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Government Notices

No. 76.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
2nd December, 1916.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

MISS SIGRID ENESTROM

to be Telephone Operator, with effect from the 1st January, 1917, *vice* Miss N. Aldridge, resigned.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 77.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
12th December, 1916.

The Governor directs the publication for general information of the following telegram which he has received from the Right Honourable His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1143/16.

Secretary of State to Governor.

11th December. His Majesty has been pleased to confer on me the Seals of the Colonial Office.

WALTER LONG.

No. 78.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
16th December, 1916.

The Governor has been pleased to grant to:—

MR. A. C. KIRWAN, First Clerk, Treasury, and Shipping Master,
three months vacation leave of absence with effect from the 1st December, 1916, and to appoint

MR. G. R. L. BROWN, Second Clerk, Treasury,
also to act temporarily and provisionally as First Clerk, Treasury, and also to act as Shipping Master.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1122/16.

No. 79.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
25th December, 1916.

The Governor directs the publication of the following Messages from HIS MAJESTY THE KING to His Sailors and Soldiers.

These Messages have this day been duly published in orders in this Colony.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1183/16.

I send you my Sailors and Soldiers hearty good wishes for Christmas and the New Year. My grateful thoughts are ever with you for victories gained for hardships endured and for your unfailing cheeriness. Another Christmas has come round and we are still at War. But the Empire confident in you remains determined to win. May God bless and protect you.

GEORGE R. I.

At this Christmastide the Queen and I are thinking more than ever of the sick and wounded among my Sailors and Soldiers. From our hearts we wish them strength to bear their suffering speedy restoration to health a peaceful Christmas and many happier years to come.

GEORGE R. I.

Summary of Ledger Balances for November, 1916.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

<u>ASSETS</u> on 30th November, 1916.				Dr.			Cr.		
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance ...	...	...	...	8456	18	3			
„ Investments held ...	...	...	...	243419	3	8			
„ Advances Outstanding ...	...	...	...	3316	10	5			
„ Remittances (in transit) ...	...	...	...	14996	2	4			
 <u>LIABILITIES</u> on 30th November, 1916.									
By Deposits outstanding ...	...	...	...				125662	11	5
Surplus of Assets:—		£	s.	d.					
Land Sales Fund ...	124890		5	1					
Stock Fund ...	2297		12	5					
Balance	17338		5	9					
							144526	3	3
				£	270188	14	8	£	270188
							14	8	

NOTE.—Crown Agents' Accounts for October & November not included.

Distribution of Cash Balances.

	£	s.	d.
Crown Agents (30/9/16)	1768	8	5
Treasury Chest (30/11/16)	6688	9	10
	£8456	18	3

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

THE TREASURY,
STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS,
6th December, 1916.

SAVINGS BANK, 1915-16

(MANAGER'S REPORT).

TREASURY,
STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS,
24th November, 1916.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward the following report of the transactions of the Government Savings Bank, for the year ended 30th September, 1916.

2. On the 1st March last, the Governor in Council made new Savings Bank Regulations under the provisions of the Savings Bank Ordinance 1888, when the Regulations of the 8th May, 1888 were cancelled, and on the 1st April, 1916, the Savings Bank was transferred from the Post Office to the Treasury.

Summary of year's transactions.

3. During the year 107 accounts were opened and 141 closed; leaving a total of 662 depositors, amongst whom the balance in hand, amounting to £103,578 19s. 2d, was distributed. This gives an average of over £45 per head of the population of the Falkland Islands, computing the population at 2,300.

4. The Balance in hand, credited to the different accounts on the 1st October, 1915, was	£93,138 : 7 : 2
During the year the deposits received amounted to ...	23,170 : 1 : 7
And the accrued interest credited to the different accounts, was	2,210 : 16 : 1
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making a total of:—	£118,519 : 4 : 10
On the other hand, the Withdrawals, were,	14,940 : 5 : 8
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leaving a balance on the 30th September, of	£103,578 : 19 : 2

Capital Account.

5. (Enclosure A). On the 1st October, 1915 the balance in hand was	£93,188 : 7 : 2
the excess of deposits over withdrawals during the year, was	10,440 : 12 : 0
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making a balance in hand on the 30th September 1916, of	£103,578 : 19 : 2

6. Under the provisions of Section 10 of the Ordinance, the amount expended in the purchase of Securities on the 1st October, 1916, was 74,016 : 4 : 2

Further purchases during the year, amounted to 12,000 : 0 : 0

making the total Investments,	86,016 : 4 : 2
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leaving an uninvested balance of	£17,562 : 15 : 0

Profit and Loss Account.

7. (Enclosure B) During the year the income from

Investments, was	...	...	...	...	£2,542 : 11 : 2
which less expenses for management, &c.,	...	...	...	...	2,264 : 16 : 1

leaves a profit on the years transactions of, ... £277 : 15 : 1

The uninvested balance of £17,562 : 15 : 0, is held on deposit in England at Bank rate. The interest derived therefrom is credited direct to the Ordinary Revenue of the Colony, and in consequence does not appear on Enclosure C.*

8. The income derived from the Securities since the establishment of the Savings Bank in 1888, has been applied to the payment of Interest due to Depositors, and other expenses for management. The profit on each year's transactions being transferred annually to the Ordinary Revenue of the Colony, whereas under the provisions of Section 11 of the Ordinance, it would appear that the income derived from the securities, should, in the first instance, have formed a fund for defraying the expenses of and incidental to the execution of the Ordinance.

9. Since the establishment of the Savings Bank in 1888, the total amount derived

from the Securities amounted to	...	...	...	£42,326 : 0 : 4
which less expenses, for same period	...	...	...	33,260 : 4 : 6

leaves a total profit, transferred to Ordinary Revenue, of £9,065 : 15 : 10

Assets and Liabilities.

10. On the 30th September, 1916, the total amount of deposits standing to the credit of depositors, representing the Liabilities of the Bank, was £103,578 : 19 : 2

The Assets of the Bank, as shewn by
Enclosure C,* the Market Value of the
Securities held ... £67,477 : 0 : 0

together with the uninvested monies (En-
closure B). ... 17,562 : 15 : 0

85,039 : 15 : 0

leaves a surplus of Liabilities over Assets, amounting to ... £18,539 : 4 : 2

11. The great depreciation in the Market Value of Securities, owing to the present War conditions, explains the very large surplus of Liabilities over Assets shewn above, which, no doubt, will recover itself in course of time.

I have, etc.,

W. A. THOMPSON,

Manager, Savings Bank.

The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1109/1916.

* Not Printed.

(Enclosure A.)

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

DR.	30th September, 1916.				CR.		
	£	s.	d.	Investments:	£	s.	d.
On Deposit 1st Oct., 1915 ...	93138	7	2	Total Market Value ...	67447	0	0
Excess of Deposits over				Depreciation ...	18539	4	2
Withdrawals	10440	12	0	Cash Balance uninvested ...	*17562	15	0
	<u>£103578</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>£103578</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>2</u>

* On deposit in England at Bank Rate of interest.

(Enclosure B.)

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT,

DR.	30th September, 1916.	CR.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Interest paid and credited to Depositors for Year ending 30th Sept., 1916	2210 16 1	Interest on Investments for Year ending 30th Sept. 1916.	2542 11 2
Manager's Salary	50 0 0		
Expenses of Audit	4 0 0		
Profit on year's transactions ...	277 15 1		
	<hr/> £2542 11 2 <hr/>		<hr/> £2542 11 2 <hr/>

Audited and found correct,

T. N. GODDARD.

Auditor.

JURY LIST FOR THE YEAR 1917.

The following list of the persons liable under the provisions of The Jury Ordinance, 1901, to serve as Jurors for the year 1917, is published in accordance with the fourth section of the Ordinance.

Any objections thereto will be heard and determined in the Magistrate's Court on the third Monday in January 1917, at 11 a.m.

Stanley, 11th December, 1916.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Stipendiary Magistrate.

1 Steel, Robert	63 McGill, James	125 Kiddle, Albert	187 Thompson, Wm.
2 Hunter, Robert, Jr.	64 Elmer, A.	126 Mercer, Alex.	188 Peck, John
3 McAskill, Daniel	65 Kelway, John F.	127 Dettleff, William	189 Peck, Wm., Jr.
4 Houston, James	66 Atkins, Richard	128 Reives, George	190 Harries, Joseph
5 Dettleff, Michael	67 King, G. Thomas	129 Robson, Timothy	191 Pitaluga, James
6 Newman, Fred	68 Benton, A. W.	130 Elmer, William	192 Perry, James
7 Aldridge, Joseph	69 Harvey, A.	131 Smith, J. A.	193 King, A. B.
8 Skilling, R.	70 Liddel, John	132 McKenzie, Donald	194 Parrin, Henry
9 Kiddle, David	71 Carey, William	133 Ratcliffe, James	195 Steel, Alex.
10 Kirwan, John	72 Binnie, Nisbet	134 McKay, John D.	196 Allan, Percy
11 Foote, Walter	73 Aldridge, John G.	135 Robson, Edward	197 Crawford, F.
12 Morrison, Donald	74 Smith, John F.	136 Tennick, W.	198 Sharp, Robert
13 Ratcliffe, Albert	75 Fleuret, B.	137 Bennett, H. E.	199 Dettleff, Hansen
14 Steel, Mitchell	76 McGill, Wm.	138 Hubbard, William	200 Pitaluga, Henry
15 Pole-Evans, R.	77 Goodwin, Thos., Jr.	139 Jones, Hugh	201 Barnes, Arthur
16 Campbell, William	78 Watson, Duncan	140 Morrison, Findlay	202 Betts, John
17 Lellmann, Fritz F.	79 Bradbury, Robert	141 Scott, Fred	203 Osborne, George
18 Cletheroe, John	80 Anderson, William	142 Alazia, George	204 Etheridge, Wm
19 Robson, John R.	81 Benney, G. W.	143 Conway, Wm.	205 Johnstone, George
20 Lehen, Conrad	82 Wilkins, George	144 Short, Fred	206 Boyer, Alex.
21 Lellmann, Albert	83 Waterson, George	145 Llamosa, W.	207 King, Owen
22 Short, John	84 Summers, A. D.	146 McKay, Donald	208 Bonner, Alex.
23 Lyse, John	85 Harvey, J.	147 Kelway, George, Sr.	209 Luxton, John
24 Gilchrist, Arthur	86 Llamosa, Geo.	148 King, Alfred	210 Roberts, Harry
25 Pearson, William	87 Wilkins, Samuel	149 Smith, Thomas	211 Barnes, Silvester
26 Anderson, John	88 Betts, Henry	150 Parrin, George	212 Berntsen, Abner
27 Craig, W.	89 Brundell, A.	151 McAskill, A.	213 Bonner, W.
28 Morrison, R.	90 Butler, Joseph	152 Hardy, Thomas	214 Browning, Fred
29 Oliver, Charles	91 Binnie, James	153 Binnie, Thomas	215 Hardy, Arthur
30 Rutter, Harry	92 McMullen, D.	154 Metcalfe, J.	216 Reives, Thomas
31 Davis, John	93 Halliday, John	155 Reive, Andrew	217 King, Fred J., Jr.
32 Gleadell, Ed. J.	94 Grierson, John W.	156 Anderson, Louis	218 Kirwan, Sydney
33 McDonald, E.	95 Lee, Thomas	157 McCaskill, Daniel	219 Williams, J. H.
34 Benney, Wm. G.	96 McAtasney, John	158 Carey, J. R.	220 Griffiths, John
35 Biggs, Arthur V.	97 Gresham, H. H. R.	159 Simpson, Thomas	221 Whitlock, J.
36 Hall, Arthur	98 Anderson, Charles	160 Clifton, Richard	222 Kelway, George
37 Biggs, Albert	99 McNicol, James	161 Creece, E. G.	223 Ogilvie, David
38 Rae, Alex.	100 Alazia, John	162 Brown, Frank Jr.	224 Felton, Roy S.
39 Kirwan, A. C.	101 Reive, Robert	163 Lee, T. G. F.	225 Kirk, William
40 Stewart, William	102 Lamb, George	164 Milne, J.	226 Cobb, Arthur F.
41 Cartmell, Robert	103 Berntsen, Fred.	165 Kendal, Walter	227 Hardy, Fred, Jr.
42 Waddup, John	104 McMullen, Wm.	166 Dettleff, John	228 White, James
43 Fitzpatrick, R.	105 Goodwin, John, Jr.	167 Blythe, John	229 McLeod, Kenneth
44 Short, Richard	106 Phillips, George	168 Smith, G. M.	230 Kelway, Fred
45 Lellmann, Victor	107 Scott, Charles	169 Kelway, Charles	231 Aldridge, James J.
46 Cressard, E.	108 Robson, Michael	170 Martin, Alex.	232 Etheridge, Walter
47 Thomas, Henry	109 Harrison, Wilfred	171 Waddup, Isaac	233 Goodwin, James
48 Goodwin, Thos.	110 Davis, Richard	172 Baseley, R. B.	234 Betts, Charles
49 Launing, Thomas	111 Dickson, John, Jr.	173 Hansen, Charles	235 Simpson, Alex.
50 Allan, John W.	112 Newing, Henry	174 Perry, John	236 Lehen, Daniel
51 Summers, John F.	113 Goss, W. J.	175 Newing, George	237 Miller, John
52 Dawe, J. M. W.	114 Aldridge, William	176 Nosworthy, Wm.	238 Wilson, William J.
53 Parrin, Mendoza	115 Clifton, Henry, Jr.	177 Goss, William H.	239 Cantlie, J.
54 Yates, Maunel	116 Bender, C. W.	178 Summers, Ed. Jr.	240 Hutchinson, Wm.
55 Evans, John	117 Anderson, J.	179 Lang, Frank	241 Smith, T.
56 Walsh, John	118 Clifton, Henry	180 Bonner, Sam	242 Lehen, Joseph
57 Macrae, A.	119 Moir, Alex.	181 Goodwin, George	243 Betts, Alex.
58 Morrison, G.	120 Simpson, George	182 Aitken, R. Sr.	244 Thompson, C. F.
59 Biggs, John	121 Pergolis, H.	183 Jones, Richard	245 Dettleff, Richard
60 Ratcliffe, John	122 Watts, J.	184 Hardy, Aubrey	246 Simpson, Alex.
61 Ratcliffe, Wm, Jr.	123 Wilkie, William	185 Ratcliffe, Howard	247 Roberts, Edgar
62 Wilson, Edward	124 Alazia, William	186 Smith, George B.	248 Finlayson, Donald

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249 McDonald, D.	325 Biggs, Herbert	401 Peterson, F. W.	477 Dixon, William B.
250 Jennings, Fredk.	326 Black, James A.	402 Stewart, Gordon	478 Biggs, Alfred
251 Burns, Thomas	327 Clifton, William	403 McKenzie, Arthur	479 Henricksen, Fred
252 Aitken, John	328 Dettleff, James	404 McLennan, Findlay	480 Challen, S.
253 Thompson, George	329 Parslow, W. F.	405 Suarez, E.	481 Howard, William
254 McGill, John	330 Griffiths, Sydney	406 Turner, Wm.	482 Aldridge, E.
255 Hollen, Henry	331 Gleadell, Wm., Sr.	407 Simmon, P.	483 Paulini, G. F.
256 Petersen, James	332 Boniface, F. H.	408 McRae, C.	484 Runacres, A.
257 Sarney, Harry	333 Tudor, W.	409 Muise, James	485 Ball, Geo. B.
258 Harris, Geo.	334 Kiddle, Alex.	410 Murphy, David	486 Clarke, A. J.
259 May, Fred Sr.	335 Elliot, C.	411 Yates, Robert	487 Simon, A. G.
260 Duncan, James	336 McAtasney, W.	412 Wade, Wm.	488 May, H. J.
261 Smith, W.	337 Goodwin, William	413 Maloney, Daniel	489 McLeod, J.
262 Summers, Vincent	338 Bound, Napoleon N.	414 Shannon, S.	490 Hannaford, R. H.
263 Finlayson, Rodrick	339 Browning, Henry	415 Tudor, William	491 Buckley, E.
264 McPherson, Peter	340 Challis, A.	416 McLaren, Alex.	492 Fleuret, C.
265 Kivell, Wm.	341 Duncan, Peter R.	417 Wilkins, Henry	493 McLeod, Angus
266 McMullen, Michael	342 Hardy, Ray V.	418 White, F.	494 Farias, Jose Fiall
267 Smith, A. E.	343 Grant, Robert	419 Rumbolds, J.	495 Titheridge, James
268 McCarthy, Michael	344 Brant, Ed.	420 McDonald, A. K.	496 Summers, E. N.
269 Dixon, Ernest	345 Dettleff, Thomas O.	421 Porter, Arthur	497 Hoare, A. R.
270 Middleton, Lindsay	346 Harries, John J.	422 Smith, James	498 Hamond, Thos. A.
271 Earle, William	347 Findlay, William	423 McKay, Thomas	499 Lee, A.
272 Davis, J. Jnr.	348 McRae, Donald A.	424 Ryan, John	500 Lee, A. F.
273 Coutts, William	349 Williams, F.	425 Scott, J.	501 Hunter, Thomas
274 Shaw, Duncan	350 Newman, Silas	426 Smith, James	502 McPhee, J.
275 Harries, Joseph	351 Montgomery, R.	427 McPherson, John	503 Lee, Jacob
276 Jennings, William	352 Dickson, John, Sr.	428 House, F.	504 Whiting, Thos. A.
277 Cooke, Thos.	353 Biggs, A. M.	429 Porter, Howard	505 Bazell, E.
278 White, E.	354 Curran, Thomas	430 Scott, George	506 Craig, P.
279 Mills, Philip	355 Williams, Cyril S.	431 Walker, Thomas P.	507 Stolworth, H.
280 Waters, J.	356 Grant, Louis	432 Smith, Adam	508 Sampson, Frank
281 Lyse, Charles W.	357 Clifton, Harry, Jr.	433 Skilling, John	509 Bubb, Frederick
282 Duncan, George	358 Brechin, Gregor	434 Sully, A. W.	510 Richards, J. P.
283 Middleton, Stewart	359 Bartram, W.	435 Smith, E. J.	511 Brown, G. R. L.
284 Pauline, Henry	360 Coleman, John	436 Stewart, David	512 Short, Francis
285 Bowles, George	361 Buckley, P. E.	437 Stewart, George	513 Allan, Charles G.
286 Jennings, C.	362 Hansen, Jason	438 Summers, Walter	514 Carey, Raymond F.
287 McMillan, Hugh	363 Jennings, C. Henry	439 Smith, Rodger	515 Barnes, Arthur Jr.
288 Watson, George	364 Chard, A.	440 Stewart, James	516 Robson, Walter C.
289 Pauline, Ralph	365 McPherson, Donald	441 Clifton, W.	517 Murphy, M. A.
290 Middleton, James	366 Newing, Walter	442 Smith, Ralph	518 King, Cecil F.
291 Smith, F.	367 Paice, Thomas	443 Stewart, Harold	519 Cann, Alfred B.
292 Mills, Thomas	368 Lee, Alfred F.	444 Barnes, Fred. W.	520 Dettleff, Henry
293 Rawson, Frank	369 Noble, Arthur	445 Lackie, James	521 Hall, Louis J.
294 Ryan, James	370 Lees, David	446 Sherry, Thos.	522 Peck, Wm. Sydney
295 Phillips, Albert	371 Paice, George	447 Hulford, F.	523 Halliday, John
296 Bailey, Robert	372 Hewitt, John	448 Meirhofer, John G.	524 Biggs, Hubert A.
297 Nicolls, Geo.	373 Jay, George	449 Binnie, James G.	525 Bonner, F.
298 Broad, Herbert	374 McLaren, George	450 Simon, A. E.	526 Pauline, H. W.
299 McLeod, John	375 McKay, James	451 Martin, Charles	527 Hardy, Herbert
300 Middleton, Jas.	376 O'Neil, Jos	452 Allan, Victor	528 Walsh, H. W.
301 Pauline, Fred	377 Stores, A.	453 Gleadell, Jas.	529 Dixon, E. V.
302 Rowlands, Conrad	378 Hills, A.	454 McPhee, A.	530 Enestrom, Chas.
303 Watson, William	379 Wilkins, Walter	455 May, Frederick A.	
304 Clarke, Jas.	380 McRae, Farquha	456 Thomson, F. P.	
305 Rowlands, Jas.	381 Skilling, A. G.	457 Currie, W. U. M.	
306 Middleton, David	382 Parrin, G.	458 White, Fred	
307 McLeod, Norman	383 Hutchinson, Robert	459 Best, Edward	
308 Campbell, Hugh	384 Johnstone, Edward	460 Gummer, Herbert	
309 Biggs, Bernard	385 Aldridge, Harold	461 Meek, George	
310 Finlayson, Murdk.	386 Morrison, W.	462 Scott, William	
311 Duncan, Howard	387 Pauline, William	463 Braxton, T.	
312 Brownell, Sydney	388 Morrison, Malcolm	464 Berntsen, A.	
313 Richardson, T.	389 Myles, Thomas	465 Gaskin, P.	
314 Betts, William	390 Peck, William, Jr.	466 Little, F.	
315 Biggs, John	391 Hooley, Sam	467 Llamosa, P.	
316 Anderson, Allan	392 Jones, Jack	468 Dearling, Alfred	
317 Henricksen, Albert	393 Hansen, Frederick	469 Balharrie, W.	
318 McLaren, George	394 Bonner, Henry J.	470 Atkins, Wm. M.	
319 Duncan, David	395 McKenzie, Alex.	471 Sampson, F.	
320 Gleadell, George	396 Pearce, John	472 Sims, J.	
321 Oliver, George	397 Henderson, W.	473 Kiddle, Fred	
322 Williams, Ralph	398 Holford, R.	474 Allen, F.	
323 Pitaluga, Donald	399 McAskill, John	475 Williams, Henry	
324 Allan, Hector	400 Mitchell, J.	476 Gleadell, Fred	

Renewal of Licences under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance No. XI. of 1882.

Take Notice

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance No. XI of 1882, application has been made for the renewal of Publican's RETAIL and BILLIARD TABLE Licences for the half year ending 30th June, 1917, by:—

Biggs, Bernard C.	"First and Last Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Bagatelle do.
Gilchrist, A. J.	"Globe Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Challen, G.	"Stanley Arms"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Smith, G. B.	"Ship Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Aldridge, J. G.	"Rose Hotel"	Publican's Licence.

and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of these licences before the 1st day of January next the same will be renewed for the Half Year ending the 30th June, 1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
11th December, 1916.
M. P. 537/1916.

Probate.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Edward Charles Lee, deceased

Whereas Mrs Margaret Jane Lee, widow of deceased has applied for Letters of Administration of the Estate of the above named deceased.

These are therefore to warn the next of kin and the creditors that the prayer of the petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no will.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Registrar Supreme Court.

28th December, 1916.
S.C. No. 4 of 1916.

CURRENCY NOTE FUND.

Abstract of Accounts as required by Section 10, Sub-section 4 of the Currency Note Order in Council, 1899.

Amount and average of Notes in circulation during month ended 10th October, 1916. £10000 0 0

Coin portion of Note Guarantee Fund { with Commissioners £2500 } £5000 0 0
on 10th October, 1916. { with Crown Agents £2500 }

* Investments forming part of Note Guarantee Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	1200	0	0	1200	0	0
Queensland	3	900	0	0	842	17	7
South Australia	3	400	0	0	382	0	5
Straits	3½	276	15	4	200	15	0
Transvaal	3	1200	6	2	1137	4	8
Trinidad	3	1000	0	0	933	2	9
West Australia	3	600	0	0	552	13	0
Total Investments	£	5578	1	6	5428	13	5

* Investments forming the Note Depreciation Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	600	0	0	600	0	0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5
						—	—
Total Investments	£	889	10	8	890	8	5
Loss on transfer of Stock in August, 1916.						7	2
					890	15	7

NOTE.— * £664 : 14 : 7 advanced from General Revenue.

C. F. CONDELL,
W. A. THOMPSON,
W. A. HARDING, } Commissioners of Currency.

20th December, 1916.

M.P. 1345/1915.



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Proclamation

[L.S.]
W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

By His Excellency WILLIAM DOUGLAS YOUNG, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

In accordance with instructions received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, I hereby declare that His Majesty the King will not be advised to exercise his powers of disallowance in respect of Ordinance No. 9 of 1915, entitled "An Ordinance to Amend the Whale Fishery Ordinance, 1908".

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this third day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

Proclamation

[L.S.]
W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

By His Excellency WILLIAM DOUGLAS YOUNG, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

Whereas it is of great importance that full information should be obtained with regard to property in enemy territory belonging to British subjects, and also with regard to the claims of British subjects against enemy persons and enemy Governments,

And Whereas for the purpose of obtaining such information it is necessary that returns of such property should be made by British subjects to the Officer appointed to receive the same,

And Whereas His Majesty the King has by His Proclamation bearing date at Windsor Castle the 7th day of September, 1916, strictly commanded and enjoined His subjects forthwith to make returns accordingly,

Now Therefore know ye that I do by this my Proclamation make known the same, and call upon all British subjects residing in this Colony, who are entitled to property of any description whatsoever in enemy territory or to any interest in such property or have claims against enemy Governments, forthwith to make returns of their said property or claims to the Officer appointed to receive the same,

Provided that it shall not be necessary to make such returns respecting property or claims, whereof returns have before the date of this Proclamation been voluntarily made to such Officer as aforesaid in the form prescribed.

The Officer appointed to receive such returns shall be:—

- (a) In the case of property in enemy territory and claims against enemy persons, the Registrar, Stanley,
- (b) In the case of claims against enemy Governments, the Registrar, Stanley, for transmission to the Directors of the Foreign Claims Office, Foreign Office, London.

The said returns shall be made in such form and with such particulars as the Registrar may require.

For the purposes of this Proclamation,

“Property” includes documents of title to property;

“Enemy Territory” means the territory of any State at war with Great Britain (including the Colonies and Dependencies thereof);

“Enemy Persons” includes all persons, firms, companies and corporations residing or carrying on business in enemy territory;

“Enemy Government” means the Government of any State at war with Great Britain.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this seventeenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Government Notices

No. 1.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th January, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that The Defence of the Realm Regulations, with full force and effect in this Colony and applied *mutatis mutandis*, provide amongst other things that "no person shall without lawful authority transmit (otherwise than through the post) or convey, to or from the United Kingdom, or receive or have in his possession for such transmission or conveyance, any letter or any written message for any other person, and if any person contravenes this provision he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations".

Persons are warned of the consequences attending any contravention of the Regulations.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 22/17.

No. 2.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th January, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 73 of the 23rd November, 1916, the Governor directs the publication for general information, of an Order of the Lords in Council dated the 23rd October, 1916, modifying the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

The Order may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 57/17.

No. 3.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th January, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 74 of the 23rd November, 1916, the Governor directs the publication for general information of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 27th October and 7th and 10th November, 1916, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 53/17.

No. 4.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
10th January, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication for general information of a Board of Trade notice stating the procedure for the issue of licenses for the importation into France and Algeria of "prohibited" goods of British manufacture.

The Notice may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 43/17.

No. 5.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
12th January, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 123 of the 24th August, 1915, the Governor directs it to be notified for general information that all persons requiring passports must apply at the Colonial Secretary's Office at least forty-eight hours beforehand and must furnish at least one copy and if possible two copies of a recent photograph of each adult person in respect of whom passports are required, together with birth certificates or other documentary proof of identity.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 36/17.

No. 6.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th January, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication for general information of the following telegram which he has received.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 69/17.

His Majesty's Treasury to Governor.

WAR LOANS*

No. 7.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
19th January, 1917.

The following list of Ministers of Religion who have been registered as Ministers for celebrating Marriages is published in accordance with the provisions of The Marriage Ordinance, 1902.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 83/17.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.
Smith, Very Revd., Dean Joseph Stanley	Stanley.
Hobley, Revd. Charles McDonald	"
Migone, Revd. Mario Luis	"

*Telegram not printed. May be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

No. 8.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
24th January, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that in response to the appeal made in this Colony on behalf of "Our Day" Collection (19th October, 1916) in aid of the Funds of the British Red Cross Society and the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, a sum of £722 : 6 : 8., has been received and forwarded to the Most Honourable the Marquess of Lansdowne, K.G., P.C., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., etc., the President of the British Red Cross Society.

The above amount was made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Stanley, Collections	154	16	0	Carried forward	586	11	6
Concert organized by				Weddell Islands	17	0	0
Mrs. C. McD. Hobley	24	10	0	Fox Bay, East	16	10	0
Other Concert,	29	4	6	Pebble Island	14	4	6
Stanley Football Club Fancy				Darwin	11	14	6
Dress Match	23	0	0	Port Howard	11	0	0
Carcass Island (Mrs Hansen £50)	65	0	0	Port Stephens	10	15	6
Beaver Island (Mr. H. Waldron £50)	62	0	0	Bluff Cove	10	10	0
Hill Cove	60	0	0	Fox Bay, West	9	10	6
San Carlos, North	33	11	0	West Point Is.	9	10	0
Teal Inlet	31	5	0	Johnson's Harbour	8	15	0
Douglas Station	28	2	0	Great Island	6	10	0
Chartres	20	10	0	Rincon Grande	3	0	0
Roy Cove	20	0	0	Saunders Island	2	15	0
New Island	17	10	0	Bleaker Island	2	0	0
Fitzroy	17	3	0	Moody Valley	2	0	0
Brought forward	£ 586	11	6	Total	£722	6	6

The Governor desires to express his appreciation and thanks to all those who have contributed so generously to this Collection.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 637/16.

No. 9.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
30th January, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that under the Defence of the Realm Acts and Regulations no person is allowed to land or to embark at any port in the United Kingdom without the special permission of a Secretary of State, or unless he has in his possession a valid passport issued to him not more than two years previously, by or on behalf of the Government of the Country of which he is a subject or a citizen, or some other document satisfactorily establishing his nationality and identity. To every such passport and document as aforesaid there must be attached a photograph of the person to whom it relates.

Applied *mutatis mutandis*, no person shall land or embark at any port in this Colony unless he have in his possession a valid passport or some other document as aforesaid, and without the permission of the Detaining Officer, (the Treasurer and Collector of Customs or his Deputy) provided that in the case of an alien the grant of such permission by the Detaining Officer shall not exempt such alien from any of the requirements of the Alien Ordinance, 1900. No enemy alien whose Sovereign or State is at war with His Majesty the King shall be allowed to land at any port in the Colony without the special permission of the Governor.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 115/17.

Vital Statistics for the Falkland Islands and Dependencies, 1916.

REGISTRAR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS.

19th January, 1917.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith the following Report on the Vital Statistics of the Colony and its Dependencies for the year ended 31st December, 1916:—

Births.

The number of births registered during the year was 52, as detailed below:—

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Stanley	15	12	27
Darwin & East Falklands	8	9	17
West Falklands	6	1	7
South Georgia	0	1	1
Totals.	29	23	52

(still-born not included)

The number of Births registered in the preceding year was 46, consisting of 25 Males and 21 Females.

Deaths.

The number of Deaths registered during the year was 23 detailed as follows:—

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Stanley	6	5	11
Darwin & East Falklands	3	0	3
West Falklands	1	0	1
South Georgia	6	0	6
South Shetlands	2	0	2
Totals.	18	5	23

The number of Deaths registered in the preceding year was 28, consisting of 21 males and 7 females.

Marriages.

The number of Marriages during the year was 29 as shewn below:—

	ANGLICAN.	R. CATHOLIC.	REGISTRAR.	TOTAL.
Stanley	13	9	0	22
Darwin & East Falkland	2	0	1	3
West Falklands	3	0	1	4
Totals.	18	9	2	29

The number of marriages in the preceding year was 16. The number of marriages in 1916 has been the highest recorded.

Marriages by Governor's Licence	10
„ „ Registrar's „	6
„ „ Banns	13
Total	29

Arrivals.

The number of arrivals in the Colony during the year was 94 Males and 31 Females or a total of 125, as against 243 Males and 22 Females, or a total of 265, in the preceding year.

Departures.

The number of departures from the Colony during the year was 357 Males and 28 Females, or a total of 385, as against 100 Males and 33 Females, or a total of 133, in the preceding year.

General.

The estimated population of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies on the 1st January, 1916, was 2519 Males and 932 Females, or a total population of 3451. The estimated population on the 31st December, 1916, was 3220 as shewn below:—

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Estimated population 1st Jan., 1916	2519	932	3451
Add Arrivals in 1916	94	31	125
	2613	963	3576
Deduct Departures in 1916	*357	28	385
	2256	935	3191
Add Births in 1916	29	23	52
	2285	958	3243
Deduct Deaths in 1916	18	5	23
Estimated population 31st Dec., 1916	2267	953	3220

Birth rate per 1,000. 16.14

Death „ „ „ 7.14

Population per sq. mile 43

Estimated population of South Georgia included in the above figures, 1000, includes number of females estimated at 10.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Registrar General.

The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley.

(*Also includes workmen temporarily employed at Canning Works.)

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Exchequer Bonds	5	600	0	0	600	0	0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5
Total Investments	£	889	10	8	890	8	5
Loss on transfer of Stock in August, 1916.						7	2
						890	15 7

NOTE.— * £637 : 19 : 7 advanced from General Revenue.

C. F. CONDELL,
W. A. THOMPSON,
W. A. HARDING,

} Commissioners of Currency.

31st January, 1917.
M.P. 1345/1915.

L. V. OSWALD,
Auditor.

31st January, 1917.

Draft.

No.



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

()

An Ordinance

To provide for the payment for ten years of an annual contribution to His Majesty's Government towards the expenses of the War.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as The War expenses contribution Ordinance, 1917. Short Title.

2. For a period of ten years commencing from the first day of January, 1917, there shall be paid annually, out of the public revenue and other funds of the Colony, to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, a sum equal to one-tenth part of the Customs revenue of the year, such payment to be a contribution to His Majesty's Government from the Colony of the Falkland Islands towards the expenses of the war. Every such contribution shall be paid on the warrant of the Governor, and shall form a charge on the Public Funds of the Colony.

Annual contribution for ten years from January, 1917,

Passed the Legislative Council this day of
1917.

Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1917.

Colonial Secretary.

JURY LIST FOR THE YEAR 1917.

The following list of the persons liable under the provisions of The Jury Ordinance, 1901, to serve as Jurors for the year 1917, is published in accordance with the fourth section of the Ordinance.

Stanley, 22nd January, 1917.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Stipendiary Magistrate.

1 Steel, Robert	63 McGill, James	125 Kiddle, Albert	187 Thompson, Wm.
2 Hunter, Robert, Jr.	64 Elmer, A.	126 Mercer, Alex.	188 Peck, John
3 McAskill, Daniel	65 Kelway, John F.	127 Dettleff, William	189 Peck, Wm., Jr.
4 Houston, James	66 Atkins, Richard	128 Reives, George	190 Harries, Joseph
5 Dettleff, Michael	67 Enestrom, Chas.	129 Robson, Timothy	191 Pitaluga, James
6 Newman, Fred	68 Benton, A. W.	130 Elmer, William	192 Perry, James
7 Aldridge, Joseph	69 Harvey, A.	131 Smith, J. A.	193 King, A. B.
8 Skilling, R.	70 Liddel, John	132 McKenzie, Donald	194 Parrin, Henry
9 Kiddle, David	71 Carey, William	133 Ratcliffe, James	195 Steel, Alex.
10 Kirwan, John	72 Binnie, Nisbet	134 McKay, John D.	196 Allan, Percy
11 Foote, Walter	73 Aldridge, John G.	135 Robson, Edward	197 Crawford, F.
12 Morrison, Donald	74 Smith, John F.	136 Tennick, W.	198 Sharp, Robert
13 Ratcliffe, Albert	75 Fleuret, B.	137 Bennett, H. E.	199 Dettleff, Hansen
14 Steel, Mitchell	76 McGill, Wm.	138 Hubbard, William	200 Pitaluga, Henry
15 Pole-Evans, R.	77 Goodwin, Thos., Jr.	139 Jones, Hugh	201 Barnes, Arthur
16 Campbell, William	78 Watson, Duncan	140 Morrison, Findlay	202 Betts, John
17 Lellmann, Fritz F.	79 Bradbury, Robert	141 Scott, Fred	203 Osborne, George
18 Cletheroe, John	80 Anderson, William	142 Alazia, George	204 Etheridge, Wm.
19 Robson, John R.	81 Benney, G. W.	143 Conway, Wm.	205 Johnstone, George
20 Lehen, Conrad	82 Wilkins, George	144 Short, Fred	206 Boyer, Alex.
21 Lellmann, Albert	83 Waterson, George	145 Llamasa, W.	207 King, Owen
22 Short, John	84 Summers, A. D.	146 McKay, Donald	208 Bonner, Alex.
23 Lyse, John	85 Harvey, J.	147 Kelway, George, Sr.	209 Luxton, John
24 Gilchrist, Arthur	86 Llamasa, Geo.	148 King, Alfred	210 Roberts, Harry
25 Pearson, William	87 Wilkins, Samuel	149 Smith, Thomas	211 Barnes, Silvester
26 Anderson, John	88 Betts, Henry	150 Parrin, George	212 Berntsen, Abner
27 Craig, W.	89 Brundell, A.	151 McAskill, A.	213 Bonner, W.
28 Morrison, R.	90 Butler, Joseph	152 Hardy, Thomas	214 Browning, Fred
29 Oliver, Charles	91 Binnie, James	153 Binnie, Thomas	215 Hardy, Arthur
30 Rutter, Harry	92 McMullen, D.	154 Metcalfe, J.	216 Reives, Thomas
31 Davis, John	93 Halliday, John	155 Reive, Andrew	217 King, Fred J., Jr.
32 Gleadell, Ed. J.	94 Grierson, John W.	156 Anderson, Louis	218 Kirwan, Sydney
33 McDonald, E.	95 Lee, Thomas	157 McCaskill, Daniel	219 Williams, J. H.
34 Benney, Wm. G.	96 McAtasney, John	158 Carey, J. R.	220 Griffiths, John
35 Biggs, Arthur V.	97 Gresham, H. H. R.	159 Simpson, Thomas	221 Whitlock, J.
36 Hall, Arthur	98 Anderson, Charles	160 Clifton, Richard	222 Kelway, George
37 Biggs, Albert	99 McNicol, James	161 Creece, E. G.	223 Ogilvie, David
38 Rae, Alex.	100 Alazia, John	162 Brown, Frank Jr.	224 Felton, Roy S.
39 Kirwan, A. C.	101 Reive, Robert	163 Lee, T. G. F.	225 Kirk, William
40 Stewart, William	102 Lamb, George	164 Milne, J.	226 Cobb, Arthur F.
41 Cartmell, Robert	103 Berntsen, Fred.	165 Kendal, Walter	227 Hardy, Fred, Jr.
42 Waddup, John	104 McMullen, Wm.	166 Dettleff, John	228 White, James
43 Fitzpatrick, R.	105 Goodwin, John, Jr.	167 Blythe, John	229 McLeod, Kenneth
44 Short, Richard	106 Phillips, George	168 Smith, G. M.	230 Kelway, Fred
45 Lellmann, Victor	107 Scott, Charles	169 Kelway, Charles	231 Aldridge, James J.
46 Cressard, E.	108 Robson, Michael	170 Martin, Alex.	232 Etheridge, Walter
47 Thomas, Henry	109 Harrison, Wilfred	171 Waddup, Isaac	233 Goodwin, James
48 Goodwin, Thos.	110 Davis, Richard	172 Baseley, R. B.	234 Betts, Charles
49 Lanning, Thomas	111 Dickson, John, Jr.	173 Hansen, Charles	235 Simpson, Alex.
50 Allan, John W.	112 Newing, Henry	174 Perry, John	236 Lehen, Daniel
51 Summers, John F.	113 Goss, W. J.	175 Newing, George	237 Miller, John
52 Dawe, J. M. W.	114 Aldridge, William	176 Nosworthy, Wm.	238 Wilson, William J.
53 Parrin, Mendoza	115 Clifton, Henry, Jr.	177 Goss, William H.	239 Cantlie, J.
54 Yates, Manuel	116 Bender, C. W.	178 Summers, Ed. Jr.	240 Hutchinson, Wm.
55 Evans, John	117 Anderson, J.	179 Lang, Frank	241 Smith, T.
56 Walsh, John	118 Clifton, Henry	180 Bonner, Sam	242 Lehen, Joseph
57 Macrae, A.	119 Moir, Alex.	181 Goodwin, George	243 Betts, Alex.
58 Morrison, G.	120 Simpson, George	182 Aitken, R. Sr.	244 Thompson, C. F.
59 Biggs, John	121 Pergolis, H.	183 Jones, Richard	245 Dettleff, Richard
60 Ratcliffe, John	122 Watts, J.	184 Hardy, Aubrey	246 Simpson, Alex.
61 Ratcliffe, Wm., Jr.	123 Wilkie, William	185 Ratcliffe, Howard	247 Roberts, Edgar
62 Wilson, Edward	124 Alazia, William	186 Smith, George B.	248 Finlayson, Donald

Jury List continued:—

249 McDonald, D.	325 Biggs, Herbert	401 Peterson, F. W.	477 Dixon, William B.
250 Jennings, Fredk.	326 Black, James A.	402 Stewart, Gordon	478 Biggs, Alfred
251 Burns, Thomas	327 Clifton, William	403 McKenzie, Arthur	479 Henriksen, Fred
252 Aitken, John	328 Dettleff, James	404 McLennan, Findlay	480 Challen, S.
253 Thompson, George	329 Parslow, W. F.	405 Suarez, E.	481 Howard, William
254 McGill, John	330 Griffiths, Sydney	406 Turner, Wm.	482 Aldridge, E.
255 Hollen, Henry	331 Gleadell, Wm., Sr.	407 Simmon, P.	483 Paulini, G. F.
256 Petersen, James	332 Boniface, F. H.	408 McRae, C.	484 Runacres, A.
257 Sarney, Harry	333 Tudor, W.	409 Muise, James	485 Ball, Geo. B.
258 Harris, Geo.	334 Kiddle, Alex.	410 Murphy, David	486 Clarke, A. J.
259 May, Fred Sr.	335 Elliot, C.	411 Yates, Robert	487 Simon, A. G.
260 Duncan, James	336 McAtasney, W.	412 Wade, Wm.	488 May, H. J.
261 Smith, W.	337 Goodwin, William	413 Maloney, Daniel	489 McLeod, J.
262 Summers, Vincent	338 Bound, Napoleon N.	414 Shannon, S.	490 Hannaford, R. H.
263 Finlayson, Rodrek.	339 Browning, Henry	415 Tudor, William	491 Buckley, E.
264 McPherson, Peter	340 Challis, A.	416 McLaren, Alex.	492 Fleuret, C.
265 Kivell, Wm.	341 Duncan, Peter R.	417 Wilkins, Henry	493 McLeod, Angus
266 McMullen, Michael	342 Hardy, Ray V.	418 White, F.	494 Farias, Jose Fiall
267 Smith, A. E.	343 Grant, Robert	419 Rumbolds, J.	495 Titheridge, James
268 McCarthy, Michael	344 Brant, Ed.	420 McDonald, A. K.	496 Summers, E. N.
269 Dixon, Ernest	345 Dettleff, Thomas O.	421 Porter, Arthur	497 Hoare, A. R.
270 Middleton, Lindsay	346 Harries, John J.	422 Smith, James	498 Hamond, Thos. A.
271 Earle, William	347 Findlay, William	423 McKay, Thomas	499 Lee, A.
272 Davis, J. Jnr.	348 McRae, Donald A.	424 Ryan, John	500 Lee, A. F.
273 Couetts, William	349 Williams, F.	425 Scott, J.	501 Hunter, Thomas
274 Shaw, Duncan	350 Newman, Silas	426 Smith, James	502 McPhee, J.
275 Harries, Joseph	351 Montgomery, R.	427 McPherson, John	503 Lee, Jacob
276 Jennings, William	352 Dickson, John, Sr.	428 House, F.	504 Whiting, Thos. A.
277 Cooke, Thos.	353 Biggs, A. M.	429 Porter, Howard	505 Bazell, E.
278 White, E.	354 Curran, Thomas	430 Scott, George	506 Craig, P.
279 Mills, Philip	355 Williams, Cyril S.	431 Walker, Thomas P.	507 Stolworth, H.
280 Waters, J.	356 Grant, Louis	432 Smith, Adam	508 Sampson, Frank
281 Lyse, Charles W.	357 Clifton, Harry, Jr.	433 Skilling, John	509 Bubb, Frederick
282 Duncan, George	358 Brechin, Gregor	434 Sully, A. W.	510 Richards, J. P.
283 Middleton, Stewart	359 Bartram, W.	435 Smith, E. J.	511 Brown, G. R. L.
284 Pauline, Henry	360 Coleman, John	436 Stewart, David	512 Short, Francis
285 Bowles, George	361 Buckley, P. E.	437 Stewart, George	513 Allan, Charles G.
286 Jennings, C.	362 Hansen, Jason	438 Summers, Walter	514 Carey, Raymond F.
287 McMillan, Hugh	363 Jennings, C. Henry	439 Smith, Rodger	515 Barnes, Arthur Jr.
288 Watson, George	364 Chard, A.	440 Stewart, James	516 Robson, Walter C.
289 Pauline, Ralph	365 McPherson, Donald	441 Clifton, W.	517 Murphy, M. A.
290 Middleton, James	366 Newing, Walter	442 Smith, Ralph	518 King, Cecil F.
291 Smith, F.	367 Paice, Thomas	443 Stewart, Harold	519 Cann, Alfred B.
292 Mills, Thomas	368 Lee, Alfred F.	444 Barnes, Fred. W.	520 Dettleff, Henry
293 Rawson, Frank	369 Noble, Arthur	445 Lackie, James	521 Hall, Louis J.
294 Ryan, James	370 Lees, David	446 Sherry, Thos.	522 Peck, Wm. Sydney
295 Phillips, Albert	371 Paice, George	447 Hulford, F.	523 Halliday, John
296 Bailey, Robert	372 Hewitt, John	448 Meirhofer, John G.	524 Biggs, Hubert A.
297 Nicolls, Geo.	373 Jay, George	449 Binnie, James G.	525 Bonner, F.
298 Broad, Herbert	374 McLaren, George	450 Simon, A. E.	526 Pauline, H. W.
299 McLeod, John	375 McKay, James	451 Martin, Charles	527 Hardy, Herbert
300 Middleton, Jas.	376 O'Neil, Joe	452 Allan, Victor	528 Walsh, H. W.
301 Pauline, Fred	377 Stores, A.	453 Gleadell, Jas.	529 Dixon, E. V.
302 Rowlands, Conrad	378 Hills, A.	454 McPhee, A.	
303 Watson, William	379 Wilkins, Walter	455 May, Frederick A.	
304 Clarke, Jas.	380 McRae, Farquha	456 Thomson, F. P.	
305 Rowlands, Jas.	381 Skilling, A. G.	457 Currie, W. U. M.	
306 Middleton, David	382 Parrin, G.	458 White, Fred	
307 McLeod, Norman	383 Hutchinson, Robert	459 Best, Edward	
308 Campbell, Hugh	384 Johnstone, Edward	460 Gummer, Herbert	
309 Biggs, Bernard	385 Aldridge, Harold	461 Meek, George	
310 Finlayson, Murdk.	386 Morrison, W.	462 Scott, William	
311 Duncan, Howard	387 Pauline, William	463 Braxton, T.	
312 Browell, Sydney	388 Morrison, Malcolm	464 Berntsen, A.	
313 Richardson, T.	389 Myles, Thomas	465 Gaskin, P.	
314 Betts, William	390 Peck, William, Jr.	466 Little, F.	
315 Biggs, John	391 Hooley, Sam	467 Llamosa, P.	
316 Anderson, Allan	392 Jones, Jack	468 Dearling, Alfred	
317 Henriksen, Albert	393 Hansen, Frederick	469 Balharrie, W.	
318 McLaren, George	394 Bonner, Henry J.	470 Atkins, Wm. M.	
319 Duncan, David	395 McKenzie, Alex.	471 Sampson, F.	
320 Gleadell, George	396 Pearce, John	472 Sims, J.	
321 Oliver, George	397 Henderson, W.	473 Kiddle, Fred	
322 Williams, Ralph	398 Holford, R.	474 Allen, F.	
323 Pitaluga, Donald	399 McAskill, John	475 Williams, Henry	
324 Allan, Hector	400 Mitchell, J.	476 Gleadell, Fred	



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Government Notices

No. 10.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
6th February, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 3 of the 9th January, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 24th November and 8th December, 1916, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 11.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
6th February, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for the general information and guidance of the inhabitants of the Colony, of the following extracts from the Defence of the Realm Regulations, as applied to the Falkland Islands.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 181/17.

Reg. 14c.

1. A person coming from or intending to proceed to any place out of the Falkland Islands as a passenger shall not, without the special permission of the Governor, land or embark at any port in the Falkland Islands unless he has in his possession a valid passport issued to him not more than two years previously by or on behalf of the Government of the country of which he is a subject or a citizen, or, in the case of a person coming from a place outside the Falkland Islands, either such a passport or some other document satisfactorily establishing his nationality and identity.

To every such passport and document as aforesaid there must be attached a photograph of the person to whom it relates.

If any person lands or embarks in contravention of this regulation, or if, where any such special permission to land has been granted by the Governor subject to any conditions, the person to whom it was granted fails to comply with any such condition, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations.

Reg. 14d.

2. A British subject shall not embark at any port of the Falkland Islands, or attempt to leave the Falkland Islands, as a member of the crew of an outward bound neutral ship, unless he came to the Falkland Islands as a member of the crew of that ship, or unless he has in his possession a valid passport or has obtained the written permission of the Collector of Customs or his Deputy or some person duly authorized by him, and if he does so, or if, where any such written permission has been granted subject to any conditions, he fails to comply with any such condition, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations.

Reg. 18.

3. No person shall without lawful authority collect, record, publish or communicate or attempt to elicit, any information with respect to the movement, numbers, description, condition, or disposition of any of the forces, ships, or aircraft of His Majesty or any of His Majesty's Allies, or with respect to the plans or conduct, or supposed plans or conduct, of any naval or military operations by any such forces, ships, or aircraft, or with respect to the supply, description, condition, transport, or manufacture or storage or place or intended place of manufacture or storage, of war material, or with respect to any works or measures undertaken for or connected with, or intended for the fortification or defence of any place, or any information of such a nature as is calculated to be or might be directly or indirectly useful to the enemy, and if any person contravenes the provisions of this regulation, or without lawful authority or excuse has in his possession any document containing any such information as aforesaid, he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations.

Reg. 19.

4. No person shall, without the permission of the senior naval or military officer present in the Colony make any photograph, sketch, plan, model, or other representation of :—

- (a) any place or thing within any area for the time being specified in an order made by the senior naval or military officer, with the approval of the Governor-in-Council, as being an area within which the making of such representations is prohibited;
- (b) any naval or military work, or any dock or harbour work, wherever situate;
- (c) any other place or thing of such a nature that such representations thereof are calculated to be, or might be, directly or indirectly, useful to the enemy;

and no person in any such area or in the vicinity of any such work shall without lawful authority or excuse have in his possession any photographic or other apparatus or other material or thing suitable for use in making any such representation.

If any person contravenes the provisions of this regulation, or without lawful authority or excuse has in his possession any representation of any such work, place, or thing of such a nature that it is calculated to be or might be directly or indirectly useful to the enemy, he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations.

5. No person shall, without the written permission of the Governor make, buy, sell or have in his possession or under his control any apparatus for the sending or receiving of messages by wireless telegraphy, or any apparatus intended to be used as a component part of such apparatus; and no person shall sell any such apparatus to any person who has not obtained such permission as aforesaid, and any person having in his possession or under his control any such apparatus, whether with or without the permission of the Governor, shall on demand deliver the apparatus to the Governor, or as he may direct; and if any person contravenes the provisions of this regulation he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations. Reg. 22.

6. No person shall without lawful authority transmit (otherwise than through the post) or convey to or from the Falkland Islands, or receive or have in his possession for such transmission or conveyance, any letter or any written message for any other person, and if any person contravenes this provision he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations. Reg. 24.

This Regulation shall not apply to "shipowners' letters" as defined by section thirty of the Post Office Act, 1908, nor to any other class of letters or written messages that may be for the time being exempted by order of the Governor.

7. No person shall by word of mouth or in writing or in any newspaper, periodical, book, circular or other printed publication:— Reg. 27.

- (a) spread false reports or make false statements; or
- (b) spread reports or make statements intended or likely to cause disaffection to His Majesty or to interfere with the success of His Majesty's forces or of the forces of any of His Majesty's Allies by land or sea or to prejudice His Majesty's relations with foreign powers;

and if any person contravenes any of the above provisions he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations.

8. The senior naval or military officer may, with the approval of the Governor, by order prohibit any person from approaching within such distance as may be specified in the order of any camp, work of defence or other defended military work, or any work to which it is deemed necessary in the interest of the public safety or of the defence of the Realm, to afford military protection, and if any person contravenes any such order he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations. Reg. 29.

9. If any person gives, sells, procures, or supplies, or offers to give, sell, procure, or supply, any intoxicant— Reg. 40.

- (a) to or for a member of any of His Majesty's forces with the intent of eliciting information for the purpose of communicating it to the enemy, or for any purpose calculated to assist the enemy; or
- (b) to or for a member of any of His Majesty's forces when not on duty with the intent to make him drunk or less capable of the efficient discharge of his duties; or
- (c) to or for a member of any of His Majesty's forces when on duty either with or without any such intent as aforesaid;

he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations:

Reg. 54.

10. Any person landing or embarking at any place in the Falkland Islands, and any person who by reason of his occupation or habits has special opportunities of communicating with the crews and passengers of vessels, shall, on being required to do so by the senior naval or military officer present or by an officer of the Customs or by a police constable, make a declaration as to whether or not he is carrying or conveying any letters or other written messages intended to be transmitted by post or otherwise delivered, and, if so required, shall produce to the person making the requisition any such letters or messages; and any of the aforesaid officers or constables may search any such person and any baggage with a view to ascertaining whether such person or the person to whom the baggage belongs is carrying or conveying any such letters or messages.

Any of the aforesaid officers or constables acting as above shall transmit any letters or other messages so produced to him or found on such search to the officer appointed to censor postal correspondence.

Any person who knowingly makes any false declaration under this regulation, or on being required to produce any such letters or messages as aforesaid refuses or neglects to do so, shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations.

Reg. 58.

11. A person convicted of an offence against these regulations by a court of summary jurisdiction shall be liable to be sentenced to imprisonment with or without hard labour for a term not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds, or to both such imprisonment and fine, and the court may, in addition to any other sentence which may be imposed, order that any goods in respect of which the offence has been committed shall be forfeited.

No. 12.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th February, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 2 of the 9th January, 1916, the Governor directs the publication for general information, of Orders of the Lords in Council dated the 17th November, and 12th December, 1916, modifying the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 13.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th February, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 8 of the 24th January, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of a letter dated the 14th December, 1916, from the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the British Red Cross Society and the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 637/16.

Chairman of Finance Committee to Governor.

83 Pall Mall,
London, W.
14th December, 1916.

Sir,

I am desired by Lord Lansdowne to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 9th, with draft for £634/16/6., being a contribution by the people of the Falkland Islands in response to our appeal for the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John.

Lord Lansdowne desires me to send you the grateful thanks of the Societies for the help which you thus give to us in our work for the sick and wounded. It is a gratification to us to note that we may still receive from you further contributions from the outlying stations of your Colony.

I beg further to send you our own warm thanks for the interest which you yourself have shewn in bringing our appeal to the notice of the Colony.

May I ask that you will regard this letter as acknowledging with thanks your letter of October 21st, addressed to Mr Arthur Stanley. The increased contribution of the Falkland Islands when compared with the sum received last year is very gratifying and reflects the greatest credit upon the Colony.

I have &c.,
ROBT. A. HUDSON,
Chairman of the Finance Committee.

No. 14.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th February, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified that he has received information that the Netherlands Government have taken charge of British interests in Germany and the Swiss Government of German interests in the British Empire.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 194/17.

No. 15.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th February, 1917.

The Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the Board of Health for the East Falkland for the year 1917:—

MR. L. V. OSWALD, J.P.

MR. V. A. H. BIGGS,

MR. J. W. GRIERSON,

MR. J. G. ALDRIDGE,

MR. R. HARDY,

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1141/16.

No. 16.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th February, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the Board of Health for the West Falkland Island for the year 1917:—

MR. M. BUCKWORTH, J.P.

MR. W. H. LUXTON, J.P.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1141/16.

No. 17.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th February, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the accompanying despatch (and enclosure) from the Secretary of State on the subject of the work of the Imperial Institute and the Commercial Intelligence Department of the Board of Trade.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 169/17.

CIRCULAR.

DOWNING STREET,
20th December, 1916.

Sir,

With reference to Mr. Bonar Law's Circular despatch of the 30th August, on the subject of the Imperial Institute, I have the honour to transmit to you the accompanying copy of three Resolutions adopted by an Inter-Departmental Committee which was appointed to define the spheres of work of the Imperial Institute and the Commercial Intelligence Branch of the Board of Trade.

2. I have to explain that, in view of the increased attention which has been paid, especially since the outbreak of war, to the importance of obtaining the fullest possible information as to the resources of the Empire in raw materials, with the object of the utilisation of those resources for purposes of commercial development, it was felt that some danger existed lest the work in this direction which was being carried on by the Department and the Institute might lead to an overlapping of their functions and to consequent waste of energy.

3. It was accordingly decided to appoint an Inter-Departmental Committee over which the Right Honourable Lewis Harcourt, M.P., then First Commissioner of Works, was good enough to preside, and it is hoped that the decision embodied in the enclosed Resolutions, which have been unanimously agreed to by the Committee, will ensure a satisfactory delimitation of the spheres of work of the two departments as well as close and cordial co-operation between them.

4. I shall be glad if you will take steps, by publishing this despatch in the official Gazette or in such other manner as you may deem suitable, to give publicity to the new arrangement.

I have, etc.,

WALTER H. LONG.

THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT
OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Enclosure in Circular despatch dated 20th December, 1916.

Resolutions of Inter-Departmental Committee on Co-operation between the Board of Trade and the Imperial Institute.

(1) The Imperial Institute should deal with enquiries as to the sources of supply of raw materials produced within the Empire in connexion with their industrial and commercial utilisation. Either the Board of Trade or the Imperial Institute may deal with enquiries as to supplies immediately available, but the Board of Trade should as a rule deal with enquiries for ordinary supplies of well-recognised raw material through the usual trade channels.

(2) The Imperial Institute should undertake all necessary investigations of the value and uses of raw materials produced within the Empire.

(3) The Imperial Institute and the Board of Trade should co-operate in cases in which the questions concerned involve special statistical and trade information as well as technical treatment.

No. 18.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
17th February, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that Good Friday and Easter Monday, the 6th and 9th April, 1917, will be observed as Public Holidays and that the Government Offices will be closed on these days.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 189/17.

No. 19.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th February, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following Report on the Education Department for the year 1916.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 110/17.

Report by the Colonial Secretary on the Education Department for the year, 1916.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, 16th February, 1917.

His Excellency,

W. DOUGLAS YOUNG, C.M.G.,

&c., &c., &c.,

Governor of the Falkland Islands.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report on the Education Department for the year 1916.

Government School.

2. The only change in the Staff of the Government School during the year was the resignation of Miss E. Pearce, 4th year Pupil Teacher, who was not replaced.

3. The number of pupils on the Roll on the 31st December was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	74	89	87
Girls	64	68	69
Total	138	157	156

4. The number of pupils in average attendance during the year was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	68	71	81
Girls	58	59	59
Total	126	130	140

5. The number of pupils examined was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	—	—	83
Girls	—	—	—
Total	—	—	147

There was no external examination in 1914 or 1915 nor is there any exact record of the numbers of those examined by the then Schoolmaster.

6. The number of openings of the School, each morning and each evening counting as one opening, was:—

1914; 358,⁽¹⁾ 1915; 467, 1916; 463.

7. The expenditure on the School during 1916, inclusive of the estimated rental value of the school buildings, amounted to approximately £870, being a good deal less than in 1915, owing to the fact that there were no payments of Teachers' passages and freight of furniture. The total amount received in fees was £128. The pupils paid £11 for stationery supplied.

II. Government Travelling Teachers.

8. It was pointed out in last year's Report that on account of the War only three of the five posts were filled at the end of 1915. During 1916 another Travelling Teacher was transferred to other work and it has been found impossible to fill any of the vacancies owing to present conditions, as the type of man required as a Travelling Teacher is the very type required for military service. Consequently at the end of 1916 there were only two Travelling Teachers at work, one on East Falkland and one on West Falkland.

9. The number of pupils receiving instruction from the Government Travelling Teachers was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	—	18	18
Girls	—	20	30
Total	—	38	48

III. Roman Catholic School, Stanley.

10. The number of pupils on the Roll on the 31st December was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	35	28	19
Girls	72	66	61
Total	107	94	80

11. The number of pupils in average attendance during the year was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	28	24	15
Girls	58	42	57
Total	86	66	72

12. The number of pupils examined was:—

	1914. ⁽²⁾	1915.	1916.
Boys	—	20	14
Girls	—	46	50
Total	—	66	64

(1) The School was closed in 1914 from the middle of October until the end of the year owing to War conditions.

(2) No examination in 1914 owing to War conditions.

IV. Falkland Islands Company's School and Teachers.

13. The number of children receiving instruction in the Company's School at the Darwin Settlement was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	—	8	8
Girls	—	7	7
	<u>—</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>

The number of children receiving instruction from the Falkland Islands Company's Camp Teachers was:—

	1914.	1915.	1916.
Boys	—	20	18
Girls	—	17	20
Total	<u>—</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>38</u>

V. Examinations.

14. The Government School was examined in December, 1916 by Mr. T. N. Goddard, B.A. Oxon, and the Pupil Teachers in January, 1917, by the Colonial Secretary. Government has no connexion with the examination of the Roman Catholic School, Stanley or the Falkland Islands Company's School, Darwin. The children taught by the Travelling and Camp Teachers are not examined.

VI. Conclusion.

15. In conclusion I would like to thank the Reverend Father Migone and Mr. Moir of Darwin for the information kindly sent me about their schools. Further, I would also wish to express my satisfaction with the extremely painstaking and thorough way in which Mr. Goddard conducted the examination of the Government School. It is very necessary that Government, which spends so large a sum relatively on the School, should have a definite means of appreciating what is being done at the School, and a carefully conducted examination by someone unconnected with the School is the best way of obtaining such knowledge. The School was examined on a programme of work drawn up by the Government Schoolmaster and approved by the Governor in Council.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Appendix.

Total number of children under instruction in the Colony in 1916, was:—

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Government School, Stanley	87	69	156
Government Travelling Teachers	18	30	48
Roman Catholic School, Stanley	19	61	80
Falkland Is. Company's School, Darwin	8	7	15
Falkland Is. Company's Camp Teachers	18	20	38
	<u>150</u>	<u>187</u>	<u>337</u>

The Estimated population of the Falkland Islands on the 31st December, 1916, was 2220. The number of children receiving instruction therefore represented about 15 per cent. of the total population.

C. F. C.

Statement of Receipts and Payments in connection with the Assistant Colonial Surgeon's Fund, East Falkland, for the year ended the 31st December, 1916.

Description.	Dr.	Cr.
To Amt. Balance 1st January, 1916	321 : 15 : 8	
„ Receipts during year	207 : 19 : 0	
By Amt. Salary of Assistant Colonial Surgeon (Dr. Craddock)		200 : 0 : 0
„ Honorarium to Treasurer of Fund (A. C. Kirwan)		3 : 0 : 0
„ Balance to credit of Fund on the 31st December, 1916		326 : 14 : 8
	£529 : 14 : 8	529 : 14 : 8

Statement of transactions since Fund started in 1911.

Receipts in 1911	£266 : 16 : 0	
1912	307 : 11 : 9	
1913	199 : 16 : 7	
1914	223 : 11 : 0	
1915	236 : 14 : 0	
1916	207 : 19 : 0	
Payments in 1911		£164 : 16 : 0
1912		322 : 7 : 0
1913		128 : 12 : 7
1914		95 : 10 : 2
1915		201 : 7 : 11
1916		203 : 0 : 0
Balance 31st December, 1916		326 : 14 : 8
	£1442 : 8 : 4	£1442 : 8 : 4

Examined & found correct,
M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Local Auditor.
21st February, 1917.
M.P. 207/17.

G. R. L. BROWN.
Acting Treasurer of Fund,
21st February, 1917.

Notice.

Board of Health,

Stanley,

20th February, 1917.

The attention of householders and others is drawn to the following extract from Bye-Law No. 4 of the 7th May, 1909, relating to ashpits:—

“Every ash-pit shall be provided with a removable cover”.

and to Bye-law No. 7 of the same date, as follows:—

“Any person failing to comply with any of the provisions of these Bye-Laws shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of two pounds for each offence, and in the case of a continuing offence a further penalty not exceeding five shillings each day after written notice of the said offence from the Board of Health”.

By Order of the Board,

T. N. GODDARD,

Clerk to the Board.

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No. 20.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
2nd March, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to recognise provisionally:—

JAMES HOUSTON, Esq.,

as acting Consul for Italy, Norway, and Chile, pending the definite appointment of a successor to the Honourable W. A. Harding, resigned.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 21.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
14th March, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 78 of the 16th December, 1916, the Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

Mr. G. R. L. BROWN,
to be First Clerk in the Treasury and Customs Department and also to be Shipping Master, with effect from the 1st March, 1917, *vice* Mr. A. C. Kirwan, retired.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 254/17.

No. 22.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th March, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 36 of the 1st January, 1914, the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that, beginning on the 1st April, 1917, and continuing for a period of three calendar months thereafter, the sum of one penny will be paid for every rat delivered to the Police at the Stanley Goal between the hours of 5.30 and 6.0 p.m. daily (excepting Sundays).

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 202/17.

No. 23.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
March, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the Annual Medical Report for the East Falkland, 1916.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 111/17.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward you herewith my Annual Report for the year 1916.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
JOHN CRADDOCK,
Acting Colonial Surgeon.

The Hon.
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

Annual Medical Report for the East Falkland, 1916.

VITAL STATISTICS IN STANLEY.

1. Births	Male.	Female.	Deaths	Male.	Female.
27	15	12.	11	6	5.

KING EDWARD VII. MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

2. Miss Niven arrived in the Colony to take up her duties of Nurse-Matron on 1st July, 1916.

3. The King Edward VII Memorial Hospital is now in complete working order. Rules have been drawn up and the Hospital is divided into General Wards, Maternity and Lying-in Wards, and at the east end of the building three wards are used as an Infirmary.

4. Twenty-six patients have been admitted to the Hospital 11 female and 15 male. Nine of the female patients were maternity cases and although this is a step in the right direction more might be made of the facilities offered by the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital to expectant mothers, especially those not resident in Stanley and at places where the necessary attendance in emergencies is problematical.

Four of the male patients were accidents admitted from ships calling at Stanley.

5. There are now three inmates in the Infirmary portion of the Hospital (Victoria Cottage Home) 2 male 1 female.

THE SCHOOLS.

6. I examined the children at the Government Schools on 5 occasions. The general nutrition and cleanliness of the children are good. At present the chief defects are those of mouth, throat, and nose.

7. Very many of the children are mouth-breathers owing to enlarged tonsils and adenoids. It is impossible to treat these at present owing to the fact that there is at present no second surgeon in Stanley.

8. The teeth of the children are uniformly bad. I think I only saw ten or twelve children who did not require treatment from a dentist. This is altogether the fault of the Parents as the Colonial Dentist reserves Saturday mornings entirely for the treatment of school children, and systematic attendance at the Dentist's would not only improve the general health of the child but also, in later years, prevent the stomachic and intestinal troubles so prevalent among the adults of Stanley.

9. For two or three months during the early part of the year "Nits" were very common in the children's heads and I have endeavoured to make parents realize that immediate treatment is very necessary as direct contact while the children are playing is unavoidable and Nits spread from child to child with extreme rapidity.

A few cases of Ringworm occurred but owing to the unsightliness of the disease in most cases the parents noticed it at once and brought their children for treatment early.

GENERAL HEALTH OF THE COLONY.

10. This has been considerably better than in 1915. In the early months of the year there was a moderately severe epidemic of influenza in Stanley. This was possibly imported from Punta Arenas as the first cases were patients who had opportunity of direct contact with those on board a ship carrying a cargo of horses imported from Patagonia where influenza was at that time very prevalent. Fortunately no deaths occurred. The symptoms were the same in nearly all cases, severe headache, epistaxis, a dry cough and a high temperature. Practically all the severe cases were adults: the children I examined chiefly were suffering from what appeared to be slight colds.

11. The majority of other patients I have seen during the year have been intestinal cases and in nearly every case I have had to refer the patient to the Colonial Dentist for treatment before any improvement from drugs or dieting could be hoped for. If patients realized that 90% of the ailments of the stomach and bowels are directly due to decaying teeth and that it is a waste of time and material to treat them medicinally until the mouth is reasonably clean they would save themselves a considerable amount of pain and expense.

J. C.

Falkland Islands Defence Force Club.

Alterations to the Rules made on the 29th January, 1916, and published in the Falkland Islands Gazette dated the 1st March, 1916.

- Rule 2.** to read “. six members, consisting of not more than two Officers.”
- Rule 5.** Add “Members of His Majesty’s Forces temporarily resident in the Falkland Islands and engaged in naval or military duties may also be admitted as temporary members by vote of the Committee”.
- Rule 6.** Add “The Committee shall have the power to exclude any person from being introduced as a guest for such period as they may think fit”.
- Rule 7.** Add “but any member of the Force who, after at least 12 years service in this or any other of His Majesty’s Forces, is compelled to retire on account of age or physical disability may be elected as an Honorary Member, without payment of any subscription”.
- Rule 10.** Add “The Club shall not be open to guests on Sundays after 1.0 p.m. without the sanction of the Committee”.

Passed at the first annual General Meeting held at Headquarters on the 16th March, 1917.

Transmitted to the Governor for his approval this twenty-second day of March, 1917.

F. J. NEWNHAM, Capt.,
Commandant.

APPROVED,
DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.
26th March, 1917.

I ASSENT

[L.S.]

DOUGLAS YOUNG,

Governor.

31st March, 1917.

No. 1.



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

(31st March, 1917.)

An Ordinance

To provide for the payment for ten years of an annual contribution to His Majesty's Government towards the expenses of the War.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as The War expenses contribution Ordinance, 1917. Short Title.

2. For a period of ten years commencing from the first day of January, 1917, there shall be paid annually, out of the public revenue and other funds of the Colony, to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, a sum equal to one-tenth part of the Customs revenue of the year, such payment to be a contribution to His Majesty's Government from the Colony of the Falkland Islands towards the expenses of the war. Every such contribution shall be paid on the warrant of the Governor, and shall form a charge on the Public Funds of the Colony. Annual contribution for ten years from January, 1917.

Passed the Legislative Council this 29th day of March, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,

Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 31st day of March, 1917.

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.



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Proclamation

[L.S.]
W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,

Governor.

By His Excellency WILLIAM DOUGLAS YOUNG, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

In pursuance of instructions received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, I hereby proclaim that His Majesty the King will not be advised to exercise his powers of disallowance in respect of Ordinance No. 4 of 1916, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the service of the year 1917".

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Proclamation

[L.S.]
W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

By His Excellency WILLIAM DOUGLAS YOUNG, Esquire, Companion of
the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint
George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the
Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

In pursuance of instructions received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, I hereby proclaim that His Majesty the King will not be advised to exercise his powers of disallowance in respect of Ordinance No. 5 of 1916, entitled "An Ordinance to provide further for the maintenance of discipline on board Admiralty Transports".

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this twentieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 403/17.

Government Notices

No. 24.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th April, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

THOMAS HENRY FOSTER, Esq.,

to be Clerk in the Governor's Office, with effect from this date.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 200/17.

No. 25.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th April, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 10 of the 6th February, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 5th and 19th January and 2nd and 16th February, 1917, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 364/17.

M.P. 410/17.

No. 26.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th April, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 12 of the 7th February, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords in Council dated 19th December, 1916, 15th and 19th January, and 2nd, 19th and 23rd February, 1917, modifying the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 370/17.

M.P. 411/17.

No. 27.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
23rd April, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 13 of the 7th February, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the accompanying letter received from the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the British Red Cross Society and the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 637/16.

Chairman of Finance Committee to Governor.

83, PAUL MALL,
LONDON, S. W.
28th February, 1917.

Sir,

I am desired by Lord Lansdowne to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th January with draft for £87 : 10. being the balance of monies subscribed from the Falkland Islands in aid of the "Our Day" 1916 collection for the Joint Societies.

It is immensely to the credit of the Colony that they should have brought the total of their collection up to the splendid figure of £722 : 6 : 6, and Lord Lansdowne desires me to ask that, in any way which is possible, you will convey some expression of our gratitude and appreciation to all who have been concerned in providing this help for the sick and wounded.

I have etc.,
ROBT. A. HUDSON,
Chairman of the Finance Committee.

No. 28.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
25th April, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

JAMES HOUSTON, Esq.,

to be a Commissioner of Currency, with effect from this date.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 220/17.

No. 29.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
25th April, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that the Public Offices will be closed on Thursday the 24th May, 1917, (Empire Day). The King's Birthday (3rd June) falling on a Sunday, the Public Offices will be closed on the following day, Monday the 4th June, 1917.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 129/17.

No. 30.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
27th April, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

THOMAS HENRY FOSTER, Esq.,

to be His Excellency's Private Secretary, with effect from the 13th April, 1917.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 200/17.

Post Office Notice.

Post Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
7th April, 1917.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in future, the undermentioned articles are prohibited from importation into the United Kingdom, either by letter post or by parcel post:—

Gold manufactured or unmanufactured, including gold coin and articles consisting partly of or containing gold,

All manufactures of silver other than silver watches and silver watch cases,

Jewellery of any description.

No letter packets, or parcels will be received at this Office for transmission to the United Kingdom containing any of the above mentioned articles.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Postmaster.

M.P. 307/17.

Summary of Ledger Balances for December, 1916.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ASSETS on 31st December, 1916.						
To Cash Balance	5706	1	0			
„ Investments held	258834	11	11			
„ Advances Outstanding	2409	0	2			
„ Remittances (in transit)	2970	10	8			
LIABILITIES on 31st December, 1916.						
By Deposits outstanding				122716	3	4
Surplus of Assets :—	£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund ...	126432	12	3			
Stock Fund ...	2302	14	5			
Balance	18468	13	9			
				147204	0	5
	£			£		
	269920	3	9	269920	3	9

Distribution of Cash Balances.

	£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	2951	19	2
Treasury Chest	2754	1	10
	£5706	1	0

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
12th April, 1917.



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No. 31.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th May, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that all persons travelling to the United States of America are required to have their Passports *visés* by a United States Diplomatic or Consular Officer.

Persons proceeding from the Falkland Islands to the United States are advised to have their Passports *visés* at the first port of call where such Officer is stationed.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 32.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th May, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that a despatch has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies desiring His Excellency to express to the Legislative Council and to the people of the Falkland Islands the appreciation and thanks of H. M. Treasury for the provision made for an annual payment from the Colony of a contribution towards the expenses of the war, and of the Air Board for the gift from the Colony of an armed airplane for the use of the Royal Flying Corps. The Secretary of State further desires that an expression of his own appreciation of the above gifts may at the same time be conveyed to the Legislative Council and to the people of the Falkland Islands.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 447/17.

No. 33.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th May, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 154 of the 23rd November, 1909, the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Majesty the King has been pleased to confirm the provisional appointment of Mr. W. A. Harding to be a Member of the Legislative Council of this Colony, with effect as from the 24th August, 1914.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 476/17.

No. 34.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st May, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that in respect of the year 1917, Grazing Licences for 152 animals have been issued in accordance with the provisions of the Trespass Ordinance, 1904. The complete list of such Licences has been posted on the Notice Board at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

It is also notified for general information that in future Grazing Licences should be obtained from the Chief Constable.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 481/17.

No. 35.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
22nd May, 1917.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has informed the Governor that it is the King's wish that on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, which is to be observed on the 4th June, no dinners, reviews, salutes or other celebrations should take place.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 485/17.

No. 36.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
22nd May, 1917.

The Governor desires to draw the attention of the inhabitants of the Falkland Islands to the conditions of life brought about by the War, to the measures taken some months ago by the Home Government to control the consumption of food and luxuries and to prohibit, except under special circumstances, the exportation from the United Kingdom of all foodstuffs to all destinations, and also to the necessity experienced in this Colony to obtain food supplies from sources other than the United Kingdom.

His Excellency desires to add that from recent reports received it is evident that the food supplies in the United Kingdom are heavily taxed to meet home requirements, that the people of the United Kingdom are faced with certain restrictions and privations in the matter of food, and that self-denial in the matter of food on the part of the civil population both in the United Kingdom and overseas has become necessary for the maintenance of essential supplies for His Majesty's Forces on active service at the front.

The Governor considers that it behoves the inhabitants of the Colony fully to realize the position and to bring themselves into line with their fellow-subjects in the United Kingdom and in other British Possessions. His Excellency urges that restrictions should be made in all unnecessary expenditure on what may be termed luxuries in food, dress, and drink, and on anything which merely gratifies the appetite or taste for the moment, in order that better provision may be made to meet the increased cost of living in the purchase of indispensable commodities.

The Governor believes that it is common knowledge that prices have risen throughout the British Empire and elsewhere, and considers that it is possible that they will rise still further before any reduction may be expected. His Excellency is aware that this increase in prices affects the people of the Falkland Islands and considers that it should be met cheerfully by them in the manner indicated in this Notice, namely by the practice of thrift and self-denial.

In conclusion the Governor advises those who are in a position to do so, when the time comes to prepare the ground for planting, to cultivate their gardens to the full extent in potatoes and other vegetables and thereby make the Colony less dependent on imported foodstuffs in this respect.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 486/17.

No. 37.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th May, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 25 of the 20th April, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 2nd and 16th March, 1917, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 495/17.

No. 38.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th May, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 26 of the 20th April, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of an Order of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 12th March, 1917, amending the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

The Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 504/17.

No. 39.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th May, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 41 of the 18th July, 1916, the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that a Royal Proclamation dated the 13th March, 1917, has been issued modifying the list of articles of which exportation from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

This Proclamation may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 506/17.

No. 40.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
29th May, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication of the following Report by the Treasurer on the Transactions of the Commissioners of Currency for the year 1916.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 427/17.

Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
25th April, 1917.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report of the transactions of the Falkland Islands Currency Note Accounts for the year ended 31st December 1916.

THE NOTE GUARANTEE FUND.

2. In accordance with the provisions of section 7, of the Currency Note Order, 1899, the coin received in exchange for the currency notes, formed "The Note Guarantee Fund", and on the 1st January 1916, this fund amounted to £10,000, being the face value of the notes in circulation on that date.

3. During the year there was no increase in the Note Issue, and consequently, under the provisions of section 7, the Note Guarantee Fund remained the same.

4. Under the provisions of the same section, the Note Guarantee Fund has to be divided into two Parts, i.e.—(a) "The Coin Portion", and (b) "The Investment Portion".

- (a) **THE COIN PORTION.** On the 1st January, the coin portion amounted to £5,000, and was equally divided between the Commissioners and the Crown Agents, i.e.—£2,500 in the Commissioners' safe in the Colony, and £2,500 with the Crown Agents, in London.
- (b) **THE INVESTMENT PORTION.** On the 1st January, the investment portion amounted to £5,000, of which £1,250 was held in cash, (by the Crown Agents), and the balance was held in securities in the hands of the Crown Agents costing.
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|---|-----------------|
| | £3,750 : 0 : 0 |
| During the year the securities purchased, cost, | 1,498 : 13 : 5 |
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| making a total cost of securities on the | |
| 31st December 1916, of | £5,248 : 13 : 5 |
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As the funds in the hands of the Commissioners forming the Investment Portion of the fund only amounted to £5,000, the balance (£248 : 13 : 5), was advanced from the General Revenue of the Colony.

THE NOTE DEPRECIATION FUND.

5. Under the provisions of section 8, the Commissioners have to set aside annually a sum equal to One per. cent. of the cost price of the securities forming the Investment Portion of the Note Guarantee Fund, to form a "Depreciation Fund", and in accordance with section 9, a separate account has to be kept of this fund, to form part of the investment portion of the Guarantee Fund.

6. The annual appropriation of the said One per. cent., commenced January 1901, and in accordance with the provisions of the Order, it was discontinued in 1912, when the Depreciation Fund amounted to £388 : 6 : 10, or a little over ten per. cent. of the cost of the securities then forming the "Investment Portion".

7. On the 1st January 1916, the amount expended in the purchase of securities forming the Depreciation Fund, was,
- | | |
|--|-----------------|
| | £388 : 6 : 10 |
| During the year the securities purchased, cost | £1,094 : 3 : 8 |
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| and the fund increased to, | £1,482 : 10 : 6 |
| The market value of the securities transferred, | |
| during the year to the "Investment Portion", was | 591 : 14 : 11 |
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| Leaving a total cost of securities on the 31st Dec. 1916, of | £890 : 15 : 7 |
| <hr/> | |

As the income derived from the securities during the year was not sufficient to cover the cost of the investments made, and the expenses for management &c, the requisite amount was advanced from General Revenue.

SUMMARY OF YEAR'S TRANSACTIONS.

8. The total face value of the notes in circulation on the 1st January, amounted to £10,000. During the year the value of the notes issued equalled that of the damaged notes withdrawn and cancelled, leaving in circulation at the end of the year:—770 FIVE POUND, 6,100 ONE POUND, and 200 FIVE SHILLING notes, amounting in value to £10,000, as shewn below:—

In circulation on the 1st January 1916,

Five pound notes	871	Face value	£4,355
One " "	5,587	" "	5,587
Five shilling notes	232	" "	58
			£10,000 : 0 : 0

Issued during the year,

Five pound notes	49	Face value	£ 245
One " "	1,750	" "	1,750
Five shilling notes	3	" "	15/-
			£1,995 : 15 : 0
			£11,995 : 15 : 0

Cancelled during the year,

Five pound notes	150	Face value £	750
One " "	1,237	" "	1,237
Five shilling notes	35	" "	8 15/-
			<u>£1,995 : 15 : 0</u>

leaving in circulation on 31st December 1916, £10,000 : 0 : 0

CANCELLED NOTES.

9. The Face Value of the Cancelled notes destroyed during the year, under the provisions of the Order, was £1,211, and included £261, awaiting destruction at the beginning of the year, leaving £1,045 : 15 : 0. in the Commissioners' safe, in sealed packets awaiting destruction on the 31st December 1916.

NEW UNSIGNED NOTES.

10. The unsigned notes in hands of the Commissioners on the 1st January, were 1,750 ONE POUND, and 503 FIVE SHILLING, amounting in face value to £1,875 : 15 : 0. During the year a further supply of 1,000 FIVE POUND, and 5,000 ONE POUND new notes was received, which less those issued during the year, leaves a balance of 951 FIVE POUND, 5,000 ONE POUND, and 500 FIVE SHILLING notes, amounting in face value to £9,880 on the 31st December 1916.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

11. The income derived from the securities during the year was as follows:—

Note Investment Fund	£139 : 11 : 1
Depreciation Fund	40 : 19 : 2
	<u>£180 : 10 : 3</u>

The expenses during the year were:—

Treasurer's fee	£5 : 5 : 0
Auditor's fee	5 : 5 : 0
Clerical assistance	2 : 2 : 0
New Books and Notes	32 : 9 : 5
	<u>£45 : 1 : 5</u>
Total expenses	135 : 8 : 10
Part repayment of Advance	
	<u>£180 : 10 : 3</u>

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

12. The Liabilities of the Commissioners of Currency were as follows:—

Face Value of notes in circulation	£10,000 : 0 : 0
Advance outstanding	615 : 13 : 4
	<u>£10,615 : 13 : 4</u>

On the other hand the Assets were:—

Cash in hands of Commissioners	£2,500 : 0 : 0
Cash with Crown Agents	2,500 : 0 : 0
	<u>£5,000 : 0 : 0</u>

Market Value of Securities:—

Note Investment Fund	4,147 : 14 : 1
Depreciation Fund	788 : 4 : 0
	<u>£9,935 : 18 : 1</u>

Excess of Liabilities over Assets:—

679 : 15 : 3

13. Appended hereto is a Statement shewing the Face Value, the Cost, and the assumed Market Value of the Securities forming the Investment portion of the Note Guarantee Fund, and the Depreciation Fund on the 31st December 1916.

14. The depreciation in the Market Value of Securities, owing to war conditions, explains the excess of liabilities over assets, on the 31st December last, but this will doubtless recover itself in course of time.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

W. A. THOMPSON,

Colonial Treasurer.

Accounts examined and verified,

L. V. OSWALD,

Auditor.

INVESTMENTS.

Currency Commissioners' Accounts.

31st December, 1916.

Name of Stock	%	Face Value of Stock.			Cost of Stock. £ s. d.			Market Value of Investments.	
NOTE INVESTMENT FUND.								Price.	
Exchequer Bonds	5	1200	—	—	1200	—	—	100	£1200 : 0 : 0
Queensland	3	900	—	—	842	17	7	63	567 : 0 : 0
South Australia	3	400	—	—	382	—	5	82	328 : 0 : 0
Straits	3½	277	15	4	200	15	—	71	196 : 10 : 1
Transvaal	3	1200	6	2	1137	4	8	65	780 : 4 : 0
Trinidad	3	1000	—	—	933	2	9	65	650 : 0 : 0
West Australia	3	600	—	—	552	13	—	71	426 : 0 : 0
Total.	£	5578	1	6	5248	13	5	—	£4147 : 14 : 1
NOTE DEPRECIATION FUND.									
Exchequer Bonds	5	600	—	—	600	—	—	100	600 : 0 : 0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5	65	188 : 4 : 0
Loss on transfer of Stock			—	—		7	2	—	—
Total Depreciation Fund.	£	889	10	8	890	15	7	—	788 : 4 : 0

COLONY OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Return 5a.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Commissioners of Currency on the 31st December, 1916.

Assets.	Amount.	Total.	Liabilities.	Amount.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cash with Commissioners	2500 0 0				
" " Crown Agents	2500 0 0				
		5000 0 0	NOTES in circulation :— Face value of £5	3850 0 0	
			" " " £1	6100 0 0	
*Investments :—			" " " 5/-	50 0 0	
Note Investment Fund	5248 13 5				10000 0 0
Note Depreciation Fund	890 15 7		Advances, outstanding	615 13 4	615 13 4
		6139 9 0			
			Surplus of Assets over Liabilities		523 15 8
		£ 11139 9 0			£ 11139 9 0

Examined and found correct,
L. V. OSWALD,
Auditor.

25th April, 1917.
M.P. 427/17.

* (Assumed Market value £4936.)

Investment Fund	...	£4148
Depreciation „	...	£ 788
		<hr/> £4936

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

25th April, 1917.

No. 41.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th May, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the Treasurer's Report for the year 1916.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 435/17.

Colonial Treasurer's Financial Report for the year ended 31st December, 1916.

Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st March, 1917.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith returns* (numbered 1 to 12), called for under Colonial Regulation 396, together with a draft* of the Supplementary Appropriation Ordinance in respect of the year ended 31st December, 1916.

2. The Ordinary Revenue for the year was £39,105 : 11 : 5, being £16,785 6 : 0, more than the Ordinary Expenditure, and £14,161 : 3 : 11, more than the total expenditure for the year, exclusive of disbursements under the Live Stock Ordinance. The excess of £14,161 : 3 : 11, added to the surplus balance of assets on the 1st January, makes a surplus of £18,468 : 13 : 9, on the 31st December 1916.

REVENUE.

3. The total revenue for the year was £48,553 : 12 : 8, being £6,291 : 12 : 8 over the original estimate. It includes £8,841 : 18 : 3 instalments of Land purchases, and £606 : 3 : 0 collected under the Live Stock Ordinance, leaving a total Ordinary Revenue of £39,105 : 11 : 5 being £6,231 : 11 : 5 over the original estimate, and £4,758 : 7 : 1 more than in the previous year.

4. The following Comparative statement shews the revenue collected under the several Heads, in 1916, the two previous years, and ten years ago:—

Head of Revenue.	1916.	1915.	1914.	1906.
1. Customs Duties	18868	12887	11961	4947
2. Port Dues &c.	832	682	641	151
3. Int. Rev.	3222	5633	5311	530
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	1400	2208	2466	1051
5. Interest	8437	7572	6837	3366
6. Post Office	2764	2105	3499	1129
7. Rents	2952	2798	2952	4455
8. Miscellaneous	631	463	93	193
Total Ordinary Revenue	39106	34348	33760	15822
9. Land Sales	8842	8473	8365	9959
10. Live Stock	606	807	807	807
Totals	£48554	43628	42932	26588

£3,169 of the increase in 1916, under Customs Duties is due to The Tariff (export duty) Amendment Ordinance 1915.

* Not printed.

The increase under Post Office, is due to the receipts for "Wireless messages", collected in 1915, being paid into Treasury in 1916.

The decrease, under Internal Revenue, is due to fewer whaling floating factories, (vessels) operating in the South Shetlands during the 1916-17 whaling season.

The decrease, under Fees Fines, is mainly due to smaller receipts in 1916, under Sec. 22 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1901.

EXPENDITURE.

5. The expenditure for the year, exclusive of Live Stock, was £24,944 : 7 : 6 as against £32,529 estimated, making a saving of £7,584 : 12 : 6 on the original estimate.

6. The total expenditure for the year was £25,460 : 6 : 3 as against £33,179 estimated. It includes £515 : 18 : 9 disbursed under the Live Stock Ordinance, and £2,624 : 2 : 1 expended on Public Works Extraordinary, leaving an Ordinary Expenditure of £22,320 : 5 : 5, being £8,814 : 4 : 8 less than the previous year, and £4,560 14 : 7 on the original estimate.

7. On account of present conditions and local circumstances, it was found necessary to postpone certain public works, for which provision had been made.

8. The following Comparative statement shews the expenditure incurred under the several Heads in 1916, the two previous years, and ten years ago:—

Head of Service.	1916.	1915.	1914.	1906.
1. Pensions	1000	926	909	325
2. Governor	1960	1956	2431	1456
3. Colonial Secretary	1268	1217	1486	833
4. Treasury &c.	1679	1872	1599	665
5. Audit	22	22	23	28
6. Port & Marine	672	619	678	87
7. Legal	623	723	384	17
8. Police & Prison	698	508	608	682
9. Medical	1252	1395	1498	635
10. Education	809	909	924	1036
11. Ecclesiastical	217	220	220	420
12. Transport	229	696	645	348
13. Miscellaneous	610	1400	2940	507
14. Military	1125	8111	7702	251
15. Post Office	3865	4261	3763	3249
16. Savings Bank	2265	2057	1821	1220
17. Note Fund	45	22	40	49
18. Refunds	177	322	280	439
19. Colonial Engineer	2259	2474	2330	831
20. Public Works Recd	1550	1425	1262	1197
Total Ordinary Rev.	22320	31135	31543	14275
21. Works Extraordinary	2624	1866	3957	1417
22. Live Stock	516	599	547	566
Totals	25460	33600	36047	16258

ASSETS and LIABILITIES.

9. The Assets of the Colony on the 31st December, were:—

Cash in hands of Treasurer	£2754 : 1 : 10	
Cash with Crown Agents	2951 : 19 : 2	
Total Cash Balances	£5706 : 1 : 0	
Remittances in transit	2970 : 10 : 8	
Cash lent at Interest	16000 : 0 : 0	
Westminster Bank deposit	24524 : 5 : 11	
Cost of Investments:—		
Land Sales A/c	126154 : 12 : 10	
Savings Bank A/c	86016 : 4 : 2	
Currency Note Fund A/c	5248 : 13 : 5	
Depreciation do.	890 : 15 : 7	
Total Cash & Investments	267511 : 3 : 7	
Sundry Advances outstanding	2409 : 0 : 2	
Total assets on General Account	...	£269920 : 3 : 9
As against the following Liabilities:—		
Savings Bank Deposits	£108614 : 0 : 1	
Asst. Surgeon's Fund	326 : 14 : 8	
Currency Commissioners	8639 : 9 : 0	
Sundry other deposits	5135 : 19 : 7	
		122716 : 3 : 4
leaving a surplus of Assets over Liabilities of		£147204 : 0 : 5

10. There is no Public Debt. On the other hand the Colony has a Funded amount (The Land Sales Fund) of £126,432 : 12 : 3, and a Live Stock Fund, amounting to £2,302 : 14 : 5, which together with the surplus of accumulated Ordinary Revenue of £18,468 : 13 : 9, makes a total of £147,204 : 0 : 5.

11. The Savings Bank transactions during the year shew an increase of £19,184 : 7 : 2, the balance due to depositors on the 31st December being £108,614 : 0 : 1, as against £89,429 : 12 : 11 on the 31st December 1915. Of the total deposits, a sum of £86,016 : 4 : 2 was invested in approved securities, leaving an uninvested balance of £22,597 : 15 : 11. The dividends received during the year, from the securities, amounted to £2,558 : 4 : 6, and the expenses of management, including interest credited and paid to depositors, amounted to £2,264 : 16 : 1, leaving a balance of £293 : 8 : 5, which was transferred, as in former years, to the Ordinary revenue of the Colony.

12. During the year the amount received as instalments of land Purchases, was £8,841 : 18 : 3, which added to the balance standing to the credit of the Land Sales Fund, at the beginning of the year, (£117,590 : 14 : 0) makes a total of £126,432 : 12 : 3, of which £126,154 : 12 : 10, was invested in approved securities, leaving an uninvested balance on the 31st December 1916 of £277 : 19 : 5.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. A. THOMPSON,

Colonial Treasurer.

The Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley.

COLONY OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Return 5.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on 31st December, 1916.

Assets.	Amount.	Total.	Liabilities.	Amount.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cash in Colonial Chest	2754 1 10				
" " Crown Agents	2951 19 2	5706 1 0	Deposits: Savings Bank	108614 0 1	
			Intestates	206 5 9	
			Com. of Currency	8639 9 0	
*Investments: Land Sales Fund ...	126154 12 10		Bills on Crown Agents	401 9 2	
Savings Bank "	86016 4 2		Admiralty	1735 7 2	
Currency Commissioners	6139 9 0		Hektor Co.,	1024 5 11	
Westminster Bank, &c.,	40524 5 11		Sundry other	2093 16 3	
		258834 11 11			122716 3 4
Remittances in transit ... ..	...	2970 10 8			
Advances: Admiralty	408 5 8		Surplus of Assets:		
Board of Trade	201 10 0		Land Sales Fund	126432 12 3	
Prize Court	432 5 4		Stock Fund	2302 14 5	
Currency Commissioners	615 13 4		Balance	18468 13 9	147204 0 5
P. W. Store Account	439 8 7				
Sundry other	312 7 9	2409 0 2			
Total	£	269920 3 9	Total	£	269920 3 9

25th April, 1917.

M. P. 436/1917.

*Estimated Market Value of Investments £210,215. 15 11

Land Sales Fund	£97,448
Savings Bank	67,307
Currency Commissioners	4,936
Westminster Bank, &c., &c.,	40,524 15 11

£210,524 15 11

W. A. THOMPSON,

Colonial Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTE FUND.

Abstract of Accounts as required by Section 10, Sub-section 4 of the Currency Note Order in Council, 1899.

Amount and average of Notes in circulation during month ended 10th December, 1916.

£10000 0 0

Coin portion of Note Guarantee Fund { with Commissioners £2500 }
on 10th December, 1916. { with Crown Agents £2500 }

£5000 0 0

* Investments forming part of Note Guarantee Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	1200	0	0	1200	0	0
Queensland	3	900	0	0	842	17	7
South Australia	3	400	0	0	382	0	5
Straits	3½	277	15	4	200	15	0
Transvaal	3	1200	6	2	1137	4	8
Trinidad	3	1000	0	0	933	2	9
West Australia	3	600	0	0	552	13	0
Total Investments	£	5578	1	6	5248	13	5

* Investments forming the Note Depreciation Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	600	0	0	600	0	0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5
Total Investments	£	889	10	8	890	8	5
Loss on transfer of Stock in August, 1916.						7	2
					890	15	7

NOTE.— * £615 : 13 : 4 advanced from General Revenue.

C. F. CONDELL,
W. A. THOMPSON,
JAS. HOUSTON,

} Commissioners of Currency.

24th April, 1917.

M.P. 593/1917.

L. V. OSWALD,
Auditor.

24th April, 1917.

**Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual
the Year ended
REVENUE.**

Receipts.	Estimated 1916.	Amount received 1916.	Receipts for 1915.	More than estimated 1916.	Less than estimated 1916.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance 1st January, 1916	.....	4909 16 9	.....	.....	.....
1. Customs, &c. ...	13685 0 0	18867 14 8	12887 8 8	5182 14 8	.....
2. Port and Tonnage Dues...	560 0 0	832 2 0	681 19 0	272 2 0	.....
3. Internal Revenue ...	5220 0 0	3222 4 5	5632 18 2	.....	1997 15 7
4. Fees of Court, &c. ...	1497 0 0	1399 11 0	2207 10 2	.....	97 9 0
5. Interest ...	7000 0 0	8436 17 10	7572 3 6	1436 17 10	.....
6. Post Office ...	2015 0 0	2764 9 1	2104 12 3	749 9 1	.....
7. Rents ...	2833 0 0	2951 16 10	2797 18 5	118 16 10	.....
8. Miscellaneous Receipts ...	64 0 0	630 15 7	462 14 2	566 15 7	.....
Total ... £	32874 0 0	39105 11 5	34347 4 4	8326 16 0	2095 4 7
9. Land Sales ...	8582 0 0	8841 18 3	8472 12 7	259 18 3	.....
10. Stock Ordinance...	806 0 0	606 3 0	806 15 0	.....	199 17 0
Total ... £	42262 0 0	48553 12 8	43626 11 11	8586 14 3	2295 1 7
National Relief Fund ...	...	6	Surplus of Assets:— 1st Jan, 1916.		
Overpayments recovered ...	...	32 5 0			
Investments realized ...	...	91614 19 3			
Advances repaid ...	...	4115 6 7			
Deposits received ...	...	61727 19 3			
Remittances received ...	...	46389 13 10	Land Sales Fund	£117590 14 0	
		£252433 17 1	Stock Fund	2212 10 2	
			Balance	4307 9 10	
				£124110 14 0	
Balance brought down ...	...	4909 16 9			
Total ... £	257343 13 10				

Distribution of Cash Balance, 1st January, 1916.

Treasury Chest	£ 2329 6 8
Crown Agents	2580 10 1
	<u>£4909 16 9</u>

Examined and found correct.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Auditor.
23rd April, 1917.

M.P. 435/17.

Summary of Ledger Balances for January, 1916.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ASSETS on 31st January, 1917.						
To Cash Balance	6086	2	2			
„ Investments held	258834	11	11			
„ Advances Outstanding	2712	16	11			
„ Remittances (in transit)	4470	10	8			
LIABILITIES on 31st January, 1917.						
By Deposits outstanding				125195	11	4
Surplus of Assets:—	£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund ...	126432	12	3			
Stock Fund ...	2276	15	11			
Balance	18199	2	2			
				146908	10	4
	£			£		
	272104	1	8	272104	1	8

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for January not included.

Distribution of Cash Balances.

	£	s.	d.
Crown Agents (1/1/17)	2951	19	2
Treasury Chest (31/1/17)	3134	3	0
	£6086	2	2

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
3rd May, 1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

M.P. 594/1917.

Renewal of Licences under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance No. XI. of 1882.

Take Notice

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance No. XI of 1882, application has been made for the renewal of Publican's RETAIL and BILLIARD TABLE Licences for the half year ending 31st December, 1917, by:—

Biggs, Bernard C.	"First and Last Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Bagatelle do.
Gilchrist, A. J.	"Globe Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Challen, G.	"Stanley Arms"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Smith, G. B.	"Ship Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Aldridge, J. G.	"Rose Hotel"	Publican's Licence.

and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of these licences before the 1st day of July next the same will be renewed for the Half Year ending the 31st December, 1917.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
22nd May, 1917.
M.P. 537/1916.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Treasurer.

Summary of Ledger Balances for February, 1917.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

<u>ASSETS</u> on 28th February 1917.					Dr.			Cr.							
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
To Cash Balance	4994	:	9	:	4						
„ Investments held	258834	:	11	:	11						
„ Advances Outstanding	3296	:	4	:	3						
„ Remittances in transit	7981	:	4	:	2						
 <u>LIABILITIES</u> on 28th February 1917.															
By Deposits Outstanding				126632	:	8	:	7			
„ Surplus of Assets :—					£		s.		d.						
Land Sales Fund	...	126441	:	11	:	7									
Stock Fund	...	2252	:	17	:	7									
Balance	...	19779	:	11	:	11									
								148474	:	1	:	1			
					£	275106	:	9	:	8	£275106	:	9	:	8

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for January & February not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(1/1/17)	2951	:	19 : 2
Treasury Chest	(28/2/17)	2042	:	10 : 2
		£4994	:	9 : 4

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
12th April, 1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

Falkland Islands.

W. DOUGLAS YOUNG.
Governor.

Sealing Regulations.

1. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Sealing Regulations of the 29th June, 1914, the Sealing Season, or period during which Sea Elephants may be taken in the waters of South Georgia, is for the present year hereby extended from the 1st to the 30th September, 1917.

2. No female Sea Elephant shall be taken by any holder of a Sealing Licence during the month of September.

3. These Regulations may be cited as the Sealing (Emergency) Regulations, 1917.

Made by the Governor in Council under the provisions of the Seal Fishery (Dependencies) Ordinance, 1909, this first day of May, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk of Executive Council.

Draft Ordinance.

No. .



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

()

An Ordinance to provide further for the maintenance of discipline on board Transports.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Short Title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as The Transport Discipline Ordinance, 1917.

Seamen neglecting to join ship, deserting, or joining in state of drunkenness.

2. (1) If whilst within the jurisdiction a seaman lawfully engaged to serve on board any ship or vessel belonging to or chartered, hired, or requisitioned by the Admiralty or Army Council:—

(a) Neglects or refuses without reasonable cause to join his ship or vessel, or to proceed to sea in his ship or vessel, or deserts or is absent without leave from his ship or vessel or from his duty at any time; or

(b) Joins his ship or vessel or is whilst on board his ship or vessel in a state of drunkenness so that the performance of his duties or the navigation of his ship or vessel is thereby impeded,

he shall be guilty of an offence; and the master mate or owner of the ship or vessel or his agent or any Naval or Military Officer may with or without the assistance of the local police officers or constables convey on board his ship or vessel any seaman whom he has reason to believe to be guilty of an offence under this section, and may also arrest him without first procuring a warrant, and police officers or constables are hereby directed to give assistance if required. Provided always that no Naval or Military Officer acting in pursuance of the powers aforesaid shall be liable to any penalty nor to any action for damages for false imprisonment.

(2) If such seaman is brought before a Court on charge of having committed an offence under this section, he shall, if the offence comes within the provisions of paragraph (a) be liable to the penalties prescribed for such offences in Section 221 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and if the offence comes within the provisions of paragraph (b) he shall be liable to a fine not exceeding five pounds (£5). Penalties.

(3) For the purposes of this Ordinance a copy of any entry made in an official log book in manner provided by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall, if it purports to be signed and certified as a true copy or extract by the officer in whose custody the original log book is entrusted, be admissible in evidence. Extracts from log admissible evidence.

3. The Admiralty Transport Discipline Ordinance, 1916, is hereby repealed. Repeal of Ordinance No. 5 of 1916.

Passed the Legislative Council this day of
1917.

Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public
Seal of the Colony this day of 1917.

Colonial Secretary.

Draft Ordinance.

No. .



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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An Ordinance to require the delivery and sale in the United Kingdom of Whale and Seal Oils and Products.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Whale and Seal Oil Export and Sale Ordinance, 1917" and shall be read as one with The Whale Fishery Ordinance, 1908, as amended by The Whale Fishery Amendment Ordinance, 1915.

Short Title and Construction.

2. In this Ordinance

Interpretation.

"SEAL" means the fur seal, the hair seal, the sea otter, the sea elephant, the sea leopard, the sea bear, the sea lion, the sea dog and any animal of the seal kind.

"**WHALE OIL**" means the oil of the whale and shall include whale guano, whale bone, and any other products of the whale and whaling industry.

"**SEAL OIL**" means the oil of the seal as herein defined and shall include any other products of the seal and sealing industry.

Oil to be exported to and sold in United Kingdom.

Exception.

Bond to be given for delivery and sale in United Kingdom or country authorized.

Governor in Council may make Regulations.

Penalties.

Ordinance in force in Dependencies.

Duration of Ordinance.

Repeal of Ordinance No. 10 of 1915.

3. All whale oil and all seal oil, shall be exported to and delivered in and sold in the United Kingdom only, except in cases where special permission is given by a Secretary of State or by the Governor by means of a licence to export or to dispose of the same otherwise.

4. Any person or company licensed under The Whale Fishery Ordinance, 1908, or under The Seal Fishery (Dependencies) Ordinance, 1909, or any lessee of land granted for the purpose of carrying on whaling or sealing operations, shall, at the time of making the customary declaration of the amount of whale oil or seal oil about to be exported and the port and country of destination, give a bond to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs or his Deputy for the delivery and sale of such consignment of whale oil and seal oil in the United Kingdom, or for the delivery and sale in the country for which he has obtained a licence from a Secretary of State or from the Governor as herein provided; and such bond shall remain in force until it shall, within six calendar months of the date of the bond, or such further period as may be sanctioned by a Secretary of State or by the Governor, be shewn to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs or his Deputy that the conditions of the bond have been fully complied with.

5. The Governor in Council may make, and from time to time vary, regulations for carrying out generally the provisions of this Ordinance.

6. Any person or company contravening or attempting to contravene the provisions of this Ordinance or any regulations made thereunder shall forfeit the bond required and furnished by him under section 4 of this Ordinance, and shall furthermore be liable to the summary cancellation by the Governor of his licence or lease.

7. This Ordinance shall be in force in the Dependencies as well as in the Colony.

8. This Ordinance shall continue in force during the continuance of the present war and for a period of six months thereafter and no longer, but the expiration of this Ordinance shall not render null and void any proceedings begun or any penalty incurred under this Ordinance before the date of the expiration of the same.

9. The Whale Oil (Export Regulation) Ordinance, 1915, is hereby repealed.

Passed the Legislative Council this day of
1917.

Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of 1917.

Colonial Secretary.



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Government Notices

No. 42.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st June, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that the Deputy Collector of Customs at New Island is about to leave for Stanley, and that on his departure the Port of Entry at New Island will be closed until further notice.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 482/17.

No. 43.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd June, 1917.

The Governor directs that the attention of the Public be drawn to section 31 of the Licensing Ordinance, 1882, which reads as follows:—

“No licensed person shall recover any debt or demand on account of any liquor supplied by him to any person for consumption on the premises; but such licensed person may sue for and recover the value of any liquor supplied in moderate quantity with meals to any person *bona-fide* lodging in the house.”

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 509/17.

No. 44.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th June, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 37 of the 28th May, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 23rd and 30th March, and 13th April, 1917, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders, and of Consolidating Statutory List, No. 19a, complete to 16th February, 1917.

The Orders and the Consolidating List may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 584/17.

No. 45.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th June, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that all persons travelling to Spain are required to have their Passports *visés* by a Spanish Diplomatic or Consular Officer.

Persons proceeding from the Falkland Islands to Spain are advised to have their Passports *visés* at the first port of call where such Officer is stationed.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 571/17.

No. 46.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th June, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 38 of the 28th May, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of an Order of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 30th March, 1917, amending the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

This Order may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 581/17.

No. 47.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th June, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 67 of the 10th March, 1914, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Regulations for the Special Entry of Naval Cadets.

The Regulations may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 567/17.

No. 48.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
14th June, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 101 of the 25th August, 1908, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following Letters Patent, passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, providing for the further Definition and Administration of certain Islands and Territories as Dependencies of the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 585/17.

FALKLAND ISLANDS (DEPENDENCIES.)

LETTERS PATENT, passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, providing for the further Definition and Administration of certain Islands and Territories as Dependencies of the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

Dated 28th March, 1917.

George the Fifth by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India: To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the limits of the groups of islands known as South Georgia, the South Orkneys, the South Shetlands, and the Sandwich Islands, and the territory of Graham Land otherwise known as Graham's Land; and whereas it is expedient that provision should be made for the government, not only of these islands and territory but also of certain other Our islands and territories adjacent thereto as Dependencies of Our Colony of the Falkland Islands:

I. Now We do hereby declare that from and after the publication of these Our Letters Patent in the Government Gazette of Our Colony of the

Falkland Islands, the Dependencies of Our said Colony shall be deemed to include and to have included all islands and territories whatsoever between the the 20th degree of West longitude and the 50th degree of West longitude which are situated south of the 50th parallel of South latitude; and all islands and territories whatsoever between the 50th degree of West longitude and the 80th degree of West longitude which are situated south of the 58th parallel of South latitude.

II. And we do hereby vest in the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Our Colony of the Falkland Islands all such powers and authorities in and over the lands hereby included in the Dependencies of Our said Colony as are exercised by him over the Dependencies in virtue of certain Letters Patent bearing date at Westminster the Twenty-first day of July 1908.

III. We do hereby reserve to Ourselves, Our heirs and successors, full power and authority from time to time to revoke, alter or amend these Our Letters Patent as to Us or them shall seem meet.

IV. The Governor shall cause these Our Letters Patent to be published in the Government Gazette of Our Colony of the Falkland Islands and the same shall thereupon come into force.

In witness whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent. Witness Ourselves at Westminster the Twenty-eighth day of March in the Seventh Year of Our Reign.

By Warrant under the King's Sign Manual.

SCHUSTER.

No. 49.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th June, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint—

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Esq., J.P. and
G. I. TURNER, Esq., J.P.

to be Visiting Justices of the Prison for a period of one year from the 1st July, 1917, to the 30th June, 1918.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 596/17.

No. 50.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th June, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 46 of the 7th August, 1916, the Governor has been pleased to appoint

G. I. TURNER, Esq., J.P.

to be Chairman of the Visiting Committee of the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, *vice* Mr. W. A. Harding, resigned, and

L. V. OSWALD, Esq., J.P.

to be a Member of the same Committee.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 597/17.

No. 51.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th June, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Falkland Islands Volunteer Force:—

CAPTAIN FREDERIC JOHN NEWNHAM,

Officer Commanding the Force, to be Major,

LIEUTENANT THOMAS NELSON GODDARD,

to be Captain,

2ND LIEUTENANT THOMAS HENRY FOSTER,

late of the Middlesex Regiment, with seniority dating from the 11th September, 1915.
to be Lieutenant,

with effect from the 19th instant.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 600/17.

No. 52.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th June, 1917.

Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State and to the pleasure of His Majesty the King, the Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

GEORGE ISAAC TURNER, Esq., J.P.

to be provisionally a member of the Legislative Council, with effect from this date.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 612/17.

Falkland Islands.

W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

REGULATIONS

to prohibit the use of Wireless Telegraphy on board Vessels
whilst in Harbour.

1. The radiotelegraph station or apparatus on board any vessel, other than His Majesty's Ships of War, shall not be worked whilst such vessels is within any Port, or Harbour, or territorial waters of the Colony.

2. Every vessel of British Register shall immediately on arrival in a Port or Harbour of the Colony completely disconnect the aerial wires from its radiotelegraph apparatus, the ends of such wires being suspended entirely clear of the radiotelegraph room or office, preferably from the main rigging, in such a manner as to shew that they are properly disconnected, and they shall remain so disconnected whilst the vessel is in Port or Harbour.

3. Every vessel of Foreign Register shall, immediately on arrival in any Port or Harbour of the Colony, take down its aerial wires completely, and disconnect the same from its radiotelegraph apparatus, and they shall remain so disconnected whilst the vessel is in Port or Harbour.

Provided nevertheless that any vessel of Foreign Register remaining in a Port or Harbour for less than twelve hours may, at the discretion of the Collector of Customs or his Deputy, be permitted to leave its aerials up, provided the same be first disconnected and remain disconnected in strict accordance with these Regulations.

4. The Collector of Customs or his Deputy may, in addition to the foregoing, require the radiotelegraph room or office of any vessel to be sealed and remain sealed whilst the vessel is in Port or Harbour, or he may require any other steps to be taken as he may think fit.

5. For any breach of these Regulations, the Master or Owner of the vessel shall on summary conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding Twenty pounds (£20) for each offence and to the forfeiture of any apparatus for wireless telegraphy installed or worked on such vessel.

6. During the continuance in force of these Regulations, so much of the Wireless Telegraphy Regulations, made on the 21st day of June, 1912, as may be inconsistent herewith is hereby suspended.

7. These Regulations may be cited as the Vessels Wireless Prohibition (Emergency) Regulations, 1917.

Made by the Governor in Council under the provisions of the Wireless Telegraphy Ordinance, 1912, this fifteenth day of June, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk, Executive Council.

M.P. 572/17.

[L.S.]

I ASSENT
DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor
29th June, 1917.

No. 2.



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

(29th June, 1917.)

An Ordinance to appropriate certain further sums of money for the use of the Public Service of the Colony for the year ended on the 31st day of December, 1916.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the 1916 Supplementary Appropriation Ordinance, 1917.

Short Title.

2. The several sums appearing in the Schedule hereto and amounting in the whole to One hundred and forty-five pounds, seven shillings and nine pence, are hereby declared to be also payable for the year ended the 31st day of December, 1916, for and in respect of the several services in the said Schedule mentioned, in addition to the sums appropriated by The Appropriation Ordinance, 1916.

Expenditure of £145 7s 9d. authorized in addition to that authorized by Ordinance No 8 of 1915.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 28th day of June, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 29th day of June, 1917.

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Div.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
XIII.	Miscellaneous ...	34	11	8
XVI.	Savings Bank ...	110	16	1
		£145	7	9

[L.S.]

I ASSENT,
DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

29th June, 1917.

No. 3.



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

(29th June, 1917.)

An Ordinance to require the delivery and
sale in the United Kingdom of Whale and Seal
Oils and Products.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the
Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative
Council thereof, as follows:—

Short Title and Con-
struction.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Whale and Seal
Oil Export and Sale Ordinance, 1917" and shall be read as one
with The Whale Fishery Ordinance, 1908, as amended by The
Whale Fishery Amendment Ordinance, 1915.

Interpretation.

2. In this Ordinance

"SEAL" means the fur seal, the hair seal, the sea
otter, the sea elephant, the sea leopard,
the sea bear, the sea lion, the sea dog and
any animal of the seal kind.

"WHALE OIL" means the oil of the whale and shall
include whale guano, whale bone, and any
other products of the whale and whaling
industry.

"SEAL OIL" means the oil of the seal as herein
defined and shall include any other
products of the seal and sealing industry.

Oil to be exported to
and sold in United
Kingdom.

3. All whale oil and all seal oil, shall be exported to and
delivered in and sold in the United Kingdom only, except in
cases where special permission is given by a Secretary of State or
by the Governor by means of a licence to export or to dispose of
the same otherwise.

Exception.

Bond to be given for
delivery and sale in
United Kingdom or
country authorized.

4. Any person or company licensed under The Whale
Fishery Ordinance, 1908, or under The Seal Fishery (Depend-
encies) Ordinance, 1909, or any lessee of land granted for the
purpose of carrying on whaling or sealing operations, shall, at the
time of making the customary declaration of the amount of whale
oil or seal oil about to be exported and the port and country of
destination, give a bond to the satisfaction of the Collector of
Customs or his Deputy for the delivery and sale of such consign-
ment of whale oil and seal oil in the United Kingdom, or for the
delivery and sale in the country for which he has obtained a
licence from a Secretary of State or from the Governor as here-
in provided; and such bond shall remain in force until it shall,
within six calendar months of the date of the bond, or such further

period as may be sanctioned by a Secretary of State or by the Governor, be shewn to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs or his Deputy that the conditions of the bond have been fully complied with.

5. The Governor in Council may make, and from time to time vary, regulations for carrying out generally the provisions of this Ordinance.

Governor in Council
may make Regula-
tions.

6. Any person or company contravening or attempting to contravene the provisions of this Ordinance or any regulations made thereunder shall forfeit the bond required and furnished by him under section 4 of this Ordinance, and shall furthermore be liable to the summary cancellation by the Governor of his licence or lease.

Penalties.

7. This Ordinance shall be in force in the Dependencies as well as in the Colony.

Ordinance in force in
Dependencies.

8. This Ordinance shall continue in force during the continuance of the present war and for a period of six months thereafter and no longer, but the expiration of this Ordinance shall not render null and void any proceedings begun or any penalty incurred under this Ordinance before the date of the expiration of the same.

Duration of Ordinance.

9. The Whale Oil (Export Regulation) Ordinance, 1915, is hereby repealed.

Repeal of Ordinance
No. 10 of 1915.

Passed the Legislative Council this 28th day of June, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 29th day of June, 1917.

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

[L. S.]

I ASSENT,

DOUGLAS YOUNG,

Governor.

29th January, 1917.

No. 4.



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

(29th June, 1917.)

An Ordinance to provide further for the maintenance of discipline on board Transports.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Short Title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as The Transport Discipline Ordinance, 1917.

Seamen neglecting to join ship, deserting, or joining in state of drunkenness.

2. (1) If whilst within the jurisdiction a seaman lawfully engaged to serve on board any ship or vessel belonging to or chartered, hired, or requisitioned by the Admiralty or Army Council:—

(a) Neglects or refuses without reasonable cause to join his ship or vessel, or to proceed to sea in his ship or vessel, or deserts or is absent without leave from his ship or vessel or from his duty at any time; or

(b) Joins his ship or vessel or is whilst on board his ship or vessel in a state of drunkenness so that the performance of his duties or the navigation of his ship or vessel is thereby impeded,

he shall be guilty of an offence; and the master mate or owner of the ship or vessel or his agent or any Naval or Military Officer may with or without the assistance of the local police officers or constables convey on board his ship or vessel any seaman whom he has reason to believe to be guilty of an offence under this section, and may also arrest him without first procuring a warrant, and police officers or constables are hereby directed to give assistance if required. Provided always that no Naval or Military Officer acting in pursuance of the powers aforesaid shall be liable to any penalty nor to any action for damages for false imprisonment.

(2) If such seaman is brought before a Court on charge of having committed an offence under this section, he shall, if the offence comes within the provisions of paragraph (a) be liable to the penalties prescribed for such offences in Section 221 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and if the offence comes within the provisions of paragraph (b) he shall be liable to a fine not exceeding five pounds (£5).

Penalties.

(3) For the purposes of this Ordinance a copy of any entry made in an official log book in manner provided by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall, if it purports to be signed and certified as a true copy or extract by the officer in whose custody the original log book is entrusted, be admissible in evidence.

Extracts from log admissible evidence.

3. The Admiralty Transport Discipline Ordinance, 1916, is hereby repealed.

Repeal of Ordinance No. 5 of 1916.

Passed the Legislative Council this 28th day of June, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 29th day of June, 1917.

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

**Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual
the Quarter ended
REVENUE.**

Receipts.	Quarter Estimate 1917.	Amount received to 31st Mch. 1917.	Receipts for same period 1916.	More than $\frac{1}{2}$ estimated 1917.	Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ estimated 1917.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance 1st January, 1917	.....	5706 1 0	.....	.....	.....
1. Customs, &c.	3208 15 0	3791 11 3	5240 2 11	582 16 3	.....
2. Port and Tonnage Dues...	117 10 0	197 13 0	430 18 0	80 3 0	.....
3. Internal Revenue	984 0 0	480 8 8	1096 10 7	.....	508 11 4
4. Fees of Court, &c.	348 5 0	165 3 0	221 0 3	.....	183 2 0
5. Interest	2050 5 0	.....	652 10 10	.....	2050 5 0
6. Post Office	478 0 0	338 17 4	479 12 4	.....	139 2 8
7. Rents	710 0 0	521 16 8	858 10 0	.....	188 3 4
8. Miscellaneous Receipts ...	23 10 0	31 7 1	177 6 10	7 17 1	.....
 Total ... £	7920 5 0	5526 17 0	9156 11 9	670 16 4	3064 4 4
9. Land Sales	2145 10 0	8 19 4	1386 14 10	.....	2136 10 8
10. Stock Ordinance	150 0 0	.....	.....	.....	150 0 0
 Total ... £	10215 15 0	5535 16 4	10543 6 7	670 16 4	5350 15 0
Overpayments recovered ... ..	.....	12 6	Surplus of Assets:— 1st Jan, 1917.		
Investments realized ... ..	.....	93 4 5			
Advances repaid ... ..	.....	10706 19 1			
Deposits received ... ..	.....	.....	
Remittances received ... ..	.....	£ 16336 12 4			
Balance brought down ... ..	.....	5706 1 0	<div> <div>Land Sales Fund</div> <div>£126432 12 3</div> <div>Stock Fund</div> <div>2302 14 5</div> <div>Balance</div> <div>18468 13 9</div> <div>£147204 0 5</div> </div>		
Total ... £	22042 13 4	.....		

Crown Agents Accounts January to March not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance, 1st January, 1917.

Treasury Chest	£ 2754 1 10
Crown Agents	2951 19 2
	£5706 1 0

Examined and found correct.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Auditor.
10th May, 1917.

M.P. 435/17

(Reg. 352 & 396)

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for
31st March, 1917.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	Quarter Estimate 1917.	Amount paid to 31st Mch. 1917.	Payments for same period 1916.	More than ½ estimated 1917.	Less than ½ estimated 1917.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Pensions	275 0 0	25 1 6	170 14 7	.....	249 18 6
2. The Governor	527 15 0	465 17 1	448 0 0	.....	61 17 11
3. Colonial Secretary	391 15 0	307 1 10	335 8 2	.....	84 13 2
4. Treasury and Customs	478 10 0	341 12 8	384 10 4	.....	136 17 4
5. Audit	6 5 0	.....	7 10 0	.....	6 5 0
6. Port and Marine	230 5 0	145 5 11	82 15 0	.....	84 19 1
7. Legal	173 5 0	177 0 0	50 0 0	3 15 0	.....
8. Police & Prisons	228 15 0	143 9 6	138 6 10	.....	85 5 6
9. Medical	397 5 0	283 15 6	340 8 9	.....	113 9 6
10. Education	274 5 0	249 5 6	185 17 10	.....	24 19 6
11. Ecclesiastical	55 0 0	5 0 0	12 10 0	.....	50 0 0
12. Transport	115 0 0	2 0 0	10 9 10	.....	113 0 0
13. Miscellaneous	174 10 0	4 3 8	159 4 3	.....	170 6 4
14. Military	798 5 0	316 4 0	145 7 9	.....	482 1 0
15. Post Office	1013 5 0	369 6 4	979 12 6	.....	643 18 8
16. Savings Bank	601 5 0	14 2 4	18 18 5	.....	587 2 8
17. Currency Note Fund	7 10 0	.....	29 8 1	.....	7 10 0
18. Drawbacks and Refunds	50 0 0	6 6 0	57 1 9	.....	43 14 0
19. Colonial Engineer	675 10 0	574 19 8	583 18 9	.....	100 10 4
20. Public Works Recurrent	737 10 0	349 11 1	322 6 6	.....	387 18 11
Total ... £	7210 15 0	3780 2 7	4462 9 4	3 15 0	3434 7 5
21. Public Works Extraordinary	492 10 0	200 7 2	259 13 8	.....	292 2 10
22. Stock Ordinance	145 0 0	49 16 10	128 9 4	.....	95 3 2
Total ... £	7848 5 0	4030 6 7	4850 12 4	3 15 0	3821 13 5
Overpayments Adjusted ... ..	.....	12 6	Surplus of Assets on 31st March, 1917.		
Investments made ... ..	.....	.....	
Advances made ... ..	.....	1573 6 6			
Deposits repaid ... ..	.....	3293 7 7			
Remittances made ... ..	.....	7179 2 0	Land Sales Fund	£126441	11 7
Balance on 31st March, 1917. ... ..	.....	£ 16076 15 2	Stock Fund	2252	17 7
		5965 18 2	Balance	20015	1 0
				£148709	10 2
Total ... £	22042 13 4				

Distribution of Cash Balance, 31st March, 1917.

Treasury Chest (31/3/17)	£3013 19 0
Crown Agents (1/1/17)	£2951 19 2
	£5965 18 2

W. A. THOMPSON. Colonial Treasurer.
5th May, 1917.

Summary of Ledger Balances for March, 1916.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

				Dr.			Cr.		
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ASSETS on 31st March, 1917.									
To Cash Balance	...	...	...	5965	18	2			
„ Investments held	...	...	...	258834	11	11			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	3889	2	3			
„ Remittances (in transit)	...	...	...	10149	12	8			
LIABILITIES on 31st March, 1917.									
By Deposits outstanding	...	...	...				130129	14	10
Surplus of Assets:—		£	s.	d.					
Land Sales Fund	...	126441	11	7					
Stock Fund	...	2252	17	7					
Balance		20015	1	0			148709	10	2
				£278839	5	0	£278839	5	0

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for January, February & March not included.

Distribution of Cash Balances.

	£	s.	d.
Crown Agents (1/1/17)	2951	19	2
Treasury Chest (31/3/17)	3013	19	0
	£5965	18	2

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
5th May, 1917.

M.P. 594/1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

Falkland Islands.

W. DOUGLAS YOUNG.
Governor.

Licensing Regulation.

Regulation 3, of the Licensing Regulations made by the Governor in Council on the 1st day of November 1912, is hereby repealed.

Made by the Governor in Council under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance, 1882, this fifteenth day of June, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk of Executive Council.

M.P. 415/17.

Summary of Ledger Balances for April, 1917.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

<u>ASSETS</u> on 30th April, 1917.					Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance	...	...	...	...	6297	17	1			
„ Investments held	...	...	...	...	263863	0	1			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	...	4430	13	2			
„ Remittances in transit	...	...	...	...	9686	10	9			
<u>LIABILITIES</u> on 30th April, 1917.										
By Deposits Outstanding	...	...	...	...				129642	14	6
Surplus of Assets :—					£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund	...	130932	:	1 : 11						
Stock Fund	...	2252	:	17 : 7						
Balance	...	21450	:	7 : 1				154635	6	7
					£284278	:	1 : 1	£284278	:	1 : 1

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for March & April not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(28/2/17)	4949	3	0
Treasury Chest	(30/4/17)	1348	14	1
		£6297	17	1

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
8th May, 1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTE FUND.

Abstract of Accounts as required by Section 10, Sub-section 4 of the Currency Note Order in Council, 1899.

Amount and average of Notes in circulation during months ended 10th

January, & 10th February, 1917. £10000 0 0

Coin portion of Note Guarantee Fund on { with Commissioners £2500 } £5000 0 0
10th January, & 10th February, 1917. { with Crown Agents £2500 }

* Investments forming part of Note Guarantee Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	1200	0	0	1200	0	0
Queensland	3	900	0	0	842	17	7
South Australia	3	400	0	0	382	0	5
Straits	3½	277	15	4	200	15	0
Transvaal	3	1200	6	2	1137	4	8
Trinidad	3	1000	0	0	933	2	9
West Australia	3	600	0	0	552	13	0
Total Investments	£	5578	1	6	5248	13	5

* Investments forming the Note Depreciation Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	600	0	0	600	0	0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5
Total Investments	£	889	10	8	890	8	5
Loss on transfer of Stock in August, 1916.						7	2
					890	15	7

NOTE.— * £574 : 8 : 4 advanced from General Revenue.

C. F. CONDELL,
W. A. THOMPSON,
JAS. HOUSTON, } *Commissioners of Currency.*

5th June, 1917.

M.P. 593/1917.

L. V. OSWALD,

Auditor.

5th June, 1917.



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Government Notices

No. 53.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th July, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the appended letter received by His Excellency from Her Royal Highness the Princess Christian appealing for support for the funds of the Lord Roberts Memorial Workshops for Disabled Soldiers and Sailors.

The Governor hopes that this appeal will meet with a ready response by the people of the Falkland Islands.

Subscriptions to this Fund will be received, for transmission to the Chairman of the Fund, by Mr T. N. Goddard, Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 562/17.

H. R. H. the Princess Christian to the Governor.

SCHOMBERG HOUSE,
PALM MALL, S.W.
30th March, 1917.

Sir,

I am venturing to ask for the assistance of your Excellency in making known to the residents of the Falkland Islands the scheme of the Lord Roberts Memorial Workshops for Disabled Soldiers and Sailors, an illustrated booklet with regard to which I enclose for your Excellency's information. Would it be possible for you to nominate or suggest a small Local Committee, which would undertake to raise funds in the Falkland Islands for this eminently sensible scheme?

I am sure that your Excellency will agree with me that quite apart from its thoroughly practical nature the mere fact that it has been carried out as a memorial to the great Field Marshal will of itself appeal to all citizens of our Empire, and I feel sure that under your Excellency's guidance I can rely on every one in the Falkland Islands giving it their unqualified support. The Chairman, Major-General The Rt. Hon. Lord Cheylesmore K.C.V.O. will be happy to receive any sums which may be remitted to him at 122, Brompton Road, London, S.W., or direct to me at this address.

Believe me to be,
Yours truly,
HELENA,
President.

No. 54.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th July, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication of the following list of hours at which the Government Work Bell is rung daily (Sundays and Public Holidays excepted):—

From 1st September to 31st March, 5.45 a.m., 6.0 a.m., 8.0 a.m., 8.40 a.m., noon, 1.0 p.m., 5.30 p.m.

From 1st April to 14th May, 6.45 a.m., 7.0 a.m., 8.30 a.m., 8.40 a.m., noon, 1.0 p.m., 5.0 p.m.

From 15th May to 31st July, 7.15 a.m., 7.30 a.m., 8.30 a.m., 8.40 a.m., noon, 1.0 p.m., 4.30 p.m.

From 1st to 31st August, 6.45 a.m., 7.0 a.m., 8.30 a.m., 8.40 a.m., noon, 1.0 p.m., 5.0 p.m.

On Saturdays from 1st September to 31st March the last bell for the day is at noon.

On Saturdays from 1st April to 31st August the last bell for the day is at 1.0 p.m.

On Sundays the bell rings at 10.45 a.m. and 6.45 p.m.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 639/17.

No. 55.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th July, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication for general information of the following telegram from His Royal Highness Field Marshal the Duke of Connaught and the Most Honourable the Marquess of Lansdowne, transmitted to His Excellency by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies:—

The subscriptions received locally in response to the appeal made for "Our Day", 19th October, last year, amounted to £722 : 6 : 6. The Governor hopes that the people of the Falkland Islands will respond in at least as generous a manner to the appeal for "Our Day" 18th October, this year.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 610/17.

Telegram from the Duke of Connaught and Lord Lansdowne to the Governor.

"It becomes necessary for the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem in England and the Red Cross Society to appeal once more to the generosity of their friends and supporters at home and overseas for funds to carry on their work of mercy for the sick and wounded of His Majesty's Forces. The Joint Committee have decided to make again such an appeal on October 18th and we earnestly beg your assistance in making it known to the people of the Falkland Islands.

Our Red Cross work is now costing £8000 per diem and increases rather than diminishes. Our help is given in every theatre of the war and to troops from every part of the Empire and will have to be continued for some time even after victory has been achieved. We are deeply grateful for the munificent help received from sympathisers in all parts of the world and we trust that with your assistance the appeal made on "Our Day" will meet with a response which will enable us to continue to do all that is humanly possible to lessen the suffering of those on whose behalf we plead.

Their Majesties the King and Queen and Queen Alexandra have graciously given us their patronage and support.

Signed, ARTHUR,

Grand Prior of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem.

Signed, LANSDOWNE,

Chairman of the Council of the Red Cross Society.

Headquarters, Joint Committee,
83, Pall Mall,
London, W."

Probate.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Lars Marentius Berntsen, deceased

Whereas Mrs. Georgina Ellen Berntsen, as sole executrix, has applied for Letters of Administration of the Estate of the above-named deceased,

These are therefore to warn the next of kin and creditors that the prayer of the petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving a will dated the 23rd day of November, 1898.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Registrar, Supreme Court.

31st July, 1917.

S.C. No. 4/17.

Probate.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

William McDaid, deceased

Whereas Mrs. Mary Ann McDaid, as sole executrix, has applied for Letters of Administration of the Estate of the above-named deceased,

These are therefore to warn the next of kin and the creditors that the prayer of the petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving a will dated the 12th day of May, 1888.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.

Registrar, Supreme Court.

31st July, 1917,

S.C. No. 5/17.

Probate.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Mary Ann Luxton, deceased

Whereas John T. Luxton, of Stanley, East Falkland, has applied for Letters of Administration of the Estate of the above named deceased,

These are therefore to warn the next of kin and the creditors that the prayer of the petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no will.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Registrar, Supreme Court.

31st July, 1917.

S.C. No. 6/17.

**Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual
the Half Year ended
REVENUE.**

Receipts.	One Half Estimate 1917.	Amount received to 30th Jne. 1917.	Receipts for same period 1916.	More than ½ estimated 1917.	Less than ½ estimated 1917.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance 1st January, 1917	.....	5706 1 0	.....	.....	.....
1. Customs, &c. ...	6417 10 0	9263 9 10	9504 18 6	2845 19 10	.....
2. Port and Tonnage Dues...	235 0 0	388 0 0	646 10 0	153 0 0	.....
3. Internal Revenue ...	1968 0 0	1560 18 0	1747 14 8	.....	407 2 0
4. Fees of Court, &c. ...	696 10 0	455 4 3	641 5 6	.....	241 5 9
5. Interest ...	4100 10 0	2574 9 4	1861 19 1	.....	1526 0 8
6. Post Office ...	956 0 0	687 11 4	1855 13 7	.....	268 8 8
7. Rents ...	1420 0 0	969 0 7	1059 5 11	.....	450 19 5
8. Miscellaneous Receipts ...	47 0 0	105 5 2	472 10 0	58 5 2	.....
 Total ... £	15840 10 0	16003 18 6	17789 17 3	3057 5 0	2893 16 6
9. Land Sales ...	4291 0 0	6152 4 1	5690 3 7	1861 4 1	.....
10. Stock Ordinance ...	300 0 0	.....	1 7 4	.....	300 0 0
 Total ... £	20431 10 0	22156 2 7	23481 8 2	4918 9 1	3193 16 6
Overpayments recovered ...	.....	4 19 8	<div style="text-align: right;">Surplus of Assets:— 1st Jan, 1917.</div> <div style="text-align: right;">Land Sales Fund £126432 12 3</div> <div style="text-align: right;">Stock Fund 2302 14 5</div> <div style="text-align: right;">Balance 18468 13 9</div> <div style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;">£147204 0 5</div>		
Investments realized ...	.....	35902 19 2			
Advances repaid ...	.....	1667 4 11			
Deposits received ...	.....	29747 19 4			
Remittances received ...	.....	9110 16 11			
		£ 98590 2 7			
Balance brought down ...	.....	5706 1 0			
 Total ... £		104269 3 7			

Distribution of Cash Balance, 1st January, 1917.

Treasury Chest	£ 2754 1 10
Crown Agents	2951 19 2
	£5706 1 0

Examined and found correct.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Auditor.
7th July, 1917.

M.P. 620/17

(Reg. 352 & 396)

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for
30th June, 1917.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	One Half Estimate 1917.	Amount paid to 30th Jne. 1917.	Payments for same period 1916.	More than ½ estimated 1917.	Less than ½ estimated 1917.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Pensions	550 0 0	311 14 4	305 14 5	.....	238 5 8
2. The Governor	1055 10 0	986 10 11	915 11 6	.....	68 19 1
3. Colonial Secretary	783 10 0	897 3 11	646 18 1	113 13 11	.....
4. Treasury and Customs	957 0 0	804 2 6	750 14 11	.....	152 17 6
5. Audit	12 10 0	7 0 0	7 10 0	.....	5 10 0
6. Port and Marine	460 10 0	360 17 4	248 13 10	.....	99 12 8
7. Legal	346 10 0	336 0 0	286 2 9	.....	10 10 0
8. Police & Prisons	457 10 0	300 1 3	322 18 2	.....	157 8 9
9. Medical	794 10 0	637 17 9	574 4 6	.....	156 12 3
10. Education	548 10 0	488 11 5	399 16 3	.....	59 18 7
11. Ecclesiastical	110 0 0	115 0 0	115 0 0	5 0 0	.....
12. Transport	230 0 0	52 14 7	84 18 5	.....	177 5 5
13. Miscellaneous	349 0 0	186 9 0	251 19 9	.....	162 11 0
14. Military	1596 10 0	3277 18 8	325 12 1	1681 8 8	.....
15. Post Office	2026 10 0	1982 5 1	1342 5 5	.....	44 4 11
16. Savings Bank	1202 10 0	64 8 0	60 0 8	.....	1138 2 0
17. Currency Note Fund	15 0 0	2 12 6	29 15 8	.....	12 7 6
18. Drawbacks and Refunds	100 0 0	53 11 10	161 5 6	.....	46 8 2
19. Colonial Engineer	1351 0 0	1164 18 1	1166 7 6	.....	186 1 11
20. Public Works Recurrent	1475 0 0	646 14 7	523 1 9	.....	828 5 5
Total ... £	14421 10 0	12676 11 9	8518 11 2	1800 2 7	3545 0 10
21. Public Works Extraordinary	985 0 0	515 2 8	665 19 8	.....	469 17 4
22. Stock Ordinance	290 0 0	149 13 6	221 13 6	.....	140 6 6
Total ... £	15696 10 0	13341 7 11	9406 4 4	1800 2 7	4155 4 8
Overpayments Adjusted ... ..	.....	4 19 8	Surplus of Assets on 30th June, 1917.		
Investments made ... ..	.....	45551 1 4			
Advances made ... ..	.....	3426 8 3			
Deposits repaid ... ..	.....	21535 13 9			
Remittances made ... ..	.....	14247 17 3			
		£ 98107 8 2	Land Sales Fund £132584 16 4		
		6188 15 5	Stock Fund 2153 0 11		
Balance on 30th June, 1917. ... ..	.....	6188 15 5	Balance 21280 17 10		
			£156018 15 1		
Total ... £	104296 3 7				

Distribution of Cash Balance, 30th June, 1917.

Treasury Chest (30/6/17)	£1855 8 6
Crown Agents (30/4/17)	£4333 6 11
	<u>£6188 15 5</u>

W. A. THOMPSON. Colonial Treasurer.
6th July, 1917.

Summary of Ledger Balances for May, 1917.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

				Dr.			Cr.		
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<u>ASSETS</u> on 31st May, 1917.									
To Cash Balance ...	...	...	...	6773	16	11			
„ Investments held ...	...	...	...	268863	0	1			
„ Advances Outstanding ...	...	...	...	4845	2	8			
„ Remittances (in transit) ...	...	...	...	10686	10	9			
<u>LIABILITIES</u> on 31st May, 1917.									
By Deposits outstanding ...	...	...	...				132012	11	10
Surplus of Assets :—		£	s.	d.					
Land Sales Fund ...	130932		1	11					
Stock Fund ...	2181		2	7					
Balance	21042		14	1			154155	18	7
				£286168	10	5	£286168	10	5

Crown Agents Accounts March to May not included.

Distribution of Cash Balances.

	£	s.	d.
Crown Agents (28/2/17)	4949	3	0
Treasury Chest (31/5/17)	1824	13	11
	£6773	16	11

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
5th June, 1917.
M.P. 594/1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

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ASSETS on 30th June, 1917.					Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance	6188	15	5			
„ Investments held	268482	14	1			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	...	4168	3	6			
„ Remittances (in transit)	...	...	...	...	8107	11	0			
LIABILITIES on 30th June, 1917.										
By Deposits Outstanding	...	...	...	...				130928	8	11
Surplus of Assets :—					£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund	...	132584	16	4						
Stock Fund	...	2153	0	11						
Balance	...	21280	17	10				156018	15	1
					£286947	4	0	£286947	4	0

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for April, May, & June, not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(30/4/17)	4333	6	11
Treasury Chest	(30/6/17)	1855	8	6
		£6188	15	5

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
5th July, 1917.

M.P. 594/17.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTE FUND.

Abstract of Accounts as required by Section 10, Sub-section 4 of the Currency Note Order in Council, 1899.

Amount and average of Notes in circulation during months ended 10th

March, & 10th April, 1917.

£10000 0 0

Coin portion of Note Guarantee Fund on
10th March, & 10th April, 1917.

{ with Commissioners £2500 }
{ with Crown Agents £2500 }

£5000 0 0

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C. F. CONDELL,

W. A. THOMPSON,

JAS. HOUSTON,

} Commissioners of Currency.

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L. V. OSWALD,

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Proclamation

[L.S.]
W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

By His Excellency WILLIAM DOUGLAS YOUNG, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

In accordance with instructions received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies I hereby proclaim that His Majesty the King will not be advised to exercise his powers of disallowance in respect of Ordinance No. 1 of 1917, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment for ten years of an annual contribution to His Majesty's Government towards the expenses of the War".

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this tenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 56.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th August, 1917.

In accordance with the provisions of section 6 of the Stanley Cemetery Ordinance, 1914, the Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

Hon. DR. F. J. CRADDOCK, Acting Colonial Surgeon,
and

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Esq., J.P.,

to be Trustees of the Stanley Cemetery for a period of two years with effect from the 1st instant.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 1138/16.

No. 57.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th August, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication for general information of the following telegram from the Secretary of State for the Colonies and of His Excellency's reply.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 700/17.

Telegram from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the Governor.

Received 4th August, 1917.

August 4th. Sir Douglas Haig sends following:—

"Our armies in France drawn from every part of the British Empire bring to the fourth year of the war a steady confidence justified by their past achievements. Unflinching in their resolution to complete the task to which they have put their hands they will fight on until the enemy is finally overthrown."

LONG.

Telegram from the Governor to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Despatched 6th August, 1917.

Your telegram 4th August. On behalf of people of the Falkland Islands beg to be allowed to thank Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig for his message and to say our heartfelt thoughts are with him and the valiant armies under his leadership and we earnestly hope and pray their heroic deeds may shortly be crowned by a complete victory for King and Empire.

YOUNG.

No. 58.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th August, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 44 of the 13th June, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 27th April, 11th and 25th May, and 8th June, 1917, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders, and of Consolidating Statutory List, No. 25a, complete to 27th April, 1917.

The Orders and the Consolidating List may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 702/17.

No. 59.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th August, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 46 of the 13th June, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of an Order of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 1st May, 1917, amending the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

This Order may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 701/17.

No. 60.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th August, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 39 of the 28th May, 1917, the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that a Royal Proclamation dated the 10th May, 1917, has been issued modifying the list of articles of which exportation from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

This Proclamation may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 701/17.

No. 61.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
9th August, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that the Mail Contract existing between the Government and the Pacific Steam Navigation Company will terminate on the 7th September, 1917.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 706/17.

No. 62.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th August, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that with a view to securing a uniform system of "Daylight Saving" in Stanley the Government Clock will at midnight on Saturday the 13th October, 1917, be put forward one hour and will remain so until midnight on Saturday the 16th March, 1918, when it will be put back one hour in order to bring Stanley time back to the local mean.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 635/17.

No. 63.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th August, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information of the Annual Report of the Acting Chief Inspector of Stock for the Season 1916-1917.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 762/17.

Stock Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
15th August, 1917.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward the Annual Report of this Department for the season 1916-17.

Seasons.

During the late Spring and early Summer we had more rain than at this period of the previous year. The Winter has been exceptionally open and mild, with very little snow.

Sheep.

The health of the flocks that I have seen is excellent, with the exception of two flocks which were infected with lice. The total number of sheep in the Islands is now 696,975, shewing an increase of slightly over 7000 on last year's returns.

Wool.

The clip of the season was very satisfactory, the highest price obtained for wool being 2s. 7½d. per lb. This is the highest price on record for Falkland Islands wool.

Canning.

The only factory working during the season was that of the Falkland Islands Company Limited at Goose Green, where 42,711 sheep were canned, or an increase of over 5000 on last year's canning. I visited the factory at Goose Green on several occasions; its cleanliness and the methods employed there leave nothing to be desired.

Cattle.

The number of cattle in the Colony is 6,844; their health is very good.

Horses.

There are 2,653 horses in the Colony; their general health is good.

Exports.

The only export from the Colony during last year was a consignment of 600 sheep which were sent from Beaver Island to South Georgia.

Imports.

September, 1916, 49 horses from Punta Arenas, Chile. October, 1916, 3 Welsh stallions from the United Kingdom. November, 1916, 10 Romney Marsh rams from United Kingdom. January, 1917, 21 Romney Marsh and 21 Cheviot rams from United Kingdom.

Cultivation.

Progress is being made yearly in the cultivation of crops and the quantity of hay obtained is increasing; its quality is good.

Comparative Table of Returns.

The following is a comparative table of returns for the seasons 1915-16 and 1916-17.

	1915-16.	1916-17.
Rams	9,877	9,607
Wethers	186,656	197,671
Breeding Ewes	267,394	263,366
Other Ewes	71,610	79,265
Lambs Male	72,584	72,669
Lambs Female	81,783	81,889
Total number lambs	154,367	154,558
Total number of sheep	689,904	696,975
Canned	37,329	42,711
Boiled down	10,248	11,222
Sold and killed for consumption	29,871	23,920
Horses	2,972	2,653
Brood mares	402	463
Foals	216	232
Stallions	21	24
Cattle	7,561	6,844
Swine	60	15

Imports.

Horses	313	52
Rams	5	52

Exports.

Sheep	0	600
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Owing to sickness among the rams imported into the Colony, while in quarantine in Stanley, I have been unable during the period under report to visit the West Falklands.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. ATKINS,

Acting Chief Inspector of Stock,

The Honourable
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

Annual Stock Return for 1917.

Prepared from information furnished in accordance with Section 13 of
The Live Stock Ordinance, 1901.

Owner.	Name of Station.	No. of Sheep.	Ear Mark.
EAST FALKLAND.			
Smith Bros.	Berkeley Sound Station	16,166	Triangle.
Morrison & Grant	Bluff Cove	3,715	Two Slits.
Falkland Is. Co., Ltd.	Darwin Harbour, Walker Creek, and North Arm.	188,056	Diamond.
G. Greenshields	Douglas Station	27,424	Fork.
J. J. Felton's Estate	Evelyn Station	30,000	Back Square.
Mrs. M. Robson	Fitzroy North	2,660	Front Thistle.
V. Packe	Fitzroy S. & Port Louis S.	32,510	Double Swallow.
A. M. Pitaluga	Gibraltar	19,465	Front P.
C. Bender	Moody Valley	1,510	Fore and Back Bit, and Slit.
F. Browning	Mullet Creek	1,393	Back Bayonet.
J. Smith	Peninsula	442	Fork and Fore Bit.
Mrs. T. Robson	Port Louis North	15,350	Front Halfpenny.
H. J. Pitaluga	Rincon Grande	11,014	Fore Bit.
W. K. Cameron	San Carlos North	28,487	Slit.
Geo. Bonner & Co. Ltd.	San Carlos South	27,190	Front Notch.
WEST FALKLAND.			
Holmsted & Blake Ltd.	Adelaide Station	32,171	Front Bayonet.
Dean & Anson	Chartres Station	30,414	Punch Hole.
Packe Bros. & Co.	Dunnose Head, Fox Bay East, & Port Howard	21,233	Fore Bit.
Baillon & Stickney	Fox Bay West	17,466	Two Slits.
J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard	37,466	Fork.
Dean & Co.	Port Stephens & Port Edgar	42,108	Square Punch hole.
Stickney Bros.	Spring Point	12,166	Back Halfpenny.
Bertrand & Felton	Westbourne Station	16,295	Back Square.
ISLANDS.			
H. Waldron	Beaver Island	1,508	Fork.
A. F. Cobb	Bleaker Island	3,890	Punch Hole.
Mrs. Hansen	Carcass & Jason Islands	4,521	Front Bayonet.
A. E. Felton	Clifton Station	*2,528	Fore Bit.
J. Smith	Great, Ruggles, & Swan Is.	6,062	Back Bit.
J. H. Dean	Keppel Island	2,942	Back Bayonet.
H. & G. Cobb	Lively Island	7,500	Fork.
Mrs. Scott	New Island	1,991	Fork.
C. C. Wessel	Passage Islands	470	Slit.
J. H. Dean	Pebble Island	20,117	Back Bayonet.
W. D. Benney's Estate	Saunders Island	8,661	Punch Hole.
J. B. Luchtenborg	Sea Lion Islands	*720	Slit.
Speedwell Is. Co.	Speedwell, George, & Barren Is.	7,390	Fork.
Mrs. C. H. Williams's Estate	Weddell Island	13,209	Back Bit.
Mrs. E. E. Matthews	West Swan Island	275	Fork.

* 1916 Returns.

East Falkland	405,332
West Falkland	209,319
Islands	82,324
Total	696,975

15th August, 1916.

M.P. 762/17.

W. ATKINS,

Acting Chief Inspector of Stock.

Stock Brands.

Stock Department.

Stanley, Falkland Islands,

15th August, 1917.

The Acting Chief Inspector of Stock approves the following Brands, for the registration of which application has been made in accordance with Section 4 of The Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, :--

Mrs Janet Williams

3

Messrs Dean & Anson

Double Swallow

Mr F. H. King

HK

M.P. 693/17.

Probate.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Mrs. Fanny Maria Willis, deceased

Whereas John Allan Gardiner Willis, of Stanley, East Falkland by his attorney John Falkland Summers of Stanley, E. F., has applied for Letters of Administration of the Estate of the above-named deceased,

These are therefore to warn the next of kin and the creditors that the prayer of the petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within twenty-one days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving a will dated 2nd February, 1911, with Codicil thereto dated 22nd January, 1914.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.

Registrar, Supreme Court.

31st August, 1917.

S.C. No. 7/17.

Summary of Ledger Balances for July, 1917.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

<u>ASSETS on 31st July, 1917.</u>					Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance	...	...	...	...	1702	11	0			
„ Investments held	...	...	...	...	273482	14	1			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	...	4715	18	11			
„ Remittances (in transit)	...	...	...	...	9259	19	10			
<u>LIABILITIES on 31st July, 1917.</u>										
By Deposits Outstanding	...	...	...	...				133528	0	9
Surplus of Assets :—					£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund	...	132587	1	7						
Stock Fund	...	2129	2	7						
Balance	...	20916	18	11				155633	3	1
					£289161	3	10	£289161	3	10

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for June, & July, not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(31/5/17)	597	12	3
Treasury Chest	(31/7/17)	1104	18	9
		£1702	11	0

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
4th August, 1917.
M.P. 694/17.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTE FUND.

Abstract of Accounts as required by Section 10, Sub-section 4 of the Currency Note Order in Council, 1899.

Amount and average of Notes in circulation during month ended 10th

May, 1917. £10000 0 0

Coin portion of Note Guarantee Fund on { with Commissioners £2500 }
10th May, 1917. { with Crown Agents £2500 } £5000 0 0

* Investments forming part of Note Guarantee Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	1200	0	0	1200	0	0
Queensland	3	900	0	0	842	17	7
South Australia	3	400	0	0	382	0	5
Straits	3½	277	15	4	200	15	0
Transvaal	3	1200	6	2	1137	4	8
Trinidad	3	1000	0	0	933	2	9
West Australia	3	600	0	0	552	13	0
Total Investments	£	5578	1	6	5248	13	5

* Investments forming the Note Depreciation Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	600	0	0	600	0	0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5
Total Investments	£	889	10	8	890	8	5
Loss on transfer of Stock in August, 1916.						7	2
					890	15	7

NOTE.— * £547 : 4 : 2 advanced from General Revenue.

C. F. CONDELL,
W. A. THOMPSON,
JAS. HOUSTON,

} Commissioners of Currency.

9th August, 1917.

M.P. 593/1917.

L. V. OSWALD,
Auditor.

9th August, 1917.



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Government Notice.

No. 64.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
13th September, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

MR CHARLES GOSS ALLAN

Second Assistant Printer, to be First Assistant Printer, Government Printing Office,
with effect from the 1st September, 1917.

By Command,

C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 65.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st September, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

MISS KATHERINE CHARLOTTE YULE,

to be Government Nurse, with effect from this date.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 320/17.

No. 66.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
22nd September, 1917.

Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Governor has been pleased to grant leave of absence on half pay to:—

THOMAS HENRY FOSTER ESQ., Clerk and Private Secretary to the Governor,
from the 22nd September, 1917, to the date of his arrival in England, both days inclusive.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 781/17.

No. 67.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
27th September, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that he has accepted the resignation of his Commission by

LIEUTENANT THOMAS HENRY FOSTER, Falkland Islands Volunteer Force,
with effect from the 21st instant, on his leaving the Colony.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 600/17.

No. 68.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
27th September, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following draft Ordinance to Authorise and Regulate Prospecting and Mining.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 873/17.

Draft.

No. .



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

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An Ordinance to Authorise and Regulate Prospecting and Mining.

WHEREAS all grants or leases of Crown lands now in force in the Colony with certain exceptions contain provisions the effect of which is (a) to limit the use of the land by the grantee or lessee to use for pastoral purposes only and (b) to reserve to the Crown in some cases all mines of silver, gold, and other precious metals and all mines of coal and in other cases all diamonds and all mines of gold, silver and other metals and all mines of coal, in or under the said land and in either case with full liberty at all times to search and dig for and carry away the same and for that purpose to enter upon the said land or any part thereof:

Preamble.

AND WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the extent of the rights reserved to the Crown in respect of lands the subject of such grants or leases:

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to put an end to such doubts and to make provision for authorising and regulating the prospecting for and working of minerals in or under such lands in manner hereinafter appearing:

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Mining Ordinance, 1917."

Short Title.

2. In this Ordinance and any Regulations made thereunder the word "mineral" means and includes precious stones, precious metals, metals and all minerals of any kind whatsoever including coal, bituminous shale and mineral oil.

Definition of Mineral.

3. This Ordinance shall apply only to unalienated Crown Lands and to lands the subject of an existing Crown grant or Crown lease the effect of which is to confine the user of such land by the grantee or lessee to pastoral purposes only and to reserve to the Crown all mines of silver, gold and other precious metals and all mines of coal; or all diamonds and all mines of gold, silver, and other metals and all mines of coal, as the case may be.

Lands to which this Ordinance applies.

No person to prospect or mine without authority.

4. No person shall prospect for or mine or take away any mineral found upon or under any land to which this Ordinance applies, unless he be first granted by the Governor a prospecting licence or a mining lease, as the case may be, entitling him to do so. Provided that no licence shall be required by the holder of a Crown grant or Crown lease to quarry or take Stone, Flint, Chalk, Gravel, Sand, Peat and such other substances as the Governor may permit, on application in writing, to be quarried or taken, whether under or upon the land the subject of such grant or lease. Any Stone, Flint, Chalk, Gravel, Sand, Peat or other substance so quarried or taken shall be used exclusively upon such land and no part thereof shall, except by permission of the Governor expressed in writing, be sold, given away, dealt with or disposed of in any other manner whatsoever. Any person acting in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance.

Governor may grant licences and leases to prospect and mine.

5. (1) It shall be lawful for the Governor to grant licences to prospect for and leases to mine, take, win, and carry away any mineral upon or under any land to which this Ordinance applies, on such terms and for such periods of time as the Secretary of State for the Colonies may approve, and subject to any Regulations which, from time to time, may be in force.

Licences and leases not to be transferred.

(2) No licence or lease granted under this Ordinance shall be disposed of or transferred without the written sanction of the Governor being first applied for and obtained.

Payment by holder of licence or lease of compensation for damage.

(3) Every prospecting licence and every mining lease granted under this Ordinance shall provide that the holder thereof in the exercise of the right conferred shall do as little damage as possible, and shall be subject to the payment by the licensee or lessee, as the case may be, of reasonable compensation to the grantee or lessee of the land in respect of which the licence or lease is granted, for any actual damage done by him, in the exercise of such right, to any buildings, roads, or pastoral rights on or over the land.

Claim for compensation to be brought within four months.

6. (1) Any claim for compensation for actual damage done by the holder of a prospecting licence or mining lease or by his agent or servants to any buildings, roads or pastoral rights, shall be made by the grantee or lessee of the land and lodged with the Colonial Secretary within four months from the date of the alleged damage sustained.

Claim to be assessed by Board of Arbitrators.

(2) Every such claim shall within six months from the date of its being lodged with the Colonial Secretary be inquired into and the damage if any assessed by a Board of three Arbitrators composed of the Magistrate of the District in which the alleged damage occurred, or such other officer as the Governor may appoint, and two persons resident in the Colony, one of whom shall be nominated by the grantee or lessee of the land lodging the claim and the other by the person to whom the licence or lease is granted.

Appeal to Judge against finding of Arbitrators.

(3) An appeal from the finding of the majority of the Board of Arbitrators shall lie to the Chief Justice whose decision shall be final.

Form of licence and lease and rights conferred by same.

7. A licence to prospect and a lease to mine shall be in such form as may be approved by the Governor, and shall whilst in force, and for the purposes for which it is granted, entitle the holder thereof as well as his authorized agents and servants, together with his or their animals, carts, vehicles, and all things and appliances necessary for the working of the undertaking, to freely enter and to pass at all times on to and over the land named therein, and, subject to the conditions specified therein, to prospect for or to mine, take, win and carry away any mineral found upon or under the land to which the licence or lease shall apply.

8. Every application for a prospecting licence or for a mining lease shall be made in writing to the Colonial Secretary and shall state the position and approximate area and boundaries of the land in respect of which the application is made, and such further particulars as may be required by the Governor.

Applications for licences and leases to be sent to Colonial Secretary.

9. Any person who interferes with or obstructs the holder of a prospecting licence, or of a mining lease, or his agents or servants in the exercise of the rights and privileges conferred on him in pursuance of this Ordinance or of any Regulation made thereunder shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance.

Protection of holder of licence or lease against interference.

10. In every prospecting licence there shall be implied and deemed to be inserted therein a condition that the person to whom the same is granted shall actively carry on the work of prospecting to the satisfaction of the Governor, in default of which, the licence may, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, be cancelled by the Governor, when it shall become null and void and all works and property of the licensee on the land shall be forfeited to the Government of the Falkland Islands or otherwise dealt with as the Governor may order.

Work to be actively carried on.

11. Any mineral raised, taken, won or carried away in contravention of the provisions of this Ordinance, or any Regulation made thereunder, shall be forfeited to the Government of the Falkland Islands, and any person so acting in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance.

Forfeiture of minerals taken in contravention of Ordinance or Regulations.

12. (1) The Governor in Council may make and from time to time vary Regulations for carrying out the provisions and intent of this Ordinance, and for protecting owners and occupiers of land against undue interference with their rights by operations of mining enterprises.

Making of Regulations.

(2) The Regulations may provide for the payment of such Royalties and fees as the Governor in Council may see fit to impose.

Regulations may provide payment of royalties and fees.

(3) Every Regulation shall have full force and effect on publication in the Gazette.

Regulations in force on publication.

13. Any person found guilty of an offence under this Ordinance, or failing to comply with any Regulation made thereunder shall on summary conviction be liable for every such offence and non-compliance to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds (£50) or to imprisonment for any period not exceeding six months, and in addition, at the discretion of the Governor, if the holder of a prospecting licence or a mining lease, to the cancellation of the same.

Penalties.

14. This Ordinance shall be in force also in the Dependencies.

Ordinance to apply also to the Dependencies.

Passed the Legislative Council this day of
1917.

Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public
Seal of the Colony this day of , 1917.

Colonial Secretary.

Summary of Ledger Balances for August, 1917.

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<u>ASSETS on 31st August, 1917.</u>					Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance	1384	: 19	: 8			
„ Investments held	273482	: 14	: 1			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	...	5104	: 4	: 6			
„ Remittances (in transit)	...	...	...	...	12172	: 11	: 9			
<u>LIABILITIES on 31st August, 1917.</u>										
By Deposits Outstanding	...	...	...	...				135080	: 4	: 8
Surplus of Assets :—					£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund	...	132782	: 14	: 6						
Stock Fund	...	2127	: 15	: 5						
Balance	...	22203	: 15	: 5				157114	: 5	: 4
					£292144	: 10	: 0	£292144	: 10	: 0

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for June, July, & August, not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(31/5/17)	597	: 12	: 3
Treasury Chest	(31/8/17)	787	: 7	: 5
		£1384	: 19	: 8

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th September, 1917.

M.P. 594/17.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.



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Government Notice.

No. 69.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd October, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication for general information of the following Proclamation by the King declaring that the name of Windsor shall be borne by His Royal House and Family and relinquishing the use of all German Titles and Dignities.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 907/17.

BY THE KING

A Proclamation

DECLARING THAT THE NAME OF WINDSOR IS TO BE BORNE BY HIS ROYAL HOUSE AND FAMILY AND RELINQUISHING THE USE OF ALL GERMAN TITLES AND DIGNITIES.

GEORGE, *R.I.*

WHEREAS WE, having taken into consideration the Name and Title of Our Royal House and Family have determined that henceforth Our Royal House and Family shall be styled and known as the House and Family of Windsor:

AND WHEREAS We have further determined for Ourselves and for and on behalf of Our descendants and all other the descendants of Our Grandmother Queen Victoria of blessed and glorious memory to relinquish and discontinue the use of all German Titles and Dignities:

AND WHEREAS We have declared these Our determinations in Our Privy Council:

NOW, THEREFORE, We, out of Our Royal Will and Authority, do hereby declare and announce that as from the date of this Our Royal Proclamation Our House and Family shall be styled and known as the House and Family of Windsor, and that all the descendants in the male line of Our said Grandmother Queen Victoria who are subjects of these Realms, other than female descendants who may marry or may have married, shall bear the said name of Windsor:

AND WE do hereby further declare and announce that We for Ourselves and for and on behalf of Our descendants and all other the descendants of Our said Grandmother Queen Victoria who are subjects of these Realms, relinquish and enjoin the discontinuance of the use of the Degrees, Styles, Dignities, Titles and Honours of Dukes and Duchesses of Saxony and Princes and Princesses of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, and all other German Degrees, Styles, Dignities, Titles, Honours and Appellations to Us or to them heretofore belonging or appertaining.

Given at Our Court at *Buckingham Palace*, this Seventeenth day of *July*, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 70.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th October, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 55 of the 19th July, 1917, the Governor directs the publication for general information of the following Message from His Majesty the King which has been transmitted to His Excellency by the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 958/17.

"BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

During the last twelve months we have had constant opportunities of witnessing afresh both at home and in Flanders the great work of mercy carried on by the united efforts of The Red Cross Society and the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem in England. In every theatre of the war regardless of distance discomfort or danger the task of alleviating pain and suffering and of ministering to those in need is performed with unparalleled devotion by the men and women who have taken service under the Red Cross. The prompt and unstinted provision of medical and general stores and comforts is an all-important work and one of the main responsibilities undertaken by the Joint Committee. In hospitals and convalescent homes, hospital trains, motor ambulances and launches our sick and wounded as well as those of our Allies are, I know, indeed grateful for the aid and co-operation which the Joint Societies bring to the medical services of the armies; nor have the needs of our prisoners of war been forgotten in the allocation of your funds. I trust therefore that there will be no falling off of generous financial support on the part of everyone at home and in the Dominions Overseas, without which this work could not be maintained. During the war I have had great satisfaction in sending to the Joint Committee on October 20th a donation of Five Thousand Pounds. This year for the Our Day collection on the 18th October it is a pleasure to me to contribute Ten Thousand Pounds to mark my appreciation of what has been achieved by the Red Cross Society and the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem in England in the past and my deep sense of the importance of continuing these achievements in the future.

Signed. GEORGE R. I."

No. 71.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd October, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 58 of the 8th August, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated 22nd June, 6th and 20th July, and 3rd August, 1917, modifying the "Statutory List" of Traders, and of Consolidating Statutory List, No. 29a, complete to 22nd June, 1917.

The Orders and the Consolidating List may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 920/17.

No. 72.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd October, 1917.

With reference to Government Notice No. 59 of the 8th August, 1917, the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of Orders of the Lords of the Privy Council dated the 22nd June, 13th July and 10th and 14th August, 1917, amending the list of articles the exportation of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited.

These Orders may be seen on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 921/17

No. 73.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th October, 1917.

The Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

MR ARTHUR ISADORE FLEURET

to be Second Assistant Printer, Government Printing Office, with effect from the 1st instant.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 878/17.

No. 74.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th October, 1917.

The Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the appended Rates and Conditions for the Hire of the First Floor of the Town Hall, Stanley.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 668/17.

Rates and conditions for hire of first floor of the Town Hall, Stanley.

On application made to the Colonial Engineer, stating the purpose for which it is required, and subject to the approval of the Colonial Secretary, the first floor of the Town Hall, Stanley, herein called the Hall, may be hired for entertainments on the following conditions:—

(a) FOR AN AFTERNOON (1.0 p.m. to 8.0 p.m.)

Summer months (1st October to 31st March)	... ..	£1 : 10 : 0
Winter months (1st April to 30th September)	... ..	£2 : 0 : 0

FOR AN EVENING (8.0 p.m. to 3.0 a.m.)

First night	... ..	£5 : 0 : 0
Each subsequent consecutive night	... ..	£3 : 0 : 0

(b) The person hiring the Hall

- (i) shall be held responsible for any damage done to the Hall or approaches thereto, and shall defray the cost of repairing the same, as may be certified by the Colonial Engineer,
- (ii) shall remove all properties not belonging to the Hall and clean up the Hall, on termination of hire, as may be required by and to the satisfaction of the Colonial Engineer.

The charge for the hire of the Hall shall include lighting when and where necessary, but does not include furnishing chairs, decorations, or preparations &c., which must be undertaken by and at the cost of the person hiring the Hall.

Summary of Ledger Balances for September, 1917.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

<u>ASSETS</u> on 30th September, 1917.					Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance	...	...	...	...	8051	:	5 : 3			
„ Investments held	...	...	...	...	279618	:	7 : 7			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	...	4977	:	4 : 2			
„ Remittances (in transit)	...	...	...	...	7123	:	2 : 0			
<u>LIABILITIES</u> on 30th September, 1917.										
By Deposits Outstanding	...	...	...	...				142733	:	5 : 8
Surplus of Assets :—					£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund	...	132888	:	2 : 6						
Stock Fund	...	2077	:	19 : 3						
Balance	...	22070	:	11 : 5						
								157036	:	13 : 4
					£299769	:	19 : 0	£299769	:	19 : 0

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for August & September not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(31/7/17)	2056	:	6 : 10
Treasury Chest	(30/9/17)	5994	:	18 : 5
		£8051	:	5 : 3

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th October, 1917.

M.P. 594/17.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

**Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual
the Nine Months ended
REVENUE.**

Receipts.	Three Quarters Estimate 1917.	Amount received to 30th Sept. 1917	Receipts for same period 1916.	More than $\frac{1}{2}$ estimated 1917.	Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ estimated 1917.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance 1st January, 1917	.....	5706 1 0	.....	.....	.....
1. Customs, &c.	9626 5 0	13705 8 11	15665 12 3	4079 3 11	.....
2. Port and Tonnage Dues...	352 10 0	452 6 0	735 3 0	99 16 0	.....
3. Internal Revenue	2952 0 0	1574 19 10	2658 15 3	.....	1377 0 2
4. Fees of Court, &c.	1044 15 0	773 2 11	1113 1 4	.....	271 12 1
5. Interest	6150 15 0	5835 3 4	4744 3 4	.....	315 11 8
6. Post Office	1434 0 0	890 9 5	2469 12 1	.....	543 10 7
7. Rents	2130 0 0	1364 7 3	1461 4 7	.....	765 12 9
8. Miscellaneous Receipts ...	70 10 0	137 16 1	531 17 10	67 6 1	.....
Total ... £	23760 15 0	24733 13 9	29379 9 8	4246 6 0	3273 7 3
9. Land Sales	6436 10 0	6455 10 3	6538 2 4	19 0 3	.....
10. Stock Ordinance... ..	450 0 0	.....	1 7 4	.....	450 0 0
Total ... £	30647 5 0	31189 4 0	35918 19 4	4265 6 3	3723 7 3
Overpayments recovered ... ..	.....	4 19 8	Surplus of Assets:— 1st Jan, 1917.		
Investments realized ... ..	.....	59396 4 0			
Advances repaid ... ..	.....	2595 16 8			
Deposits received ... ..	.....	45668 2 7			
Remittances received ... ..	.....	16765 0 1	Land Sales Fund	£126432	12 3
		£155619 7 0	Stock Fund	2302	14 5
			Balance	18468	13 9
Balance brought down ... ..	.....	5706 1 0		£147204	0 5
Total ... £	161325 8 0				

Distribution of Cash Balance, 1st January, 1917.

Treasury Chest	£ 2754 1 10
Crown Agents	2951 19 2
	£5706 1 0

Examined and found correct.

M. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Auditor.
22nd October, 1917.

M.P. 620/17

(Reg. 352 & 396)

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for
30th September, 1917.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	Three Quarters Estimate 1917.	Amount paid to 30th Sept 1917	Payments for same period 1916.	More than ¹ / ₂ estimated 1917.	Less than ¹ / ₂ estimated 1917.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Pensions	825 0 0	517 14 4	650 5 2	.....	307 5 8
2. The Governor	1583 5 0	1488 11 9	1433 7 6	.....	94 13 3
3. Colonial Secretary	1175 5 0	1287 12 8	963 15 1	112 7 8	.....
4. Treasury and Customs	1435 10 0	1177 3 7	1195 15 7	.....	258 6 5
5. Audit	18 15 0	12 2 2	17 10 0	.....	6 12 10
6. Port and Marine	690 15 0	514 17 5	381 17 4	.....	175 17 7
7. Legal	519 15 0	482 0 0	420 17 9	.....	37 15 0
8. Police & Prisons	686 5 0	441 1 3	507 13 2	.....	245 3 9
9. Medical	1191 15 0	979 13 0	959 1 9	.....	212 2 0
10. Education	822 15 0	731 18 4	626 6 1	.....	90 16 8
11. Ecclesiastical	165 0 0	120 0 0	115 0 0	.....	45 0 0
12. Transport	345 0 0	57 0 1	201 1 5	.....	287 19 11
13. Miscellaneous	523 10 0	276 13 3	416 8 11	.....	246 16 9
14. Military	2394 15 0	3967 16 9	498 12 11	1573 1 9	.....
15. Post Office	3039 15 0	2965 9 3	2894 6 2	.....	74 5 9
16. Savings Bank	1803 15 0	2590 15 7	2248 6 1	787 0 7	.....
17. Currency Note Fund	22 10 0	5 5 0	35 0 8	.....	17 5 0
18. Drawbacks and Refunds	150 0 0	78 17 8	171 3 6	.....	71 2 4
19. Colonial Engineer	2026 10 0	1777 15 9	1713 9 9	.....	248 14 3
20. Public Works Recurrent	2212 10 0	1012 9 7	1115 8 4	.....	1200 0 5
Total ... £	21632 5 0	20484 17 5	16565 7 2	2472 10 0	3619 17 7
21. Public Works Extraordinary	1477 10 0	646 18 6	1527 2 0	.....	830 11 6
22. Stock Ordinance	435 0 0	224 15 2	389 9 6	.....	210 4 10
Total ... £	23544 15 0	21356 11 1	18481 18 8	2472 10 0	4660 13 11
Overpayments Adjusted ... ..	...	4 19 8	Surplus of Assets on 30th Sept, 1917.		
Investments made ... ..	...	80179 19 8			
Advances made ... ..	...	5164 0 8			
Deposits repaid ... ..	...	25651 0 3			
Remittances made ... ..	...	20917 11 5			
		£153274 2 9	Land Sales Fund	£132888	2 6
Balance on 30th June, 1917. ... ..	...	8051 5 3	Stock Fund	2077	19 3
			Balance	22070	11 7
				£157036	13 4
Total ... £	161325 8 0				

Distribution of Cash Balance, 30th September, 1917.

Treasury Chest (30/9/17)	£5994 18 5
Crown Agents (31/7/17)	£2056 6 10
	£8051 5 3

W. A. THOMPSON. Colonial Treasurer.

16th October, 1917.

CURRENCY NOTE FUND.

Abstract of Accounts as required by Section 10, Sub-section 4 of the Currency Note Order in Council, 1899.

Amount and average of Notes in circulation during month ended 10th June, 1917.

£10000 0 0

Coin portion of Note Guarantee Fund on { with Commissioners £2500 }
10th June, 1917. { with Crown Agents £2500 } £5000 0 0

* Investments forming part of Note Guarantee Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	1200	0	0	1200	0	0
Queensland	3	900	0	0	842	17	7
South Australia	3	400	0	0	382	0	5
Straits	3½	277	15	4	200	15	0
Transvaal	3	1200	6	2	1137	4	8
Trinidad	3	1000	0	0	933	2	9
West Australia	3	600	0	0	552	13	0
Total Investments	£	5578	1	6	5248	13	5

* Investments forming the Note Depreciation Fund.

NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
Exchequer Bonds	5	600	0	0	600	0	0
Transvaal	3	289	10	8	290	8	5
Total Investments	£	889	10	8	890	8	5
Loss on transfer of Stock in August, 1916.						7	2
					890	15	7

NOTE.— * £499 : 19 : 10 advanced from General Revenue.

C. F. CONDELL,
W. A. THOMPSON,
JAS. HOUSTON,

} Commissioners of Currency.

15th October, 1917.

M.P. 593/1917.

L. V. OSWALD,
Auditor.

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10th July, 1917. { with Crown Agents £2500 }

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NAME OF STOCK.	%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.		
War Loan	5	1200	0	0	1200	0	0
Queensland	3	900	0	0	842	17	7
South Australia	3	400	0	0	382	0	5
Straits	3½	277	15	4	200	15	0
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Falkland Islands.

W. DOUGLAS YOUNG,
Governor.

Order of the Governor in Council

Under the provisions of The Live Stock Ordinance, 1901.

By virtue of the powers in him vested by the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, the Governor in Council directs that until further notice the tax on land (scab tax) payable annually under the said Ordinance shall be at the rate of one sixteenth part of a penny per acre.

Such tax shall be paid to the Colonial Treasurer in accordance with the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, on or before the 31st December in each year.

Made by the Governor in Council at Government House, Stanley, this first day of November, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk, Executive Council.

Government Notices

No. 75.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd November, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that in response to an appeal made on behalf of the Lord Kitchener National Memorial Fund a sum of £409 : 15s. : 1d. has been received and will be forwarded to the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor of London by the earliest opportunity.

His Excellency desires to express his thanks to all those who have contributed and his satisfaction at the result obtained by the appeal made in aid of this Fund.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 888/17.

No. 76.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th November, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that Saturday the 8th, and Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday the 25th, 26th, and 27th December, 1917, will be observed as Public Holidays, and that the Government Offices will be closed.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 189/17

No. 77.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th November, 1917.

The following Resolution was passed by the Legislative Council at a Meeting held on the 5th November, 1917, and is published for general information.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 974/17.

Falkland Islands.

Be it resolved that under the provisions of The Stanley Rating Ordinance, 1905, this Council hereby sanctions the rate to be charged for the year 1918 on house property in the Town of Stanley at one shilling and threepence for twenty shillings of its annual value, and the same shall be paid accordingly as provided by law.

Passed the Legislative Council this 5th day of November, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,
Clerk of the Council.

No. 78.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
20th November, 1917.

The Governor directs it to be notified for general information that the Annual Court for the assessment of the value of house property in the Town of Stanley, as prescribed by The Stanley Rating Ordinance, 1905, will be held in the Court House at 11.0 a.m. on Monday the 7th January, 1918.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 974/17.

No. 79.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st November, 1917.

Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State the Governor has been pleased to appoint:—

MISS KATHERINE CHARLOTTE YULE,

Government Nurse, to be Nurse-Matron, King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, with effect from the 1st December, 1917.

By Command,
C. F. CONDELL,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 980/17.

Meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 5th November, 1917.

Minute by the Governor.

I have the honour to submit, for the consideration of the Legislative Council, the draft Estimates for the service of the Colony for the year 1918.

The ordinary revenue of the Colony is estimated at	...	...	£30,247
and the expenditure, including public works extraordinary at			£32,730
leaving, I regret to say, an estimated deficit of	...	...	£ 2,483

The revenue is estimated at about £4,000 less than the annual average for the previous five years. The falling off is for the most part due to the temporary suspension of certain of the whaling operations in the Dependencies of the Colony. It is hoped the date is not far distant when it may be possible for those operations to be resumed. No whaling operations are being carried on in the Falkland Islands at the present time.

The expenditure for the current services of next year has been framed on the lines of the present year. Under existing conditions it has been considered desirable to postpone any new works under the head of Public Works Extraordinary. The provision made under this head, amounting to £1,720 only, is in the nature of a revote and includes £1,000 for the erection of the Wireless Telegraph Installation at Fox Bay, £300 for furniture for the Town Hall, and £420 for other minor services.

Of the estimated expenditure for the year 1918, a sum of about £4,000 is consequent on the war. It is a matter for consideration whether this expenditure should not be met by increased taxation on the sheep and whaling industries. It is well known that arising out of war conditions both these industries benefit very greatly by the high market prices ruling for their commodities, and it appears to me that it would be equitable for those industries to be required to contribute directly to the revenue an additional sum at least sufficient to cover the local extra expenditure on account of the war. It may however be found possible to meet this expenditure of next year without the immediate necessity for taking steps in this direction.

On turning to the draft Estimates it will be seen that the revised estimate of ordinary revenue for the current year, 1917, amounts to £32,600, and the expenditure, including public works extraordinary, to about £30,000, leaving an available balance of £2,600 on the year's transactions. This balance is sufficient to cover the estimated deficit on the expenditure of next year, and it is not at present proposed to resort to extra taxation in the direction indicated, but to make use of the available balance of the year 1917, to meet the estimated deficit of the year 1918. Should, however, the Secretary of State be unable to give his sanction to the adoption of this course, or should it be found necessary or expedient to provide additional funds to meet the expenditure of next year, the Council will be called together again for the purpose of making the necessary provision.

I am glad to say the general financial condition of the Colony is sound.

The actual assets on the 1st January, 1917, amounted to,		The assets on the 1st January, 1918, are estimated at,	
Stock Fund,	£2,303	Stock Fund,	£2,599
Land Sales Fund,	126,433	Land Sales Fund,	134,923
Available assets,	18,469	Available assets,	21,020
a total of	£147,205.	making a total of	£158,542.

Compared with the assets of the Colony in 1907,

Stock Fund,	£1,816
Land Sales Fund,	50,270
Available assets,	1,115
a total of	£53,201,

the financial condition of the Colony during the past ten years shows steady advancement.

The funded and invested assets have now reached a sum which yields yearly to the revenue a contribution of nearly one fourth of the total ordinary annual expenditure of the Colony. A condition upon which the Colony is to be congratulated, and one, it may be, unique amongst His Majesty's many Colonial possessions.

DOUGLAS YOUNG.

Governor.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL HALL,
5th November, 1917.

*Annexure to Minute of the Governor to the Legislative Council dated
the 5th November, 1917.*

COLONIAL ESTIMATES.

1918.

Statement shewing Estimated Surplus of Assets on the 31st December 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	£	£
Actual Ordinary Expenditure to 30th September	20485	
Estimated „ „ October to December	8416	
		28901
Actual Expenditure, Public Works Extraordinary, to 30th September,	647	
Estimated „ „ „ October to December	536	
		1183
Actual Expenditure, Stock Department, to 30th September	225	
Estimated „ „ „ October to December	85	
		310
Estimated Surplus of Assets over Liabilities on the 31st December, 1917:—		
Stock Fund	2599	
Land Sales Fund	184923	
Balance	21020	
		158542
	Total	£188936

ASSETS.

	£	£
Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1917:—		
Stock Fund	2303	
Land Sales Fund	126433	
Balance	18469	
		147205
Actual Ordinary Revenue to 30th September	24734	
Estimated „ „ „ October to December	7901	
		32635
Actual Receipts, Stock Department, to 30th September	—	
Estimated „ „ „ October to December	606	
		606
Actual Receipts, Land Sales, to 30th September	6456	
Estimated „ „ „ October to December	2034	
		8490
	Total	£188936

Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th October, 1917.

M.P. 789/17.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

[L.S.]

I ASSENT

DOUGLAS YOUNG,

Governor

6th November, 1917.

No. 5.



1917.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

(6th November, 1917.)

An Ordinance

to provide for the service of the
Year 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows —

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Appropriation (1918) Ordinance, 1917.

Appropriation £33,300
for service of Year
1918.

2. The Governor may cause to be issued out of the Public Revenue and other funds of the Colony and applied to the service of the year ending on the 31st December, 1918, a sum not exceeding Thirty-three Thousand Three Hundred Pounds, which sum is granted and shall be appropriated for the purposes and to defray the charges of the several services expressed and particularly mentioned in the Schedule hereto which will come in course of payment during the year 1918.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Div.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
I.	Pensions	1100	0	0
II.	Governor	2111	0	0
III.	Colonial Secretary	1665	0	0
IV.	Treasury and Customs	1878	0	0
V.	Audit	25	0	0
VI.	Port and Marine	982	0	0
VII.	Legal	693	0	0
VIII.	Police & Prisons	935	0	0
IX.	Medical	1759	0	0
X.	Education	1141	0	0
XI.	Ecclesiastical	220	0	0
XII.	Transport	460	0	0
XIII.	Miscellaneous	700	0	0
XIV.	Military	4527	0	0
XV.	Post Office	4173	0	0
XVI.	Savings Bank	2855	0	0
XVII.	Currency Note Fund	30	0	0
XVIII.	Drawbacks and Refunds	200	0	0
XIX.	Colonial Engineer	2561	0	0
XX.	Public Works Recurrent	2995	0	0
	Total Ordinary Expenditure	31010	0	0
XXI.	Public Works Extraordinary	1720	0	0
XXII.	Stock Department	570	0	0
	£	33300	0	0

Passed the Legislative Council this 5th day of November, 1917.

T. N. GODDARD,

Clerk of the Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 6th day of November, 1917.

C. F. CONDELL,

Colonial Secretary.

Stock Brands.

Stock Department,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

7th November, 1917.

The Acting Chief Inspector of Stock approves the following Brands, for the registration of which application has been made in accordance with Section 4 of The Live Stock Ordinance, 1901:—

Mr William Atkins, Snr.,

Mr W. Peck,

Mr A. P. Hardy.

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Summary of Ledger Balances for October, 1917.

Published for general information in accordance with Article 344 of the Regulations for His Majesty's Colonial Service, 1911.

<u>ASSETS</u> on 31st October, 1917.					Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance	...	...	...	...	4932	8	2			
„ Investments held	...	...	...	...	279618	7	7			
„ Advances Outstanding	...	...	...	...	5364	1	10			
„ Remittances (in transit)	...	...	...	...	8223	2	0			
<u>LIABILITIES</u> on 31st October, 1917.										
By Deposits Outstanding	...	...	...	...				142673	8	2
Surplus of Assets :—					£	s.	d.			
Land Sales Fund	...	132888	2	6						
Stock Fund	...	2054	0	11						
Balance	...	20522	8	0				155464	11	5
					£298137	19	7	£298137	19	7

NOTE.—Crown Agents Accounts for August, September, & October not included.

Distribution of Cash Balance.

		£	s.	d.
Crown Agents	(31/7/17)	2056	6	10
Treasury Chest	(30/9/17)	2876	1	4
		£4932	8	2

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th November, 1917.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

M.P. 594,17.

Renewal of Licences under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance No. XI. of 1882.

Take Notice

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance No. XI of 1882, application has been made for the renewal of Publican's RETAIL and BILLIARD TABLE Licences for the half year ending 30th June, 1918, by:—

Biggs, Bernard C.	"First and Last Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Bagatelle do.
Gilchrist, A. J.	"Globe Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Challen, G.	"Stanley Arms"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Smith, G. B.	"Ship Hotel"	Publican's Licence.
do.	do.	Billiard do.
Aldridge, J. G.	"Rose Hotel"	Publican's Licence.

and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of these licences before the 1st day of January next the same will be renewed for the Half Year ending the 30th June, 1918.

W. A. THOMPSON,
Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th November, 1917.
M.P. 537/1916.