

C.S.

PUBLIC WORKS	
(Stanley Improvement Scheme)	
No.	258/25.

1925.

Col. Secretary.

SUBJECT.

1925  
21st April.

WATER SUPPLY.

Area taken over on slope of Mount William for water catchment.

Previous Paper.

MINUTES.

Copied from M.P. 602/24.

Hon. Colonial Secretary,

Submitted,

With reference to paragraph 2 of Enclosure 2, the area it is proposed to take over on slope of Mount William in connection with the water supply has now been determined, and I attach plan showing in red the area it is proposed to take over amounting to 61.536 acres.

(Sgd.) G. Roberts,

Executive Engineer.  
20th April, 1925.

*G.R.*  
Submitted  
G.R. by  
O'Brien  
25 April 1925

*PA. 6/5/25.*  
*PA 17/10/27*

Subsequent Paper.

O.S.C./C.S.D.

On M.A. 602/24 the tenant is being informed that 61.536 acres are required to

2. The fence enclosing the area can now be erected and at same time the fence on East boundary should be made stock proof.

J.M.

27 April 1925.

Executive Engineer.

Referred.

J.M.

Officer

27 April 1925.

Hon: Col: Secretary

Noted. The East boundary will receive attention.

C.B. 2-5-25.  
E.E.

Minute from Executive Engineer of 27<sup>th</sup> May 1925 - Encl (2)

Letter from Mr. P. Bander of 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1925 \_\_\_\_\_ (2) A

Letter to Mr. P. Bander of 20<sup>th</sup> May 1925 \_\_\_\_\_ (2) B

C.B. Submitted.

J.M.  
Officer

29 May 1925.

O.I.C./C.S.O.

Spec on repayment is authorized.

SA

24 May 1925.

Executive Engineer

For info.  
M.A. 18  
D. 1/25

29 May 1925.

Men: Colonial Secretary,

noted.

Copy letter to Mr. Leander attached.

Enclosure (2.A) has been withdrawn from docket.

C. Roberts.

Executive Engineer.  
30 May 1925.

Ex. Eng. at Water Milling.

It will now be necessary

to name the following forms under

sect. 6 of Ord. 9 of 1903 in

accordance with the relative definition

in sect. 1 of Ord 4 of 1927.

2 Will you kindly put up

a draft description of the area

to be returned for advice as to

Order by the Governor & Council?

3. I presume that the area is

already enclosed by a fence?

W. H. H.

G. H. H.

20.6.27

Hon. Colonial Secretary.

Submitted. Draft description of the gathering ground of the Stanley Water Works:-

The piece of land situated to the South of Moody Valley farmstead and to the North of Mount William, enclosing a portion of the "River of Stones" and the Water Works intake, filter and draw-off pits, with a total acreage of 61.536 acres (? 61½ acres)

Bounded on the East by the existing Common fence for a distance of 1872 feet (2833 links) on the North by a new 6 wire fence for a distance of 1,500 feet (2273 links) on the West by a new fence for a distance of 1702 feet (2579 links) and on the South by a new fence for a distance of 1500 feet (2273 links).

The intake is situated 540 feet (818 links) from the N.E. corner of fence and 160 feet (242 links) South of the North fence.

G. H. Roberts.  
Executive Engineer.  
21st June, 1927.

By  
S. L. Cook.

That you : I have prepared  
the draft of an Order in Council  
by the former upon which I should be  
pleas of your observations, if any.

2. Please let me have an  
additional copy loose of the plan,  
red 1, or a scale reduced to permit  
of its easy attachment to the printed  
Order in Council.

J. Miller

G. L. C.

24. 6. 27

Hon. Colonial Secretary.

I consider the draft Order in Council in order please.

2. Reduced plan of gathering ground attached as requested.

*C. Roberts.*  
Executive Engineer.  
27th June, 1927.

*C.C. Please have draft O.C. forward.*

*Jud 27. 6. 27*

*Draft Order in Council*

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*G.E. Submitted. Circulate to 4 members of Ex. C. in accordance with the provision of Sect. 6 of Ord 9 of 1903. vide Ord. p. 344. ?*

*Jud*

*28. 6. 27*

*Hon. C. S.  
7/2/27  
A.H.*

*30-27  
6*

*Hon. Treasurer  
Hon. Colonial Surgeon }*

*Circulated for consideration at meeting of Executive Council. 7 July 1927  
M. Brown  
Clk. Ex. Co.  
1/7/27*

Hon. Col. Surgeon.

Passed to you, please.

Mr. Brian Harder  
Treas.  
1.7.27.

Hon Col. Secretary

Seen please.

J. H. Deane

4-7-27

Colonel Surgeon

Hon W. R. Graham.

to see

9/11/27

Clk Ex Council.

7/7/27

Seen please.

W. R. Graham

4/7/27.

Extract from minutes of meeting of Executive Council held on the 7th of July, 1927.

It was agreed that the Order should issue.

Clerk of the Executive Council,  
7th July, 1927.

5-6. Copy of Order in Council, 7 July, 1927.

y. 2.

Order in Council submitted to

y. 2. i. i. i. i. i.

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(11/27) A.N.

11. 7. 27.

Registrar

Please withdraw one copy of  
the O.C.C. at par to the Water  
Authority for note.

J. M. K.

9. 6. 27

Hon. Col. Sec.

11. 7. 27

one copy of Order in Council  
withdrawn.

M. Brajendra Nath

Asst. Registrar

12. 7. 27.

Water Authority

Passed to you accordingly.

M. C. H.

12. 7. 27.

Hon. Col. Sec.:

Noted and returned

C. Roberts

14. 7. 27.

Despatch to S. of S. No. 131 of 20 July 1927.

G.S. Dujhal ~~to~~ <sup>initial</sup> + pipeline if approved.

J. M.

25. 7. 27

M. C. H.  
25. 7. 27

Water Authority,

Plan of area enclosed as Gathering  
ground returned herewith for retention in  
open office

for C.S.  
26/7/27.

Hon. Secy.

Plan of Gathering ground  
withdrawn.

for Water Authority  
26/7/27.

8-9. Memo from Ex. Eng. of. 11/10/27.

Y.S. Sketch for approval.

J.M.S.

12-10-27

Hon C.S

Approved. Please pay particular  
attention to par 3. and warm mt.

Bender.

J.M.S.

13/10/27.

Water Authority

As per drawing please

J.M.S.

13. 10. 27.

Hon. Colonial Secretary.

Noted. Mr. Bender informed as 10.  
enclosed copy of letter dated 15th Oct. 1927.

*G. Roberts.*  
Water Authority.  
15/10/27.

No. 68/25  
258/05

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).



27th May, 19 25

From Executive Engineer,  
Improvement Works,  
Port Stanley.

To

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,  
STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS.

STANLEY IMPROVEMENT WORKS.

A quotation has been received from Mr. C. Bender, amounting to £5. 0. 0., for the purchase of surplus fencing material detailed on attached correspondence and lying at the North end of fence enclosing the water works at Mount William.

2. The prices quoted are considered fair and reasonable. The purchase price of the fencing wire and droppers was £2. 5. 0 and 13/6d. respectively against £2 and 12/- offered by Mr Bender. The quotation for the posts is considered very reasonable.

5. This material will not be required for the water works at Mount William, and, if required by the Government, it is considered the cost of transport for so small a quantity to Stanley is not warranted.

4. Submitted for approval to accept in accordance with paragraph 18 (IV) of Instructions re. Stores & Store Accounts.

Enclosures.

Copy ltr to Mr C. Bender 20/5/25

Ltr from " " 23/5/25 (to be returned)

*G. Roberts*  
EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, IMPROVEMENT WORKS.

*Copy*  
COPY.

(2A)

Moody Valley Farm

23/5/25.

G. Roberts Esq.,  
Stanley.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of 20th May re fencing material at Mount William Water Works I shall be pleased to purchase same at the following prices.

2½ coils fencing wire. ... 40/-

3 bundles droppers. 12/-

12 Posts. 48/-

There is only one complete coil of wire the remainder being in pieces.

Yours faithfully,

Sgd. C. Bender.

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From..

To.....

Executive Engineer,  
Improvement Works,  
Port Stanley.

Mr. C. Bender,  
Moody Farm,  
Port Stanley.

20th May, 1925.

6/25

I shall be glad to know whether you are desirous of purchasing the undermentioned fencing materials lying at the North end of the fence enclosing the water works at Mount William and on the beach at the head of the harbour, and if so the amount you are prepared to pay for same as it lies.

- 2½ coils Fencing Wire (of 440 yards per coil).
- 3 bundles Fencing droppers, 40" x 1" x 2".
- 12 No. Fencing posts.

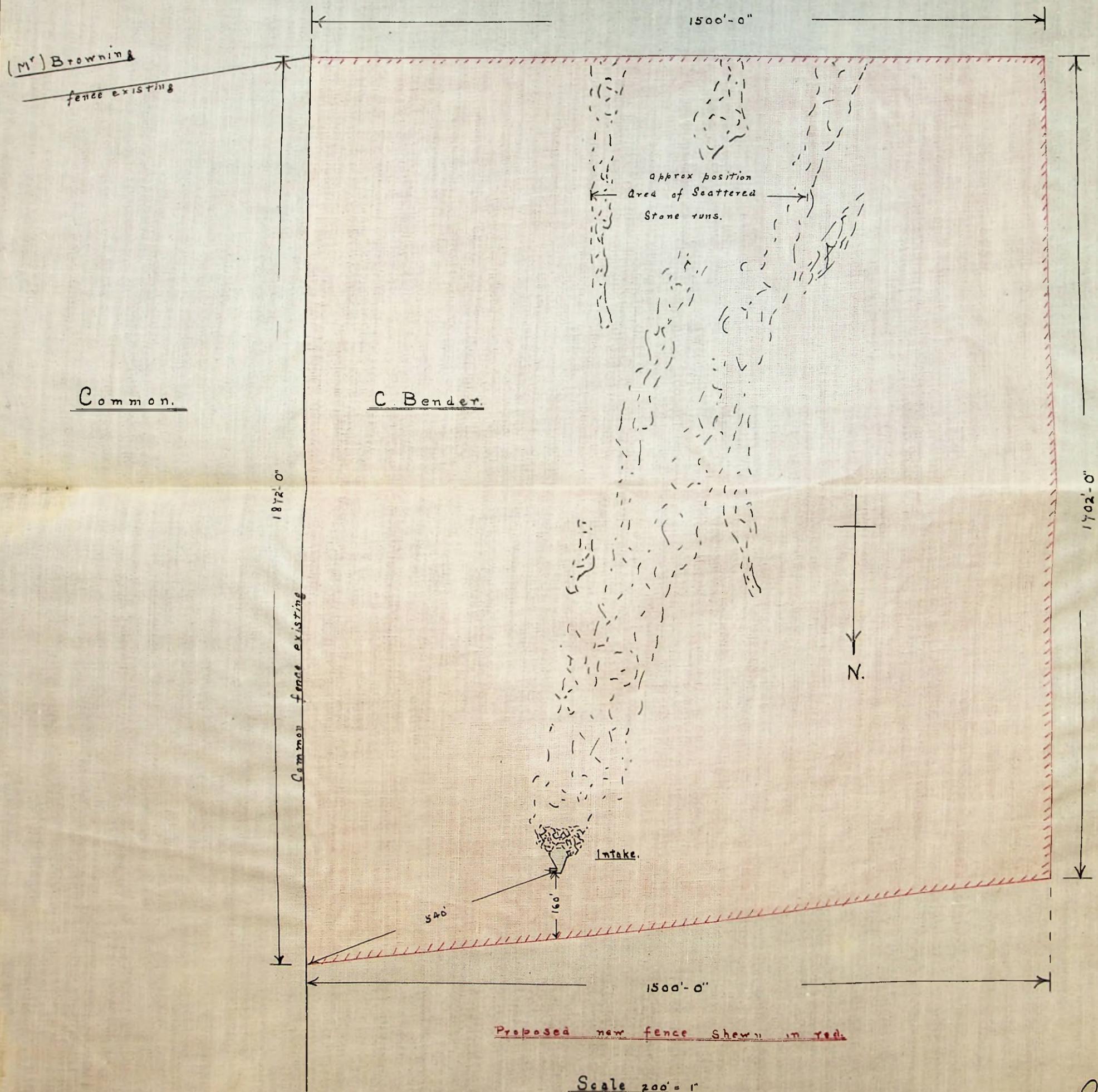
~~6 Nos. Sandy Point timbers 12 ft lengths, 4" x 3"~~

*C. Roberts*

Executive Engineer.

WATER SUPPLY. CATCHMENT AREA M<sup>r</sup> WILLIAM.

61.536 Acres.



G.P. 18-4-25.

FROM...

To..

Executive Engineer,  
Improvement Works,  
Port Stanley.

Mr C. Bender,  
Moody Farm.

30th May, 1925.

41/25

I have to inform you that your quotation, dated 23rd May, 1925, amounting to FIVE POUNDS (£5).., for the purchase of the undermentioned fencing material lying at North end of fence enclosing the water works at Mount William, is accepted.

2½ coils Fencing wire .....	£ s. d.
	2. 0. 0.
3 bundles Fencing droppers.....	12. 0.
12 No. Posts.	<u>2. 8. 0.</u>
	<u>£5. 0. 0.</u>

I shall be glad if you will forward the above amount in settlement to this office.

Executive Engineer.

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ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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ARNOLD HODSON.

Governor.

In accordance with the powers vested in him by section 7 of the Land Ordinance, 1903, and otherwise, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered that :-

All that area of land described in the schedule hereto and more particularly coloured pink in the plan which can be inspected at the office of the Water Authority shall be reserved for the purpose of public utility, namely, for use as a gathering ground as defined in section 1 of the Stanley Water Supply Ordinance, 1927.

SCHEDULE.

All that area of land situated to the south of Moody Valley farmstead and to the north of Mount William enclosing a portion of the river of stones and the intake, filter, and draw-off pits of the Stanley Water Works, being in area sixty-one and a half acres more or less, and bounded on the East by the Common fence for a distance of 2,833 links, on the North by a new six-wire fence for a distance of 2,273, on the West by a new six-wire fence for a distance of 2,579 links, and on the South by a new six-wire fence for a distance of 2,273 links. The intake of the Stanley Water Works aforesaid lies 242 links to the South of the  
North/

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North fence, and 818 links from the junction of the North and the East fences.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 7th day of July, 1927.

G. R. L. Brown.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

M. P. 258/25.

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
STANLEY,  
20th July, 1927.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.  
No. 131.

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith six copies of an Order made by me in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 7th of July, 1927, declaring the area enclosed as the gathering ground of the Stanley Water Works to be a reserve under Section 7 of the Land Ordinance, 1903.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

ARNOLD HODSON.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

L. C. M. S. AMERY, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

(8)  
Moody Valley Farm  
October 1<sup>st</sup> 1927

The Executive Engineer  
Stanley Water Works.

Sir

I beg to apply for permission  
to cut peat in the Water Works Paddock at  
Mount William

yours Faithfully

G. P. H. Bender.

No.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

MINUTE.

11th October, 19 27

From Water Authority,

To

Stanley.

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

STANLEY WATER WORKS.

I beg to attach an application received from Mr. C. Bender for permission to cut peat in the fenced catchment area at Mount William.

2. I submit for approval that this facility be granted for this year, but that Mr. Bender be informed that this will be the last year he will be allowed to cut peat within the enclosure and that after this season he must make other arrangements in connection with his peat cutting.

3. The peat this year will be cut to the North West of the water intake, and this will not affect the water, but Mr. Bender is gradually encroaching towards the intake with his peat cutting, and if he is allowed to continue it will *in time* become detrimental to the water supply.

*G. Roberts.*  
Water Authority.

Port Stanley,

Falkland Islands.

15th October, 1927.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of 1st October, 1927., I have to inform you that approval is given for you to cut peat this year within the enclosure of the Water Works at Mount William.

2. I regret that it will not be possible to grant this facility after this season, when you must make other arrangements with regard to your peat.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*C. Roberts*

Water Authority.

Mr. C.P.W. Bender,  
Moody Valley Farm,  
Stanley.