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D.I. Co. Ltd

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Manager, D.I. Co.

SUBJECT.

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11th March

Previous Paper.

Destruction of lamp post on Public
Setty by D.I. Co's tug "Samson".

MINUTES.

Colonial Engineer.

For report please.

12. 3. 19

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Hon. Colonial Secretary.

This matter was reported to me on the morning of the 11th and I understood Mr. Houston would be writing to me about it. I therefore did not report it. Mr. Houston wrote to you instead.

The lamp post is one of the old type and can easily be replaced. I estimate it will cost about 20/-. I do not think any charge should be made for the old lamp as it was of an obsolete pattern.

I would suggest that the Government do the work and send an a/c to F. I. Co. to recover amount.

R.S.S.
C. E.
18. 3. 19.

Colonial Engineer

Your report approved.

19. 3. 19

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Subsequent Paper.

Hon. Col. Sec.

The lamp post has been replaced at a cost of £1.7.0, and this amount has been recovered from the F. I. Co.

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25.4.19

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The Falkland Islands Coy. Ltd.

Stanley, 11th March, 1919.

Sir,

I much regret to report that the tug "Samson" when leaving the Public Jetty last evening, after having landed cargo there, carried away and totally destroyed the lamp post on the West side of the Jetty. As this can only have been done through carelessness on the part of our own men the Company takes full responsibility and I am willing to take whatever steps His Excellency the Governor may wish to replace same.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Manager.

The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary.