dipped 63,337, highest since 1964; sheep shorn 55,995 hoggets, highest since 1964; total sheep shorn 260,408, highest on record. Overall loss, from dipping to dipping, of 9.63%, the lowest on record.

PASSENGERS: July (continued)

23th: Arrived: Messrs. P. Biggs, L. Dearling, W. Etheridge, B. Summers, Mr & Mrs D. Davidson.

Departed: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bound, Mrs N. Morrison, Students Miss A. King, Mstrs. J. Barton, N. Keenleyside, A. Livernore, F. Wallace, G. Newman.

Arrived in August

4th: Mr & Mrs H. Greenshields, Mr & Mrs P. Goss, Mr & Mrs R. Reeve & 2 children.

11th: Fthr. J. Bruggenan, Mr & Mrs R. Reid & 5 children, Mrs M. Villanueva, Messrs P. Kiddle, I. Strange.

18th: Mrs K. Clifton, Mrs L. Napier, Mr R. Nightingale & 2 children.

25th: Mrs M. Lee & Anita, Mrs N. Morrison, Miss D. Wilson, Mrs G. Johnston, Messrs E.G. Rowe, K. Heathman, A. Smith.

August departures next issue.

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V.S.Os:

Recruited for work in Camp Schools, three Police Cadets (all 19 years of age) Keith Plumridge, Martin Gibbins, David Ward and Richard Kelland (Banking and Accountancy) and Miss J.E. McHugh arrived on 15th September in Stanley.

WEDDING:

Mr and Mrs George Malcolm and Ailsa attended the wedding of Mr Bob Bostelmann and Miss Sue Fison in Cambridge, England on 8th August. Bob will be remembered in the Colony for a long time by local pet lovers and other animal owners for his efficient, devoted and valuable work in his veterinary field.

G.C.E. Results:

The following Stanley students have passed in their chosen subjects - Terera Dobbys, History, Grade C; Kathleen Dobbys, History, Grade C; Derek Clarke, English Language, Grade C, Maths Grade D; Len McGill, History, Grade D, Geography, Grade D.

AN ISLANDER FORGES AHEAD:

David Hardy, son of Mrs Elsie Hardy and the late Tom Hardy, who works in the Radio Division of the Metropolitan

Police has passed his City of Guilds Examinations in the following fifth year subjects: Advanced Telecommunications Principles - Pass; Advanced Communications Radio - Pass/Credit; Digitized Elements and Switching Principles - Pass. With these, and 12 other Certificates, David has now gained his City of Guilds full Technological Certificate in Telecommunications, which is the fulfilment of the Course. Congratulations, David.

BIRTHS: In the K.E.M. Hospital

Sep 13th: NICOLA to Mr and Mrs Dave Ryan (née Bridget Harvey) of Stanley - 7 lb. $0\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Nicola's grandmother is Mrs Beat Harvey. Overseas

Padre Helyer writes to say that his family has presented him with two grandchildren - MIRIAM JANE to his son Christopher and wife; KIM ALEXANDER to his son Nicholas and wife.

R. I. P:

Mrs Winnie Blyth on 10th September in Gillingham, Kent. The late Mrs Blyth and her husband left the Colony to reside in Britain a number of years ago.

Mrs Annie Lehen on 19th September in Stanley. Aged 73. We offer our sympathy to those left to mourn.

AUGUST WEATHER:

The average temperature for August, 1975, was 2.5°C (36.5°F), just about average for the time of the year. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 9.6°C (49.3°F) on the 14th, and the lowest was minus 3.4°C (25.9°F) on the night of 4th/5th.

The total rainfall was 35.9 mm (1.41 in), about 9 mm less than is usual in August and the driest since 1968.

The average daily sunshine was 3.7 hours, about 45 minutes a day more than normal at this time of year.

The average wind speed was 10.2 knots, nearly six knots less than average and the lowest August wind speed since comparable records were started in 1951. The highest gusts recorded during the month were of 48 knots on the afternoons of the 16th and 28th. There were three hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force and 4.04 hours when it was of 10 knots or less.

There were 25 occasions when ground frost was recorded during the month, four more than is usual in August.

In brief, sunnier, less windy and rainy than usual, with temperature just about normal.

HAND KNITTED ARTICLES WANTED:

Mrs Betty Miller, Secretary of the Falkland Islands Home Industries, reports that they have received an order from Philadelphia for 36 hand knitted articles - good news, Mrs Miller.

ENGAGEMENT:

The engagement of Miss Caroline Porter, of Fox Bay, and Mr Ken Aldridge, of Hill Cove, was announced on 20th September.

KEEP THE FALKLANDS BRITISH:

Mrs Kitty Bertrand gave the following interesting item of news. Mrs Diana Rollason, where Kitty and Cecil stayed for a short time when they were in England in 1973, told them that she saw a parked car, near her home, with one of the "Keep the Falklands British" stickers on its windscreen. Mrs Rollason placed a note under the windscreen wiper asking the car owner to call at her house. About half an hour later an elderly gentleman called and said that his name was Fitzgerald, father of a young man who will be remembered by a number of local readers. The young man came to the Colony a few years ago seeking work but, as he was without a work's permit, he was not permitted to stay - he, evidently, collected a sticker before he left.

LOCAL APPOINTMENT:

Mrs Joyce Allan has been appointed Tourist, Information and Customs Clerk.

EMIGRANTS:

His Excellency the Governor received a most interesting letter on behalf of a group of people in London who are contemplating emigrating to the Falkland Islands. The writer, who represents at least three families including his own, and possibly two or three more, say they are looking for a reasonably happy and unstressed, not heavily populated, community, fairly close to nature, without being removed from the reality of survival in a modern world.

The group combines several very useful skills such as bricklaying, painting, decorating, plumbing, diesel fitting and welding, and hope, eventually, to acquire or settle on a farm.

Government would welcome suggestions from any Islanders as to what assistance might be offered to the group.

PASSENGERS: August departures.

2nd: Mrs L. Napier, Students Misses T. Johnson, S. Napier, A. Keenleyside, J. Rowlands, N. Stephenson, Mstrs. R. King, Kim Summers.

4th: Mr and Mrs J. Booth & Sandra, Mrs Marlene Williams, Miss S. Evans, Messrs. B. Mills, J. Stephenson.

11th: Mrs L. Clifton, Mrs T. Ferguson, Mrs G. Johnston, Students Misses C. Ferguson, C. Johnston, J. Robertson, Mstrs P. Minto, P. Miller, S. & N. Pitaluga, P. Robertson, Mrs Jane Summers, Mr T. Miller.

13th: Mrs M. Barnes & Marie, Mrs M. Lee and Anita, Mnsr. D. Spraggon.

19th: Matron D. Wilson, Miss T. Binnie

September arrivals.

1st: Mnsr. D. Spraggon, Mrs M. Williams, Mrs Jane Summers, Miss T. Binnie, Mr A. Hague.

11th: Mr and Mrs N. Watson & 2 children, Mr & Mrs J. Fielding, Messrs F.D. Howatt, J. Bound, P.G. Summers.

15th: Mr & Mrs L. Clifton & child, Messrs W. Coutts, R. McLeod, VSOs M.E. Gibbins, R.T. Kelland, K.J. Plumridge, D.P. Ward, Miss J.E. McHugh.

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CHAPLAIN FOR CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL:

We welcome the Rev. Gerald Smith who arrived in the Colony on 20th October to take up his appointment as Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral. The Chaplain was accompanied by Mrs Smith and their two sons, Simon and Peter.

WEDDINGS:

WHITE-LIAMOSA

In Ilfracombe, Devon, on September 13th, Theresa, the only daughter of Tom and Sheila Llamosa (late of Port Howard) and Rex White of Ilfracombe were married. Theresa looked charming in a long white, short-sleeved dress, with lace overlay and train. She wore a shoulder length veil, held in place by a diamante tiara, and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations mixed with ivy and lily-of-the-valley. A friend of the bride acted as bridesmaid and a friend of the groom carried out the duties of best man.

Theresa's grandmother is Mrs Rose Llanosa.

LEE - BONNER

On September 20th the wedding of Carole, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Don Bonner, and Rodney, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Syd Lee, took place at Port Howard. Mr Charles Madlocks performed the marriage ceremony. Carole was charmingly attired in a full length gown of white lace with a small train.

She wore a long veil attached to the white flowers framing her face. The bride was attended by her sisters Jane and Joanne and the groomsmen were Mr Robert Maddocks.

Carole's grandparents were the late Mr and Mrs Harry Bonner.

CUSWORTH - SMITH

The marriage ceremony of Alana Smith and Alan Cusworth was conducted by the Registrar-General, Mr Harold Bennett, in the Registrar's Office on 31st October. The witnesses were Mrs Paulina McCormick and Mr James Lee (Alana's brother). Alana's grandparents were the late Mr and Mrs Alex Blyth.

G.C.E. "0" LEVELS:

We are pleased to publish news that Sandra Booth, who sat for four G.C.E. subjects at "0" Level at Northlands School, Buenos Aires, in June, passed in all four. These were Spanish, English Literature, English Language, and Biology.

Congratulations, Sandra.

SEPTEMBER WEATHER:

September, 1975, was a wet month. The total rainfall was 48.5 mm (1.90 in), 13 mm above the average for the month and the wettest September since 1961. Almost one third of the month's rain fell on the evening and night of the 1st.

The average temperature for the month was 4.3°C (39.7°F) nearly one degree centigrade above the average for the month. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 13.8°C (56.8°F) on the afternoon of the 18th; this was the highest September temperature since 1971. The lowest temperature recorded was minus 1.7°C (28.9°F) on the nights of 4th/5th and 5th/6th.

The average daily sunshine was 4.7 hours, about half an hour more a day than is usual at this time of year.

The average wind speed was 11.7 knots, about five knots less than the mean for September, and the lowest since comparable records have been kept. The highest gust recorded during the month was 55 knots on the afternoon of the 23rd. There were 15 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force and 365 hours when it was of 10 knots or less.

There were 20 occasions when ground frost was recorded, just about average for this time of year.

In brief, a rather sunny month, a little warmer and less windy than usual, but with a few very wet days.

BIRTH: In the K.E. M. Hospital.

Oct 17th: CARMEN JANE to Mr and Mrs Pete Seeley (née Shirley Berrido) of Stanley - 6 lb. 9½ oz. Carmen's great grandparents are Mr Philip Berrido and the late Mrs Lucy Berrido.

POSTAGE STAMP HONOURS:

As a result of the Crown Agents Stamp Bureau displaying Colony and British Antarctic Territory stamps at exhibitions in Sweden and Spain, the following awards have been gained:

The Colony and British Antarctic Territory both received Certificates and Medals from the exhibiting countries.

COLONY REPRESENTATIVE:

Mr L.G. (Tim) Blake (Legislative and Executive Councils Member) with Mrs Blake, left Stanley on 21st October, to visit New Delhi, where he will represent the Falkland Islands Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association at the 21st Annual Conference of the parent Association.

IT'S A SMALL WORLD:

Mr Arthur Middleton thought this when he visited his local in Ilminster. A man drew near and said: "Arthur Middleton, Falkland Islands?" - Arthur looked round and saw Mr Bob Ross who had been his neighbour in Stanley some 10 years ago. Bob had been travelling from Inverness to Lands End and had broken his journey at Ilminster.

R. I. P:

Mrs Bella McKay in Stanley on 6th October. Mrs McKay, who was 87 years old, was our oldest lady resident.

James Norris in Reading, England, on 19th October. Jim served for many years in the Police Force of the Colony.

We extend our sympathy to relatives and friends of the deceased.

ENGAGEMENTS:

The engagement took place in Stanley, on 9th October, between Miss Teresa Binnie and Royal Marine Frank Jenkins.

Miss Joan Middleton and Mr Arthur Arkless of Johnston

Construction Company became engaged recently.

BY SHIP FROM BUENOS AIRES:

The F.I.C. Shipping Office reports an interesting item for people who prefer to travel by sea. A Russian passenger liner, the "Shota Rustaveli", of 20,000 tons, will be leaving Buenos Aires for Southampton on 27th March, 1976, arriving at the latter port on 14th April. Calls will be made at Rio de Janeiro, Las Palmas and Lisbon.

PASSENGERS: September arrivals continued.

22nd: Mr & Mrs Sosa & 2 children (LADE), Mr and Mrs A.J. Berntsen, Misses M. Canas, T. Volpi, Messrs. E. Balfour, V.T. King, Mrs M. Barnes & Marie.

29th: Mr & Mrs J. Alazia & child, Mr & Mrs A. Blake & 2 children, Mrs F. Clark & Anneliese, Mr & Mrs W. Cantlie, Mrs E. Goodwin, Mrs A. Hague & child, Mr & Mrs H. Luxton, Miss J. Luxton, Mrs E. Monk, Mrs T. Morrison, Mr & Mrs K.J. McPhee, Mr & Mrs D.J. Sollis, Mr & Mrs I. Stewart, Messrs J. Browning, D.F. Gooch.

Departures

1st: Mr & Mrs J. Smith & 4 children, Messrs F.D. Howatt, J. Jones, R.J. McLeod, P.G. Summers, V.S.Os D. Lampshire, J. Yuill, D. Williams.

11th: Mrs I. Stewart, Mrs B. Stocks & 4 children, Misses S. Coutts, F. Clements, H. Shaw, Mstr: P. Monk, Misses T. Volpi, M.T. Canas, Mr & Mrs A. Lowe, Messrs D. Smith, G.N. Weekes.

15th: Mrs E. Goodwin, Dr. B.A. Royappa, Messrs V.T. King, A. Leeks

22nd: Mrs F. Clark & Anneliese, Mrs V. Felton & Rhoda, Mrs V. Winteringham.

29th: Messrs M. Butcher, L. Harris, D.M. Hardy, C. Middleton.

October arrivals

6th: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bound & Graham, Mr & Mrs P. Gilding & Deborah, Mr & Mrs D.M. Pole-Evans, Mr & Mrs J. Robertson, Mr & Mrs T.G. Spruce, Mrs V. Spruce, Mrs O. Pole-Evans, Mrs V. Felton & Rhoda, Messrs T. Braxton, G. Butler, L. Harris, F.T. Lellman, T. Hirtle, Eric Hirtle & Zane Hirtle.

13th: Mr & Mrs R. Cockwell & 2 children, Mr & Mrs G. Malcolm & Ailsa, Mr & Mrs L.B. Hadden, Mr & Mrs P. Walmsley, Mrs G. Steen & Barbara.

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ST. MARY'S CENTENARY.

The first resident Catholic Priest, the Rev. Father Foran, arrived in the Colony on 3rd November, 1875. The people of St. Mary's Church celebrated the 100th anniversary of his arrival by taking part in a programme spread over a week:

3rd: Mass, followed by a reception held in the Annexe;

6th: Benediction, followed by supper in the Annexe;

8th: Party, in the Annexe, for all St. Mary's children;

9th: Mass, followed by another reception in the Annexe.

St. Mary's Church was floodlit during the evenings of 3rd to 9th.

AIRFIELD APPOINTMENT:

We are pleased to report that Mr Gerald Cheek has been selected for training as an Air Traffic Controller and Airport Superintendent at the permanent Airfield when completed. Gerald's training will take place somewhere in England

WEDDING:

WINGHAM - YOUNG

The marriage took place at St. George's Church, Donnington, England, of Josephine Angela Young, youngest daughter of

Mr W.H. (Bud) Young (late Colonial Manager, F.I.C.) and Mrs Young, to John David Eric Wingham. The bride wore a full length cream gown with a matching hat, and carried yellow roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Josephine was attended by her sister, Mrs A. Alonco, and Mr G. Yarr carried out the duties of best man.

AIR SERVICE:

Whilst flying from Fox Bay to Teal Inlet on 13th November, the aircraft being piloted by Captain Ian Campbell, N.B.E., had to carry out an emergency landing in Cutter Cove because a bolt in the engine cowling had fractured and the cowling had lifted. After assessing the damage the cowlings were placed inside the aircraft and flown to Stanley.

Captain Campbell is to be congratulated on his skill and coolness in handling this emergency.

OCTOBER WEATHER:

October, 1975, was a dry month in Stanley. The total rainfall was 21.3 mm (0.84 in), about 12½ mm less than is usual in October. Two days, the 3rd and 6th, accounted for all but 5 mm of the month's rain.

The average temperature was 6.1°C (43.0°F), about one degree C above the normal for this time of year. The highest recorded was 15.6°C (60.1°F) on 25th, and the lowest was minus 1.7°C (28.9°F). The average daily sunshine was 5.8 hours, about 8 minutes less than normal.

The average wind speed was 12.2 knots, nearly five knots less than would normally be expected in October and, apart from last year, the lowest October wind since comparable records were commenced. The highest gust recorded was 59 knots about midday on 22nd. There were 16 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force and 345 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground frost appeared on 10 occasions - five less than usual.

In brief, warmer and drier with a little less sun and much less wind than usual.

M.V. FORREST TO CHILE:

M.v. Forrest sailed for Punta Arenas on 4th November, under the command of Captain D.J. Sollis, B.E.M. The vessel was docked on the 8th and arrived back in Stanley on 24th.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTE:

A dispute on some farms over wages was resolved by discussions, and all work had been resumed by 7th November.

PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATES:

Two Commonwealth Parliamentary Association Members, Sir John Gilmour, M.P. and Dr. Colin Phipps, M.P. visited the Colony from 30th October to 17th November. During their stay they met and talked with many residents and organisations and visited some Camp Stations.

REMEMBRANCE DAY:

Preceded by a Church Service, the usual Remembrance Day Parade was held this year on Sunday, 9th November. Detachments of the Royal Marines, F.I. Defence Force, Boys' and Girls' Brigades took part in a ceremony at the Cross of Sacrifice.

BIRTH:

SARA LOUISE to Mr and Mrs Ernie Milner in Botswana - 7 lb. 8 oz. The couple resided in Stanley for two years where Ernie worked for E.S.R.O.

R. I. P:

It is with regret that we have to record the passing of: William Clifton at Santa Cruz late in October. Aged 80 years. Mrs Vera Lang in Stanley on 25th November. Aged 38. Peter Thain in Stanley on 10th November. Aged 45. Mrs Kitty Clifton in Stanley on 16th November. Aged 43. Hector Charles Barnes at the Murrel, Falkland Islands, on 20th October. Aged 44. Donald John Ross in Dorset, England, on 11th November. Aged 67 years.

PEAT WAX (Extract from The Tropical Products Institute)

The possibility of setting up a peat wax industry in the Falkland Islands has been investigated. Results so far indicate that peat from the Falklands contains less wax than the Chathan Islands (near New Zealand) variety. Further investigations are needed to establish the economic implications of the quantity and quality of peat in the Falklands.

PHANTOM SHIP:

Italian Coastguards near Genoa found a ghost ship, the "Sojstak". There were no crew members on board, but the guards found a Falkland Islands flag and contraband tobacco.

SUNSHINE RECORDS:

Sunshine records for October show that Fox Bay with 225 hours (7.26 hours a day) and West Point Island with 213 hours (6.87 hours a day) had a good deal more sunshine than Stanley's 178.9 hours (5.77 hours a day).

PASSENGERS: October arrivals continued.

20th: Mr and Mrs A.M. Carey, Rev. G. & Mrs Smith & 2 children, Mrs R. Armadio, Mrs M. Monk, Messrs W.A. Etheridge, C. Middleton, D.M. Hardy.

21st: Mr R. Reid.

27th: Messrs D. King, M. Butcher.

October departures

6th: V/C C. & Mrs Bloomer-Reeve, Mrs G. Steen & Barbara, Messrs E.G. Rowe, R. Reid.

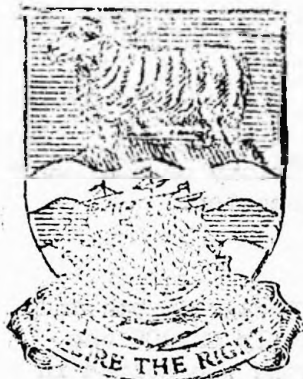
13th: Mr & Mrs J. Blyth & Colin, Mr W.A. Etheridge.

20th: Mr & Mrs L.G. Blake, Mr R. Newman.

21st: Mr D. King.

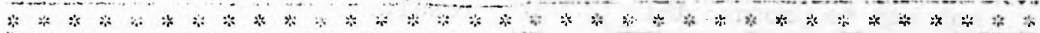
27th: Mr & Mrs A.J. Clifton & child, Mr & Mrs M. Loring & child, Mrs Sharon Middleton, Messrs R.T. Clarke, R. McLeod.

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F. I. COMMITTEE (LOCAL BRANCH):

The Committee held its Annual Public Meeting in the Town Hall on 3rd December. At the Meeting the Constitution and Rules of the Committee were approved. In order to preserve continuity five of last year's Committee were appointed by ballot and a further six elected from the public attending. The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer were appointed at a Committee Meeting, held after the Public Meeting, and the full Committee reads: Chairman - Mr J. Abbott, Vice-Chairman - Mr N. Watson, Secretary - Mr Stan Smith, Treasurer - Mr Vernon Steen, Members - Mrs V. Malcolm, Mrs K. Berntsen, Messrs. W. Hirtle, G. Cheek, B. Ford, F. Reive and Reserve Mrs J. Spruce.

One of the Joint-Secretaries of the London Committee, Mr F.G. Mitchell, who visited the Colony from 17th November to 3th December, attended both Meetings. He was persuaded to say a few words and, among other things, he commended the Local Branch for its work and said that the U.K. Branch had been able to function more effectively since the formation of the Local Branch.

AIR SERVICE NOTE:

The Beaver Floatplane "Alfa Lima" was out of the hangar for 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ hours on 5th December, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours of this time being in the air.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENT:

Mr Jim Stephenson, who returned to the Colony on 8th December, has been appointed Meteorological Forecaster.

ST MARY'S BAZAAR:

St Mary's Church held a very successful Bazaar on 5th and 6th December. Gross takings were approximately £2,200 and Monsignor Spraggon is most grateful to everyone who helped in any way to produce this pleasing result.

NOVEMBER WEATHER:

November, 1975, was a wet month. The total rainfall was 61.8 mm (2.43 in), nearly 24 mm more than is usual at this time of year, but 10 mm less than last November.

The average temperature was 6.5C (43.7F), about half a degree less than the average for the month. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 20.4C (68.7F) on the 4th and this is the highest recorded in November since 20th November, 1955. The lowest temperature recorded was minus 0.6C (30.9F) on the night of the 12th/13th. On 12th the daily maximum temperature only reached 3.9C (39F) making this the coldest November day since 6th November, 1953. The average daily sunshine was 7.1 hours, about 15 minutes a day more than is usual at this time of year.

The average wind speed was 13.5 knots, about $3\frac{1}{2}$ knots less than normal and only in 1970 and 1974 has there been less wind in November. The highest gust recorded during the month was 52 knots early on the 12th. There were two hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force and 274 hours when it was of 10 knots or less.

Ground frost was recorded on nine occasions, one more than would normally be expected at this time of year.

In brief, a wet month, a bit colder than usual with more sun and less wind than normal.

RIVER PLATE BATTLE HERO MEETS ISLANDER:

Mr Aub Summers and family received a letter from Mr and Mrs Lionel Dailie from which we reproduce an extract:

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in a National Lion Club Competition at Birmingham in March, 1975.

Ian is a Duke of Edinburgh's Gold Medal holder. He, also, has a commendation from the Governor of the Falkland Islands. When Ian and a party of school children were camping on Mount Usborne, the Colony's highest peak, a bush fire sprang up and surrounded the camp. Ian led the children to safety near the summit and his quick thinking averted what might have been a tragedy.

BOB BOSTELMANN:

Bob's many friends in the Falklands will be interested to learn that he and his wife, Sue, travelled by air to Darwin, Australia, to take up an appointment in Australia.

STAMPS FETCH £340:

An unused block of four Falkland Islands five shilling postage stamps, issued in 1933 to commemorate the centenary of British occupation of the Islands, sold for £340 at H.R. Harmer's Ltd. on 18th December.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY:

At the Annual General Meeting of the Society the following new Committee was elected: Chairman - Mr T. Spruce, Secretary - Mr N. Bennett, Treasurer - Mr D. King, Members - Mesdames C. Rowlands, W. Luxton, M. McPhee, Miss J. Coutts, Messrs A.J. Blyth, L. Blizard.

SHIPPING: (Arriving at and leaving Stanley)

R.R.S. Shackleton, 9th Dec. from Cape Town, Antarctica 12th. n.v. Lindblad visited for the day on 7th December.

"Bahia Buen Suceso" from Buenos Aires 5th Dec., left 7th.

"Cabo San Gonzalo" 11th Dec., left 15th. The vessel landed an American Quarter Stallion for Rincon Grande.

R.R.S. Bransfield, 16th Dec., Antarctica 20th

West German Fishery Research vessels "Weser" and "Walter Herwig" arrived 18th Dec., left 20th.

H.M.S. Assurance arrived 3rd January.

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PASSENGERS:

November, 1975.

- 3rd Arrived: Sir John Gilmore, Dr C. Phipps (Parliamentary delegates), Mr & Mrs J. Smith & 4 children, Mr & Mrs R. J. Taylor & 2 children, Mrs T. Ferguson, Messrs R.T. Clarke, L.O. Small.
 Departed: V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve, Mr & Mrs W.J. Jones.
- 10th Arrived: Mr & Mrs D. Branley & 3 children, Mrs M. Herbert, Messrs D.J. Colville, D.F. Gooch, R.G. Mathews, R. McLeod, D.J. Peacock.
 Departed: Mrs D. Whitney & son, Messrs B. Espie, B. Stocks
- 17th Arrived: Mrs D.I. Barton, Mr & Mrs L.G. Blake, V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve, Messrs F.G. Mitchell, D.J. Clarke (F.I.C. Directors), Dr & Mrs P. Devillers.
 Departed: Mr & Mrs R. Barber & 2 children, Sir John Gilmore, Dr C. Phipps, Mrs M.A. Biggs, Mrs L. Hirtle, Mr R. Smith.
- 18th Arrived: Mr & Mrs W.J. Jones, Mr & Mrs R. Ross & child, Mr & Mrs N. Vidal & child, Mrs D. Whitney & son, Messrs R. McLeod, E.G. Rowe, B. Stocks
 Departed: Miss M.T. Canas.
- 24th Arrived: Mrs L. Hirtle, Mrs S. Middleton, Messrs T. Hansen, R. Newman, H. Sarney.
 Departed: Messrs W. Cletheroe, Lewis Clifton.
- December, 1975.
- 1st Arrived: Dr M.A. Gemmell (Hydatid Disease Authy), Mr & Mrs J. Cheek & 2 children, Mr & Mrs P. Luxton & 2 children, Miss M.T. Canas, Mstr. K. Summers
 Departed: Mr & Mrs Darwin Berntsen & 2 children, Messrs D.J. Clarke, F.D. Howatt.
- 3th Arrived: Miss L. Clifton, Messrs W. Cletheroe, F.D. Howatt, J. Stephenson, 7 local students from Uruguay, 1 from Argentina.
 Departed: Dr M.A. Gemmell, Mr & Mrs Lowe & Bebbie, Messrs J. Anderson, G. Harris, F.G. Mitchell, J. Perry, J. Watson
- 9th Arrived: 17 Local Students from Argentina, Mrs V. Winteringham.
 Departed: Mrs M. Villaneuva, Mr I. Strange.

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NEW YEARS HONOURS, 1976:

Her Majesty the Queen has been pleased to approve the following awards:

NEVILLE ARTHUR IRWIN FRENCH, M.V.O., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies and High Commissioner for the British Antarctic Territory - to be a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St Michael and St George (C.M.G.);

DOUGLAS ROY MORRISON - to be an Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (O.B.E.);

VERNON THOMAS KING - to be a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (M.B.E.).

LORD SHACKLETON ARRIVES:

Brilliant sunshine on 3rd January heralded the arrival of H.M.S. Endurance at Stanley, carrying on board Lord Shackleton and party. Lord Shackleton is Chairman of the Economic Survey Team who will examine the Colony's economic position.

After firing and receiving a salute, Endurance disembarked Lord Shackleton and party. Accompanied by His Excellency the Governor, Lord Shackleton was taken by car along Ross Road. On approaching the Eastern Driveway to Government House he was greeted by an impressive sight - dozens of people had gathered there to welcome him, waving Union Jacks and bearing banners with the words "Keep the Falklands British" printed on them.

To three hearty cheers "for Lord Shackleton" he stepped from the car. After being introduced to the Chairman of the Falkland Islands Committee, Lord Shackleton posed, with a number of children and a borrowed Union Jack, for photographs. He then continued his interrupted run to Government House, waving to the crowd.

Mr Arthur Monk, Chief Secretary, carried the remainder of the party in his Landrover.

YOUTH OF THE YEAR:

P.C. Ian Redhead, who completed his Cadet training as a V.S.O. in the Falkland Islands, was voted Youth of the Year

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"Through chatting to a neighbour recently we learned that Admiral Sir Charles Woodhouse (H.M.S. Ajax), and his wife, live next door to the parents of our neighbour's wife, so they arranged a small party one evening to which they invited Sir Charles, his wife and us over to their house (the parents' house) in Warlingham, Surrey. We had a most enjoyable evening and Admiral Woodhouse was most chatty and interesting. He remembers many people in the Falklands and asked me about them. He is now 84 years of age - still drives his car, walks and swims a lot and told me that he swam a quarter of a mile on his birthday recently. A most interesting and charming man. We both felt most honoured to have met him."

R. I. P.:

We publish, with deep regret, news of the passing of -
 Mrs Annie Bonner, in England, on 10th July. Aged 74
 James Smith, in Glasgow, Scotland, on 28th October. 63.
 Lawrence (Pop) Lazarus, in Montevideo, Uruguay, on 23rd Nov. 86.
 Victor Johnson, in Stanley, on 3rd December 75.
 Mrs Isabella Bowles, in Stanley, on 5th December. 80.
 James Perry, at Comodoro Rivadavia, Argentina, on 16th Dec. 68
 Mrs Florence (Lola) Berntsen, in Stanley, on 18th Dec. 80.
 Ernesto Guillermo Rowe, in Stanley, on 22nd December. 80.
 Mrs Margaret (Peggy) Biggs, in Buenos Aires, Argentina, on 29th
 December. 58
 Mrs S.J. Burke (née Steel) in Australia, on 10th July. 83.
 Mrs Burke was born at Tranquilidad, Falkland Islands.
 Miss Joan Ward, in England. B.A.S. Secretary from 1955 to 1958.
Correction: Issue No. 2. W.H.C. (Ben) Watson passed away on
 22nd August, not 8th as published - we regret this error

RIFLE CLUB NEWS:

The Stanley Cup Competition was shot off after the Parade on 8th December, with the following winning results:

200 yards - R. Betts, Stan Smith, T. Pettersson 34 each out of a possible 35, and possibles of 30 for Rapid, giving each a score of 64. H. Ford 63, R. Henricksen 62.

300 y rds - R. Betts 34, R. Henricksen 32, S. Smith 31, T. Pettersson 30.

500 yards - R. Betts 34, R. Henricksen 34, S. Smith 31.

Final Scores - (Possible 135) R. Betts 132, R. Henricksen 128,
S. Smith 126.

BIRTHS:

K. E. M. Hospital

- Dec 23rd: GWYNN RICHARD PATRICK to Mr and Mrs Pat Morrison of Stanley. Gwynn is the grandson of Mr and Mrs Rory Morrison of Stanley.
- 13th: HAMISH to Mr and Mrs Don Davidson of West Point Island - 8 lb. 6 oz.
- 24th: MARA NOELLE to Mr and Mrs D.D. Doinbrook of Hill Cove. 8 lb. 5 oz. Mara's parents come from the U.S.A.
- 28th: HEATHER to Dr F.C. (Derek) and Mrs Cox of Stanley - 8 lb. 0oz.

WEDDING:

Harrison - Kerr

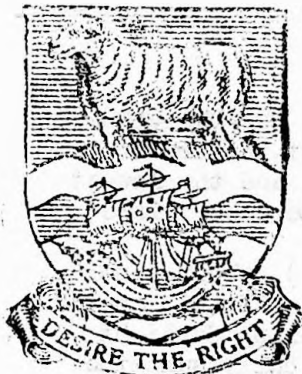
In Christ Church Cathedral on 20th December, the Rev. Gerald Smith officiated at the wedding of Jane, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Jim Kerr of Stanley, and Royal Marine Michael Harrison. Jane looked enchanting in a white dress, with a guipere lace bodice and high Victorian collar. The sleeves were of chiffon and ended in deep lace cuffs. The billowing chiffon skirt, with a deep frill, ended in a long train. A long veil and simple lace headband completed the lovely bridal outfit and Jane carried a bouquet of heather and mixed roses.

The bride's sister, Julia, made a very charming bridesmaid, and Royal Marine St John Payne acted as best man.

Our best wishes to Jane and Michael for many happy years ahead.

BATTLE DAY PARADE:

On the 8th December, the sixty-first anniversary of the Battle of the Falklands was marked by a Memorial Service in Christ Church Cathedral. Detachments from the Royal Marines, F.I.D. Force and Girls' and Boys' Brigades attended. After the Service, His Excellency the Governor took the salute of the Detachments at Victory Green, from where a Salute of 17 Guns was fired.



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WEDDING:

Keane - Berntsen

The 11th October was a bright and sunny day at Port San Carlos when Alva Rosemarie, only daughter of Mrs Mary and the late Iars Berntsen, and Thomas James Keane were married.

The wedding ceremony was performed by Mr Alan Miller, who had been appointed a Registrar for the occasion.

Alva looked lovely in a long slender dress of the most gorgeous sculptured satin, the beauty of which lay in the simplicity of style and richness of the material. The high Empire line was emphasised with delicate daisies and the ends of the long fitted sleeves repeated this effect. The back draped into a short elegant train, whilst the front was gently shaped to give ease of movement. A simple white rose and diamente clasp held Alva's filmy white circular waist-length veil in place.

Alva's nieces Diana and Gina Berntsen and Katrina Clarke made beautiful little bridesmaids, and Tom's best man was Bryce Espie.

Alva and Tom are to make their home at Elephant Beach, and we wish them every happiness for the future.

WEATHER NOTES:

December, 1975.

December, 1975, was a cold month. The average temper-

ature was 7.3C (45.1F) and, apart from 1971, was the coldest December for the past 20 years. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 18.4C (66.1F), and the lowest -1.1C (30.0F), the lowest night minimum in December since 16th December, 1958.

The total rainfall was 70.7 mm (2.78 in), about 4 mm more than is usual at this time of the year. It did appear to be wetter as 52.2 mm of the total fell during daylight hours, 9.00 a.m. to 9.00 p.m. The average daily sunshine was 6.6 hours, just about average for December.

The average wind speed was 11 knots, the lowest since comparable records have been kept at Stanley Met. The highest gust recorded was 45 knots late in the morning of 14th. There was one hour when the hourly wind speed was of gale force and 367 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground frost was recorded on nine occasions, about three more than is usual for December.

In brief, a cold, wet month, with sunshine just average, and less windy than usual.

ISLANDER IN THE ROYAL NAVY:

Kelvin Summers, son of Mr and Mrs Philip Summers of Stanley, who left the Colony to join the Royal Navy, did so in October, 1974. Kelvin is now serving as an A.B. on H.M.S. Endurance and has been able to visit his parents whenever Endurance is in Stanley.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS:

Policewoman: Mrs Rose Livermore transferred from the Public Works Office (the Colony's first Policewoman).

Police Constables: Mr Ron Murray from duties as a Camp Teacher, and Mr Leon Berntsen, late of Port Stephens.

Senior Clerk, P.W.D.: Mr Stan Smith from the post of Clerk, Central Store.

SILVER WEDDINGS OF FOUR Kelpers:

January 5th was a red-letter day in the lives of
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THE OSBORNE BOYS:

Mrs Dolly and the late George Osborne left the Colony some years ago, with their children, to settle in New Zealand. One of the sons and a grandson are mentioned in sports in a New Zealand newspaper.

Kin, the son, in a seven days' road race, covering 422 miles, came third in 69 hours 22 seconds (over six miles an hour). Brian, the grandson, and five other boys, competed as a junior team in a Boys' Brigade Battalion cross country championship and won, taking home the McIntosh Shield.

Brian received special congratulations for his second outright win in successive years.

ANOTHER NEW ZEALAND NOTE:

A note in a letter from New Zealand dated 5th January: "Weatherwise it is not yet suitable for holidaying" - so we are not the only unfortunates suffering from a summer of "more rain and less rain".

NORWEGIAN YACHT:

The two-masted Norwegian yacht "Presiosa", Captain P.A. Ondal and crew of three, arrived at Stanley on 16th January. Length 16½ metres, net tonnage 27. The yacht left on 30th.

STUDY OF SEA BIRDS:

Dr and Mrs Pierre Devillers visited the Colony from 17th November to 29th December. The Doctor was studying the sea birds of the Falklands and his work is sponsored by the Belgian Department of National Education and Scientific Research and by the King Leopold III Foundation.

SERVICES RENDERED:

For the past 24 years Mr S.C. (Bus) Aldridge has made the weekly (Saturday) run to Cape Penbroke Lighthouse with the Relief Keeper and stores. When it is remembered that Bus retired from full-time work some 16 years ago, and that the trips are made in bad as well as good weather, this is quite a record of long service.

WEDDING: Binnie - Jenkins

At the Registrar's Office on 3rd January, Teresa Beatrice, daughter of Mr and Mrs Malcolm Binnie, was married to Royal Marine Michael Jenkins. Teresa's bridesmaids were Julia Kerr, Anita Lee and Carmen Miranda, and the best man was Royal Marine Adam Simpson.

SCHOOL BURSAR'S VISIT:

Mrs Lichtenberger, who visited the Colony recently, is the Bursar of the British Schools in Montevideo, Uruguay, where many local scholars received (and are receiving) secondary education.

Mrs Lichtenberger spent two weeks at Government House as the guest of their Excellencies the Governor and Mrs French, who is her sister. She was recognised for her services to British public interests in Uruguay in the New Year's Honours by being made a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

A party was held at Government House where Mrs Lichtenberger met pupils of Government School and their parents. Among the guests were three former students who had been to school in Uruguay - Mrs Velna Malcolm, Mr Bill Etheridge and Mr Rex Browning.

SHIPPING AT STANLEY: To 27th January.

"Lindblad Explorer" (cruise vessel) arrived for the day on 4th.

"Academic Knipovich" on 8th; left for Southern Waters 9th.

"Cabo San Gonzalo" 13th from Buenos Aires; left 18th - landed materials for extension to temporary airstrip.

"Enrico C" (cruise vessel) for the day on 17th.

"Anna Bewa" (charter vessel) 18th; left 26th.

R.R.S. John Biscoe for Antarctica on 8th.

R.R.S. Bransfield for Antarctica on 8th.

H.M.S. Endurance to South Georgia 10th, taking the Lord Shackleton and party, returned 18th; left 19th.

R.F.A. Tide Surge arrived on 26th.

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PASSENGRES:

December (contd)

- 15th: Arrived: Mr & Mrs M. Waldron (F.I.C. Director).
 Departed: Mr & Mrs G. Johnston & Carol, Mr & Mrs J. Robertson & 2 children, Mrs S. Clements, Mrs M. Herbert, V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve.
- 16th: Arrived: 17 others.
 Departed: Miss Dilys Bonner.
- 17th: Arrived by R.R.S. Bransfield - Mr Lewis Clifton.
- 23rd: Arrived: V/C C. & Mrs Bloomer-Reeve, daughter & 2 sons, Mrs S. Clements & Fiona, Mrs M. Villanueva, Messrs. A.A. Collins, N.E. Rowe, R. Rowe, C. Rowe, I. Strange, J. Watson, 5 local students returning home for holidays.
 Departed: Dr P. & Mrs Devillers, Miss T. Volga, Messrs. G. Cadman, O. Leech, D. MacIntyre, M. Reeve, J. Woodward.
- 29th: Arrived: Mr J. Woodward.
 Departed: Miss S. Coutts, Messrs R. Poole, R. Rowe, N. Rowe.

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"Others" indicate the number of Tourists, personnel of Y.P.F., Johnston Construction Co., etc. Unless otherwise shown all arrivals and departures are by aeroplane.

- 3rd: H.M.S. Endurance: Economic Team under Lord Shackleton (See page 7 for names).
- 5th: Arrived: Messrs O. Leech, D. MacIntyre, 22 Others.
 Departed: Mr & Mrs R. Henriksen & 2 children, Mr & Mrs R. Roden, Miss T. Canas, Messrs E. Anderson (Jnr), C. Rowe, Student Alistair Kerr.
- 6th: Arrived: 35 Others.
 Departed: Mrs E. McLaren & child, 5 others.
- 12th: Arrived: Miss S. Coutts, Mr & Mrs J. Forster, Messrs G. Cadman, S.J. Smith, A. Simpson, 16 Others.
 Departed: Mr & Mrs D. Jones & 2 children, Mrs D. Clifton, Miss F. Clements, Mr R. McLeod, 17 Others.
- 13th: Arrived: 3 Others.
 Departed: Mrs Jeanette Smith, 10 Others.

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ANOTHER ROUND THE WORLD RACER:

The racing schooner "C.S. & R.B. II" arrived at Stanley on 31st.

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Walter (Billie) and Thora Richards (née Biggs) who celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary on that date. And the 6th saw Douglas and Minnie Morrison (née Pallini) celebrating the same event. We wish them every happiness for the next 25 (or more) years.

THE NAME "FALKLAND":

Mr and Mrs Clement Salem visited their son and daughter-in-law in Stanley recently. Mrs Salem told us that her daughter (by a previous marriage) is married to a direct descendant of the Lord Falkland after whom our Islands are named.

Every male member of the descent, including her little grandson, have had included in their Christian names, the name "Falkland".

TRIBUTES TO ANTARCTIC EXPLORER:

At a simple ceremony, in mid-January, Lord Shackleton laid a wreath on the grave of his father, Sir Ernest Shackleton, in South Georgia.

A wreath was also laid on behalf of His Excellency the Governor and people of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies.

ECONOMIC TEAM:

The full team, examining the economy of the Falkland Islands, is made up as follows: Lord Shackleton (Chairman), Mr P.S. Mould (Team Leader), Mr P.J. Williams (Fiscal Expert), Mr R. Johnson (Oil), Mr G. Eddy (Fisheries), Mr Huw Williams (Animal Husbandry), Mr R. Storey (Sociologist), Mr D. Keeling (F.C.O. Secretary), Miss M. Howl (P.A. to Chairman), Miss G. Bodily (Secretary).

£10 CURRENCY NOTES:

The Financial Secretary is to be congratulated for introducing Falkland Islands £10 notes into the Colony. The first of these time saving notes were put into circulation on 19th January.

BIRTHS: Overseas

Jan 3rd: DAVID ALAN to Mr and Mrs Alan Keep (Shirley Rozee) in Scotland. Shirley's grandfather was the late R. (Dick) Larsen.

K. E. N. Hospital

11th: WAYNE NEIL to Mr and Mrs Ian Jaffray (Ellen Stewart) of Darwin - 9 lb. 14 oz. Ellen's grandmother is Mrs E. (Nell) McCallum of Stanley.

13th: PAUL to Mr and Mrs John Ford (Hazel McLeod) of Darwin - 8 lb. 6 oz. Paul's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Willie McLeod of Stanley.

R. I. P.:

Robert James Burns in Cornwall, England, on 5th January. Aged 56.

John Lehen in Southampton, England, on 10th January. 46.
We extend our sympathy to the bereaved.

BIRTHS: K.E.N. Hospital

Jan 24th: IAN JOHN to Mr and Mrs Reg Davis (Aase Kenny) of Salvador - 6 lb. 12 oz. Ian's grandparents are Mrs Thelma and the late Norman Kenny.

29th: SUSANNE to Mr and Mrs Terry Clarke (Fiona Bonner) of Stanley - 7 lb. 7 oz. Susanne's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Ronnie Clarke.

FRIENDS OF THE FALKLANDS:

Mrs Kitty Bertrand of Carcass Island writes in a letter to us recently that the December number of the Falkland Islands Philatelic Study Group mentions that Lord Shackleton is Vice-President of the "Friends of the Falklands" in the United Kingdom. The Lord met many of these friends recently.

SECOND INDUSTRY??:

A news snippet reported that Robert Maddocks had set a crab pot at Fox Bay on 2nd January, leaving it set for two days. The pot was too heavy to lift into the dinghy so Robert towed it to shore and hoisted it out of the water by davits - his catch, 450 crabs!!

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WEDDING:

Luxton ... Hansen

Beautiful sunshine, a lovely bride - what more could a bridegroom wish for on his day of days. And the chosen day was an appropriate one, Valentine's Day, 14th February.

Christ Church Cathedral was the setting for all this when Nicola, only daughter of Mr and Mrs Ray Hansen of Hill Cove, and Michael, only son of Mr and Mrs Henry Luxton of Stanley, were joined in Holy Matrimony by the Rev. Gerald Smith.

Nicola looked charming in a full-length off-white chiffon dress with a round neckline. The sleeves were formed by a cape fitted from the gathered yoke to the V-neckline at the back. Nicola also wore a bridal picture hat, of the same colour as the dress, trimmed with lace, and a matching bow. The bride was attended by four pretty bridesmaids, attractively attired - they were Shelly Morrison, Alison Thom, Lisa Watson and Cara McKay. Michael's best man was James Lee and Dave Thom and Wallace Hirtle the Ushers.

Nicola and Michael are to make their home in Stanley, where Michael is Senior Clerk in the Treasury. We join with all others in wishing them all good fortune in the years ahead.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

We offer our congratulations to three couples who reached important dates in their married lives since the New Year.

Ruby Anniversary

Mr and Mrs Steve Smith (Bessie Newing), of Portsmouth, England on 18th January.

Silver Anniversaries

Mr and Mrs H.L. Bound (Joan Biggs) of Stanley, on 7th February.

Mr and Mrs Basil Reive (Heather McCarthy) of New Zealand, on 19th February.

LOCAL BISLEY MEETING, 1976:

Competitions on the Rifle Range were shot off on 7th, 8th and 14th February, and the following is a short list of winners in order of placings.

Bishop's Trophy: R. Betts 62, Stan Smith 61, D. Hansen 61, G. Cheek 61.

1st Stage Championship (Douthwaite Trophy): R. Betts 95, Tin Dobbys 88, E. Williams 88.

Open 500 & 600 yards: R. Betts 94, H. Ford 86, T. Pettersson 86.

Consolation H'cap: T. Pettersson 133, Mrs V. Malcolm 115+14, D. Thorpe 123+5.4, J. Draper 122+5.6, G. McBain 102+19.2.

F.I.C. Centenary Challenge Cup: T. Pettersson 133.

2nd Stage Championship: R. Betts 131, W. Felton 126, H. Ford 125.

F.I.C. H'cap: R. Betts 96, K. Summers 89+3.2, P. Johnson 81+9.6.

Grand Aggregate (Hamilton Challenge Cup): R. Betts 347, Doug Hansen 319, K. Summers 317.

Junior Grand Aggregate: K. Summers 258, H. Ford 251, J. Bound 250.

Final Stage Championship (Challenge Cup): R. Betts 131+125, S. Smith 124+132, H. Ford 125+124.

Consortium Cup: J. Draper 127+4.6, P. Howton 126+4.8, Gerald Cheek 128.

Bonner Memorial Tean Trophy: R. Betts 94, T. Pettersson 93, P. Johnson 87 = 274; H. Ford 90, W. Felton 86, E. Fuhlendorff 81 = 257; K. Summers 84, P. Howton 78, J. Draper 93 = 255.

N.R.A. Medal: R. Betts 94.

Individual Knockout H'cap 1976: R. Betts.

Well done, Ron, for an outstanding performance - nine personal firsts in one set of competitions must be a record anywhere in the world.

HIGH SEAS DRAMA:

On 4th February R.R.S. Shackleton was intercepted by an Argentine destroyer, the "Almirante Storni", in a position 73 miles south of Stanley. The destroyer ordered "Shackleton" to proceed to Ushuaia in Argentina - this Captain P. Warne refused to do. He was then ordered to stop his engines - he again refused, upon which the destroyer fired shots across the "Shackleton's" bows. Captain Warne doggedly and courageously continued at full speed for Stanley, with the destroyer following, reaching the port safely at 5.15 p.m. The destroyer's excuse for this action against the "Shackleton" was that the latter vessel was "in Argentine territorial waters".

His Excellency the Governor and Great Britain sent strong letters of protest to the Argentine Government.

On her departure on 17th R.R.S. Shackleton moved up the Harbour to a point opposite Government House before making her way to the Narrows - this is usually accepted as a "good-bye" signal, and we wish her safe voyagings in the years ahead.

NEWS OF A FORMER COLONIAL SECRETARY:

A newspaper cutting reports that Mr W. A. Thompson is now Town Clerk in Brightlingsea, Essex. Mr and Mrs Thompson, a very popular couple here, lived in the Colony from 1963 to 1969, where he was Colonial Secretary and acted as Governor occasionally. Before taking up his present appointment he was Commissioner in Anguilla.

In these inflationary days Mr Thompson has made a deflationary gesture by suggesting a cut of £500 a year in his salary and movement to a cheaper office.

CHRISTENING:

Overseas

The Rev. P.J. Helyer passed us the following note. On Sunday, January 25th, at Streat Church, Hassocks, Sussex, Rebecca Elizabeth, daughter of Rodger and Norna Edwards (née Porter) was baptised by the Rector, Rev. P.J. Helyer (formerly Hon. Canon, Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley). The baptism cake was made by the proud father. Also present were Norna's mother, and godparents Lt. (RN) and Mrs Swan and Mr and Mrs Hukins. Padre and Mrs Mary Helyer were the hosts.

JOAN BOUND (NEWSAGENCY)BOXED WRITING PAPER & ENVELOPES

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WEDDING: Anderson ... Lowe

The wedding took place at St Paul's Church, East Boldre, Hants, England, on 7th February, of Jimmy Anderson and Debra Lowe, late of the Falkland Islands. The Rev. Patrick Helyer assisted the Rev. D. Goddard, who performed the ceremony.

Debra looked lovely in a long crepe gown, the crochet bodice of which set off the gown and train. Her long veil was held in place by a coronet of small pearls, and she carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

The bridesmaids were Gillian and Larina Lowe, Karen and Paula Lewis, nieces of Debra, Gina Desborough, niece of Jimmy, and Sandra Webster. The best man was the groom's brother, Billy.

Debra and Jimmy are to make their home in England, and we wish them every happiness in the years ahead.

WEATHER NOTES: January, 1976.

The month was a remarkably sunny one. The average daily sunshine was 9.1 hours, the highest for any month since comparable records have been kept at Stanley Met.

The total rainfall was 89.9 mm (3.54 in), nearly one inch above the average, and the wettest January since 1967.

The average temperature was 9.2C (48.7F), just a little above what would be expected at this time of year. The highest recorded was 21.4C (70.5F), and the lowest 0.9C (33.6F) on the night of 19th/20th.

The average wind speed was 10.4 k., about five k. less than usual, and the lowest January wind speed since, at least, 1951. The highest gusts recorded were 50 k. on the night of 8th/9th. There were three hours when the average hourly wind was of gale force, and 385 hours when it was of 10 k. or less. There were six occasions of ground frost, four more than is usual for January.

In brief, a sunny but wet month, much less wind than is usual for January, with temperatures about normal.

Ed: New Zealand note on January weather there: "We have had a wet summer and January has been the wettest this century".

SHIPPING: 27 Jan 22 Feb.

The yacht "Presiosa" left on 30th, continuing her cruise, via Cape Horn. A report stated that the yacht had rounded the

dreaded Cape safely on 4th.

R.F.A. Tidesurge left 31st, taking Lord Shackleton and party.

Racing schooner "C.S. & R.B." arrived 31st, left 4th.

R.R.S. Shackleton arrived 4th (see page 3), left 17th.

H.M.S. Endurance arrived 4th, left on 18th.

Cruise vessel "Lindblad Explorer" called for the day 5th.

"Cabo San Gonzalo" arrived 6th, discharged material for temporary airstrip, and left on 11th.

"Academic Knipovich" (Russian research) arrived 9th, left on 10th.

R.R.S. John Biscoe arrived 20th, left for S. Georgia 21st.

"Weser" and "Walther Herwig" (German fishing trawlers) arrived 20th, left 22nd.

LAY READER PREACHES IN STANLEY:

We were privileged to hear Captain P. Warne, Master of R.R.S. Shackleton, who is a Lay Reader in the United Kingdom, read his Sermon from the Pulpit in Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday, 15th February.

NEWS OF AN ISLANDER:

Mrs Anne Craggs (née Rowlands) writes to say that she is sitting for "O" levels and has done well in English. The Principal at the College wants Anne to train as a music teacher. Anne is Organist and Choir Mistress at St. Augustine's Church, Mansfield.

"ANNA BEWA'S" LOCAL CREW MEMBERS:

Two local lads signed on as A.B's before the "Anna Bewa" (Charter vessel) left on 26th January - they are Terry Allan, son of Mr and Mrs John Allan, and Alistair Minto, son of Mr and Mrs Len Minto, all of Stanley.

ENGAGEMENT:

Mr and Mrs Douglas Goodwin announced the engagement of their daughter, Sybella, to Mr Terence Summers, of Fitzroy, son of Mr and Mrs Keith Summers of Stanley.

NATURE NOTE:

Mr Simon Miller, of Roy Cove, reports that he saw two flamingos in Dunbar Pond on 5th February.

BIRTHS:

Overseas

Jan 20th: Son to John and Valdabeth Walsh in the United Kingdom. John was the last Lt-Comdr. of the Hovercraft Unit when it was stationed at Stanley.

K.E.M. Hospital

Feb 17th: KATHERINE EMMA to Mr and Mrs John Robinson of Johnston Construction Ltd. - 8 lb. 7 oz.

R. I. P:

An obituary notice reported the passing of Mrs May Cole in England in January. Mrs Cole will be remembered by many in the Islands, as her late husband, A.J. Cole, was Chief Engineer on R.M.S. Darwin for a tour of duty.

Mrs Kathleen (Billy) Anderson in Stanley on 21st February. Aged 69.

We offer our sympathy to all left to mourn.

PASSENGERS:

January continued

13th: Arrived - 3 Others.

Departed - Mrs J. Biggs (not Smith), 10 Others.

19th: Arrived - Mr & Mrs J. Booth & Sandra, 14 Others.

Departed - Mrs G. Bloomer-Reeve, son & 2 daughters, Messrs F. Coleman, R. Packer, R. Reid, J. Watson, & 11.

20th: Arrived - Mrs J. Biggs, Messrs R. McLeod, R. Reid, & 15.

Departed - Mrs M. Cronin, Mrs Sandra Hirtle, Miss J. McHugh, 3 Others.

26th: Arrived - Mrs Ann Cameron & son John, Miss T. Canas, Messrs R. Packer, I.R. Sinclair, D.J. Wilson (B.B.C. Reporter), 17 Others.

Departed - Mr & Mrs D. Peck, Mrs R. Reid & 6 children, Mr R. Stocks, 19 others.

February

2nd: Arrived - Mrs Sandra Hirtle, Mr M. Reeve, 11 Others.

Departed - V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve, Messrs I. Fairley, D. Masters, B. Stocks, D.J. Wilson, 19 Others.

3rd: Arrived - V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve, Mrs R.J. Clarke & granddaughter, Mrs R. Reid & 6 children.

Departed - 10 Others.

9th: Arrived - Mrs M. Cronin, Miss J. McHugh, Miss T. Volpi, Mr D. Masters, 21 Others.

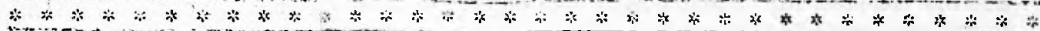
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WEDDINGS:

McLeod ... Gray

On 20th February the wedding took place in Southampton, England, between Denis, son of Mr Archie and the late Mrs McLeod, and Sheila Gray of Southampton.

Denis was born in the Falklands, and had been a crew member of R.M.S. Darwin for many years. He left the Colony to go and live in England a number of years ago.

Our best wishes go out to Sheila and Denis.

Berntsen ... Rosario Diaz

In Stanley, on 28th February, in the Registrar's Office, Mr H. Bennett officiated at the wedding of Valdamar Berntsen and Cecilia del Rosario Diaz. The witnesses were Mr and Mrs Trevor Berntsen.

Cecilia looked charming in a blue nylon dress. She also wore a small head-band of fresh flowers and carried a bouquet of fresh flowers.

We join with their relatives and friends in wishing Val and Cecilia a happy future

Aldridge ... Porter

Glorious sunshine attended the wedding at Fox Bay East on 28th February, when Caroline, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs George Porter of Fox Bay East, and Ken, eldest son of Mr and

Mrs Tom Aldridge of Main Point, were joined in marriage.

Mr Charles Maddocks, who conducted the ceremony, is the Deputy-Registrar at Fox Bay East.

Caroline looked lovely in a full-length A-line gown of white nylon. The gown had a built-in train with a frilled edge which, fitted to the elbows of the long sleeves, flared out below and gathered out again at the waist. Her short veil was held in place by a head-band of orange blossom, and she carried a Prayer Book and silver boot.

Caroline was attended by two charming bridesmaids, her sister Dierdree, and Nicola Reive, a cousin of the groom. Ken's best man was Jen Harvey.

We wish Caroline and Ken every happiness in the years ahead.

Laffi ... Ferguson

The wedding took place at Roy Cove, on 6th March, of Kathy Ferguson and Atilio Laffi. Mr and Mrs Bob Alazia were the witnesses, and Mr Simon Miller had been appointed a Registrar to perform the ceremony.

Best wishes to Kathy and Atilio.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: March, 1951.

We offer our congratulations to four couples who were married in the Colony in March, 1951, and who celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversaries on the dates shown:

2nd: Mr and Mrs George Holland (Isabella McLeod) in the U.K.

3rd: Mr and Mrs James Kidd (Alva Pettersson) of Reading, U.K.

17th: Mr and Mrs Harry Ford (Betty Skilling) of Stanley.

31st: Mr and Mrs Murdo Beaton (Evelyn Anderson) in the U.K.

FEBRUARY WEATHER NOTES: From Stanley Met.

February, 1976, with an average daily sunshine of 7.4 hours, was the sunniest February since, at least, 1950. The average temperature was 10.3C (50.5F), 1.3C above the normal for the time of year, and the warmest February for, at least, 25 years. The highest temperature recorded was 19.8C (67.6F) on 11th, and the lowest was 2.8C (37.0F) on the night of 20th/21st.

The total rainfall was 33.5 mm (1.319 in), about 20 mm less than is usual for February, and the driest February since 1969.

The average wind speed was 9.4 k, nearly 7 k less than that expected for February. There were 433 hours when the average wind speed was of 10 k or less and none when it was of gale force. The highest gust recorded was 47 k early on 16th. Only one ground frost was recorded during the month.

In brief, a warm, sunny and dry month, with considerably less wind than usual.

R.S.A. EXAMINATION RESULTS:

We are always pleased to be able to publish news of local students who have successfully passed in their selected subjects. Pass w.c. = Pass, with credit.

	Shorthand	Arithmetic	Book-keeping	Typing
	80 w.p.m.	Stage 1	Stage 1	Stage 2
Una Summers	Pass	Pass w.c.	Pass	Pass
	50 w.p.m.			
Kathleen Dobbys	Pass	-	Pass w.c.	Pass
Teresa Dobbys	-	-	Pass	Pass
Len McGill	-	-	Pass w.c.	Pass w.c.
Cora McGill	-	-	-	Pass
Cheryl Johnson	-	Pass	-	-

THE POLAR MEDAL:

Fourteen awards of the Polar Medal to B.A.T.S. personnel were recently announced:

1948/49 Ir R.M. Laws, 1960/72 Capt. M.J. Cole, 1965/66 Dr I. Everson, D.W. Matthews, M.M. Samuel, 1966 R.M. Lloyd (M.O.), Dr R.I. Lewis-Smith, P.I. Whiteman, 1966/67 R.H. Thomas, 1967/68 J.R. Dudeney, W.A. Etchells, C.G. Smith, L.E. Willey, 1968/69 P.D. Clarkson.

AIRCRAFT FOR CHARTRES FARM:

On Saturday, 20th March, a blue and white Cesana Skyhawk aircraft, identical to the 'plane owned by Mr Robin Pitaluga of Salvador, was landed on the temporary airstrip by Pilot John Levine. We understand that Mr Bill Luxton will fly the 'plane.

SUPPER PARTY:

On 15th March the Captain, Officers and Ship's Company of H.M.S. Endurance gave a Supper Party for the Senior Citizens of Stanley in the Town Hall. Dancing followed the supper and all

who attended enjoyed themselves fully and are looking forward to another such outing.

POSTAGE STAMPS:

Colony issues: Proof sets of the Sheepfarming issue are on show in the Secretariat showcase - in excellent colours they are: 2p Gathering Sheep, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ p Shearing Sheep, 10p Dipping Sheep, 20p Local Ship loading Wool. These are to be issued on 28th April.

Government proposes to produce a Christmas stamp issue in 1978.

B.A.T. Silver Jubilee Issue: February, 1977. Each Territory will issue three stamps - denominations are not yet known. B.A.T. stamps will depict the taking of the Coronation Oath by Her Majesty the Queen, and a facsimile of the Oath; those for the Colony, the Dean of Westminster anointing the Queen, the Ampulla and Spoon used in the anointing; those for South Georgia, will show Her Majesty in recess at the end of the Coronation Service, and a General View of the departure from the Abbey. The third stamp for each Territory will depict a scene from the visit of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh in 1957.

F. I. D. F. PROMOTIONS:

The Commandant was pleased to announce the award of the following promotions with effect from 26th March:

Force Sergeant Major H.T. Luxton to Second-Lieutenant,
Colour Sergeant B. W. Ford to Second-Lieutenant.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENT:

Mr Tom Royans arrived on 23rd March to take up the appointment of Superintendent of Works. Mr Royans served in this post from 1968 to 1974.

L. A. D. E. FLIGHTS:

After Tuesday, 30th March, L.A.D.E. flights were, until further notice, scheduled to operate on Thursday of each week from Comodoro Rivadavia.

Vice-Comodoro Rodolfo A. Carnelli replaced Vice-Comodoro C. Bloomer-Reeve as Officer-in-Charge, L.A.D.E. in Stanley.

JOHNNIE WALKER BORN 1820, STILL GOING STRONG!

Are you still going strong? The best way to find out is to sharpen your Darts, get some practice in, and come to this year's Johnnie Walker Darts Competition in the Town Hall.

Actual dates have not yet been decided, but the competition will be held during the 'May Week'. Prizes will be the same as last year - these are:

Open Competition

1st	£45
2nd	£25
3rd	£10
4th	£7

Ladies Competition

1st	£15
2nd	£10
3rd	£7
4th	£6

Prize winners will each receive one bottle of Johnnie Walker Red Label Whisky in addition.

The Tournament will be under Dart Club Rules.

Entrance is free to the Tournament, but an admission fee of 10p for entry to the Hall will be charged.

As there will be a licensed Bar no one under the age of 18 years will be admitted.

NEWS FROM THE F.I. COMMITTEE:

The local Branch of the Falkland Islands Committee received the following telegram from the U.K. Branch on 24th March:

"All problems here in hand. Excellent response to your appeal. Co-operation with H.M.G. improving".

H.M.S. CHICHESTER:

The Colony is again to be honoured by a visit of another of Her Majesty's Ships, the "Chichester", due to arrive on 28th May and to leave on 11th June. Port Stanley was for many years a British Naval Base and warships spent long periods in the Port. We all extend a hearty welcome to H.M.S. Chichester and hope her stay will be a happy one.

ELECTORS' LISTS:

Prepared for the forthcoming General Elections, to be held in May, 1976, the Electors' Lists show - Stanley 646, East Falklands 256, West Falklands 216, a total of 1118 people eligible to vote.

RED CROSS:

The local Branch of the Red Cross Society organised a sale of clothing, cakes and raffle tickets on Saturday, 27th March. The sale was held in the Parish Hall and realised over £200.

FOR SALE:

Second hand "Fawn" stove - boiler recently fitted - some spare parts. Please apply to W. Hirtle.

SHIPPING:

Up to 3rd April.

R.R.S. Bransfield - 29th February to 2nd March. 29th March
"Bahia Buen Suceso" (Argentine) 5th to 7th March. to 3rd Apr.
R.R.S. John Biscoe - 18th to 19th March.
Polish yacht "Gedania" - 20th to 22nd March; crew of 9,
length 20.2 metres, breadth 5.21 metres, net tons 41.

W.M.S.C. SPORTS:

The Children's Sports Meeting, organised and run by the Working Men's Social Club, was held in Government Paddock on

Saturday, 6th March. It was a calm, sunny day, and the children taking part enjoyed themselves immensely. Thank you organisers.

STEER RIDING:

At the Fitzroy Sports Meeting held recently, one of the highlights of the occasion was Steer Riding. For the fourth time Ian McPhee won this contest with 152 points, followed by Ron Binnie with 141, Harry Rozee third with 131, Paul Bonner fourth 128 points. Others with over 100 points were Ron Rozee 121, Gerard McKay 118, Eric Goss and John Birmingham 111 each, Keith Heathman 104.

PASSENGERS:

February (contd)

16th: Arrived: Dr Dunnett (Upland Goose Expert), Mr M. Frenchman ("Times" reporter), 23 others.

17th: Departed: Mr & Mrs P. Luxton & 2 children, Mr & Mrs B. Turner, Mstr. D. Thain, 15 others.

23rd: Arrived: Mrs E. McLaren & Tony, Mr J. Parr, 14 others.
Departed: V/C C. Bloomer-Reeve, Mr & Mrs M. Binnie, Mrs Ada Cartmell, Miss S. Summers, Messrs T. Hansen, John Cameron, 17 others. Dr Dunnett.

March

2nd: Arrived: Mr & Mrs N.C. Rowe & child, Mr R.D. Gray, Mstr. D. Thain, 21 others.

Departed: Mr & Mrs T. Peck & 4 children, Miss F. Peck, Mrs E. Spall, Mrs A. Cameron, Mr W. Alazia, Mr M. Frenchman, 12 others.

9th: Arrived: Mr & Mrs N.H. Rowe, Mr G. Weeks, 10 others.

10th: Departed: Mr & Mrs A.J.P. Monk, Mr & Mrs H.W. Stewart, Mrs S. Sosa & 2 children, Mrs F.M. Short, Mrs V. Spruce, 14 others.

16th: Arrived: (1st 'Plane) Mr & Mrs R. Smith & Sharon, Mr & Mrs M. Binnie, Mr G. Johnston, Mstr. J. Jones, 10 others
Departed: Dr F. Cox, Mrs C. Gooch, Mr J. Wallace, Mstr. M. Jones, 19 Students to Argentina, 2 others.

Arrived: (2nd 'Plane) 4 others.

Departed: Mrs R. Robertson, Messrs W. Berntsen, T. Dobbys, F. Gooch, J. Newton-Taylor, Students 6 to Uruguay, 1 to Argentina, 13 others.

BIRTHS: K.E.M. Hospital

- Mar 4th: JARLATH MARTIN to Mr and Mrs Tommy Costello of Johnston Construction Limited - 8 lb. 7 oz.
- 14th: KARL to Mr and Mrs Les Harris (Jill Goss) of Stanley - 8 lb. $1\frac{3}{4}$ oz. Karl's grandparents are Mr and Mrs W.H. Goss of Stanley.
- 23rd: CHRISTOPHER to Mr and Mrs Roger Hillman of Darwin School - 7 lb. 15 oz.
- 25th: THOMAS FREDERICK to Anne Strange and Tony Chater of Stanley - 6 lb. 7 oz.
- Overseas
- Feb 11th: RICHARD GRAHAM to Mr and Mrs Graham Went (Wendy Hadfield) of Enfield, Middlesex - 8 lb. 0 oz. Wendy was our first V.S.O. Teacher and returned to the Colony after marrying Graham, where they both taught for a tour of duty.
- 27th: ADRIAN to Mr and Mrs Peter Trevelyan in England - 9 lb 5 oz. Peter and Rosemary were teachers in the Colony for a number of years.
- Mar 10th: HAZEL LOUISE to Mr and Mrs John McLean (Jennifer Duncan) of Oban, Scotland -

HORTICULTURAL PRIZE LIST 3p. PLEASE APPLY MINI REVIEW.R. I. P:

We regret having to report the deaths of -

Rev. Canon Eric Wilcockson, O.B.E., in Vancouver, Canada, on 8th February. Canon Wilcockson was an Honorary Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley, and had spent a short time in the Colony.

Mrs Elizabeth Hessey (Martin) in Australia on 23rd February. Aged 66. Mrs Hessey was a sister of Mrs Jane Clarke of Stanley.

James Watson on 20th March in Comodoro Rivadavia. Aged 78.

Mrs Lucy Robson on 25th March in Stanley. Aged 71.

Gerald Hardy on 29th March in New Zealand. Aged 24.

WEDDING: Lee ... Watson

Trudi Watson and James Lee were married in the Tabernacle on 20th March. We hope to have details for our May issue.

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PRESENTATION OF AWARDS:

At a Ceremony at Government House, His Excellency the Governor presented the Insignia of the O.B.E. to Mr Douglas Roy Morrison and the Insignia of the M.B.E. to Mr Vernon Thomas King.

The Ceremony, and Reception which followed, were attended by over 50 guests. The proceedings were filmed by the members of the I.T.V. Team, who visited the Colony recently. Falkland Islanders in Britain will have an opportunity of seeing the film in due course.

MARCH WEATHER:

Notes from the Met. Report.

March, 1976, was a wet month.

Rainfall: 73.5 mm (2.894in), about one inch more than expected for March, and only in 1968 has March been wetter in the past 25 years.

Daily Sunshine (average): 3.9 hours, just over one hour less than normal for March, and only in 1964 was there less sunshine in March since records have been kept.

Temperature (average): 7.1C (44.8F), about 1C less than usual and the coldest March since 1948. Highest recorded during the month was 15.8C (60.4F) on 5th, and the lowest 0.4C (32.7F) on 21st.

Wind Speed (average): 11 knots, about 5 knots less than

usual in March and only in 1975 was there less wind in this month. The highest gust recorded was 55 knots, late on the 4th. There were four hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force, and 376 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground Frost was recorded on 10 occasions, three more than is usual.

In brief - a cold, wet month, with sun and wind well below average.

F. I. STUDENTS "O" LEVELS:

Our congratulations to some hard-working students -
In Argentina

Jamie Robertson - 7 passes: English literature, English language, history, geography, biology, Spanish, mathematics; School Certificate - pass in technical drawing.

Kim Robertson - 3 passes: English language, English literature, geography; School Certificates - passes in history, Spanish, art.

In Uruguay

Alison King - 3 passes: English language, geography, Spanish.

John Barton - 3 passes: English language, geography, mathematics.

Colleen Alazia - Spanish Grade A.

Gavin McKillan - Mathematics Grade C.

In Stanley

Derek Clarke - Integrated Science Grade C.

SHADES OF s.s. GREAT BRITAIN:

Messrs Peter Throckmorton, Norman Browner and Hilton Mathews arrived recently to carry out surveys on some wrecks in the Falklands - "Charles Cooper" at the West Jetty, "Vicar of Bray" at Goose Green. They are also looking at "St Mary", "Snowsquall" and "Jelhum".

Mr Throckmorton, a noted marine archaeologist, said that he had seen more in one day in the Falklands than in 30 years of marine archaeology.

CATHEDRAL BELLS:

Extracts from a newsletter from Padre Smith - "For the past few weeks people in Stanley may have heard Christ Church

Cathedral bells being rung on Saturday mornings and on the afternoons of some week-days after school. The bells are being rung by some of our Church children who were keen to have a go. All we can manage at the moment is simple 'rounds' - with the bells simply ringing in sequence from treble to tenor and repeating this sequence continuously".

H.M. THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PARADE:

On the anniversary of Her Majesty the Queen's Birthday the usual Parade was held on 21st April. Detachments from the Royal Marines, Falkland Islands Defence Force, Boys' Brigade and Girls' Brigade formed up opposite the Flagpole and Dais on Victory Green, where His Excellency the Governor inspected the Detachments. The Colony flag was lowered and the Royal Standard was broken out on the flagpole. The National Anthem was played, a twenty-one gun salute fired, and the Detachments moved off towards the east, turned and marched past His Excellency the Governor, who received their salutes.

Despite some gloomy forebodings, we feel that the presence of so many Stanley residents lent more dignity to an already impressive ceremony.

WHO LANDS FIRST?:

For many months many views have been expressed as to whose aircraft would be the first to land on the permanent airstrip. Well, you need conjecture no longer, the question has been answered. An eyewitness, who sighted the event, writes: "On Tuesday, March 16th, as H.M.S. ENDURANCE was leaving port, one of her helicopters flew over Cape Pembroke and touched down on the permanent airstrip; he took off again immediately, but the Royal Navy claims the honour of being the first aircraft to land and made sure of its being British".

DEPUTY GOVERNOR DESIGNATE:

Her Majesty's Government has created a new post in the Falkland Islands - that of Deputy Governor. The first officer to be appointed to this post is Mr Gordon James
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PASSENGERS:

March (contd)

22nd: Arrived: I.T.V. Team of four, Messrs T. Dobbys, T. Royans, J. Wallace, Dr. F. Cox, Mstr M. Jones, 5 others.
Departed: Mr and Mrs G. Cheek & 2 children, Mr & Mrs T. Clifton, Miss M. Canas, Mrs M. Lee, Mr J.A. Alazia, 16 others.

29th: Arrived: Mr & Mrs T. Clifton, Mrs R. Robertson, Mrs C. Gooch, Miss J. Hardy, Messrs J.A. Alazia, F. Coleman, I. McLeod, 6 others.

Departed: Mrs P. Morrison & child, Mrs B. Harvey, Mr & Mrs N.H. Rowe, Mr & Mrs N.C. Rowe & child, Messrs G. Butler, B.W. Ford, G. Hardcastle, 12 others

April

1st: Arrived (3): Messrs W.C. Alazia, B.W. Ford, 1 other.

Departed (14): Miss N. Stephenson, 13 others.

8th: Arrived (25): Mrs M. Lee, Mrs S. Sosa & 2 children (LADE), 21 others.

Departed (17): I.T.V. Team of four, Messrs J. Allan, V.T. King, M. Sassi (LADE), 9 others.

15th: Arrived (12): Messrs T. Hansen, V.T. King, 10 others.

Departed (16): Messrs J. Abbott, R. McNally, Mrs R. Napier, Mrs S. Trise, 12 others.

22nd: Arrived (12): Mr & Mrs F. O'Reilly & 2 children, Mr S. Kanagasabai, 7 others.

Departed (25): Messrs R.T. Clarke, P. Morrison, R. Napier, D. Ryan & Susan, Mr & Mrs D. Linburn & 2 children, Mrs C. McLeod, Miss J. Luxton, Mr & Mrs I.T. Campbell, Mrs L. Fielder, Mrs S.R. Johnson, 10 others.

29th: Arrived (16): Messrs R.T. Clarke, R.S. Jaffray, 14 others.

Departed (22): Mr & Mrs R. Betts & 2 children, Mr & Mrs F.D. Howatt & Helen, Mrs T.J. Clifton & son, Messrs V. Berntsen, O. Leech, R. Murray, D.H. McMillan, James McCallum, R. Maddocks, 7 others.

30th: Departed (15): Mr R. Reid & son, Mr J. Birninghan, 12 others.

Arrived (1): 1 other.

Passengers now up-to-date

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Augustus Slater and he is due to arrive on 6th May. All expenses connected with the appointment is to be borne by the British Government.

Mr Slater, who is 54 years of age, is a Member of the British Diplomatic Service, and has seen service in Vancouver, Kuala Lumpur, Lagos, Dacca, Karachi and Port Moresby.

"SOUND OF MUSIC":

Through the efforts of Mr Joe Booth, many Stanley residents had the pleasure of viewing the very excellent musical "The Sound of Music" - thank you, on behalf of all your cinema goers, Mr Booth.

SHIPPING (In and out):

R.R.S. Bransfield - 30th March to 3rd April.

"Academic Knipovich" (Russian research) 2nd to 6th April.

"Raconteur", Australian sailing yacht of 2½ tons net arrived on 4th April, and is the smallest yacht to visit Stanley since Tom Harrison in "Sundowner" in November, 1967.

"Anne Bewa" (Charter) - 4th to 7th April, to Ushuaia, in again from 17th to 19th April.

FALKLANDS CONNECTIONS:

Mr Fred Gooch has a local note in a letter to the News-reader: "Whilst I was at our factory in Keose in the Isle of Lewis, about 12 miles over the moors and lochs from Stornoway, I had the pleasure of visiting Roddy Morrison, brother of the late Norman Morrison, and uncle of Billy Morrison, whose visit to them some years ago is remembered with great pleasure. Roddy lives just up the hill from the factory, and a little further on is 88 years old Donald McLeod who worked for many years for the Blake family, both in Hill Cove and in Patagonia. He is still hale and hearty, and wishes to be remembered to any old-timers who are left and whom he knew in those days".

NAVAL PARTIES 8901:

The new Naval Party 8901, Royal Marines under the command of Major Alan Hooper, arrived on 1st April - the retiring party left on 10th April.

FALKLAND ISLANDS BIBLIOGRAPHY:

We received recently a copy of a monumental bibliography from Miss Meg Laver of Johannesburg. This interesting work, which is entitled "An Annotated Bibliography of the Falkland Islands and the Falkland Islands Dependencies (as delimited on 3rd March, 1962), contains over 1,500 references (detailed) in 239 pages. Miss Laver submitted the bibliography for the Final Diploma in Librarianship of the University of South Africa, 1974. Thank you, Miss Laver, for your kindly interest in our little Colony.

FALKLAND ISLANDS LOCAL COMMITTEE:

An extract from a newsletter from the Committee reads: "Received by the mail on Thursday, 15th, from our London Committee is a copy of acknowledgements by Members of Parliament to our appeal of the 19th February. Some 71 Members, including Liberals, Scottish Nationals, Labour and Conservative, have already shown support to our cause - these include one from the Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, which reads: 'The Conservative Party has always given every support to the Islanders and will continue to do so'".

WEDDING:

Jane ... William

A very pretty wedding took place at Port Howard on 24th April when Jane, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Don Bonner of Port Howard, and William Cunningham were married. Padre Smith had travelled to Port Howard to officiate at the ceremony.

Jane looked lovely in a full-length white wedding dress, covered with lace netting, which had long bell-shaped sleeves with lace insets. The dress had a long train and Jane wore a netting headdress with a jewelled tiara on the top. The two bridesmaids were Jane's sisters, Carol and Joanne.

Jane and William are to settle in Ireland, and we offer our best wishes to them for the years ahead.

NEW ARRIVALS:

Mr Suppiah Kanagasabai, the Manager for the new Airport, arrived on 22nd April. Mr Kanagasabai is from Sri Lanka (formerly Ceylon). He attended Air Schools in the United Kingdom, Australia, Lebanon and Canada from 1944 to 1970,

and held posts at a number of airports in Ceylon as well as at Taiz in the Yemen Republic from 1968 to the present time.

This date also saw the arrival of the new Headmaster of Stanley's Senior School, Mr Francis O'Reilly, who was accompanied by his wife, Maria, and their two daughters.

BIRTHS: K. E. M. Hospital

- Mar 30th: RUPERT WILLIAM to Mr and Mrs Ronnie Anderson (Marina Clausen) of Dunnose Head - 7 lb. 11 oz. Rupert's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Rupert Clausen, now in England.
- Apr 6th: CAROLINE MARY to Mr and Mrs George Butler (Joan McLeod) of Stanley - 7 lb. 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Caroline's grandmother is Mrs Mary Faria.
- 13th: CHARLES to Mr and Mrs Peter Weynss (Zena Halliday) of Darwin - 8 lb. 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ oz. Charles's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Jock Halliday.
- 26th: ANDREW DAVID to Mr and Mrs John Harridine of Stanley - 8 lb. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Mr Harridine is engaged in the study of the Colony's upland geese.

R. I. P:

We offer our deepest sympathy to the relatives and friends of -

Mrs Bella O'Sullivan (Lang) in Manchester in April. Aged 74.

Leslie Nicholson in the U.S.A. on 13th April. Aged 84.

Donald McAskill in Stanley on 20th April. Aged 80.

Mrs Florence Yonge (Hansen) in Punta Arenas on 26th April.

Aged 75.

George Roberts, I.S.O. in the U.K. on 26th March. Aged 91.

The late George Roberts was Officer-in-Charge Works, when Stanley's roads were first improved and extended, water piped to houses, and water-borne sewage installed.

Roger McLaren in London on 14th April. Aged 56.

CAREFUL DRIVER:

Along with 16 others, Ronnie Clifton in England, son of Mr and Mrs Charles Clifton of Stanley, received an award for careful driving during the past five years. Well done, Ron.

L. P. Blodke

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GENERAL ELECTION, 1976:

Voting at the General Election ended on 21st May and resulted in the following Councillors being elected to the Legislature - two for Stanley, one for the West and one for the East.

<u>Area</u>	<u>Candidate</u>	<u>Votes</u>	<u>Placing</u>
Stanley	Mr John Smith	343	Elected
	Mr William Edward Bowles	328	Elected
	Mr Desmond George Buckley King	145	---
West	Mr Lionel Geoffrey Blake	97	Elected
	Falkland Mr Alan David Cusworth	70	---
East	Mr Adrian Bertrand Monk	155	Elected
	Falkland Mr Brook Harcastle	41	---

His Excellency the Governor's Nominated Members are - Mr A.B. Hadden, B.E.M., and Mr H.L. Bound, M.B.E.

Voting in Stanley showed 68.58%, the West 80.86%, the East 80.72%, with an overall percentage of 73.82. Before stating that this voting was "satisfactory" I checked on the results of some areas in the U.K. at a General Election when the voting was reported to be "good". Taking the first on each page of the report I found these percentages - 82.07, 63.00, 82.29, 72.78, 64.64, 61.23, 79.23, 82.85, 86.38, 82.28, 69.97, 80.94, 70.04, 82.46. The overall figures

of 615,545 out of 83,739 gives a percentage of 76.10. But, taking the first four from each page of the report of the 1970 Election, voting in 100 constituencies amounted to 4,508,607 out of an electorate of 6,329,428 - 71.23% !!! It would appear that "apathy" is not confined to Falkland Islanders.

C. E. O.

MAY DANCES:

Organised again by the Boys and Girls' Brigades, the May Dances, held in the Town Hall on 25th and 26th May, were, as always, great successes. The Hall and Stage were tastefully decorated, flowers between the windows and flags on the Stage. The twelve finalists, as called by Mr Terry Spruce, were - Josie Stewart, Janet Hardcastle, Dwenda Morrison, Vera Summers, Marlene Porter, Cora McGill, Bernadette Johnson (last year's May Queen), Cheryl Johnson, Marilyn Bonner, Charlene Short, Sandra Booth, Dilys Anderson.

The Judges - not envied by anyone in their difficult task - were Mrs Deborah Young, Mr E.B. Kelbie, and Mr F. Cooke, and their choice was announced to the loud applause of the gathering - May Queen 1976, Janet Hardcastle, with runner-up Cheryl Johnson. His Excellency the Governor presented the prizes and the customary kisses to the worthy winners.

Janet's dress was of pale green nylon with a lace panel down the front, and elbow length transparent sleeves - the sash was tied at the back. Cheryl wore a long nylon dress with tiered cape sleeves.

Prince Charming's night - the 26th - resulted in the popular choice of the ladies when it was announced that Rex Browning is the 1976 Prince Charming, with Kim Summers as runner-up.

Two nights of most enjoyable, well organised, well conducted entertainment, thanks to the Brigades.

APRIL WEATHER:

Notes from the Met. Report.

Rainfall: Total 56.9 mm (2.24 in), about 8 mm more than would be expected for April.

Daily Sunshine (average): 4.1 hours, about 20 minutes a day more than average.

Temperature (average): 5.8C (42.5F), a little above average

for April. Highest recorded during the month was 14.4C (58.0F) on 6th, and the lowest was -1.0C (30.2F) on 15th/16th. Wind Speed (average): 11.7 knots, about 4 knots less than usual in April and, with the exception of 1975, the least windy April since comparable records have been kept at the Met. Office in Stanley. The highest gust recorded was 63 knots, just before 5.00 p.m. on 26th. There were 10 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force, and 354 hours when it was of 10 knots or less.

Ground Frost was recorded on 13 occasions, about normal for the time of year.

In brief: Temperatures about normal, rain and sun a little more than usual, and much less wind than normal.

TRAVELLING IS A LUXURY!!:

We understand that an economy class air fare from Buenos Aires to London is now £423 (29/5/76); this works out at less than £61 for each 1,000 miles travelled. Add to this the fare from Stanley to Buenos Aires (approximately 1,000 miles) of £100, a total of £523. Last year, in April, I paid £730 return, travelling to the U.K. via Canada, and home direct.

Ed.

SCHOLARS:

We are pleased to publish news of the progress of two F.I. born scholars:

Derek Mills, only son of Mr and Mrs Ken Mills (now in New Zealand) has passed, with fairly high marks, his School Certificate Examination in the New Zealand Department of Education. Out of maxima of 100 points Derek obtained - mathematics 91, bookkeeping 79, science 79, technical drawing 74, English 73.

Graham Bound, second son of Mr and Mrs H.L. Bound of Stanley, has been awarded a scholarship to the University of Warwick, by the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission. Graham will be reading English and European literature for a B. A. Degree.

ARRIVALS:

Among the passengers who arrived on 6th May were the newly appointed Deputy Governor, Mr G.J.A. Slater, Mr and Mrs

R. W. Young - Mrs Young is the daughter of His Excellency the Governor and Mrs French - , Captain John Lavigne, relief pilot for the Air Service during the absence on leave of Captain Ian Campbell, M.B.E., Miss A. (Sandra) Phillips (Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor). Mr F. G. Cooke, the Legal Adviser, arrived on 13th, and Mr A.J.P. Monk returned to his duties as Chief Secretary on 27th May.

RETIREMENTS:

Forty years ago Mr Fred Reive joined the Staff of the West Store as Office Boy. He worked through all posts in the Store and, a number of years ago, was promoted Manager. Fred is going to spend the first months of his retirement with his relatives in Canada, and he carries with him the best wishes of all who have the pleasure of his friendship. His retirement took effect from 20th May, 1976.

On 27th May Mr Stuart Booth retired, after serving in the Colony, first as a Teacher and later as Headmaster of Government School, for 25 years. We join with others in wishing Stuart and Jessie a happy retirement - we understand that they are returning from leave to settle in the Falklands.

OLD, NEW, BORROWED AND BLUE:

A very pleasant musical evening was held in the Town Hall on 24th May, where we heard various types of music and song - most enjoyable. The Hall was packed with a very enthusiastic audience. Robert Triggs, Junior, is to be congratulated for organising this excellent performance.

WEDDINGS:

Elizabeth ... Simon

Although the 28th May continued cold all day it did not dampen the spirits of those who attended at the wedding ceremony in St Mary's Church, where Father Philip Bruggeman officiated at the marriage of Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Triggs of Chartres, and Simon, youngest son of Mr and Mrs W. H. Goss of Stanley.

Elizabeth, who looked very pretty, wore a full-length

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Saucers @ 16p and 33p

Tea Plates @ 20p

Soup/Cereal Plates @ 25p

These are just some of the items we have to offer

dress of white nylon lace over taffeta. The full skirt had a nylon panel down the front, decorated with net bows with centres of mother-of-pearl. The dress had long lace sleeves, and its long train was carried by a winsome little Flowergirl, Jayne Harris, Simon's niece. Elizabeth's veil was held in place by a small diamante tiara, and she carried a Bible and a bouquet of red roses.

Elizabeth's two bridesmaids were Anne Harvey and Sandra Lang, and her brother, Robert, carried out the duties of best man.

Sybella ... Terence

Relatives and friends gathered at Christ Church Cathedral on 29th May to witness an important event in the lives of Sybella, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs Doug Goodwin of Rincon Grande, and Terence, elder son of Mr and Mrs Keith Summers of Stanley, when they were joined in marriage by the Reverend Gerald Smith.

Sybella was charmingly attired in a full-length A-line dress of lace and lurex thread over satin. The long cape-style sleeves, made of lace and satin, were open from the elbows to the wrists. The high neckline was of satin, and satin covered buttons trimmed the front of the dress. Michele Penberton, the bridesmaid, carried Sybella's long lace train which was attached to the back of the dress - her waist-length veil was held in place by a diamante and pearl tiara. The bride carried a bouquet of white and yellow chrysanthemums.

The Matrons-of-Honour were Mrs Margaret Goss, Sybella's sister, and Mrs Margaret Penberton - Margaret and Michele are sister and niece of Terence. Jin Pemberton ably carried out the duties of best man.

We take this opportunity of joining with others in wishing the young newly-weds every happiness in the future.

ANNIVERSARIES:

We have pleasure in offering our congratulations to two F.I. couples, now residing in New Zealand, who have recently celebrated their Ruby Wedding Anniversaries:

May 16th: Mr and Mrs Morris Evans (Alice Watson).

May 27th: Mr and Mrs Jim King (Minnie Kiddle).

H.M.S. CHICHESTER:

Stanley residents were pleased to see H.M.S. Chichester move in through the Narrows on the morning of 31st May. His Excellency the Governor was welcomed on board by a 17-gun salute, and the Defence Force replied to this courtesy by firing a salute of 7 guns from the Victory Green Base.

A fairly wide programme has been prepared and includes - receptions at Government House, dances in the Town Hall, Variety Show, football, rugby, badminton, dart matches, rifle shooting, a visit to Kidney Cove, conducted tour of Stanley, hike to the Two Sisters, if possible a boat race and tug-o'-war, and other entertainment; parties on board ship. We sincerely hope that weather conditions will improve in order that some, at least, of the programme can be carried out.

Darwin and Fox Bay residents will be pleased to learn that H.M.S. Chichester intends to overnight at these ports on 10th and 9th June, respectively. H.M.S. Chichester and R.F.A. Orangeleaf, accompanying fuel supply ship, are due to leave the Colony on 11th June, and we look forward, with pleasure, to further visits from Her Majesty's Ships.

PASSENGERS:

May

6th: Arrived (21): Miss A.M. Phillips, Mrs S.R. Johnson, Mr and Mrs B. Stocks and 2 children, Mrs S. Trise, Mr and Mrs R.W. Young, Mr D.A. Ryan & Susan, Messrs G.J.A. Slater, John Lavigne and 8 others.

Departed (20): Mr & Mrs T. Dobbys, Misses T., K., & J. Dobbys, Mr & Mrs D. Hill (C & W), Messrs R. Buse, V. Steen, M.K. Heathman and 10 others.

13th: Arrived (15): Mr & Mrs P. Morrison & Gwyn, Mr R. Reid & John, Mrs H.M. Johnston, Messrs J. Allan, R. McNally, V. Steen, E.B. Kelbie, P.G. Cooke, and 3 others.

Departed (20): Mr & Mrs W. Cunningham, Mr & Mrs J. Felton, Mr & Mrs W.J. Jones, Mr & Mrs H. Milne, Mr & Mrs P. Peck, Mr & Mrs A. Smith, Miss J. Dale (Pte. Sec. to the Governor), Miss B. Minto, Miss T. Volpi, Mr S. McCallison and 4 others.

20th: Arrived (8): Eight others.

Departed (25): Mr & Mrs E. Goss & 2 children, Mr & Mrs

BIRTHS:

K. E. M. Hospital

- May 12th: JULIET ANN to Mr and Mrs Ron Binnie (Linda Cantlie) of Fitzroy - 7 lb. 4 oz. Juliet's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Willie Cantlie of Stanley.
- 17th: KEITH ANDREW to Mr and Mrs Nigel Knight of North Arm - 6 lb. 9 oz. Mr and Mrs Knight are from the United Kingdom.
- 25th: SUSANA CAROLINE to Mr and Mrs Val Berntsen (Cecilia Diaz) of Stanley - 6 lb. 8 oz. Susana's grandmother is Mrs Mary Berntsen of Stanley.
- 30th: PHILIP JOHN to Mr and Mrs Richard Fogerty (Brenda Blackley) of Port Stephens - 6 lb. $8\frac{3}{4}$ oz. Philip's grandmother is Mrs Violet Felton of Beaver Island.

Overseas

- Apr. 9th: RICHARD GRAHAM to Mr and Mrs Graham Mills - 5 lb. 12 oz. Graham worked for E.S.R.O. in the Colony for a few years up to 1971.

R. I. P:

- We offer our sympathy to those who mourn the loss of -
 John Jaffray in Stanley on 21st May. Aged 71.
 Mrs Eleanor Maud Ione (Nellie) Reive in Stanley on 21st May.
 Aged 65.
 Arthur Patience in Australia. Arthur was married to Iris Rumbolds.

PASSENGERS (Contd):

- P. Robertson & 1 child, Mr & Mrs R. Pitaluga, Mr & Mrs L.J. Halliday, Mr & Mrs W. Halliday, Mr & Mrs D. King, Misses B., A., & A. King, Mrs M. Binnie, Mrs M. Henrickson, Mrs M. Morrison, Mgr. D. Spraggon, Mr C. Keenleyside, and 2 others.
- 27th: Arrived (12): Mrs L. Napier, Miss T. Volpi, Messrs. C. Keenleyside, L.J.P. Monk, D.C. Newing, M.A. Woodward.
Departed (27): Mr & Mrs S.A. Booth, Mr & Mrs I. Cantlie, Mr & Mrs J. Farrow, Mr & Mrs R.W. Young, Messrs E.B. Kelbie, C. Middleton, I. McLeod, Mrs J. Biggs, Miss S. Coutts, Miss J. Thom.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BUDGET MEETING:

The first meeting of the newly appointed Legislative Council commenced on 16th June and ended on 25th June. The full Council was in attendance (see Mini No 11) and included the Honourable Gordon Slater, Deputy Governor (non-voting Member), the Honourable Chief Secretary and the Honourable Financial Secretary.

During the proceedings His Excellency the Governor reported that Lord Shackleton had presented the Economic and Fiscal Report on the Falkland Islands to the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs on 17th June.

Debates by all Councillors on the Governor's address to the Meeting brought forth comments on - overhauling of the local communications system - the new constitution - the political situation - the Deputy Governor - increase in the Government Savings Bank interest - cost of the administration - swimming pool - introduction of a P.A.Y.E. tax system - young Islanders advised to take up positions in the local Civil Service - V.S.O. work in the Islands - finding a means to slow down the exodus of Islanders - importation of labour - deal with Argentina on a strictly commercial basis only - the present control of movements in and out of the Colony by a foreign Government - roads to the Camp - endeavour to

encourage Islanders to return home - increasing the Old Age Pensions and linking them to the index of retail prices.

His Excellency, the Governor's address and all speeches will be found, verbatim, in the Government Gazette and they make very interesting reading, and indicate that Councillors are alive to the task they have undertaken so willingly.

WEDDING: Rose ... Bob

On Saturday, 5th June, Policewoman Rose Livermore and Special Constable Robert Peart laid aside their police uniforms and donned more appropriate apparel when they attended at the Registrar's Office, where the Registrar, Mr Harold Bennett, conducted the ceremony which joined the couple in marriage.

Rose was elegantly attired in a long dress of blue lace over nylon, with a scooped neckline, and long lace sleeves. A white, wide-brimmed picture hat, decorated with matching lace streamers, completed her outfit, and she carried a white Bible, a present from her sister, Mrs Gladys Robson.

Rose was attended by Mrs Pamela Summers, and Bob's best man was Billy Morrison.

Following a wedding supper at the Upland Goose Hotel for 25 guests, some 300 relatives and friends attended a reception in the Town Hall - we join with these in offering the couple our very best wishes for the future.

MAY WEATHER: Notes from the Met. Report

Rainfall: Total 53.5 mm (2.106 in), about 1 mm less than usual for May.

Daily Sunshine (average): 2.1 hours, 18 minutes a day less than normal for the month.

Temperature (average): 4.4C (39.7F), about half a degree more than would be expected for May. Highest recorded 11.5C (52.7F) on 14th, and lowest -1.7C (28.9F) on the night of 6th/7th.

Wind speed (average): 10.3 knots, about six knots less than the May average and, in spite of the gale of the 29th and 30th, the least windy May since records have been kept at Stanley Met. Highest recorded gust was 64 knots during

the evening of the 3rd. Mr Borland advised us that the average wind speed during this gale period was 35.3 knots on 29th and 20.7 knots on 30th. There were 27 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force, and 431 hours when it was of 10 knots or less.

Ground frost was recorded on 17 occasions, two less than usual for May.

In brief: Temperature and rain about normal, much less windy, with less than normal sunshine.

ANGLING CLUB:

Members caught a total of 273 fish during the season, with a total weight of 1,014 lbs, averaging 3.7 lbs.

A new record was made by Sgt. Tony Smith (R.M.), when he landed a 20-pounder, and a junior new record was achieved by Derek Pettersson with a 16-pounder.

Mr Pat Johnson caught two trout weighing 18½ and 19 lbs. These he generously donated to provide part of a supper given to the Senior Citizens of Stanley. This catch won for Pat the Toby Lewis Cup - a seasonal award for two fish over 10 lbs

B. A. S:

The new British Antarctic Survey Headquarters building at Cambridge was officially opened by H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh on May 7th. On the 8th the B.A.S. Club took over the building and about 150 ex-F.I.D.S. enjoyed a reunion party.

The Duke unveiled a Corner Stone which had been brought from Antarctica, a piece of which was presented to His Royal Highness prior to his leaving the building.

TALK ON THE FALKLANDS AT DOVER:

Mr Charles Wood of Dover is know to many in the Islands, in which he has shown a keen interest over the years.

On 20th May he conducted an illustrated talk on the Falklands at Dover, showing 112 slides of life in the Colony, to a large and appreciative audience. The talk was a great success and he has been asked to repeat it at two Schools in Dover.

The Mayor of Dover asked Mr Wood when he had visited the

Falklands as the talk gave a picture exactly as he has envisaged life here from books he had read. Mr Wood told him he had made a 16 year study from information supplied to him by many friends in the Colony. One young lady expressed her surprise when she saw a slide of our Girls' Brigade as she did not know that there is a Company here.

By public request Mr Wood expects to repeat his talk at a later date.

SILVER WEDDING:

We join with relatives and friends in congratulating Mr and Mrs John Rowlands (Daisy Bowles) who celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary on June 11th.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS:

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr Sydney Miller a member of Executive Council, and Councillors L. G. Blake and J. Smith were elected to represent Legislative Council on Executive Council.

RED CROSS (Local Branch):

The Secretary of the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal has written to Mrs Sigrid Barnes, local branch Treasurer, acknowledging receipt of, and thanking her for, the sum of £366.80 collected in the Colony.

F. I. C. AWARD:

Mr Healy and Dr Maronetti, officials of British Caledonian Airways, called at Stanley on 3rd June to present the Falkland Islands Company's local Acting Manager, Mr T. Spruce, with a shield inscribed: "Agents Performance Award 1975" in recognition of services rendered by the Company.

THANKS FROM 1966 DC4 CAPTAIN:

Nearly 10 years ago Captain Ernesto Fernando Garcia skillfully landed his skyjacked DC4 on a very difficult spot in the Falklands - Stanley Race Course. Recently Captain Garcia handed into the British Embassy in Buenos Aires two sets of photographs, each set in a handsome frame, depicting various aspects of the event. One set has been forwarded

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 D Navy Macron/Cotton Boiler Suits
 I Sports Jackets (a wide variety)
 S 100% Acrylic Trews from size 12
 L months to 13/14 years
 A Harlequin Candy Flannelette
 N Sheets Single and Double
 D HARDWARE DEPARTMENT
 S Tyre Gauges
 C 12" Tyre Levers
 O Paraffin Blow Lamps
 M Jobbers Drills from 1/16" to 1/2"
 P Stillson Wrenches from 8" to 18"
 A Gutter Bolts from 30 mm to 50 mm
 N Ground Bottom Kettles 4-pt to 8-pt
 Y Ground Bottom Saucepans 6" x 8"
 L Ground Bottom Frying Pans 10"
 T 3' Chimney Rods with Brass Fittings
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to His Excellency the Governor, inscribed: "To all the people who so kindly helped me, with gratitude".

His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, who apparently congratulated Captain Garcia on his skill in landing the aeroplane on such a difficult terrain, is to receive the other copy.

ARRIVALS:

Arrived to take up posts in the Colony were - Mr Steve Whitley, Veterinary Surgeon, on 3rd June, and Miss G. M. Lambeth, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, on 10th.

EXCELLENT PROGRESS OF AN ISLANDER:

We are pleased to report that Mr Michael Bound, elder son of Mr and Mrs H.L. Bound, has graduated as a Bachelor of Arts at Fairleigh Dickenson University, New Jersey, U.S.A. We understand that Michael gained the highest award possible by obtaining First Class Honours *summa cum laude* (highest commendation). We join with all others in offering our congratulations to Michael, Joan and Nap.

FANCY DRESS TWO-NIGHTER:

The Badminton Club's annual event was held, in the Town Hall, on 18th and 19th June. This year's theme was "Around the Horn" and depicted life in the old wind-jammers.

Many and varied were the costumes and groups, and after the Judges, Mrs Joan Bound, Mrs Gladys Thain and Mr Mike Peake had selected the winners, Mrs Mary Livermore presented the prizes to - First Parade "Two Scottish Policemen", Alice Etheridge and Joyce Newman; "The Shackleton Report", Jill Harris and Norma Bowles; "South Sea Girls", Darlene and Sharlene Short. Groups "Ten Little Niggers", Hulda and Ian Stewart, Linda Clifton, Jeff Pring, Rita and Bonnie Watts, Christine Summers, Gerald Morrison, Graham Clarke, Alan Byrd; joint second "Kidney Island Castaways", Minnie and Jim Watson, Arnes and Bill Hoggarth, Cora and Len McGill, Sandra Booth, Clare Morrison, Johnno Jones; and "C.I.A. Group", Elizabeth and Simon Goss, Manfred and Nicholas Keenleyside, Graham Bound and Robert Triggs..

On the second night Mrs Livermore donated two prizes for the best dressed two "Cape Horners" - these were won by Fayann Morrison and Peter Biggs; the Judges were Mrs V. Bonner, Mr John Smith and Mr Richard McRae.

BACKWARD GLANCE: "The Progress of the Colony"

Some figures from a report, under the above title, published in 1917 - the Parliamentary Grant was gradually reduced after 1876 until it was withdrawn in 1885.

Year	Parlia. Grant	Revenue	Expend-iture	Value of Imports	Exports
1843	£2,000	1,816	4,432	-	-
1851	6,655	336	6,544	13,000	4,500
1876	3,212	3,356	6,653	27,056	37,121
	Includes Land Sales				
1885	-	10,438	7,598	48,314	97,846
1900	-	17,613	15,500	66,948	111,539
1915	-	42,819	33,000	368,272	1,576,126*
1916	-	47,946	24,944	591,000	2,053,700*

* Value of South Georgia oils probably included here;
 Present day in 1916 this was 1,720,769
 1975/ 1975
 76 - 1,183,622 955,176 1,525,771 1,172,067
 In 1880 the population numbered 1,836, of whom 571 were women.

SHIPPING:

"Bahia Buen Suceso" (Argentine) from 18th to 22nd June.
 "Cabo San Pio" (Argentine) from 24th to 30th June.
 "Anne Bewa" (F.I.C. Charter) arrd. 27th June.

RETIREMENT:

Forty-two years in the one Department - this is the splendid record of Mr Ernest Fuhlendorff, who retired on 30th June. Ernest joined the Telephone and Broadcasting Section of the Falkland Islands Government in 1934 as an apprentice, and retired from the post of Senior Technician and Broadcasting Officer.

We join with others in wishing Ern a long and enjoyable retirement.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS:

Friends of Captain Sam Benrose, Officer-in-Charge of the Royal Marine Detachment stationed in the Colony in 1965, will be pleased to learn that he was awarded the O.B.E. in the 1976 Queen's Birthday Honours.

PASSENGERS:

June

3rd - Arrived (9, including 5 others)

Mrs: J. Clifton & Neil.

Messrs: V. Berntsen, R.S. Whitley (Vet. Surg.)

3rd - Departed (26, including 4 others)

Mr & Mrs: H. Greenshields & Claire, R. Hillman & Christoph-
J.J. McKay & Shelly, W.H. Roberts & 2 children, P.G./er.
Summers & Una.

Mesdames: M. Lyse, S. Sosa. Miss: S. Reive

Messrs: O.H. McPhee, T. Reive, F.J. Reive.

10th - Arrived (25, including 16 others)

Mesdames: J. Biggs, S. Sosa

Miss: G.M. Lambeth (Pte. Sec. G.H.)

Students: G. McMillan, Colleen Alazia, N. Keenleyside.

Messrs: O.H. McPhee, J. McCallum, C. Middleton

10th - Departed (27, including 10 others)

Mr & Mrs: S.S. Lee, P. McPhee, J. Pemberton & 2 children,
V.L. Summers.

Mrs: M. Stewart.

Misses: H. McLeod, R. Felton.

Messrs: R. Browning, J. Bound, R.S. Mills, D. Newing.

17th - Arrived (4 others)

17th - Departed (22, including 10 others)

Mr & Mrs: J. Harridine & Andrew.

Mesdames: G. Betts, E.A. Felton, E. McLaren & 2 children.

Misses: O. Goss, D. Walker (Pte. Sec.)

Messrs: F.G. Cooke (Legal Adviser), P. Watts.

24th - Arrived (18, including 7 others) ^{over-} Weatherbound night.

Mr & Mrs: F.D. Howatt & Helen, D. Jaffray & 2 children.

Mrs: S. Binnie.

Messrs: D.H. McMillan, R. Silvey (FIC), P. Watts.

25th - Departed (30, including 13 others)

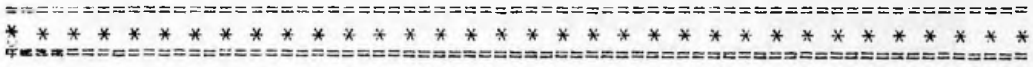
Mr & Mrs J.R. Cooke & 2 children, Mesdames T. Alazia, A.
Chandler, V. Heathman, S. McAdam, M.A. Morrison, Misses
L. Clifton, R. Watts, Messrs D. Borland, D. Gonzalez,
D.H. Donovan, C. McCallum, W.H.K. Stewart, D. Smith.



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WEDDING:

Miss Alandies Harrison, younger daughter of Mr George Harrison of Stanley, and P.O. G. Edwards (R.M.), second son of Mr and Mrs R. E. Edwards of Sussex, were married in St Jude's Church, Southampton, on 12th June.

"Doc", as P.O. Edwards was known here, was the Medical Attendant with N.P. 8901 two years ago.

We wish Landy and Doc every happiness in the future.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

On 8th July Mr and Mrs Stewart Morrison (Elizabeth Cantlie) of Carnoustie, Scotland, and on 18th July, Mr and Mrs William Goss of Stanley, celebrated their Ruby Wedding Anniversaries. Mrs Goss was formerly Grace Miller.

Mr and Mrs Joe Short (Christine Ferguson) of Weddell Island, gave a very enjoyable party on the Island to celebrate their Silver Anniversary on 7th July.

Congratulations to you all.

WEATHER 27TH JUNE:

Notes from the Met. Report

On 26th June a depression of 960 mb formed about 250 miles S.E. of Cape Horn. The depression moved and deepened

rapidly, passing approximately 250 miles E. of the Falkland Islands, with central pressure of 946 mb.

Winds early 27th moderate, W. to N.W., until 8.00 a.m. when a preliminary cold front passed through Stanley Met. Winds backed to W.S.W. and increased rapidly to mean speed of 40 - 50 knots, gusting to 67 knots.

Midday wind eased to 26 knots, just ahead of a cold front which passed about 2.00 p.m. Winds backed to S.S.W. and increased very rapidly again with mean wind speeds of 65 knots, with a number of gusts of 87 to 88 knots. The anemometer at Stanley froze up so that records show only 10 to 20 knots through the late afternoon and evening. The hand anemometer then being used showed mean speed of 50 knots, and still blowing at 8.00 p.m.

The previous record gust during the past 25 years was 82 knots on 4th July, 1951, when there were also eight hours mean wind speeds in excess of 47 knots. On 27th it is reckoned there were 10 hours in excess of 47 knots.

Beaufort Scale: 43 - 55 knots = storm; 56 - 63 = severe storm; 64 - 71 = hurricane.

NEWS OF ISLANDERS:

It is always pleasing to receive news of Islanders wherever they are:

R.A.F. Corporal Dereck S. Peck (grandson of Mr and Mrs Silas Newman, Snr) is mentioned in a Cyprus newspaper: "Queen's Birthday Honours List, Military Awards, 12th June, 1976, Personal Commendation of the Air Officer Commanding Cyprus, Cpl. D. S. Peck". Dereck was to receive a Certificate, presented by the Air Officer Commanding. Dereck, who is 27, has also served in the United Kingdom, Singapore and Germany.

Michael Alazia is now a Corporal in the Royal Air Force, and Colin Blyth is a recruit in the same Force.

Louis Clifton is enjoying life, attending his course.

Closer home, David Thain left by m.v. Anne Bewa on 7th July to attend a School of Navigation in North Wales.

JUNE WEATHER: Notes from the Met. Report.

Rainfall: Total 63.4 mm (2.53 in). 16 mm more than usual.

Daily Sunshine (average): 1.6 hours, about 12 minutes a day less than normal.

Temperature (average): 2.0C (35.6F), about half a degree less than usual. Highest 7.2C (44.96F) on 10th, lowest -5.4C (22.28F) on 26th.

Wind speed (average): 12.3 knots, about 4 knots below average. Highest gust was 88 knots (100 m.p.h.) on 27th with mean from 2.00 p.m. onwards 50 to 60 knots. 35 hours when the average speed was of gale force, and 312 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground frost on 21 occasions, one more than usual.

In brief: Less windy, rather more rain than usual, less sunshine, slightly colder.

EXAMINATION RESULTS:

The Superintendent of Education reports: "We are very pleased to announce that our pupils in Montevideo achieved very successful examination results in this year's International Baccalaureate.

The three who took the full Diploma Course involving six subjects, Gavin McMillan, Nicky Reive, and Nicholas Keenleyside, all scored more than the required 24 points for the Diploma.

Colleen Alazia, who was taking five subjects rather than the required six, passed all of them and scored 21 points."

We join the Superintendent in his final sentence: "Our congratulations to all four on an excellent performance".

SHEEP DOG TRIALS:

Sheep Dog Trials were held in the Sixty Acre Paddock in Stanley on Sunday, 25th July. Mr Syd Miller gave his usual on-the-spot commentary, recorded by Mr Patrick Watts. The Judges were Messrs B. Hardcastle, E. Morrison and D.M. Pole-Evans, assisted by Timekeeper K.J. McPhee. The winners were: first - Les Morrison of Hill Cove with "Shell", 112 points out of 135 (the only dog to pen the sheep); second Fenton Hirtle of Roy Cove with "Judy" 107 points; third (tie) Nigel

Knight of North Arm with "Tania" and Raymond Evans of Pebble Island with "Sweep", both 96 points. Others taking part were Ben Ford of North Arm with "West" and Tony Anderson of Fitzroy with "Bounce".

BISLEY, U.K.:

Representing the Falklands at Bisley this year were Robin Henricksen, Ron Betts, Gerald Cheek, Tim Dobbyns and Owen May. They put up some very commendable scores in the events they entered and we show these below. The Meeting was held from 10th to 24th July.

Event	Betts	Cheek	Dobbyns	Henricksen
Admiral Hutton	42	48	40	45
Century	44	48	48	47
Donegall	50	43	44	48
Conan Doyle	48	42	32	41
Telegraph	43	42	35	38
Daily Mail	44	47	42	43
Alexandra	40	46	37	48
Duke of Cambridge	42	33	44	46
Times	45	44	36	46
Wimbledon	45	41	38	46
Corporation	42	40	43	42
Georges 1	69	64	56	72
Donegall tie	Betts 10th out of 23 shooting			
Placings -	Alexandra:Telegraph:Clement Smith:Sunday Aggregate			
Henricksen	56th	67th	35th	18th
Georges -	Qualified for Second Stage, some 71 counted out.			
	Donegall: Conan Doyle			
Betts	10th	41st		
Cheek	Admiral Hutton 35th.		Average entries 1,000	
<u>Overseas:</u>	Barbados: U.S.A.: Falklands: Kenya: Zambia			
	389	322	381	370 365
	Henricksen 96, Betts, Cheek, May 95 each			
<u>Queen's:</u>	Betts	Cheek	Dobbyns	Henricksen
	95	97	80	34, 31, 34 =
	98's counted out		99 into	
				Second Stage
<u>Lord Tedder:</u>	-	-	-	36th place

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West Store now have on sale Christmas Decorations and

Crackers by Tom Smith, which include the following

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Father Christmas Snow Novelties containing 12 toys @ £8.47

"Ski Girl" Snow Novelties containing 6 toys @ £3.46

"Snowman" Snow Novelties containing 6 toys @ £3.32

"Rupert" Snow Novelties containing 6 toys @ £3.02

Christmas Crackers boxes of 10 from 87p to £1.12

Paper Shapes (Bells, Trees, Balls etc) @ 13p

Tree Decorations from 15p to 21p

Wrapping Paper @ 4p per sheet

Christmas Trees @ £4.48

Gift Tags @ 5p per pkt

Gift Ribbon @ 10p

Waldorf Christmas Cards

Plain 55p for box of 15

Glitter 60p for box of 12

W E S T S T O R E

	Betts	Cheek	Dobbys	Henricksen		
<u>Duke of Gloucester</u>	65	68	61	66		
<u>Kolapore:</u>	Barbados:	U.S.A.:	Falklands:	Kenya		
	573	568	561	540		
	Betts	Cheek	Henricksen	May		
	138	140	142	141		
<u>Mackinnon:</u>	Jersey:	Guernsey:	Barbados:	Falklands:	U.S.A.:	Kenya
	360	355	353	352	351	330
	Betts	Cheek	Henricksen	May		
	90	90	85	87		
<u>Sudan:</u>	Henricksen won, Cheek second.					
<u>Short Range</u>						
<u>Aggregate:</u>	Henricksen 45th					
<u>Queen's Second:</u>	Henricksen out with 48 - 48 - 45 (141): Shoot off for scores of 143.					

ANOTHER F. I. CENTENARIAN:

The 29th July was a great day in the long life of Mr Jim Pitaluga who celebrated the 100th anniversary of his birth on that date.

Jim, who has been in the United Kingdom for nearly 20 years, was born in 1876 at Port Purvis, Port Howard, Falkland Islands. On his birth certificate his father, James Pitaluga, is described as a "gaucho". We are told that Jim married Miss Cassinisa Llamosa, sister of the late Peter Llamosa, a well known figure many years ago.

Jim worked on the West Falklands - mostly at Hill Cove, we understand - and retired to Stanley in 1946. Late in the 1950's he went to England and lived with his adopted daughter, and her husband, Mr and Mrs Tommy Goodwin. His present address is 12, Hessary View, Saltash, Cornwall.

We are all pleased to associate ourselves with His Excellency the Governor's telegram, which reads: "Warmest congratulations from everyone in the Falklands on attaining your century. Every good wish and may you continue to add to your score. An announcement of your anniversary will be broadcast throughout the Islands on the 29th July. French, Governor".

Two centenarians in a population of 2,000 in seven years must constitute a record! Mrs E. (Granny) McAskill set the

trend in 1969, never leaving the Islands during her 100 years. The late Lady Seymour Hicks (Miss Ellaline Terris), born at Stanley, also reached this great age on 13th April, 1971.

CATHEDRAL BAZAAR:

A highly successful Cathedral Bazaar was held in the Church Hall on 2nd and 3rd July. The gross receipts amounted to £2,061.22 - £13 less than last year.

CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS PARTY:

Once again the Working Men's Social Club organised and conducted an excellent Fancy Dress Party for the children of Stanley and visitors from the Camp, held in the Town Hall on 17th July. Many and varied were the group and individual costumes, setting the judges the usual hard task of selecting the winners.

His Excellency the Governor and Mrs French attended and they very kindly presented the prizes to the lucky winners.

MEDICAL TREATMENT, U.K.

The United Kingdom Department of Health and Social Services has announced that citizens of Dependent Territories are entitled to the same medical treatment, under the National Health Service, as are other visitors to Britain.

In effect this means that Falkland Islanders cannot go to Britain solely for the purpose of routine medical treatment, but that, if they fall ill or suffer an accident and it is the opinion of a doctor that treatment cannot wait their return home, they will receive whatever treatment is necessary free - treatment will only be free as the result of an emergency.

PASSENGERS:

June

26th Arrived: (6, including 3 others)

Mrs E. Atkins. Misses R. Felton, O. Goss.

26th Departed: (25 Argentine Airforce employees).

BIRTH:

K.E.M. Hospital

July 14th: ANGELA to Mr and Mrs Basil Morrison (Kathy
McMillan) - 10 lb. 6 oz. Angela's grandfather
was the late Ian McMillan.

R. I. P:

Andrew Halliday in Tasmania on 15th July. Aged 76.
Mrs Sarah Cartnell (Hewitt) in Stanley on 27th July. Aged 75.

PASSENGERS (contd):

July

1st Arrived: (10, including 6 others)

Mr and Mrs: P. Peck

Mesdames: G. Betts, M. Lyse, M.B. Morrison.

1st Departed: (18, including 10 others)

Dr and Mrs: K.E. Dunnett

Messrs: C. Allan & Erwin, D. Clasen, L. Goodwin, George
Harris.7th Departed: By m.v. Anne Bewa - Master David Thain8th Arrived: (19, including 8 others)

Mr and Mrs: J.H. McAdan. Mr M.K. Heathman

Mrs: A. Chandler. Miss R. Watts.

Students: A. Kerr, Sheila Napier, Gina & J. Robertson,
J. & Sara Stocks8th Departed: (20, including 15 others)

Mesdames: S. Cantlie, G. Thain, John & Julie

Mr: C.J. Davey

15th Arrived: (21, including 7 others)

Dr and Mrs: K.E. Dunnett

Mesdames: E.A. Felton, V. Heathman, E. McLaren & 2 child-
ren, M.B. Morrison.

Messrs: C. Allan & Erwin, D. Clasen

Students: Fiona Clements, Stephanie Coutts, Hazel Shaw,
Darren Livermore.15th Departed: (17, including 11 others)

Mesdames: H. Johnston, M. Leonard.

Messrs: J. Allan, H.L. Bound, G. Bound, T. Perry.



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WEDDING:

Rowena - Derek

A very pretty wedding was solemnised in Christ Church Cathedral on 31st July, when Rowena, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Willie MacBeth of Sedge Island, was married to Derek, third son of Mr and Mrs Nigel Summers of Stanley. The Rev. Gerald Smith officiated at the ceremony.

Rowena looked lovely in a full-length A-line gown of white lurex net over satin, with a high neckline and long bell sleeves. Rowena's long three-tiered veil was held in place by an Alice band of white flowers, and she carried a bouquet of crimson carnations and fern.

The bride was attended by three very pretty bridesmaids, her youngest sister Marie, Marilyn Bonner and Annaliese Clarke. Derek's best man was Mr Neil McKay.

Rowena is the grand-daughter of Mr and Mrs Jim Peck of Stanley, and she and Derek are to make their home in Stanley. We wish the young couple every happiness in the future.

JULY WEATHER:

Notes from the Met. Report

Rainfall: Total 52.2 mm (2.05 in), about 7 mm more than usual. There were 16 occasions when snow covered more than half the ground; this is eight more than normal and the snowiest July since 1966.

Daily Sunshine (average): 3.1 hours, about one hour a day more than normal and the sunniest July on record.

Temperature (average): 1.5C (34.7F), 0.6C less than usual and the coldest July since 1966.

Wind Speed (average): 13.3 knots, about two knots below average. Highest gust recorded was 52 knots on 30th. There were 13 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force, and 301 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground frost: 25 occasions, four more than usual.

In brief: Coldest and snowiest July for 10 years, but, surprisingly, the sunniest, with slightly more rain and less wind than usual.

ANNUAL C.P.A. CONFERENCE:

The Falkland Islands Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association has selected Mr L. G. Blake, Councillor for the West Falklands, to be its representative at the forthcoming annual Meeting of the Conference, to be held in Mauritius from 11th to 30th September.

Mr Blake, accompanied by Mrs Blake, represented the Falkland Islands in New Delhi at the 21st Conference of the Association last year.

MR JIM PITALUGA:

Readers will be interested to learn that Her Majesty the Queen sent a message of congratulation to Mr Pitaluga on 29th July, the day on which he celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of his birth.

We take this opportunity to correct an error, published in our issue No. 13. Jim, we understand, married a Miss Nellie Lyse - not Miss Llamosa as reported. Miss Llamosa married Jim's father.

FURTHER F.I. SLIDE DISPLAYS:

Padre Patrick Helyer writes to say that last winter (English) he had been invited to several Churches to show his slides of the Falkland Islands, of which he has some 1,200. So far he has a further six bookings for the forthcoming winter - in some cases, repeat visits.

The Padre feels that interest in the Falklands has

increased in the United Kingdom since the Television Programme on the Islands was shown.

OFFICIALS' VISIT:

Mr Adrian Sindall, Assistant Head of the Latin America Department in the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in London, and Mr Howard Pearce, Second Secretary at the British Embassy in Buenos Aires, visited the Colony from 12th to 19th August. They met many people for talks and visited some Camp Stations.

Mr Sindall, in this post, deals with Falkland Islands' affairs.

RUBY ANNIVERSARIES:

We join with other friends and relatives in offering our congratulations to two more local couples who have recently celebrated the fortieth anniversary of their wedding dates, these being - 5th August, Mr and Mrs Roderick (Rory) Morrison (Wolly Redmond), and Mr and Mrs Theodore Fleuret (Kath Smith) on 8th August. All are residing in Stanley.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS & TRANSFERS:

Mr Derek Howatt has transferred from the Post Office to the Treasury as Cashier.

Mr Charles Keenleyside, late Cashier, is now a Trainee Technician with Cable and Wireless in Stanley.

Hospital Clerk Neville Bennett, and Mrs Bennett, are now at Darwin Boarding School as House Parents.

Mr and Mrs John Fowler returned for a second tour of duty at Darwin Boarding School.

Mr and Mrs Peter Gaskins arrived recently, and Mr Gaskins is Teacher-in-Charge of the Junior School, Stanley.

Mr R. Cain is a Camp Teacher.

UPLAND GEESE:

It is pleasing to note that conservation has brought many types of wild birds to the Stanley area, where they are now safe from hunters. Lately, six Upland ganders and one goose

settled on Victory Green (below the Upland Goose Hotel, no doubt to give support to the Hotel's colourful name) visiting the green below the Secretariat, unperturbed by traffic, sightseers and photographers.

ISLANDERS' PROMOTION:

We are pleased to publish news that Mr David Hardy, of the Radio Division, Metropolitan Police in the United Kingdom, has been promoted to Telecommunications Technical Officer, Grade II. Congratulations, David.

STANLEY SWIMMING BATH:

The Trustees of the proposed Swimming Pool in Stanley report that drawings, the excellent work of Mr Brian Ashfield and Mr Phillip Thompson, have been received by the Trustees and, to quote them, "takes Stanley one step nearer the realisation of a century-old aspiration".

Our Pool, most certainly, has taken a long time to reach this stage - in 1899 the Falkland Islands Company offered the Government a plot of land, on which to erect a swimming pool, on the spot where the Garage and Petrol Pump now stand.

We all owe Mr Ashfield & Mr Thompson our gratitude for their many hours of meticulous work which has saved a considerable sum of money - their task was an honorary one.

STAMP FRIENDS WANTED:

Mr Antonio D. Fischer, Sanabria 3734, T.E. 53-0970, Buenos Aires. Letters in English, German or Spanish.

Mr Nicholas W. Mayer, P.O. Box 60787, Sacramento, California 95860, U.S.A. U.S. at face value for F.I. stamps or covers.

TEACHERS' SEMINAR:

A very worthwhile Seminar, as reported by Mr Des O'Shea of Walker Creek, was held at Port San Carlos for Permanent Teachers of Settlement Schools. The seminar lasted from 23rd to 26th July, and many and varied were the subjects discussed.

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BEAVER AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT:

An accident occurred to the Beaver floatplane, Alpha Lima, at New Island on 11th August. The aircraft was dismantled and brought to Stanley on board n.v. "Forrest".

TELEVISION FILM:

Referring back to "Further F.I. Slide Displays", page , Government has been endeavouring to obtain a copy of the F.I. Film, and now reports that a print will shortly be available - when received, it will be given a wide circulation.

WEDDINGS:

In our August issue we reported briefly on the wedding of Landy Harrison and P.O. G. Edwards. We continue - Landy's dress was full-length of slipper satin, with a guipure lace coat. The coat, which fell to a train at the waist, had small pearl buttons to the waist line. The sleeves formed a point at the wrists, and her shoulder-length net veil had a trimming of daisies and was held in place by an attractive flower arrangement. Landy carried a white Bible, with sprays of red and white roses on the top, and on the white ribbon book-marker.

Matrons of Honour were Mrs Jill Harrison, Landy's sister-in-law, and her friend, Mrs Kay Stevens (formerly Kay McGill), and two small bridesmaids named Kyle and Caroline completed Landy's supporters. The groom's best man was friend David Stikens, and ushers Robert Rowlands and Graham Harris.

Landy and Graham are making their home in Plymouth.

Ann - Michael

Another wedding of an Islander overseas took place at the Registry Office at Cushcliffe, when Ann Oxtoby, daughter of Mr and Mrs Pat Oxtoby of Encede, Holland, married Michael Alazia (late of the Falkland Islands), eldest son of Mr and Mrs Bob Alazia of Roy Cove, on 14th August.

Ann was attractively attired in a full-length gown of white silk, patterned with blue and green roses, with elbow-length bell sleeves. The witnesses were friends of the

couple, Mr and Mrs Ronald Dewick.

Ann and Mike are to make their home in Bowdon, where Mike is a Corporal in the Royal Air Force.

Susan - George

Susan, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Coutts of Stanley, made a beautiful bride when she and George Diego Marciello, of San Lorenzo, Argentina, were married at the Catholic Church in San Lorenzo on 14th August. Her father, mother and sisters, Stephanie (on holiday from school in the United Kingdom) and Lindsey, had travelled over to Buenos Aires for the ceremony.

Susan's full-length A-line gown of white satin, with lace overskirt, had a high neckline, trimmed with small white flowers with gold studded centres, and similar trimming on the yoke and wide cuffs of the long, full sleeves. A shoulder-length three tiered veil, held in place by a headdress of pink and white rosebuds, with gold studded centres, completed her outfit, and she carried a bouquet of pink and white roses.

The witnesses were Martha, George's sister, and Susan's father. Susan and George are to live in San Lorenzo - George worked for some time in Stanley at the Y.P.F. Fuel Tank Farm.

We wish all the newly weds every happiness in the years ahead.

PASSENGERS:

July

18th Arrived: (13, including 2 others)

Miss M.E. Greco (Spanish Teacher), Students Christine Ferguson, S. Hardcastle, Theresa Johnson, Ann Keenleyside, R. King, P. Minto, P. Miller, Jennifer Rowlands, Dorcas Reid, Nancy Stephenson.

18th Departed: (3 others)22nd Arrived: (24, including 9 others)

Mesdames H. Johnston & Carol, M. Sassi & 2 children (LADE), Messrs J. Allan, E. Anderson, 6 Chilean workers for F.I.C., Students Kim Robertson, R.A. Smith.

22nd Departed (12, including 9 others)

Mr and Mrs D.H. McMillan & Gavin.

29th Arrived (21, including 10 others)

Mr & Mrs T.J. Peck, Frances, Paul, Tracy, Christine, James. Mrs M. Leonard, Messrs H.L. Bound, G. Bound, R. Cain (Tchr)

BIRTHS:

- Aug 9th: DOMINIC CHARLES to Mr and Mrs Rex White (Theresa Llanosa) of Ilfracombe, Devon - 7½ Lbs. Dominic's grand-parents are Mr and Mrs Tom Llanosa of England, late of the Falklands.
- Aug 10th: DONNA to Mr and Mrs Tony Summers (Sylvia Newman) of Stanley - 8 lbs. Donna's grand-parents are Mr and Mrs Phil Summers of Stanley.
- Aug 18th: LYNETTE to Mr and Mrs Delhi Berntsen (Florence Browning) of Stanley - 6 lb. 2 oz. Lynette is the grand-daughter of Mrs Gladys Browning of Mullet Creek.

R. I. P:

- Stanley Davis in New Zealand in March.
- George Douglas Smith at Stanley on 22nd July. Aged 71.
- Rodney de Saran in the U.K. on 23rd July. Dr. de Saran served as Locum Tenens in Stanley during 1958.
- Robert Louis Robson at Stanley on 16th August. Aged 76.
- Edward Robson at Stanley on 23rd August. Aged 71.

PASSENGERS (Contd): July

- 29th Departed (15, including 7 others)
Mr & Mrs A.K. Dunn & 2 children; Miss D.M. Wilson (Matron, Messrs A. Berrido, A.J. Hague, D. MacIntyre. KEMH).

August

- 1st Arrived (None)
- 1st Departed (27, including 8 others)
Mrs M. Sassi & 2 children, Miss M. Booth with students who arrived on 22nd July, and C. Miller, Rowan Miller, Sheila Napier, J. & Gina Robertson.
- 5th Arrived (10, including 3 others)
Mr & Mrs P. Gaskins & 2 children, Mrs S. Cantlie, Messrs G. Harris, A.J. Hague.
- 5th Departed (10, including 6 others)
Student D. Livernore, Misses O. Goss, S.R. Johnson, Mr D. Hewitt.
- 12th Arrived (12, including 3 others)
Mr & Mrs P.J. Fowler, Miss M. Booth, Messrs I. Fairley, T. Perry, H. Pearce, A. Sindall, Dr. B. Lee.

PASSENGERS (Contd):

- 12th Departed (13, including 3 others)
Mr & Mrs C. Coutts, Stephanie & Lindsey, Mrs J. Halliday, Messrs A.M. Carey, G.O. Evans, J. Morrison, R. McNally, D.W. Stewart, H. Sarney.
- 19th Arrived (17, including 7 others)
Mr & Mrs C. Coutts, Stephanie & Lindsey, Misses O. Goss, S. Johnson, S. Summers, Messrs A.M. Carey, F.G. Hawkins, K.J. Reynolds (last two F.C.O.)
- 19th Departed (12, including 4 others)
Mrs E. Ford & Neil, Mrs M. Salen, Mrs C. Gooch, Messrs D. Peel, H.J. Pearce, A. Sindall, R. Triggs.
- 26th Arrived (10, including 8 others)
Miss M.A. Hills (Teacher), Mr L.H. Goodwin.
- 26th Departed (27, including 15 others)
Mr & Mrs C. Kerr & 2 children, Messrs R. Kelland, K. Plumridge, P. Seazell, D. Ward, G. Cadman, M.E. Gibbins (Teachers), V/C R. Carnelli (LADE), Mr J. Harvey.

September

- 2nd Arrived (24, including 10 others)
Mr & Mrs J. Coates, Mr & Mrs R. Griffiths, Miss S. Giles, Messrs N. Japson, M. Southcott, D. Veares (Teachers), Mrs E. Ford & Neil, Mr & Mrs C. Kerr, Messrs D. Gonzalez, A.C. Miller.
- 2nd Departed (16, including 5 others)
Mr & Mrs J. Woodward, Mr D. Meanwell (Teachers), Mrs C. Morrison, Mrs L. Napier, Messrs A. Collins, F. Howatt, Students Sara & J. Stocks, R.A. Smith.

SHIPPING:

- "Anne Bawa" left Stanley on 7th July.
- "Perenyshl" (Russian Trawler) in and out of Port William on 6th July.
- "Monsunen" to Punta Arenas from 2nd to 31st July, under the command of Mr W. H. Goss.

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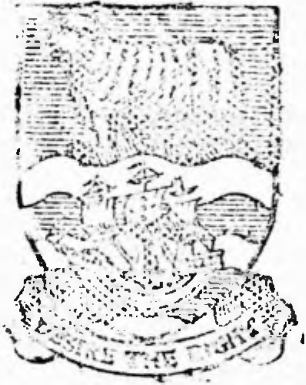
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The above charges refer to families or groups of up to four persons, so you may pay the same for one person as for two, three or four. The fees also include assistance with handling your baggage and waiting up to two hours for delayed flights.

We also have arrangements with many reliable hotels in Buenos Aires which offer English speaking service and advice. Some of these we can quote at specially reduced rates. But don't just spend your time in the hotel - there are many interesting and enjoyable tours which should not be missed.

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WEDDINGS:

Margaret and Reg

The wedding of Margaret Nightingale and Reg Anderson took place at Dunbar, Roy Cove, on 28th August. Mr Simon Miller had been appointed a Registrar for the ceremony.

The bride was charmingly attired in a short dress of pink and white crimpoline, which had long sleeves and white accessories. Margaret also carried a white horseshoe.

Emily and William Goodwin were the witnesses. The groom's niece, Christine Morrison, presented the couple with a Wedding Card inscribed "U2R1".

Tessie and Paul

Many friends gathered at St Mary's Church on 18th September to witness the wedding ceremony of Tessie Volpi and Paul Biffin. Father Philip officiated and the lessons were read by Sandy and Maria, two Spanish teachers.

Tessie, who looked beautiful in a classically simple full-length white gown, was given in marriage by her brother, who had arrived from Argentina, with his wife, for the occasion.

The bride was attended by two Flower Girls, Debbie Gilding and Mariana Carnelli - both looked charming in short party dresses. Paul's best man was John Towse.

Tessie has been a Spanish teacher in Stanley for over a year and Paul is an engineer with the Johnston Construction

Company at present building the airfield at Stanley.
We wish the newly weds every happiness in the future.

DEFINITIVE STAMP ISSUE:

Philatelists will be pleased to learn that plans for the Colony's new definitive issue are well advanced - the stamps should be ready for release late this year, or early in 1977.

The set depicts 15 vessels which carried the Colony's mails from 1842 to the withdrawal of R.M.S. Darwin, and are-

"A.E.S."	1p;	"Darwin"	2p;	"Merak-N" ...	3p;
"Fitzroy"	4p;	"Lafonia" ...	5p;	"Fleurus" ...	6p;
"Falkland" ...	7p;	"Oravia"	8p;	"Memphis" ...	9p;
"Black Hawk" .	10p;	"Foam"	20p;	"Fairy"	25p;
"Amelia"	50p;	"Nautilus" ..	£1;	"Hebe"	£3.

AUGUST WEATHER NOTES:

Rainfall: Total 20.3 mm, about 25 mm less than usual and the driest August since 1958. There were only three occasions when snow covered more than half the ground.

Daily Sunshine (average): 3.7 hours, about 35 minutes above normal.

Temperature: 3.0C (37.4F), 0.6C (1.08F) higher than usual. Highest 12.8C(55.04F) on 21st, lowest minus 2.4C (27.68F) on 18th.

Wind speed (average): 15.1 knots, about one knot below average. Highest gust 55 knots on 17th - there were 32 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force, and 231 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground frost: 20 occasions - two less than usual for the month.

In brief: The second half of the month was notable for the very dry relatively warm and strong north-west winds which hastened in Spring a little early this year.

F.I.C. FARM APPOINTMENTS:

Mr Finlay Ferguson is to be Manager of the Lively and Speedwell Islands group from 1st November, 1976.

Mr Ron Binnie will take over the Management of Fitzroy Farm at the end of the coming season.

Mr Tim Miller has been appointed Assistant Manager of Darwin Farm.

A FAMILY REUNION OF KELPERS:

For the first time since before the war, an almost complete reunion of a Falkland Islands Reive family, from all parts of the Globe, took place at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Reive of Southsea, England, on Sunday, 8th August.

Those present were - Mrs Gertie Ross from Crosby, England, and son Robert from Dar-es-Salaam, Mrs Anne Anderson and daughter Dilys from Canada, Mrs Mally Lellman and husband Karl from New Zealand, Fred from the Falkland Islands, and Charles and wife of Southsea, to where Charles retired in 1972. The only one missing from the reunion was Leonard, at home in the Falklands.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Our congratulations to three Kelper couples, who celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversaries during September -

10th: Mr and Mrs Kenneth John (Jock) McPhee (June Sornsen) of Green Patch;

10th: Mr and Mrs Pat Davis (formerly Phyllis McLaren) of New Zealand;

17th: Mr and Mrs Terence Biggs (Ione Spencer) of Canada.

14th: Captain Jim Korr, M.B.E., first flew in the Falklands on this date 22 years ago.

FLASH BACK TO 13TH DECEMBER, 1939:

Snippet from the Brighton & Hove Gazette of 28th November: Mr Bob Oldfield of Wolseley Road, Brighton, served as a Stoker on H.M.S. Ajax during the Battle of the River Plate on 13th December, 1939. No doubt Bob, like many others on H.M.Ss Ajax, Achilles and Exeter, had many friends in Stanley.

B. A. S.:

Many people will have heard, with regret, that B.A.S. is to reduce its Stanley staff to one (Miss Myrian Booth) and dispose of all holdings in the Falklands at the end of the

1976/77 season. The ready assistance, given by the staff in many and varied matters, has been available to all in Stanley at all times, and we shall miss these courtesies in the future.

HIGHER COSTS ALL ROUND:

Darwin Shipping Limited reports that, very reluctantly, they had to introduce a currency surcharge of 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ % on all freights (U.K./Stanley/U.K.) at the commencement of the September voyage of "Annette Danielsen".

COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION MEETING:

Mr L.G. Blake, Legislative Council Member for the West Falklands, left Stanley on 16th September to attend the 22nd Conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, to be held in Mauritius from 19th to 30th September. Mr Blake will be representing the Colony at the Conference.

TRAINEE PILOTS:

We are pleased to publish that Ian McPhee and Derek Clarke of Stanley have been selected to undergo training as pilots and will be attached to F.I.G.A.S., Stanley. Ian is a son of Mr and Mrs Owen McPhee, and Derek a son of Mr and Mrs Rudy Clarke, all of Stanley.

MORE FALKLAND ISLANDS SUPPORTERS:

A snippet of news in the Newsletter of 17th September: Two Argentine tourists, sheltering behind a Landrover from one of our wintery showers today were heard to remark to a passer-by - "PLEASE Keep the Falklands British!!!" Many vehicles carry placards which read: "Keep the Falklands British".

ISLANDERS, OVERSEAS AND AT HOME:

Alex McGill, who left the Islands four and a half years ago to serve in the Merchant Navy, is now living on Merseyside, U.K., where he is Area Manager of a chain of Boutiques.

Robbie Skilling, went to New Zealand in 1957 where he became Manager of a large joinery firm. While convalescing after an illness in 1968, he took a draftsman's course which

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he passed with high marks. Robbie's firm is developing a suburb of Auckland called "Pakuranga" and they have named a street "Skillling Place" in his honour.

Mrs Rene Rowlands recently received news of the results of her son Paul's school examinations. He gained four "O" levels - Spanish Grade A, Maths Grade B, Physics Grade B, English Grade C. Paul is at Sherwood School, Mansfield, England.

Paul's sister, Mrs Anne Craggs, sat an "O" level examination in English, and passed Grade A.

Jimmy Wallace, of Stanley, passed his City and Guilds Telecommunications Practice Part I with distinction.

Good news from all.

PASSENGERS: September

9th Arrived: (13, including 5 others)

Mr & Mrs I. Campbell, Mrs L. Napier & Sheila, Miss E.M. Dornbrook, Messrs. J. Abbott, J. Harvey, F.D. Howatt, R.M. Kellerman (PIC), R.J. McNally, J.M. Morrison, D.W. Stewart, N. Vidal.

9th Departed: (18, including 4 others)

Mr & Mrs T.C. Clifton & Marie, Mrs H. Johnston & Carol, Mrs J. McMullen, Messrs. C.G. Biggs, F.G. Hawkins (FCO), Len McGill, M.D. Reeve, K.J. Reynolds (FCO), Students (en route to the U.K.) Fiona Clements, Stephanie Coutts, Hazel Shaw.

16th Arrived: (29, including 8 others)

Mr & Mrs S.A. Booth, Mr & Mrs T.C. Clifton & Marie, Mr & Mrs E. Goss & 2 children, Mr & Mrs P.C. Robertson & Sally, Mr & Mrs W.H. Roberts & 2 children, Mrs H. Johnston, Bishop R. Cutts (Argentine Bishop), Messrs J. Bound, F. Morrison (Police Sergeant), M.D. Reeve.

16th Departed: Mr & Mrs F.D. Howatt, Mrs H. Bonner, Mrs C.

Miller, Messrs G. Bound, L.G. Blake, C.E. Fodor, J. Kerr, J. Lavigne.

24th Arrived: (16, including 3 others)

Mr & Mrs J. Felton, Mr & Mrs S.S. Lee, Mr & Mrs D. Peck, Mrs F.M. Short, Mr D. Hewitt.

24th Departed: (20, including 10 others)

Mr & Mrs V.T. King, Mr & Mrs R. Lee & 2 children, Mrs B. Biggs, Bishop R. Cutts, Messrs S. Cletheroe, I. Campbell.

30th Arrived: (25, including 13 others)

Mr & Mrs V.T. King, Mr & Mrs P. McPhee, Mrs J. Halliday, Mrs C. Morrison, Messrs L. Clifton, I. Campbell, G. Evans, L. McGill, D. Phillips, Mgr. D. Spraggon.

30th Departed: (2 Others)

OLDEST ISLANDERS:

Hearing the name and age of our most senior citizen of Stanley mentioned in a Newsletter recently, led us to make some enquiries regarding other Falkland Islanders who are in the 85 to 100 years' group. So far, with the kind help of others, we have reached the fairly high number of nine and, for the interest of our readers, publish their names and ages.

Leading the band, of course, is our centenarian, Mr Jim Pitaluga of Devon, England; followed by Mrs Rose Hirtle of Southwick, England, 90 years old; and seven in Stanley - Mr Hector Allan, the eldest of all in Stanley at 87, Mr William Peck 87, Mrs Margaret Williams 87, Mrs Emily Andreasen 87, Mrs Martha Burns 87, Mrs Mary Porter 86, and the youngest Mrs Elizabeth Perry at 85.

We would be glad to hear of any we have missed.

Best wishes and many happy future birthdays to you all

BACKWARD GLANCE:

Two important events took place in Stanley in October, seventy years ago, as reported at that time:

First: On Tuesday the 9th instant the formal ceremony of the opening of the New Government School, by His Excellency W. L. Allardyce, C.M.G., took place at 4.00 p.m. The Foundation Stone of the New School was laid by Mrs Allardyce on the 9th October, 1905.

Second: On 21st instant Government House was the scene of an interesting little ceremony, the opening by His Excellency the Governor of the first Telephone Exchange in the Falkland Islands. The Exchange is situated in the Jail and, after various experiments, successful connections were made with the Lighthouse, the Falkland Islands Company's Office, the Colonial Secretary's Office, and the Governor's Office.

Seventy-one years ago in February next on 5th, the British Schools in Montevideo, Uruguay, where many local students went to receive secondary education, were inaugurated. The Bishop of the Falkland Islands, the Right Reverend Dr. Every, was invited to inaugurate and declare open the Schools. In his opening speech the British Minister in Uruguay, Mr R.J.Kennedy, expressed the thanks of the British Community to Dr. Every for making this special visit in the midst of his very many obligations as Bishop of one of the greatest Dioceses.

BIRTHS:

K. E. M. Hospital

- Sep 21st: KARA JANE to Mr and Mrs Joe Newell (Trudi Johnson) of Fox Bay West - 7 lb. 15 oz. Kara's great grandmother is Mrs Sarah Peck of Stanley.
- 25th: MICHAEL KEITH to Mr and Mrs Ron Dickson (Iris Ford) of Cape Dolphin - 6 lb. 8 oz. Michael's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Ben Ford of Fitzroy.
- Oct 1st: AMANDA to Mr and Mrs Jimmy Forster (Gwyneth Pole-Evans) of Hill Cove - 7 lb. 4 oz. Amanda's grandparents are Mr and Mrs Tony Pole-Evans of Saunders Island.

Overseas

- Aug 20th: MAXWELL JULIAN to Mr and Mrs Ian White in the United Kingdom - 7 lb. 4 oz. Ian worked for Johnston Construction Ltd., and Mrs White was engaged as a temporary teacher in Stanley.
- Sep 7th: GRAHAM to Mr and Mrs Rod Russell (Joan Thompson) of Southampton, England - 8 lb 15 oz. Graham's grandfather is Mr George Thompson of the Falkland Islands.

SHIPPING:

In and out of Stanley

- "Bahia Buen Suceso" (Argentine) September 19th to 21st.
- "Annette Danielson" (F.I.C. Charter) arrived 25th September.
- "Cabo San Gonzalo" (Argentine) arrived 28th September.

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FLYING TRAGEDY IN THE FALKLANDS:

The following alarming Government notice was broadcast on the evening of Thursday, 14th October.

"Beaver Alpha-Kilo left Brenton Loch this afternoon and is now overdue in Stanley. Unfortunately the radio is out of action. A comprehensive and intensive search is now under way. The Broadcasting Station will remain open until further notice. Nomad will be on two megs all night".

Nomad is the call-sign of the Royal Marine Detachment stationed in the Falklands.

The Beaver was piloted by Captain Ian Campbell, with one passenger on board, Dr Bernard Lee.

Bulletins were broadcast every hour, on the hour, throughout the night, until midnight 15th October, with four bulletins on 16th, four on 17th, three on 18th, and two on 19th, giving the latest positions of the searchers, and the following is a precis of these bulletins.

14th: A 'plane is reported to have been heard and seen near Bluff Cove at 15.30 hours, and also heard at Lively Island at the same time. n.v. Forrest left North Arm and was expected in the Lively Island area at first light on 15th. Mr Bill Luxton offered to fly his 'plane in the area of search. Instructions to search teams were made each hour over the broadcasting system. Search parties moved towards Bluff Cove, Eliza Cove, Mullet

Creek. Lights reported on the high ground on Port Harriet Point. Vice-Comodoro Carnelli offered to request Argentine authorities for sea-search aircraft.

Two further parties covered the area east and west of Eliza Cove and a Landrover party was sent to Port Harriet Point. The Eliza Cove party reported sighting a white light south of Seal Point. A Royal Marine party reached Bluff Cove and confirmed that a child there had actually seen the Beaver on the Stanley route. Civilians searched the Cape Pembroke area.

15th: m.v. Monsunen left to investigate the reported light. Land searchers covered practically the whole coast line between Cape Pembroke and Bluff Cove. Monsunen continued search on south side of Port Harriet Point; Forrest covered the north coast of Lively Island. Bluff Cove party divided, with one half returning via the coast, the other moving inland. Search widened to include inland areas - Marines to Murrel River, teachers in Sapper Hill to Eliza Cove area, others Mount William/Tumbledown and Mount Challenger area. Monsunen to East Island and along the coast to Kidney Island. m.l. Lively checked Port William. Mr Bill Luxton commenced an air search of the areas.

The first break came when Forrest reported that the Beaver had been found at Seal (Johnson) Island in Mare Harbour. Field parties recalled. Forrest returned to Stanley with Dr Lee. It was said that Ian Campbell was on another small island adjacent and a rescue party, with the Royal Marines' Medical Aide, was left to search for him. Monsunen rendezvoused with this party. Dr Lee had suffered a moderately severe degree of exposure and was reported to be making a gradual recovery. His condition was satisfactory, but he would require hospital treatment for a day or two. His account of the accident shows it is evident that the Beaver turned over in the sea, and that both he and Ian got out and clung to the floats for some time. Dr Lee was unable to be questioned at this stage but, from his account, it seems that Ian stated his intention to swim about 75 yards to Johnson Island. A search party was on the island for several hours but failed to find Ian, and further searching of the island gave negative results.

16th: A party from Monsunen searched the island from dawn but found no trace of Ian. Forrest joined Monsunen. A Darwin party of 17 explored the shores west of Swan Inlet and a small party from Fitzroy went to Mount Pleasant Pond and Fitzroy Park. Beaver brought alongside Monsunen - life raft intact in the air-

craft. In the afternoon an Argentine Fokker aircraft, with seven specialists in rescue including a parachutist and a doctor on board, carried out a detailed search from as low as 10 metres, but did not sight anything, and Mr Luxton's aerial searches also revealed nothing.

17th: Two Landrovers took divers from Stanley out to join Forrest. Land search extended to west of Mount Pleasant. A party of 12 from Fitzroy went to Tipps Rincon and six from Darwin took a boat to West Cove. Seal Island searched again - searchers hampered by abundance of kelp on seaward side. Diving teams had been operating. Nine volunteers from Darwin left Swan Inlet in relays for the coast, and 12 from Fitzroy linked up with this party. Monsunen and Forrest returned to Stanley to reassess the position. Intensive search of island has revealed no trace of Captain Campbell and Dr Lee is not yet well enough to be closely questioned, but he again states that Ian intended swimming the 75 yards to shore.

18th: It was decided that swimmers should concentrate in the Mare Harbour area, coupled with foot searches of islands in Choiseul Sound and the south shore of the Sound. Johnson Island searched thoroughly three times, lastly with 16 men. Small tussac island, to south of where Beaver found, searched five times, finally by a close chain of 25 men. Plastic bag with some shells in it found. Divers encountering very severe cold and difficult conditions. Land party from Walker Creek found full package of eggs (later confirmed to have been placed on the 'plane at Port San Carlos) a quarter of a mile west of Pyramid Point. Divers found a boot - Dr Lee removed his boots whilst on the floats. He now confirms that he and Ian were on the floats after the Beaver grounded and that they both made attempts to swim from the aircraft. Dr Lee recalls calling to Ian after he reached the land (reef) and that Ian was then still on the floats. Search parties have found a bundle of letters and a syringe on the north side of the small island. Beaver brought back to Stanley on Monsunen. Forrest searched north-west coast of Lively Island and Kidney Island in Lively Sound. Swimmers and divers again operated at Johnson Island.

19th: The results of the extensive and intensive searches have yielded nothing positive to enable it to be ascertained whether Ian Campbell reached land. If there are any indications that further searching might yield any trace of Ian, investigations will be recommenced.

20th: His Excellency the Governor thanked all concerned, including all helpers in the Camp, for their untiring efforts in the search for Ian Campbell. A party of Royal Marines will be based on Johnsons Island for the next two weeks or so, to carry out boat searches in the area of Mare Harbour. In addition Government would appreciate if settlements at Bluff Cove, Fitzroy, Darwin, Walker Creek and Lively Island would periodically make searches of their coast lines.

Please see page 8 for present situation.

WEDDINGS:

Christine - Kelvin

The wedding of Mr Kelvin Summers, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Phil Summers of Stanley, and Miss Christine Jewkes, daughter of Weymouth and Portland Councillor M.C. Jewkes and Mrs Jewkes, took place on 4th September at Weymouth Register Office.

Christine looked attractive in a cream polyester crepe dress, with a train. The dress had a coffee lace inset on the bodice and sleeves. She also wore a matching Juliet cap and veil and carried a bouquet of gold, yellow and orange roses, together with a silver horseshoe - this latter was sent to the couple, from the Falklands, by Kelvin's small nephew, Roy.

Christine was attended by Una, Kelvin's sister, on holiday in Britain with her parents, and Mrs Pauline Button, a friend of the bride.

A signed harpoon, from South Georgia, was presented to Kelvin and Christine by some members of the crew of H.M.S. Endurance, with whom Kelvin had served before leaving the Royal Navy.

Barbara - John

On Saturday, October 9th, at St. Mary's Church, the marriage of Miss Barbara Teague, Nursing Sister at King Edward Memorial Hospital, Stanley, and of Rhosllanerchrugog, North Wales, to Royal Marine Sergeant John Collins of Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, was celebrated. John is stationed in Stanley with Naval Party 8901. The Reverend Phillip Brugenan officiated at the ceremony.

Looking lovely, Barbara, who wore a long white, nylon chiffon dress, and carried a Bible, was given away by Mr Ray Smith. The two young bridesmaids, Sharon Smith and Anita

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Lee, were very pretty in long dresses of turquoise lawn, each carrying a small posy of daffodils. The groom and best man, S/Maj. John Windybank, R.M., looked immaculate in their "Blues".

There was a reception in the Town Hall, where the bride and groom cut the beautiful 3-tiered cake, made and decorated by Mr Doug Ridley. A supper followed at the Upland Goose Hotel, and the celebrations continued with a dance at Moody Brook.

We offer our best wishes to both couples.

SEPTEMBER WEATHER:

Rainfall: Total 30.2 mm, about 3.5 mm less than usual. There were five days when snow covered more than half the ground.

Daily Sunshine (average): 4.5 hours, about 18 minutes more than usual.

Temperature (average): 2.9C (37.2F), 0.6C (1.08F) lower than normal. Highest recorded was 15.1C (59.18F) on 25th, this is the highest recorded in September since 1971; lowest minus 5.6C (21.9F) on 18th and, apart from 2nd September, 1974, is the coldest September night since 1955.

Wind Speed (average): 16.2 knots, about average. Highest gust recorded was 57 knots on 3rd. There were 26 hours when the average hourly wind speed was of gale force, and 172 hours when it was 10 knots or less.

Ground frost: 19 occasions - normal amount for this time of the year.

In brief: A cool month, with slightly more sun and slightly less rain than usual, with average wind.

EXAMINATION RESULTS:

Miss Davina McKay of Hill Cove passed G.C.E. Examinations in two subjects, gaining "O" levels in English Grade C, Art Grade C.

Chief Police Officer Terence Peck, of Stanley, attended an Overseas Command Course at Bramhill Staff College, in Hampshire, from 29th March to 10th June. He passed out first of 12; other entrants from - Senior Police Officers from Hong Kong, Malawi, the Yemen, Saudi Arabia, Brazil, Solomon Islands, New Hebrides, and Cyprus.

Congratulations and well done, Davina and Terry.

SHIPPING:

In and out of Stanley

"Annette Danielsen" (Charter) left 3rd October.

"Cabo San Gonzalo" (Argentine) left 9th October.

"John Biscoe" 22nd October, left for South Georgia 24th.

PARISH HALL CINEMA:

Mr Joe Booth has scored another popular "hit" by obtaining and screening the well-known and enjoyable musical "My Fair Lady".

Other pictures coming to Mr Booth, one each month for November to March are: "Battle of Britain", "Brannigan", "Patton", "Poseidon Adventure", and "Juggernaut".

On behalf of all film fans we say: "Thank you, Joe; keep up the good work".

CLOSURE OF MINI REVIEW:

We are ceasing the publication of the "Mini" Review with the December issue.

We thank all who have supported the "Mini", especially the weekly newsreaders. We feel confident that the "Times" will keep you supplied with all the news. May it continue to do so for as long as the "Review" which was produced by three pairs of Editors for nearly 16 years.

MEMORIAL TO ANTARCTIC VICTIMS:

A Lancashire climber and two colleagues, who died in Antarctica, were commemorated in a quiet country Church - St Peters Church, Coton, near Cambridge. Graham Whitfield 24, George Hargreaves 21 and Mike Walker 21, set off to climb Mount Peary, 6,000 feet, early last month. They radioed back that they had climbed the mountain, but the weather worsened and, as rescue parties could find no trace of the climbers, they were presumed dead, in the extreme weather conditions prevailing at the time.

A Memorial - a six foot Cross - made by colleagues of the lost men, will be erected in a cairn near the spot where the men lost their lives.

Search for Ian Campbell (from page 4):

29th October: No further bulletins have been issued,

covering the search for Ian, but the Royal Marine party is still searching the area at Johnson Island.

BIRTHS: Overseas

Oct 1st: MICHELLE COLLEEN to Mr and Mrs Michael Green (formerly Myrna Gleadell) of Bahrain - 8 lb. 2 oz.
Michelle is the granddaughter of Mrs Alice Gleadell, now in the United Kingdom. Mick was relief pilot with F.I.G.A.S. in 1963.

1st: SHAUN EDWARD to Mr and Mrs Frank Jenkins (Theresa Binnie) of Deal, England - 6 lb. 0 oz. Shaun's step-grandfather is Mr Malcolm Binnie of Stanley.

R. I. P:

Mrs Alma McLeod (Summers) at Guildford, England, on 23rd October.
Aged 58.

PASSENGERS: October

9th Arrived (36, including 8 others)

Sir Peter Watkin Williams (Visiting Judge), Mr & Mrs R. Buckland & 3 children, Mr & Mrs T. Dobbys, Teresa, Kathleen, Jeannie, Mrs E.M. Monk, Mrs A. Cartmell, Mrs J. McMullen, Mrs C. Miller, Mr & Mrs V.L. Summers, Miss D. Wilson, (Matron, K.E.M.H.), Messrs L.G. Blake, R. Buse, P.D. Clements, M. Dibble, (FIC), W.J. Jones, R.C. Madlocks, C. McCallum, M.A. Pritchard (Teacher), F.J. Reive, D. Smith.

9th Departed (19, including 5 others)

Mr & Mrs D. Dornbrook & 2 children, Miss E. Dornbrook, Mrs R. Amadio, Mrs F. Ford, Mrs R. Robertson, Miss R. Felton, Miss T. Jones, Miss R. Watts, Messrs R.T. Clarke, F.W. Morrison, D. Salem.

14th Arrived (29, including 14 others)

Mr & Mrs D. King & Anna, Mr & Mrs J. McKay & Shelley, Mrs H. Bonner, Mrs B. Biggs, Miss R. Watts, Messrs D. Borland, R.T. Clarke, A.A. Collins, and 3 for F.I.C. A.J. Lambert, H.A. McLean, E. Thornton.

14th Departed (21, including 13 others)

Mrs S. Binnie, Mrs D. Bonner, Mrs S. Sosa & 2 children (LADE), Messrs T.J. Peck & James, J.F. Biggs.

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THE LATE CAPTAIN IAN CAMPBELL, M.B.E.:

The Colony experienced one of its saddest days on 5th November when over 400 people attended the Burial Service for the late Captain Ian Campbell, held in Christ Church Cathedral. Over 100 were unable to be accommodated in the Church and stood outside. The Service was conducted by the Rev. G. Smith.

Most businesses and offices in Stanley closed as a mark of respect to Ian, one of the two most popular men in the Islands, known by everyone in the Camp and with innumerable friends in Stanley and elsewhere.

Ian, who was born in Stanley on 23th November, 1933, started his flying career, under the tuition of Captain Jim Kerr, M.B.E., in 1955. He finished his training and continued flying with F.I.G.A.S. until he passed away on or about the 14th October. He was deservedly awarded the M.B.E. in 1974 - devoted to his work, cheerful and with every consideration for his passengers, Ian gained their love and respect. He will be remembered by all for a long time to come - the untimely death of this extremely likeable person has left a blank in our community which it will be difficult to fill.

To Ian's wife, Nadine, his mother, sister and brother, we

extend our heartfelt condolences.

As is generally known now, Captain Campbell was last seen alive on 14th October, and he lost his life as a result of an accident to one of the Colony's Beaver float planes in the vicinity of Mare Harbour - organised parties searched the area for 19 days, but were unable to uncover any trace of Ian.

On 2nd November, a team of volunteers, including divers, mustered under the direction of Chief Police Officer Terry Peck, proceeded to Mare Harbour and, near the scene of the accident, Ian's body was recovered by divers and brought in to Stanley.

All concerned are to be thanked and congratulated for their splendid and untiring efforts in searching for the plane, Dr Lee (who was rescued on 15th October) and Captain Campbell, with a special commendation to Chief Police Officer Peck for the efficient and successful handling of his search which yielded results so quickly.

R.A.F. AWARD:

At Wittering on 5th November the Royal Air Force Medal for Good Conduct and Service to the Force was awarded to Mr Roy Barber. Roy was attached to F.I.G.A.S. as Ch.Tech. for two years - 1973 to 1975.

NEW BEAVER AIRCRAFT:

Piloted by Mr Tim Rudy, the first of our two new Beaver aircraft, Alpha Tango, arrived and landed on the temporary airstrip on 8th November. The second Beaver, Alpha Victor, flown in by Mr John Lavigne, landed in Stanley Harbour at 8.15 p.m. on 22nd November. John acted as relief pilot for F.I.G.A.S. for approximately six months this year during the absence on leave of the late Captain Ian Campbell.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL APPOINTMENT:

Following the resignation of Mr John Smith, elected to represent Legislative Council on Executive Council by his colleagues, Mr Willie Bowles has been appointed to Executive Council for these duties. Mr William Goss has been appointed to Council, vice Mr Sydney Miller who also resigned.

CURRENT POSTAGE RATES (Some):

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	2 lb	30p	64p	£1.28	
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	4 oz	3p	5p	9p	9p
	8 oz	4p	8p	16p	16p
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RUBY ANNIVERSARY:

We offer our best wishes to Mr and Mrs Karl Lellman (Malvina Reive), now of New Zealand, who celebrated the fortieth anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised in Stanley on 7th November, 1936.

GOVERNORS:

His Excellency the Governor, Mr Neville French, C.M.G., M.V.O., and Mrs French left Stanley on the termination of his tour of duty in the Colony on 2nd December.

Mr James W.R. Parker, O.B.E., Governor designate appointed by Her Majesty the Queen, is due to arrive and assume office on 16th December.

Mr Gordon Slater will act as Governor during the interim.

WEDDING: Ann - Roy

On Saturday, 30th October, Ann, the only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. S. Harvey of Chartres, and Roy Murphy of Gosport, England (Roy works at Chartres), were married at Chartres. Mr William Luxton had been appointed a Registrar for the occasion.

Ann, given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a gown of ivory crepe, trimmed with lace. The high collar and long sleeves were set off by a lacy hat and a bouquet of mixed flowers.

Ann's attendant was Cheryl Reeves, dressed in a long pink gown, white hat and matching pink robbon. Roy's best man was Les Morrison and they both looked immaculate in smart lounge suits, with boutonnières.

We join with all others in wishing Ann and Roy every future happiness.

ELEPHANT ISLAND EXPEDITION:

A joint Services expedition from the British Army, Royal Navy, Royal Air Force and Royal Marines is due to arrive in mid-December at Elephant Island, to climb peaks there and on adjacent Islands. Elephant Island is the spot from where the late Sir Ernest Shackleton made his epic open boat voyage to South Georgia, after losing his ship "Endurance" in Antarctic ice in 1916. Some 800 miles separate the two Islands.

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FARMING STATISTICS 1975/76:

The Annual Stock Return 1975/76, now published, shows a few interesting points in our only industry, e.g. a pleasing reduction is recorded in the loss of lambs between marking and dipping - the loss shown is 13,000; the average for the previous 16 years is 18,000, ranging from 15,000 to 21,000. Sheep shorn amounted to 530,724 - checking back, this is the highest figure for the past 16 years. Wool, at 4,938,000 lbs., is only slightly less than 1962/63's 4,982,000 lbs., the highest for the 17 years from 1959/60, but 1975/76 is well above the annual average of 4,639,000 lbs. for the previous 16 years.

PEN/STAMP PALS:

Stamps - Mr Joe King, 5151 Cote St Catherine Road, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, H3W 1K6, desires correspondents for himself and for youth groups, aged 16 to 23.

Pen - Mr John Boynton, 22 Stanklyn Lane, Kidderminster, Worcestershire - Mr Boynton is in his early 30's, is married, and is Headmaster of a village primary school outside Kidderminster.

Mrs Ruth E. Walton, 10 Dove Street, Newburyport, Massachusetts, 01950, U.S.A. - Mrs Walton is in her 50's, is married with six children and four grand-children.

PASSENGERS: October contd.21st Arrived (27, including 16 others)

Mr & Mrs R. Pitaluga, Mr & Mrs P. Sumners & Una, Misses R. Felton, I. Jones, Dr A.M. Baker (Medical Adviser), Messrs J. Kerr, T. Peck & James.

21st Departed (8, including 6 others)

Sir P. Watkin Williams (Visiting Judge), Mr H.T. Rowlands.

28th Arrived (30, including 22 others)

Air Accident Team Principal G.C. Wilkinson, Dr J.S. Howitt, Engineer E.J. Trimble, I.R. Jones (Teacher), Mr & Mrs H. Milne (FIC Stanley Manager), for Upland Goose Hotel Misses M.A. & L.G. Munoz Carcaine.

28th Departed (17, including 11 others)

Dr A.M. Baker, Miss D.M. Forster, Dr B & Mrs Lee and 2 children.

November

5th Arrived (14, including 6 others)

Mr & Mrs F.D. Howatt, Mrs S. Binnie, Mrs D. Bonner, Messrs F.J. Biggs, T. Reive & Susie, H.T. Rowlands.

5th Departed (11, including 2 others)

Mr & Mrs B. Ford, Mr & Mrs T. Shaw & Mathew, Mrs D. Duncan, Messrs J.S. Howitt, E.J. Trimble (see 28th October), I.J. Strange

11th Arrived (24, including 14 others)

Mr & Mrs B. Ford, Mr & Mrs N. Hall & 2 children (FIGAS), Mrs M. Rosser (Latin Amer. Dept), Messrs K. Kilmartin (FIC), E.J. Satchell (C. & W.), Rex Browning

11th Departed (14, including 8 others)

Mr & Mrs D. Bramley & 3 children, Mr G. Wilkinson.

18th Arrived (36, including 27 others)

Mesdames R.E. Anadio, F.D. Ford, R. Robertson, Miss E.A. Stead (Nursing Sister), Mr & Mrs L.J. Halliday, Mr & Mrs W.J. Halliday, Mr H. Sarney.

18th Departed (17, including 11 others)

Miss R. Allan, Mrs M. Rosser, Messrs P. King, A.J. Lambert (FIC), C.A. Newman, M.A. Woodward (C. & W.)

25th Arrived (23, including 12 others)

Miss R. Allan, Mrs D. Duncan, Messrs A. Berrido, S.W. Cletheroe, P. King, R.W. Montagu (Teacher), Mrs G. Thain & 3 children.

25th Departed (23, including 21 others)

Messrs T.D. Hansen, J. Lavigne
27th Departed by "Bahia Buen Suceso" Mrs O'Reilly & children.

December

2nd Arrived (21, including 8 others)

Mr & Mrs G. Check & 2 daughters, Mrs E. Halliday, Miss Eva Alazia & Sherree, Messrs S.J. Blair (FIC), T.D. Hansen, Tim Miller, C.A. Newman, Ivan Short, Col. Sir S. Pringle (RM).

2nd Departed (32, including 18 others)

H.E. Mr N. French & Mrs French, Mr & Mrs J. Allan and Michael, Mr & Mrs R.D. Clements & Colin, Mr & Mrs B. Stocks & 2 children, Messrs R.W. Smith, P. Watts

BIRTHS: K.E.M. Hospital

Nov 1st: SAMUEL PAUL to Dr and Mrs Keith Dunnett of Stanley -
7 lb. 0 oz.

4th: SARA JANE to Mr and Mrs Peter Gilding (Jacqueline
Draycott) of Stanley - 7 lb. 0 oz. Sara's grand-
parents are Mr and Mrs Dearle Draycott, now in the
United Kingdom. Please see below.

SHIPPING:

R.R.S. John Biscoe 22nd October; to South Georgia 24th.
Stanley 4th November; 5th to Antarctic Waters.
"Raconteur", Australian yacht, left Stanley 2nd November
"Bahia Buen Suceso", Argentine, 24th to 27th November.
R.F.A. Plunleaf arrived 30th November.
H.M.S. Endurance arrived 30th November, to Darwin from 1st
to 4th December.

MINI REVIEW:

Copies of the Mini Review are available at No. 12 Drury
Street, Stanley - telephone 10 - 3 rings.

We take this opportunity of again thanking our supporters
and wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

R. I. P:

Mrs Dorothy Newton (Dot Aldridge) in South Wales on 23rd
September. Aged 55. Dot left the Colony during the war
years to serve in the Forces.

Ian Campbell, at Mare Harbour, on or about 14th October.
Aged 42.

George Butcher in England on 22nd October. Aged 75.
George transferred from the Royal Navy to the Colony where
he served as Chief Electrician from 1929 to 1936.

Frank Sampson in England on 14th November. Aged 86.
Frank worked at Port Howard from 1908 to 1916.

Birth in the K.E.M.H. Nov 14th: JOANNA to Mr and Mrs David
Gray of Darwin - 6 lb. 13 oz.