

Stanley Falkland Islands
13th January, 1858

Sir /

I enclose the return made by the Government
Gardener McGuire of the Value of the Crops, in
the Gardens of the Pensioners, about to leave the
Colony in the Haling Grove for England

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

Henry Belton

Sergeant Major

Acting Staff Officer of Pensioners

J. R. Longden Esq
Colonial Secretary

Stanley Balcland Islands
13th January 1858

Return of the Valuation of the Crops in the Gardens
of the under mentioned Pensioners made by P. McGuire
the Government Gardener this day

		£	s	d	
N ^o 3	Upper Row	Corporal J Brown	8	0	0
" 9	Do Do	Private Tho Karney	"	"	"
" 16	Do Do	Edw ^d Roach	7	0	0
" 18	Do Do	Tho Killilia	6	10	0
" 4	Lower Row	Robt ^t Gillespie	7	0	0
" 8	Do Do	Timothy O'Neill	9	0	0
" 10	Do Do	Mark Ring	7	0	0

his
Patrick X McGuire
Mark

I believe the above Estimate to be a fair
Valuation

Henry Balfour
Serjant Major
Acting Staff Officer of Pensioners
Balcland Islands

Mem. 21 January 1856.

Paraded these men (except Brown
and Varney) and read the Valuation.
All expressed themselves (except King)
generally satisfied with the Award.
King afterwards said he agreed in it.
The men subsequently asked for
the scales of Nations on the voyage,
saying the Troops had been half
starved —

J. Thompson
C.S.

Stanley Jan^y 30th 1850
J. R. Longden Esq^r
Colonial Secretary
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Sir

We the Prisoners whose names are hereunto subscribed, having heard that the growing Crops in our gardens have been valued by order of the Colonial government do Solemnly Protest against the valuation of one Man, and also against the amount at which he is said to have valued our said Crops, and against said valuation being Conducted without our knowledge. We therefore do agree and Bind ourselves to abide by the valuation of any two men, one of whom we will appoint; the other to be appointed by the Colonial government or by whom it may concern.

This we hope you wil Consider fair and just. We are Prepared to name any one of the following Parsons.

Thomas Duncans Valuator

Names of Pensioners

John Brown
Mark King & his Mark

Robert Gillette

Edward Proach & his Mark

Thomas Killalia & his Mark

Timothy O'Neil & his Mark

Statement of Value placed by
the men on their gardens - on the
3^d February 1858 in reply to the
Colonial Secretary.

John Brown	18.. 0.. 0
Mark King	15.. 0.. 0
Robert Gillespie	16.. 0.. 0
Edward Roach	14.. 0.. 0
Thomas Killalia	10.. 0.. 0
Timothy O'Neill	15.. 0.. 0
	<u>£ 88. 0. 0</u>

Handwritten signature or scribble

at the Request of Mark Ring
 Corporal John Brown Edward Roach
 Robt Gellespe Thos Millie and Timothy O'Keil
 we have visited their respective Gardens
 for the purpose of Valuing their growing
 Crops therein and find the Value to be
 as follows

Thos Millie	Garden	£ 9-0-0
Edward Roach	do	12-0-0
Corporal John Brown	do	14-0-0
Robt Gellespe	do	12-0-0
Timothy O'Keil	do	15-0-0
Mark Ring	do	13-0-0
		<u>£ 75-0-0</u>

Daniel M Garrell
 Thomas ^{his mark} + Baker
 we hereby acknowledge to have Received
 the sum of one Pound Sterling for making
 the above Valuation for each of us

£ 2.0.0

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