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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 82. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following Committee for the purpose of considering the necessary arrangements in connection with the Celebration, in the Colony, of the Coronation of His Majesty King Edward the VIIIth which will take place in May, 1937.

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary (*Chairman*).
" " " " Treasurer.
" " G. Roberts, J.P.
" " A. R. Hoare. M.B.E., J.P.
" " G. J. Felton, J.P.
" " L. W. H. Young, J.P.
" " N. K. Cameron, J.P.
" " V. A. H. Biggs.
Mr. D. S. A. Weir.
Mr. R. Greenshields.
Mr. A. Newing, J.P. (*Honorary Treasurer*).
Mr. A. I. Fleuret (*Honorary Secretary*).
Mr. A. Mercer.
Mr. T. K. Miller.
Mr. L. Sedgwick.
Mr. A. P. Hardy.

Suggestions with regard to the Celebrations are invited and should be addressed to Mr. A. I. Fleuret, Honorary Secretary, c/o The Secretariat, Stanley.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 175/36.

No. 83. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
10th December, 1936.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of the Marriage Ordinance, 1902, it is hereby notified, for general information, that

THE REVEREND GERALD K. LOWE,

Senior Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral has been registered as a Minister for celebrating marriages.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 20/28.

No. 84. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th December, 1936.

THE VACCINATION ORDINANCE, 1868.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Excellency has been pleased under the provisions of Section 1 of the Vaccination Ordinance, No. 1 of 1868, to appoint

MR. D. K. COWAN, L.R.C.P. & S. (ED.)
L.D.S., R.C.S. (ED).

to be a Public Vaccinator for the East Falkland Island and adjacent islands other than Lafonia, Darwin, Fitzroy, San Carlos North and South, and adjacent islands including Bleaker and Lively Islands; and for the West Falkland Island and adjacent islands.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 474/28.

No. 85. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley Falkland Islands.
14th December, 1936.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

MR. M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT, O.B.E.,

Colonial Secretary, was absent on vacation leave from the 24th of April to the 20th of September, and on leave with half salary from the 21st of September to the 6th of November, 1936, all dates inclusive.

M.P. L/9.

MR. L. B. WHITE,

Chief Clerk, Public Works Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 23rd of May to the 19th of October, and on leave with half salary from the 20th of October to the 13th of November, 1936, all dates inclusive.

M.P. L/83.

MR. A. G. N. JONES,

Clerk to the Magistrate, South Georgia, was absent on vacation leave from the 16th of May to the 24th of October, and on leave with half salary from the 21st of November to the 7th of December, 1936, all dates inclusive.

M.P. L/32.

MR. W. C. RUMBOLDS,

Customs Officer, South Georgia, was absent on vacation leave from the 16th of May to the 24th of October, and on leave with half salary from the 21st of November to the 7th of December, 1936, all dates inclusive.

M.P. L/26.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 86. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
14th December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :-

Ordinance No. 3 of 1936, entitled "The Immigration (Restriction) Ordinance, 1936". M.P. C/16/34.

Ordinance No. 8 of 1936, entitled "The Supplementary Appropriation (1935) Ordinance, 1936". M.P. 62/36.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 87. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following telegram received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies :-

Circular. 12th December. The following messages have been addressed by His Majesty to

(a) the Royal Navy. On my accession to the Throne I recall with pride that, as my dear Father did before me, I received my early training in the Royal Navy.

It has been my privilege to serve as a Naval Officer both in peace and in war; at Jutland the greatest sea battle of modern times I saw for myself in action the maintenance of those great traditions which are the inheritance of British seamen.

It is my intention always to keep the closest touch with all ranks and ratings of the Naval forces throughout the Empire and with all matters affecting them. I shall do so in the sure knowledge that they will be worthy of the implicit trust placed in them by their fellow countrymen and that in their hands the honour of British Navies will be upheld. *George R. I.*

(b) the Army. On my accession to the Throne I wish to assure all ranks of the Army that their welfare will be one of my chief concerns. It was a notable event in my life 4 years ago when my Father appointed me a Major General in the Army and that association has only served to enhance my admiration for the courage and efficient manner in which their duties however onerous they may prove are invariably undertaken.

The task that lies before me is fraught with difficulties but I know full well that the heavy burden of my responsibility will be lightened by the faithful allegiance of all ranks of Military forces of the Crown throughout the Empire. *George R. I.*

(c) the Royal Air Force. On my accession to the Throne, I hasten to assure the Air Forces at Home and overseas that I look forward to the maintenance of my close connection with them, which has been such a happy feature of my life ever since I became a Junior Officer in the Service in 1918, and served with the independent Air Forces in France.

As Air Chief Marshall, I have watched with keen appreciation the way in which the Service has proved more than equal to the many tasks which a rapid expansion has imposed upon it.

I know full well the Air Forces of the Empire will maintain to the full the great traditions that they have already established, combining with the highest efficiency and zeal a fine chivalry of service and a deep and steadfast loyalty. *George R. I.*

(d) the Civil Service. I desire on my accession to the Throne to express to all grades of the Civil Service my appreciation of the ability and devotion with which they have always discharged their varied duties, whether at home or overseas.

The record of the British Civil Service is indeed unique and I recognize with satisfaction the great position which its members have won for themselves in the life of the community. Its great traditions and those of the Dominions service, of the Indian and Colonial Service, are well known to me, and I am sure I can depend on that spirit of steadfast devotion to duty which has at all times animated them.

Whatever difficulties may lie ahead I know I can rely upon their lasting loyalty. *George R. I.*

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 287/36.

No. 88. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th December, 1936.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

MAJOR THE HONOURABLE M. J. STEWART,

Treasurer and Collector of Customs, etc., etc., acted as Colonial Secretary from the 24th of April to the 4th of December, 1936, both dates inclusive; and

MR. V. J. LELLMAN,

Second Clerk, Public Works Department, acted as Chief Clerk from the 23rd of May to the 4th of December, 1936, both dates inclusive.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P's. P/173 & P/65.

No. 89. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under the provisions of Section 13 of the Trespass Ordinance, 1904, to appoint

MR. B. FLEURET,

Common Ranger, to be a Pound Keeper in Stanley with effect from the 16th of December, 1936.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 270/36.

No. 90. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DAVID KELLOCK COWAN, ESQUIRE,
L.R.C.P. & S. (Ed.), L.D.S., R.C.S., (Ed.),

to be Medical Officer, with effect from the 5th of December, 1936.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/191.

No. 91. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following telegraphic correspondence exchanged on the occasion of His Majesty's Accession and Birthday :–

From His Excellency the Governor to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

No. 86. Government and people of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies respectfully send their dutiful and profoundly loyal greetings to His Majesty the King on his Accession and their humble congratulations on His Majesty's Birthday.

From the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor.

No. 132. Your telegram No. 86 has been laid before the King. I am commanded by His Majesty to convey to you and to the Government and people of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies an expression of his deep appreciation of the message of loyalty on his Accession and of his sincere thanks for message of congratulations for his Birthday.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 287/36.

No. 92. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
22nd December, 1936.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that on the following dates in 1937 the Public Offices will be closed :–

New Year's Day	Friday, 1st January.
Good Friday	Friday, 26th March.
Easter Monday	Monday, 29th March.
Empire Day	Monday, 24th May.
August Holiday	Monday, 2nd August.
Anniversary of Falkland Islands Battle	Wednesday, 8th December.
King's Birthday	Tuesday, 14th December.
Christmas Holidays	Saturday, 25th December.
	Monday, 27th December.
	Tuesday, 28th December.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 291/33.

No. 93. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
31st December, 1936.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :—

Ordinance No. 2 of 1936, entitled "An Ordinance to declare the Law relating to Motor Cars".

Ordinance No 9 of 1936, entitled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the laws relating to Whale Fishery in the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies".

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P's. 214/32. & D/19/32.

STOCK NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION OF INFECTION WITH LICE.

Stock Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th December, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that the sheep on Salvador Station, belonging to Alexander Pitaluga, Esq., are infected sheep within the meaning of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, as amended by the Live Stock (Amendment) Ordinance, 1922, and that the said Station is in quarantine.

D. S. A. WEIR,
Stock Adviser.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, ESQUIRE, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

[L.S.]

His Excellency HERBERT HENNIKER-HEATON, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies to* MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, *Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, Greeting.*

H. HENNIKER-HEATON,
Governor.

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom and bearing date the 19th day of September, 1914, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS, I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on or about the 12th of December, 1936, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East Falkland Island.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, HERBERT HENNIKER-HEATON, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this twelfth day of December, 1937.

By His Excellency's Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

Renewal of Licences under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance, 1882.

TAKE NOTICE.

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance, 1882, application has been made for the renewal of the PUBLICANS' RETAIL and BILLIARD TABLE Licences for the half-year ending 30th June, 1937, by :—

Perry, George	"Ship Hotel"	Publicans' Licence
Wilson, Mrs. Elizabeth	"Stanley Arms"	Publicans' Licence
" " "	"	Billiard "
Gilchrist, Arthur J.	"Globe Hotel"	Publicans' Licence
" "	"	Billiard "
Hardy, A. P.	"Rose Hotel"	Publicans' Licence

and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of these licences before the 31st December, 1936, the same will be renewed for the half-year ending 30th June, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st December, 1936.

Granting of Licences under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance, 1882.

TAKE NOTICE.

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance, 1882, application has been made for the granting of a Packet Licence to

CAPTAIN DAVID WILLIAM ROBERTS,

of the s.s. "Lafonia", and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of this licence before the 28th of December, 1936, the same will be issued for the year ending 27th December, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st December, 1936.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual

the Falkland Islands for the Three

REVENUE.

Receipts.	¾ Estimated 1936.			Amount received to 30th Sept., 1936.			Receipts for same period, 1935.			More than ¾ estimated, 1936.			Less than ¾ estimated, 1936.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance on 1st Jan., 1936	.....			1479	4	6	.....			.....			.....		
1. Customs Duties ...	10518	15	0	11941	11	2	12304	18	8	1422	16	2	.....		
2. Port Dues	127	10	0	115	9	0	92	11	0	.....			12	1	0
3. Internal Revenue ...	975	0	0	1147	16	9	1131	11	1	172	16	9	.....		
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	1966	10	0	1396	0	2	2295	16	6	.....			570	9	10
5. Interest	10950	0	0	11469	3	3	10766	14	0	519	3	3	.....		
6. Post Office	1106	5	0	3695	7	1	3118	11	7	2589	2	1	.....		
7. Telegraphs & Telephones ...	1762	10	0	1534	4	1	1430	13	9	.....			228	5	11
8. Rents	917	5	0	707	4	3	775	12	5	.....			210	0	9
9. Miscellaneous	4143	0	0	1153	19	8	2040	19	1	.....			2989	0	4
10. Contribution from Dependencies ...	6000	0	0	6000	0	0	3000	0	0	.....			.....		
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands £	38466	15	0	39160	15	5	36957	8	1	4703	18	3	4009	17	10
Land Sales Fund	4914	0	0	5021	18	0	25	0	0	107	18	0	.....		
Total ... £	43380	15	0	44182	13	5	36982	8	1	4811	16	3	4009	17	10

Dependencies Revenue	14665	13	9
Research Fund	15750	12	1
"Discovery" Pension Fund	405	0	8
Unallocated Store Account	4947	2	7
Investments Realized	108686	16	11
Farm & Building Loans	847	16	8
Advances Repaid	2811	13	5
Deposits Received	55858	7	1
Remittances Received	45268	11	10
Educational Loans	225	0	0
Total ... £	293649	8	5
Balance brought down 1st January, 1936 ... £	1479	4	6
Total ... £	295128	12	11

Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1936.

Land Sales Fund	£241199	15	4
Other Surplus	55704	10	6
	£296904	5	10

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1936 :—

Colonial Treasury	£ 440	11	1	
Crown Agents	789	0	8	
South Georgia	249	12	9	
				£1479 4 6.

Examined.

A. R. HOARE.

Local Auditor.

M.P. 172/31.

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for Quarters ended 30th September, 1936.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	¾ Estimated, 1936.			Amount paid to 30th Sept., 1936.			Payments for same period 1935.			More than ¾ estimated, 1936.			Less than ¾ estimated, 1936.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Pensions	1282	10	0	1199	4	3	1202	5	3	.....			83	5	9
2. The Governor	1958	5	0	1926	13	3	1832	19	2	.....			31	11	9
3. Colonial Secretary ...	1905	15	0	1880	18	7	1880	13	3	.....			24	16	5
4. Treasury & Customs ...	1177	10	0	1107	0	9	804	10	4	.....			70	9	3
5. Audit	100	10	0	104	15	0	100	10	0	4	5	0	.....		
6. Post Office	1571	5	0	1486	16	5	1622	8	10	.....			84	8	7
7. Wireless Telegraphs ...	1042	10	0	1045	6	5	1160	14	10	2	16	5	.....		
8. Electrical	1497	0	0	1341	10	1	1463	1	1	.....			155	9	11
9. Harbour	615	0	0	734	4	2	618	3	7	119	4	2	.....		
10. Legal	71	5	0	42	5	0	39	1	6	.....			29	0	0
11. Police & Prisons ...	744	15	0	725	7	7	759	8	11	.....			19	7	5
12. Medical	4181	5	0	3840	9	2	3834	12	4	.....			340	15	10
13. Education	1968	15	0	2090	1	6	2176	5	0	121	6	6	.....		
14. Ecclesiastical	216	15	0	153	0	0	153	0	0	.....			63	15	0
15. Naturalist	41	5	0	110	4	4	38	0	1	68	19	4	.....		
16. Military	862	10	0	703	11	6	555	12	6	.....			158	18	6
17. Stock Department ...	406	10	0	568	19	7	287	2	8	162	9	7	.....		
18. Miscellaneous	4463	5	0	5187	1	6	5161	6	6	723	16	6	.....		
19. Public Works Department	2703	15	0	2599	5	9	2704	17	1	.....			104	9	3
20. Public Works Recurrent	4023	15	0	2952	18	3	3684	2	10	.....			1070	16	9
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	30834	0	0	29799	13	1	30078	15	9	1202	17	6	2237	4	5
21. Public Works Extraordinary	7605	0	0	7825	9	4	11170	12	2	220	9	4	.....		
Total Falklands £	38439	0	0	37625	2	5	41249	7	11	1423	6	10	2237	4	5

Land Sales Fund	772	11	11
Dependencies Payments	10778	12	6
Research Fund	34727	8	6
Unallocated Store Account	4586	13	6
Investments made	101291	0	4
Advances made	2183	15	2
Deposits Repaid	38722	5	7
Remittances made	53104	8	3
Farm and Building Loans	1550	0	0
Total ... £	285341	18	2
Balance on 30th September, 1936	9786	14	9
Total ... £	295128	12	11

Surplus of Assets on the 30th September, 1936.

Land Sales Fund	£245449	1	5
Other Surplus	61127	4	9
	£306576	6	2

Distribution of Cash Balance 30th September, 1936:—

Colonial Treasury	£3157	6	4	
Crown Agents	6335	5	8	
South Georgia	294	2	9	
				£ 9786 14 9.

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for the Dependencies for the Three Quarters ended 30th September, 1936.

REVENUE.

Receipts.	¾ Estimated 1936.	Amount received to 30th Sept., 1936.	Receipts for same period, 1935.	More than ¾ estimated 1936.	Less than ¾ estimated 1936.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Customs Duties :					
(a) Imports	378 15 0	147 5 5	31 4 6	.....	231 9 7
(b) Exports	8625 0 0	13193 12 0	7649 17 8	4568 12 0	.....
2. Port & Tonnage Dues	75 0 0	100 0 0	120 0 0	25 0 0	.....
3. Internal Rev. Licences	495 0 0	555 10 0	545 15 0	60 10 0	.....
4. Fees, Fines, etc.	281 5 0	215 1 4	191 11 0	.....	66 3 8
5. Rents ...	1125 0 0	401 0 0	251 0 0	.....	724 0 0
6. Miscellaneous	7 10 0	53 5 0	.....	45 15 0	.....
Total Ordinary Revenue £	10987 10 0	14665 13 9	8789 8 2	4699 17 0	1021 13 3
Research Fund		15750 12 1			
"Discovery" Pension Fund		405 0 8			
£		30821 6 6			

Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1936.

Research Fund ...	£326209 4 7	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	6108 4 4	
		£332317 8 11.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	¾ Estimated 1936	Amount paid to 30th Sept., 1936.	Payments for same period, 1935.	More than ¾ estimated 1936.	Less than ¾ estimated 1936.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Personal:-					
South Georgia	1479 15 0	1429 19 10	1393 18 3	.....	49 15 2
General	131 5 0	68 16 5	93 15 0	.....	62 8 7
2. Other Charges:-					
(a) South Georgia	560 5 0	522 9 5	391 13 5	.....	37 15 7
(b) South Shetlands	15 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	5 0 0	.....
General	9132 15 0	8737 6 10	6180 18 8	.....	395 8 2
Total Ordinary Expenditure	11319 0 0	10778 12 6	8080 5 4	5 0 0	545 7 6
3. Extraordinary:-					
(a) South Georgia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
£	11319 0 0	10778 12 6	8080 5 4	5 0 0	545 7 6
5. Research Fund		34727 8 6			
Total Expenditure ...	£	45506 1 0			

Surplus of Assets on 30th September, 1936.

Research Fund ...	£307232 8 2	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	6513 5 0	
General Account ...	3887 1 3	
		£317632 14 5.

Examined,

A. R. HOARE,
Local Auditor.

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

M.P. 172/31.

A Bill

To provide for the disposal of the Royal Research Ship "Discovery".

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 "Discovery" Ordinance, 1937. **Short Title.**

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor to dispose of the Royal Research Ship known as the "Discovery" and belonging to His Majesty represented by the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands either by deed of gift or by bill of sale for a nominal consideration to any person or body of persons inside or outside the Colony. **Disposal of Royal Research Ship "Discovery"**

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Colonial Secretary.

Jury List for the year 1937.

The following list of the persons liable under the provisions of the Jury Ordinance, 1901 to serve as Jurors for the year 1937 is published in accordance with the fourth section of the Ordinance.

Any objection thereto will be heard and determined in the Magistrate's Court on the 20th of January, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,
Police Magistrate.

1. McAskill, John
2. Stewart, Gordon
3. Etheridge, Arthur
4. Rutter, Arthur
5. Harvey, Arthur J.
6. Goodwin, Bert.
7. Porter, Charles
8. Pearson, Robert
9. Paice, George
10. McKay, Gideon
11. McLeod, Donald
12. Ferguson, Donald
13. Honeyman, D.
14. Binnie Jas (Jr)
15. McKay, George
16. Turner, L. McI.
17. Hodgson, L. F.
18. Short, Fredk. G.
19. Dickson, Chas.
20. Kevill, William
21. Butler, George
22. Hunter, Robt. Jas.
23. Binnie, William
24. Goodwin, John K.
25. McKay, Donald
26. Summers, Stanley F.
27. Scott, George
28. Carey, Raymond F.
29. Jones, Chris. F.
30. Dixon, P. S.
31. Hardy, Chas. M.
32. McRae, Farquhar W.D.
33. Lang, John S.
34. Goodwin, Rupert
35. Sornsen, Andrew A.
36. White, William M.
37. Clement, Jas. T.
38. Jones, Albert H.
39. Duncan, David H.
40. Enestrom, Edgar W.
41. Halliday, Andrew J.
42. Berntsen, Lars M.
43. McRae, Duncan
44. McMillan, William
45. Middleton, Stewart
46. Kiddle, Albert
47. Gilruth, Thos
48. Rumbolds, R.
49. Parrin, M.
50. Perry, J. J.
51. Clifton, Thos.
52. Goodwin, V. S.
53. Curran, John
54. Sprules, Gilbert E.
55. Jennings, Clifford W.
56. Lee, Henry J.
57. Miller, D. H.
58. Courtnay, Ray S.
59. Paice, William N.
60. Perry, Chris.
61. Stewart, Alex.
62. Skilling, Thos.
63. Lang, W. A.
64. Goodwin, James
65. Anderson, Wm. J. S.
66. Davis, Benjamin
67. Hall, Arthur W.
68. McAskill, Donald W.
69. Llamosa, Arthur Jas.
70. Pettersson, E.
71. Parring, Francis G.
72. Lee, Edwin T.
73. Johnson, Fred. W.
74. Smith, John C.
75. Lee, Alfred F.
76. Peck, A. F.
77. Simpson, A. S.
78. Skilling, A. G.
79. Llamosa, G. A.
80. Hall, G. F.
81. Kiddle, W. E.
82. Nilsson, W.
83. Lansdowne, K. V. B.
84. Cletheroe, A.
85. McGill, M.
86. Luxton, Keith
87. Dickson, John
88. Morrison, Donald E.
89. Shannon, Sidney
90. Lellman, K. V.
91. Cusack, Ernest R.
92. Lee, William H.
93. Davis, Arthur H.
94. Llamosa, Wm. J.
95. Simpson, F. F.
96. Goodwin, Ernest
97. Watson, Thos. D.
98. Blakely, Adam K.
99. Alazia, Albert F.
100. Browning, John
101. Earle, Arthur
102. Hooley, Jack C.
103. Bennett, Stanley
104. Larsen, Richard
105. Oliver, Charles
106. Nilsson, W. A.
107. Sarney, H.
108. Middleton, Jas. S.
109. Pitaluga, Arthur
110. Betts, Alan S.
111. Anderson, Alfred
112. Biggs, Horace W.
113. Halliday, J. H.
114. Parrin, W.
115. Newing Walter
116. Craig, Peter
117. Hardy, P. L.
118. Lee, F. F. J.
119. Anderson, Richard G.
120. Johnson, Peter
121. Newman, Wilfred L.
122. Ford, Chas. W.
123. Hollen, Frank
124. Cletheroe, Cyril J.
125. Morrison, Stewart
126. McGill, Donald
127. McLeod, George
128. Cheek, Fred J.
129. McKenzie, William
130. Larsen, Richard
131. Middleton, James
132. Coutts, Peter
133. Hollen, Henry D.
134. Biggs, T. M. V.
135. Betts, Keith C.
136. Rogers, Donald W. J.
137. Watson, F. G. F.
138. Jaffray, A.
139. Skilling, Chas. J.
140. Roberts, W. E.
141. McDermid, M.
142. Robson, Geo. (Jr.)
143. Luxton, Markham
144. Lyse, Sidney R.
145. Summers, E. L. G.
146. Middleton, James
147. Coutts, John
148. McMillan, Ian
149. Hollen, James J.
150. Sornsen, Ellis L.
151. Anderson, Samuel A.
152. Butler, Jos. T. J.
153. Browning, Frederick
154. McGill, Geoff. S.
155. Noble, Arthur
156. McRae, Donald Alex
157. Biggs, Albert E.
158. Biggs, Edward D.
159. Short, George H.
160. Kiddle, Peter
161. Yates, Alex.
162. Robson, James
163. Halkett, Cecil M.
164. Lang, Frank
165. Davis, Benjamin C.
166. Rowlands, Jas. G.
167. Reive, Andrew (Jr.)
168. Lyse, Charles W.
169. Goss, Sidney
170. Hall, Albert H.
171. Blyth, Fredk J. K.
172. Perry, Jas. J.
173. Harrison, George
174. King, Alf. B.
175. Biggs, Edward John
176. Peck, Percy P.
177. Biggs, Leslie E.
178. Robson, George (Sr)
179. Newman, Henry
180. Hall, J.
181. Hewitt, James
182. Biggs, Alfred
183. Lanning, George
184. Halliday, W. J.
185. McAtasney, E. J.
186. Hills, A. H.
187. Robson, R. L.
188. Reive, L. L.
189. Flowers, W. R.
190. Bundes, R. J. C.
191. Lindenberg, K. N. J.
192. Halliday, S. S.
193. Burridge, Walter
194. Hawkins, Chris.
195. Jennings, Charles
196. McCarthy, Michael
197. Elliott, Birt
198. McLeod, Murdo
199. Burns, William
200. Summers, William
201. Heathman, Stanley
202. Newman, Silas
203. Duncan, Peter R.
204. Watson, James
205. Anderson, Samuel
206. Paulini, H. Wm.
207. Short, John G. A.
208. Clifton, William
209. Morrison, Rodrk. (Sr)
210. Middleton, Lindsay
211. McLeod, Donald
212. Phillips, Albert J.
213. Roberts, Edgar
214. Cartmell, William J.
215. McPherson, John
216. Jaffray, William
217. Summers, Wm. E.
218. Campbell, Hugh
219. Curran, Joseph
220. Curran, Henry
221. Betts, Henry C.
222. Smith, Frank
223. Middleton, David D.
224. McCarthy, Charles
225. Watson, Jas. H.
226. McLeod, Donald
227. Gleadell, Sidney M.
228. Pedersen, J. H. S.
229. Morrison, Finlay
230. Stewart, S. A.
231. Middleton, David
232. Bain, Alex
233. Finlayson, Roderick
234. Kiddle, Sydney B.
235. Hollen, Thomas
236. Biggs, John F.

Jury List continued :—

237. Berntsen. Alex
238. Britton, William F.
239. Berntsen. Jas. L.
240. McMullen, John D.
241. McKay, James R.
242. Alazia, George James
243. Smith, David R.
244. Kiddle, Donald J.
245. King, Cecil F.
246. Biggs, M. W.
247. May, Archie G. A.
248. Ashley, Edward L.
249. McCarthy, William
250. McLeod, Roderick
251. Morrison, Donald F.
252. Cartmell, Robert
253. Jaffray, John S.
254. Campbell, William
255. Stewart, James H.
256. Shedden, Alex. A.
257. Hirtle, Wallace
258. Alazia, John
259. Berntsen, Stanley G.
260. Henrickson, Albert
261. Harvey, William
262. McKay, Richard
263. Phillips, Jesse
264. McLeod, Archibald
265. Middleton, James
266. Smith, John F.
267. Morrison, Murdo
268. Jones, Richard
269. Paulini, Ralph
270. Stacey, David C.
271. Nicholson, Leslie H.
272. Lellman, Edward F.
273. Ratcliffe, John
274. McMullen, William
275. Shorey, William
276. Shackel, Alex.
277. McLeod, John
278. Morrison, Wm.
279. Peck, Bert H.
280. Hannaford, R. H.
281. Evans, M. E.
282. Grierson, W. J.
283. Cartmell, Henry G.
284. Sornsen, G. A.
285. Goodwin James
286. McKenzie, Alex. (Jr)
287. Summers, Alex. W.
288. Anderson, Jas. A.
289. McKay, James J.
290. Summers, Albert
291. Biggs, Hubert
292. Redmond, William
293. Barnes, Richard
294. Morrison, Wm. A.
295. Anderson, Peter
296. McGill, Wm. (Snr)
297. Johnson, Victor
298. Hookings, Alfred
299. Bradfield, Chas. H.
300. Morrison, Roderick J.
301. Reive, Peter
302. Goodwin, William
303. Short, Richard F.
304. Smith, Jas. H.
305. Kiddle, Stephen H.
306. Robson, Walter C.
307. Bonner, J. F.
308. Betts, Charles
309. Anderson, Ludwic R.
310. Stewart, David G.
311. Alazia, Arthur J.
312. Perry, Charles
313. Barnes, Arthur J.(Jr.)
314. Reive, John
315. Pitaluga, Alex
316. Watson, Andrew
317. Fleuret Clovis
318. McKay, John
319. Ashley, John R.
320. May, Fredk. C.
321. Reive, George
322. Bender, Chris. P. W.
323. Osborne, G. H.
324. Coutts, Alex.
325. Lellman, F. F.
326. Peck, Victor H.
327. Campbell, Thos. W.
328. Berntsen Alex. J.
329. Kelway, George
330. Evans, John D. C.
331. Roberts, Harry
332. Perry, George
333. Osborne, George (Sr)
334. Smith Andrew C.
335. Allan, Chas. G.
336. Creece, Martin G.
337. Hardy, Herbert H.
338. Henrickson, Martin
339. Biggs. Eric G. J.
340. Kirk, William J.
341. Miller. Thomas K.
342. Bound, R. Nap.
343. Paice. E. R. B.
344. Lellman, Victor J.
345. Turner, John
346. Jones, Ivor Hugh
347. Parrin, N. G.
348. McLaren, Reuben
349. Blyth, Alfred John
350. Finlayson, Alex. Jas.
351. Buckley, Philip E.
352. Andreason, S. V. Y.
353. Kelway, Edward G.
354. Robson, Edward
355. Smith, Percy S.
356. Aldridge, Harold J.
357. Weir, D. S. A.
358. Berntsen, Ed. F.
359. Anderson, Henry J.
360. Summers, E. N.
361. Bundes, Jeff.
362. Lees, David
363. Pearson, George
364. McGill, John
365. Runacres, Alec. P.
366. Summers, E. V.
367. Aldridge, Stephen
368. Kiddle, Fred.
369. Watts, Jas.
370. Kirk, John Albert
371. Biggs, Carl P.
372. Halliday, John J.
373. Wilkins, Geo.
374. Stewart, W. H.
375. Cletheroe, Stanley
376. Summers, Walter J.
377. Jennings, F. G. J.
378. Peck, Jas P.
379. Miller, John
380. Bennett, George A.
381. Lee, Thomas F.
382. Robson, Tom
383. Porter, Arthur
384. Hardy, A. P.
385. Thompson, George
386. Westall, Fred
387. Braxton, T. N.
388. Hutchinson, Robt.
389. Mercer, John
390. Wilson, Edward
391. Gleadell, Jas R.
392. Campbell, John M.
393. Thomson, John McD.
394. Myles, W. B.
395. Dettleff, Hansen
396. Kenny, Norman D.
397. O'Sullivan, D. W.
398. McCullum, Allan A.
399. Gleadell, Frank E.
400. Summers, Sidney R.
401. Barnes, John S.
402. Aldridge, Ernest J.
403. Hirtle, J. R.
404. Hills, William
405. Slade, Harry
406. Buse, F.
407. Halliday, George
408. Hutchinson, W. J.
409. Peck Betts. James
410. Biggs, Wm. Jas
411. Ryan, Jos. C.
412. Campbell, Ray
413. Kiddle, Alb. S.
414. Davis Fred. S.
415. Coleman, Fred. A.
416. Waghorn, Harry
417. Gleadell, W. G.
418. Benney, Wm. G.
419. Skilling, John O.
420. Browning, Wm. C.
421. Allan, W. J.
422. White, James
423. Rowlands, Jas. H.
424. White, J. W.
425. Biggs, Des. V. A.
426. Luxton, Stan. C.
427. Sedgwick, A.
428. Newing, George
429. Berntsen, Nat.
430. Allan, Hector
431. Catten, Wm. Jas
432. Mills, Thomas
433. Browning, Henry
434. Peck, Andrew
435. Sedgwick, Bertram
436. Bonner, Fred
437. Jones, Sidney J.
438. Atkins, Stanley P.
439. Skilling, Chas. R.
440. Cletheroe, Leslie
441. Atkins, Richard
442. Clifton, Albert
443. Clark, James
444. McGill, K.
445. Lindenberg, J. E. T.
446. Brechin, Gregor
447. McLeod, Donald J.
448. Gleadell, E. J.
449. Grant, Reg. L.
450. Duffin, Harry
451. Betts, A. J.
452. Aldridge, Sidney G.
453. McPhee, Kenneth J.
454. Davis, W. J.
455. Simpson, Geo H.
456. Williams, John D.
457. Bonner, Samuel
458. Steel, Alex J.
459. Cletheroe, John R.
460. Hansen, Fred H.
461. Clarke, Jas.
462. Hennah, T. H. H.
463. Osborne, John
464. Peck, Desmond P.
465. O'Sullivan, Fairport
466. Buse, Ralph
467. Paice, C. J. B.
468. Davis, John
469. Thompson, Harry
470. Paice, Nat. T.
471. Biggs, Bernard C.
472. Browning, Jos.
473. Bonner, Henry J.
474. May, Alfred M. W.
475. Clarke, John H. A.
476. Gleadell, Ernest C.
477. Goss, James
478. Browning, Jas S.
479. Sornsen, C. Ed.
480. Henrickson, C. W.
481. Smith, William
482. Biggs, Herbert P.
483. Felton, A. A.
484. Dixon, E. V.
485. White, Frank
486. Biggs, Arthur S. L.
487. Bowles, W. J.
488. Walsh, David
489. Sedgwick, H. H.
490. Blyth, John
491. Walker, T. P.
492. Aldridge, L. W.
493. Dettleff, Henry
494. Hansen, Rupert
495. Goss, J. N.
496. Lellman, Albert F. F.
497. Reive, William J.
498. Lyse, Markham O.
499. Skilling, Fred.
500. Hansen, Jason
501. Rowe, E. G.
502. McCarthy, M. Jnr.
503. Reive, George
504. Aiken, John
505. McKay, Thomas
506. McLeod, Lachlan
507. Sedgwick, L. A.
508. Hardy, Thomas
509. Adair, Wm.
510. Bonner, Richard L.
511. Dettleff, Ernest A.
512. Watson, D. R.
513. Betts, C. S.
514. Etheridge, Alex S.
515. Biggs, Alex M.
516. Stewart, William
517. Paulini, George L.
518. Skilling Percival
519. Barnes, Fred W.
520. Bonner, Andreas
521. Clifton, James
522. Grant, Louis
523. Barnes, Sylvester
524. Kelway, Fred A.

Jury List continued :—

525. Challen, Gordon L.
526. Ryan, John S.
527. Rowlands, Conrad
528. McPhee, Alex
529. Dettleff, Thomas O.
530. Biggs, Martin W. H.
531. Meirhoffer, George
532. Mercer, Alex.
533. Bowles, G. E.
534. Watson, Wm. H. C.
535. Smith, Jas A.
536. Faria, Joseph
537. McLaren, Geo M.
538. Bonner, Albert
539. Reive, Robert (Jr)
540. Kirk, W. E.
541. Boyer, Alex
542. Crawford, Ed. S.
543. Lellman, F. T.
544. Aldridge, W. T.
545. Gleadell, Bertram
546. Jones, John F. C.
547. McAtasney, William
548. Goodwin, George
549. Reive, Thomas
550. Sedgwick, Wm. H.
551. King, Fred H.
552. Summers, Aubrey V.
553. Lehen, Dennis
554. Anderson, Louis
555. Johnson, Howard W.
556. Harris, W. C. H. G.
557. McKinnon, Colin
558. Barnes, Frank
559. Smith, Jas.
560. Bradbury, Cecil
561. Hansen, George
562. Hicks, Tom
563. Fullbrooke, Stanley
564. Porter, Howard
565. Clifton, Jos. E.
566. Anderson, Charles
567. Morrison, Donald J.
568. Ratcliffe, Howard
569. Allan, Frederick
570. Ratcliffe, Jas.
571. Lee, Jas. W. T.
572. Ferguson, John
573. Clifton, Chas
574. Lyse, John D.
575. Perry, W. J.
576. Short, George Chas.
577. Duncan, Howard E.
578. Thomas, Henry G.
579. Anderson, Thos.
580. Halliday, Guy P.
581. Johnson, Eric Thos.
582. Pitaluga, Jas. A.
583. Anderson, John
584. May, Horace
585. Johnson, S. H.
586. Goodwin, David
587. Dettleff, Jas.
588. Gleadell, Charles
589. Binnie, Nesbit
590. Nunn, Henry
591. Blyth, Jas.
592. Petterssen, A. R. A.
593. Watts, John
594. Smith, Geo. D.
595. Lanning, Arthur
596. Goodwin, John
597. McKay, J. D.
598. Ratcliffe, Albert
599. Lee, Phillip R.
600. Jennings, Henry G.
601. Summers, Vere F.
602. Williams, Ralph M.
603. Lyse, Ernest Louis
604. Betts, William D. N.
605. Hooley, T. V.
606. Betts, F. C.
607. Yates, Robert
608. Newman, St. Joseph
609. Summers, Alfred D.
610. Hills, G. N.
611. Napier, Herbert M.
612. Halliday, J. A. L.
613. McKay, David
614. Sibley, William G.
615. Goodwin, Thos. Jas.
616. Miller, Sidney
617. Watts Jas.
618. Poole, Charles
619. Ashley, Alfred G.
620. Lehen, Maurice
621. Hardy, Fred J.
622. Carey, Chas. W.
623. Hanson, Herbert S.
624. Morrison, Norman
625. Blyth, Alex. L.
626. Petterssen, John S. P.
627. Watts, Walter
628. Harries, John J.
629. Wallin, Richard
630. Cletheroe, Alb. R.
631. Martin, Geo. A.
632. Clarke, Richard J.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 1. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd January, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MISS MILLICENT PETTERSSON,

to be Clerk, Agricultural Department, on probation for a period of six months with effect from the 1st of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/128.

No. 2. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th January, 1937.

The following list of Ministers of Religion who have been registered as Ministers for celebrating marriages, is published in accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of the Marriage Ordinance, 1902 :—

The Right Reverend John Reginald Weller	Lord Bishop of the Falkland Islands.
The Reverend Gerald K. Lowe	Senior Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral.
The Reverend Mario Luis Migone	Priest in Charge of St. Mary's Church.
The Reverend Hugh Drumm	Assistant Priest, St. Mary's Church.
Pastor Walter Forrest McWhan	Minister of the Non-Conformist Church.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 20/28.

No. 3. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th January, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 65 of the 21st May, 1935, His Excellency the Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following revised list of Justices of the Peace of the Colony and its Dependencies at this date.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 30/28.

Name.	Place of Residence.	Date of Appointment.
EAST FALKLAND.		
Hon. M. C. Craigie-Halkett, O.B.E.	Stanley.	9th Nov., 1909.
Hon. G. Roberts.	"	26th Nov., 1930.
Hon. A. R. Hoare, M.B.E.	"	15th June, 1928.
Hon. G. J. Felton.	Teal Inlet.	22nd June, 1911.
Hon. L. W. H. Young.	Stanley.	7th June, 1929.
Hon. N. K. Cameron.	Port San Carlos.	6th May, 1935.
J. E. Hamilton, Esq.,	Stanley.	14th Nov., 1919.
G. Bonner Esq., O.B.E.	San Carlos.	1st May, 1902.
F. G. Langdon, Esq.	Fitzroy.	22nd June, 1911.
J. Robertson, Esq.	Stanley.	22nd June, 1911.
G. M. Goddard, Esq.	Darwin.	25th Feb., 1932.
J. R. Robson, Esq.	Port Louis.	14th Nov., 1934.
J. D. Creamer, Esq.	Stanley.	6th May, 1935.
A. Newing, Esq.	"	6th May, 1935.
J. W. Grierson, Esq.	"	6th May, 1935.
R. Greenshields, Esq.	Douglas.	27th Nov., 1936.
WEST FALKLAND.		
Hon. W. H. Luxton.	Chartres.	1st Jan., 1913.
M. Robson, Esq.	Fox Bay West.	12th Aug., 1920.
R. C. Pole-Evans, Esq.	Port Howard.	22nd June, 1921.
A. G. Barton, Esq.	Pebble Island.	15th July, 1931.
W. H Clement, Esq.	Fox Bay East.	26th Sept., 1934.
H. C. Harding, Esq.	Hill Cove.	27th Nov., 1936.
C. H. Robertson, Esq.	Port Stephens.	27th Nov., 1936.
DEPENDENCIES.		
W. Barlas, Esq.	South Georgia.	20th April, 1918.

No. 4. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th January, 1937.

Under the provisions of Section 3 of the Stanley Rating Ordinance, 1928, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint :—

The Honourable the Treasurer,
The Director of Public Works,
The Honourable V. A. H. Biggs,
Mr. J. W. Grierson, J.P.,
Mr. W. Sedgwick,

to be Members of the Board of Assessors for the year 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 597/29.

No. 5. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
6th January, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. A. I. FLEURET,

to be Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk of Councils with effect from the 1st of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/19.

No. 6. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th January, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 61 of the 21st July, 1936, it is hereby notified for general information, that

MR. A. MERCER,

Senior Operator, Wireless Telegraph Station, acted as Chief Electrician, Electrical Department, from the 18th July, 1936, to 31st December, 1936, inclusive.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/118.

No. 7. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Mr. A. MERCER.

to be Supervisor, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, with effect from the 1st January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/118.

No. 8. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. T. M. BIGGS,

to be Junior Electrician, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, with effect from the 1st January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/116.

No. 9. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
9th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HONOURABLE GEORGE ROBERTS, J.P.,

Director of Public Works, to be also Harbour Master, Registrar of Shipping, Receiver of Wrecks, etc., with effect from the 1st of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/58.

No. 10. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th January, 1937.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance, No. 5 of 1894, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, President, } *Ex-officio members.*
The Honourable the the Colonial Secretary, }
The Director of Public Works,
The Agricultural Adviser,
Mr. G. Brechin,
Mr. W. McAtasney,
Mrs. J. W. Grierson,

to be members of the Board of Health for the East Falkland Island for the year 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 600/29.

No. 11. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th January, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 26 of the 28th of February, 1936, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm the appointment of

MR. HAROLD BENNETT,

as Mail Officer, with effect from the 1st of March, 1936.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/150.

No. 12. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has approved the Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, for the year 1937.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 161/36.

No. 13. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th January, 1937.

The following list containing the names and qualifications of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists, registered to practice in the Colony and the Dependencies is published in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance, 1914.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 21/28.

A. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE COLONY AND DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
Medical Practitioners		
Cheverton, Reginald Leslie	M.R.C.S. (Eng.) L.R.C.P. (Lond.) M.R. San. I.	1927.
Henderson, John Banks	M.B., Ch.B. (Glas.)	1928.
Cowan, David Kellock	L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.) L.D.S., R.C.S. (Edin.)	1931.
Gray, Norman	M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.)	1934.
Midwives.		
Hill, Mary Eleanor	Certified Midwife	1930.
Reive, Gertrude Ellen	Certified Midwife	1934.
Henricksen, Agnes	Certified Midwife	1929.

B. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE DEPENDENCIES.

Medical Practitioners		
Will, Peder	Diploma of University of Christiania.	1902.
Sverdrup, Harald Ulrik	do.	1917.
Longva, Bernt Peder Berntsen	do.	1925.
Refsum, Erling	University of Norway.	1927.
Augensen, Kaare	Doctor of Medicine, Fredrick's University of Oslo, Norway.	1920.
Shand, Peter Kenneth	M.B., Ch.B., (Edin.)	1928.
Horne, Falk	Doctor of Medicine, Fredrick's University of Oslo, Norway.	1931.
Baltzern, Rolf	do.	1933.
Vold, Haakon Ingier	do.	1932.

No. 14. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
14th January, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following warnings have been issued by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom :—

"Information has recently reached His Majesty's Government which indicates that attempts are being made in this country to recruit persons for service with forces of one

or other of the contending parties in Spain.

His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom desires to call attention to the fact that the provisions of the Foreign Enlistments Act, 1870, and in particular Sections 4 and 5 are applicable in the case of the present conflict in Spain. It is accordingly an offence for any British subject to accept or agree to accept any commission or engagement in the Military, Naval or Air Services of either party to present conflict or for any person within the United Kingdom to induce any other person to accept or agree to accept any such commission or engagement. It is also an offence for any British subject to leave or attempt to leave the United Kingdom with the intention of accepting commissions or engagements and for any person in the United Kingdom to induce any other person to do so.

Any person contravening these provisions is liable on conviction to imprisonment up to 2 years or to fine or to both fine and imprisonment."

Attention is drawn to the fact that the Foreign Enlistments Act, 1870, extends to all Colonies and to British subjects everywhere.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 9/37.

No. 15. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that

GEORGE BONNER, ESQ., O.B.E., J.P.,

has been selected to represent the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies at the forthcoming Coronation of His Majesty King George the VI, and that

MAJOR THE HONOURABLE M. J. STEWART, Officer Commanding the Falkland Islands Defence Force, and

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER D. W. O'SULLIVAN,

have been selected to represent the Falkland Islands Defence Force in the Military Contingent from the Colonial Empire, which will be included in the Royal Procession on the occasion of the Coronation.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. C/18/36.

No. 16. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th January, 1937.

Under Section 7 of the King Edward Hospital Ordinance, 1916, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to be the Visiting Committee for the Hospital for the year 1937 :–

MR. A. NEWING, J.P. *(Chairman).*
MR. A. P. HARDY.
MRS C. HENRICKSEN.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 596/29.

No. 17. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
26th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR STUART MARSHALL

to be Inspector of Stock in the Falkland Islands, with effect from the 21st of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/196.

No. 18. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
26th January, 1937.

THE VACCINATION ORDINANCE, 1868.

With reference to Government Notice No. 106 of the 29th of October, 1935, the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Excellency has been pleased, under the provisions of Section 1 of the Vaccination Ordinance, No. 1 of 1868, to appoint

J. B. HENDERSON, ESQUIRE, M.B., Ch.B.,

to be a Public Vaccinator for the East Falkland Island and adjacent islands other than Lafonia, Darwin, Fitzroy, Port San Carlos and San Carlos, and adjacent islands including Bleaker and Lively Islands.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 474/28.

No. 19. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
26th January, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice, No. 66 of the 31st of August, 1936, it is hereby notified, for general information, that

H. G. EDMUNDS, ESQUIRE, M.S.A.,

Medical Officer, has been granted an extension of his leave from the Falkland Islands with full salary from the 13th of December, 1936, to the 9th of February, 1937, inclusive.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/141.

No. 20. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that

MONSIEUR INAYETULLAH CEMAL OZKAYA

has been appointed Consul-General of Turkey in London with jurisdiction in the Colonies, Protectorates, and Mandated Territories the Mandate for which is exercised by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 18/37.

No. 21. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. HORACE LESLIE BOUND

to be a Clerk in the Treasury and Customs Department, on probation for a period of six months, with effect from the 1st of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/197.

No. 22. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th January, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. TERENCE BIGGS

to be a Clerk in the Public Works Department, on probation for a period of six months, with effect from the 1st of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/194.

AGRICULTURAL NOTICE.

Agricultural Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th January, 1937.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 14 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the following additional ear-mark has been approved and registered for sheep on Port San Carlos Station:

"Back Bit" in addition to the "Saw" already in use.

D. S. A. WEIR,
Agricultural Adviser.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of Meeting held on the 4th January, 1937.

1. The Minutes of the meeting held on the 6th of November, 1936, were confirmed.

2. On the motion of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable the Treasurer, the Bill "To provide for the disposal of the Royal Research Ship "Discovery", was read a *first* time.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2 were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

The Council adjourned *sine die.*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, ESQUIRE, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

[L.S.]

His Excellency HERBERT HENNIKER-HEATON, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies to* MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, *Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony. Greeting.*

H. HENNIKER-HEATON,
Governor.

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom and bearing date the 19th day of September, 1914, it is provided that in the event of the Governor of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government, or to leave the Colony for the purpose of visiting any Dependency thereof, he may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, appoint any person to be his deputy during such temporary absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such temporary absence, but no longer, all such powers and authorities by the said Letters Patent or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited, but no others ;

AND WHEREAS, I shall have occasion to leave Stanley on or about the 8th of January, 1937, for the purpose of visiting the Dependency of South Georgia.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, HERBERT HENNIKER-HEATON, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Colonial Secretary of the said Colony, to be my deputy within the said Colony during my temporary absence from Stanley as aforesaid and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for me and on my behalf during such temporary absence, all such powers and authorities by the above recited Letters Patent or otherwise vested in me, but subject always to the provisions of the said Letters Patent and to such instructions as you shall receive from me from time to time for your guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony this eighth day of January, 1937.

By His Excellency's Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

Jury List for the year 1937.

The following list of the persons liable under the provisions of the Jury Ordinance, 1901 to serve as Jurors for the year 1937 is published in accordance with the fourth section of the Ordinance.

M. J. STEWART,
Police Magistrate.

1. McAskill, John
2. Stewart, Gordon
3. Etheridge, Arthur
4. Rutter, Arthur
5. Harvey, Arthur J.
6. Goodwin, Bert.
7. Porter, Charles
8. Pearson, Robert
9. Paice, George
10. McKay, Gideon
11. McLeod, Donald
12. Ferguson, Donald
13. Honeyman, D.
14. Binnie Jas (Jr)
15. McKay, George
16. Turner, L. McI.
17. Hodgson, L. F.
18. Short, Fredk. G.
19. Dickson, Chas.
20. Kevill, William
21. Butler, George
22. Hunter, Robt. Jas.
23. Binnie, William
24. Goodwin, John K.
25. McKay, Donald
26. Summers, Stanley F.
27. Scott, George
28. Carey, Raymond F.
29. Jones, Chris. F.
30. Dixon, P. S.
31. Hardy, Chas. M.
32. McRae, Farquhar W.D.
33. Lang, John S.
34. Goodwin, Rupert
35. Sornsen, Andrew A.
36. White, William M.
37. Clement, Jas. T.
38. Jones, Albert H.
39. Duncan, David H.
40. Enestrom, Edgar W.
41. Halliday, Andrew J.
42. Berntsen, Lars M.
43. McRae, Duncan
44. McMillan, William
45. Middleton, Stewart
46. Kiddle, Albert
47. Gilruth, Thos
48. Rumbolds, R.
49. Parrin, M.
50. Perry, J. J.
51. Clifton, Thos.
52. Goodwin, V. S.
53. Curran, John
54. Sprules, Gilbert E.
55. Jennings, Clifford W.
56. Lee, Henry J.
57. Miller, D. H.
58. Courtnay, Ray S.
59. Paice, William N.
60. Perry, Chris.
61. Stewart, Alex.
62. Skilling, Thos.
63. Lang, W. A.
64. Goodwin, James
65. Anderson, Wm. J. S.
66. Davis, Benjamin
67. Hall, Arthur W.
68. McAskill, Donald W.
69. Llamosa, Arthur Jas.
70. Pettersson, E.
71. Parring, Francis G.
72. Lee, Edwin T.
73. Johnson, Fred. W.
74. Smith, John C.
75. Lee, Alfred F.
76. Peck, A. F.
77. Simpson, A. S.
78. Skilling, A. G.
79. Llamosa, G. A.
80. Hall, G. F.
81. Kiddle, W. E.
82. Nilsson, W.
83. Lansdowne, K. V. B.
84. Cletheroe, A.
85. McGill, M.
86. Luxton, Keith
87. Dickson, John
88. Morrison, Donald E.
89. Shannon, Sidney
90. Lellman, K. V.
91. Cusack, Ernest R.
92. Lee, William H.
93. Davis, Arthur H.
94. Llamosa, Wm. J.
95. Simpson, F. F.
96. Goodwin, Ernest
97. Watson, Thos. D.
98. Blakely, Adam K.
99. Alazia, Albert F.
100. Browning, John
101. Earle, Arthur
102. Hooley, Jack C.
103. Bennett, Stanley
104. Larsen, Richard
105. Oliver, Charles
106. Nilsson, W. A.
107. Sarney, H.
108. Middleton, Jas. S.
109. Pitaluga, Arthur
110. Betts, Alan S.
111. Anderson, Alfred
112. Biggs, Horace W.
113. Halliday, J. H.
114. Parrin, W.
115. Newing Walter
116. Craig, Peter
117. Hardy, P. L.
118. Lee, F. F. J.
119. Anderson, Richard G.
120. Johnson, Peter
121. Newman, Wilfred L.
122. Ford, Chas. W.
123. Hollen, Frank
124. Cletheroe, Cyril J.
125. Morrison, Stewart
126. McGill, Donald
127. McLeod, George
128. Cheek, Fred J.
129. McKenzie, William
130. Larsen, Richard
131. Middleton, James
132. Coutts, Peter
133. Hollen, Henry D.
134. Biggs, T. M. V.
135. Betts, Keith C.
136. Rogers, Donald W. J.
137. Watson, F. G. F.
138. Jaffray, A.
139. Skilling, Chas. J.
140. Roberts, W. E.
141. McDermid, M.
142. Robson, Geo. (Jr.)
143. Luxton, Markham
144. Lyse, Sidney R.
145. Summers, E. L. G.
146. Middleton, James
147. Coutts, John
148. McMillan, Ian
149. Hollen, James J.
150. Sornsen, Ellis L.
151. Anderson, Samuel A.
152. Butler, Jos. T. J.
153. Browning, Frederick
154. McGill, Geoff. S.
155. Noble, Arthur
156. McRae, Donald Alex
157. Biggs, Albert E.
158. Biggs, Edward D.
159. Short, George H.
160. Kiddle, Peter
161. Yates, Alex.
162. Robson, James
163. Halkett, Cecil M.
164. Lang, Frank
165. Davis, Benjamin C.
166. Rowlands, Jas. G.
167. Reive, Andrew (Jr.)
168. Lyse, Charles W.
169. Goss, Sidney
170. Hall, Albert H.
171. Blyth, Fredk J. K.
172. Perry, Jas. J.
173. Harrison, George
174. King, Alf. B.
175. Biggs, Edward John
176. Peck, Percy P.
177. Biggs, Leslie E.
178. Robson, George (Sr)
179. Newman, Henry
180. Hall, J.
181. Hewitt, James
182. Biggs, Alfred
183. Lanning, George
184. Halliday, W. J.
185. McAtasney, E. J.
186. Hills, A. H.
187. Robson, R. L.
188. Reive, L. L.
189. Flowers, W. R.
190. Bundes, R. J. C.
191. Lindenberg, K. N. J.
192. Halliday, S. S.
193. Burridge, Walter
194. Hawkins, Chris.
195. Jennings, Charles
196. McCarthy, Michael
197. Elliott, Birt
198. McLeod, Murdo
199. Burns, William
200. Summers, William
201. Heathman, Stanley
202. Newman, Silas
203. Duncan, Peter R.
204. Watson, James
205. Anderson, Samuel
206. Paulini, H. Wm.
207. Short, John G. A.
208. Clifton, William
209. Morrison, Rodrk. (Sr)
210. Middleton, Lindsay
211. McLeod, Donald
212. Phillips, Albert J.
213. Roberts, Edgar
214. Cartmell, William J.
215. McPherson, John
216. Jaffray, William
217. Summers, Wm. E.
218. Campbell, Hugh
219. Curran, Joseph
220. Curran, Henry
221. Betts, Henry C.
222. Smith, Frank
223. Middleton, David D.
224. McCarthy, Charles
225. Watson, Jas. H.
226. McLeod, Donald
227. Gleadell, Sidney M.
228. Pedersen, J. H. S.
229. Morrison, Finlay
230. Stewart, S. A.
231. Middleton, David
232. Bain, Alex
233. Finlayson, Roderick
234. Kiddle, Sydney B.
235. Hollen, Thomas
236. Biggs, John F.

Jury List continued :—

237. Berntsen, Alex
238. Britton, William F.
239. Berntsen, Jas. L.
240. McMullen, John D.
241. McKay, James R.
242. Alazia, George James
243. Smith, David R.
244. Kiddle, Donald J.
245. King, Cecil F.
246. Biggs, M. W.
247. May, Archie G. A.
248. Ashley, Edward L.
249. McCarthy, William
250. McLeod, Roderick
251. Morrison, Donald F.
252. Cartmell, Robert
253. Jaffray, John S.
254. Campbell, William
255. Stewart, James H.
256. Shedden, Alex. A.
257. Hirtle, Wallace
258. Alazia, John
259. Berntsen, Stanley G.
260. Henrickson, Albert
261. Harvey, William
262. McKay, Richard
263. Phillips, Jesse
264. McLeod, Archibald
265. Middleton, James
266. Smith, John F.
267. Morrison, Murdo
268. Jones, Richard
269. Paulini, Ralph
270. Stacey, David C.
271. Nicholson, Leslie H.
272. Lellman, Edward F.
273. Ratcliffe, John
274. McMullen, William
275. Shorey, William
276. Shackel, Alex.
277. McLeod, John
278. Morrison, Wm.
279. Peck, Bert H.
280. Hannaford, R. H.
281. Evans, M. E.
282. Grierson, W. J.
283. Cartmell, Henry G.
284. Sornsen, G. A.
285. Goodwin James
286. McKenzie, Alex. (Jr)
287. Summers, Alex. W.
288. Anderson, Jas. A.
289. McKay, James J.
290. Summers, Albert
291. Biggs, Hubert
292. Redmond, William
293. Barnes, Richard
294. Morrison, Wm. A.
295. Anderson, Peter
296. McGill, Wm. (Snr)
297. Johnson, Victor
298. Hookings, Alfred
299. Bradfield, Chas. H.
300. Morrison, Roderick J.
301. Reive, Peter
302. Goodwin, William
303. Short, Richard F.
304. Smith, Jas. H.
305. Kiddle, Stephen H.
306. Robson, Walter C.
307. Bonner, J. F.
308. Betts, Charles
309. Anderson, Ludwic R.
310. Stewart, David G.
311. Alazia, Arthur J.
312. Perry, Charles
313. Barnes, Arthur J.(Jr.)
314. Reive, John
315. Pitaluga, Alex
316. Watson, Andrew
317. Fleuret Clovis
318. McKay, John
319. Ashley, John R.
320. May, Fredk. C.
321. Reive, George
322. Bender, Chris. P. W.
323. Osborne, G. H.
324. Coutts, Alex.
325. Lellman, F. F.
326. Peck, Victor H.
327. Campbell, Thos. W.
328. Berntsen Alex. J.
329. Kelway, George
330. Evans, John D. C.
331. Roberts, Harry
332. Perry, George
333. Osborne, George (Sr)
334. Smith Andrew C.
335. Allan, Chas. G.
336. Creece, Martin G.
337. Hardy, Herbert H.
338. Henrickson, Martin
339. Biggs, Eric G. J.
340. Kirk, William J.
341. Miller, Thomas K,
342. Bound, R. Nap.
343. Paice, E. R. B.
344. Lellman, Victor J.
345. Turner, John
346. Jones, Ivor Hugh
347. Parrin, N. G.
348. McLaren, Reuben
349. Blyth, Alfred John
350. Finlayson, Alex. Jas.
351. Buckley, Philip E.
352. Andreason, S. V. Y.
353. Kelway, Edward G.
354. Robson, Edward
355. Smith, Percy S.
356. Aldridge, Harold J.
357. Weir, D. S. A.
358. Berntsen, Ed. F.
359. Anderson, Henry J.
360. Summers, E. N.
361. Bundes, Jeff.
362. Lees, David
363. Pearson, George
364. McGill, John
365. Runacres, Alec. P.
366. Summers, E. V.
367. Aldridge, Stephen
368. Kiddle, Fred.
369. Watts, Jas.
370. Kirk, John Albert
371. Biggs, Carl P.
372. Halliday, John J.
373. Wilkins, Geo.
374. Stewart, W. H.
375. Cletheroe, Stanley
376. Summers, Walter J.
377. Jennings, F. G. J.
378. Peck, Jas P.
379. Miller, John
380. Bennett, George A.
381. Lee, Thomas F.
382. Robson, Tom
383. Porter, Arthur
384. Hardy, A. P.
385. Thompson, George
386. Westall, Fred
387. Braxton, T. N.
388. Hutchinson, Robt.
389. Mercer, John
390. Wilson, Edward
391. Gleadell, Jas R.
392. Campbell, John M.
393. Thomson, John McD.
394. Myles, W. B.
395. Dettleff, Hansen
396. Kenny, Norman D.
397. O'Sullivan, D. W.
398. McCullum, Allan A.
399. Gleadell, Frank E.
400. Summers, Sidney R.
401. Barnes, John S.
402. Aldridge, Ernest J.
403. Hirtle, J. R.
404. Hills, William
405. Slade, Harry
406. Buse, F.
407. Halliday, George
408. Hutchinson, W. J.
409. Peck Betts, James
410. Biggs, Wm. Jas
411. Ryan, Jos. C.
412. Campbell, Ray
413. Kiddle, Alb. S.
414. Davis Fred. S.
415. Coleman, Fred. A.
416. Waghorn, Harry
417. Gleadell, W. G.
418. Benney, Wm. G.
419. Skilling, John O.
420. Browning, Wm. C.
421. Allan, W. J.
422. White, James
423. Rowlands, Jas. H.
424. White, J. W.
425. Biggs, Des. V. A.
426. Luxton, Stan. C.
427. Sedgwick, A.
428. Newing, George
429. Berntsen, Nat.
430. Allan, Hector
431. Catten, Wm. Jas
432. Mills, Thomas
433. Browning, Henry
434. Peck, Andrew
435. Sedgwick, Bertram
436. Bonner, Fred
437. Jones, Sidney J.
438. Atkins, Stanley P.
439. Skilling, Chas. R.
440. Cletheroe, Leslie
441. Atkins, Richard
442. Clifton, Albert
443. Clark, James
444. McGill, K.
445. Lindenberg, J. E. T.
446. Brechin, Gregor
447. McLeod, Donald J.
448. Gleadell, E. J.
449. Grant, Reg. L.
450. Duffin, Harry
451. Betts, A. J.
452. Aldridge, Sidney G.
453. McPhee, Kenneth J.
454. Davis, W. J.
455. Simpson, Geo H.
456. Williams, John D.
457. Bonner, Samuel
458. Steel, Alex J.
459. Cletheroe, John R.
460. Hansen, Fred H.
461. Clarke, Jas.
462. Hennah, T. H. H.
463. Osborne, John
464. Peck, Desmond P.
465. O'Sullivan, Fairport
466. Buse, Ralph
467. Paice, C. J. B.
468. Davis, John
469. Thompson, Harry
470. Paice, Nat. T.
471. Biggs, Bernard C.
472. Browning, Jos.
473. Bonner, Henry J.
474. May, Alfred M. W.
475. Clarke, John H. A.
476. Gleadell, Ernest C.
477. Goss, James
478. Browning, Jas S.
479. Sornsen, C. Ed.
480. Henrickson, C. W.
481. Smith, William
482. Biggs, Herbert P.
483. Felton, A. A.
484. Dixon, E. V.
485. White, Frank
486. Biggs, Arthur S. L.
487. Bowles, W. J.
488. Walsh, David
489. Sedgwick, H. H.
490. Blyth, John
491. Walker, T. P.
492. Aldridge, L. W.
493. Dettleff, Henry
494. Hansen, Rupert
495. Goss, J. N.
496. Lellman, Albert F. F.
497. Reive, William J.
498. Lyse, Markham O.
499. Skilling, Fred.
500. Hansen, Jason
501. Rowe, E. G.
502. McCarthy, M. Jnr.
503. Reive, George
504. Aiken, John
505. McKay, Thomas
506. McLeod, Lachlan
507. Sedgwick, L. A.
508. Hardy, Thomas
509. Adair, Wm.
510. Bonner, Richard L.
511. Dettleff, Ernest A.
512. Watson, D. R.
513. Betts, C. S.
514. Etheridge, Alex S.
515. Biggs, Alex M.
516. Stewart, William
517. Paulini, George L.
518. Skilling Percival
519. Barnes, Fred W.
520. Bonner, Andreas
521. Clifton, James
522. Grant, Louis
523. Barnes, Sylvester
524. Kelway, Fred A.

Jury List continued :—

525. Challen, Gordon L.
526. Ryan, John S.
527. Rowlands, Conrad
528. McPhee, Alex
529. Dettleff, Thomas O.
530. Biggs, Martin W. H.
531. Meirhoffer, George
532. Mercer, Alex.
533. Bowles, G. E.
534. Watson, Wm. H. C.
535. Smith, Jas A.
536. Faria, Joseph
537. McLaren, Geo M.
538. Bonner, Albert
539. Reive, Robert (Jr)
540. Kirk, W. E.
541. Boyer, Alex
542. Crawford, Ed. S.
543. Lellman, F. T.
544. Aldridge, W. T.
545. Gleadell, Bertram
546. Jones, John F. C.
547. McAtasney, William
548. Goodwin, George
549. Reive, Thomas
550. Sedgwick, Wm. H.
551. King, Fred H.
552. Summers, Aubrey V.
553. Lehen, Dennis
554. Anderson, Louis
555. Johnson, Howard W.
556. Harris, W. C. H. G.
557. McKinnon, Colin
558. Barnes, Frank
559. Smith, Jas.
560. Bradbury, Cecil
561. Hansen, George
562. Hicks, Tom
563. Fullbrooke, Stanley
564. Porter, Howard
565. Clifton, Jos. E.
566. Anderson, Charles
567. Morrison, Donald J.
568. Ratcliffe, Howard
569. Allan, Frederick
570. Ratcliffe, Jas.
571. Lee, Jas. W. T.
572. Ferguson, John
573. Clifton, Chas
574. Lyse, John D.
575. Perry, W. J.
576. Short, George Chas.
577. Duncan, Howard E.
578. Thomas, Henry G.
579. Anderson, Thos.
580. Halliday, Guy P.
581. Johnson, Eric Thos.
582. Pitaluga, Jas. A.
583. Anderson, John
584. May, Horace
585. Johnson, S. H.
586. Goodwin, David
587. Dettleff, Jas.
588. Gleadell, Charles
589. Binnie, Nesbit
590. Nunn, Henry
591. Blyth, Jas.
592. Petterssen, A. R. A.
593. Watts, John
594. Smith, Geo. D.
595. Lanning, Arthur
596. Goodwin, John
597. McKay, J. D.
598. Ratcliffe, Albert
599. Lee, Phillip R.
600. Jennings, Henry G.
601. Summers, Vere F.
602. Williams, Ralph M.
603. Lyse, Ernest Louis
604. Betts, William D. N.
605. Hooley, T. V.
606. Betts, F. C.
607. Yates, Robert
608. Newman, St. Joseph
609. Summers, Alfred D.
610. Hills, G. N.
611. Napier, Herbert M.
612. Halliday, J. A. L.
613. McKay, David
614. Sibley, William G.
615. Goodwin, Thos. Jas.
616. Miller, Sidney
617. Watts Jas.
618. Poole, Charles
619. Ashley, Alfred G.
620. Lehen, Maurice
621. Hardy, Fred J.
622. Carey, Chas. W.
623. Hanson, Herbert S.
624. Morrison, Norman
625. Blyth, Alex. L.
626. Petterssen, John S. P.
627. Watts, Walter
628. Harries, John J.
629. Wallin, Richard
630. Cletheroe, Alb. R.
631. Martin, Geo. A.
632. Clarke, Richard J.

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Government Notice.

No. 27.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th February, 1937.

DEPARTURE FROM THE COLONY OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency Sir Herbert Henniker Heaton, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, left the Colony this day for Chile on leave of absence.

By Command,
A. I. Fleuret,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/168.

No. 1. Proclamation. 1937.

IN THE NAME of His Majesty GEORGE VI., by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, &c., &c., &c.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.

[L.S.]

By His Excellency MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, ESQUIRE, *Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Acting Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies &c., &c., &c.*

WHEREAS by the fourteenth clause of the Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 25th February, 1892, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, it is provided that "whenever the office of Governor is vacant, or if the Governor "become incapable or be absent from the Colony, Our Lieutenant Governor of the Colony, or "if there be no such Officer therein, then such person or persons as we may appoint under "Our Sign Manual and Signet, and in default of any such appointment the Senior Member "for the time being of the Executive Council of the Colony, shall, during Our pleasure, "administer the Government of the Colony, first taking the Oaths hereinbefore directed to be "taken by the Governor and in the manner herein prescribed; which being done, We do hereby "authorize, empower, and command Our Lieutenant Governor or any other such Administrator "as aforesaid to do and execute during Our pleasure all things that belong to the office of "Governor and Commander-in-Chief, according to the tenour of these Our Letters Patent, "and according to Our Instructions as aforesaid, and the Laws of the Colony".

AND WHEREAS His Excellency SIR HERBERT HENNIKER HEATON, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, has this day left the Colony for Chile on leave of absence;

AND WHEREAS there is no such officer as Lieutenant Governor in this Colony and no person has been appointed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to administer the Government of this Colony in the absence of the Governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonial Secretary of the Falkland Islands, the Senior Member of the Executive Council aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that, in pursuance of the said clause of the said Royal Letters Patent and having taken the oaths prescribed by law, I have this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Colony and its Dependencies.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 7th day of February, in the Year of our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. I. FLEURET,

for Colonial Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 23. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st February, 1937.

The King has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointment of

His Excellency
Herbert Henniker Heaton, Esquire,

Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, to be Knight Commander of the said Most Distinguished Order.

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/128.

No. 24. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
3rd February, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor has accepted the resignation of Mr. J. W. Grierson, J.P., as Superintendent of the Stanley Volunteer Fire Brigade, with effect from the 31st of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 519/26.

No. 25. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
3rd February, 1937.

Under the provisions of Section 2 of Ordinance No. 3 of 1898, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Mr. G. L. Challen

to be Superintendent of the Stanley Volunteer Fire Brigade, with effect from the 1st of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 519/26.

No. 26. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th February, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following grant of leave to

Miss M. E. Hill,

Nurse Matron, King Edward VII. Memorial Hospital.

Vacation Leave. Four and a half months, inclusive of the time taken on the voyage to the United Kingdom, with effect from the 2nd of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/160.

No. 28. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th February, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE KINNEARD, ESQUIRE,
M.D., (Man.), M.C.P.S., (Man.),

to be Senior Medical Officer, Falkland Islands, with effect from the 20th of January, 1937.

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET.
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/192.

No. 29. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th February, 1937.

GOVERNMENT QUARANTINE STATION.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following scale of charges has been approved for attendance on or feeding of animals kept in quarantine by order of the Agricultural Adviser :–

Cattle, horses, sheep, asses, pigs, and goats – any number up to 50	...	2s/- per day.
For every additional 50 or part thereof	...	1s/- per day.
Dogs, for one only	...	2s/6d per week.
For each additional dog		1s/- per week.

The importer is required to pay for fodder, sheep dip, medicines, etc., in addition to the above charges, which are merely nominal. The wages of extra staff required for the care of stock, if necessary, over and above one permanent officer of the Agricultural Department, will also be a charge on the importer.

Government Notice No. 35 of the 9th of May, 1934, is hereby cancelled.

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 99/34.

No. 30. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th February, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MISS GERTRUDE ELLEN REIVE

Nuring Sister, to be Nurse-Matron of the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital with effect from the 2nd of February, 1937.

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/112.

No. 31. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th February, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

MR. H. E. SLADE,

Electrician, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 18th of July, 1936, to the 28th of January, 1937, both dates inclusive.

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. L/79.

No. 32. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th February, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :—

Ordinance No. 7 of 1936, entitled "An Ordinance to govern the control and management of the Savings Bank".

Ordinance No 13 of 1936, entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924".

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P's. 241/35. & D/8/35.

No. 33. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th February, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MISS CAROLINA THOMPSON

to be Nursing Sister in the Falkland Islands with effect from the 17th of February, 1937.

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/195.

No. 34. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th February, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HENRY ROLAND STILL, ESQUIRE,
L.D.S., R.C.S., (Eng.),

to be Dental Surgeon, with effect from the 17th of February, 1937.

By Command,
A. I. FLEURET,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/193.

Leave and Passage Regulations.

Leave and Passage Regulations framed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies in respect of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

Application of Regulations.

1. These Regulations shall apply to the following Officers serving in the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies (hereinafter called "the Colony") :—

(i) Officers on the permanent establishment who are not domiciled in the Colony.

(ii) Officers on the permanent establishment who are domiciled in the Colony and have not less than six years resident service.

Definitions.

2. In these Regulations :—

The term "free passage" means a passage between the Colony and the United Kingdom provided by and at the expense of the Government.

The term "Government" means the Government of the Colony.

The term "minimum tour" means a tour of twenty-four months in the case of Class A officers and thirty-six months in the case of Class B officers.

The term "officer" means an officer to whom these Regulations for the time being apply.

The term "Class A officer" means an officer substantively holding any of the posts named in Schedule A of these Regulations.

The term "Class B officer" means an officer substantively holding any post not named in Schedule A of these Regulations.

The term "tour" means a period during which an officer resides in the Colony, counting from the date of disembarkation or arrival until the date of embarkation or departure, and includes any period of local leave even if spent outside the Colony.

The term "vacation leave" means leave with full salary following a tour, at the rate of five days in respect of each completed month of resident service in the case of Class A officers and four days in respect of each completed month of resident service in the case of Class B officers.

Leave granted by the Governor.

3. Unless otherwise stated in these Regulations, leave is granted by the Governor at his discretion.

Service qualifying for leave.

4. Except as provided in Regulation 6 an officer shall not be granted vacation leave until he has completed a minimum tour and shall not ordinarily be called upon to serve a tour exceeding thirty-six months in the case of Class A officers and forty-eight months in the case of Class B officers. Within this limit the length of a tour shall be at the discretion of the Governor in each case, provided that the Governor may as an exceptional measure direct

that a Class A officer or a Class B officer should serve a longer tour than thirty-six months or forty-eight months respectively, if necessary in the public interest.

Vacation leave on conclusion of tour.

5. On the conclusion of a tour of service as determined in accordance with Regulation 4, an officer shall ordinarily be granted vacation leave.

Vacation leave before completion of minimum tour.

6. An officer may be granted vacation leave before completing a minimum tour :—

(a) on medical grounds;

(b) on the ground of urgent private affairs;

(c) on the ground of public interest;

(d) prior to retirement, subject, if the officer is retiring at his own request, to the approval of the Secretary of State.

Extensions of Leave.

7. (i) Extensions of leave with full salary may be granted on the ground of ill health to any officer for any period not exceeding six calendar months, and when there is reason to believe that the officer will ultimately be fit for further service, for a further period with half salary not exceeding six calendar months.

(ii) An officer who is required to undertake, or who undertakes with the approval of the Governor, any duty or course of study while on vacation leave may be granted such extension of leave, if any, with full salary as is necessary to enable him to complete the duty or course, and to enjoy an aggregate period of leave (exclusive of the period occupied by the voyages between the Colony and the United Kingdom) clear of duty or study equal to half the period of vacation leave granted to him.

(iii) Extensions of leave may also be granted to officers on the ground of public interest. Unless otherwise directed, such extensions will be granted with full salary.

(iv) Extensions of leave granted on any grounds other than those mentioned above in this Regulation will be without salary.

(v) Extensions of leave will date from the expiration of the original leave and not from the date on which the officer would have had to embark if his leave had not been extended.

(vi) Extensions of leave under this Regulation may be granted by the Secretary of State.

Leave for voyage.

8. (i) An officer who is granted leave under the foregoing Regulation will be granted, in addition, leave with full pay for the period of his voyage between the Colony and the United Kingdom, subject to a maximum period of twenty-eight days, if the officer does not proceed by a route which is approved as a normal route.

(ii) An officer who is granted leave under the foregoing Regulations and who proceeds to some country other than the United Kingdom will ordinarily be granted, in addition, leave for the period of the journeys to and from the country to which he proceeds, or for twenty-eight days whichever is the less.

New tour started after leave.

9. An officer who is granted vacation leave will begin a new tour on his return to the Colony.

Officer's passages.

10. An officer whose initial emoluments are not less than £200 per annum or an officer whose initial emoluments are less than £200 per annum but who is not domiciled in the Colony will be provided with free passages; all other officers whose initial emoluments are less than £200 per annum and who are not provided for

above will be eligible to receive half the cost of such passages, or if they prefer it to receive free passages on their return journey, by a route approved as a normal route, on every occasion on which they are granted leave, except (a) when proceeding on leave on urgent private affairs or other special grounds before having completed a minimum tour, or on returning from such leave, and (b) on leaving the Colony prior to retirement at their own request before having completed a minimum tour.

Wife's passage.

11. Subject to the exceptions in Regulation 10, a free passage by a route approved as a normal route will be provided by the Government for the wife of an officer and two children under the age of 18, (subject to a maximum of 2 full passages), who accompany him to, or join him in, the Colony with the permission (if required) of the Government, once in each direction in respect of each tour.

Normal routes.

12. The routes approved as normal routes for the purposes of these Regulations between the Colony and the United Kingdom are as follows :–

(a) Stanley – Montevideo – United Kingdom.
(b) Stanley – United Kingdom.

Abnormal routes.

13. If an officer or the wife of an officer, who is eligible for a free passage under Regulations 10 and 11, is permitted to travel by a route which has not been approved as a normal route, he (or she) will be granted reasonable travelling expenses (*i.e.*, cost of steamer, air, or rail passages, but not incidental expenses) provided that in the absence of special circumstances the cost to the Government shall not exceed the cost which would have been incurred had he (or she) proceeded by an approved normal route. A similar principle will be followed in the case of a person who is eligible for an allowance under Regulation 15 or 16.

Grade of accomodation.

14. The grades of accommodation approved for officers travelling by the normal routes between the Colony and the United Kingdom are as follows :–

(a) Officers whose initial salaries are not less than £600 per annum, 1st Class by the Falkland Islands Company's vessel and Highland vessel of the Royal Mail Line.

Provided that officers who have enjoyed the privilege of a first class passage under the former regulations shall not be affected by the above sub-section.

(b) Officers whose initial salaries are not less than

£400	1st Class by Falkland Islands Company's vessel and 2nd Class by "A" vessel of the Royal Mail Line.
£200	1st Class by Falkland Islands Company's vessel and Intermediate Class by Highland vessel of the Royal Mail Line.
All Others	Intermediate by Falkland Islands Company's vessel and Highland vessel of the Royal Mail Line.

Provided that officers who have hitherto been entitled to and have taken advantage of the provision of a better class of accommodation by the Falkland Islands Company's vessel than that permissible under these regulations will retain the same privileges as in the past.

Passages in respect of leave on urgent private affairs.

15. (a) An officer who is granted leave on urgent private affairs or other special grounds before completing a minimum tour of service may be granted an allowance towards the cost of his passage

from the Colony to the United Kingdom bearing the same proportion to half the cost of a return passage by an approved normal route and grade as the number of months of resident service which he has completed during his last tour bears to a minimum tour, and a similar allowance in respect of his wife and children if they accompany or follow him.

(b) On returning from such leave a similar allowance will be payable in respect of his own passage and in respect of his wife's and children's passages if she or they accompany him or join him in the Colony in the course of his next tour.

Passages on voluntary retirement before completing minimum tour.

16. An allowance as provided in Regulation 15 (a) may be granted in respect of passages for himself and his wife and children from the Colony to an officer who is retiring at his own request and is granted vacation leave under Regulation 6 (d).

Leave spent elsewhere than in the United Kingdom.

17. (i) If an officer is granted vacation leave to be spent elsewhere than in the United Kingdom, the particular arrangements to be made in his case with regard to the period of leave allowed in respect of voyages, and the passage allowance in respect of himself and his wife and children, shall be determined by the Governor: subject, except as provided below, to the expense incurred by the Colony not exceeding that which would have been incurred if the officer had proceeded to the United Kingdom.

(ii) If the officer's home is in the country to which he is permitted to proceed on leave, the arrangements will be made with due consideration of the desirability of his being enabled to reach his home without undue expense and to spend a reasonable time there.

Local leave.

18. An officer may at the discretion of the Governor and without prejudice to ordinary vacation leave be granted local leave on full salary for a period not exceeding twenty-one days during and in respect of each two years resident service. Such leave may be spent at any place away from Headquarters in the Colony or in South America, but may not follow or be followed immediately by ordinary vacation leave.

Leave not a right.

19. Nothing in these Regulations shall give any officer a right to any leave, passage, or other privileges.

Power to vary regulations.

20. The Secretary of State may at any time revoke, alter, add to, or amend these Regulations.

Date of operation.

21. These Regulations shall have effect as from the 1st of January, 1937.

Repeal of consolidated Leave and Passage Regulations. 1929.

22. The consolidated Leave and Passage Regulations of 1929, and all amendments thereto are hereby repealed.

SCHEDULE 'A'.

Schedule.

Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Treasurer.
Senior Medical Officer.
Medical Officers.
Dental Surgeon.
Superintendent of Education.
Director of Public Works.
Magistrate, South Georgia.
Clerk to Magistrate, South Georgia.
Customs Officer, South Georgia.
Wireless Operator, 1st Class, South Georgia.
One Operator, 2nd Class, South Georgia.
Constable, South Georgia.

Stanley Volunteer Fire Brigade.

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Statement of Income and Expenditure.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.		
1936.		1936.		
1st January Balance	£510 : 14 : 0	1st January to 31st December :		
31st December :		Salaries :–		
Contributions from Insurance Companies	161 : 15 : 9	Superintendent		£ 25 : 0 : 0
Bank Interest	14 : 4 : 9	Assistant Superintendent		12 : 0 : 0
		Secretary & Treasurer		12 : 0 : 0
		Caretaker & Engineer		24 : 0 : 0
		Colonial Government P.W.D. Materials		3 : 0 : 0
		Sundry payments		3 : 9 : 5
		Balances :–		
		Bank	£605 : 16 : 4	
		Cash	1 : 8 : 9	
				607 : 5 : 1
	£686 : 14 : 6			£686 : 14 : 6

Examined,

A. R. HOARE,
Local Auditor.
19th January, 1937.

V. A. H. BIGGS,
Secretary & Treasurer.
18th January, 1937.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 1 of 1937.

I ASSENT,
H. HENNIKER-HEATON,
Governor.
7th January, 1937.

An Ordinance

To provide for the disposal of the Royal Research Ship "Discovery".

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 "Discovery" Ordinance, 1937.

Disposal of Royal Research Ship "Discovery"

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor to dispose of the Royal Research Ship known as the "Discovery" and belonging to His Majesty represented by the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands either by deed of gift or by bill of sale for a nominal consideration to any person or body of persons inside or outside the Colony.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 4th day of January, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 7th day of January, 1937.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

Report on the Government Savings Bank for the year ended 30th September, 1936.

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Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th January, 1937.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 12 of the Savings Bank Ordinance, 1936, I have the honour to submit the following report on the transactions of the Government Savings Bank in respect of the period 1st October, 1935, to 30th September. 1936.

Summary of Transactions.

(Enclosure 1.)

2. During the year there were 998 deposits as against 513 withdrawals. The average monthly deposits amounted to £4,828 : 16 : 9 as against average monthly withdrawals of £2,226 : 3 : 10.

3. During the year 76 new accounts were opened and 53 accounts were closed, leaving 1049 deposit accounts at the end of the year. The average amount standing to the credit of each depositor on the 30th September, 1936, was £253 : 18 : 1, or about £109 per head of the population. A monthly summary of the transactions of the bank is appended hereto.

4. The accrued interest credited to the various accounts during the year amounted to £6,217 : 13 : 3. The deposits during the year, with accrued interest (£64,163 : 14 : 8) was more than the total of withdrawals (£26,714 : 6 : 10) by a sum of £37,449 : 7 : 10., leaving a balance to the credit of depositors on the 30th September, 1936, of £266,345 : 14 : 3.

5. On the 1st October, 1935, the amount standing to the credit of depositors was	£228,896 : 6 : 5.
Deposits received during the year amounted to ...	57,946 : 1 : 5.
The accrued interest credited to the depositors ...	6,217 : 13 : 3.
	£293,060 : 1 : 1.
The withdrawals amounted to	26,714 : 6 : 10.
Leaving a balance due to depositors on the 30th September, 1936, of	£266,345 : 14 : 3.

6. The total sum expended by the Crown Agents under Section 11 (i) of the Ordinance, in the purchase of approved securities of a face value of £205,121 : 4 : 11 amounted to £198,230 : 7 : 9. During the year the income derived from the securities held amounted to £8,294 : 17 : 6, of which amount a sum of £6,217 : 13 : 3 was transferred to depositors' accounts in respect of accrued interest for the year ended 30th September, 1936, leaving a balance of £2,077 : 4 : 3. In addition to the securities held there was a sum of £2,500 deposited in the Joint Colonial Fund.

7. Appended hereto is a statement shewing the nominal value, cost and market value of the securities held by the Crown Agents on behalf of the Savings Bank Fund. (Enclosure 2).

Assets and Liabilities.

(Enclosure 3.)

8. The Government of the Falkland Islands is liable for the payment in cash of the total amount standing to the credit of the various depositors in the Government Savings Bank, which on the 30th September, 1936, amounted to £266,345 : 14 : 3. The total cash and market value of the securities held by this Government on that date amounted to £304,049 : 12 : 9, which was more than the liability by a sum of £37,703 : 18 : 6 as shewn by the attached statement of assets and liabilities.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

M. J. Stewart,
Colonial Treasurer.

ENCLOSURE 1.

SAVINGS BANK, 1935-36.

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Monthly Summary of Transactions for the Year ended 30th September, 1936.

Date.	Deposits.			Withdrawals.			Difference.			TOTAL.			Interest.			Accounts Opened.	Accounts Closed.	No. of Deposits.	No. of Withdrawals.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Balance ...										228,896	6	5							
1935.																			
October ...	25,651	9	10	805	7	5	+ 24,846	2	5	253,742	8	10				3	1	56	40
November ...	1,905	16	10	5,772	1	8	— 3,866	4	10	249,876	4	0				8	9	64	48
December ...	2,812	6	10	1,374	0	0	+ 1,438	6	10	251,314	10	10				4	4	85	45
1936.																			
January ...	6,149	3	1	1,372	8	8	+ 4,776	14	5	256,091	5	3		9	3	5	2	67	34
February ...	3,387	2	0	2,877	1	6	+ 510	0	6	256,602	1	10		6	10	8	2	59	58
March ...	2,048	8	8	1,008	5	4	+ 1,040	3	4	257,644	1	10	1	16	8	1	6	100	30
April ...	2,062	14	5	3,211	0	5	— 1,148	6	0	256,498	6	3	2	10	5	1	7	68	49
May ...	916	13	8	1,367	17	4	— 451	3	8	256,048	14	5	1	11	10	4	3	47	36
June ...	3,050	2	11	1,118	0	9	+ 1,932	2	2	257,983	0	10	2	4	3	9	5	89	43
July ...	1,181	1	3	3,475	3	10	— 2,294	2	7	255,710	4	2	21	5	11	11	3	82	56
August ...	3,446	6	7	3,249	14	9	+ 196	11	10	255,920	13	5	13	17	5	6	3	75	37
September ...	5,334	15	4	1,083	5	2	+ 4,251	10	2	266,345	14	3	6,173	10	8	16	8	206	37
£	57,946	1	5	26,714	6	10	+ 31,231	14	7				6,217	13	3	76	53	998	513

ENCLOSURE 2.

INVESTMENTS.

SAVINGS BANK FUND.

30th September, 1936.

Name of Stock.		%	Face Value of Stock.			Cost of Stock.			Market Value on 30th September, 1936.			
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
British Guiana	1949/69. ...	5	14000	0	0	13847	18	0	118	16520	0	0
Cape of G. Hope	1916/36. ...	4	1488	4	7	1452	1	7	100	1488	4	7
Ceylon	1939/59. ...	4	3329	19	0	1821	1	3	102	3396	11	0
,,	1940. ...	3	1972	5	2	1999	7	6	103	2031	8	6
,,	1960/70. ...	5	2000	0	0	1980	0	0	124	2480	0	0
,,	1965. ...	4½	5000	0	0	4750	0	0	120	6000	0	0
,,	1959/64. ...	3	2295	15	11	2313	17	9	100	2295	15	11
C. of Australia	1948/53. ...	3¾	5175	5	10	5408	10	7	104	5382	6	1
,, ,,	1939/41. ...	3	5000	0	0	5078	3	6	101	5050	0	0
,, ,,	1955/58. ...	3	11136	16	7	10468	15	2	95	10579	19	9
Canada	1930/50. ...	3½	13032	2	8	13257	5	0	103	13423	2	0
Gold Coast	1939/59. ...	4	5347	5	6	5000	0	0	104	5561	3	4
,, ,,	1956. ...	4½	1149	0	9	1090	13	5	118	1355	17	3
,, ,,	1960/70. ...	4½	1896	4	11	2128	18	2	118	2237	11	5
,, ,,	1945/70. ...	6	568	18	5	634	3	5	121	688	7	11
India	1948 o/a ...	3	3913	17	8	2446	18	9	87½	3424	13	0
,,	1942/47. ...	5	12500	0	0	12081	9	4	115½	14437	10	0
Kenya	1948/58. ...	5	1898	7	1	1893	15	10	117	2221	1	6
,,	1961/71. ...	4½	2000	0	0	1970	0	0	118	2360	0	0
,,	1957/67. ...	3½	5000	0	0	4925	0	0	107	5350	0	0
Mauritius	1937. ...	4	1100	0	0	1310	15	8	102	1122	0	0
Nigeria	1963. ...	4	6712	6	11	5849	13	9	114	7652	1	6
,,	1955. ...	3	19264	13	10	18573	4	9	102	19649	19	9
,,	1950/60. ...	5	11000	0	0	10890	0	0	119	13090	0	0
,,	1949/79. ...	6	857	4	8	970	12	7	130½	1118	13	10
New Zealand	1947. ...	4½	1045	0	0	1132	14	3	108½	1133	16	6
,, ,,	1952/55. ...	3	6044	16	10	5901	8	7	98	5923	18	11
,, ,,	1955/60. ...	3½	355	16	4	336	13	0	105	373	12	2
,, ,,	1949. ...	5	10631	11	5	10542	10	9	115	12226	6	2
,, ,,	1940. ...	3½	4750	5	4	4768	9	3	103	4892	15	6
Queensland	1922/47. ...	3	446	0	7	344	13	9	100	446	0	7
Northern Rhodesia	1950/70. ...	5	5235	11	1	4999	19	1	120	6282	13	4
Straits Setts.	1937/67. ...	3½	17862	15	11	17413	3	11	102	18220	1	0
,, ,,	1936/51. ...	6	321	7	9	255	0	6	102	327	16	3
Uganda	1951/71. ...	5	10000	0	0	9600	0	0	120	12000	0	0
U. of S. Africa	1953/73. ...	3½	4029	14	1	3912	14	4	108	4352	1	7
War Loan	1952 o/a ...	3½	4213	9	1	4330	6	11	107¼	4518	18	7
Wembley U.D.C.	1951. ...	3	2546	7	0	2550	7	5	100	2546	7	0
			205121	4	11	198230	7	9		222160	14	11
Joint Colonial Fund	...		2500	0	0	2500	0	0		2500	0	0
	Total ...		207621	4	11	200730	7	9		224660	14	11

ENCLOSURE 3.

GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities on the 30th September, 1936.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Depositors	266,345	14	3	Cash Balance	79,388	17	10
				Market Value of Investments :—			
Surplus of Assets over Liabilities	37,703	18	6	(Savings Bank Fund)	£224,660	14	11
	£304,049	12	9		£304,049	12	9

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
18th January, 1937.

Vital Statistics for the Falkland Islands for the year ended 31st December, 1936.

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Births.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Stanley	21	15	36
Darwin & East Falkland	4	3	7
West Falkland	1	1	2
	26	19	45

The number of births registered in the previous year was 50.

Deaths.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Stanley	8	7	15
Darwin & East Falkland	2	—	2
West Falkland	2	2	4
	12	9	21

The number of deaths registered in the previous year was 19.

Marriages.

	Anglican.	Roman Catholic.	Non-conformist.	Registrar.	Total.
Stanley	3	6	10	4	23
Darwin & East Falkland	—	—	—	—	—
West Falkland ...	—	—	—	3	3
	3	6	10	7	26

The number of marriages performed in the previous year was 22.

Arrivals in the Colony.

The number of arrivals in the Colony during the year was 58 males and 38 females or a total of 96 against 47 males and 35 females or a total of 82 in the preceding year.

Departures from the Colony.

The number of departures from the Colony during the year was 92 males and 61 females or a total of 153 as against 73 males and 45 females or a total of 118 in the preceding year.

General.

The estimated population of the Falkland Islands on the 1st of January, 1936, was 1,349 males and 1,083 females or a total population of 2,432.

The population on the 31st December, 1936, was 2399, as shewn below :—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population on the 31st December, 1935 ...	1349	1083	2432
Add arrivals during year	58	38	96
	1407	1121	2528
Deduct departures during year	92	61	153
	1315	1060	2375
Add births during year	26	19	45
	1341	1079	2420
Deduct deaths during year	12	9	21
Totals ...	1329	1070	2399

Birth rate per 1,000 ...	...	18.8
Death rate per 1,000 ...	...	8.79
Population per square mile	...	.52

Dependencies.

Marriages registered during year	...	nil.
Births registered during year	...	nil.
Deaths registered during year	...	1.

The resident population at South Georgia during the year was estimated at 690.

M. J. Stewart,
Registrar General.

Stanley, 29th January, 1937.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 35. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following grants of leave to officials in the service of this Government:-

THE HONOURABLE G. ROBERTS, J.P.,

Director of Public Works.

Vacation Leave. 150 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction, with effect from the 28th of February, 1937.

M.P. L/58.

MR. S. ATKINS,

W/T. Operator, 2nd Class,

Vacation Leave. 150 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction, with effect from the 20th of February, 1937.

M.P. L/98.

MR. G. G. T. ROBERTS,

Clerk, Grade III, Public Works Department,

Vacation Leave. 120 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction, with effect from the 28th of February, 1937.

M.P. L/119.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 36. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st March, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 72 of the 22nd of September, 1936, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the period determined for Daylight Saving during the current summer will expire at midnight on Saturday the 3rd of April, 1937, when Stanley time will revert to the local mean.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 492/27.

No. 37. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
27th February, 1937.

With reference to Proclamation No. 1 of 1937, it is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency Sir Herbert Henniker Heaton, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, returned from local leave and resumed the Administration of the Government on the 27th of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/168.

No. 38. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th March, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm the appointment of

MR. BERTIE FLEURET,

as Common Ranger, Agricultural Department, with effect from the 23rd of September, 1935.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/200.

No. 39. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Majesty the King's Birthday will be celebrated this year on Wednesday the 9th of June, 1937, and that the Public Offices will accordingly be closed on that day.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 41/37.

No. 40. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under the provisions of Section 13 of the Trespass Ordinance, 1904, to appoint

MR. JOHN D. MCKAY

to be a Pound Keeper in Stanley during the absence of Mr. B. Fleuret, with effect from the 15th of March, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 38/37.

No. 41. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. WILLIAM CHARLES RUMBOLDS,

Customs Officer, South Georgia, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Dependency of South Georgia, with effect from the 12th of March, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/26.

No. 42. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinances of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :—

Ordinance No. 12 of 1936, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the service of the year, 1937". M.P. 161/36.

Ordinance No 14 of 1936, entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Import Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1929, 1931 and 1933". M.P. 252/36.

Ordinance No. 1 of 1937, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the disposal of the Royal Research Ship "Discovery". M.P. 40/23.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 43. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Majesty has approved that the order and form of Loyal Toasts to be used in future shall be as follows :

(1) The King
(2) The Queen, Queen Mary and the other Members of the Royal Family.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 46/37.

No. 44. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
25th March, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. WILLIAM CHARLES RUMBOLDS, J.P.,

Customs Officer, to be Officer-in-Charge, South Georgia, with effect from the 21st of March, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/26.

AGRICULTURAL NOTICES.

Agricultural Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th March, 1937.

CLEAN CERTIFICATE.

I do hereby certify that the sheep on Port San Carlos Station belonging to the Estate W. K. Cameron, an order to clean which sheep was issued on the 29th day of August, 1934, are at the date hereof not infected sheep, and that the Station is released from Quarantine.

D. S. A. WEIR,
Agricultural Adviser.

Agricultural Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th March. 1937.

CLEAN CERTIFICATE.

I do hereby certify that the sheep on Horse Shoe Bay Farm belonging to Douglas Station Co., Ltd., an order to clean which sheep was issued on the 17th day of October, 1935 are at the date hereof not infected sheep, and that the said Farm is released from Quarantine.

D. S. A. WEIR,
Agricultural Adviser.

PROBATE NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Richard Francis Short, Senr., of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Richard Francis Short, Jnr., eldest son of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
23rd March, 1937.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Mary Anderson, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Lawrence Adrian Sedgwick, Attorney for Samuel Allan Anderson, Executor of the Will of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving a Will dated 31st October, 1927.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
23rd March, 1937.

Financial Report for the Year 1936.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
17th March, 1937.

To the Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following Report on the financial transactions of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies for and in respect of the year ended 31st of December, 1936.

The Falkland Islands.

2. The year's account summarised is as follows:-

Excess of Assets over Liabilities on the 1st January, 1936 ...		£296,904 : 5 : 10.
Revenue, 1936 :		
Total Ordinary Revenue	£57,943 : 18 : 3.	
Land Sales	6,561 : 7 : 3.	
		£64,505 : 5 : 6.
		£361,409 : 11 : 4.
Expenditure, 1936 :		
Ordinary Expenditure	£41,114 : 10 : 1.	
Extraordinary Expenditure	10,587 : 14 : 3.	
	51,702 : 4 : 4.	
Land Sales	1,362 : 18 : 8.	
		£ 53,065 : 3 : 0.
Excess of Assets over Liabilities on the 31st December, 1936 ...		£308,344 : 8 : 4.
Net results of year's working – Increase of Assets		£ 11,440 : 2 : 6.

3. The excess of Assets over Liabilities on 31st December, 1936, amounting to £308,344 : 8 : 4, are the highest figures yet recorded, and indeed, it is cause for gratification to have reached such figures during a period when the benefits of the release from the general depression had not yet reached the Colony, and the prices realized on our export of wool during the year under report were far from satisfactory.

4. Attached hereto is the Abstract of Falkland Islands and Dependencies Expenditure for the year 1936. Comparative Statements of Revenue and Expenditure for the year 1936 have already been furnished. Other financial statements called for under Colonial Regulations Nos. 323 and 354 are submitted herewith.

5. The following table shows the trend of the Colony's Revenue and Expenditure during the past five years :—

	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.
Revenue :	£	£	£	£	£
Ordinary (Recurrent)	50,566	57,021	55,275	49,633	57,944
Other Sources	44,260	8,659	47,425	180	6,561
Total ...	94,826	65,680	102,700	49,813	64,505
Expenditure :					
Ordinary (Recurrent)	38,711	37,156	37,519	44,829	41,114
Extraordinary expenditure	16,087	15,179	16,944	13,211	10,588
Reserve Fund	—	—	—	—	—
Land Sales Fund	130	657	31,903	110	1,363
Depreciation of Investments ...	—	—	—	1766	—
Total ...	54,928	52,992	86,366	59,916	53,065
Surplus - Revenue over Expenditure ...	39,898	12,688	16,334	—	11,440
Deficit - Expenditure over Revenue ...	—	—	—	10,103	—
Assets over Liabilities at the close of the year ...	277,985	290,673	307,007	296,904	308,344

6. The Ordinary Revenue amounted to £57,943 : 18 : 3 or more than the Estimate by £6,654 : 18 : 3, arrived at as follows :—

Over the Estimate :

Head V.	Interest	£ 450 : 15 : 8.	
VI.	Post Office	3,394 : 3 : 10.	
VII.	Telegraph & Telephones	685 : 18 : 6.	
X.	Contribution from Dependencies	5,169 : 8 : 5.	
			£ 9,700 : 6 : 5.

Under the Estimate :

Head I.	Customs Duties	£1,527 : 11 : 3.	
II.	Port Dues	23 : 6 : 0.	
III.	Internal Revenue	9 : 0 : 11.	
IV.	Fees, Fines	773 : 9 : 0.	
VIII.	Rents	71 : 12 : 0.	
IX.	Miscellaneous	640 : 9 : 0.	
			£3,045 : 8 : 2.
	Nett Excess ...		£6,654 : 18 : 3.

7. The following comments are submitted on the items which are "over" or "under" the Estimate :—

V. Interest. The nett increase under Interest was £450 : 15 : 8. The interest receipts from the Joint Colonial Fund exceeded the estimate by £847, and this excess is attributable to the increase of cash held in the Fund on behalf of the Savings Bank. Interest from the Land Sales Fund, Note Security Fund and Reserve Fund were respectively £219, £78 and £94 less than the estimate, and these decreases were due to the various conversions of stock made throughout the year.

VI. Post Office. The nett increase under this Head is £3,394 : 3 : 10, and is due entirely to the fortuitous revenue derived from the sale of stamps to philatelists, as this item alone exceeded the estimate by £3,455.

VII. Telegraph & Telephones. The excess of £685 : 18 : 6, is due to the increased traffic in Wireless Messages.

X. Contribution from Dependencies. The excess of £5,169 : 8 : 5., over the estimate is the amount of the arrears of Contribution of former years paid in 1936.

I. Customs Duties. The shortfall in the revenue derived from Customs Duties of £1,527 : 11 : 3, is entirely due to the late arrival of the new vessel "Lafonia", and an amount in excess of the shortfall was received in January, 1937.

IV. Fees, Fines &c. The decrease in the receipts for Fees, Fines &c., is due to various causes, in particular, the Supreme Court Revenue, which is chiefly estate duty, and over which there is no control, was £300 less than the estimate. Hospital and Medical Receipts were less than the estimate by £558, but a contribution of £200 due in 1936 was paid in 1937.

IX. Miscellaneous. Under Miscellaneous the revenue from the Savings Bank was less than the estimate by £2,231, due in the main to the increase of £16,000 in the amounts due to depositors, which in turn required a sum of £1,600 to bring the value of the securities held for depositors up to 110% of the deposits. It will be seen, therefore, that this sum of £1,600, together with the sum of £847 referred to under Interest, accounts for the shortfall of £2,231 under Savings Bank Revenue. During the year, the Note Issue was increased by £2,000 with a result that, after providing 110% security for the Note Security Fund, there was no surplus available for this Revenue, which was estimated at £350. Profit on Sale and Transfer of Investments realized £1,859 : 9 : 7, and the Marine Insurance Fund Investments appreciated to the extent of £46 : 5 : 9.

Expenditure.

8. The Ordinary Expenditure (£41,114 : 10 : 1) which was only £2 in excess of the estimate of Ordinary Expenditure, together with the Extraordinary Expenditure (£10,587 : 14 : 3), exceeded the Estimate by £450 : 4 : 4, arrived at as follows :—

Excesses :

Head III.	Colonial Secretary	£ 17 : 19 : 3.	
V.	Audit	2 : 0 : 0.	
IX.	Harbour	222 : 5 : 3.	
XIII.	Education	121 : 16 : 4.	
XV.	Naturalist	78 : 15 : 5.	
XVII.	Stock	199 : 1 : 11.	
XVIII.	Miscellaneous	680 : 10 : 9.	
XXI.	Public Works Extraordinary	447 : 14 : 3.	
			£1,770 : 3 : 2.

Savings :

Head I.	Pensions	77 : 16 : 2.	
II.	Governor	43 : 0 : 10.	
IV.	Treasury	67 : 14 : 10.	
VI.	Post Office	88 : 12 : 2.	
VII.	Wireless	58 : 9 : 11.	
VIII.	Electrical	190 : 16 : 0.	
X.	Legal	40 : 0 : 0.	
XI.	Police & Prisons	40 : 12 : 4.	
XII.	Medical	444 : 1 : 2.	
XIX.	Public Works	41 : 3 : 10.	
XX.	Public Works Recurrent ...	227 : 11 : 7.	
			£1,319 : 18 : 10.
		Nett excess ...	£ 450 : 4 : 4.

9. During the year it was found necessary to introduce utility works for the purpose of providing employment. The works which were carried out consisted of a new Quarantine Station, £1,109, Improvement to the Stanley Common, £316, and Improvement of Tracks to

the Camps, £360. There was no provision in the estimates for these works, but savings were found in other directions which went towards the expenditure involved. The principle saving was that of £950 provided for the building of a magazine, the work on which was not undertaken. The over-expenditure of £222 under Harbour Department is attributable to the cost of surveying the Stanley Harbour. Of the other excesses of expenditure that under Education, £122, was due to the appointment of a Second Assistant Master and the inauguration of a Domestic Science Centre, and the excess under Stock Department, £199, was the result of the purchase of grass seeds for the improvement of grasslands. Under Miscellaneous, the charges for telegrams exceeded the estimate by £102, £379 was the additional amount spent on Passages, due to a new appointment and repatriation, while the vote for Charitable Relief was exceeded by £220.

Land Sales Fund.

10. On the 31st December, 1936 the fund amounted to £246,398 : 3 : 11, transactions during the year being shewn below:—

Balance, 1st January, 1936	£241,199 : 15 : 4.
Receipts: (land purchases)	6,561 : 7 : 3.
	£247,761 : 2 : 7.
Payments:	
Improvements to Land	1,362 : 18 : 8.
Balance, 31st December, 1936	£246,398 : 3 : 11.

Farm Improvement & Building Loans.

11. On the 1st January 1936, the balance outstanding was £5,352 : 13 : 4. During the year, further loans were made amounting to £1,550, and repayments totalled £1,057 : 16 : 8 leaving a balance at the close of the year of £5,844 : 16 : 8. Interest received and credited to Revenue amounted to £212 : 11 : 10.

Falkland Islands Reserve Fund.

12. The amount of the Falkland Islands Reserve Fund, which reached a figure of £34,000 at the 31st December, 1934, remained unchanged.

Investments.

13. In conformity with the provisions of C.O.R. 275 the Colony's Investments were revalued at the current middle market price in London at the close of the year. The market values are shewn in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities submitted with this report.

14. The investments held on behalf of the following Funds were written up by the amounts shewn:- Note Security Fund, £41 : 10 : 1, Savings Bank Fund £957 : 1 : 4, Research & Development Fund, £1,671 : 8 : 2, and Marine Insurance Fund, £46 : 5 : 9. The investments held on behalf of the following Funds were written down by the amounts shewn:- Land Sales Fund £50 : 5 : 7, Reserve Fund £52 : 13 : 3 and "Discovery" Pension Fund £181 : 10 : 5. Profit on Sale and Transfer of Investments was credited to Revenue as follows :– Land Sales Fund £1,753 : 13 : 3 and Reserve Fund £135 : 16 : 4, while the amount of £222 : 16 : 4, in respect of profit on realization of "Discovery" Pension Fund Investments was credited to Research Fund.

Note Security Fund.

15. In conformity with the provision of the Falkland Islands Currency Notes Ordinance, 1930, a statement of transactions for the year 1936 will be submitted separately.

Government Savings Bank.

16. A copy of the report on the transactions of the Government Savings Bank for the year ended 30th September, 1936, is included with the financial statements submitted, as is also a statement of transactions for the period 1st January to 31st December, 1936.

17. The balance of the Savings Bank Fund on the 31st December, 1936, was £294,076 : 10 : 4, made up as follows:—

Amount due to depositors	£267,342 : 5 : 9.
Plus 10% of the above amount ...	26,734 : 4 : 7.
	£294,076 : 10 : 4.

The Dependencies.

18. The Ordinary Revenue for the Dependencies amounted to £24,344 : 3 : 1. It was more than the estimate by £9,694 : 3 : 1, and more than the revenue for 1935 by £11,726 15 : 8. The principal items contributing to this increase were:- Export Duty on whale and Seal oil, which produced £3,256 : 0 : 6 over the estimate, Export Duty on Guano, which realized £833 : 17 : 10 more than the estimate, and an excess Revenue of £300 in respect of Whaling Licences. A sum of £5,169 : 8 : 5 was transferred from the Research Fund and credited to the Revenue of the Dependencies, to provide for the payment of arrears of Contribution due to the Central Administration.

19. The Expenditure for the year amounted to £19,850 : 17 : 1 or £4,758 : 17 : 1 more than the estimate. The excess is entirely due to the payment to the Central Administration, of arrears of Contribution. The excess of Revenue over Expenditure amounting to £4,493 : 6 : 0 was transferred to the Research Fund at the end of the year.

Dependencies Research & Development Fund.

20. The balance of the Fund on the 31st December, 1936, was £291,907 : 9 : 3. transactions during the year being as shewn:—

Balance, 1st January, 1936 ...	£326,209 : 4 : 7.	
Receipts :		
Interest on Investments	12,764 : 13 : 5.	
Discovery Committee	5,500 : 0 : 0.	
Transferred from Dependencies Revenue	4,493 : 6 : 0.	
Appreciation of Investments ...	1,671 : 8 : 2.	
Discovery Pension Fund :		
Profit on sale of Stock	222 : 16 : 1.	
		£350,861 : 8 : 3.
Payments :		
Discovery Committee	£51,900 : 0 : 0.	
Fisheries Adviser	1,500 : 0 : 0.	
Mr. Borley's Superannuation Fund	200 : 0 : 0.	
Depreciation of Investments (D.P.F.)	181 : 10 : 5.	
Transferred to Dependencies Revenue	5,169 : 8 : 5.	
Sundry Expenses	3 : 0 : 2.	
		£58,953 : 19 : 0.
Balance, 31st December, 1936		£291,907 : 9 : 3.

"Discovery Pension Fund."

21. The balance standing to the credit of the Fund on 1st January, 1936, was	£6,108 : 4 : 4.
Receipts during the year :—	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	547 : 7 : 1.
	6,655 : 11 : 6.
Payment to Dr. S. W. Kemp	4,257 : 13 : 8.
Balance, 31st December, 1936 ...	£2,397 : 17 : 10.

The resources of the Fund at the close of the year were:—

Investments	...	£2,397 : 17 : 10. (cost price).
do.	...	£2,470 : 4 : 6. (market value).

22. The year closed with a very marked all-round improvement, reflected in a considerable reduction in the number of unemployed. Wool prices are now more favourable for farmers and the outlook for 1937 is distinctly encouraging.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

ABSTRACT OF FALKLAND ISLANDS EXPENDITURE, 1936.

HEAD.	APPROVED ESTIMATE, 1936.			EXPENDITURE FOR 1936.		
	Personal	Other Charges.	Total.	Personal	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
I. Pensions	1710	—	1710	1632 3 10	.....	1632 3 10
II. The Governor ...	2200	411	2611	2160 0 0	407 19 2	2567 19 2
III. Colonial Secretary ...	2371	170	2541	2368 4 8	190 14 7	2558 19 3
IV. Treasury & Customs	1429	141	1570	1418 16 8	83 8 6	1502 5 2
V. Audit	125	9	134	125 0 0	11 0 0	136 0 0
VI. Post Office	590	1505	2095	582 3 1	1424 4 9	2006 7 10
VII. Wireless Telegraphs	990	400	1390	990 0 0	341 10 1	1331 10 1
VIII. Electrical	1026	970	1996	949 6 8	855 17 4	1805 4 0
IX. Harbour	540	280	820	243 17 5	798 7 10	1042 5 3
X. Legal	65	30	95	53 1 3	1 18 9	55 0 0
XI. Police & Prisons ...	913	80	993	910 5 0	42 2 8	952 7 8
XII. Medical	4050	1525	5575	3685 8 5	1445 10 5	5130 18 10
XIII. Education	2059	566	2625	2108 6 5	638 9 11	2746 16 4
XIV. Ecclesiastical ...	14	275	289	14 0 0	275 0 0	289 0 0
XV. Naturalist	50	5	55	129 11 1	4 4 4	133 15 5
XVI. Military	350	800	1150	325 0 0	825 0 0	1150 0 0
XVII. Stock Department ...	450	92	542	335 0 0	406 1 11	741 1 11
XVIII. Miscellaneous ...	—	5951	5951	.....	6631 10 9	6631 10 9
XIX. Public Works	2940	665	3605	2932 2 10	631 13 4	3563 16 2
XX. Public Works Recurrent ...	—	5365	5365	.....	5137 8 5	5137 8 5
Total Ordinary Expenditure...	21872	19240	41112	20962 7 4	20152 2 9	41114 10 1
XXI. Public Works Extraordinary ...	—	10140	10140	.....	10587 14 3	10587 14 3
Total Falklands ...	21872	29380	51252	20962 7 4	30739 17 0	51702 4 4
		DEPENDENCIES.				
I. Ordinary Expenditure ...	2148	12944	15092	2034 10 7	17816 6 6	19850 17 1
Total Dependencies ...	2148	12944	15092	2034 10 7	17816 6 6	19850 17 1

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual

the Falkland Islands for the

REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.	Estimated 1936.			Amount received to 31st Dec., 1936.			Receipts for same period, 1935.			More than estimated, 1936.			Less than estimated, 1936.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance on 1st Jan., 1936	.....			1479	4	6	.....			.....			.....		
1. Customs Duties ...	14025	0	0	12497	8	9	14359	9	6	.....			1527	11	3
2. Port Dues	170	0	0	146	14	0	136	19	6	.....			23	6	0
3. Internal Revenue ...	1300	0	0	1290	19	1	1298	3	4	.....			9	0	11
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	2622	0	0	1848	11	0	2830	14	9	.....			773	9	0
5. Interest	14600	0	0	15050	15	8	14077	2	1	450	15	8	.....		
6. Post Office	1475	0	0	4869	3	10	5449	4	9	3394	3	10	.....		
7. Telegraphs & Telephones ...	2350	0	0	3035	18	6	2783	17	7	685	18	6	.....		
8. Rents	1223	0	0	1151	8	0	1138	2	5	.....			71	12	0
9. Miscellaneous	5524	0	0	4883	11	0	2463	3	3	.....			640	9	0
10. Contribution from Dependencies ...	8000	0	0	13169	8	5	5096	1	2	5169	8	5	.....		
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands £	51289	0	0	57943	18	3	49632	18	4	9700	6	5	3045	8	2
Land Sales Fund	6552	0	0	6561	7	3	180	8	0	9	7	3	.....		
Total ... £	57841	0	0	64505	5	6	49813	6	4	9709	13	8	3045	8	2

Dependencies Revenue	24344	3	1
Research Fund	24652	3	8
"Discovery" Pension Fund	547	7	2
Unallocated Store Account	6906	3	1
Investments Realized	156054	13	2
Farm & Building Loans	1057	16	8
Advances Repaid	3000	17	7
Deposits Received	78267	15	1
Remittances Received	54869	17	6
Educational Loans	225	0	0
Investments Adjustment Account	5113	0	3
Total ... £	419544	2	9
Balance brought down 1st January, 1936 ... £	1479	4	6
Total ... £	421023	7	3

Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1936.

Land Sales Fund	£241199	15	4
Other Surplus	55704	16	6
	£296904	5	10

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1936 :—

Colonial Treasury	£ 440	11	1	
Crown Agents	789	0	8	
South Georgia	249	12	9	
				£1479 4 6.

Examined,

A. R. HOARE.

Local Auditor.

M.P. 172/31.

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for Year ended 31st December, 1936.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	Estimated, 1936.			Amount paid to 31st Dec., 1936.			Payments for same period 1935.			More than estimated, 1936.			Less than estimated, 1936.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Pensions	1710	0	0	1632	3	10	1628	18	0	.....			77	16	2
2. The Governor	2611	0	0	2567	19	2	2474	9	11	.....			43	0	10
3. Colonial Secretary ...	2541	0	0	2558	19	3	2484	10	4	17	19	3	.....		
4. Treasury & Customs ...	1570	0	0	1502	5	2	1138	12	6	.....			67	14	10
5. Audit	134	0	0	136	0	0	130	10	0	2	0	0	.....		
6. Post Office	2095	0	0	2006	7	10	2168	2	8	.....			88	12	2
7. Wireless Telegraphs ...	1390	0	0	1331	10	1	1431	11	1	.....			58	9	11
8. Electrical	1996	0	0	1805	4	0	1929	14	10	.....			190	16	0
9. Harbour	820	0	0	1042	5	3	829	19	11	222	5	3	.....		
10. Legal	95	0	0	55	0	0	53	7	3	.....			40	0	0
11. Police & Prisons ...	993	0	0	952	7	8	994	6	2	.....			40	12	4
12. Medical	5575	0	0	5130	18	10	5225	1	5	.....			444	1	2
13. Education	2625	0	0	2746	16	4	2877	8	0	121	16	4	.....		
14. Ecclesiastical	289	0	0	289	0	0	289	0	0	.....			.....		
15. Naturalist	55	0	0	133	15	5	51	15	4	78	15	5	.....		
16. Military	1150	0	0	1150	0	0	908	17	1	.....			.....		
17. Stock Department ...	542	0	0	741	1	11	414	4	7	199	1	11	.....		
18. Miscellaneous	5951	0	0	6631	10	9	10804	18	5	680	10	9	.....		
19. Public Works Department	3605	0	0	3563	16	2	3591	17	8	.....			41	3	10
20. Public Works Recurrent	5365	0	0	5137	8	5	5401	15	11	.....			227	11	7
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	41112	0	0	41114	10	1	44829	1	1	1322	8	11	1319	18	10
21. Public Works Extraordinary	10140	0	0	10587	14	3	13211	4	11	447	14	3	.....		
22. Depreciation of Investments.							1765	13	5						
Total Falklands £	51252	0	0	51702	4	4	59805	19	5	1770	3	2	1319	18	10

Land Sales Fund	1362	18	8
Dependencies Payments	24344	3	1
Research Fund	58953	19	0
Unallocated Store Account	6223	12	10
Investments made	141955	19	8
Advances made	3440	4	2
Deposits Repaid	57957	1	10
Remittances made	61797	8	4
Farm and Building Loans	1550	0	0
Investment Adjustment Account	5113	0	3
Discovery Pension Fund	4257	13	8
Total ... £	418658	5	10
Balance on 31st December, 1936	2365	1	5
Total ... £	421023	7	3

Surplus of Assets on the 31st December, 1936.

Land Sales Fund	£246398	3	11
Other Surplus	61946	4	5
	£308344	8	4

Distribution of Cash Balance 31st December, 1936 :—

Colonial Treasury	£ 606	11	10	
Crown Agents	1317	4	6	
South Georgia	441	5	1	
				£ 2365 1 5.

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for the Dependencies for the Year ended 31st December, 1936.

REVENUE.

Receipts.	Estimated 1936.	Amount received to 31st Dec., 1936.	Receipts for same period, 1935.	More than estimated 1936.	Less than estimated 1936.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Customs Duties:					
(a) Imports	505 0 0	481 5 8	479 6 1	.....	23 14 4
(b) Exports	11500 0 0	15589 18 4	9675 1 2	4089 18 4	.....
2. Port & Tonnage Dues	100 0 0	210 0 0	200 0 0	110 0 0	.....
3. Internal Rev. Licences	660 0 0	961 15 0	851 15 0	301 15 0	.....
4. Fees, Fines, etc.	375 0 0	477 10 8	410 5 2	102 10 8	.....
5. Rents ...	1500 0 0	1401 0 0	1001 0 0	.....	99 0 0
6. Miscellaneous	10 0 0	53 5 0	.....	43 5 0	.....
7. Receipt from Research Fund		5169 8 5		5169 8 5	
Total Ordinary Revenue £	14650 0 0	24344 3 1	12617 7 5	9816 17 5	122 14 4
Research Fund		24652 3 8			
"Discovery" Pension Fund		547 7 2			
£		49543 13 11			

Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1936.

Research Fund ...	£326209 4 7	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	6108 4 4	
		£332317 8 11.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	Estimated 1936	Amount paid to 31st Dec., 1936.	Payments for same period, 1935.	More than estimated 1936.	Less than estimated 1936.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Personal:-					
South Georgia	1973 0 0	1934 8 6	1894 17 8	.....	38 11 6
General	175 0 0	100 2 1	125 0 0	.....	74 17 11
2. Other Charges:-					
(a) South Georgia	747 0 0	661 0 8	632 6 9	.....	85 19 4
(b) South Shetlands	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....
General	12177 0 0	17135 5 10	9945 3 0	4958 5 10	.....
Total Ordinary Expenditure	15092 0 0	19850 17 1	12617 7 5	4958 5 10	199 8 9
3. Extraordinary:-					
(a) South Georgia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
£	15092 0 0	19850 17 1	12617 7 5	4958 5 10	199 8 9
5. Charges on Dependencies Revenue		4493 6 0			
6. Discovery Pension Fund		4257 13 8			
5. Research Fund		58953 19 0			
Total Expenditure ... £		87555 15 9			

Surplus of Assets on 31st December, 1936.

Research Fund ...	£291907 9 3	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	2397 17 10	
		£294305 7 1.

Examined,

A. R. HOARE,
Local Auditor.

M. J. STEWART,
Colonial Treasurer.

M.P. 172/31.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS, during the Year ended 31st December, 1936.

Latitude 51° 41¾′ South. Longitude 57° 51¼′ West.

Months.	Mean Pressure in Millibars.	Air Temperature (F°). Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Means of Max.	Means of Min.	Absolute Max. and Min. Max.	Date.	Min.	Date.	Precipitation in Inches. Total.	Greatest Fall.	Date.	Vapour Pressure in Millibars.	Relative Humidity Saturation = 100.	Amount of Cloud.	Mean Sunshine (hours and tenths.)	Weather. Number of days of Rain.	Snow or Sleet.	Gales.	Clear Sky. 0–1	Overcast. 9–10	Wind. Number of Observations of Mean Force.	N	N.N.E.	N.E.	E.N.E.	E.	E.S.E.	S.E.	S.S.E.	S.	S.S.W.	S.W.	W.S.W.	W.	W.N.W	N.W.	N.N.W.	Calm.
January ...	974.19	49.8	48.3	56	40	67	28th	34	14th	3.10	.37	5th	10.1	62	6.0	6.5	29	—	—	31	—	3.0	1	2	1	1	2	—	1	1	5	2	1	2	6	3	—	—	—
February ...	1004.4	52.3	48.7	59	41	62	4th	50	13th	2.41	.71	29th	10.3	72	5.0	6.9	25	—	2	4	9	4.1	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	4	1	5	4	8	1	—
March ...	998.7	47.8	45.5	52	38	61	9th	44	10th	3.21	.43	20th	9.3	56	7.0	3.9	22	.2	1	—	15	4.8	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	1	1	2	4	7	6	3	2	1
April ...	1006.1	45.7	43.8	49	35	55	5th	43	7th	3.02	.82	22nd	9.4	53	3.0	3.9	23	—	—	1	—	3.6	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	3	2	7	2	8	2	—
May ...	1000.74	35.6	35.0	39	26	50	1st	35	2nd	2.89	.45	24th	5.7	53	7.0	2.5	18	11	—	4	—	3.5	1	—	—	1	2	—	1	—	2	—	3	1	9	5	3	—	3
June ...	1033.22	38.8	37.3	41	31	47	28th	40	19th	1.49	.33	12th	3.5	53	4.0	1.8	19	1	—	2	16	3.3	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	2	4	6	3	6	—	—
July ...	1005.12	38.5	37.6	42	32	45	25th	39	10th	3.70	1.01	6th	7.3	91	7.0	1.4	23	2	—	1	15	3.5	2	1	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	4	1	4	2	8	1	—
August ...	1000.7	37.4	35.8	40	30	48	31st	38	28th	2.03	.47	24th	6.1	85	10.0	2.3	21	5	—	3	16	3.4	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	2	1	1	3	—	7	2	6	—	3
September	1008.1	40.8	39.2	44	31	51	22nd	26	25th	2.74	.7	4th	7.5	53	7.0	4.6	16	9	—	—	16	4.1	1	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	6	—	6	5	5	3	—
October ...	1005.4	42.7	42.0	48	33	55	25th	27	15th	2.47	.42	3rd	8.0	83	6.0	5.2	21	5	—	3	10	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	1	7	4	4	6	3	1	—
November ...	1003.6	47.9	43.8	51	37	67	27th	29	7th	.89	.15	13th	8.0	72	6.0	5.8	15	—	—	1	9	4.4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	3	7	1	2	3	6	2	—
December ...	995.4	53.1	51.6	53	37	64	18th	35	24th	2.65	.35	10th	15.9	59	4.0	7.3	19	—	—	1	4	4.7	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	2	—	3	2	8	3	9	1	—
Means.	1002.9	44.2	42.4	47	34	56	—	36	—	2.55	.52	—	8.4	66	6.0	4.3	20	3	—	1	9	3.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

V. J. LELLMAN,
for Harbour Master.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at Cumberland Bay, during the year 1936.

Month.	Air Pressure.					Air Temperatures.					Psicometer.		Rainfall.			Weather.			Sunshine
	Mean.	Highest & Lowest.				Mean.	Max. and Min.												
		Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.		Max.	Date.	Min.	Date.	Vapour Pressure.	Relative Humidity.	Total.	Greatest Fall.	Date.	Days of Rain.	Days of Snow & Sleet.	Days of Fog.	Days.
January ...	745.22	761.31	15th	724.62	5th	4.10	12.1	4th	- 0.8	31st	4.86	81.9	6.541	1.732	4th	8	6	14	21
February ...	747.45	762.24	3rd	728.26	27th	5.49	19.0	14th	- 0.8	13th	5.49	80.4	4.483	0.598	10th	10	2	12	15
March ...	745.58	764.44	13th	719.85	27th	4.55	16.8	31st	- 2.9	2nd	4.84	76.5	4.489	1.300	22nd	15	2	5	16
April ...	748.71	767.01	23rd	725.02	10th	4.60	17.0	7th	- 4.9	21st	4.74	73.4	3.594	1.388	14th	13	4	3	21
May ...	742.66	759.84	28th	729.21	6th	-0.90	4.8	14th	- 7.5	25th	3.05	70.0	5.912	2.166	13th	4	15	3	21
June ...	746.41	763.17	3rd	724.25	13th	-1.58	10.7	19th	-11.6	30th	3.00	71.9	6.721	1.640	4th	4	16	6	8
July ...	752.01	773.74	9th	728.73	19th	-1.52	9.1	12th	- 9.5	1st	3.02	71.7	4.324	1.660	22nd	1	9	-	25
August ...	753.05	773.37	25th	727.63	4th	-2.40	9.9	10th	-10.6	24th	3.02	75.7	11.400	3.780	30th	4	12	1	16
September	749.12	769.27	26th	729.97	6th	0.72	11.5	18th	- 7.7	9th	3.30	74.7	2.263	0.920	27th	2	8	3	18
October ...	749.32	768.70	28th	728.61	21st	2.48	12.5	31st	- 5.5	6th	3.80	69.4	2.280	0.330	2nd	5	10	2	25
November	746.55	766.18	4th	729.01	17th	4.50	14.0	21st	- 3.2	12th	4.14	66.0	2.285	1.080	5th	10	2	2	22
December ...	744.76	755.29	3rd	731.09	27th	5.43	17.6	6th	- 1.0	26th	4.86	73.3	7.029	3.470	4th	12	5	8	21
Year.	744.24	773.74	9/7	719.85	27/3	35.87 2.85	19.0	14/2	-11.6	30/6	4.01	73.7	68.321	3.780	30/8	88	91	59	229

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 45. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
3rd April, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that owing to the cessation of direct mail service from the United Kingdom the General Post Office, London, has been requested to despatch all parcels already posted at the direct rates, by the first opportunity via Montevideo. The additional cost entailed in consequence will in this instance be borne by this Government. The General Post Office has been requested further to instruct the Post Offices in the United Kingdom to accept parcels only at the via Montevideo rate, unless especially notified to the contrary, e.g. for parcels addressed to be shipped by the "Reina del Pacifico",

The Government has been negotiating continuously for the past two years with the General Post Office and the Montevideo Administration for a reduction in Parcel Post rates via Montevideo and still trusts that some success may be achieved. Failing this the Government has in contemplation the grant of a subsidy. Temporarily, however, the full rate will have to be paid.

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 89/35.

No. 46. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
6th April, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following grants of leave to officials in the service of this Government, with effect from the 4th of April, 1937:-

Mr. H. H. Sedgwick,
Assistant Printer,
Vacation Leave. 120 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction.
M.P. L/12.

Mr. E. Swain,
Constable, Falkland Islands Police Force,
Vacation Leave. 120 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction.
M.P. L/37.

Miss E. H. Fuhlendorff,
Junior Nurse, King Edward Memorial Hospital,
Vacation Leave. 6 months, exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction.
M.P. 240/36

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett.
Colonial Secretary.

No. 47. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
8th April, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. WILLIAM BARLAS, J.P.,

Magistrate, South Georgia, to act as Magistrate, Stanley, with effect from the 4th of April, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/7.

No. 48. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
23rd April, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MISS MARY ANN PAICE,

to be a Nurse-Probationer in the King Edward Memorial Hospital, Stanley, with effect from the 1st of May, 1937.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/201.

No. 49. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
27th April, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Public Offices will be closed on Coronation Day, Wednesday, the 12th of May, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 291/33.

No. 50. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
30th April, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following grant of leave to

MR. S. E. BROWELL,

Constable, South Georgia.

Vaction Leave. 120 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction, with effect from the 24th of April, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. L/126

No. 51. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
30th April, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Majesty the King has approved the issue of the customary official medal to commemorate His Majesty's Coronation. The medal shows the Crowned effigy of His Majesty on the observe and Her Majesty the Queen on the reverse. It has been issued by the Royal Mint in two sizes. The large medal which has not yet been received in the Colony has a diameter of 2¼ inches and is struck in fine silver. It will be avaible to the public in a leather case at the price of one guinea. A smaller medal with a diameter of 1¼ inches is struck in fine silver and also in bronze, and is available for sale in Cardboard case and in envelope at the price of 3/- and 1/3 respectively. The medals may be obtained on application at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

These commemoration Medals are not to be confused with the silver medal conferred by the Crown as a personal Souvenir of His Majesty on the occasion of the Coronation.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 245/36.

Report on Education in the Colony for 1936.

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General.

The Education facilities in the Falkland Islands fall into three groups:

(1) Schools in Stanley, the only town in the Colony.

(2) A school at Darwin, the largest settlement outside Stanley.

(3) Itinerant tuition in the country districts or camp.

(1) STANLEY. A Government School is maintained from public funds. The curriculum and time table are much the same as in an English elementary school, and in addition there is a full-time Continuation Class which provides a two-year course of further education. A scheme was instituted in 1924 to assist parents in the camp to send their children to Stanley for schooling. The children were boarded and lodged in a Government hostel and taught in the school at an inclusive charge of ten shillings a month during residence: or, if accommodated in private houses, the Government made a grant towards the cost. In 1929 the hostel was closed owing to lack of support. The maintenance grants still remain, averaging about eight a year.

There is also a Convent school taught by Roman Catholic Sisters: this school is not under Government control or inspection and receives no grant from public funds.

(2) DARWIN. The Falkland Islands Company maintains a school here for the children of its employees. It is not assisted or inspected by Government.

(3) THE CAMP. Four itinerant teachers are provided by Government, one on the East Falkland and three on the West. The teachers travel on horseback from house to house, usually staying a fortnight at each. The houses are isolated, and the teacher may have to travel several hours before he reaches the next place where his services are required. Each man has a beat which he covers three or four times in a year. He sends a fortnightly report to Stanley giving a detailed account of the work done, a list of books or materials wanted, and so on. The Superintendent of Education makes tours of inspection, normally visiting every child under tuition once every two years. In addition to the Government staff. the Falkland Islands Company maintains two camp teachers for work on its extensive farms on the East Falkland: as with the Company's school at Darwin, their work is not subject to Government supervision.

Government School.

2. The authorised teaching establishment of the Government School in 1936 was

A Headmaster An Assistant Master An Assistant Mistress	Certificated by the Board of Education or the Scottish Education Department.
A Second Assistant Master An Assistant Teacher Three Supplementary Teachers	Locally trained.

3. The following table shows the number of pupils on the registers at the end of 1936 and the number in average attendance during the year:

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Number on roll 31st December, 1936 ...	118	59	189
Average number on roll all 1936	129.5	63.9	193.4
Average attendance for 1936	125.0	61.4	186.4

The attendance averaged 96.4 per cent, the highest ever recorded, the previous best being 93.7 in 1932. Forty-six pupils made an unbroken attendance throughout the year.

4. All children were medically and dentally examined during the year, and in addition there were medical and dental visits for general inspection.

5. The senior boys have had regular lessons in carpentry and handwork. The current Board of Education syllabus of physical training has been in use, and in addition the boys have done gymnastic apparatus work and the girls folkdancing. Football (boys), hockey (girls) and netball (boys and girls) have formed part of the time table.

6. Lessons in cookery for the senior girls were started in July. One group had a lesson every Tuesday and a second group every Thursday from 2 to 4 p.m. The lessons have been given by the senior assistant mistress in the kitchen of the Church House, which adjoins the school. Parents have strongly supported the scheme and the girls have been extremely keen.

Finance.

7. The expenditure under Head XIII Education of the annual estimates of expenditure was £2,732 : 19 : 0 as compared with £2,875 : 2 : 11 in 1935. The revenue collected in 1936 amounted to £128 : 5 : 11 as against £137 : 4 : 5 in 1935. Details of expenditure and revenue in 1936 are as follows:

EXPENDITURE.

1.	Personal Emoluments	2,094 : 6 : 5.
2.	Other Charges	638 : 12 : 7.
		2,732 : 19 : 0.

REVENUE.

1.	School Fees	105 : 3 : 3.
2.	Sale of School Material	23 : 2 : 8.
		128 : 5 : 11.

Travelling Teachers.

8. Four travelling teachers were employed during the year, one on the East Falkland and three on the West. They were all at work on their beats throughout the year. The following are the numbers of camp children under tuition by Government travelling teachers during 1936:

Boys 37 Girls 43 Total 80.

Saint Mary's Convent School.

9. The number of pupils attending the Roman Catholic Convent School in Stanley during 1936 was as follows:

	BOYS.	GIRLS.	TOTAL.
Number on roll on 31st December, 1936	18	54	72
Number in average attendance 1936 ...	16	50	66

Falkland Islands Company's School and Camp Teachers.

10. The number of pupils under instruction was as follows:

	BOYS.	GIRLS.	TOTAL.
Darwin School	10	5	15
Camp Teachers	25	18	43
Total	35	23	58

School Fees.

11. The following fees are charged at the Government School :

Each pupil in the Continuation Class	1s. 0d. a week
Each pupil below the C.C. & above Standard I.	6d. a week
Each pupil below Standard 2	3d. a week

provided that the total fees payable in respect of the children of any one family shall not exceed the rate of one shilling weekly.

Exemptions are made for fatherless children and in a small number of other cases where there is inability to pay. Similar charges and conditions are in force at the Roman Catholic school in Stanley. The proportion of expenditure met from fee income is about six per cent. At the Darwin school no fees are charged. In the case of children taught by Travelling Teachers there are no fees, the teacher being boarded and lodged at the expense of the household where he is working.

A. R. Hoare,
Superintendent of Education.
10th March, 1937.

Falkland Islands Note Security Fund.

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
7th April, 1937.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.
Stanley.

Sir,

In conformity with the provisions of the Falkland Islands Currency Notes Ordinance, 1930, I have the honour to submit my statement of transactions for the period 1st January to 31st December, 1936.

2. The total value of the Note Currency in circulation on the 1st January, 1936, was £22,000, and this amount was increased during the year to £24,000. The following is a description of the notes in circulation on 31st December, 1936:—

£5 notes:	Series "A"	2	
	" "B"	12	
	" "C"	1,616	
			value £ 8,150
£1 notes:	Series "A"	57	
	" "B"	131	
	" "C"	13,859	
			value £14,047
10/- notes:	Series "C"	3,576	
			value £ 1,788
5/- notes:	Series "A"	31	
	" "B"	29	
			value £ 15
	Total value		£24,000

3. During the year damaged notes to the value of £1,000 were withdrawn and replaced by new notes. The following is a description of the notes issued during the year 1936:—

£5 notes	Series "C"	value	£1,100
£1 notes	" "	"	1,700
10/- "	" "	"	200
	Total value	...	£3,000

4. The value of currency notes lodged with the Commissioner during the year by persons desiring to receive sterling in London was £6,322, whilst a sum of £285 was lodged with the Crown Agents in London for payment by the Commissioner in the Colony. The commission received on such transfers amounted to £63 : 6 : 0.

5. The total dividends received during the year amounted to £821 : 18 : 2, which sum was credited direct to Revenue.

6. On the 31st December, 1936, the sum of £41 : 10 : 1 was credited to the Fund in respect of Appreciation of Investments held on behalf of the Fund, at that date. The market value of the Investments (£23,651 : 3 : 4,) plus the liquid balance (£2,652 : 7 : 3,)

or a total of £26,303 : 10 : 7, fell short of 110% of the Note Issue by a sum of £96 : 9 : 5, and this amount was transferred from Falkland Islands expenditure in order to bring the Fund to the required level.

7. Statements of receipts and payments and of the Investments as at the close of the year, are appended.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Colonial Treasurer.

Note Security Fund.

Statement of transactions 1st January to 31st December, 1936.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
1936.			
1st January. To Balance	£24240 : 0 : 0.	By Dividends transferred to Revenue	£ 821 : 18 : 2.
1% Commission received on transfers to London	62 : 14 : 0.	Sterling payment by Crown Agents, London	6362 : 0 : 0.
1% Commission received on transfers to Colony	12 : 0.	Sterling payment made in Colony	285 : 0 : 0.
Currency lodged for sterling payments in London	6322 : 0 : 0.	Clerical assistance	2 : 2 : 0.
Currency lodged with Crown Agents for payment in Colony	285 : 0 : 0.	Telegrams	16 : 6.
Dividends received during year	821 : 18 : 2.	Balance	26400 : 0 : 0.
Telegrams	1 : 13 : 0.		
Increase of Note Issue	2000 : 0 : 0.		
Appreciation of Investments	41 : 10 : 1.		
Transferred from Falkland Is. Expenditure, to bring value of Fund to 110% of Note Issue,	96 : 9 : 5.		
	£33871 : 16 : 8.		£33871 : 16 : 8.

Balance:-	
Market value of Investments ...	£23,651 : 3 : 4.
Liquid balance	2,748 : 16 : 8.
110% of the Note Issue	£26,400 : 0 : 0.

Note Security Fund 1936.

Name of Stock.		%	Face Value of Stock.			Cost of Stock.			Market Value of Investments, 31st December, 1936.			
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.
Canada	1930/50	3½	1019	8	4	1039	7	11	101	1029	12	2
Jamaica	1956/61	3	2020	4	0	2000	0	0	100	2020	4	0
Kenya	1946/56	6	1782	17	0	1630	15	5	123	2192	18	1
,,	1950	4½	2021	5	3	1945	6	6	113	2284	0	6
Nigeria	1947/57	5	600	0	0	594	0	0	117	702	0	0
,,	1963	4	1821	9	4	1593	17	9	115	2094	13	9
,,	1950/60	5	1000	0	0	990	0	0	119	1190	0	0
,,	1955	3	2781	2	11	1925	13	3	102	2836	15	5
New Zealand	1949	5	2518	13	0	2510	7	9	114	2871	5	3
Queensland	1922/47	3	900	0	0	842	17	7	99	891	0	0
Straits Settlements	1937/67	3½	2547	14	2	1770	5	7	101	2573	3	9
S. Australia	1939	3½	1443	17	3	1476	16	0	101½	1465	10	5
			20456	11	3	18319	7	9		22151	3	4
Joint Colonial Fund			...		...	1500	0	0		1500	0	0
						19819	7	9		23651	3	4
Market value			...	...	...	23651	3	4				
Book value			...	...	...	23609	13	3				
Appreciation			...	...	...	£ 41	10	1				

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Government Notice.

No. 55.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th May, 1937.

The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that the King's Silver Medal to commemorate His Majesty's Coronation on the 12th of May, 1937, has been awarded to the persons whose names are set out below :-

His Excellency Sir Herbert Henniker Heaton, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

The Honourable M. C. Craigie-Halkett, O.B.E., Colonial Secretary.

The Honourable G. Kinneard, M.D. (Man.), M.C.P.S., (Man.), Senior Medical Officer.

The Honourable A. R. Hoare, M.B.E., J.P., Superintendent of Education.

David Samuel Angus Weir, Esquire, Agricultural Adviser.

The Honourable G. J. Felton, M.E.C., J.P.

The Honourable L. W. H. Young, M.E.C., M.L.C., J.P.

The Honourable N. K. Cameron, M.L.C., J.P.

Miss Rose Phoebe Anne Henniker-Heaton.

The Reverend Mary Jane Ussher, Sister Superior, Saint Mary's School.

Miss Gertrude Ellen Reive, Nurse-Matron, King Edward VII Memorial Hospital.

By Command,
M. C. Craigie-Halkett,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. C/7/37.

No. 56.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
11th May, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony, with effect from the 12th of May, 1937:-

THE HONOURABLE VINCENT ARTHUR HENRY BIGGS, Stanley.
JOHN FRANCIS BONNER, ESQUIRE, San Carlos.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 30/28.

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Government Notice.

No. 58.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st May, 1937.

DEPARTURE FROM THE COLONY OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency Sir Herbert Henniker Heaton, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, left the Colony this day for the United Kingdom on leave of absence.

By Command,
W. Barlas,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/168.

No. 2. Proclamation. 1937.

IN THE NAME of His Majesty GEORGE VI., by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, &c., &c., &c.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.

[L.S.]

By His Excellency MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, ESQUIRE, *Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Acting Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies &c., &c., &c.*

WHEREAS by the fourteenth clause of the Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 25th February, 1892, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, it is provided that "whenever the office of Governor is vacant, or if the Governor "become incapable or be absent from the Colony, Our Lieutenant Governor of the Colony, or "if there be no such Officer therein, then such person or persons as we may appoint under "Our Sign Manual and Signet, and in default of any such appointment the Senior Member "for the time being of the Executive Council of the Colony, shall, during Our pleasure, "administer the Government of the Colony, first taking the Oaths hereinbefore directed to be "taken by the Governor and in the manner herein prescribed; which being done, We do hereby "authorize, empower, and command Our Lieutenant Governor or any other such Administrator "as aforesaid to do and execute during Our pleasure all things that belong to the office of "Governor and Commander-in-Chief, according to the tenour of these Our Letters Patent, "and according to Our Instructions as aforesaid, and the Laws of the Colony".

AND WHEREAS His Excellency SIR HERBERT HENNIKER HEATON, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, has this day left the Colony for the United Kingdom on leave of absence;

AND WHEREAS there is no such officer as Lieutenant Governor in this Colony and no person has been appointed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to administer the Government of this Colony in the absence of the Governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonial Secretary of the Falkland Islands, the Senior Member of the Executive Council aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that, in pursuance of the said clause of the said Royal Letters Patent and having taken the oaths prescribed by law, I have this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Colony and its Dependencies.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 21st day of May, in the Year of our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,

W. BARLAS.

for Colonial Secretary.

No. 3. Proclamation. 1937.

IN THE NAME of His Majesty GEORGE VI., by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, &c., &c., &c.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT.

[L.S.]

By His Excellency MONTAGU CECIL CRAIGIE-HALKETT, ESQUIRE, *Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Acting Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies &c., &c., &c.*

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the 25th day of February, 1892, constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands, it was amongst other things declared that there should be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which should consist of such persons as should be directed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet,

AND WHEREAS by Instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 28th day of February, 1920, it was declared that if in the opinion of the Governor the number of members of the Executive Council available for business may at any time be likely to prove insufficient, the Governor may, by an Instrument under the Public Seal, appoint some fit person to be provisionally a member of the said Council for such period as shall be specified in such Instrument:

NOW THEREFORE, I, being of the opinion that the number of members of the Executive Council available for business is likely to prove insufficient, do hereby provisionally appoint

DAVID SAMUEL ANGUS WEIR, ESQUIRE,

to be a member of the Executive Council during the absence from the Colony of Mr. George Roberts, Director of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 21st day of May, in the Year of our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-seven.

By His Excellency's Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 52. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
6th May, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to give directions for

MAJOR STUART MARSHALL, D.C.M.,
Nelson Marlborough Mounted Rifles Regiment,
New Zealand Military Forces,

to be attached to the Falkland Islands Defence Force with effect from the 4th of May, 1937.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P P/196.

No. 53. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
6th May, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. VICTOR JOSEPH LELLMAN,

Second Clerk, Public Works Department, to be Chief Clerk, Grade II in that Department with effect from the 9th of January, 1937.

By Command.
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/65.

No. 54. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th May, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in Chief has been pleased to approve of the following promotion in the Falkland Islands Defence Force:

LIEUTENANT A. I. FLEURET,

to be Captain with effect from the 4th of May, 1937.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/19.

No. 57. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th May, 1937.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MAJOR STUART MARSHALL, D.C.M.,
Nelson Marlborough Mounted Rifles Regiment,
New Zealand Military Forces,

to act as Commanding Officer of the Falkland Islands Defence Force, with effect from the 4th of May, 1937, until the return to the Colony of the Commanding Officer.

By Command,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/196.

No. 59. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st May, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs the publication of the following grants of leave to officials in the service of this Government, with effect from the 20th of May, 1937:-

MR. A. R. HOARE, M.B.E., J.P.,

Superintendent of Education.

Vacation Leave. 180 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction.

M.P. L/41.

MR. A. I. FLEURET,

Assistant Colonial Secretary.

Vacation Leave. 120 days; exclusive of the time taken on the voyage to and from the United Kingdom, not exceeding twenty-eight days in either direction.

M.P. L/19.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

No. 60. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st May, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, with effect from the 20th of May, 1937:-

MR. T. K. MILLER,

Assistant Master, Government School, to act as Superintendant of Education.

M.P. P/181.

2ND LIEUTENANT L. W. ALDRIDGE

to act as Adjutant of the Falkland Islands Defence Force.

M.P. P/160.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

No. 61. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th May, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. W. D. A. JONES,

Clerk, Colonial Secretary's Office, to act as Local Auditor, with effect from the 20th of May, 1937.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/71.

PROBATE NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Andrew James Clarke, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Jane Clarke, widow of the abovenamed deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
18th May, 1937.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Caroline Consby Yates, of Douglas Station, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Manual Yates, husband of the abovenamed deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley. Falkland Islands.
18th May, 1937.

Renewal of Licences under the provisions of The Licensing Ordinance, 1882.

TAKE NOTICE.

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance, 1882, application has been made for the renewal of the PUBLICANS' RETAIL and BILLIARD TABLE Licences for the half-year ending 31st December, 1937, by :—

Perry, George	"Ship Hotel"	Publicans' Licence
Wilson, Mrs. Elizabeth	"Stanley Arms"	Publicans' Licence
" " "	"	Billiard "
Gilchrist, Arthur J.	"Globe Hotel"	Publicans' Licenc
" "	"	Billiard "
Hardy, A. P.	"Rose Hotel"	Publicans' Licence

and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of these licences before the 30th June, 1937, the same will be renewed for the half-year ending 31st December, 1937.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Colonial Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st June 1937.

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A Bill

To legalize certain payments in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-six in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 8 of 1935.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1936. Preamble.

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

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1936) Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the Services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those Services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-six, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the Service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sums mentioned for those Services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess of expenditure for the year 1936.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
	FALKLAND ISLANDS.	£	s.	d.
III.	Colonial Secretary	17	19	3
V.	Audit	2	0	0
IX.	Harbour	222	5	3
XIII.	Education	121	16	4
XV.	Naturalist	78	15	5
XVII.	Stock Department	199	1	11
XVIII.	Miscellaneous	680	10	9
	Total Ordinary Expenditure	1322	8	11
XXI.	Public Works Extraordinary	447	14	3
	Total Falklands	1770	3	2
	DEPENDENCIES.			
I.	Dependencies	4758	17	1
	Total	6529	0	3

A Bill

To provide for the payment of Compensation to Workmen for injuries suffered in the course of their employment.

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 :—

Preliminary.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1937." Short Title.

2. (1) In this Ordinance – Interpretation.

"ADULT" and "MINOR" means respectively a person who is not and a person who is under the age of seventeen years;

"COMMISSIONER" means a Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation appointed under section 20;

"COMPENSATION" means compensation as provided for by this Ordinance ;

"DEPENDANTS" means such of the members of the workman's family as were wholly or in part dependent upon the earnings of the workman at the time of his death, or would but for the incapacity due to the accident have been so dependent, and where the workman, being the parent or grandparent of an illegitimate child, leaves such a child so dependent upon his earnings, or, being an illegitimate child, leaves a parent or grandparent so dependent upon his earnings, shall include such an illegitimate child and parent or grandparent respectively :

Provided that a person shall not be deemed to be a partial dependant of a workman unless he was dependent partially on contributions from the workman for the provision of the ordinary necessaries of life suitable for persons in his class and position ;

"EMPLOYER" includes His Majesty in His Government of the Colony and any body of persons whether incorporated or not and any managing agent of an employer and the legal representative of a deceased employer, and, where the services of a workman are temporarily lent or let on hire to another person by the person with whom the workman has entered into a contract of service or apprenticeship, the latter shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, be deemed to continue to be the employer of the workman whilst he is working for that other person.

In relation to a person engaged in plying for hire with any vehicle, the use of which is obtained from the owner thereof under a contract of bailment (other than a hire purchase agreement), the owner of the vehicle shall be deemed to be the employer.

In relation to a person employed for the purposes of any game or recreation and engaged or paid through a club, the manager, or members of the managing committee of the club shall be deemed to be the employer ;

"MANAGING AGENT" means any person appointed or acting as the representative of another person for the purpose of carrying on such other person's trade or business, but does not include an individual manager subordinate to an employer ;

"MEMBER OF A FAMILY" means wife or husband, father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, stepfather, stepmother, son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, stepson, stepdaughter, brother, sister, half-brother, half-sister ;

"OUTWORKER" means a person to whom articles or materials are given out to be made up, cleaned, washed, altered, ornamented, finished, or repaired, or adapted for sale in his own home or on other premises not under the control or management of the person who gave out the materials or articles ;

"PARTIAL DISABLEMENT" means, where the disablement is of a temporary nature, such disablement as reduces the earning capacity of a workman in any employment in which he was engaged at the time of the accident resulting in the disablement, and, where the disablement is of a permanent nature, such disablement as reduces his earning capacity in every employment which he was capable of undertaking at that time :

Provided that every injury specified in the Schedule hereto shall be deemed to result in permanent partial disablement ;

"QUALIFIED MEDICAL PRACTITIONER" means a member of the medical profession registered under the Medical Practitioners Midwives and Dentists Ordinance, 1914 ;

"REGISTRAR" means the Registrar of the Supreme Court ;

"TOTAL DISABLEMENT" means such disablement, whether of a temporary or permanent nature, as incapacitates a workman for all work which he was capable of performing at the time of the accident resulting in such disablement :

Provided that permanent total disablement shall be deemed to result from the permanent total loss of the sight of both eyes or from any combination of injuries specified in the Schedule hereto where the aggregate percentage of the loss of earning capacity, as specified in that Schedule against those injuries, amounts to one hundred per cent ;

"WAGES" includes any privilege or benefit which is capable of being estimated in money, other than a travelling allowance or the value of any travelling concession or a contribution paid by the employer of a workman towards any pension or provident fund or a sum paid to a workman to cover any special expenses entailed on him by the nature of his employment ;

"WORKMAN" means any person who has entered into or works under a contract of service or apprenticeship with an employer, whether the contract was made before or after the commencement of this Ordinance and whether such contract is expressed or implied, is oral or in writing; and also includes a person engaged in plying for hire with any vehicle the use of which is obtained from the owner thereof under any contract of bailment (other than a hire purchase agreement) in consideration of the payment of a fixed sum or a share in the earnings or otherwise :

Provided that the following persons shall not be regarded as workmen for the purposes of this Ordinance:-

(a) persons employed otherwise than by way of manual labour whose remuneration exceeds two hundred pounds a year; or

(b) persons whose employment is of a casual nature and who are employed otherwise than for the purposes of the employer's trade or business, not being persons employed for the purposes of any game or recreation and engaged or paid through a club; or

(c) out workers; or

(d) persons in the naval, military or air forces of the Crown; or

(e) members of the employer's family dwelling in his house; or

(f) domestic servants; or

(g) persons employed exclusively as clerical workers and/or shop assistants.

(2) Any reference to a workman who has been injured shall, where the workman is dead, include a reference to his legal personal representative or to his dependants or other person to whom or for whose benefit compensation is payable.

(3) The exercise and performance of the powers and duties of a local or other public authority or of any department of the Government shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, unless a contrary intention appears be deemed to be the trade or business of such authority or department.

(4) If on any proceedings for the recovery of compensation under this Ordinance it appears to the Commissioner by whom the claim to compensation is to be settled that the contract of service or apprenticeship under which the injured person was working at the time when the accident causing the injury happened was illegal, he

may, if having regard to all the circumstances of the case he thinks proper so to do, deal with the matter as if the injured person had at the time aforesaid been a person working under a valid contract of service or apprenticeship.

Compensation.

Employer's liability for compensation.

3. (1) If personal injury is caused to a workman by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment, his employer shall be liable to pay compensation in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance:

Provided that the employer shall not be so liable-

Slight injury.

(a) in respect of any injury which does not result in the total or partial disablement of the workman for a period exceeding ten days;

Misconduct.

(b) in respect of any injury to a workman resulting from an accident which is directly attributable to -

(i) the workman having been at the time thereof under the influence of drink or drugs, or

(ii) the wilful disobedience of the workman to an order expressly given, or to a regulation or rule expressly made, for the purpose of securing the safety of workmen, or

(iii) the wilful removal or disregard by the workman of any safety guard or other device which he knew to have been provided for the purpose of securing the safety of workmen.

Disease.

(2) No compensation shall be payable to a workman in respect of any disease unless the disease is solely and directly attributable to a specific injury by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment.

Liability for negligence.

(3) When the injury was caused by the personal negligence or wilful act of the employer or of some person for whose act or default the employer is responsible, nothing in this Ordinance shall affect any civil liability of the employer, but in that case the workman may, at his option, either claim compensation under this Ordinance or take proceedings independently of this Ordinance; but the employer shall not be liable to pay compensation for injury to a workman by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment both independently of and also under this Ordinance, and shall not be liable to any proceedings independently of this Ordinance, except in case of such personal negligence or wilful act as aforesaid.

Independent action.

(4) If, within the time hereinafter in this Ordinance limited for taking proceedings, an action is brought to recover damages independently of this Ordinance for injury caused by an accident, and it is determined in such action or on appeal that the injury is one for which the employer is not liable in such action, but that he would have been liable to pay compensation under the provisions of this Ordinance, the action shall be dismissed; but the Court in which the action is tried, or, if the determination is the determination on an appeal (by either party) by an appellant tribunal, that tribunal shall, if the plaintiff so choose, proceed to assess such compensation, but may deduct from such compensation all or part of the costs which, in its judgment, have been caused by the plaintiff bringing the action instead of proceeding under this Ordinance. In any proceeding under this subsection, when the Court or appellate tribunal assesses the compensation, it shall give a certificate of the compensation it has awarded and the directions it has given as to the deduction of costs,

and such certificate shall have the force and effect of and shall be registered as an agreement under this Ordinance:

Provided that an appellate tribunal may, instead of itself assessing such compensation, remit the case to a Commissioner for the assessment of the compensation and in such case may order the Commissioner to deduct from the amount of compensation assessed by him all or part of such cost as aforesaid.

Amount of compensation.

4. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, the amount of compensation shall be as follows, namely:-

Death.

(a) Where death results from the injury and:-

(i) the workman leaves a dependant or dependants wholly dependent upon his earnings, a sum equal to thirty months' wages or two hundred and fifty pounds whichever is the less;

(ii) the workman does not leave a dependant or dependants wholly dependent upon his earnings, but leaves a dependant or dependants in part so dependent, such sum not exceeding the amount of compensation payable under the preceding paragraph as may be agreed upon or in default of agreement as may be awarded by the Commissioner to be reasonable and proportionate to the injury to the said dependant or dependants.

In addition to any sum payable under the foregoing paragraphs there shall be payable by the employer the reasonable expenses (not exceeding £5) of the burial of the deceased workman.

Permanent total disablement.

(b) Where permanent total disablement results from the injury -

(i) in the case of an adult, a sum equal to forty-two months' wages or three hundred and fifty pounds, whichever is the less, and

(ii) in the case of a minor, a sum equal to eighty-four months' wages or three hundred and fifty pounds, whichever is less.

Permanent partial disablement.

(c) Where permanent partial disablement results from the injury -

(i) in the case of an injury specified in the Schedule hereto, such percentage of the compensation which would have been payable in the case of permanent total disablement as is specified therein as being the percentage of the loss of earning capacity caused by that injury, and

(ii) in the case of an injury not specified in the Schedule hereto, such percentage of the compensation payable in the case of permanent total disablement as is proportionate to the loss of earning capacity permanently caused by the injury.

Where more injuries than one are caused by the same accident, the amount of the compensation payable under this head shall be aggregated, but not so in any case as to exceed the amount which would have been payable if permanent total disablement had resulted from the injuries.

Temporary disablement.

(d) Where temporary disablement, whether total or partial, results from the injury, a half-monthly payment payable on the sixteenth day from the date of the disablement, and thereafter half-monthly during the disablement or during a period of five years, whichever period is shorter -

(i) in the case of an adult, of a sum equal to one fourth of his monthly wages, and

(ii) in the case of a minor, of a sum equal to one-third or, after he has attained the age of seventeen years, to one-half of his monthly wages :

Provided that there shall be deducted from any lump sum or half-monthly payments to which the workman is entitled the amount of any payment or allowance which the workman has received from the employer by way of compensation during the period of disablement prior to the receipt of such lump sum or of the first half-monthly payment, as the case may be, and no half-monthly payment shall in any case exceed the amount, if any, by which half the amount of the monthly wages of the workman before the accident exceeds half the amount of such wages as he is earning or is able to earn in some suitable employment or business after the accident.

(2) On the ceasing of the disablement before the date on which any half-monthly payment falls due, there shall be payable in respect of that half month a sum proportionate to the duration of the disablement in that half month.

Method of calculating wages.

5. (1) For the purposes of section 4 the monthly wages of a workman shall be calculated as follows, namely :-

(a) where the workman has, during a continuous period of not less than twelve months immediately preceding the accident, been in the service of the employer who is liable to pay compensation, the monthly wages of the workman shall be one-twelfth of the total wages which have fallen due for payment to him by the employer in the last twelve months of that period ;

(b) in other cases, the monthly wages shall be thirty times the total wages earned in respect of the last continuous period of service immediately preceding the accident from the employer who is liable to pay compensation, divided by the number of days comprising such period :

Provided that if the amount of the monthly wages arrived at by calculation under clause (a) or clause (b) is more than twelve pounds and ten shillings, such monthly wages shall be assumed to be twelve pounds and ten shillings.

(2) A period of service shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be continuous which has not been interrupted by a period of absence from work exceeding fourteen days.

Review.

6. (1) Any half-monthly payment payable under this Ordinance either under an agreement between the parties or under the order of a Commissioner, may be reviewed by the Commissioner on the application either of the employer or of the workman accompanied by the certificate of a qualified medical practitioner that there has been a change in the condition of the workman or, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, on application made without such certificate.

(2) Any half-monthly payment may, on review under this section, subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, be continued, increased, decreased or ended, or, if the accident is found to have resulted in permanent disablement, be converted to the lump sum to which the workman is entitled less any amount which he has already received by way of half-monthly payments.

Payment of lump sum in lieu of payments.

7. Any right to receive half-monthly payments may, by agreement between the parties, or, if the parties cannot agree and the payments have been continued for not less than six months, on the application of either party to the Commissioner, be redeemed by the payment of a lump sum of such amount as may be agreed to by the parties or determined by the Commissioner, as the case may be.

Distribution of compensation.

On death.

8. (1) Compensation payable where the death of a workman has resulted from an injury shall be deposited with the Registrar, and any sum so deposited shall be apportioned among the dependants of the deceased workman or any of them in such proportion as the Commissioner thinks fit, or may in the discretion of the Commissioner, be allotted to any one such dependant, and the sum so allotted to any dependant shall be paid to him or be invested, applied or otherwise dealt with for his benefit in such manner as the Commissioner thinks fit.

Lump sums.

(2) Compensation payable where permanent disablement has resulted from an injury and lump sums payable under the provisions of the preceding section where temporary disablement has resulted from an injury shall be deposited with the Registrar, and any sum so deposited shall be paid to the person entitled thereto or be invested, applied or otherwise dealt with for his benefit in such manner as the Commissioner thinks fit.

Other cases.

(3) Any other compensation payable under this Ordinance may be deposited with the Registrar and, when so deposited, shall be paid by the Registrar to the person entitled thereto.

Receipt of Registrar.

(4) The receipt of the Registrar shall be a sufficient discharge in respect of any amount deposited with him under the provisions of this Ordinance.

Notice to dependants.

(5) On the deposit of any money under subsection (1), the Registrar may deduct therefrom the actual cost of the workman's funeral expenses, to an amount not exceeding eight pounds, and pay the same to the person by whom such expenses were incurred, and shall, if he thinks necessary, cause notice to be published or to be served on each dependant in such manner as he thinks fit, calling upon the dependants to appear before the Commissioner on such date as he may fix for determining the distribution of the compensation. If the Commissioner is satisfied, after any enquiry which he may deem necessary, that no dependant exists, he shall direct the Registrar to repay the balance of the money to the employer by whom it was paid. The Registrar shall, on application by the employer, furnish a statement showing in detail all disbursements made.

Workman under disability.

(6) Where a half-monthly payment is payable under this Ordinance to a workman under any legal disability, the Commissioner may, of his own motion or on application made to him in this behalf, order that the half-monthly payment be paid during the disability to any dependant of the workman or to any other person whom he thinks best fitted to provide for the welfare of the workman.

Variation of order.

(7) Where, on application made to him in this behalf or otherwise, the Commissioner is satified that, on account of neglect of

children on the part of a parent, or on account of the variation of the circumstances of any dependant, or for any other sufficient cause, an order of the Commissioner as to the distribution of any sum paid as compensation or as to the manner in which any sum payable to any such dependant is to be invested, applied or otherwise dealt with ought to be varied, the Commissioner may make such order for the variation of the former order as he thinks just in the circumstances of the case:

Provided that no such order prejudicial to any person shall be made unless such person has been given an opportunity of showing cause why the order should not be made, or shall be made in any case in which it would involve the repayment by a dependant of any sum already paid to him.

Deductions for costs.

(8) The solicitor or agent of a person claiming compensation under this Ordinance shall not be entitled to recover from him any costs in respect of such claim or to claim a lien in respect of such costs on, or deduct such costs from, the sum awarded or agreed as compensation, except such sum as may be awarded by a Commissioner, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, on an application made either by the person claiming compensation, or by his solicitor or agent to determine the amount of the costs to be paid to the solicitor or agent.

Compensation not to be assigned, attached or charged.

9. Save as provided by this Ordinance, no lump sum or half-monthly payment payable under this Ordinance shall be capable of being assigned, charged or attached or shall pass to any person other than the workman by operation of law, nor shall any claim be set off against the same.

Notice and claim.

10. (1) Proceedings for the recovery under this Ordinance of compensation for an injury shall not be maintainable unless notice of the accident has been given as soon as practicable after the happening thereof and before the workman has voluntarily left the employment in which he was injured, and unless the claim for compensation with respect to such accident has been made within six months from the occurrence of the accident causing the injury, or, in case of death, within six months from the time of death :

Provided that -

(a) the want of or any defect or inaccuracy in such notice shall not be a bar to the maintenance of such proceedings if the employer is proved to have had knowledge of the accident from any other source at or about the time of the accident, or if it is found in the proceedings for settling the claim that the employer is not, or would not, if a notice or an amended notice were then given and the hearing postponed, be prejudiced in his defence by the want, defect or inaccuracy, or that such want, defect or inaccuracy was occasioned by mistake, absence from the Colony, or other reasonable cause; and

(b) the failure to make a claim within the period above specified shall not be a bar to the maintenance of such proceedings if it is found that the failure was occasioned by mistake, absence from the Colony, or other reasonable cause.

(2) Notice in respect of an injury under this Ordinance may be given either in writing or orally to the employer (or if there is more than one employer to one of such employers) or to any foreman or other official under whose supervision the workman is employed or to any person designated for the purpose by the em-

ployer, and shall give the name and address of the person injured, and shall state in ordinary language the cause of the injury and the date at which the accident happened.

(3) The notice if in writing may be given by delivering the same at, or sending it by post in a registered letter addressed to the residence or place of business of the person to whom it is to be given.

(4) Where the employer is a body of persons, corporate or unincorporate, the notice, if in writing, may also be given by delivering it or by sending it by post in a registered letter addressed to the employer at the office, or, if there be more than one office, any one of the offices, of such body.

Medical examination.

11. (1) Where a workman has given notice of an accident or where an accident has occurred in respect of which the necessity of giving notice under this Ordinance is dispensed with, a workman shall, if the employer offers to have him examined free of charge by a qualified medical practitioner, submit himself for such examination, and any workman who is in receipt of a payment under this Ordinance shall, if so required, submit himself for such examination from time to time :

Provided that a workman shall not be required to submit himself for examination by a medical practitioner otherwise than in accordance with regulations made under this Ordinance, or at more frequent intervals than may be prescribed.

Refusal to be examined.

(2) If a workman, being required to do so by the employer under subsection (1) or by the Commissioner at any time, refuses to submit himself for examination by a qualified medical practitioner or in any way obstructs the same, his right to compensation shall be suspended during the continuance of such refusal or obstruction unless, in the case of refusal, he was prevented by any sufficient cause from so submitting himself.

Leaving vicinity prior to examination.

(3) If a workman, before the expiry of three days from the time at which service of notice of an accident has been effected or, when an accident occurs in respect of which the necessity of giving notice under this Ordinance is dispensed with, before the expiry of three days from the date of such accident voluntarily and without due cause leaves the vicinity of the place in which he was employed without having been examined by a qualified medical practitioner, his right to compensation shall be suspended until he returns and offers himself for such examination.

Death prior to examination.

(4) Where a workman, whose right to compensation has been suspended under subsection (2) or subsection (3), dies without having submitted himself for medical examination as required by either of those subsections, the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, direct the payment of compensation to the dependants of the deceased workman.

Compensation not payable during period of suspension.

(5) Where under subsection (2) or subsection (3) a right to compensation is suspended, no compensation shall be payable in respect of the period of suspension.

Measure of compensation on refusal to be examined or disregard of medical advice.

(6) Where an injured workman has refused to be attended by a qualified medical practitioner whose services have been offered to him by the employer free of charge or having accepted such offer has deliberately disregarded the instructions of such medical practitioner, then, if it is thereafter proved that the workman has not been regularly attended by a qualified medical practitioner and that such refusal, failure or disregard was unreasonable in the circumstances

of the case and that the injury has been aggravated thereby, the injury and resulting disablement shall be deemed to be of the same nature and duration as they might reasonably have been expected to be if the workman had been regularly attended by a qualified medical practitioner and compensation, if any, shall be payable accordingly.

Sub-contracting.

12. (1) Where any person (in this section referred to as the principal) in the course of or for the purposes of his trade or business, contracts with any other person (in this section referred to as the contractor) for the execution by or under the contractor of the whole or any part of any work undertaken by the principal, the principal shall be liable to pay to any workman employed in the execution of the work any compensation under this Ordinance which he would have been liable to pay if that workman had been immediately employed by him; and where compensation is claimed from or proceedings are taken against the principal, then in the application of this Ordinance references to the principal shall be substituted for references to the employer, except that the amount of compensation shall be calculated with reference to the earnings of the workman under the employer by whom he is immediately employed.

Indemnity.

(2) Where the principal is liable to pay compensation under this section, he shall be entitled to be indemnified by any person who would have been liable to pay compensation to the workman independently of this section, and all questions as to the right to and the amount of any such indemnity shall, in default of agreement, be settled by the Commissioner.

Contractor.

(3) Nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing a workman recovering compensation under this Ordinance from the contractor instead of the principal.

Control of principal.

(4) This section shall not apply in any case where the accident occurred elsewhere than on, or in, or about the premises on which the principal has undertaken to execute the work or which are otherwise under his control or management.

Remedies both against employer and stranger.

13. Where the injury for which compensation is payable under this Ordinance was caused under circumstances creating a legal liability in some person other than the employer to pay damages in respect thereof -

Recovery of damages a bar.

(1) the workman may take proceedings both against that person to recover damages and against any person liable to pay compensation under this Ordinance for such compensation, but shall not be entitled to recover both damages and compensation; and

Indemnity by third party.

(2) if the workman has recovered compensation under this Ordinance, the person by whom the compensation was paid, and any person who has been called on to pay an indemnity under section 12 shall be entitled to be indemnified by the person so liable to pay damages as aforesaid, and all questions as to the right to and amount of any such indemnity shall, in default of agreement, be settled by action or, by consent of the parties, by a Commissioner.

Bankruptcy of employer.

14. (1) Where any employer has entered into a contract with any insurers in respect of any liability under this Ordinance to any workman, then in the event of the employer becoming bankrupt or making a composition or arrangement with his creditors or, if the employer is a company, in the event of the company having commenced to be wound up or a receiver or manager of the company's business or undertaking having been duly appointed, or possession

having been taken, by or on behalf of the holders of debentures secured by a floating charge, of any property comprised in or subject to the charge, the rights of the employer against the insurers as respects that liability shall, notwithstanding anything in the enactments relating to bankruptcy and the winding up of companies, be transferred to and vest in the workman, and upon any such transfer the insurers shall have the same rights and remedies and be subject to the same liabilities as if they were the employer, so, however, that the insurers shall not be under any greater liability to the workman than they would have been under to the employer.

Proof in bankruptcy.

(2) If the liability of the insurers to the workman is less than the liability of the employer to the workman, the workman may prove for the balance in the bankruptcy or liquidation, or, as the case may be, he may recover the balance from the receiver or manager.

Priority.

(3) There shall be included amongst the debts which -

(i) under the Preferential Payments in Bankruptcy Act, 1888, (U.K.) are, in the distribution of the property or assets of a bankrupt, to be paid in priority to all other debts;

(ii) under section 209 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, (U.K.) are, in the winding up of a company, to be paid in priority to all other debts;

the amount due in respect of any compensation or liability for compensation accrued before the following date, that is to say -

(a) in the first case the date of the receiving order;

(b) in the second case the date of the commencement of the winding up of the company;

(c) in the third case the date of the appointment of the receiver or of possession being taken mentioned in the said section.

Lump sum in lieu of payments.

Where the compensation is a half-monthly payment, the amount due in respect thereof shall, for the purposes of this provision, be taken to be the amount of the lump sum for which the half-monthly payment could, if redeemable, be redeemed if the employer made an application for that purpose under this Ordinance, and a certificate of the Commissioner as to the amount of such sums shall be conclusive proof thereof.

No priority if insured.

(4) The provisions of this section with respect to preferences and priorities shall not apply where the bankrupt or the company has entered into such a contract with insurers as aforesaid.

Voluntary liquidation.

(5) This section shall not apply where a company is wound up voluntarily merely for the purposes of reconstruction or of amalgamation with another company.

Returns as to compensation.

15. The Governor may, by notification in the Gazette direct that every person employing workmen, or that any specified class of such persons, shall send at such time and in such form and to such person, as may be specified in the notification, a correct return specifying the number of injuries in respect of which compensation has been paid by the employer during the previous year and the amount of such compensation, together with such other particulars as to the compensation as the Governor may direct. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this section shall be liable on summary conviction by a Magistrate to a penalty of five pounds.

Contracting out.

16. Any contract or agreement, whether made before or after the commencement of this Ordinance, whereby a workman relinquishes any right of compensation from the employer for personal injury arising out of or in the course of his employment, shall be null and void in so far as it purports to remove or reduce the liabililty of any person to pay compensation under this Ordinance.

Workmen in employment of Crown.

17. This Ordinance shall apply to workmen employed under the Crown in the same way and to the same extent as if the employer were a private person, except in the case of persons in the naval or military or air service of the Crown and persons in the Civil employment of His Majesty otherwise than in His Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands:

Provided that this Ordinance shall not apply in the case of a workman in, or selected for appointment to, the service of the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands before the date on which this Ordinance comes into operation where, in consequence of injury received by any such workman in the discharge of his duties, a pension or gratuity which would not be payable if such injury were received otherwise, is paid to him or, in the case of his death, to any of his dependants as defined in this Ordinance, under any Ordinance or Regulation providing for the grant of such pension or gratuity.

Workmen in employment of local authorities.

18. The provisions contained in the proviso to the last preceding shall *mutatis mutandis* apply in respect of a workman in the employment of any public or local authority where provisions exist by law or by bye-law or regulation made under a law for the grant of a pension or gratuity to such workman in the case of injury received by him in the discharge of his duties, or to any other person in the event of the workman's death resulting from that injury.

Commissioners.

Reference to Commissioners.

19. (1) If any question arises in any proceedings under this Ordinance as to the liability of any person to pay compensation (including any question as to whether a person injured is or is not a workman) or as to the amount or duration of compensation (including any question as to the nature or extent of disablement), the question shall, in default of agreement, be settled by the Commissioner.

(2) No Court shall have jurisdiction to settle, decide or deal with any question which is by or under this Ordinance required to be settled, decided or dealt with by a Commissioner, or, save as in this Ordinance, or any rule or regulation made thereunder is provided, to enforce any liability incurred under this Ordinance.

Appointment of Commissioners.

20. (1) The Governor may appoint any person to be a Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation for the Colony or for such district as he may specify, and may at any time cancel any such appointment.

(2) Any Commissioner may for the purpose of deciding any matter referred to him for decision under this Ordinance appoint one or more persons possessing special knowledge of any matter relevant to the matter under enquiry to assist him in holding the enquiry.

Venue of proceedings and transfer.

21. In the event of the appointment of Commissioners for districts -

(1) Where any matter is under this Ordinance to be done by or before a Commissioner, the same shall, subject to the

provisions of this Ordinance and to any regulations made hereunder, be done by or before the Commissioner for the district in which the accident took place which resulted in the injury.

(2) If a Commissioner is satisfied by any party to any proceedings under this Ordinance pending before him that such matter can be more conveniently dealt with by any other Commissioner, he may, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, order such matter to be transferred to such other Commissioner either for report or for disposal, and, if he does so the Registrar shall forthwith transmit to such other Commissioner all documents relevant for the decision of such matter and, where the matter is transferred for disposal, the Registrar shall also transmit in the prescribed manner any money remaining in his hands or invested by him for the benefit of any party to the proceedings.

(3) The Commissioner to whom any matter is so transferred shall, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance inquire thereinto and, if the matter was transferred for report, return his report thereon or, if the matter was transferred for disposal, continue the proceedings as if they had originally commenced before him.

(4) On receipt of a report from a Commissioner to whom any matter has been transferred for report under subsection (2), the Commissioner by whom it was referred shall decide the matter referred in conformity with such report.

Applications to Commissioner.

22. (1) No application for the settlement of any matter by a Commissioner shall be made unless and until some question has arisen between the parties in connection therewith which they have been unable to settle by agreement.

(2) Where any such question has arisen, the application may be made in such form and shall be accompanied by such fee, if any, as may be prescribed and shall contain, in addition to any particulars which may be prescribed, the following particulars, namely :-

(a) a concise statement of the circumstances in which the application is made and the relief or order which the applicant claims;

(b) in the case of a claim for compensation against an employer, the date of service of notice of the accident on the employer and, if such notice has not been served in due time, the reason for such omission;

(c) the names and addresses of the parties; and

(d) a concise statement of the matters on which agreement has and of those on which agreement has not been come to.

(3) If the applicant is illiterate or for any other reason is unable to furnish the required information in writing, the application shall, if the applicant so desires, be prepared under the direction of the Registrar.

Powers and procedure of Commissioners.

23. The Commissioner shall have all powers of the Supreme Court for the purpose of enforcing the attendance of witnesses compelling the production of documents and material objects, administering oaths and taking evidence, amending any defect or error in any proceeding, enlarging the time appointed for taking any proceeding or for doing any act, and punishing for contempt of Court.

Appearance of parties.

24. (1) Any appearance, application or act required to be made or done by any person before or to a Commissioner (other than an appearance of a party which is required for the purpose of his

examination as a witness) may be made or done on behalf of such person by a legal practitioner or, with the leave of the Commissioner, by his son, daughter, father, mother, brother, sister or wife or any person in his permanent employment.

(2) No person other than a legal practitioner who appears or acts on behalf of any party in connection with proceedings before a Commissioner under this Ordinance shall be entitled to any fee or reward for so appearing or acting.

Evidence to be recorded.

25. The Commissioner shall make notes of the evidence of every witness as the examination of the witness proceeds, and such notes shall be written and signed by the Commissioner with his own hand and shall form part of the record :

Provided that the evidence of any medical witness shall be taken down as nearly as may be word for word.

Costs.

26. All costs incidental to any proceedings before a Commissioner shall, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, be in the discretion of the Commissioner.

Registration of orders.

27. At the conclusion of the hearing of every application for the settlement of a matter by the Commissioner the Commissioner shall record his decision and order. Where the order directs the payment of compensation under this Ordinance or the variation of the amount or rate of payment of compensation previously ordered by the Commissioner or settled by agreement, the Commissioner shall direct the Registrar to record a memorandum of his order in a register in the prescribed manner.

Registration of agreements.

28. (1) Where the amount of compensation under this Ordinance has been settled or varied by agreement, a memorandum thereof shall be sent by the employer, and may be sent by any party interested, to the Commissioner, who shall, on being satisfied as to its genuineness, direct the Registrar to record the memorandum in a register in the prescribed manner :

Provided that -

(a) no such memorandum shall be recorded before seven days after communication by the Registrar of notice to the parties concerned;

(b) where a workman seeks to record a memorandum of agreement between his employer and himself for the payment of compensation and the employer proves that the workman has, in fact, returned to work and is earning the same wages as he did before the accident and objects to recording of such memorandum, the memorandum shall only be recorded, if at all, on such terms as the Commissioner thinks just in the circumstances;

(c) the Commissioner may at any time rectify the register;

(d) where it appears to the Commissioner that an agreement as to the payment of a lump sum, whether by way of redemption of a half-monthly payment or otherwise, or an agreement as to the amount of compensation payable to a person under any legal disability, or to dependants, ought not to be registered by reason of the inadequacy of the sum or amount, or by reason of the agreement having been obtained by fraud or undue influence or other improper means, he may refuse to record the memorandum of the agreement or may make such order,

including an order as to any sum already paid under the agreement, as he thinks just in the circumstances;

(e) the Commissioner may, within six months after a memorandum of an agreement as to the payment of a lump sum, whether by way of redemption of half-monthly payment or otherwise, or of an agreement as to the amount of compensation payable to a person under any legal disability or to dependants, has been recorded in the register, order that the record be removed from the register on proof to his satisfaction that the agreement was obtained by fraud or undue influence or other improper means, and may make such order (including an order as to any sum already paid under the agreement) as he thinks just in the circumstances.

Costs paid by employer to workman's solicitor to be disclosed.

(2) Any memorandum of agreement to which this section applies shall disclose the amount (if any) paid or payable under or in respect of the agreement by the employer to the solicitor and counsel for the workman or his dependants as costs, and, if it appears to the Commissioner that the amount is excessive, the Commissioner shall, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, tax such costs; or order the same to be taxed by the Registrar, and if the costs are reduced on taxation, the amount of such reduction shall either be applied or dealt with for the benefit of the workman or his dependants, or paid to the employer.

Enforcement of orders and agreements as Supreme Court judgments.

29. Every memorandum and every amendment to a memorandum registered under section 27 or section 28 and every order made under section 28, when recorded as required by the said sections, shall thereupon for all purposes be enforceable as a Supreme Court judgment.

Effect of failure to register agreement.

30. Where a memorandum of any agreement, the registration of which is required by section 28, is not sent to the Commissioner as required by that section, the employer shall be liable to pay the full amount of compensation which he is liable to pay under the provisions of this Ordinance, and notwithstanding anything contained in the proviso to subsection (1) of section 4 shall not, unless the Commissioner otherwise directs, be entitled to deduct more than half of any amount paid to the workman by way of compensation whether under the agreement or otherwise.

Appeals.

31. (1) With the leave of the Chief Justice, or upon the certificate of the Commissioner making the order that it is a fit case for appeal from his order, an appeal shall lie to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in summary jurisdiction from any order of a Commissioner where a question of law is involved in the appeal.

(2) An appeal shall lie to the Supreme Court in its summary jurisdiction as of right from the following orders of a Commissioner, namely :-

(a) an order awarding as compensation a lump sum whether by way of redemption of a half-monthly payment or otherwise or disallowing a claim in full or in part for a lump sum;

(b) an order refusing to allow redemption of a half-monthly payment;

(c) an order providing for the distribution of compensation among the dependants of a deceased woman or disallowing any claim of a person alleging himself to be such a dependant;

(d) an order allowing or disallowing any claim for the amount of an indemnity under the provisions of subsection (2) of section 12; or

(e) an order refusing to register a memorandum of agreement or registering the same or providing for the registration of the same subject to conditions:

Provided that no appeal under this subsection shall lie against any order unless a question of law is involved in the appeal, and in the case of an order other than an order such as is referred to in clause (b) unless the amount in dispute in the appeal is not less than fifty pounds.

(3) Notwithstanding anything herein contained, no appeal shall lie in any case in which the parties have agreed to abide by the decision of the Commissioner or in which the order of the Commissioner gives effect to an agreement come to by the parties.

(4) Save in so far as the same may be modified by any rules made under this Ordinance, the rules of the Supreme Court for the time being in force as to appeals to that Court in civil matters shall, with the necessary modifications, apply to appeals under this section from orders of the Commissioner.

Rules and Regulations.

Rules of Court.

32. (1) The Chief Justice may make rules of Court for regulating the procedure and practice in respect of appeals under section 31.

(2) No such rules of Court shall come into operation until the same shall have been laid before the Legislative Council and published in two consecutive issues of the Gazette; but when the same shall come into operation they shall have effect as if enacted by this Ordinance and shall be judicially noticed.

Power of the Governor-in-Council to make regulations.

33. (1) The Governor-in-Council may make regulations for all or any of the following purposes, that is to say:-

(a) for prescribing the intervals at which and the conditions subject to which an application for review may be made under section 6 when not accompanied by a medical certificate;

(b) for prescribing the intervals at which and the conditions subject to which a workman may be required to submit himself for medical examination under subsection (1) of section 11;

(c) for prescribing the procedure to be followed by Commissioners in the disposal of matters under this Ordinance and by the parties in such matters;

(d) for regulating the transfer of matters from one Commissioner to another and the transfer of money in such matters;

(e) for prescribing the manner in which money in the hands of a Registrar may be invested for the benefit of dependants of a deceased workman;

(f) for the representation in proceedings before Commissioners of parties who are minors or are unable to make an appearance;

(g) for prescribing the form and manner in which memoranda of agreements shall be presented to and registered by Commissioners;

(h) for the withholding by Commissioners, whether in whole or in part, of half-monthly payments pending decision on applications for review of the same;

(i) for prescribing the costs which may be allowed in respect of any claim or proceedings under this Ordinance;

(j) for prescribing the fees to be paid in respect of any claim or proceedings under this Ordinance;

(k) for prescribing the fees to be paid to any person appointed to assist a Commissioner under the provisions of subsection (2) of section 20;

(l) for the maintenance by the Registrar of registers and records of proceedings before the Commissioners;

(m) for providing for any matters which are authorized by this Ordinance to be prescribed;

(n) generally for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance.

Regulations to be approved by the Legislative Council.

(2) All regulations made under this section shall be laid before the Legislative Council for approval, and when so approved shall have the same force and effect as if they were contained in this Ordinance.

Publication of regulations.

(3) All regulations made under this section shall be published in the Gazette and shall be judicially noticed.

Rules as to transfer of funds.

34. (1) Where an arrangement has been made whereby sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in the Colony of the Falkland Islands to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in the United Kingdom or in any other part of His Majesty's dominions, and sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in the United Kingdom or in such other part of His Majesty's dominions to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in the Colony of the Falkland Islands, may, at the request of the authority by which the award is made, be transferred to and administered by a competent authority in the United Kingdom or in such other part of His Majesty's dominions or in the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as the case may be, the Governor in Council may make rules-

(a) for the transfer, in such manner as may be provided by the arrangement, to the United Kingdom or that part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement is made of any money in the disposition of the Court, applicable for the benefit of any person resident in or about to reside in the United Kingdom or such other part of His Majesty's dominions;

(b) for the receipt and administration by an officer appointed by the Governor for this purpose of any money which under any such arrangement has been transmitted from the United Kingdom or the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement has been made as money applicable for the benefit of any person resident or about to reside in the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

(2) For the purposes of this section, "His Majesty's dominions" includes British protectorates and protected states and territories in respect of which a mandate on behalf of the League of Nations has been accepted by His Majesty.

Commencement.

35. This Ordinance shall commence and come into operation on a day to be fixed by the Governor by proclamation in the Gazette, which shall be judicially noticed.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

List of Injuries deemed to result in Permanent Partial Disablement.

Injury.	Percentage of loss of earning capacity.
Loss of either arm above or at the elbow	70
Loss of either arm below the elbow	60
Loss of leg at or above the knee	60
Loss of leg below the knee	50
Permanent total loss of hearing	50
Loss of one eye	30
Loss of thumb	25
Loss of all toes of one foot	20
Loss of one phalanx of thumb	10
Loss of index finger	10
Loss of great toe	10
Loss of any finger other than index finger	5

Complete and permanent loss of the use of any limb or member referred to in this Schedule shall be deemed to be the equivalent of the loss of that limb or member.

A Bill

To extend to the Colony and Dependencies thereof The Forgery Act, 1913, of the Imperial Parliament.

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 :— **Enacting Clause.**

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Forgery Ordinance, 1937". **Short Title.**

2. From and after the passing of this Ordinance the provisions of the Forgery Act, 1913, of the Imperial Parliament as modified by the Criminal Justice Act, 1925, and the Currency (Convention) Act, 1935, shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to the Colony and to the Dependencies thereof. **Extension of the Forgery Act, 1913, to the Colony and Dependencies.**

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

A Bill

To give effect to the International Labour Convention concerning the protection against accidents of workers employed in loading or unloading ships.

Enacting Clause.

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 "Shipworkers Protection Ordinance, 1937".

The Governor in Council may make regulations for the protection of workers.

2. The Governor in Executive Council may make regulations for the protection against accidents of workers employed in loading, unloading, moving and handling goods in, on, or at any dock, wharf or jetty, or in loading, unloading, or coaling any ship in any dock or harbour.

Penalty for breach of regulations.

3. If any person acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, any regulation under this Ordinance, he shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds and, in the case of a continuing offence, to a penalty not exceeding two pounds for every day during which the offence continues after conviction therefor.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

A Bill

To provide for the safe storage of Petroleum.

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 "Petroleum Ordinance, 1937".

2. In this Ordinance

Interpretation.

"GOVERNMENT PETROLEUM WAREHOUSE" means any place or places provided by the Governor for the storage of petroleum.

"LICENSED PETROLEUM WAREHOUSE" means a warehouse licensed for the storage of petroleum under the provisions of this Ordinance.

"PETROLEUM" means any kind of mineral oil, and any oil product or by-product made or obtained from petroleum, asphalt, coal, shale, schist, peat, or lignite, or made from any petroliferous or bituminous substance: Provided that the Governor may by Order in Council exclude from this definition such products of petroleum as he may deem expedient.

"PRESCRIBED" means prescribed by the Governor in Council by regulations made under the provisions of this Ordinance.

"VOLATILE PETROLEUM" means such petroleum as gives off an inflammable vapour at a lower temperature than seventy three degrees of Fahrenheit thermometer to be tested and ascertained in the manner set forth in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance.

Provision of stores and warehouses by Governor.

3. (1) The Governor shall provide a place or places for the storage of petroleum.

(2) The owner of any petroleum deposited in any such place shall pay to the Director of Public Works such charges as may from time to time be prescribed.

(3) Regulations may be prescribed for the use and management of any place or places provided under the provisions of sub-section (1) hereof.

Petroleum.

Notice of intention to import petroleum.

4. (1) The consignee of any petroleum on board any vessel arriving in the Falkland Islands shall before landing such petroleum furnish the Director of Public Works with the following particulars thereof :-

(a) Whether or not such petroleum be volatile,

(b) The quantity of such petroleum,

(c) The quality of such petroleum,

(d) The brands of such petroleum,

(e) The marks of such petroleum.

(2) Any person importing into the Falkland Islands any petroleum in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence.

Landing of petroleum and deposit of petroleum on landing.

5. (1) All petroleum imported into the Falkland Islands shall be landed under the supervision of the Director of Public Works and shall be immediately stored in a Government petroleum warehouse or in a licensed petroleum warehouse, or in any tank specially licensed by the Governor in that behalf.

(2) Any person contravening the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence.

Smoking etc., prohibited when petroleum being landed.

6. No person shall smoke or have any naked light within thirty yards of any place where petroleum is being landed.

Samples of petroleum not landed as volatile petroleum, to be taken.

7. (1) Within twenty-four hours of the landing of any petroleum the Director of Public Works shall cause not less than two samples of each quality, brand or mark respectively to be taken and such samples shall be tested in the prescribed manner: Provided that this section shall not apply to petroleum which before the landing thereof was declared to be volatile petroleum under the provisions of section 4 hereof.

(2) If upon the test provided for in sub-section (1) hereof any petroleum is certified to be volatile petroleum such petroleum shall for all purposes be deemed to be volatile petroleum.

(3) The owner of any petroleum to which sub-section (1) hereof shall apply who shall refuse to allow any such samples to be taken shall be guilty of an offence.

Licence to store petroleum.

8. (1) The Governor may grant licence to any person to store petroleum in a licensed petroleum warehouse licensed in accordance with the prescribed regulations.

(2) The Governor may at his discretion grant a special licence to any person to store petroleum in a tank.

(3) Any person to whom a licence to store petroleum shall be granted under the provisions of sub-sections (1) or (2) hereof who shall store petroleum otherwise than in accordance with the terms of such licence shall be guilty of an offence.

Licence to deal in and to sell petroleum.

9. (1) The Director of Public Works may grant licence to any person to deal in or sell petroleum in accordance with the prescribed regulations.

(2) Any person,

(a) dealing in or selling petroleum who shall not be the holder of a licence issued under the provision of sub-section (1) hereof, or

(b) who being the holder of a licence issued under the provision of sub-section (1) hereof deals in or sells petroleum otherwise than in accordance with the terms of such licence,

shall be guilty of an offence.

Storage of petroleum.

10. (1) Save as expressly provided in sub-section (2) hereof, all petroleum shall be stored in a Government petroleum warehouse or in a licensed petroleum warehouse or in a specially licensed tank.

(2) The provisions of sub-section (1) hereof shall not apply to

(a) petroleum kept and stored,

(i) in drums, tanks or pumps to be used for the purpose of being supplied to the public for use as fuel in internal combustion engines, including the engines of motor vehicles: Provided such drums, tanks or pumps comply in all respects with the prescribed regulations,

(ii) in the fuel tank of any internal combustion engine, including motor vehicles,

(iii) in garages: Provided such petroleum is kept in accordance with the prescribed regulations,

(iv) in sealed tins for private use where the quantity so kept does not exceed four Imperial gallons,

(v) for sale where the quantity of petroleum does not exceed eighty Imperial gallons, and such petroleum is kept in accordance with the prescribed regulations. This sub-paragraph shall not apply to petroleum kept and stored in pumps or in garages.

(vi) in any place not less than half a mile from the town of Stanley.

(b) Petroleum imported for use in a Government laboratory, botanical or experimental station, or for scientific, experimental or research work.

(3) The owner of any petroleum or any person storing petroleum, which is stored otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence.

(4) When any quantity of petroleum exceeding forty Imperial gallons is delivered from a Government petroleum warehouse, or from any licensed petroleum warehouse, the Director of

Public Works shall within three hours from such delivery satisfy himself that such petroleum has been stored, or otherwise dealt with in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

General.

Offences.

11. Any person guilty of an offence against the provisions of this Ordinance or of any regulations made thereunder shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £100 or to imprisonment with or without hard labour for a term not exceeding twelve months.

Search warrant for petroleum.

12. If any person shall prove on oath before any Magistrate a reasonable cause to suspect that any person has in his possession or on his premises any petroleum kept in contravention of this Ordinance or of any regulation made thereunder, such Magistrate may grant a similar warrant to any officer or constable of police to search for such petroleum as may be granted in the case of stolen goods, and all such petroleum shall be seized by such officer or constable of police.

Liability to forfeiture of petroleum.

13. The whole or any part of any petroleum kept or stored in contravention of the provisions of this Ordinance or of any regulations made hereunder may be seized by the Director of Public Works, or by any Customs Officer or by any member of the Falkland Islands Police Force, and upon complaint being made before a Magistrate may be adjudged by such Magistrate to be forfeited to the Crown.

Forfeiture of licence.

14. If any person to whom a licence may be granted under the provisions of this Ordinance or any regulations made thereunder shall be convicted of any offence against this Ordinance such licence shall upon such conviction become void.

Power to make regulations.

15. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to make and when made to vary and revoke regulations for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance: Provided that until such regulations shall be made the regulations respectively contained in the Schedules to this Ordinance shall be in force.

Date of coming into operation.

16. This Ordinance shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by notice by the Governor in the official Gazette.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

First Schedule.

Regulations for the use and management of Government petroleum warehouses, and to fix charges in respect of petroleum stored therein.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 3.)

1. CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT. Government petroleum warehouses shall be under the control and management of the Director of Public Works.

2. STORAGE OF PETROLEUM. All petroleum shall be stored under the supervision of, and in accordance with the instructions of, the Director of Public Works. Volatile petroleum shall be stored separately from petroleum other than volatile.

3. LEAKING CONTAINERS. No leaking containers shall be stored in a Government warehouse. If any containers in a Government warehouse are found to be leaking the owner thereof shall be notified and he shall immediately deal with such containers in accordance with the instructions of the Director of Public Works.

4. DELIVERIES. All deliveries from a Government warehouse shall be made under the supervision of a Public Works officer.

Deliveries will be made only at the following times:-

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Saturday between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Deliveries will not be made on Bank Holidays.

Nothing in this regulation shall be deemed to require a Public Works officer to pass a warrant after 3 p.m.

5. NOTICE AND BARRIERS. The Director of Public Works may by appropriate notice erected on or near a Government warehouse prohibit any person not having *bona fide* business thereat from approaching such warehouse within the limits set out in such notice. Any person not having *bona fide* business at a Government warehouse and approaching within a limit so prohibited shall be guilty of an offence.

The Director of Public Works may erect such barrier or barriers near thereto or around a Government warehouse as he shall think fit.

6. PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FIRE. (1) No person shall smoke or have any naked flame in or within a distance of thirty feet of any Government warehouse.

(2) No person in a Government warehouse shall have on or about his person any matches or implements for producing flame or fire or any materials for smoking.

(3) No person shall bring into, or use in any Government warehouse any artificial light of any description except a light incapable of igniting any inflammable vapour outside of the lamp itself.

(4) Any person contravening sub-paragraphs (1), (2) or (3) of this regulation shall be guilty of an offence.

7. PROVISION OF SAND. The Director of Public Works shall maintain in every Government warehouse an adequate quantity of sand in suitable receptacles to be used in case of fire.

8. CHARGES. Warehouse rent for any petroleum stored in a Government warehouse shall be as follows:-

For every eight gallons of petroleum for each calendar month or part of such month the sum of three pence, and so in proportion for any greater or lesser quantity: Provided that no rent shall be charged for the first forty-eight hours.

9. COPY OF REGULATIONS TO BE DISPLAYED. A copy of these regulations shall be displayed in a conspicuous place in every Government petroleum warehouse, at the place or places where petroleum is usually landed, and in the Public Works Department.

Second Schedule.

Regulations for testing petroleum.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 7.)

1. PERSONS QUALIFIED TO TEST. All tests of petroleum shall be carried out by the Director of Public Works or by such other qualified person or persons as the Governor shall appoint in that behalf.

2. METHOD OF TEST. All tests shall be carried out by the method known as the "Able Close Test."

3. TIME IN WHICH TEST TO BE MADE. The test provided for by these regulations shall be carried out within twenty-four hours of the receipt of the samples to be tested by the person authorised to make the test.

4. CERTIFICATE. A certificate in the following form shall be given in respect of all petroleum tested under these regulations:-

Certificate of Test of Petroleum.

I hereby certify that I have tested in accordance with the prescribed regulations the samples of petroleum marked ..... forwarded to me to be tested on the ..... day of .....19..... and that such samples consist of ..... within the meaning of the Petroleum Ordinance, 1937.

Signed.....

Date.....

5. FEES. The following fees shall be paid out of the general revenue to persons authorised under these regulations to test petroleum:-

For testing each set of two samples three shillings:

Provided that no fee shall be payable hereunder to any Government officer unless expressly authorised by the Governor.

Third Schedule.

Regulations for the construction, use and management of licensed petroleum warehouses.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 8.)

1. LICENSING OF WAREHOUSE. No warehouse shall be licensed under these regulations unless

(a) The position thereof shall have been approved by the Director of Public Works.

(b) The Director of Public Works shall certify that such warehouse is constructed in accordance with the following regulations.

2. FORM OF LICENCE. A Licence to store petroleum in a warehouse shall be in the following form:-

Licence is hereby granted to ..... of ..... to store in accordance with the Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, and the regulations made thereunder not more than ..... gallons of ..... in the warehouse known as ..... and situated .....

This licence expires on the.....day of....., 19.....

Director of Public Works.

Dated.....

3. FEE. The fee for any licence granted under these regulations shall be £1 per quarter or any part thereof.

4. CONSTRUCTION. (1) Warehouses shall be constructed of concrete, or brick or stone, with walls eighteen inches at least in thickness and shall have a roof of galvanised iron or other non-inflammable material, and shall have double iron doors with slots or recesses therein arranged as far as possible to prevent leakage of gas or air, and shall have floors of sand or earth sufficiently porous to absorb immediately not less than one thousand gallons of fluid: Provided that where a warehouse is and remains not less than sixty feet from the nearest building thereto such warehouse may be built of any non-inflammable material to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works, and may have a floor of concrete or brick or stone.

(2) There shall be exhibited on every warehouse so as to be clearly visible from every side thereof, a permanent notice or notices bearing the words, "Danger Petroleum".

5. POSITION. No warehouse shall be licensed for the storage of petroleum unless such warehouse is not less than thirty feet from the nearest building.

6. CONTROL OF LICENSED WAREHOUSE. The Director of Public Works shall have control of all warehouses licensed under the provisions of these regulations, whether or not the petroleum stored therein is duty paid. Two locks shall be placed upon every door respectively of such warehouses one by the licensee of such warehouse and one by the Director of Public Works.

7. STORAGE OF PETROLEUM. All petroleum shall be stored under the supervision of, and in accordance with the instructions of a Public Works officer. Volatile petroleum shall be stored separately from petroleum other than volatile.

8. LEAKING CONTAINERS. Any containers in a licensed warehouse found to be in a leaking condition shall be dealt with in accordance with the instructions of the Director of Public Works.

9. PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FIRE. (1) No person in a warehouse shall,

(a) smoke or have any naked light therein, or

(b) have on or about his person any matches or implements for producing flame or fire, or

(c) bring thereinto or use any artificial light of any description except a light incapable of igniting any inflammable vapour outside of the lamp itself.

(2) Any person contravening this regulation shall be guilty of an offence.

10. PROVISION OF SAND. There shall be maintained in every warehouse to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works an adequate quantity of sand in suitable receptacles to be used in case of fire.

11. DELIVERIES. The licensee of any warehouse desiring to make deliveries therefrom shall give to the Director of Public Works not less than an hour's notice.

All deliveries from a licensed warehouse shall be made at the following times:-

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Saturday between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Deliveries will not be made on Bank Holidays.

Nothing in this regulation shall be deemed to require a Public Works Officer to pass a warrant after 3 p.m.

12. COPY OF REGULATIONS TO BE DISPLAYED. A copy of these regulations shall be displayed in a conspicuous place in every warehouse, and in the Public Works Department.

Fourth Schedule.

Regulations for granting licences to deal in or sell petroleum.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 9.)

1. FORM OF LICENCE. A licence to deal in or sell petroleum may be granted by the Director of Public Works at his discretion and shall be in the following form:-

Licence is hereby granted to ..... of.....to deal in and sell *..... in accordance with the provisions of the Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, and the regulations made thereunder in and from his premises known as ..... and situated .....

This licence expires on the ..... day of ..... 19.....

Dated..... Director of Public Works.

* State whether licence is to sell petroleum, or petroleum other than volatile petroleum only.

2. FEE. The fee for any licence granted under these regulations shall be 1s/- per quarter or part thereof.

3. APPEAL. Any person aggrieved by the grant of or refusal of a licence under these regulations by the Director of Public Works may appeal to the Governor in Council, and the decision of the Governor in Council thereon shall be final.

Fifth Schedule.

Regulations for the erection and construction of pumps, drums and tanks for the storage of petroleum.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 10.)

1. PUMPS TO BE LICENSED. No pumps shall be used for the storage of petroleum unless such pump is licensed in accordance with these regulations by the Governor.

2. LICENSING OF PUMPS. No fixed pumps shall be licensed unless,

(a) the position of such pump shall be approved by the Chief Constable, and

(b) the Director of Public Works shall certify that such pump is constructed in accordance with these regulations.

3. CONSTRUCTION AND CAPACITY OF FIXED PUMPS. (1) Fixed supply pumps and the storage tank to be used in connection therewith shall be constructed of iron, steel or concrete of a design approved by the Director of Public Works and shall be fitted with hoses and couplings in good condition and without leaks. The air inlet shall be so arranged that the blast or explosion of any flame which may issue therefrom shall not impinge upon any part of the pump or tank or upon any inflammable substance.

(2) The storage tank in connection with any fixed supply pump shall be of a capacity not exceeding four hundred gallons and shall be embedded in such a way that the top thereof is at no part thereof above two feet of the level of the surrounding ground: Provided that where the capacity of the storage tank does not exceed eighty-five gallons, such tank may be placed in any building in the construction of which no inflammable material is used and which is approved by the Director of Public Works.

4. CONSTRUCTION AND STORAGE OF MOVEABLE SUPPLY PUMPS. Moveable supply pumps the tanks of which shall not exceed a capacity of eighty-five gallons, shall be constructed of iron or steel of a design approved by the Director of Public Works and shall be fitted with hoses and couplings in good condition and without leaks. The air inlet shall be so arranged that the blast or explosion of any flame which may issue therefrom shall not impinge upon any part of the pump or tank or upon any inflammable substance.

5. STORAGE OF MOVEABLE SUPPLY PUMPS. Moveable pumps when not in use shall be stored in a place approved by the Director of Public Works.

6. USE OF MOVEABLE SUPPLY PUMPS. Moveable pumps may be placed only in,

(a) such position on the pavement or sidewalk that they may be clearly seen by the public and by the person in charge thereof, and

(b) such place or places as shall be approved by the Chief Constable.

7. FORM OF LICENCE. (1) A licence to store petroleum in a fixed pump shall be in the following form:-

Licence is hereby granted to ..... of ..... to store petroleum in accordance with the Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, and the regulations made thereunder in a pump to be erected and maintained at..... .....

This licence expires on the ..... day of ..... 19.....

Date..... Director of Public Works.

(2) A licence to store petroleum in a moveable pump or pump other than a fixed pump shall be in the following form:-

Licence is hereby granted to ..... of ..... to store petroleum in accordance with the Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, and the regulations made thereunder in a moveable supply pump to be kept and maintained at .....

This licence expires on the ..... day of ..... 19.....

Date..... Director of Public Works.

8. FEES. The fee for any licence granted under these regulations shall be as follows :-

For every licence to store petroleum in a fixed pump 2/6 per quarter or any part thereof.

For every licence to store petroleum in a moveable pump 1/6 per quarter or any part thereof.

Sixth Schedule.

Regulations for the storage of petroleum in garages.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 10.)

1. QUANTITY TO BE STORED. A quantity of petroleum not exceeding twenty gallons, exclusive of petroleum in the fuel tanks of motor vehicles, may be kept in a garage in accordance with these regulations: Provided that nothing in this regulation shall be deemed to prevent the storage of petroleum in a pump licensed under the regulations contained in the fifth Schedule or any regulations amending the same.

2. METHOD OF STORING. All petroleum in garages, other than petroleum in the fuel tanks of motor vehicles, shall be kept in sound tins or drums, and such tins and drums shall be stored and kept in a non-inflammable chamber, fitted with a non-inflammable door, such chamber and door to be constructed to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works in a place approved by him.

3. STORING OF TINS OR DRUMS. All tins or drums used for containing petroleum whether containing petroleum or not shall be kept in the chamber provided for in the preceding regulation.

4. LEAKING TINS OR DRUMS. Any tin or drum in any garage containing petroleum found to be in a leaking or damaged condition shall immediately be removed from the garage to a place of safety in the open air.

5. PROVISION OF SAND. In every garage in which petroleum is stored otherwise than in the fuel tanks of motor vehicles, there shall be maintained to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works, an adequate quantity of sand in suitable receptacles to be used in case of fire.

6. PRIVATE GARAGES. Notwithstanding anything contained in regulations 1, 2 or 3 hereof there may be kept in a private garage in addition to any petroleum in the fuel tank of any motor vehicle therein a quantity of petroleum not exceeding four Imperial gallons provided such petroleum is kept in a sealed tin or sealed tins.

Seventh Schedule.

Regulations for petroleum kept for sale, otherwise than in pumps or in garages.

(Petroleum Ordinance, 1937, Section 10.)

1. QUANTITY TO BE STORED. A quantity not exceeding forty gallons of petroleum and of petroleum not being volatile petroleum, respectively may be kept for sale in accordance with these regulations.

2. METHOD OF STORING. All petroleum kept for sale shall be stored in sound tins or drums, and when such tins or drums contain or have contained volatile petroleum, they shall be kept and stored in a non-inflammable chamber, fitted with a non-inflammable door, such chamber and door to be constructed to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works in a place approved by him.

3. LEAKING TINS OR DRUMS. Any tin or drum found to be in a leaking or damaged condition shall be immediately removed to a place of safety in the open air.

4. PROVISION OF SAND. There shall be maintained to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works in the vicinity of any petroleum stored for sale an adequate quantity of sand in suitable receptacles to be used in case of fire.

A Bill

To amend the Public Health Ordinance, 1894, as amended by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931.

Enacting Clause.

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 Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1937, and shall be read and construed as one with the Public Health Ordinance, 1894, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

Repeal of Ordinance No. 6 of 1931.

2. The Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 6 of 1931, is hereby repealed.

Section 1 of Principal Ordinance amended.

3. Section one of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the following Section:-

1. There shall be a Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands composed of the following members:-

The Senior Medical Officer who shall be Chairman of the Board, the Government Medical Officers and such other members not exceeding five as shall be appointed annually by the Governor in Council, and it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to fill up any vacancy or vacancies which may occur during any year on the said Board.

Section 16 of Principal Ordinance amended.

4. Section sixteen of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the following section:-

16. Any Inspector of Nuisances shall have power to enter any wharf, shop, yard or building used for the sale of butcher's meat, and examine any meat or flesh intended for the food of man, and if it shall appear that the same is unfit for food it shall be seized and the matter at once reported to the Agricultural Adviser, and if it appears to the said Agricultural Adviser that any of the said articles are unsound or unfit for the food of man he shall order the same to be destroyed and the person to whom the same belongs or in whose possession or on whose premises the same was found shall be liable on conviction before two Justices of the Peace or the Police Magistrate of the Colony, to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds for every such offence.

Section 18 of Principal Ordinance amended.

5. Section 18 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of sub-section (viii).

Repeal of Sections 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26 of the Principal Ordinance.

6. Sections twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five and twenty-six of the Principal Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 62. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
31st May, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor and Commander-in Chief has been pleased to appoint

2ND. LIEUTENANT L. W. ALDRIDGE,
Falkland Islands Defence Force,

to act as Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency with effect from the 21st of May, 1937.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/17.

No. 63. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
31st May, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs the publication of the following Address transmitted to His Majesty the King on the occasion of Their Majesties' Coronation, and of a telegram which has been received from the Secretary of State conveying His Majesty's appreciation of the good wishes offered by the Government and people of the Falkland Islands.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 289/36.

ADDRESS.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY :

WE, the Governor and Commander-in-Chief and the Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils of the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, humbly approach your Majesty to offer on behalf of the whole of the people of these Islands our heartfelt congratulations to Your Majesty and Queen Elizabeth on the happy occasion of Your Majesties' Coronation.

In this far distant outpost our hearts are filled with pride and gratitude at the knowledge that we form a link in the chain which binds together a glorious Empire.

Secure in the affection of Your Majesty and assured of Your Majesty's watchful care on our behalf, we are ever Your Majesty's loyal subjects, and on such an occasion as the present we are one in joining in the universal rejoicings throughout the Empire on the auspicious event of the Coronation of Your Majesty and Queen Elizabeth, and we are one in our desire to express the feelings of unfailing devotion which we entertain towards the persons of Your Majesties.

That it may please Almighty God to Bless Your Majesty's reign is the fervent prayer of Your

Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects in the Falkland Islands and their Dependencies.

(Sgd.) M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Colonial Secretary.

(Sgd.) G. KINNEARD,
Senior Medical Officer.

(Sgd.) A. R. HOARE,
Superintendent of Education.

(Sgd.) L. W. H. YOUNG, M.E.C., M.L.C.

(Sgd.) V. A. H. BIGGS, M.L.C.

(Sgd.) H. HENNIKER HEATON,
Governor & Commander-in-Chief.

TELEGRAM.

28TH MAY. Your despatch No. 61. The Address has been laid before the King who has commanded that an expression of warm appreciation of the good wishes offered on the occasion of his Coronation by the Government and people of the Falkland Islands may be conveyed to them on behalf of himself and Her Majesty the Queen.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

No. 64. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st June, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday a Ceremonial Parade will be held at 11.0 a.m. on Wednesday the 9th of June, 1937, on the general lines of similar Parades which have taken place in past years.

The Parade, which will be inspected by the Acting Governor and Commander-in-Chief and at which His Excellency will take the salute, will form up in the Government House Paddock, and will comprise the Falkland Islands Defence Force, the Stanley Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs, and the Stanley Girl Guides and Brownies under their respective Officers.

If weather conditions are unsuitable the Parade will be held in the Town Hall.

It is desired that all Government Officials and as many members of the public as possible should be present.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 41/37.

No. 65. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st June, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. WILLIAM BARLAS, J.P.,

Magistrate, South Georgia, to act as Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to Councils during the absence on leave of Captain A. I. Fleuret, with effect from the 20th of May, 1937.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/7.

No. 66. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
24th June, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MISS ELAINE CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

to act as Private Secretary with effect from the 22nd of May, 1937.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/203.

No. 67. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
24th June, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MAJOR THE HONOURABLE M. J. STEWART,

Treasurer and Collector of Customs, etc., to act as Colonial Secretary in addition to performing the duties of his substantive office during the period His Excellency is administering the Government of the Colony, with effect from the 23rd of June, 1937.

By Command,
W. BARLAS,
for Colonial Secretary.

M.P P/173.

THE MARRIAGE ORDINANCE, (No. 8 of 1902.)

Under the authority contained in Section 2 of the Marriage Ordinance, No. 8 of 1902, I hereby appoint

MR. A. W. BEARDMORE,

to be a Registrar for the purpose of celebrating a marriage between

Frederick Aubrey Sedgwick – Bachelor
and
Malvina Frances Aiken – Divorced.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Registrar General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
10th June, 1937.

THE MARRIAGE ORDINANCE, (No. 8 of 1902.)

Under the authority contained in Section 2 of the Marriage Ordinance, No. 8 of 1902, I hereby appoint

MR. A. W. BEARDMORE,

to be a Registrar for the purpose of celebrating a marriage between

Leonard Mackintosh Turner - Bachelor
and
Lena Grace Gertrude Perry - Spinster.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Registrar-General.

Registrar General's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
15th June, 1937.

PROBATE NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Isabella Watson, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Duncan R. Watson, son of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th June, 1937.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

George Isaac Turner, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Mary Turner, as sole executrix, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving a Will dated 31st August, 1934.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th June, 1937.

THE KING EDWARD HOSPITAL ORDINANCE, 1916.

The Hospital Fees Regulations, 1937.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.

His Excellency the Governor in virtue of the powers in him vested by the King Edward Hospital Ordinance, 1916, and otherwise, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, is hereby pleased to make the following regulations:-

1. These regulations may be cited as the "Hospital Fees Regulations, 1937." Short Title.

2. Sub-section (iii) of Section 2A. and the paragraph under Section 2B. of the Hospital, Medical, Maternity and Dental Fees Regulations, 1935, relating to ordinary medicines and dressings as amended by the Hospital Fees (Amendment) Regulations, 1935, shall apply to all recognized Ministers of Religion.

3. Section 2A. of the Hospital, Medical, Maternity and Dental Fees Regulations, 1935, is hereby amended by the addition after sub-section (v) of the following sub-sections:-

(vi) Residents in the Colony who contribute to Medical revenue under any approved contributory scheme and who are known as "Camp Subscribers" shall be admitted to the Hospital upon the recommendation of a Government Medical Officer, and shall receive all necessary medical and surgical treatment, free of charge.

(vii) Whenever it shall become necessary in the opinion of a Government Medical Officer to transport a Camp subscriber to the Hospital for treatment, then in such case the Government shall if circumstances require pay one-half the cost of such transport but in no case shall the sum so paid be in excess of the sum of £25.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 23rd June, 1937.

W. BARLAS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

M.P. 488/28.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual

the Falkland Islands for the

REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.	Estimated 1937.			Amount received to 31st March, 1937.			Receipts for same period, 1936.			¾ More than estimated, 1937.			¾ Less than estimated, 1937.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance on 1st Jan., 1937	.....			2365	1	5	.....			.....			.....		
1. Customs Duties ...	3500	0	0	10246	11	3	6874	7	8	6746	11	3	.....		
2. Port Dues	38	15	0	6	1	0	36	18	0	.....			32	14	0
3. Internal Revenue ...	354	0	0	416	1	9	377	6	11	62	1	9	.....		
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	1385	0	0	3700	11	7	250	0	9	2315	11	7	.....		
5. Interest	3575	0	0	3377	10	4	4238	17	7	.....			197	9	8
6. Post Office	1090	0	0	1272	4	3	1626	14	9	182	4	3	.....		
7. Telegraphs & Telephones ...	678	15	0	470	8	5	560	19	11	.....			208	6	7
8. Rents	302	0	0	226	19	6	202	7	0	.....			75	0	6
9. Miscellaneous	2122	0	0	574	14	10	606	11	9	.....			1547	5	2
10. Contribution from Dependencies ...	1750	0	0	.....			2000	0	0	.....			1750	0	0
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands £	14795	10	0	20291	2	11	16774	4	4	9306	8	10	3810	15	11
Land Sales Fund	1638	0	0	4086	16	8	3178	10	2	2448	16	8	.....		
Total ... £	16433	10	0	24377	19	7	19952	14	6	11755	5	6	3810	15	11
Dependencies Revenue				1449	6	10									
Research Fund				3692	7	2									
Unallocated Store Account				1089	16	8									
Investments Realized				42017	2	9									
Farm & Building Loans				236	6	8									
Advances Repaid				872	19	9									
Deposits Received				102862	4	1									
Remittances Received				17612	4	5									
Total ... £				194210	7	11									
Balance brought down 1st January, 1937 ... £				2365	1	5									
Total ... £				196575	9	4									

Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1937.

Land Sales Fund	£246398	3	11
Other Surplus	61946	4	5
	£308344	8	4

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1937 :—

Colonial Treasury	£ 606	11	10	
Crown Agents	1317	4	6	
South Georgia	441	5	1	
				£2365 1 5.

Examined.

W. D. A. JONES,

Acting Local Auditor.

M.P. 172/31.

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for Quarter ended 31st March 1937.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	¼ Estimated, 1937.			Amount paid to 31st March, 1937.			Payments for same period 1936.			¼ More than estimated, 1937.			¼ Less than estimated, 1937.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Pensions	394	5	0	390	0	11	406	12	3	.....			4	4	1
2. The Governor	652	15	0	653	6	7	660	6	0		11	7	.....		
3. Colonial Secretary ...	642	10	0	626	11	6	638	2	6	.....			15	18	6
4. Treasury & Customs ...	388	15	0	370	19	11	386	3	5	.....			17	15	1
5. Audit	34	10	0	29	0	0	34	5	0	.....			5	10	0
6. Post Office	943	15	0	939	8	11	502	17	4	.....			4	6	1
7. Wireless & Electrical ...	804	10	0	741	8	0	742	0	8	.....			63	2	0
8. Harbour	190	0	0	162	7	3	248	2	8	.....			27	12	9
9. Legal	23	15	0	12	10	0	15	0	0	.....			11	5	0
10. Police & Prisons ...	251	15	0	228	5	0	227	16	9	.....			23	10	0
11. Medical	1261	15	0	957	2	6	1230	18	6	.....			304	12	6
12. Education	687	10	0	623	15	3	610	18	11	.....			63	14	9
13. Ecclesiastical	72	5	0	13	10	0	13	10	0	.....			58	15	0
14. Naturalist	13	15	0	12	13	0	12	13	2	.....			1	2	0
15. Military	239	0	0	450	4	10	287	2	9	211	4	10	.....		
16. Agriculture	1634	5	0	987	2	4	129	18	10	.....			647	2	8
17. Miscellaneous	1165	15	0	1944	11	9	1301	18	5	778	16	9	.....		
18. Public Works Department	918	15	0	842	19	7	819	16	3	.....			75	15	5
19. Public Works Recurrent	1373	15	0	1515	15	0	1331	1	5	142	0	0	.....		
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	11693	5	0	11501	12	4	9599	4	10	1132	13	2	1324	5	10
20. Public Works Extraordinary	2532	0	0	1543	19	4	1543	11	3	.....			988	0	8
Total Falklands £	14225	5	0	13045	11	8	11142	16	1	1132	13	2	2312	6	6

Land Sales Fund	3766	0	7
Dependencies Payments	1707	4	3
Research Fund	10576	3	8
Unallocated Store Account	1173	0	3
Investments made	44416	2	8
Advances made	1355	16	0
Deposits Repaid	99882	18	6
Remittances made	17377	8	4
Total ... £	193300	5	11
Balance on 31st March, 1937	3275	3	5
Total ... £	196575	9	4

Surplus of Assets on the 31st March, 1937.

Land Sales Fund	£246719	0	0
Other Surplus	68933	18	3
	£315652	18	3

Distribution of Cash Balance 31st March, 1937:—

Colonial Treasury	£ 979	7	11	
Crown Agents	1835	19	7	
South Georgia	459	15	11	
				£ 3275 3 5.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Colonial Treasurer.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for the Dependencies for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1937.

REVENUE.

Receipts.	¼ Estimated 1937.	Amount received to 31st March, 1937.	Receipts for same period, 1936.	More than ¼ estimated 1937.	Less than ¼ estimated 1937.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Customs Duties :					
(a) Imports	132 10 0	17 12 2	127 3 10	.....	114 17 10
(b) Exports	2950 0 0	857 2 0	7124 14 3	.....	2092 18 0
2. Port & Tonnage Dues	35 0 0	160 0 0	90 0 0	125 0 0	.....
3. Internal Rev. Licences	165 0 0	155 15 0	555 5 0	.....	9 5 0
4. Fees, Fines, etc.	100 0 0	257 17 8	205 10 0	157 17 8	.....
5. Rents ...	375 0 0	1 0 0	150 0 0	.....	374 0 0
6. Miscellaneous	2 10 0	.....	.....	.....	2 10 0
Total Ordinary Revenue £	3760 0 0	1449 6 10	8252 13 1	282 17 8	2593 10 10
Research Fund		3692 7 2			
£		5141 14 0			

Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1937.

Research Fund ...	£291907 9 3	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	2397 17 10	
		£294305 7 1.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	¼ Estimated 1937	Amount paid to 31st March, 1937.	Payments for same period, 1936.	More than ¼ estimated 1937.	Less than ¼ estimated 1937.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Personal:-					
South Georgia	495 0 0	422 1 5	481 5 11	.....	72 18 7
General	43 15 0	31 5 0	31 5 0	.....	12 10 0
2. Other Charges:-					
(a) South Georgia	186 15 0	306 11 6	407 16 4	119 16 6	.....
(b) South Shetlands	5 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	5 0 0
General	2695 10 0	947 6 4	2434 18 7	.....	1748 3 8
Total Ordinary Expenditure	3426 0 0	1707 4 3	3375 5 10	119 16 6	1838 12 3
3. Extraordinary:-					
(a) South Georgia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
£	3426 0 0	1707 4 3	3375 5 10	119 16 6	1838 12 3
4. Research Fund		10576 3 8			
Total Expenditure ...		£ 12283 7 11			

Surplus of Assets on 31st March, 1937.

	Dr.	Cr.
Research Fund ...	£285023 12 9	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	2397 17 10	
General Account		£257 17 5.

Examined,

W. D. A. Jones,
Acting Local Auditor.

A. W. Beardmore,
for Colonial Treasurer.

M.P. 172/31.

[L.S.]

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 2 of 1937.

I ASSENT,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.
26th June, 1937.

An Ordinance

To legalize certain payments in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-six in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 8 of 1935.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1936. Preamble.

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

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1936) Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

2. The sums of money set forth in the Schedule hereto having been expended for the Services therein mentioned beyond the amounts granted for those Services by the Ordinance providing for the service of the year One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-six, the same are hereby declared to have been duly laid out and expended for the Service of the Colony in that year, and are hereby approved, allowed and granted in addition to the sums mentioned for those Services in the said Ordinance. Appropriation of excess of expenditure for the year 1936.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 26th day of June, 1937.

W. BARLAS,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 26th day of June, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
	FALKLAND ISLANDS.	£	s.	d.
III.	Colonial Secretary	17	19	3
V.	Audit	2	0	0
IX.	Harbour	222	5	3
XIII.	Education	121	16	4
XV.	Naturalist	78	15	5
XVII.	Stock Department	199	1	11
XVIII.	Miscellaneous	680	10	9
	Total Ordinary Expenditure	1322	8	11
XXI.	Public Works Extraordinary	447	14	3
	Total Falklands	1770	3	2
	DEPENDENCIES.			
I.	Dependencies	4758	17	1
	Total	6529	0	3

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 68. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st July, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 1 of the 2nd of January, 1937, His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to confirm the appointment of

MISS KATHLEEN MILLICENT PETTERSSON,

as Clerk, Agricultural Department, with effect from the 1st of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/128.

No. 69. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th July, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that notice of the extension to the Falkland Islands of the supplementary Convention between the United Kingdom and the Czechoslovak Republic to facilitate the conduct of Legal Proceedings, which was signed at Prague on the 15th of February, 1935, was given to the Czechoslovak Government on the 5th of December, 1936, and in accordance with Article 8 (2) the extension of the Convention so notified came into force on the 5th of January, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 546/23.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Arthur Bailey Pitaluga, deceased.

Whereas Leonard William Hamilton Young, Attorney for Alexander Pitaluga and Mary Turner, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
13th July, 1937.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of Meeting held on the 26th June, 1937.

1. The Honourable G. Kinneard, M.D. (Man), M.C.P.S. (Man), Senior Medical Officer, was introduced and after taking the prescribed Oaths assumed his seat.

2. The minutes of the meeting held on the 4th of January, 1937, were confirmed.

3. The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following papers :

Copies of all Regulations, Proclamations, Orders and Bye-laws made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last meeting of the Legislative Council.

Annual Report by the Local Auditor on the Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony for the year 1936.

Report of the Director of Colonial Audit on the Annual Abstract Account of the Falkland Islands for the year 1935.

Comparative Statements of Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony and the Dependencies for the periods 1st July to 30th September and 1st October to 31st December, 1936.

Estimates of the 'Discovery' Committee's expenditure for the year 1937.

The Treasurer's Report and Financial Statements for the year ended the 31st of December, 1936.

4. The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved and the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded the adoption of the following Resolution :

"WHEREAS additional provision is required for the service of the Colony "and its Dependencies for the year ending the 31st of December, 1936.

"Be it resolved –

"This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from public funds of the "sum of EIGHT THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THREE "POUNDS FIVE SHILLINGS AND TWO PENCE (£8,473. 5s. 2d.) to meet "the several charges itemized in the accompanying schedule."

The Resolution was adopted.

5. The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved the adoption of the following Resolution :

"WHEREAS additional provision is required for the service of the Colony "and its Dependencies for the year ending the 31st of December, 1937.

"Be it resolved –

"This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from public funds of the "sum of ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THREE "POUNDS SEVEN SHILLINGS AND ONE PENNY (£1,173 7s. 1d.) to "meet the several charges itemized in the accompanying schedule."

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded and the Resolution was adopted.

6. On the motion of the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To legalize certain payments in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-six in excess of the expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 8 of 1935", was read a *first* time.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2 were agreed to.

The Schedule was agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

The Council adjourned *sine die.*

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 70. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th August, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 21 of the 29th of January, 1937, His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to confirm the appointment of

MR. HORACE LESLIE BOUND,

as Clerk in the Treasury and Customs Department, with effect from the 1st of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/197.

No. 71. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th August, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice No. 22 of the 29th of January, 1937, His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to confirm the appointment of

MR. TERENCE BIGGS,

as Clerk in the Public Works Department with effect from the 1st of February, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/194.

No. 72. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th August, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, with effect from the 16th of August, 1937.

MR. F. O'SULLIVAN,

Clerk in the Post Office, Stanley, to be Assistant Customs Officer, South Georgia.

M.P. P/62.

MR. J. BOUND,

Clerk, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, to be Clerk in the Post Office.

M.P. P/186.

MR. E. W. ENESTROM,

Travelling Teacher, to be Sub-Editor of the newspaper 'Penguin'.

M.P. P/127.

MR. L. GLEADELL,

Clerical Assistant in the 'Penguin' Office, to be Clerk, in the Electrical and Telegraphs Department.

M.P. P/204.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

PROBATE NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Charles John Henry Hansen, deceased.

Whereas Lionel Francis Hodgson, Attorney for Jason Hansen, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
28th July, 1937.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Enoch Robert Gleadell, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Charles Gleadell, eldest brother of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE.
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
16th August, 1937.

Note Security Fund.

Abstract of Accounts as required under Section 13 of the Currency Notes Ordinance, 1930.

Half-year ended 30th June, 1937.

(a) Total amount of Currency Notes in Circulation :-

	Number of Notes.			Total.	Value. £
	Series A.	Series B.	Series C.		
£5	2	12	1807	1821	9105
£1	57	130	14923	15110	15110
10/-	—	—	3540	3540	1770
5/-	31	29	—	60	15
	90	171	20270	20531	26000

	£	s.	d.
(b) Invested portion of Fund calculated on latest known market prices	23056	18	5.
Liquid portion of Fund	4592	6	11.
Total amount of Note Security Fund ...	£27649	5	4.

(c) List of Securities held by the Fund shewing in each case the nominal value and the latest known market price.

Name of Stock.		%	Face Value of Investments.			Price.	Market Value of Investments.		
			£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Canada	1930/50	3½	1019	8	4	101	1029	12	3
Funding Loan	1956/61	2½	2893	1	3	85¼	2466	6	9
Jamaica	1956/61	3	2020	4	0	98	1979	15	11
Kenya	1946/56	6	1782	17	0	120	2139	8	5
,,	1950	4½	2021	5	3	109	2203	3	6
Nigeria	1947/57	5	600	0	0	113	678	0	0
,,	1963	4	1821	9	4	110	2003	12	3
,,	1950/60	5	1000	0	0	116	1160	0	0
,,	1955	3	2781	2	11	97	2697	14	3
New Zealand	1949	5	2518	13	0	107	2694	19	1
Queensland	1922/47	3	900	0	0	94	846	0	0
S. Australia	1939	3½	1443	17	3	101	1458	6	0
			20801	18	4		21356	18	5
Joint Colonial Fund			1700	0	0		1700	0	0
			22501	18	4		23056	18	5

Examined
W. D. A. Jones,
Acting Local Auditor.
28/8/1937.

A. W. Beardmore,
for Commissioner of Currency.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

No. 73. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th September, 1937.

DAYLIGHT SAVING.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that under the Daylight Saving System, Government time will this year be advanced one hour from the local mean, at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, the 25th/26th of September, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 492/27.

PROBATE NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Elizabeth King, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Frederick H. King, eldest son of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
6th September, 1937.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Benjamin Davis, of Dunnose Head, West Falkland, deceased.

Whereas Alice Davis, widow of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
21st September, 1937.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual

the Falkland Islands for the

REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.	½ Estimated 1937.			Amount received to 30th June, 1937.			Receipts for same period, 1936.			½ More than estimated, 1937.			½ Less than estimated, 1937.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance on 1st Jan., 1937	.....			2365	1	5	.....			.....			.....		
1. Customs Duties ...	7000	0	0	11940	13	5	9784	17	4	4940	13	5	.....		
2. Port Dues	77	10	0	39	9	0	70	11	0	.....			38	1	0
3. Internal Revenue ...	708	0	0	1054	7	9	1107	4	9	346	7	9	.....		
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	2770	0	0	4792	9	0	1041	2	6	2022	9	0	.....		
5. Interest	7150	0	0	6481	14	7	7421	15	5	.....			668	5	5
6. Post Office	2180	0	0	8739	5	0	2918	18	8	6559	5	0	.....		
7. Telegraphs & Telephones ...	1357	10	0	818	3	1	908	9	6	.....			539	6	11
8. Rents	604	0	0	504	0	2	486	16	6	.....			99	19	10
9. Miscellaneous	4244	0	0	1028	16	6	914	2	11	.....			3215	3	6
10. Contribution from Dependencies ...	3500	0	0	3500	0	0	4000	0	0	.....			.....		
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands £	29591	0	0	38898	18	6	28653	18	7	13868	15	2	4560	16	8
Land Sales Fund	3276	0	0	7975	15	0	4236	14	9	4699	15	0	.....		
Marine Insurance Fund ...	.....			597	4	2	.....			597	4	2	.....		
Total ... £	32867	0	0	47471	17	8	32890	13	4	19165	14	4	4560	16	8

Dependencies Revenue	6766	1	5
Research Fund	5813	9	4
"Discovery Pension Fund"	144	13	5
Unallocated Store Account	2157	4	11
Investments Realized	178076	1	5
Farm & Building Loans	541	6	8
Advances Repaid	1642	9	10
Deposits Received	127060	10	2
Remittances Received	32130	5	5
Total ... £	401804	0	3
Balance brought down 1st January, 1937 ... £	2365	1	5
Total ... £	404169	1	8

Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1937.

Land Sales Fund ... ... £	246398	3	11
Other Surplus	61946	4	5
£	308344	8	4

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1937 :—

Colonial Treasury	£ 606	11	10	
Crown Agents	1317	4	6	
South Georgia	441	5	1	
				£2365 1 5.

Examined.

W. D. A. JONES,

Acting Local Auditor.

M.P. 172/31.

Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for

Quarter ended 30th June, 1937.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	½ Estimated, 1937.			Amount paid to 30th June, 1937.			Payments for same period 1936.			More than ½ estimated, 1937.			Less than ½ estimated, 1937.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Pensions	788	10	0	784	3	1	809	3	3	.....			4	6	11
2. The Governor	1305	10	0	1210	5	7	1292	16	2	.....			95	4	5
3. Colonial Secretary ...	1285	0	0	1202	0	11	1167	7	4	.....			82	19	1
4. Treasury & Customs ...	777	10	0	775	18	11	736	17	0	.....			1	11	1
5. Audit	69	0	0	24	15	7	69	10	0	.....			44	4	5
6. Post Office	1887	10	0	1797	1	10	1009	10	5	.....			90	8	2
7. Wireless & Electrical ...	1609	0	0	1635	11	8	1684	9	6	26	11	8	.....		
8. Harbour	380	0	0	400	15	5	549	2	9	20	15	5	.....		
9. Legal	47	10	0	36	9	10	29	15	0	.....			11	0	2
10. Police & Prisons ...	503	10	0	441	14	2	464	8	6	.....			61	15	10
11. Medical	2523	10	0	2483	4	10	2692	7	9	.....			40	5	2
12. Education	1375	0	0	1209	15	10	1320	16	11	.....			165	4	2
13. Ecclesiastical	144	10	0	149	10	0	17	0	0	5	0	0	.....		
14. Naturalist	27	10	0	25	15	3	49	17	8	.....			1	14	9
15. Military	478	0	0	707	12	0	537	9	3	229	12	0	.....		
16. Agriculture	3268	10	0	2851	16	6	291	17	9	.....			416	13	6
17. Miscellaneous	2331	10	0	4645	6	11	3834	18	7	2313	16	11	.....		
18. Public Works Department	1837	10	0	1798	4	8	1720	4	5	.....			39	5	4
19. Public Works Recurrent	2747	10	0	2776	7	6	2068	9	4	28	17	6	.....		
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	23386	10	0	24956	10	6	20346	1	7	2624	13	6	1054	13	0
20. Public Works Extraordinary	5064	0	0	3010	13	5	3512	1	11	.....			2053	6	7
Total Falklands £	28450	10	0	27967	3	11	23858	3	6	2624	13	6	3107	19	7

Land Sales Fund	3767	3	3
Dependencies Payments	6235	16	10
Research Fund	27062	7	2
Unallocated Store Account	2452	11	2
Investments made	174078	10	11
Advances made	2124	11	3
Deposits Repaid	120418	18	10
Remittances made	33560	6	9
Total ... £	397667	10	1
Balance on 30th June, 1937	6501	11	7
Total ... £	404169	1	8

Surplus of Assets on the 30th June, 1937.

Land Sales Fund	£250606	15	8
Other Surplus	73408	3	7
	£324014	19	3

Distribution of Cash Balance 30th June, 1937 :—

Colonial Treasury	£ 3930	19	1	
Crown Agents	1923	4	8	
South Georgia	647	7	10	
				£ 6501 11 7.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Colonial Treasurer.

Comparative statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure under various Heads for the Dependencies for the Half Year ended 30th June, 1937.

REVENUE.

Receipts.	½ Estimated 1937.	Amount received to 30th June, 1937.	Receipts for same period, 1936.	More than ½ estimated 1937.	Less than ½ estimated 1937.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Customs Duties :					
(a) Imports	265 0 0	30 19 10	137 18 4	.....	234 0 2
(b) Exports	5900 0 0	5978 16 3	13171 14 0	78 16 3	.....
2. Port & Tonnage Dues	70 0 0	170 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	.....
3. Internal Rev. Licences	330 0 0	156 5 0	555 10 0	.....	173 15 0
4. Fees, Fines, etc.	200 0 0	329 0 4	214 1 4	129 0 4	.....
5. Rents ...	750 0 0	1 0 0	151 0 0	.....	749 0 0
6. Miscellaneous	5 0 0	100 0 0	.....	95 0 0	.....
Total Ordinary Revenue £	7520 0 0	6766 1 5	14330 3 8	402 16 7	1156 15 2
Research Fund		5813 9 4			
Discovery Pension Fund		144 13 5			
£		12724 4 2			

Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1937.

Research Fund ...	£291907 9 3	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	2397 17 10	
		£294305 7 1.

EXPENDITURE.

Payments.	½ Estimated 1937	Amount paid to 30th June, 1937.	Payments for same period, 1936.	More than ½ estimated 1937.	Less than ½ estimated 1937.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Personal:-					
South Georgia	990 0 0	811 4 9	962 9 10	.....	178 15 3
General	87 10 0	76 1 6	50 1 5	.....	11 8 6
2. Other Charges:-					
(a) South Georgia	373 10 0	350 6 6	447 11 9	.....	23 3 6
(b) South Shetlands	10 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	10 0 0
General	5391 0 0	4998 4 1	5800 11 1	.....	392 15 11
Total Ordinary Expenditure	6852 0 0	6235 16 10	7280 14 1	.....	616 3 2
3. Extraordinary:-					
(a) South Georgia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
£	6852 0 0	6235 16 10	7280 14 1	.....	616 3 2
4. Research Fund		27062 7 2			
Total Expenditure ...	£	33298 4 0			

Surplus of Assets on 30th June, 1937.

Research Fund ...	£270658 11 5	
"Discovery" Pension Fund	2542 11 3	
General Account	530 4 7	
		£273,731 7 3.

Examined,

W. D. A. JONES,
Acting Local Auditor.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
for Colonial Treasurer.

M.P. 172/31.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 74. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
19th October, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that intimation has been received from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of the following Ordinance of the Legislature of the Falkland Islands :–

Ordinance No. 2 of 1937, entitled "An Ordinance to legalize certain payments in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Thirty-six in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 8 of 1935".

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 85/37.

No. 75. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
26th October, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

THE HONOURABLE G. ROBERTS, J.P.,

Director of Public Works, was absent on vacation leave from the 28th of February to the 10th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/58.

MR. H. H. SEDGWICK,

Assistant Printer, was absent on vacation leave from the 4th of April to the 8th of September, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/12.

MR. E. SWAIN,

Constable, Falkland Islands Police Force, was absent on vacation leave from the 4th of April to the 10th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/37.

MR. S. ATKINS,

W/T. Operator, 2nd Class, was absent on vacation leave from the 20th of February to the 10th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/98.

MR. G. G. T. ROBERTS,

Clerk, Grade III, Public Works Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 28th of February to the 10th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/119.

MR. S. E. BROWELL,

Constable, South Georgia, was absent on vacation leave from the 24th of April to the 10th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/126.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

George Reive of Lively Island, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Thomas Reive, brother of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

A. W. BEARDMORE,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
5th October, 1937.

AGRICULTURAL NOTICES.

Agricultural Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th October, 1937.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 14 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the following additional earmark has been approved and registered for sheep on Douglas Station "Club Fore Bit" for stud sheep in addition to the fork already in use.

D. S. A. WEIR,
Agricultural Adviser.

Agricultural Department,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
12th October, 1937.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 14 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the following change of earmark has been approved and registered for sheep on Fox Bay West, "Single Slit" in place of the Double Slit already in use.

D. S. A. WEIR,
Agricultural Adviser.

A Bill

To provide for the service of the year, 1938.

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:- Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1938) Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

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 the 31st of December, 1938, a sum not exceeding Seventy-three thousand, and Ten-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 1938. Appropriation of £73,010 for service of year 1938.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £	s.	d.
	FALKLAND ISLANDS.			
I.	Pensions	1527	0	0
II.	The Governor	2805	0	0
III.	Colonial Secretary	2892	0	0
IV.	Treasury and Customs	1630	0	0
V.	Audit	338	0	0
VI.	Post Office	3520	0	0
VII.	Electrical and Telegraph	3384	0	0
VIII.	Harbour	780	0	0
IX.	Legal	145	0	0
X.	Police and Prisons	1002	0	0
XI.	Medical	5739	0	0
XII.	Education	2984	0	0
XIII.	Ecclesiastical	289	0	0
XIV.	Naturalist	55	0	0
XV.	Military	1288	0	0
XVI.	Agriculture	6430	0	0
XVII.	Miscellaneous	4693	0	0
XVIII.	Public Works	3550	0	0
XIX.	Public Works Recurrent	6935	0	0
	Total Ordinary Expenditure £	49986	0	0
XX.	Public Works Extraordinary ...	8395	0	0
	Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue £	58381	0	0
APPENDIX I.	Expenditure chargeable to Land Sales Fund	800	0	0
	DEPENDENCIES.			
I.	Ordinary Expenditure	13829	0	0
	Total ... £	73010	0	0

A Bill

To establish a Provident Fund for certain Non-Pensionable Employees of the Government.

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 : Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Government Employees Provident Fund Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

2. (1) In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires:— Interpretation.

"THE FUND" means the Non-Pensionable Employees Provident Fund established under this Ordinance;

"THE BOARD" means the Board of Management appointed under this Ordinance;

"THE TREASURER" means the Treasurer of the Colony;

"NON-PENSIONABLE EMPLOYEE" means a person in the service of the Government of the Colony who—

(a) holds an office which is for the time being included in the Schedule to this Ordinance; and

(b) receives a salary of not less than One hundred Pounds per annum.

"DEPOSITOR" means a person who is making deposits in the Fund;

"SALARY" includes wages and any personal allowance, but no other payment or allowance whatsoever;

"PERSONAL ALLOWANCE" means a special addition to salary granted personally to the holder for the time being of the office.

"PRESCRIBED" means prescribed by Regulations made under this Ordinance.

(2) For the purposes of this Ordinance a depositor's family shall be deemed to include his mother, father, wife and children, but no other person.

Amendment of Schedule.

3. The Governor in Council may from time to time by order published in the Gazette amend the Schedule to this Ordinance by adding any office to the list of offices contained therein or by deleting any office from such list, but every such order shall make such provision (if any) as may be necessary or expedient to preserve existing rights. When any office is added to the Schedule the provisions of sections 5, 6 and 12 of this Ordinance shall have effect as respects that office as if the date upon which it is added were the date of the commencement of the Ordinance.

Establishment and management of the Fund.

4. (1) There shall be established a Fund to be known as the Non-Pensionable Employees Provident Fund.

(2) The Governor shall appoint a Board of Management who shall be responsible for the control and management of the Fund in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and of any Regulations made hereunder. The Treasurer shall be chairman of the Board.

(3) The moneys paid into the Fund shall, so far as practicable, be invested by the Treasurer in such security or securities yielding interest as the Board shall approve, or, with the approval of the Board, deposited by him in the Government Savings Bank.

(4) The Treasurer shall keep a separate account for the moneys of the Fund. Such account shall be audited annually by the Government Auditor.

(5) The Board shall submit to the Governor as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of December in each year a full statement showing the working of the Fund and all claims thereon, and containing full particulars of all transactions connected with the working of the Fund.

Who shall become a depositor.

5. (1) Every person who shall have been appointed a non-pensionable employee either after the commencement of this Ordinance, or on terms which so require, shall become a depositor from the date on which he begins to draw any of the salary of the post to which he is so appointed or from the commencement of this Ordinance, whichever shall be the later.

(2) Every non-pensionable employee to whom the preceding subsection does not apply, who does not elect under section 6 of this Ordinance to become a depositor, and is appointed to the service of the Government after the commencement of this Ordinance upon terms which constitute a reappointment or re-engagement in the service of the Government, shall become a depositor as from the date of such reappointment or re-engagement.

Who may become a depositor.

6. Every non-pensionable employee who is not required by the preceding section to become a depositor may, by a written notice addressed to the head of his department within three months after the commencement of this Ordinance or within such extended time as the Governor in Council may in any particular case allow, elect to become a depositor, and, if he so elect, he shall become a depositor as from the commencement of this Ordinance.

Compulsory deposit.

7. (1) Every depositor shall deposit in the Fund monthly an amount equal to one-twentieth of his monthly salary, until the termination of his service with the Government. The Treasurer shall deduct the deposit from the salaries of depositors.

(2) Such deposit shall be called the "compulsory deposit", and shall be calculated on full salary whether the depositor is on full, half, or no salary:

Provided that, when a depositor is on half salary or no salary for a period exceeding two months continuously, he may elect to contribute in respect of the excess over two months at the rate of one-twentieth of any salary which he receives.

Voluntary deposits.

8. Subject to prescribed conditions a depositor may, from time to time,

(a) make voluntary deposits of not less than five shillings or any multiple thereof, to an amount not exceeding twenty five pounds in any one year, or one hundred and fifty pounds in all, and

(b) withdraw all or any part of such deposits including interest credited thereon.

(c) repay any sum so withdrawn.

Bonuses.

9. (1) On the thirty-first day of December in each year, the account of every depositor shall be provisionally credited by the Treasurer with a sum equal to the compulsory deposits made by him during the preceding twelve months.

(2) The sums so credited shall each be called a "bonus".

Interest.

10. (1) Interest shall be credited separately on compulsory deposits, voluntary deposits and bonuses at a rate to be fixed annually by the Governor in Council and shall begin to accrue in respect of each sum deposited and each bonus on the first day of the month next following the day on which the deposit was made or the bonus credited. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, it shall be calculated to the thirty-first day of December in each year and shall then be added to and become part of the principal and be deemed for the purposes of this Ordinance to be compulsory deposit, voluntary deposit or bonus as the case may be.

(2) No interest shall be credited on any sum withdrawn in respect of the period between the date of withdrawal and the date of repayment, exclusive of both dates.

Information to depositors.

11. As soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of December in each year the Treasurer shall inform each depositor of the total amount standing to his credit in the Fund at that date.

Deposits in respect of previous service.

12. (1) Any non-pensionable employee who shall have had at least one year's continuous service immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance and who being an officer to whom section 6 of this Ordinance applies, elects under that section to become a depositor, may

(a) within a period of two years after the commencement of this Ordinance, make an additional deposit in respect of each completed year of such service of an amount not exceeding one-twentieth of his salary as at the commencement of this Ordinance; or

(b) increase his deposits under section 7 of this Ordinance by fifty per cent. for a period not exceeding his completed years' continuous service prior to the commencement of this Ordinance.

(2) All amounts deposited under the provisions of this section shall be treated in all respects as compulsory deposits and the provisions of section 9 shall apply accordingly.

(3) In this section the word "service" means service which would, if this Ordinance had been in force, have been service as a non-pensionable employee.

Deposits, etc. not to be assigned or attached.

13. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance no compulsory deposit, bonus, or interest on any such deposit or bonus, shall be assignable or transferable or liable to be attached, sequestered or levied upon for, or in respect of, any debt or claim whatsoever.

Withdrawal of compulsory deposits.

14. A depositor may withdraw compulsory deposits or bonuses only

(1) with the approval of the Board; or

(2) with the permission of the Treasurer if the Treasurer is satisfied that withdrawal is desirable and that it is required for any one or more of the following purposes:—

(a) To pay the passage of

(i) any member of the depositor's family or

(ii) the depositor's brother or sister,

coming from abroad, or leaving the Territory on medical advice or for other good cause, such person being wholly or mainly dependent upon, or ordinarily resident with, the depositor;

(b) To pay the funeral expenses of any member of the depositor's family;

(c) To pay hospital or other expenses incurred through the illness of any members of the depositor's family:

Provided that the total amount withdrawn shall not exceed, at any one time, half the depositor's compulsory deposits and bonuses.

Repayment of withdrawal.

15. Any sum withdrawn from compulsory deposits or bonuses under section 14 of this Ordinance shall be repaid by the depositor in not more than twelve equal monthly instalments, commencing in the month following the withdrawal, which may be deducted from his salary.

Closing of accounts.

16. (1) On the death of a depositor or the termination of the depositor's service with the Government,

(a) interest up to the end of the month previous to the date of such death or termination of service and,

(b) in the event of his death or termination of his service in any of the circumstances in which section 17 of this Ordinance applies, bonuses for the current calendar year equal to the compulsory deposits made by the depositor during that year,

shall be credited to his account, which shall then be closed.

(2) Notice of such closure shall thereupon be given

(i) if the depositor is living, to the depositor, or

(ii) if the depositor is dead, to such person or persons mentioned in section 21 of this Ordinance to whom it shall appear to the Treasurer that notice should properly be given.

And in either case to such other persons as shall or may in the opinion of the Treasurer reasonably require such notice.

Death or termination of service.

17. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, if a depositor dies while in the service of the Government or leaves the service in any of the following circumstances, that is to say:-

(1) retirement on medical evidence to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council (or the Secretary of State) that he is incapable by reason of some infirmity of mind or body of discharging the duties of his office;

(2) satisfactory completion of contract;

(3) abolition of office;

(4) reaching the prescribed age of retirement;

(5) determination of contract by, or with the consent of, the Government otherwise than by dismissal;

(6) in the case of a female depositor, retirement with a view to, or in consequence of, marriage after not less than three years' service (subject to the production of evidence of marriage within such period after retirement as the Board may in any case prescribe);

the amount standing to his or her credit in the Fund at the closing of such account shall be paid to the depositor or any other person to whom by virtue of this Ordinance or otherwise payment may lawfully be made.

Resignation or dismissal.

18. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, if a depositor shall be dismissed, or resign, or leave the service of the Government without permission without completing the period prescribed by any contract under which he may be serving,

(a) the amount of his deposits in the Fund and interest thereon shall be paid to the depositor, and

(b) such part, if any, of the bonuses provisionally credited to the depositor and interest thereon, as the Board with the approval of the Governor shall determine, may be so paid.

(2) Any part of such bonuses and interest not paid as aforesaid shall be refunded to the Government and credited to revenue.

Transfer to pensionable office.

19. (1) If a depositor is transferred to a post which is a pensionable office under the Pensions Ordinance, 1937, or any other Ordinance, the provisions of section 16 of this Ordinance shall apply as if the service of the depositor with the Government had terminated in circumstances in which section 17 of this Ordinance applies:

Provided that interest shall continue to be credited to his account, in accordance with the provisions of section 10 and paragraph (a) of section 16 of this Ordinance.

(2) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, upon his subsequently leaving the service of the Colony in any circumstances or upon his dying in the service, the amount then standing to the credit of such depositor shall be paid to him or to any other person to whom by virtue of this Ordinance or otherwise payment may lawfully be made.

(3) A depositor who is so transferred may elect at the time of transfer to continue while serving in such post to remain subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, and shall thereupon be deemed to be a depositor as defined in section 2 (1) of this Ordinance while serving in a pensionable post or posts :

Provided that in the event of his being at any time confirmed in a pensionable post, the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall apply to him as from the date of such confirmation.

Any election under this subsection shall be made in writing to the Board and shall be irrevocable.

Payment on death of depositor.

20. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, on the death of a depositor—

(a) if the amount at his credit does not exceed fifty pounds the Treasurer shall pay it to the person or persons nominated for the purpose by the depositor in manner prescribed, or, if no such nomination has been made, to the personal representative of the depositor or, at the discretion of the Treasurer, the person appearing to the Treasurer to be entitled ultimately by law to receive it:

(b) if the amount at his credit exceeds fifty pounds, the Treasurer shall pay it to the personal representative of the depositor:

Provided that the Treasurer may make payments, not exceeding Ten pounds in any one case, to meet the expenses of the funeral of the deceased or to give immediate relief to the widow or children or other dependants of the deceased, if in the opinion of the Treasurer such relief is required.

(2) Any payment made by the Treasurer under this section shall be valid and effectual against any demand made upon the Government, the Board or the Treasurer by any other person in respect of the amount standing to the credit of the depositor.

Sums due to Government.

21. Any sum or sums due to Government by a depositor on payment out of the Fund of any amount then standing to his credit therein, may be deducted from the amount otherwise payable.

Power to make Regulations.

22. The Governor in Council may make Regulations for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Section 2 (1).

Offices the holders of which are non-pensionable employees within the meaning of the Ordinance.

(a) The holders of non-pensionable posts included in the approved estimates receiving a salary of not less than one hundred pounds per annum.

(b) All non-pensionable Government employees paid from votes under "Other charges" who have been continuously employed by Government for a period of not less than one year and who are in receipt of wages at a rate of not less than one hundred pounds per annum.

A Bill

To provide for the grant of Pensions, Gratuities and other allowances to persons who have been in the Public Service of the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

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:— Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

2. In this Ordinance and the Regulations made hereunder— Definitions.

The term "Pensionable Office" means –

(a) in respect of service in the Colony, an office which has been declared by the Governor in Council, by a notification published in the Gazette, to be pensionable; provided that any office declared to be pensionable under this Section may be declared at any time by the Governor in Council, by a notification published in the Gazette, to be no longer pensionable, due regard being had to existing rights;

(b) in respect of other public service, an office which is a pensionable office under the law or regulations in force in such service.

The term "Pensionable emoluments"

(a) in respect of service in the Colony includes

(i) salary,
(ii) personal allowance,
(iii) house allowance,

but does not include duty allowance, entertainment allowance or any other emoluments whatever;

(b) in respect of other public service means emoluments which count for pension in accordance with the law or regulations in force in such service.

The term "salary" means the salary attached to an office.

The term "personal allowance" means a special addition to such salary granted personally to the holder for the time being of the office.

The term "house allowance" means the estimated value of free quarters as defined in Regulation 8 (2) in the Schedule to this Ordinance or any Regulation hereafter made amending or substituted for the same.

The term "year" means a calendar year.

The term "month" means a calendar month.

The term "Secretary of State" means one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The term "public service" means service in a civil capacity under the Government of the Colony or the Government of any other part of His Majesty's Dominions, or of any British Protected State, Protectorate or territory under British Mandate or of the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, or under the High Commissioner for Transport in Kenya and Uganda, and any such other service as the Secretary of State may determine to be "public service" for the purpose of any provisions of this Ordinance or the Regulations made thereunder. Service as a Governor-General, Governor or High Commissioner in any part of His Majesty's Dominions, any British Protected State or Protectorate, any territory under British Mandate, or the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan shall be deemed to be "public service" except for the purpose of computation of pension or gratuity and of Section 10 of this Ordinance.

The term "other public service" means public service not under the Government of the Colony.

The term "Colony" means the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

Governor in Council may make pension regulations.

3. (1) It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, from time to time to make, and when made, to vary and revoke regulations for the granting of pensions, gratuities and other allowances to officers who have been in the service of the Colony.

Every such regulation when made shall be laid before the Legislative Council and shall be published in the Gazette. Provided that until varied or revoked by any such regulations the regulations contained in the Schedule to this Ordinance shall be in force.

(2) All such regulations shall have the same force and effect for all purposes as if they were contained in this Ordinance and the term "this Ordinance" shall in the following sections be read and construed accordingly.

4. There shall be charged on and paid out of the revenues of the Colony all such sums of money as may from time to time be granted by the Governor in Council by way of pension, gratuity or other allowance in accordance with this Ordinance.

Pensions etc. to be charged on revenues of the Colony.

5. (1) No officer shall have an absolute right to compensation for past services or to pension, gratuity, or other allowance; nor shall anything in this Ordinance contained limit the right of the Crown to dismiss any officer without compensation.

Pensions etc. not of right.

(2) Where it is established to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council that an officer has been guilty of negligence, irregularity or misconduct, the pension gratuity or other allowance may be reduced or altogether withheld.

6. No pension, gratuity or other allowance shall be granted to any officer in respect of any service :–

Service not qualifying for pension.

(a) while on probation or agreement, unless without break of service he is confirmed in a pensionable office in the Colony or in an office in other public service which is at the time of confirmation pensionable under the pension regulations applicable to such service; or

(b) while under the age of twenty years.

7. No pension, gratuity or other allowance shall be granted to any officer except on his retirement from the public service in one of the following cases :–

Circumstances in which pension may be granted.

(a) on or after attaining the age of fifty-five years, or in special cases with the approval of the Secretary of State, fifty years;

(b) in the case of transfer to other public service, on or after attaining the age at which he is permitted by the law or regulations of the service in which he is last employed to retire on pension or gratuity:

(c) on the abolition of his office:

(d) on compulsory retirement for the purpose of facilitating improvement in the organisation of the Department to which he belongs, by which greater efficiency and economy can be effected:

(e) on medical evidence to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council or the Secretary of State that he is incapable by reason of some infirmity of mind or body of discharging the duties of his office and that such infirmity is likely to be permanent:

(f) in the case of removal on the ground of inefficiency as hereinafter provided:

(g) on retirement in circumstances rendering him eligible for a pension under the Pensions (Governors of Dominions, &c.) Act, 1911, or any Act amending or replacing the same.

8. Where an officer is removed from his office on the ground of his inability to discharge efficiently the duties thereof, and a pension, gratuity or other allowance cannot otherwise be granted to him under the provisions of this Ordinance, the Governor in Council may, if he considers it justifiable having regard to all the circumstances of the case, grant such a pension, gratuity or other allowance

Retirement for inefficiency.

as he thinks just and proper, but in no case exceeding in amount that for which the officer would be eligible if he were suffering from some infirmity of mind or body likely to be permanent.

Age of compulsory retirement.

9. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to require an officer to retire from the service of the Colony at any time after he attains the age of fifty-five years or, in special cases, with the approval of the Secretary of State, at any time after he attains the age of fifty years.

Maximum pension grantable.

10. (1) A pension granted to an officer under this Ordinance shall not exceed two-thirds of the highest pensionable emoluments drawn by him at any time in the course of his service in the Colony.

(2) Where the officer has been or is granted a pension or pensions in respect of other public service, he may be granted the full pension for which he is eligible in respect of his service in the Colony, but no person may at any time draw from the funds of the Colony an amount of pension which, when added to the amount of any pension or pensions drawn in respect of other public service, exceeds two-thirds of the highest pensionable emoluments drawn by such person at any time in the course of his service in the Colony or in other public service.

Provided that where such a person receives in respect of some period of public service both a gratuity and a pension, the amount of such pension shall be deemed for the purpose of this sub-section to be four-thirds of its actual amount.

(3) In a case falling under the limitation laid down by sub-section (2), the amount of the pension to be drawn from the funds of the Colony shall be subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, in order that it may be determined with due regard to the amount of any pension or pensions similarly to be drawn in respect of other public service.

(4) For the purpose of the preceding sub-sections an additional pension granted in respect of any injury shall not be taken into account; but where the officer is granted such an additional pension, the amount of such additional pension which he may draw shall not exceed one sixth of his highest pensionable emoluments at any time in the course of his public service by more than the sum by which the amount of his pension or pensions, apart from such additional pension, falls short of two-thirds of such highest emoluments.

Liability of Pensioners to be called upon to take further employment.

11. Every pension granted under this Ordinance shall be subject to the condition that unless or until the officer has attained the age of fifty years, he may, if physically fit for service, be called upon by the Secretary of State to accept, in lieu of his pension, an office, whether in the Colony or in any other public service, not less in value, due regard being had to circumstances of climate, than the office which he held at the date of the grant of his pension.

If a pensioner so called upon declines to accept the office for which he may have been selected, the payment of his pension may be suspended until he has attained the age of fifty years.

Pensions affected by re-employment.

12. If any officer to whom a pension has been granted under this Ordinance is appointed to another office in the service of the Colony and subsequently retires in circumstances in which he may be granted a pension, he may be granted in lieu of his previous pension a pension computed as if the periods of his service in the Colony had been continuous, and such pension may be based on his pensionable emoluments on his previous or final retirement from the service of the Colony, whichever are the greater:

Provided that if, on his previous retirement, he was paid a gratuity and reduced pension, the gratuity to be paid to him on final retirement shall be reduced by the amount of the gratuity already paid.

Gratuity affected by re-employment.

13. If any officer to whom a gratuity without pension has been granted under this Ordinance is re-appointed to any office in the service of the Colony or in other public service, his previous service may, with the approval of the Secretary of State, be taken into account for the purposes of pension, if he refunds the gratuity on such re-appointment.

Pensions etc. not to be assignable.

14. No pension, or gratuity or other allowance granted under this Ordinance shall be assignable or transferable, or liable to be attached, sequestered or levied upon for or in respect of any debt or claim whatsoever, other than a debt due to the Government.

Pensions etc. to cease on bankruptcy.

15. If any officer to whom a pension or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance is adjudicated a bankrupt or is declared insolvent by judgement of any Court, then such pension or allowance shall forthwith cease.

Provided always that in any case where a pension or allowance ceases by reason of the bankruptcy or insolvency of the pensioner, it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State, or if such pensioner is resident in the Colony then for the Governor, from time to time during the remainder of such pensioner's life, or during such shorter period or periods, either continuous or discontinuous, as the Secretary of State or the Governor as the case may be shall think fit, to cause all or any part of the moneys to which such pensioner would have been entitled by way of pension or allowance, had he not become a bankrupt or insolvent, to be paid to, or applied for the maintenance and personal support and benefit of all or any, to the exclusion of the other or others, of the following persons, namely, such pensioner and any wife, child or children of his, in such proportions and manner as the Secretary of State or the Governor as the case may be thinks proper, and such moneys shall be paid or applied accordingly.

Pensions etc. to cease on conviction.

16. If any officer to whom a pension or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance is sentenced to a term of imprisonment by any competent Court whether within or without the Colony for any crime or offence, then in every such case, it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State, or if the person is resident in the Colony the Governor to direct that such pension or allowance shall forthwith cease.

Provided that –

(1) the pension or allowance shall be restored with retrospective effect in the case of a person who after conviction at any time receives a free pardon;

(2) where the pension or allowance ceases for the reason aforesaid it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State or the Governor as the case may be to cause all or any part of the moneys to which the pensioner would have been entitled by way of pension or allowance to be paid to or applied for the benefit of any wife, child or children of the pensioner, or after the expiration of his sentence, also for the benefit of the pensioner himself, in the same manner precisely and subject to the same qualifications and restrictions as in the case of bankruptcy hereinbefore provided.

Pensions etc. to cease on accepting certain appointments.

17. If any officer to whom a pension or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance becomes either a Director of any Company the principal part of whose business is in anyway directly

concerned with the Colony, or an officer or servant employed in the Colony by any such Company, without in every such case the permission of the Governor in writing first had and obtained, then in every such case it shall be lawful for the Governor to direct that such pension or allowance shall forthwith cease :

Provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor, on being satisfied that the person in respect of whose pension or allowance any such direction shall have been given has ceased to be a Director of such Company or to be employed as an officer or servant of such Company in the Colony, as the case may be, to give directions for the restoration of such pension or allowance, with retrospective effect, if he shall see fit, to such a date as he shall specify.

Gratuity to estate where an officer dies in the service.

18. Where an officer holding a pensionable office who is not on probation or agreement dies while in the service of the Colony it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to his legal personal representative a gratuity of an amount not exceeding one year's pensionable emoluments.

Pensions etc. to Dependants when an officer is killed on duty.

19. (1) Where an officer holding a pensionable office, who is not serving on probation or agreement, dies as the direct result of of injuries received :–

(a) in the actual discharge of his duty, and

(b) without his own default, and

(c) on account of circumstances specifically attributable to the nature of his duties,

while in the service of the Government of the Colony, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant in addition to the grant, if any, made to his legal personal representative in accordance with Section 18 of this Ordinance :–

(i) if the deceased officer leaves a widow, a pension to the widow, while unmarried and of good character at a rate not exceeding ten-sixtieths of his pensionable emoluments at the date of injury or £10 a year, whichever be the greater, and also a gratuity not exceeding £1 multiplied by the total number of their years, starting from their ages at the time of their father's death, and ending with 15 years, to each child alive at the date of the father's death, and a gratuity not exceeding £15 to any posthumous child: Provided that the gratuities so granted shall not in the aggregate be less than £10 nor more than £60;

(ii) if the officer's wife predeceases him or if no pension is granted to her under the preceding paragraph and he leaves children who would have been eligible for gratuity if a pension had been granted to the widow, gratuities of twice the amount of the gratuities for which they would have been eligible in such circumstances;

(iii) if the deceased officer does not leave a widow, and if his mother was wholly or mainly dependent on him for her support, a pension to the mother, while of good character and without adequate means of support, at a rate not exceeding the rate of the pension which might have been granted to his widow :

Provided that

(a) if the mother is a widow at the time of the grant of the pension and subsequently remarries such pension shall cease as from the date of remarriage; and

(b) if the mother is not a widow and it appears that the deceased's father is in a position to support her, such pension shall cease from such date as the Secretary of State may determine.

(2) When an officer who is not qualified for either pension or gratuity dies in the circumstances mentioned in sub-section (1) of this section, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant the pension or gratuities which might have been granted if his case had fallen under sub-section (1), but no grant shall be made under Section 18 of this Ordinance.

Application of Ordinance.

20. The provisions of this Ordinance shall apply

(i) to all officers appointed to the public service of the Colony

(a) after the commencement of this Ordinance

(b) before the commencement of this Ordinance to whom it was intimated before appointment that they were liable to be affected by any change in the pensions law of the Colony; and

(ii) to any other officer serving in the Colony at, or transferred from the Colony to any other public service before the commencement of this Ordinance, who shall still be in public service at the date of such commencement, unless not later than twelve months after such commencement, or within such further period as the Governor may in any special case allow, he gives notice in writing to the Colonial Secretary of his desire that the provisions of the Ordinances referred to in Section 21 of this Ordinance shall apply to him in which case they shall continue to apply accordingly.

Repeal of Ordinances Nos. 8 of 1927, 2 of 1929, and 2 of 1931.

21. Subject to the provisions of the preceding Section the Pensions Ordinance 1927, the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1929, and the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931, are hereby repealed, and all Regulations made thereunder are hereby revoked.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day of . 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of , 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Regulations for the granting of Pensions, Gratuities and other allowances to Officers.

Part I.

General Regulations.

Short Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pensions Regulations, 1937.

Pensions to whom and at what rates to be granted.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Pensions Ordinance, 1937, hereinafter called the Ordinance, and of these Regulations, every officer holding a pensionable office in the Colony, who has been in the service of the Colony in a civil capacity for ten years or upwards, may be granted on retirement a pension at the rate of one six-hundredth of his pensionable emoluments for each complete month of pensionable service.

Gratuities where length of service does not qualify for pension.

3. Every officer, otherwise qualified for a pension, who has not completed the minimum period of service qualifying for a pension, may be granted on retirement a gratuity not exceeding five times the annual amount of the pension which if there had been no qualifying period might have been granted to him under Regulation 2.

Period of service in the Colony qualifying for pension or gratuity defined.

4. Subject to the provisions of Section 6 of the Ordinance and of these Regulations, service qualifying for pension or gratuity, as the case may be, shall be the inclusive period between the date on which an officer begins to draw salary from the Colony's funds and the date of his leaving the Colony's service, without deduction of any period during which he has been absent on leave.

Service to be unbroken.

5. Service in respect of which pension or gratuity may be granted must be unbroken except in cases where the service has been interrupted by abolition of office or other temporary suspension of employment not arising from misconduct or voluntary resignation.

Computation of pensions and gratuities.

6. For the purpose of computing the amount of an officer's pension or gratuity the following periods shall be taken into account as pensionable service :–

Leave of absence.

(a) Any periods during which he has been on duty;

(b) Any period during which he received half-salary from the Colony's funds while proceeding to the Colony on first appointment ;

(c) Any periods during which he has been absent from duty on leave with full or half salary ;

(d) Any periods during which he has been absent from duty on leave without salary, granted on grounds of public policy with the approval of the Secretary of State, and during which he has not qualified for pension or gratuity in respect of other public service ;

And any periods during which he has been absent on leave other than those specified above shall be deducted from the officer's

total service in order to arrive at his period of pensionable service.

Computation of pensions and gratuities. Service on the active list of the Army, Navy, or Air Force.

7. For the purpose of computing the amount of the pension or gratuity of an officer who, during some period of his service in a pensionable office in the Colony, has been on the Active list of the Royal Navy, the Army or the Royal Air Force, the whole or any part of such period during which no pension contributions have been paid by the Colony, or if paid, have been refunded, may be taken into account.

Computation of pensions, etc. on what emoluments to be based.

8. (1) For the purpose of computing the amount of an officer's pension or gratuity :–

(a) in the case of an officer who has held one office for a period of three years immediately preceding the date of his retirement, the full pensionable emoluments payable to him at that date in respect of that office shall be taken ;

(b) in the case of an officer who at any time during such period of three years has been transferred from one office to another, but whose pensionable emoluments have not been changed by reason of such transfer or transfers, the full pensionable emoluments payable to him at the date of his retirement in respect of the office then held by him shall be taken ;

(c) in other cases one third of the aggregate pensionable emoluments payable to the officer in respect of his service during the said three years shall be taken : provided that

(i) if such one third is less than the full pensionable emoluments which were payable to him at the date of his transfer within such period of three years, the Governor in Council may grant him a pension calculated on the full pensionable emoluments payable to him at that date; and

(ii) for the purpose of calculating pensionable emoluments under this paragraph, the officer shall be deemed to have been on duty on full pensionable emoluments throughout the said three years.

(2) The estimated value of free quarters shall be taken as one-sixth of the actual salary of the office.

Non-pensionable service followed by pensionable service.

9. (1) Only service in a pensionable office shall be taken into account as pensionable service :

Provided that where a period of service in a civil capacity otherwise than in a pensionable office is immediately followed by service in a pensionable office, one-half of such period may with the approval of the Governor in Council be so taken into account, and

(2) Where an officer in the service of the Colony or in any other public service on the date when the Ordinance comes into force shall, before that date have served in a civil capacity otherwise than in a pensionable office, then if it should be to his advantage his pension may be calculated as if the following Regulation was substituted for paragraph 1 of this Regulation :-

"Only service in a pensionable office shall be taken into account as pensionable service;

Provided that where an unbroken period of service in a civil capacity in an appointment other than a pensionable office is immediately followed by service in a pensionable office in the Colony, such

period or any part of such period may, with the approval of the Governor in Council, be so taken into account."

Acting Service.

10. Where an officer has performed acting service in a pensionable office in the Colony, the period of such service may be taken into account as pensionable service :

Provided that

(1) The period of such acting service was not part of the pensionable service of the previous holder of the office and does not fall to be reckoned as part of the officer's own pensionable service in other public service;

(2) this period of service is immediately preceded or followed by service in a substantive capacity in a pensionable office in the Colony.

Abolition or reorganisation of office.

11. (1) If an officer holding a pensionable office retire or be removed from the service in consequence of the abolition of his office, or for the purpose of facilitating improvements in the organisation of the Department to which he belongs, by which greater efficiency and economy can be effected, he may be granted a pension calculated in accordance with Regulation 2.

Provided that if he has been in the service of the Colony for less than the qualifying period of ten years, he may be granted a pension calculated in accordance with that Regulation as if there had been no qualifying period.

(2) Such an officer may also be granted an additional pension at the rate of one-sixtieth part of his annual pensionable emoluments for each complete period of three years' pensionable service :

Provided that

(a) the addition shall in no case exceed ten-sixtieths : and

(b) no addition shall be made so as to qualify an officer for a pension of higher annual value than that for which he would have been qualified by length of service on reaching the age at which he may be required to retire, without the approval of the Secretary of State or for a pension of higher annual value than the maximum prescribed in Section 10 of the Ordinance.

(3) Any pension granted to an officer in accordance with this Regulation shall be subject to the condition that he shall be liable to be recalled to service in the Colony.

Provided that if such an officer is not qualified for other employment in the public service, and if there is no reason, in the opinion of the Governor, to expect that he can be shortly re-employed, a pension may be granted to him free from the above-mentioned condition.

Officers retiring on account of injuries.

12. (1) Where an officer has been permanently injured :–

(a) in the actual discharge of his duty and

(b) without his own default, and

(c) by some injury specifically attributable to the nature of his duty,

and his retirement is thereby necessitated or materially accelerated, then, subject to the provisions of sub-section (4) of section 10 of the Ordinance, he may, if he is qualified for a pension under Regulation 2, be granted, in addition to the pension granted to him under that Regulation, an additional pension at the rate of the proportion of

his actual pensionable emoluments at the date of his injury appropriate to his case as shown in the following table :–

When his capacity to contribute to his own support is :–

slightly impaired	...	five-sixtieths ;
impaired ...	...	ten-sixtieths ;
materially impaired	...	fifteen-sixtieths ;
totally destroyed	...	twenty-sixtieths ;

Provided that the amount of the additional pension shall be reduced to such an extent as the Governor in Council shall think reasonable in the following cases :–

(a) where the injured officer has continued to serve for not less than one year after the injury in respect of which he retires ;

(b) where the injured officer is at the date of injury within ten years of the age at which he may be required to retire without the approval of the Secretary of State ; or

(c) where the injury is not the sole cause of retirement, but the retirement is caused partly by age or infirmity not due to the injury :

Pension to injured officer where service is less than ten years.

(2) An officer so injured, whose length of service is not such as to qualify him for a pension under Regulation 2, but who is qualified for a gratuity under Regulation 3, may nevertheless be granted in lieu of such a gratuity a pension at the rate of one-sixhundredth part of his pensionable emoluments for each complete month of pensionable service together with such additional pension as might be awarded to him under the preceding part of this Regulation if he were qualified for pension.

(3) An officer so injured who is not qualified for either a pension under Regulation 2, or a gratuity under Regulation 3 may nevertheless be granted a pension of the same amount as the additional pension which he might have been granted if he had been so qualified.

Officers who have served in a non-pensionable office.

13. In special cases an officer holding a non-pensionable office may :–

(a) if he has served the Colony for not less than seven years and is removed in consequence of the abolition of his office, or for the purpose of facilitating improvements in the organisation of the Department to which he belongs by which greater efficiency and economy can be effected ; or

(b) if he has served for not less than fifteen years and he retires in any of the cases set out in Section 7 of the Ordinance ;

be granted a compassionate gratuity not exceeding one pound or one week's pay, whichever is the greater for each year of his service.

Officers transferred from pensionable to non-pensionable office.

14. Where an officer has been transferred from a pensionable to a non-pensionable office and subsequently retires either from a pensionable or non-pensionable office in circumstances in which he might have been granted a pension if he had continuously held a pensionable office, he may, with the approval of the Governor in Council, be allowed to count his service in the non-pensionable office as though it were service in the pensionable office which he held immediately prior to such transfer, and at the pensionable emoluments which were payable to him at the date of transfer.

Gratuity and reduced pension.

15. (1) Any officer to whom a pension is granted under the Ordinance may, at his option exercisable as hereinafter provided,

be paid in lieu of such pension a pension at the rate of three-fourths of such pension together with a gratuity equal to ten times the amount of the reduction so made in the pension.

(2) The option referred to in paragraph (1) shall be exercisable :–

(a) in the case of an officer to whom, if retired on the ground of ill-health, a pension might be awarded by reason only of the taking into account, under Regulation 9 of service in an appointment other than a pensionable office; not later than six months from the date when he receives notice of the approval of the Governor in Council for taking such service into account.

(b) in the case of an officer who is transferred to the service of the Colony from other public service, not later than thirteen months after the date of his transfer or one month after the earliest date on which, if retired on grounds of ill-health, he might be awarded a pension under this Ordinance, whichever shall be the later;

(c) in the case of any other officer; not later than one month after the earliest date on which, if retired on grounds of ill-health, he might be awarded a pension under the Ordinance:

Provided

(i) that an officer who has previously had the opportunity of exercising the option but has not done so, may, if he subsequently marries and is still in the service of the Colony or in any other public service, apply to the Governor not later than one month after the date of his marriage for permission to exercise the option, which permission may be granted at the Governor's discretion after examination of the officer by a Government Medical Board, and upon the grant of such permission the option shall be deemed to have been exercised.

(ii) that the date of the exercise of the option shall be deemed to be the date of the receipt of his written notification addressed either to the Colonial Secretary in the Colony or to the Crown Agents for the Colonies; and

(iii) that if an officer has exercised the option his decision shall be irrevocable.

Part II.

Special Regulations for Officers with other Public Service.

Definitions.

16. For the purpose of these Regulations :–

The term "Scheduled Government" means any Government included in the Schedule to these Regulations.

The term "Service in the Group" means service under the Government of the Colony, and under a Scheduled Government or Governments.

Application of Regulations in Part I.

17. Subject to the succeeding Regulations, the provisions of Regulations 8 (2), 13, 14, and 15 shall apply to the case of an officer who has been transferred to or from the service of the Colony from or to other public service and the provisions of Regulations 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (1), 9 (1), and 10 shall apply to the case of an officer so transferred as if his whole service had been in the Colony.

Provided that in the application of Regulation 15 to cases where the limitation prescribed by Section 10 (2) of the Ordinance operates the words "such pension" in that Regulation shall mean the amount of pension which he might have been awarded from the funds of the Colony if he had not elected for a gratuity and reduced pension.

Pension for service wholly within the Group.

18. (1) Where the other public service of an officer has been wholly under one or more of the Scheduled Governments and he has held a pensionable office in the Colony for a period of at least twelve months, and his aggregate service would have qualified him had he been wholly in the Colony for a pension under the Ordinance, he may, on his ultimate retirement from the public service in circumstances in which he is permitted by the Law or Regulations of the service in which he is last employed to retire on pension or gratuity, be granted a pension from the Colony of such an amount as shall bear the same proportion to the amount of pension for which he would have been eligible had his service been wholly in the Colony, as the aggregate amounts of his pensionable emoluments during his service in the Colony shall bear to the aggregate amounts of his pensionable emoluments throughout his service in the Group.

(2) In determining for the purposes of this Regulation the pension for which an officer would have been eligible if his service had been wholly in the Colony,

(a) his final pensionable emoluments taken shall be those of his last period of service in the Group;

(b) no regard shall be had to Regulations 11 and 12;

(c) regard shall be had to the condition that pension may not exceed two-thirds of the highest pensionable emoluments;

(d) no period of other public service under any Scheduled Government which does not grant a pension or gratuity to the officer shall be taken into account:

(3) For the purpose of this Regulation the aggregate amount of his pensionable emoluments shall be taken as the total amount of salary which the officer would have drawn, and the total amount of the other pensionable emoluments which he would have enjoyed had he been on duty on full pay in his substantive office or offices throughout his period of service in the Group subsequent to the attainment of the age of twenty years:

Provided that

(i) in calculating the aggregate amount of his pensionable emoluments no account shall be taken of any service under any Scheduled Government which does not grant the officer a pension or gratuity, or of any period of leave without salary or with salary at a special rate which was granted to him in order to make continuous service interrupted either by abolition of office or in consequence of a reorganisation designed to effect greater efficiency and economy.

(ii) where under Regulation 9 one half only of any service in a civil capacity otherwise than in a pensionable office is taken into account as pensionable

service, one half only of the officer's aggregate emoluments during that service shall be taken into account for the calculation aforesaid.

(iii) Where an officer entered the public service prior to the 1st of January, 1930, his pension in respect of his service in the Colony may be calculated as though any scheduled Government under which he has served had not been included in the schedule to these Regulations if this should be to his advantage.

Pension where other service not within the Group.

19. Where the other public service of an officer has not included service under any of the Scheduled Governments, and he has held a pensionable office in the Colony for a period of at least twelve months, and his aggregate service would have qualified him, had it been wholly in the Colony, for a pension under these Regulations, he may, on his ultimate retirement from the public service in circumstances in which he is permitted by the Law or Regulations of the Service in which he is last employed to retire on a pension or gratuity, be granted in respect of his service in the Colony a pension at the rate of one sixhundredth part of the amount of his pensionable emoluments at the date of his transfer or retirement, as the case may be, from the service of the Colony for each calendar month of his pensionable service in the Colony.

Pension when other service both within and not within the Group.

20. Where a part only of the other public service of an officer has been under one or more of the Scheduled Governments, the provisions of Regulation 18 shall apply; but in calculating the amount of pension, regard shall be had only to service in the Group.

Additional pension to officers retiring on account of injury.

21. Where an officer who has been transferred from other public service, and whose aggregate service would have qualified him, had it been wholly in the Colony, for a pension under these Regulations, is compulsorily retired from the public service in the circumstances mentioned in Regulation 12, he may, if at the time he is in the service of the Colony, be granted from the funds of the Colony the additional pension allowed by that Regulation, in addition to the pension granted under Regulations 18, 19, or 20 as the case may be.

Pension in respect of injury after less than 12 months service in the Colony.

22. Where by reason of the fact that an officer whose case falls under Regulation 21 has held a pensionable office in the Colony for less than twelve months, he is not eligible for a pension under Regulation 18, 19, or 20, as the case may be, he may, nevertheless, if at the time of his retirement he is in the service of the Colony, be granted from the funds of the Colony a pension of the same amount as the additional pension allowed by Regulation 21.

Addition to pension in respect of abolition or reorganisation of office.

23. Where an officer who has been transferred from other public service and whose aggregate service would have rendered him eligible, had it been wholly in the Colony, for a pension under these regulations is compulsorily retired from the public service in circumstances mentioned in Regulation 11, he may if at the time he is in the service of the Colony, be granted from the funds of the Colony in addition to the pension granted to him under Regulation 18, 19, or 20, as the case may be, an addition to his pension equal to the addition to his pension which might have been granted to him if his total pensionable service had been in the Colony.

Gratuities where length of service does not qualify for pension.

24. (1) Where an officer has been transferred to or from the service of the Colony from or to other public service, retires from the public service in circumstances in which he is permitted by the Law or Regulations of the service in which he is last employed

to retire on pension or gratuity, but has not completed in the aggregate the minimum period of ten years service qualifying him for a pension, he may be granted from the funds of the Colony a gratuity not exceeding five times the annual amount of the pension which had there been no qualifying period, might have been granted to him under Regulation 18, 19, or 20, as the case may be.

Injury.

(2) Where such an officer retires from the public service in the circumstances mentioned in Regulation 12, an award may, if at the time he is in the service of the Colony, be made to him under that regulation as if he had no other public service, but he shall not be granted, in addition, the gratuity for which he is eligible under paragraph (1) of this Regulation.

Officers transferred to other public service and retiring after less than 12 months employment in last service.

25. Where an officer who is transferred to other public service is not granted a pension or gratuity in respect of his employment in the service in which he is last employed, solely by reason of the fact that he has not completed twelve months service therein, he shall not, on that account, be disqualified from receiving a pension or gratuity from the funds of the Colony, if otherwise eligible therefor.

SCHEDULE.

(*See Regulation 16.*)

Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
The Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies.
The Colonial Audit Department (Home Establishment).
Aden.
Bahamas.
Barbados.
Basutoland.
Bechuanaland Protectorate.
Bermuda.
British Guiana.
British Honduras.
British Solomon Islands Protectorate.
Ceylon.
Cyprus.
Federated Malay States.
Fiji.
Gambia.
Gibraltar.
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony.
Gold Coast.
Grenada.
Hong Kong.
Jamaica.
Kenya.
Kenya and Uganda Railways and Harbours Administration.
Leeward Islands.
Malta.
Mauritius.
Nigeria.
Northern Rhodesia.
Nyasaland Protectorate.
Palestine.
St. Helena.
St. Lucia.
St. Vincent.
Seychelles.
Sierra Leone.
Somaliland Protectorate.
Straits Settlements.
Swaziland.
Tanganyika Territory.
Tonga.
Trinidad.
Turks and Caicos Islands.
Uganda Protectorate.
Zanzibar Protectorate.

A Bill

To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924.

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:- Enacting Clause.

1. Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained in the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924. the duty of Customs to be raised, levied and collected upon whale oil and upon seal oil which shall be raised in the Colony or in the Dependencies thereof and shall be shipped from the Colony or from the Dependencies thereof for places beyond the limits of the Colony or of the Dependencies thereof during the 1937-38 whaling season and during the 1938 sealing season shall be fixed at the rate of one shilling and sixpence for each barrel of forty gallons. Rate of duty on export of Whale and Seal oil during the 1937-38 whaling season and the 1938 sealing season.

2. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinance, 1937" and shall be read and construed as one with the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924. Short Title.

Passed by the Legislative Council this day , 1937.

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this day of 1937.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

ANNUAL STOCK RETURN FOR 1936-1937.

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

Owner.	Name of Station.	Rams.	Wethers.	Breeding Ewes.	Other Ewes. Cast.	Other Ewes. Maiden.	Hoggets.	Total.	Ear Mark
EAST FALKLAND.									
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Lafonia & Islands.	1,985	48,078	59,533	18,331	—	41,350	169,277	Double Swallow.
" " " "	Fitzroy.	336	11,751	11,327	—	3,673	7,713	34,800	" "
Estate, J. J. Felton.	Evelyn.	427	7,065	10,018	—	2,606	6,230	26,346	Back Square.
Port San Carlos Co., Ltd.	Port San Carlos.	279	7,509	9,687	—	2,502	6,785	26,762	Saw.
G. Bonner & Co.	San Carlos.	388	6,556	9,324	34	2,671	5,643	24,616	Front Notch.
The Douglas Stn. Co. Ltd.	Douglas.	348	7,294	10,124	—	1,374	5,836	24,976	Fork.
Pitaluga Bros.	Gibraltar.	477	3,278	5,626	—	1,931	3,280	14,592	Fore P.
Smith. & Sons.	Berkeley Sound.	134	4,800	6,229	—	—	3,446	14,609	Triangle.
Mrs. H. J. Pitaluga.	Rincon Grande.	150	4,350	4,800	—	800	2,020	12,120	Slit.
Estate T. Robson.	Port Louis North.	204	3,545	3,930	—	630	2,423	10,732	Front Halfpenny.
Mrs. F. O. Yonge.	Bluff Cove.	78	646	2,421	149	—	792	4,086	Double Slit.
C. Bender.	Moody Valley.	48	438	1,444	—	63	340	2,333	Fork & Back Bit.
H. S. Browning & J. W. McGill.	Mullet Creek.	28	300	1,050	—	—	388	1,766	Back Bayonet.
J. W. McGill.	Peninsular.	3	—	110	—	—	—	113	None.
		4,885	105,610	135,623	18,514	16,250	86,246	367,128	
WEST FALKLAND.									
J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard.	376	11,000	12,490	—	3,320	7,750	34,939	Fork.
Holmstead, Blake & Co. Ltd.	Hill Cove.	367	8,199	11,346	100	3,083	6,828	29,923	Front Bayonet.
Dean & Co.	Port Stephens.	437	7,122	11,316	1,077	2,625	6,328	28,905	Fork.
Packe Bros. & Co. Ltd.	Fox Bay East	251	8,699	9,481	862	2,675	6,296	28,264	Square Fork.
Luxton & Anson.	Chartres.	283	7,091	10,010	—	2,510	5,735	25,629	Double Swallow.
Baillon & Stickney.	Fox Bay West.	304	4,831	7,862	—	1,317	3,482	17,796	Double Slit.
Stickney Bros.	Spring Point.	200	3,800	4,000	—	1,027	2,973	12,000	Back Bit.
Bertrand & Felton.	Westbourne.	147	5,270	5,067	331	1,846	3,730	16,391	Front Square.
		2,365	56,012	71,572	2,370	18,403	43,122	193,844	
ISLANDS.									
J. Hamilton.	Weddell.	193	2,164	1,180	626	—	916	5,079	Fork.
J. Hamilton.	Beaver.	11	20	194	40	—	84	349	Fork.
J. Hamilton.	Passage.	3	660	81	—	—	36	780	Fork.
G. T. Dean & Bros.	Pebble & Keppel.	158	7,218	5,904	290	1,865	4,284	19,719	Back Bayonet.
G. T. Dean & Bros.	Jason.	12	797	616	308	109	740	2,582	Back Bayonet.
Estate W. D. Benney.	Saunders.	97	2,866	2,795	—	852	1,959	8,569	Punch Hole.
J. Hansen.	Carcass.	120	595	765	—	—	492	1,972	Fore Bayonet.
Mrs. Scott.	New.	16	833	703	—	135	596	2,283	Fork.
Mrs. H. Ricketts.	Sea Lion.	10	521	715	50	—	475	1,771	Slit.
Mrs. E. E. Matthews.	West Swan.	—	—	—	—	230	—	230	Fork.
G. McKay.	Middle.	—	—	—	—	—	40	40	
		620	15,674	12,953	1,314	3,191	9,622	43,374	
	East Falkland	4,885	105,610	135,623	18,514	16,250	86,246	367,128	
	West Falkland	2,365	56,012	71,572	2,370	18,403	43,123	193,844	
	Islands	620	15,674	12,953	1,314	3,191	9,622	43,374	
	Totals	7,870	177,296	220,148	22,198	37,844	138,990	604,346	

IMPORTATIONS.

Horses.	Rams.	Goats.	Dogs.
40	379	3	1

SUMMARY OF STOCK RETURNS 1932-1937.

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SHEEP.

Year.	Rams.	Wethers.	Breeding Ewes.	Other Ewes.	Hoggets.	% Hoggets to Breeding Ewes.	Total.
1932–1933.	7,569	188,470	225,013	62,773	131,151	58.33	614,976
1933–1934.	7,451	182,218	222,786	63,105	131,731	59.10	607,291
1934–1935.	7,342	179,732	225,354	61,255	141,999	63.01	615,682
1935–1936.	7,366	186,885	224,347	64,597	125,976	56.15	609,171
1936–1937.	7,870	177,296	220,148	60,042	138,990	63.13	604,346

SHEEP DISPOSED OF.

Year.	Sold Locally for Breeding.	Exported.	Slaughtered.			Total.
			Mutton.	Tallow.	Skins.	
1932–1933.	2,597	322	19,629	27,607	22,349	72,504
1933–1934.	3,791	—	19,876	34,798	25,662	83,997
1934–1935.	5,486	2,015	20,434	30,690	27,768	86,453
1935–1936.	3,897	2,331	21,751	29,752	21,858	79,589
1936–1937.	4,593	31,328	18,935	25,222	14,139	94,217

OTHER STOCK.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Swine.
1932–1933.	3,388	9,699	73
1933–1934.	3,278	9,952	61
1934–1935.	3,378	10,072	29
1935–1936.	3,414	10,068	23
1936–1937.	3,387	10,076	16

Note.—The annual report of the Agricultural Department will be printed on a separate form and published at a later date.

D. S. A. Weir,
Agricultural Adviser.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

No. 76. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
29th October, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. W. D. A. JONES,

Acting Chief Clerk, Treasury and Customs Department, to be Registrar, Supreme Court and Clerk to the Registrar-General, with effect from the 14th of October, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/71.

No. 77. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st November, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice, No. 75 of the 16th October, 1934, His Excellency the Acting Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following list of members of the Committee for the care and management of the Public Library and Museum appointed under Section 3 of the Library and Museum Ordinance, 1918, for a period of three years from the 1st of October, 1937 :–

The Honourable A. R. Hoare, M.B.E., J.P., (*Chairman*).

Mrs. A. Newing.
Reverend G. K. Lowe.
Mr. A. G. Bennett.
Mr. L. Hardy.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 172/25.

No. 78. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd November. 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following arrangements have been approved by the Acting Governor for the observance in this Colony of Armistice Day, the 11th of November, 1937.

The Order of Service will be held at the Cross of Sacrifice at 11.00 a.m. at which His Excellency will attend officially and will be supported by the Honourable Members of Councils. The Falkland Islands Defence Force, the Stanley Sea Scouts, the Stanley Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, will parade and will take part in the ceremony.

At 11.00 a.m. a gun will be fired from Victory Green. The customary two minutes silence will then be observed after which at 11.2 a.m. a second gun will be fired and the Last Post sounded. At the conclusion of the Order of Service His Excellency will lay a wreath at the foot of the Cross of Sacrifice and the Ceremony will terminate. Wreaths may then be laid by private individuals at the foot of the Cross of Sacrifice and on the Naval and Military graves.

It is hoped that as many of the public as possible will be present at the Ceremony at the Cemetery and that Heads of Departments and Government servants generally will make a special effort to attend.

The children from the Government School will be assembled and drawn up in readiness for the Ceremony at the Cross of Sacrifice.

Should the weather be inclement Divine Service will be held at Christ Church Cathedral at 10.20 a.m. At the end of the Service the Acting Governor and the several parties on parade will proceed to the Cross of Sacrifice.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 320/31

No. 79. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd November, 1937.

With reference to Government Notice, No. 61 of the 26th of May, 1937, it is hereby notified, for general information that

MR. W. D. A. JONES,

Acting Chief Clerk, Treasury and Customs Department, acted as Local Auditor from the 20th of May to the 30th of September, 1937, both dates inclusive.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/71.

No. 80. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
2nd November, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. GEORGE LYON DAILLIE,

Second Assistant Master, Government School, to act as Local Auditor, with effect from the 1st of November, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART.
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/121.

No. 81. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
3rd November, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

MR. A. I. FLEURET,

Assistant Colonial Secretary, was absent on vacation leave from the 20th of May to the 26th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART.
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. L/19.

No. 82. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
3rd November, 1937.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that

MR. W. BARLAS, J.P.,

Magistrate, South Georgia, acted as Magistrate, Stanley from the 4th of April to the 29th of October, 1937, and as Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to Councils from the 20th of May to the 26th of October, 1937, all dates inclusive.

M.P. P/7.

2ND. LIEUTENANT L. W. ALDRIDGE

acted as Adjutant of the Falkland Islands Defence Force from the 20th of May to the 26th of October, 1937, both dates inclusive.

M.P. P/17.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 83. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
4th November, 1937.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEFENCE FORCE.

THE EFFICIENCY MEDAL.

His Excellency the Acting Governor and Commander-in-Chief is pleased hereby to direct the publication of the grant of the Efficiency Medal to the following members of the Falkland Islands Defence Force :–

Sergt. R. Campbell.
Corpl. J. P. Lanning.
Corpl. A. Peck.
Pte. A. Pettersson.
Pte. J. Turner.
Pte. A. V. Summers.
Pte. G. L. Pallini.
Pte. G. Osborne.
Pte. E. V. Summers.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 4/36.

No. 84. Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th November, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. W. D. A. JONES,

Acting Chief Clerk, Treasury and Customs Department, Registrar, Supreme Court, etc., to act as Official Administrator with effect from the 9th of November, 1937.

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. P/71.

No. 85. Colonial Secretary's Office.
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
15th November, 1937.

His Excellency the Acting Governor directs the publication for general information, of the following resolution adopted at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 15th of November, 1937 :-

"Be it resolved that under the provisions of the Stanley Rating Ordinance, 1928, this Council hereby sanctions the following rate to be charged for the year 1938, on house property in the Town of Stanley, namely, One Shilling and Nine Pence for every Twenty Shillings of the annual value of such house property."

By Command,
M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

M.P. 208/37.

PROBATE NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Elizabeth Margaret Campbell, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.

Whereas Ray Campbell, Attorney for John M. Campbell, eldest son of the above-named deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving no Will.

W. D. A. JONES,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
1st November, 1937.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

Andreas Pitaluga, of Gibraltar Station, Salvador, deceased.

Whereas Lionel Francis Hodgson as Attorney for Robert Greenshields, Sole Executor, has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the Estate of the 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 21 days from the date hereof.

The deceased died leaving a Will dated 24th September, 1930.

W. D. A. JONES,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.
22nd November, 1937.

Regulations made by the Governor in Executive Council under Section 45 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.

Short Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Live Stock (Amendment) Regulations, 1937.

Amendment of sub-section (3) of Section 11 of Live Stock Regulations (Consolidation) 1923.

2. Section 11, sub-section (3) of the Live Stock Regulations (Consolidation) 1923, is hereby amended by the insertion of the words "or at a suitable Quarantine Station on the mainland" after the word "island".

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 13th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

M.P. 125/34.

Order of His Excellency the Governor in Council.

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 2 of the Harbour Ordinance, 1902, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered, that sections 2 and 3 of the Regulations made by the Governor in Council under the Harbour Ordinance, 1902, on the 24th day of April, 1929, are revoked.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 13th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

M.P. C/4/36/1.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Minutes of Meeting held on the 15th November, 1937.

1. The Minutes of the meeting held on the 26th of June, 1937, were confirmed.

2. The Acting Governor delivered to the Council the following Message:

"Honourable Members of the Legislative Council,

"At the corresponding meeting of this Council held last year on the 6th of "November, Sir Henniker Heaton made reference to the stabilization of the financial "relations between the Colony and its Dependencies and I am glad to be able to "inform you that considerable increases in the assets of the Colony are anticipated "on the 1st January, 1938, over those on the 1st January, 1937. The schemes "which have been devised for development have been successful in creating employ-"ment, so much so, that work is now available for all employable men. New "electrical plant has been installed during the year with an output which is con-"sidered sufficient to meet all likely demands. The Medical Department has under "consideration schemes for the maintenance and improvement in the health of the "school children, the establishment of a mothercraft centre, the extension of the "maternity and child welfare clinic and education in Dental Health. Fresh im-"portations of cattle are anticipated for the Agricultural Department with a view to "improving the milk supply. We have been fortunate in obtaining the services of "Mr. W. Davies for the purpose of investigating methods for the improvement "of our grasslands and his reports will be of considerable value in assisting the "development schemes inaugurated for the purpose of increasing the number of "sheep carried on the various farms throughout the Colony.

"On turning to the estimates for 1937, Honourable Members will observe "with satisfaction that the surplus of assets over liabilities will on the 1st January "next year be £22,000 higher than the surplus at the beginning of the year. With "such a phenomenal increase it is likely that the policy outlined by Sir Henniker "Heaton of increasing the Falkland Islands Reserve Fund from £34,000 at which "it now stands to £50,000 will be acheived. When this has been accomplished it "may be possible in subsequent years to devote more funds for development.

"The revised estimate of ordinary revenue for the year 1937 shows a sur-"plus revenue over expenditure of £13,257 instead of the £2,281 anticipated when "the estimates were approved, while the revised estimate of ordinary and extra-"ordinary expenditure amounting to £56,868 is less than the approved estimate by "£33.

"The memorandum prepared by the Acting Colonial Secretary explains in "detail the reasons for the increase in the 1938 revenue, over the approved estimate "for 1937, and for the variations in expenditure between the approved estimates for "1937 and the estimates of expenditure for 1938. It will be observed that the "major items under the Public Works Extraordinary programme are £1,700 for "the completion of the construction of roads to Canopus Hut and Sapper Hill and "£2,000 for the new Secretariat building. Expenditure on these items received "approval of Council in 1936. Explanations for the other items of expenditure "under this head are given in the Memorandum and it will be observed that apart "from the items approved last year fresh expenditure under Public Works Extra-"ordinary is estimated at the low figure of £4,695.

"In addition to the Bill to provide for the service of the year 1938, legisla-"tion will be laid before you to-day to

"(i) extend to the Colony and Dependencies thereof the Forgery Act, "1913, of the Imperial Parliament.

"(ii) give effect to the International Labour Convention concerning the "protection against accidents of workers employed in loading and unloading ships.

"(iii) amend the Public Health Ordinance, 1894, as amended by the Public "Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931.

"(iv) provide for the payment of Compensation to workmen for injuries "suffered in the course of their employment.

"(v) amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export "Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924.

"(vi) Provide for the grant of Pensions, Gratuities and other allowances to "persons who have been in the Public Service of the Colony of the Falkland "Islands.

"(vii) establish a Provident Fund for certain Non-Pensionable Employees "of the Government."

3. The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary, by Command, laid on the Table the following papers :

(i) Copies of all Regulations, Orders and Bye-laws made or approved by the Governor in Executive Council since the last meeting of the Legislative Council.

(ii) Copies of despatches received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, intimating the non-disallowance by His Maiesty of Ordinances, Nos. 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13 and 14 of 1936 and 1 and 2 of 1937.

(iii) Comparative Statements of Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony and the Dependencies for the periods 1st January to 31st March and 1st January to 30th June, 1937.

4. The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved and the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded the adoption of the following Resolution :

"WHEREAS additional provision is required for the service of the Colony "and its Dependencies for the year ending the 31st of December, 1937.

"Be it resolved –

"This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from public funds of the "sum of ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE "POUNDS SIX SHILLINGS AND EIGHT PENCE (£1,499. 6s. 8d.) to "meet the several charges itemized in the accompanying schedule."

The Resolution was adopted.

5. The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved the adoption of the following Resolution :

"Be it resolved that under the provisions of the Stanley Rating Ordinance, "1928, this Council hereby sanctions the following rate to be charged for the year "1938, on house property in the Town of Stanley, namely, One Shilling and Nine "Pence for every Twenty Shillings of the annual value of such house property."

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded and the Resolution was adopted.

6. On the motion of the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To provide for the Service of the Year 1938, was read a *first* time.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clause 1 was agreed to.

On motion made consideration of Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

The Schedule was agreed to.

Clause 2 was recommitted and agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

7. With reference to Secretary of State's despatch, No. 28 of the 15th of February, 1937, the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To extend to the Colony and Dependencies thereof The Forgery Act, 1913, of the Imperial Parliament."

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2 were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

8. With reference to Secretary of State's despatch, No. 43 of the 20th of March, 1937, the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To give effect to the International Labour Convention concerning the protection against accidents of workers employed in loading or unloading ships."

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1, 2 and 3 were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

9. On the motion of the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer the Bill "To amend the Public Health Ordinance, 1894, as amended by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931", was read a *first* time.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

10. With reference to Secretary of State's Telegram, No. 69 of the 5th of August, 1937, the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To provide for the payment of Compensation to Workmen for injuries suffered in the course of their employment."

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clause 1 was agreed to.

On motion made consideration of Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

Clause 3 was agreed to.

On motion made consideration of Clause 4 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

Clauses 5 to 35 were agreed to.

The Schedule was agreed to.

Clauses 2 and 4 were recommitted and agreed to.

The enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

11. On the motion of the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer the Bill "To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924", was read a *first* time.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1 and 2 were agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

12. With reference to Secretary of State's despatch, No. 111 of the 24th of August, 1937, the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To provide for the grant of Pensions, Gratuities and other allowances to persons who have been in the Public Service of the Colony of the Falkland Islands."

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clauses 1 to 21 were agreed to.

The Schedule was agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

13. With reference to Secretary of State's Circular (2) despatch of the 9th of July, 1937, the Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To establish a Provident Fund for certain Non-Pensionable Employees of the Government".

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded.

On further motion made and seconded the Standing Orders were suspended and the Bill was read a *second* time and committed.

Clause 1 was agreed to.

On motion made consideration of Clause 2 was postponed until after consideration of the Schedule.

Clauses 3 to 22 were agreed to.

The Schedule was agreed to.

Clause 2 was recommitted and agreed to.

The Enacting Clause and Title were agreed to.

The Council resumed.

The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

The Council adjourned *sine die*.

[L.S.]

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 3 of 1937.

I ASSENT,

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Acting Governor.

20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year, 1938.

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:- Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Appropriation (1938) Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

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 the 31st of December, 1938, a sum not exceeding Seventy-three thousand, and Ten 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 1938. Appropriation of £73,010 for service of year 1938.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount. £	s.	d.
	FALKLAND ISLANDS.			
I.	Pensions	1527	0	0
II.	The Governor	2805	0	0
III.	Colonial Secretary	2892	0	0
IV.	Treasury and Customs	1630	0	0
V.	Audit	338	0	0
VI.	Post Office	3520	0	0
VII.	Electrical and Telegraph	3384	0	0
VIII.	Harbour	780	0	0
IX.	Legal	145	0	0
X.	Police and Prisons	1002	0	0
XI.	Medical	5739	0	0
XII.	Education	2984	0	0
XIII.	Ecclesiastical	289	0	0
XIV.	Naturalist	55	0	0
XV.	Military	1288	0	0
XVI.	Agriculture	6430	0	0
XVII.	Miscellaneous	4693	0	0
XVIII.	Public Works	3550	0	0
XIX.	Public Works Recurrent	6935	0	0
	Total Ordinary Expenditure £	49986	0	0
XX.	Public Works Extraordinary ...	8395	0	0
	Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue £	58381	0	0
APPENDIX I.	Expenditure chargeable to Land Sales Fund	800	0	0
	DEPENDENCIES.			
I.	Ordinary Expenditure	13829	0	0
	Total ... £	73010	0	0

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 4 of 1937.

I ASSENT,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.
20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To provide for the payment of Compensation to Workmen for injuries suffered in the course of their employment.

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 :—

Preliminary.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1937." Short Title.

2. (1) In this Ordinance – Interpretation.

"ADULT" and "MINOR" means respectively a person who is not and a person who is under the age of seventeen years;

"COMMISSIONER" means a Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation appointed under section 20;

"COMPENSATION" means compensation as provided for by this Ordinance ;

"DEPENDANTS" means such of the members of the workman's family as were wholly or in part dependent upon the earnings of the workman at the time of his death, or would but for the incapacity due to the accident have been so dependent, and where the workman, being the parent or grandparent of an illegitimate child, leaves such a child so dependent upon his earnings, or, being an illegitimate child, leaves a parent or grandparent so dependent upon his earnings, shall include such an illegitimate child and parent or grandparent respectively :

Provided that a person shall not be deemed to be a partial dependant of a workman unless he was dependent partially on contributions from the workman for the provision of the ordinary necessaries of life suitable for persons in his class and position ;

"EMPLOYER" includes His Majesty in His Government of the Colony and any body of persons whether incorporated or not and any managing agent of an employer and the legal representative of a deceased employer, and, where the services of a workman are temporarily lent or let on hire to another person by the person with whom the workman has entered into a contract of service or apprenticeship, the latter shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, be deemed to continue to be the employer of the workman whilst he is working for that other person.

In relation to a person engaged in plying for hire with any vehicle, the use of which is obtained from the owner thereof under a contract of bailment (other than a hire purchase agreement), the owner of the vehicle shall be deemed to be the employer.

In relation to a person employed for the purposes of any game or recreation and engaged or paid through a club, the manager, or members of the managing committee of the club shall be deemed to be the employer ;

"MANAGING AGENT" means any person appointed or acting as the representative of another person for the purpose of carrying on such other person's trade or business, but does not include an individual manager subordinate to an employer ;

"MEMBER OF A FAMILY" means wife or husband, father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, stepfather, stepmother, son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, stepson, stepdaughter, brother, sister, half-brother, half-sister ;

"OUTWORKER" means a person to whom articles or materials are given out to be made up, cleaned, washed, altered, ornamented, finished, or repaired, or adapted for sale in his own home or on other premises not under the control or management of the person who gave out the materials or articles ;

"PARTIAL DISABLEMENT" means, where the disablement is of a temporary nature, such disablement as reduces the earning capacity of a workman in any employment in which he was engaged at the time of the accident resulting in the disablement, and, where the disablement is of a permanent nature, such disablement as reduces his earning capacity in every employment which he was capable of undertaking at that time :

Provided that every injury specified in the Schedule hereto shall be deemed to result in permanent partial disablement ;

"QUALIFIED MEDICAL PRACTITIONER" means a member of the medical profession registered under the Medical Practitioners Midwives and Dentists Ordinance, 1914 ;

"REGISTRAR" means the Registrar of the Supreme Court ;

"TOTAL DISABLEMENT" means such disablement, whether of a temporary or permanent nature, as incapacitates a workman for all work which he was capable of performing at the time of the accident resulting in such disablement :

Provided that permanent total disablement shall be deemed to result from the permanent total loss of the sight of both eyes or from any combination of injuries specified in the Schedule hereto where the aggregate percentage of the loss of earning capacity, as specified in that Schedule against those injuries, amounts to one hundred per cent;

"WAGES" includes any privilege or benefit which is capable of being estimated in money, other than a travelling allowance or the value of any travelling concession or a contribution paid by the employer of a workman towards any pension or provident fund or a sum paid to a workman to cover any special expenses entailed on him by the nature of his employment;

"WORKMAN" means any person who has entered into or works under a contract of service or apprenticeship with an employer, whether the contract was made before or after the commencement of this Ordinance and whether such contract is expressed or implied, is oral or in writing; and also includes a person engaged in plying for hire with any vehicle the use of which is obtained from the owner thereof under any contract of bailment (other than a hire purchase agreement) in consideration of the payment of a fixed sum or a share in the earnings or otherwise:

Provided that the following persons shall not be regarded as workmen for the purposes of this Ordinance:-

(a) persons employed otherwise than by way of manual labour whose remuneration exceeds two hundred pounds a year; or

(b) persons whose employment is of a casual nature and who are employed otherwise than for the purposes of the employer's trade or business, not being persons employed for the purposes of any game or recreation and engaged or paid through a club; or

(c) out workers; or

(d) persons in the naval, military or air forces of the Crown; or

(e) members of the employer's family dwelling in his house; or

(f) domestic servants; or

(g) persons employed exclusively as clerical workers and/or shop assistants.

(2) Any reference to a workman who has been injured shall, where the workman is dead, include a reference to his legal personal representative or to his dependants or other person to whom or for whose benefit compensation is payable.

(3) The exercise and performance of the powers and duties of a local or other public authority or of any department of the Government shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, unless a contrary intention appears be deemed to be the trade or business of such authority or department.

(4) If on any proceedings for the recovery of compensation under this Ordinance it appears to the Commissioner by whom the claim to compensation is to be settled that the contract of service or apprenticeship under which the injured person was working at the time when the accident causing the injury happened was illegal, he

may, if having regard to all the circumstances of the case he thinks proper so to do, deal with the matter as if the injured person had at the time aforesaid been a person working under a valid contract of service or apprenticeship.

Compensation.

Employer's liability for compensation.

3. (1) If personal injury is caused to a workman by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment, his employer shall be liable to pay compensation in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance:

Provided that the employer shall not be so liable-

Slight injury.

(a) in respect of any injury which does not result in the total or partial disablement of the workman for a period exceeding ten days;

Misconduct.

(b) in respect of any injury to a workman resulting from an accident which is directly attributable to -

(i) the workman having been at the time thereof under the influence of drink or drugs, or

(ii) the wilful disobedience of the workman to an order expressly given, or to a regulation or rule expressly made, for the purpose of securing the safety of workmen, or

(iii) the wilful removal or disregard by the workman of any safety guard or other device which he knew to have been provided for the purpose of securing the safety of workmen.

Disease.

(2) No compensation shall be payable to a workman in respect of any disease unless the disease is solely and directly attributable to a specific injury by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment.

Liability for negligence.

(3) When the injury was caused by the personal negligence or wilful act of the employer or of some person for whose act or default the employer is responsible, nothing in this Ordinance shall affect any civil liability of the employer, but in that case the workman may, at his option, either claim compensation under this Ordinance or take proceedings independently of this Ordinance; but the employer shall not be liable to pay compensation for injury to a workman by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment both independently of and also under this Ordinance, and shall not be liable to any proceedings independently of this Ordinance, except in case of such personal negligence or wilful act as aforesaid.

Independent action.

(4) If, within the time hereinafter in this Ordinance limited for taking proceedings, an action is brought to recover damages independently of this Ordinance for injury caused by an accident, and it is determined in such action or on appeal that the injury is one for which the employer is not liable in such action, but that he would have been liable to pay compensation under the provisions of this Ordinance, the action shall be dismissed; but the Court in which the action is tried, or, if the determination is the determination on an appeal (by either party) by an appellant tribunal, that tribunal shall, if the plaintiff so choose, proceed to assess such compensation, but may deduct from such compensation all or part of the costs which, in its judgment, have been caused by the plaintiff bringing the action instead of proceeding under this Ordinance. In any proceeding under this subsection, when the Court or appellate tribunal assesses the compensation, it shall give a certificate of the compensation it has awarded and the directions it has given as to the deduction of costs,

and such certificate shall have the force and effect of and shall be registered as an agreement under this Ordinance:

Provided that an appellate tribunal may, instead of itself assessing such compensation, remit the case to a Commissioner for the assessment of the compensation and in such case may order the Commissioner to deduct from the amount of compensation assessed by him all or part of such cost as aforesaid.

Amount of compensation.

4. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, the amount of compensation shall be as follows, namely:-

Death.

(a) Where death results from the injury and:-

(i) the workman leaves a dependant or dependants wholly dependent upon his earnings, a sum equal to thirty months' wages or two hundred and fifty pounds whichever is the less;

(ii) the workman does not leave a dependant or dependants wholly dependent upon his earnings, but leaves a dependant or dependants in part so dependent, such sum not exceeding the amount of compensation payable under the preceding paragraph as may be agreed upon or in default of agreement as may be awarded by the Commissioner to be reasonable and proportionate to the injury to the said dependant or dependants.

In addition to any sum payable under the foregoing paragraphs there shall be payable by the employer the reasonable expenses (not exceeding £5) of the burial of the deceased workman.

Permanent total disablement.

(b) Where permanent total disablement results from the injury -

(i) in the case of an adult, a sum equal to forty-two months' wages or three hundred and fifty pounds, whichever is the less, and

(ii) in the case of a minor, a sum equal to eighty-four months' wages or three hundred and fifty pounds, whichever is less.

Permanent partial disablement.

(c) Where permanent partial disablement results from the injury -

(i) in the case of an injury specified in the Schedule hereto, such percentage of the compensation which would have been payable in the case of permanent total disablement as is specified therein as being the percentage of the loss of earning capacity caused by that injury, and

(ii) in the case of an injury not specified in the Schedule hereto, such percentage of the compensation payable in the case of permanent total disablement as is proportionate to the loss of earning capacity permanently caused by the injury.

Where more injuries than one are caused by the same accident, the amount of the compensation payable under this head shall be aggregated, but not so in any case as to exceed the amount which would have been payable if permanent total disablement had resulted from the injuries.

Temporary disablement.

(d) Where temporary disablement, whether total or partial, results from the injury, a half-monthly payment payable on the sixteenth day from the date of the disablement, and thereafter half-monthly during the disablement or during a period of five years, whichever period is shorter -

(i) in the case of an adult, of a sum equal to one fourth of his monthly wages, and

(ii) in the case of a minor, of a sum equal to one-third or, after he has attained the age of seventeen years, to one-half of his monthly wages :

Provided that there shall be deducted from any lump sum or half-monthly payments to which the workman is entitled the amount of any payment or allowance which the workman has received from the employer by way of compensation during the period of disablement prior to the receipt of such lump sum or of the first half-monthly payment, as the case may be, and no half-monthly payment shall in any case exceed the amount, if any, by which half the amount of the monthly wages of the workman before the accident exceeds half the amount of such wages as he is earning or is able to earn in some suitable employment or business after the accident.

(2) On the ceasing of the disablement before the date on which any half-monthly payment falls due, there shall be payable in respect of that half month a sum proportionate to the duration of the disablement in that half month.

Method of calculating wages.

5. (1) For the purposes of section 4 the monthly wages of a workman shall be calculated as follows, namely :-

(a) where the workman has, during a continuous period of not less than twelve months immediately preceding the accident, been in the service of the employer who is liable to pay compensation, the monthly wages of the workman shall be one-twelfth of the total wages which have fallen due for payment to him by the employer in the last twelve months of that period ;

(b) in other cases, the monthly wages shall be thirty times the total wages earned in respect of the last continuous period of service immediately preceding the accident from the employer who is liable to pay compensation, divided by the number of days comprising such period :

Provided that if the amount of the monthly wages arrived at by calculation under clause (a) or clause (b) is more than twelve pounds and ten shillings, such monthly wages shall be assumed to be twelve pounds and ten shillings.

(2) A period of service shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be continuous which has not been interrupted by a period of absence from work exceeding fourteen days.

Review.

6. (1) Any half-monthly payment payable under this Ordinance either under an agreement between the parties or under the order of a Commissioner, may be reviewed by the Commissioner on the application either of the employer or of the workman accompanied by the certificate of a qualified medical practitioner that there has been a change in the condition of the workman or, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, on application made without such certificate.

(2) Any half-monthly payment may, on review under this section, subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, be continued, increased, decreased or ended, or, if the accident is found to have resulted in permanent disablement, be converted to the lump sum to which the workman is entitled less any amount which he has already received by way of half-monthly payments.

Payment of lump sum in lieu of payments.

7. Any right to receive half-monthly payments may, by agreement between the parties, or, if the parties cannot agree and the payments have been continued for not less than six months, on the application of either party to the Commissioner, be redeemed by the payment of a lump sum of such amount as may be agreed to by the parties or determined by the Commissioner, as the case may be.

Distribution of compensation.

On death.

8. (1) Compensation payable where the death of a workman has resulted from an injury shall be deposited with the Registrar, and any sum so deposited shall be apportioned among the dependants of the deceased workman or any of them in such proportion as the Commissioner thinks fit, or may in the discretion of the Commissioner, be allotted to any one such dependant, and the sum so allotted to any dependant shall be paid to him or be invested, applied or otherwise dealt with for his benefit in such manner as the Commissioner thinks fit.

Lump sums.

(2) Compensation payable where permanent disablement has resulted from an injury and lump sums payable under the provisions of the preceding section where temporary disablement has resulted from an injury shall be deposited with the Registrar, and any sum so deposited shall be paid to the person entitled thereto or be invested, applied or otherwise dealt with for his benefit in such manner as the Commissioner thinks fit.

Other cases.

(3) Any other compensation payable under this Ordinance may be deposited with the Registrar and, when so deposited, shall be paid by the Registrar to the person entitled thereto.

Receipt of Registrar.

(4) The receipt of the Registrar shall be a sufficient discharge in respect of any amount deposited with him under the provisions of this Ordinance.

Notice to dependants.

(5) On the deposit of any money under subsection (1), the Registrar may deduct therefrom the actual cost of the workman's funeral expenses, to an amount not exceeding eight pounds, and pay the same to the person by whom such expenses were incurred, and shall, if he thinks necessary, cause notice to be published or to be served on each dependant in such manner as he thinks fit, calling upon the dependants to appear before the Commissioner on such date as he may fix for determining the distribution of the compensation. If the Commissioner is satisfied, after any enquiry which he may deem necessary, that no dependant exists, he shall direct the Registrar to repay the balance of the money to the employer by whom it was paid. The Registrar shall, on application by the employer, furnish a statement showing in detail all disbursements made.

Workman under disability.

(6) Where a half-monthly payment is payable under this Ordinance to a workman under any legal disability, the Commissioner may, of his own motion or on application made to him in this behalf, order that the half-monthly payment be paid during the disability to any dependant of the workman or to any other person whom he thinks best fitted to provide for the welfare of the workman.

Variation of order.

(7) Where, on application made to him in this behalf or otherwise, the Commissioner is satified that, on account of neglect of

children on the part of a parent, or on account of the variation of the circumstances of any dependant, or for any other sufficient cause, an order of the Commissioner as to the distribution of any sum paid as compensation or as to the manner in which any sum payable to any such dependant is to be invested, applied or otherwise dealt with ought to be varied, the Commissioner may make such order for the variation of the former order as he thinks just in the circumstances of the case:

Provided that no such order prejudicial to any person shall be made unless such person has been given an opportunity of showing cause why the order should not be made, or shall be made in any case in which it would involve the repayment by a dependant of any sum already paid to him.

Deductions for costs.

(8) The solicitor or agent of a person claiming compensation under this Ordinance shall not be entitled to recover from him any costs in respect of such claim or to claim a lien in respect of such costs on, or deduct such costs from, the sum awarded or agreed as compensation, except such sum as may be awarded by a Commissioner, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, on an application made either by the person claiming compensation, or by his solicitor or agent to determine the amount of the costs to be paid to the solicitor or agent.

Compensation not to be assigned, attached or charged.

9. Save as provided by this Ordinance, no lump sum or half-monthly payment payable under this Ordinance shall be capable of being assigned, charged or attached or shall pass to any person other than the workman by operation of law, nor shall any claim be set off against the same.

Notice and claim.

10. (1) Proceedings for the recovery under this Ordinance of compensation for an injury shall not be maintainable unless notice of the accident has been given as soon as practicable after the happening thereof and before the workman has voluntarily left the employment in which he was injured, and unless the claim for compensation with respect to such accident has been made within six months from the occurrence of the accident causing the injury, or, in case of death, within six months from the time of death :

Provided that -

(a) the want of or any defect or inaccuracy in such notice shall not be a bar to the maintenance of such proceedings if the employer is proved to have had knowledge of the accident from any other source at or about the time of the accident, or if it is found in the proceedings for settling the claim that the employer is not, or would not, if a notice or an amended notice were then given and the hearing postponed, be prejudiced in his defence by the want, defect or inaccuracy, or that such want, defect or inaccuracy was occasioned by mistake, absence from the Colony, or other reasonable cause; and

(b) the failure to make a claim within the period above specified shall not be a bar to the maintenance of such proceedings if it is found that the failure was occasioned by mistake, absence from the Colony, or other reasonable cause.

(2) Notice in respect of an injury under this Ordinance may be given either in writing or orally to the employer (or if there is more than one employer to one of such employers) or to any foreman or other official under whose supervision the workman is employed or to any person designated for the purpose by the em-

ployer, and shall give the name and address of the person injured, and shall state in ordinary language the cause of the injury and the date at which the accident happened.

(3) The notice if in writing may be given by delivering the same at, or sending it by post in a registered letter addressed to the residence or place of business of the person to whom it is to be given.

(4) Where the employer is a body of persons, corporate or unincorporate, the notice, if in writing, may also be given by delivering it or by sending it by post in a registered letter addressed to the employer at the office, or, if there be more than one office, any one of the offices, of such body.

Medical examination.

11. (1) Where a workman has given notice of an accident or where an accident has occurred in respect of which the necessity of giving notice under this Ordinance is dispensed with, a workman shall, if the employer offers to have him examined free of charge by a qualified medical practitioner, submit himself for such examination, and any workman who is in receipt of a payment under this Ordinance shall, if so required, submit himself for such examination from time to time :

Provided that a workman shall not be required to submit himself for examination by a medical practitioner otherwise than in accordance with regulations made under this Ordinance, or at more frequent intervals than may be prescribed.

Refusal to be examined.

(2) If a workman, being required to do so by the employer under subsection (1) or by the Commissioner at any time, refuses to submit himself for examination by a qualified medical practitioner or in any way obstructs the same, his right to compensation shall be suspended during the continuance of such refusal or obstruction unless, in the case of refusal, he was prevented by any sufficient cause from so submitting himself.

Leaving vicinity prior to examination.

(3) If a workman, before the expiry of three days from the time at which service of notice of an accident has been effected or, when an accident occurs in respect of which the necessity of giving notice under this Ordinance is dispensed with, before the expiry of three days from the date of such accident voluntarily and without due cause leaves the vicinity of the place in which he was employed without having been examined by a qualified medical practitioner, his right to compensation shall be suspended until he returns and offers himself for such examination.

Death prior to examination.

(4) Where a workman, whose right to compensation has been suspended under subsection (2) or subsection (3), dies without having submitted himself for medical examination as required by either of those subsections, the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, direct the payment of compensation to the dependants of the deceased workman.

Compensation not payable during period of suspension.

(5) Where under subsection (2) or subsection (3) a right to compensation is suspended, no compensation shall be payable in respect of the period of suspension.

Measure of compensation on refusal to be examined or disregard of medical advice.

(6) Where an injured workman has refused to be attended by a qualified medical practitioner whose services have been offered to him by the employer free of charge or having accepted such offer has deliberately disregarded the instructions of such medical practitioner, then, if it is thereafter proved that the workman has not been regularly attended by a qualified medical practitioner and that such refusal, failure or disregard was unreasonable in the circumstances

of the case and that the injury has been aggravated thereby, the injury and resulting disablement shall be deemed to be of the same nature and duration as they might reasonably have been expected to be if the workman had been regularly attended by a qualified medical practitioner and compensation, if any, shall be payable accordingly.

Sub-contracting.

12. (1) Where any person (in this section referred to as the principal) in the course of or for the purposes of his trade or business, contracts with any other person (in this section referred to as the contractor) for the execution by or under the contractor of the whole or any part of any work undertaken by the principal, the principal shall be liable to pay to any workman employed in the execution of the work any compensation under this Ordinance which he would have been liable to pay if that workman had been immediately employed by him; and where compensation is claimed from or proceedings are taken against the principal, then in the application of this Ordinance references to the principal shall be substituted for references to the employer, except that the amount of compensation shall be calculated with reference to the earnings of the workman under the employer by whom he is immediately employed.

Indemnity.

(2) Where the principal is liable to pay compensation under this section, he shall be entitled to be indemnified by any person who would have been liable to pay compensation to the workman independently of this section, and all questions as to the right to and the amount of any such indemnity shall, in default of agreement, be settled by the Commissioner.

Contractor.

(3) Nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing a workman recovering compensation under this Ordinance from the contractor instead of the principal.

Control of principal.

(4) This section shall not apply in any case where the accident occurred elsewhere than on, or in, or about the premises on which the principal has undertaken to execute the work or which are otherwise under his control or management.

Remedies both against employer and stranger.

13. Where the injury for which compensation is payable under this Ordinance was caused under circumstances creating a legal liability in some person other than the employer to pay damages in respect thereof -

Recovery of damages a bar.

(1) the workman may take proceedings both against that person to recover damages and against any person liable to pay compensation under this Ordinance for such compensation, but shall not be entitled to recover both damages and compensation; and

Indemnity by third party.

(2) if the workman has recovered compensation under this Ordinance, the person by whom the compensation was paid, and any person who has been called on to pay an indemnity under section 12 shall be entitled to be indemnified by the person so liable to pay damages as aforesaid, and all questions as to the right to and amount of any such indemnity shall, in default of agreement, be settled by action or, by consent of the parties, by a Commissioner.

Bankruptcy of employer.

14. (1) Where any employer has entered into a contract with any insurers in respect of any liability under this Ordinance to any workman, then in the event of the employer becoming bankrupt or making a composition or arrangement with his creditors or, if the employer is a company, in the event of the company having commenced to be wound up or a receiver or manager of the company's business or undertaking having been duly appointed, or possession

having been taken, by or on behalf of the holders of debentures secured by a floating charge, of any property comprised in or subject to the charge, the rights of the employer against the insurers as respects that liability shall, notwithstanding anything in the enactments relating to bankruptcy and the winding up of companies, be transferred to and vest in the workman, and upon any such transfer the insurers shall have the same rights and remedies and be subject to the same liabilities as if they were the employer, so, however, that the insurers shall not be under any greater liability to the workman than they would have been under to the employer.

Proof in bankruptcy.

(2) If the liability of the insurers to the workman is less than the liability of the employer to the workman, the workman may prove for the balance in the bankruptcy or liquidation, or, as the case may be, he may recover the balance from the receiver or manager.

Priority.

(3) There shall be included amongst the debts which -

(i) under the Preferential Payments in Bankruptcy Act, 1888, (U.K.) are, in the distribution of the property or assets of a bankrupt, to be paid in priority to all other debts;

(ii) under section 209 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, (U.K.) are, in the winding up of a company, to be paid in priority to all other debts;

the amount due in respect of any compensation or liability for compensation accrued before the following date, that is to say -

(a) in the first case the date of the receiving order;

(b) in the second case the date of the commencement of the winding up of the company;

(c) in the third case the date of the appointment of the receiver or of possession being taken mentioned in the said section.

Lump sum in lieu of payments.

Where the compensation is a half-monthly payment, the amount due in respect thereof shall, for the purposes of this provision, be taken to be the amount of the lump sum for which the half-monthly payment could, if redeemable, be redeemed if the employer made an application for that purpose under this Ordinance, and a certificate of the Commissioner as to the amount of such sums shall be conclusive proof thereof.

No priority if insured.

(4) The provisions of this section with respect to preferences and priorities shall not apply where the bankrupt or the company has entered into such a contract with insurers as aforesaid.

Voluntary liquidation.

(5) This section shall not apply where a company is wound up voluntarily merely for the purposes of reconstruction or of amalgamation with another company.

Returns as to compensation.

15. The Governor may, by notification in the Gazette direct that every person employing workmen, or that any specified class of such persons, shall send at such time and in such form and to such person, as may be specified in the notification, a correct return specifying the number of injuries in respect of which compensation has been paid by the employer during the previous year and the amount of such compensation, together with such other particulars as to the compensation as the Governor may direct. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this section shall be liable on summary conviction by a Magistrate to a penalty of five pounds.

Contracting out.

16. Any contract or agreement, whether made before or after the commencement of this Ordinance, whereby a workman relinquishes any right of compensation from the employer for personal injury arising out of or in the course of his employment, shall be null and void in so far as it purports to remove or reduce the liabililty of any person to pay compensation under this Ordinance.

Workmen in employment of Crown.

17. This Ordinance shall apply to workmen employed under the Crown in the same way and to the same extent as if the employer were a private person, except in the case of persons in the naval or military or air service of the Crown and persons in the Civil employment of His Majesty otherwise than in His Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands:

Provided that this Ordinance shall not apply in the case of a workman in, or selected for appointment to, the service of the Government of the Colony of the Falkland Islands before the date on which this Ordinance comes into operation where, in consequence of injury received by any such workman in the discharge of his duties, a pension or gratuity which would not be payable if such injury were received otherwise, is paid to him or, in the case of his death, to any of his dependants as defined in this Ordinance, under any Ordinance or Regulation providing for the grant of such pension or gratuity.

Workmen in employment of local authorities.

18. The provisions contained in the proviso to the last preceding shall *mutatis mutandis* apply in respect of a workman in the employment of any public or local authority where provisions exist by law or by bye-law or regulation made under a law for the grant of a pension or gratuity to such workman in the case of injury received by him in the discharge of his duties, or to any other person in the event of the workman's death resulting from that injury.

Commissioners.

Reference to Commissioners.

19. (1) If any question arises in any proceedings under this Ordinance as to the liability of any person to pay compensation (including any question as to whether a person injured is or is not a workman) or as to the amount or duration of compensation (including any question as to the nature or extent of disablement), the question shall, in default of agreement, be settled by the Commissioner.

(2) No Court shall have jurisdiction to settle, decide or deal with any question which is by or under this Ordinance required to be settled, decided or dealt with by a Commissioner, or, save as in this Ordinance, or any rule or regulation made thereunder is provided, to enforce any liability incurred under this Ordinance.

Appointment of Commissioners.

20. (1) The Governor may appoint any person to be a Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation for the Colony or for such district as he may specify, and may at any time cancel any such appointment.

(2) Any Commissioner may for the purpose of deciding any matter referred to him for decision under this Ordinance appoint one or more persons possessing special knowledge of any matter relevant to the matter under enquiry to assist him in holding the enquiry.

Venue of proceedings and transfer.

21. In the event of the appointment of Commissioners for districts -

(1) Where any matter is under this Ordinance to be done by or before a Commissioner, the same shall, subject to the

provisions of this Ordinance and to any regulations made hereunder, be done by or before the Commissioner for the district in which the accident took place which resulted in the injury.

(2) If a Commissioner is satisfied by any party to any proceedings under this Ordinance pending before him that such matter can be more conveniently dealt with by any other Commissioner, he may, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, order such matter to be transferred to such other Commissioner either for report or for disposal, and, if he does so the Registrar shall forthwith transmit to such other Commissioner all documents relevant for the decision of such matter and, where the matter is transferred for disposal, the Registrar shall also transmit in the prescribed manner any money remaining in his hands or invested by him for the benefit of any party to the proceedings.

(3) The Commissioner to whom any matter is so transferred shall, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance inquire thereinto and, if the matter was transferred for report, return his report thereon or, if the matter was transferred for disposal, continue the proceedings as if they had originally commenced before him.

(4) On receipt of a report from a Commissioner to whom any matter has been transferred for report under subsection (2), the Commissioner by whom it was referred shall decide the matter referred in conformity with such report.

Applications to Commissioner.

22. (1) No application for the settlement of any matter by a Commissioner shall be made unless and until some question has arisen between the parties in connection therewith which they have been unable to settle by agreement.

(2) Where any such question has arisen, the application may be made in such form and shall be accompanied by such fee, if any, as may be prescribed and shall contain, in addition to any particulars which may be prescribed, the following particulars, namely :-

(a) a concise statement of the circumstances in which the application is made and the relief or order which the applicant claims;

(b) in the case of a claim for compensation against an employer, the date of service of notice of the accident on the employer and, if such notice has not been served in due time, the reason for such omission;

(c) the names and addresses of the parties; and

(d) a concise statement of the matters on which agreement has and of those on which agreement has not been come to.

(3) If the applicant is illiterate or for any other reason is unable to furnish the required information in writing, the application shall, if the applicant so desires, be prepared under the direction of the Registrar.

Powers and procedure of Commissioners.

23. The Commissioner shall have all powers of the Supreme Court for the purpose of enforcing the attendance of witnesses compelling the production of documents and material objects, administering oaths and taking evidence, amending any defect or error in any proceeding, enlarging the time appointed for taking any proceeding or for doing any act, and punishing for contempt of Court.

Appearance of parties.

24. (1) Any appearance, application or act required to be made or done by any person before or to a Commissioner (other than an appearance of a party which is required for the purpose of his

examination as a witness) may be made or done on behalf of such person by a legal practitioner or, with the leave of the Commissioner, by his son, daughter, father, mother, brother, sister or wife or any person in his permanent employment.

(2) No person other than a legal practitioner who appears or acts on behalf of any party in connection with proceedings before a Commissioner under this Ordinance shall be entitled to any fee or reward for so appearing or acting.

Evidence to be recorded.

25. The Commissioner shall make notes of the evidence of every witness as the examination of the witness proceeds, and such notes shall be written and signed by the Commissioner with his own hand and shall form part of the record :

Provided that the evidence of any medical witness shall be taken down as nearly as may be word for word.

Costs.

26. All costs incidental to any proceedings before a Commissioner shall, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, be in the discretion of the Commissioner.

Registration of orders.

27. At the conclusion of the hearing of every application for the settlement of a matter by the Commissioner the Commissioner shall record his decision and order. Where the order directs the payment of compensation under this Ordinance or the variation of the amount or rate of payment of compensation previously ordered by the Commissioner or settled by agreement, the Commissioner shall direct the Registrar to record a memorandum of his order in a register in the prescribed manner.

Registration of agreements.

28. (1) Where the amount of compensation under this Ordinance has been settled or varied by agreement, a memorandum thereof shall be sent by the employer, and may be sent by any party interested, to the Commissioner, who shall, on being satisfied as to its genuineness, direct the Registrar to record the memorandum in a register in the prescribed manner :

Provided that -

(a) no such memorandum shall be recorded before seven days after communication by the Registrar of notice to the parties concerned;

(b) where a workman seeks to record a memorandum of agreement between his employer and himself for the payment of compensation and the employer proves that the workman has, in fact, returned to work and is earning the same wages as he did before the accident and objects to recording of such memorandum, the memorandum shall only be recorded, if at all, on such terms as the Commissioner thinks just in the circumstances;

(c) the Commissioner may at any time rectify the register;

(d) where it appears to the Commissioner that an agreement as to the payment of a lump sum, whether by way of redemption of a half-monthly payment or otherwise, or an agreement as to the amount of compensation payable to a person under any legal disability, or to dependants, ought not to be registered by reason of the inadequacy of the sum or amount, or by reason of the agreement having been obtained by fraud or undue influence or other improper means, he may refuse to record the memorandum of the agreement or may make such order,

including an order as to any sum already paid under the agreement, as he thinks just in the circumstances;

(e) the Commissioner may, within six months after a memorandum of an agreement as to the payment of a lump sum, whether by way of redemption of half-monthly payment or otherwise, or of an agreement as to the amount of compensation payable to a person under any legal disability or to dependants, has been recorded in the register, order that the record be removed from the register on proof to his satisfaction that the agreement was obtained by fraud or undue influence or other improper means, and may make such order (including an order as to any sum already paid under the agreement) as he thinks just in the circumstances.

Costs paid by employer to workman's solicitor to be disclosed.

(2) Any memorandum of agreement to which this section applies shall disclose the amount (if any) paid or payable under or in respect of the agreement by the employer to the solicitor and counsel for the workman or his dependants as costs, and, if it appears to the Commissioner that the amount is excessive, the Commissioner shall, subject to regulations made under this Ordinance, tax such costs; or order the same to be taxed by the Registrar, and if the costs are reduced on taxation, the amount of such reduction shall either be applied or dealt with for the benefit of the workman or his dependants, or paid to the employer.

Enforcement of orders and agreements as Supreme Court judgments.

29. Every memorandum and every amendment to a memorandum registered under section 27 or section 28 and every order made under section 28, when recorded as required by the said sections, shall thereupon for all purposes be enforceable as a Supreme Court judgment.

Effect of failure to register agreement.

30. Where a memorandum of any agreement, the registration of which is required by section 28, is not sent to the Commissioner as required by that section, the employer shall be liable to pay the full amount of compensation which he is liable to pay under the provisions of this Ordinance, and notwithstanding anything contained in the proviso to subsection (1) of section 4 shall not, unless the Commissioner otherwise directs, be entitled to deduct more than half of any amount paid to the workman by way of compensation whether under the agreement or otherwise.

Appeals.

31. (1) With the leave of the Chief Justice, or upon the certificate of the Commissioner making the order that it is a fit case for appeal from his order, an appeal shall lie to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in summary jurisdiction from any order of a Commissioner where a question of law is involved in the appeal.

(2) An appeal shall lie to the Supreme Court in its summary jurisdiction as of right from the following orders of a Commissioner, namely :-

(a) an order awarding as compensation a lump sum whether by way of redemption of a half-monthly payment or otherwise or disallowing a claim in full or in part for a lump sum;

(b) an order refusing to allow redemption of a half-monthly payment;

(c) an order providing for the distribution of compensation among the dependants of a deceased workman or disallowing any claim of a person alleging himself to be such a dependant;

(d) an order allowing or disallowing any claim for the amount of an indemnity under the provisions of subsection (2) of section 12; or

(e) an order refusing to register a memorandum of agreement or registering the same or providing for the registration of the same subject to conditions:

Provided that no appeal under this subsection shall lie against any order unless a question of law is involved in the appeal, and in the case of an order other than an order such as is referred to in clause (b) unless the amount in dispute in the appeal is not less than fifty pounds.

(3) Notwithstanding anything herein contained, no appeal shall lie in any case in which the parties have agreed to abide by the decision of the Commissioner or in which the order of the Commissioner gives effect to an agreement come to by the parties.

(4) Save in so far as the same may be modified by any rules made under this Ordinance, the rules of the Supreme Court for the time being in force as to appeals to that Court in civil matters shall, with the necessary modifications, apply to appeals under this section from orders of the Commissioner.

Rules and Regulations.

Rules of Court.

32. (1) The Chief Justice may make rules of Court for regulating the procedure and practice in respect of appeals under section 31.

(2) No such rules of Court shall come into operation until the same shall have been laid before the Legislative Council and published in two consecutive issues of the Gazette; but when the same shall come into operation they shall have effect as if enacted by this Ordinance and shall be judicially noticed.

Power of the Governor-in-Council to make regulations.

33. (1) The Governor-in-Council may make regulations for all or any of the following purposes, that is to say:-

(a) for prescribing the intervals at which and the conditions subject to which an application for review may be made under section 6 when not accompanied by a medical certificate;

(b) for prescribing the intervals at which and the conditions subject to which a workman may be required to submit himself for medical examination under subsection (1) of section 11;

(c) for prescribing the procedure to be followed by Commissioners in the disposal of matters under this Ordinance and by the parties in such matters;

(d) for regulating the transfer of matters from one Commissioner to another and the transfer of money in such matters;

(e) for prescribing the manner in which money in the hands of a Registrar may be invested for the benefit of dependants of a deceased workman;

(f) for the representation in proceedings before Commissioners of parties who are minors or are unable to make an appearance;

(g) for prescribing the form and manner in which memoranda of agreements shall be presented to and registered by Commissioners;

(h) for the withholding by Commissioners, whether in whole or in part, of half-monthly payments pending decision on applications for review of the same;

(i) for prescribing the costs which may be allowed in respect of any claim or proceedings under this Ordinance;

(j) for prescribing the fees to be paid in respect of any claim or proceedings under this Ordinance;

(k) for prescribing the fees to be paid to any person appointed to assist a Commissioner under the provisions of subsection (2) of section 20;

(l) for the maintenance by the Registrar of registers and records of proceedings before the Commissioners;

(m) for providing for any matters which are authorized by this Ordinance to be prescribed;

(n) generally for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance.

Regulations to be approved by the Legislative Council.

(2) All regulations made under this section shall be laid before the Legislative Council for approval, and when so approved shall have the same force and effect as if they were contained in this Ordinance.

Publication of regulations.

(3) All regulations made under this section shall be published in the Gazette and shall be judicially noticed.

Rules as to transfer of funds.

34. (1) Where an arrangement has been made whereby sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in the Colony of the Falkland Islands to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in the United Kingdom or in any other part of His Majesty's dominions, and sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in the United Kingdom or in such other part of His Majesty's dominions to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in the Colony of the Falkland Islands, may, at the request of the authority by which the award is made, be transferred to and administered by a competent authority in the United Kingdom or in such other part of His Majesty's dominions or in the Colony of the Falkland Islands, as the case may be, the Governor in Council may make rules-

(a) for the transfer, in such manner as may be provided by the arrangement, to the United Kingdom or that part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement is made of any money in the disposition of the Court, applicable for the benefit of any person resident in or about to reside in the United Kingdom or such other part of His Majesty's dominions;

(b) for the receipt and administration by an officer appointed by the Governor for this purpose of any money which under any such arrangement has been transmitted from the United Kingdom or the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement has been made as money applicable for the benefit of any person resident or about to reside in the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

(2) For the purposes of this section, "His Majesty's dominions" includes British protectorates and protected states and territories in respect of which a mandate on behalf of the League of Nations has been accepted by His Majesty.

Commencement.

35. This Ordinance shall commence and come into operation on a day to be fixed by the Governor by proclamation in the Gazette, which shall be judicially noticed.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

List of Injuries deemed to result in Permanent Partial Disablement.

Injury.	Percentage of loss of earning capacity.
Loss of either arm above or at the elbow	70
Loss of either arm below the elbow	60
Loss of leg at or above the knee	60
Loss of leg below the knee	50
Permanent total loss of hearing	50
Loss of one eye	30
Loss of thumb	25
Loss of all toes of one foot	20
Loss of one phalanx of thumb	10
Loss of index finger	10
Loss of great toe	10
Loss of any finger other than index finger	5

Complete and permanent loss of the use of any limb or member referred to in this Schedule shall be deemed to be the equivalent of the loss of that limb or member.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 5 of 1937.

I ASSENT,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.
20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To provide for the grant of Pensions, Gratuities and other allowances to persons who have been in the Public Service of the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

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:— Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

2. In this Ordinance and the Regulations made hereunder– Definitions.

The term "Pensionable Office" means –

(a) in respect of service in the Colony, an office which has been declared by the Governor in Council, by a notification published in the Gazette, to be pensionable; provided that any office declared to be pensionable under this Section may be declared at any time by the Governor in Council, by a notification published in the Gazette, to be no longer pensionable, due regard being had to existing rights;

(b) in respect of other public service, an office which is a pensionable office under the law or regulations in force in such service.

The term "Pensionable emoluments"

(a) in respect of service in the Colony includes

(i) salary,
(ii) personal allowance,
(iii) house allowance,

but does not include duty allowance, entertainment allowance or any other emoluments whatever;

(b) in respect of other public service means emoluments which count for pension in accordance with the law or regulations in force in such service.

The term "salary" means the salary attached to an office.

The term "personal allowance" means a special addition to such salary granted personally to the holder for the time being of the office.

The term "house allowance" means the estimated value of free quarters as defined in Regulation 8 (2) in the Schedule to this Ordinance or any Regulation hereafter made amending or substituted for the same.

The term "year" means a calendar year.

The term "month" means a calendar month.

The term "Secretary of State" means one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The term "public service" means service in a civil capacity under the Government of the Colony or the Government of any other part of His Majesty's Dominions, or of any British Protected State, Protectorate or territory under British Mandate or of the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, or under the High Commissioner for Transport in Kenya and Uganda, and any such other service as the Secretary of State may determine to be "public service" for the purpose of any provisions of this Ordinance or the Regulations made thereunder. Service as a Governor-General, Governor or High Commissioner in any part of His Majesty's Dominions, any British Protected State or Protectorate, any territory under British Mandate, or the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan shall be deemed to be "public service" except for the purpose of computation of pension or gratuity and of Section 10 of this Ordinance.

The term "other public service" means public service not under the Government of the Colony.

The term "Colony" means the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

Governor in Council may make pension regulations.

3. (1) It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, from time to time to make, and when made, to vary and revoke regulations for the granting of pensions, gratuities and other allowances to officers who have been in the service of the Colony.

Every such regulation when made shall be laid before the Legislative Council and shall be published in the Gazette. Provided that until varied or revoked by any such regulations the regulations contained in the Schedule to this Ordinance shall be in force.

(2) All such regulations shall have the same force and effect for all purposes as if they were contained in this Ordinance and the term "this Ordinance" shall in the following sections be read and construed accordingly.

4. There shall be charged on and paid out of the revenues of the Colony all such sums of money as may from time to time be granted by the Governor in Council by way of pension, gratuity or other allowance in accordance with this Ordinance.

Pensions etc. to be charged on revenues of the Colony.

5. (1) No officer shall have an absolute right to compensation for past services or to pension, gratuity, or other allowance; nor shall anything in this Ordinance contained limit the right of the Crown to dismiss any officer without compensation.

Pensions etc. not of right.

(2) Where it is established to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council that an officer has been guilty of negligence, irregularity or misconduct, the pension gratuity or other allowance may be reduced or altogether withheld.

6. No pension, gratuity or other allowance shall be granted to any officer in respect of any service :–

Service not qualifying for pension.

(a) while on probation or agreement, unless without break of service he is confirmed in a pensionable office in the Colony or in an office in other public service which is at the time of confirmation pensionable under the pension regulations applicable to such service; or

(b) while under the age of twenty years.

7. No pension, gratuity or other allowance shall be granted to any officer except on his retirement from the public service in one of the following cases :–

Circumstances in which pension may be granted.

(a) on or after attaining the age of fifty-five years, or in special cases with the approval of the Secretary of State, fifty years;

(b) in the case of transfer to other public service, on or after attaining the age at which he is permitted by the law or regulations of the service in which he is last employed to retire on pension or gratuity:

(c) on the abolition of his office:

(d) on compulsory retirement for the purpose of facilitating improvement in the organisation of the Department to which he belongs, by which greater efficiency and economy can be effected:

(e) on medical evidence to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council or the Secretary of State that he is incapable by reason of some infirmity of mind or body of discharging the duties of his office and that such infirmity is likely to be permanent:

(f) in the case of removal on the ground of inefficiency as hereinafter provided:

(g) on retirement in circumstances rendering him eligible for a pension under the Pensions (Governors of Dominions, &c.) Act, 1911, or any Act amending or replacing the same.

8. Where an officer is removed from his office on the ground of his inability to discharge efficiently the duties thereof, and a pension, gratuity or other allowance cannot otherwise be granted to him under the provisions of this Ordinance, the Governor in Council may, if he considers it justifiable having regard to all the circumstances of the case, grant such a pension, gratuity or other allowance

Retirement for inefficiency.

as he thinks just and proper, but in no case exceeding in amount that for which the officer would be eligible if he were suffering from some infirmity of mind or body likely to be permanent.

Age of compulsory retirement.

9. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to require an officer to retire from the service of the Colony at any time after he attains the age of fifty-five years or, in special cases, with the approval of the Secretary of State, at any time after he attains the age of fifty years.

Maximum pension grantable.

10. (1) A pension granted to an officer under this Ordinance shall not exceed two-thirds of the highest pensionable emoluments drawn by him at any time in the course of his service in the Colony.

(2) Where the officer has been or is granted a pension or pensions in respect of other public service, he may be granted the full pension for which he is eligible in respect of his service in the Colony, but no person may at any time draw from the funds of the Colony an amount of pension which, when added to the amount of any pension or pensions drawn in respect of other public service, exceeds two-thirds of the highest pensionable emoluments drawn by such person at any time in the course of his service in the Colony or in other public service.

Provided that where such a person receives in respect of some period of public service both a gratuity and a pension, the amount of such pension shall be deemed for the purpose of this sub-section to be four-thirds of its actual amount.

(3) In a case falling under the limitation laid down by sub-section (2), the amount of the pension to be drawn from the funds of the Colony shall be subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, in order that it may be determined with due regard to the amount of any pension or pensions similarly to be drawn in respect of other public service.

(4) For the purpose of the preceding sub-sections an additional pension granted in respect of any injury shall not be taken into account; but where the officer is granted such an additional pension, the amount of such additional pension which he may draw shall not exceed one sixth of his highest pensionable emoluments at any time in the course of his public service by more than the sum by which the amount of his pension or pensions, apart from such additional pension, falls short of two-thirds of such highest emoluments.

Liability of Pensioners to be called upon to take further employment.

11. Every pension granted under this Ordinance shall be subject to the condition that unless or until the officer has attained the age of fifty years, he may, if physically fit for service, be called upon by the Secretary of State to accept, in lieu of his pension, an office, whether in the Colony or in any other public service, not less in value, due regard being had to circumstances of climate, than the office which he held at the date of the grant of his pension.

If a pensioner so called upon declines to accept the office for which he may have been selected, the payment of his pension may be suspended until he has attained the age of fifty years.

Pensions affected by re-employment.

12. If any officer to whom a pension has been granted under this Ordinance is appointed to another office in the service of the Colony and subsequently retires in circumstances in which he may be granted a pension, he may be granted in lieu of his previous pension a pension computed as if the periods of his service in the Colony had been continuous, and such pension may be based on his pensionable emoluments on his previous or final retirement from the service of the Colony, whichever are the greater:

Provided that if, on his previous retirement, he was paid a gratuity and reduced pension, the gratuity to be paid to him on final retirement shall be reduced by the amount of the gratuity already paid.

Gratuity affected by re-employment.

13. If any officer to whom a gratuity without pension has been granted under this Ordinance is re-appointed to any office in the service of the Colony or in other public service, his previous service may, with the approval of the Secretary of State, be taken into account for the purposes of pension, if he refunds the gratuity on such re-appointment.

Pensions etc. not to be assignable.

14. No pension, or gratuity or other allowance granted under this Ordinance shall be assignable or transferable, or liable to be attached, sequestered or levied upon for or in respect of any debt or claim whatsoever, other than a debt due to the Government.

Pensions etc. to cease on bankruptcy.

15. If any officer to whom a pension or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance is adjudicated a bankrupt or is declared insolvent by judgement of any Court, then such pension or allowance shall forthwith cease.

Provided always that in any case where a pension or allowance ceases by reason of the bankruptcy or insolvency of the pensioner, it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State, or if such pensioner is resident in the Colony then for the Governor, from time to time during the remainder of such pensioner's life, or during such shorter period or periods, either continuous or discontinuous, as the Secretary of State or the Governor as the case may be shall think fit, to cause all or any part of the moneys to which such pensioner would have been entitled by way of pension or allowance, had he not become a bankrupt or insolvent, to be paid to, or applied for the maintenance and personal support and benefit of all or any, to the exclusion of the other or others, of the following persons, namely, such pensioner and any wife, child or children of his, in such proportions and manner as the Secretary of State or the Governor as the case may be thinks proper, and such moneys shall be paid or applied accordingly.

Pensions etc. to cease on conviction.

16. If any officer to whom a pension or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance is sentenced to a term of imprisonment by any competent Court whether within or without the Colony for any crime or offence, then in every such case, it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State, or if the person is resident in the Colony the Governor to direct that such pension or allowance shall forthwith cease.

Provided that –

(1) the pension or allowance shall be restored with retrospective effect in the case of a person who after conviction at any time receives a free pardon;

(2) where the pension or allowance ceases for the reason aforesaid it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State or the Governor as the case may be to cause all or any part of the moneys to which the pensioner would have been entitled by way of pension or allowance to be paid to or applied for the benefit of any wife, child or children of the pensioner, or after the expiration of his sentence, also for the benefit of the pensioner himself, in the same manner precisely and subject to the same qualifications and restrictions as in the case of bankruptcy hereinbefore provided.

Pensions etc. to cease on accepting certain appointments.

17. If any officer to whom a pension or other allowance has been granted under this Ordinance becomes either a Director of any Company the principal part of whose business is in anyway directly

concerned with the Colony, or an officer or servant employed in the Colony by any such Company, without in every such case the permission of the Governor in writing first had and obtained, then in every such case it shall be lawful for the Governor to direct that such pension or allowance shall forthwith cease:

Provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor, on being satisfied that the person in respect of whose pension or allowance any such direction shall have been given has ceased to be a Director of such Company or to be employed as an officer or servant of such Company in the Colony, as the case may be, to give directions for the restoration of such pension or allowance, with retrospective effect, if he shall see fit, to such a date as he shall specify.

Gratuity to estate where an officer dies in the service.

18. Where an officer holding a pensionable office who is not on probation or agreement dies while in the service of the Colony it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to his legal personal representative a gratuity of an amount not exceeding one year's pensionable emoluments.

Pensions etc. to Dependants when an officer is killed on duty.

19. (1) Where an officer holding a pensionable office, who is not serving on probation or agreement, dies as the direct result of of injuries received:–

(a) in the actual discharge of his duty, and

(b) without his own default, and

(c) on account of circumstances specifically attributable to the nature of his duties,

while in the service of the Government of the Colony, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant in addition to the grant, if any, made to his legal personal representative in accordance with Section 18 of this Ordinance:–

(i) if the deceased officer leaves a widow, a pension to the widow, while unmarried and of good character at a rate not exceeding ten-sixtieths of his pensionable emoluments at the date of injury or £10 a year, whichever be the greater, and also a gratuity not exceeding £1 multiplied by the total number of their years, starting from their ages at the time of their father's death, and ending with 15 years, to each child alive at the date of the father's death, and a gratuity not exceeding £15 to any posthumous child: Provided that the gratuities so granted shall not in the aggregate be less than £10 nor more than £60;

(ii) if the officer's wife predeceases him or if no pension is granted to her under the preceding paragraph and he leaves children who would have been eligible for gratuity if a pension had been granted to the widow, gratuities of twice the amount of the gratuities for which they would have been eligible in such circumstances;

(iii) if the deceased officer does not leave a widow, and if his mother was wholly or mainly dependent on him for her support, a pension to the mother, while of good character and without adequate means of support, at a rate not exceeding the rate of the pension which might have been granted to his widow:

Provided that

(a) if the mother is a widow at the time of the grant of the pension and subsequently remarries such pension shall cease as from the date of remarriage; and

(b) if the mother is not a widow and it appears that the deceased's father is in a position to support her, such pension shall cease from such date as the Secretary of State may determine.

(2) When an officer who is not qualified for either pension or gratuity dies in the circumstances mentioned in sub-section (1) of this section, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant the pension or gratuities which might have been granted if his case had fallen under sub-section (1), but no grant shall be made under Section 18 of this Ordinance.

Application of Ordinance.

20. The provisions of this Ordinance shall apply

(i) to all officers appointed to the public service of the Colony

(a) after the commencement of this Ordinance

(b) before the commencement of this Ordinance to whom it was intimated before appointment that they were liable to be affected by any change in the pensions law of the Colony; and

(ii) to any other officer serving in the Colony at, or transferred from the Colony to any other public service before the commencement of this Ordinance, who shall still be in public service at the date of such commencement, unless not later than twelve months after such commencement, or within such further period as the Governor may in any special case allow, he gives notice in writing to the Colonial Secretary of his desire that the provisions of the Ordinances referred to in Section 21 of this Ordinance shall apply to him in which case they shall continue to apply accordingly.

Repeal of Ordinances Nos. 8 of 1927, 2 of 1929, and 2 of 1931.

21. Subject to the provisions of the preceding Section the Pensions Ordinance 1927, the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1929, and the Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931, are hereby repealed, and all Regulations made thereunder are hereby revoked.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. Fleuret,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. Stewart,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Regulations for the granting of Pensions, Gratuities and other allowances to Officers.

Part I.

General Regulations.

Short Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pensions Regulations, 1937.

Pensions to whom and at what rates to be granted.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Pensions Ordinance, 1937, hereinafter called the Ordinance, and of these Regulations, every officer holding a pensionable office in the Colony, who has been in the service of the Colony in a civil capacity for ten years or upwards, may be granted on retirement a pension at the rate of one six-hundredth of his pensionable emoluments for each complete month of pensionable service.

Gratuities where length of service does not qualify for pension.

3. Every officer, otherwise qualified for a pension, who has not completed the minimum period of service qualifying for a pension, may be granted on retirement a gratuity not exceeding five times the annual amount of the pension which if there had been no qualifying period might have been granted to him under Regulation 2.

Period of service in the Colony qualifying for pension or gratuity defined.

4. Subject to the provisions of Section 6 of the Ordinance and of these Regulations, service qualifying for pension or gratuity, as the case may be, shall be the inclusive period between the date on which an officer begins to draw salary from the Colony's funds and the date of his leaving the Colony's service, without deduction of any period during which he has been absent on leave.

Service to be unbroken.

5. Service in respect of which pension or gratuity may be granted must be unbroken except in cases where the service has been interrupted by abolition of office or other temporary suspension of employment not arising from misconduct or voluntary resignation.

Computation of pensions and gratuities.

6. For the purpose of computing the amount of an officer's pension or gratuity the following periods shall be taken into account as pensionable service :–

Leave of absence.

(a) Any periods during which he has been on duty;

(b) Any period during which he received half-salary from the Colony's funds while proceeding to the Colony on first appointment ;

(c) Any periods during which he has been absent from duty on leave with full or half salary ;

(d) Any periods during which he has been absent from duty on leave without salary, granted on grounds of public policy with the approval of the Secretary of State, and during which he has not qualified for pension or gratuity in respect of other public service ;

And any periods during which he has been absent on leave other than those specified above shall be deducted from the officer's

total service in order to arrive at his period of pensionable service.

Computation of pensions and gratuities. Service on the active list of the Army, Navy, or Air Force.

7. For the purpose of computing the amount of the pension or gratuity of an officer who, during some period of his service in a pensionable office in the Colony, has been on the Active list of the Royal Navy, the Army or the Royal Air Force, the whole or any part of such period during which no pension contributions have been paid by the Colony, or if paid, have been refunded, may be taken into account.

Computation of pensions, etc. on what emoluments to be based.

8. (1) For the purpose of computing the amount of an officer's pension or gratuity :–

(a) in the case of an officer who has held one office for a period of three years immediately preceding the date of his retirement, the full pensionable emoluments payable to him at that date in respect of that office shall be taken ;

(b) in the case of an officer who at any time during such period of three years has been transferred from one office to another, but whose pensionable emoluments have not been changed by reason of such transfer or transfers, the full pensionable emoluments payable to him at the date of his retirement in respect of the office then held by him shall be taken ;

(c) in other cases one third of the aggregate pensionable emoluments payable to the officer in respect of his service during the said three years shall be taken : provided that

(i) if such one third is less than the full pensionable emoluments which were payable to him at the date of his transfer within such period of three years, the Governor in Council may grant him a pension calculated on the full pensionable emoluments payable to him at that date; and

(ii) for the purpose of calculating pensionable emoluments under this paragraph, the officer shall be deemed to have been on duty on full pensionable emoluments throughout the said three years.

(2) The estimated value of free quarters shall be taken as one-sixth of the actual salary of the office.

Non-pensionable service followed by pensionable service.

9. (1) Only service in a pensionable office shall be taken into account as pensionable service :

Provided that where a period of service in a civil capacity otherwise than in a pensionable office is immediately followed by service in a pensionable office, one-half of such period may with the approval of the Governor in Council be so taken into account, and

(2) Where an officer in the service of the Colony or in any other public service on the date when the Ordinance comes into force shall, before that date have served in a civil capacity otherwise than in a pensionable office, then if it should be to his advantage his pension may be calculated as if the following Regulation was substituted for paragraph 1 of this Regulation :-

"Only service in a pensionable office shall be taken into account as pensionable service;

Provided that where an unbroken period of service in a civil capacity in an appointment other than a pensionable office is immediately followed by service in a pensionable office in the Colony, such

period or any part of such period may, with the approval of the Governor in Council, be so taken into account."

Acting Service.

10. Where an officer has performed acting service in a pensionable office in the Colony, the period of such service may be taken into account as pensionable service :

Provided that

(1) The period of such acting service was not part of the pensionable service of the previous holder of the office and does not fall to be reckoned as part of the officer's own pensionable service in other public service;

(2) this period of service is immediately preceded or followed by service in a substantive capacity in a pensionable office in the Colony.

Abolition or reorganisation of office.

11. (1) If an officer holding a pensionable office retire or be removed from the service in consequence of the abolition of his office, or for the purpose of facilitating improvements in the organisation of the Department to which he belongs, by which greater efficiency and economy can be effected, he may be granted a pension calculated in accordance with Regulation 2.

Provided that if he has been in the service of the Colony for less than the qualifying period of ten years, he may be granted a pension calculated in accordance with that Regulation as if there had been no qualifying period.

(2) Such an officer may also be granted an additional pension at the rate of one-sixtieth part of his annual pensionable emoluments for each complete period of three years' pensionable service :

Provided that

(a) the addition shall in no case exceed ten-sixtieths ; and

(b) no addition shall be made so as to qualify an officer for a pension of higher annual value than that for which he would have been qualified by length of service on reaching the age at which he may be required to retire, without the approval of the Secretary of State or for a pension of higher annual value than the maximum prescribed in Section 10 of the Ordinance.

(3) Any pension granted to an officer in accordance with this Regulation shall be subject to the condition that he shall be liable to be recalled to service in the Colony.

Provided that if such an officer is not qualified for other employment in the public service, and if there is no reason, in the opinion of the Governor, to expect that he can be shortly re-employed, a pension may be granted to him free from the above-mentioned condition.

Officers retiring on account of injuries.

12. (1) Where an officer has been permanently injured :–

(a) in the actual discharge of his duty and

(b) without his own default, and

(c) by some injury specifically attributable to the nature of his duty,

and his retirement is thereby necessitated or materially accelerated, then, subject to the provisions of sub-section (4) of section 10 of the Ordinance, he may, if he is qualified for a pension under Regulation 2, be granted, in addition to the pension granted to him under that Regulation, an additional pension at the rate of the proportion of

his actual pensionable emoluments at the date of his injury appropriate to his case as shown in the following table :–

When his capacity to contribute to his own support is :–

slightly impaired	...	five-sixtieths ;
impaired ...	...	ten-sixtieths ;
materially impaired	...	fifteen-sixtieths ;
totally destroyed	...	twenty-sixtieths ;

Provided that the amount of the additional pension shall be reduced to such an extent as the Governor in Council shall think reasonable in the following cases :–

(a) where the injured officer has continued to serve for not less than one year after the injury in respect of which he retires ;

(b) where the injured officer is at the date of injury within ten years of the age at which he may be required to retire without the approval of the Secretary of State ; or

(c) where the injury is not the sole cause of retirement, but the retirement is caused partly by age or infirmity not due to the injury :

Pension to injured officer where service is less than ten years.

(2) An officer so injured, whose length of service is not such as to qualify him for a pension under Regulation 2, but who is qualified for a gratuity under Regulation 3, may nevertheless be granted in lieu of such a gratuity a pension at the rate of one-sixhundredth part of his pensionable emoluments for each complete month of pensionable service together with such additional pension as might be awarded to him under the preceding part of this Regulation if he were qualified for pension.

(3) An officer so injured who is not qualified for either a pension under Regulation 2, or a gratuity under Regulation 3 may nevertheless be granted a pension of the same amount as the additional pension which he might have been granted if he had been so qualified.

Officers who have served in a non-pensionable office.

13. In special cases an officer holding a non-pensionable office may :–

(a) if he has served the Colony for not less than seven years and is removed in consequence of the abolition of his office, or for the purpose of facilitating improvements in the organisation of the Department to which he belongs by which greater efficiency and economy can be effected ; or

(b) if he has served for not less than fifteen years and he retires in any of the cases set out in Section 7 of the Ordinance ;

be granted a compassionate gratuity not exceeding one pound or one week's pay, whichever is the greater for each year of his service.

Officers transferred from pensionable to non-pensionable office.

14. Where an officer has been transferred from a pensionable to a non-pensionable office and subsequently retires either from a pensionable or non-pensionable office in circumstances in which he might have been granted a pension if he had continuously held a pensionable office, he may, with the approval of the Governor in Council, be allowed to count his service in the non-pensionable office as though it were service in the pensionable office which he held immediately prior to such transfer, and at the pensionable emoluments which were payable to him at the date of transfer.

Gratuity and reduced pension.

15. (1) Any officer to whom a pension is granted under the Ordinance may, at his option exercisable as hereinafter provided,

be paid in lieu of such pension a pension at the rate of three-fourths of such pension together with a gratuity equal to ten times the amount of the reduction so made in the pension.

(2) The option referred to in paragraph (1) shall be exercisable :–

(a) in the case of an officer to whom, if retired on the ground of ill-health, a pension might be awarded by reason only of the taking into account, under Regulation 9 of service in an appointment other than a pensionable office; not later than six months from the date when he receives notice of the approval of the Governor in Council for taking such service into account.

(b) in the case of an officer who is transferred to the service of the Colony from other public service, not later than thirteen months after the date of his transfer or one month after the earliest date on which, if retired on grounds of ill-health, he might be awarded a pension under this Ordinance, whichever shall be the later;

(c) in the case of any other officer; not later than one month after the earliest date on which, if retired on grounds of ill-health, he might be awarded a pension under the Ordinance:

Provided

(i) that an officer who has previously had the opportunity of exercising the option but has not done so, may, if he subsequently marries and is still in the service of the Colony or in any other public service, apply to the Governor not later than one month after the date of his marriage for permission to exercise the option, which permission may be granted at the Governor's discretion after examination of the officer by a Government Medical Board, and upon the grant of such permission the option shall be deemed to have been exercised.

(ii) that the date of the exercise of the option shall be deemed to be the date of the receipt of his written notification addressed either to the Colonial Secretary in the Colony or to the Crown Agents for the Colonies; and

(iii) that if an officer has exercised the option his decision shall be irrevocable.

Part II.

Special Regulations for Officers with other Public Service.

Definitions.

16. For the purpose of these Regulations :–

The term "Scheduled Government" means any Government included in the Schedule to these Regulations.

The term "Service in the Group" means service under the Government of the Colony, and under a Scheduled Government or Governments.

Application of Regulations in Part I.

17. Subject to the succeeding Regulations, the provisions of Regulations 8 (2), 13, 14, and 15 shall apply to the case of an officer who has been transferred to or from the service of the Colony from or to other public service and the provisions of Regulations 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (1), 9 (1), and 10 shall apply to the case of an officer so transferred as if his whole service had been in the Colony.

Provided that in the application of Regulation 15 to cases where the limitation prescribed by Section 10 (2) of the Ordinance operates the words "such pension" in that Regulation shall mean the amount of pension which he might have been awarded from the funds of the Colony if he had not elected for a gratuity and reduced pension.

Pension for service wholly within the Group.

18. (1) Where the other public service of an officer has been wholly under one or more of the Scheduled Governments and he has held a pensionable office in the Colony for a period of at least twelve months, and his aggregate service would have qualified him had he been wholly in the Colony for a pension under the Ordinance, he may, on his ultimate retirement from the public service in circumstances in which he is permitted by the Law or Regulations of the service in which he is last employed to retire on pension or gratuity, be granted a pension from the Colony of such an amount as shall bear the same proportion to the amount of pension for which he would have been eligible had his service been wholly in the Colony, as the aggregate amounts of his pensionable emoluments during his service in the Colony shall bear to the aggregate amounts of his pensionable emoluments throughout his service in the Group.

(2) In determining for the purposes of this Regulation the pension for which an officer would have been eligible if his service had been wholly in the Colony,

(a) his final pensionable emoluments taken shall be those of his last period of service in the Group;

(b) no regard shall be had to Regulations 11 and 12;

(c) regard shall be had to the condition that pension may not exceed two-thirds of the highest pensionable emoluments;

(d) no period of other public service under any Scheduled Government which does not grant a pension or gratuity to the officer shall be taken into account:

(3) For the purpose of this Regulation the aggregate amount of his pensionable emoluments shall be taken as the total amount of salary which the officer would have drawn, and the total amount of the other pensionable emoluments which he would have enjoyed had he been on duty on full pay in his substantive office or offices throughout his period of service in the Group subsequent to the attainment of the age of twenty years:

Provided that

(i) in calculating the aggregate amount of his pensionable emoluments no account shall be taken of any service under any Scheduled Government which does not grant the officer a pension or gratuity, or of any period of leave without salary or with salary at a special rate which was granted to him in order to make continuous service interrupted either by abolition of office or in consequence of a reorganisation designed to effect greater efficiency and economy.

(ii) where under Regulation 9 one half only of any service in a civil capacity otherwise than in a pensionable office is taken into account as pensionable

service, one half only of the officer's aggregate emoluments during that service shall be taken into account for the calculation aforesaid.

(iii) Where an officer entered the public service prior to the 1st of January, 1930, his pension in respect of his service in the Colony may be calculated as though any scheduled Government under which he has served had not been included in the schedule to these Regulations if this should be to his advantage.

Pension where other service not within the Group.

19. Where the other public service of an officer has not included service under any of the Scheduled Governments, and he has held a pensionable office in the Colony for a period of at least twelve months, and his aggregate service would have qualified him, had it been wholly in the Colony, for a pension under these Regulations, he may, on his ultimate retirement from the public service in circumstances in which he is permitted by the Law or Regulations of the Service in which he is last employed to retire on a pension or gratuity, be granted in respect of his service in the Colony a pension at the rate of one sixhundredth part of the amount of his pensionable emoluments at the date of his transfer or retirement, as the case may be, from the service of the Colony for each calendar month of his pensionable service in the Colony.

Pension when other service both within and not within the Group.

20. Where a part only of the other public service of an officer has been under one or more of the Scheduled Governments, the provisions of Regulation 18 shall apply; but in calculating the amount of pension, regard shall be had only to service in the Group.

Additional pension to officers retiring on account of injury.

21. Where an officer who has been transferred from other public service, and whose aggregate service would have qualified him, had it been wholly in the Colony, for a pension under these Regulations, is compulsorily retired from the public service in the circumstances mentioned in Regulation 12, he may, if at the time he is in the service of the Colony, be granted from the funds of the Colony the additional pension allowed by that Regulation, in addition to the pension granted under Regulations 18, 19, or 20 as the case may be.

Pension in respect of injury after less than 12 months service in the Colony.

22. Where by reason of the fact that an officer whose case falls under Regulation 21 has held a pensionable office in the Colony for less than twelve months, he is not eligible for a pension under Regulation 18, 19, or 20, as the case may be, he may, nevertheless, if at the time of his retirement he is in the service of the Colony, be granted from the funds of the Colony a pension of the same amount as the additional pension allowed by Regulation 21.

Addition to pension in respect of abolition or reorganisation of office.

23. Where an officer who has been transferred from other public service and whose aggregate service would have rendered him eligible, had it been wholly in the Colony, for a pension under these regulations is compulsorily retired from the public service in circumstances mentioned in Regulation 11, he may if at the time he is in the service of the Colony, be granted from the funds of the Colony in addition to the pension granted to him under Regulation 18, 19, or 20, as the case may be, an addition to his pension equal to the addition to his pension which might have been granted to him if his total pensionable service had been in the Colony.

Gratuities where length of service does not qualify for pension.

24. (1) Where an officer has been transferred to or from the service of the Colony from or to other public service, retires from the public service in circumstances in which he is permitted by the Law or Regulations of the service in which he is last employed

to retire on pension or gratuity, but has not completed in the aggregate the minimum period of ten years service qualifying him for a pension, he may be granted from the funds of the Colony a gratuity not exceeding five times the annual amount of the pension which had there been no qualifying period, might have been granted to him under Regulation 18, 19, or 20, as the case may be.

Injury.

(2) Where such an officer retires from the public service in the circumstances mentioned in Regulation 12, an award may, if at the time he is in the service of the Colony, be made to him under that regulation as if he had no other public service, but he shall not be granted, in addition, the gratuity for which he is eligible under paragraph (1) of this Regulation.

Officers transferred to other public service and retiring after less than 12 months employment in last service.

25. Where an officer who is transferred to other public service is not granted a pension or gratuity in respect of his employment in the service in which he is last employed, solely by reason of the fact that he has not completed twelve months service therein, he shall not, on that account, be disqualified from receiving a pension or gratuity from the funds of the Colony, if otherwise eligible therefor.

SCHEDULE.

(*See Regulation 16.*)

Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
The Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies.
The Colonial Audit Department (Home Establishment).
Aden.
Bahamas.
Barbados.
Basutoland.
Bechuanaland Protectorate.
Bermuda.
British Guiana.
British Honduras.
British Solomon Islands Protectorate.
Ceylon.
Cyprus.
Federated Malay States.
Fiji.
Gambia.
Gibraltar.
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony.
Gold Coast.
Grenada.
Hong Kong.
Jamaica.
Kenya.
Kenya and Uganda Railways and Harbours Administration.
Leeward Islands.
Malta.
Mauritius.
Nigeria.
Northern Rhodesia.
Nyasaland Protectorate.
Palestine.
St. Helena.
St. Lucia.
St. Vincent.
Seychelles.
Sierra Leone.
Somaliland Protectorate.
Straits Settlements.
Swaziland.
Tanganyika Territory.
Tonga.
Trinidad.
Turks and Caicos Islands.
Uganda Protectorate.
Zanzibar Protectorate.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 6 of 1937.

I ASSENT,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.
20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To establish a Provident Fund for certain Non-Pensionable Employees of the Government.

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: Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Government Employees Provident Fund Ordinance, 1937. Short Title.

2. (1) In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires:— Interpretation.

"THE FUND" means the Non-Pensionable Employees Provident Fund established under this Ordinance;

"THE BOARD" means the Board of Management appointed under this Ordinance;

"THE TREASURER" means the Treasurer of the Colony;

"NON-PENSIONABLE EMPLOYEE" means a person in the service of the Government of the Colony who—

(a) holds an office which is for the time being included in the Schedule to this Ordinance; and

(b) receives a salary of not less than One hundred Pounds per annum.

"DEPOSITOR" means a person who is making deposits in the Fund;

"SALARY" includes wages and any personal allowance, but no other payment or allowance whatsoever;

"PERSONAL ALLOWANCE" means a special addition to salary granted personally to the holder for the time being of the office.

"PRESCRIBED" means prescribed by Regulations made under this Ordinance.

(2) For the purposes of this Ordinance a depositor's family shall be deemed to include his mother, father, wife and children, but no other person.

Amendment of Schedule.

3. The Governor in Council may from time to time by order published in the Gazette amend the Schedule to this Ordinance by adding any office to the list of offices contained therein or by deleting any office from such list, but every such order shall make such provision (if any) as may be necessary or expedient to preserve existing rights. When any office is added to the Schedule the provisions of sections 5, 6 and 12 of this Ordinance shall have effect as respects that office as if the date upon which it is added were the date of the commencement of the Ordinance.

Establishment and management of the Fund.

4. (1) There shall be established a Fund to be known as the Non-Pensionable Employees Provident Fund.

(2) The Governor shall appoint a Board of Management who shall be responsible for the control and management of the Fund in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and of any Regulations made hereunder. The Treasurer shall be chairman of the Board.

(3) The moneys paid into the Fund shall, so far as practicable, be invested by the Treasurer in such security or securities yielding interest as the Board shall approve, or, with the approval of the Board, deposited by him in the Government Savings Bank.

(4) The Treasurer shall keep a separate account for the moneys of the Fund. Such account shall be audited annually by the Government Auditor.

(5) The Board shall submit to the Governor as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of December in each year a full statement showing the working of the Fund and all claims thereon, and containing full particulars of all transactions connected with the working of the Fund.

Who shall become a depositor.

5. (1) Every person who shall have been appointed a non-pensionable employee either after the commencement of this Ordinance, or on terms which so require, shall become a depositor from the date on which he begins to draw any of the salary of the post to which he is so appointed or from the commencement of this Ordinance, whichever shall be the later.

(2) Every non-pensionable employee to whom the preceding subsection does not apply, who does not elect under section 6 of this Ordinance to become a depositor, and is appointed to the service of the Government after the commencement of this Ordinance upon terms which constitute a reappointment or re-engagement in the service of the Government, shall become a depositor as from the date of such reappointment or re-engagement.

Who may become a depositor.

6. Every non-pensionable employee who is not required by the preceding section to become a depositor may, by a written notice addressed to the head of his department within three months after the commencement of this Ordinance or within such extended time as the Governor in Council may in any particular case allow, elect to become a depositor, and, if he so elect, he shall become a depositor as from the commencement of this Ordinance.

Compulsory deposit.

7. (1) Every depositor shall deposit in the Fund monthly an amount equal to one-twentieth of his monthly salary, until the termination of his service with the Government. The Treasurer shall deduct the deposit from the salaries of depositors.

(2) Such deposit shall be called the "compulsory deposit", and shall be calculated on full salary whether the depositor is on full, half, or no salary:

Provided that, when a depositor is on half salary or no salary for a period exceeding two months continuously, he may elect to contribute in respect of the excess over two months at the rate of one-twentieth of any salary which he receives.

Voluntary deposits.

8. Subject to prescribed conditions a depositor may, from time to time,

(a) make voluntary deposits of not less than five shillings or any multiple thereof, to an amount not exceeding twenty five pounds in any one year, or one hundred and fifty pounds in all, and

(b) withdraw all or any part of such deposits including interest credited thereon.

(c) repay any sum so withdrawn.

Bonuses.

9. (1) On the thirty-first day of December in each year, the account of every depositor shall be provisionally credited by the Treasurer with a sum equal to the compulsory deposits made by him during the preceding twelve months.

(2) The sums so credited shall each be called a "bonus".

Interest.

10. (1) Interest shall be credited separately on compulsory deposits, voluntary deposits and bonuses at a rate to be fixed annually by the Governor in Council and shall begin to accrue in respect of each sum deposited and each bonus on the first day of the month next following the day on which the deposit was made or the bonus credited. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, it shall be calculated to the thirty-first day of December in each year and shall then be added to and become part of the principal and be deemed for the purposes of this Ordinance to be compulsory deposit, voluntary deposit or bonus as the case may be.

(2) No interest shall be credited on any sum withdrawn in respect of the period between the date of withdrawal and the date of repayment, exclusive of both dates.

Information to depositors.

11. As soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of December in each year the Treasurer shall inform each depositor of the total amount standing to his credit in the Fund at that date.

Deposits in respect of previous service.

12. (1) Any non-pensionable employee who shall have had at least one year's continuous service immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance and who being an officer to whom section 6 of this Ordinance applies, elects under that section to become a depositor, may

(a) within a period of two years after the commencement of this Ordinance, make an additional deposit in respect of each completed year of such service of an amount not exceeding one-twentieth of his salary as at the commencement of this Ordinance; or

(b) increase his deposits under section 7 of this Ordinance by fifty per cent. for a period not exceeding his completed years' continuous service prior to the commencement of this Ordinance.

(2) All amounts deposited under the provisions of this section shall be treated in all respects as compulsory deposits and the provisions of section 9 shall apply accordingly.

(3) In this section the word "service" means service which would, if this Ordinance had been in force, have been service as a non-pensionable employee.

Deposits, etc. not to be assigned or attached.

13. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance no compulsory deposit, bonus, or interest on any such deposit or bonus, shall be assignable or transferable or liable to be attached, sequestered or levied upon for, or in respect of, any debt or claim whatsoever.

Withdrawal of compulsory deposits.

14. A depositor may withdraw compulsory deposits or bonuses only

(1) with the approval of the Board; or

(2) with the permission of the Treasurer if the Treasurer is satisfied that withdrawal is desirable and that it is required for any one or more of the following purposes:—

(a) To pay the passage of

(i) any member of the depositor's family or

(ii) the depositor's brother or sister,

coming from abroad, or leaving the Territory on medical advice or for other good cause, such person being wholly or mainly dependent upon, or ordinarily resident with, the depositor;

(b) To pay the funeral expenses of any member of the depositor's family;

(c) To pay hospital or other expenses incurred through the illness of any members of the depositor's family:

Provided that the total amount withdrawn shall not exceed, at any one time, half the depositor's compulsory deposits and bonuses.

Repayment of withdrawal.

15. Any sum withdrawn from compulsory deposits or bonuses under section 14 of this Ordinance shall be repaid by the depositor in not more than twelve equal monthly instalments, commencing in the month following the withdrawal, which may be deducted from his salary.

Closing of accounts.

16. (1) On the death of a depositor or the termination of the depositor's service with the Government,

(a) interest up to the end of the month previous to the date of such death or termination of service and,

(b) in the event of his death or termination of his service in any of the circumstances in which section 17 of this Ordinance applies, bonuses for the current calendar year equal to the compulsory deposits made by the depositor during that year,

shall be credited to his account, which shall then be closed.

(2) Notice of such closure shall thereupon be given

(i) if the depositor is living, to the depositor, or

(ii) if the depositor is dead, to such person or persons mentioned in section 21 of this Ordinance to whom it shall appear to the Treasurer that notice should properly be given.

And in either case to such other persons as shall or may in the opinion of the Treasurer reasonably require such notice.

Death or termination of service.

17. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, if a depositor dies while in the service of the Government or leaves the service in any of the following circumstances, that is to say:-

(1) retirement on medical evidence to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council (or the Secretary of State) that he is incapable by reason of some infirmity of mind or body of discharging the duties of his office;

(2) satisfactory completion of contract;

(3) abolition of office;

(4) reaching the prescribed age of retirement;

(5) determination of contract by, or with the consent of, the Government otherwise than by dismissal;

(6) in the case of a female depositor, retirement with a view to, or in consequence of, marriage after not less than three years' service (subject to the production of evidence of marriage within such period after retirement as the Board may in any case prescribe);

the amount standing to his or her credit in the Fund at the closing of such account shall be paid to the depositor or any other person to whom by virtue of this Ordinance or otherwise payment may lawfully be made.

Resignation or dismissal.

18. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, if a depositor shall be dismissed, or resign, or leave the service of the Government without permission without completing the period prescribed by any contract under which he may be serving,

(a) the amount of his deposits in the Fund and interest thereon shall be paid to the depositor, and

(b) such part, if any, of the bonuses provisionally credited to the depositor and interest thereon, as the Board with the approval of the Governor shall determine, may be so paid.

(2) Any part of such bonuses and interest not paid as aforesaid shall be refunded to the Government and credited to revenue.

Transfer to pensionable office.

19. (1) If a depositor is transferred to a post which is a pensionable office under the Pensions Ordinance, 1937, or any other Ordinance, the provisions of section 16 of this Ordinance shall apply as if the service of the depositor with the Government had terminated in circumstances in which section 17 of this Ordinance applies:

Provided that interest shall continue to be credited to his account, in accordance with the provisions of section 10 and paragraph (a) of section 16 of this Ordinance.

(2) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, upon his subsequently leaving the service of the Colony in any circumstances or upon his dying in the service, the amount then standing to the credit of such depositor shall be paid to him or to any other person to whom by virtue of this Ordinance or otherwise payment may lawfully be made.

(3) A depositor who is so transferred may elect at the time of transfer to continue while serving in such post to remain subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, and shall thereupon be deemed to be a depositor as defined in section 2 (1) of this Ordinance while serving in a pensionable post or posts :

Provided that in the event of his being at any time confirmed in a pensionable post, the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall apply to him as from the date of such confirmation.

Any election under this subsection shall be made in writing to the Board and shall be irrevocable.

Payment on death of depositor.

20. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, on the death of a depositor—

(a) if the amount at his credit does not exceed fifty pounds the Treasurer shall pay it to the person or persons nominated for the purpose by the depositor in manner prescribed, or, if no such nomination has been made, to the personal representative of the depositor or, at the discretion of the Treasurer, the person appearing to the Treasurer to be entitled ultimately by law to receive it:

(b) if the amount at his credit exceeds fifty pounds, the Treasurer shall pay it to the personal representative of the depositor:

Provided that the Treasurer may make payments, not exceeding Ten pounds in any one case, to meet the expenses of the funeral of the deceased or to give immediate relief to the widow or children or other dependants of the deceased, if in the opinion of the Treasurer such relief is required.

(2) Any payment made by the Treasurer under this section shall be valid and effectual against any demand made upon the Government, the Board or the Treasurer by any other person in respect of the amount standing to the credit of the depositor.

Sums due to Government.

21. Any sum or sums due to Government by a depositor on payment out of the Fund of any amount then standing to his credit therein, may be deducted from the amount otherwise payable.

Power to make Regulations.

22. The Governor in Council may make Regulations for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. Fleuret,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. Stewart,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Section 2 (1).

Offices the holders of which are non-pensionable employees within the meaning of the Ordinance.

(a) The holders of non-pensionable posts included in the approved estimates receiving a salary of not less than one hundred pounds per annum.

(b) All non-pensionable Government employees paid from votes under "Other charges" who have been continuously employed by Government for a period of not less than one year and who are in receipt of wages at a rate of not less than one hundred pounds per annum.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 7 of 1937.

I ASSENT,

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Acting Governor.

20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To amend the Public Health Ordinance, 1894, as amended by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931.

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:- Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1937, and shall be read and construed as one with the Public Health Ordinance, 1894, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance. Short Title.

2. The Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 6 of 1931, is hereby repealed. Repeal of Ordinance No. 6 of 1931.

3. Section one of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the following Section:- Section 1 of Principal Ordinance amended.

1. There shall be a Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands composed of the following members:-

The Senior Medical Officer who shall be Chairman of the Board, the Government Medical Officers and such other members not exceeding five as shall be appointed annually by the Governor in Council, and it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to fill up any vacancy or vacancies which may occur during any year on the said Board.

4. Section sixteen of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the following section:- Section 16 of Principal Ordinance amended.

16. Any Inspector of Nuisances shall have power to enter any wharf, shop, yard or building used for the sale of butcher's meat, and examine any meat or flesh intended for the food of man, and if it shall appear that the same is unfit for food it shall be seized and the matter at once reported to the Agricultural Adviser, and if it appears to the said Agricultural Adviser that any of the said articles are unsound or unfit for the food of man he shall order the same to be destroyed and the person to whom the same belongs or in whose possession or on whose premises the same was found shall be liable on conviction before two Justices of the Peace or the Police Magistrate of the Colony, to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds for every such offence.

Section 18 of Principal Ordinance amended.

5. Section 18 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of sub-section (viii).

Repeal of Sections 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26 of the Principal Ordinance.

6. Sections twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five and twenty-six of the Principal Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. Fleuret,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. Stewart,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 8 of 1937.

I ASSENT,

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Acting Governor.

20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924.

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:- Enacting Clause.

1. Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained in the Tariff Ordinance, 1900, as amended by the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924, the duty of Customs to be raised, levied and collected upon whale oil and upon seal oil which shall be raised in the Colony or in the Dependencies thereof and shall be shipped from the Colony or from the Dependencies thereof for places beyond the limits of the Colony or of the Dependencies thereof during the 1937-38 whaling season and during the 1938 sealing season shall be fixed at the rate of one shilling and sixpence for each barrel of forty gallons. Rate of duty on export of Whale and Seal oil during the 1937-38 whaling season and the 1938 sealing season.

2. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinance, 1937" and shall be read and construed as one with the Tariff (Export Duties) Amendment Ordinances, 1923 and 1924. Short Title.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 9 of 1937.

I ASSENT,

M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,

Acting Governor.

20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To extend to the Colony and Dependencies thereof The Forgery Act, 1913, of the Imperial Parliament.

Enacting Clause.

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 Forgery Ordinance, 1937".

Extension of the Forgery Act. 1913, to the Colony and Dependencies.

2. From and after the passing of this Ordinance the provisions of the Forgery Act, 1913, of the Imperial Parliament as modified by the Criminal Justice Act, 1925, and the Currency (Convention) Act, 1935, shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to the Colony and to the Dependencies thereof.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,

Clerk of the Legislative Council.

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. J. STEWART,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Ordinance No. 10 of 1937.

I ASSENT,
M. C. CRAIGIE-HALKETT,
Acting Governor.
20th November, 1937.

An Ordinance

To give effect to the International Labour Convention concerning the protection against accidents of workers employed in loading or unloading ships.

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 :- Enacting Clause.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Shipworkers Protection Ordinance, 1937". Short Title.

2. The Governor in Executive Council may make regulations for the protection against accidents of workers employed in loading, unloading, moving and handling goods in, on, or at any dock, wharf or jetty, or in loading, unloading, or coaling any ship in any dock or harbour. The Governor in Council may make regulations for the protection of workers.

3. If any person acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, any regulation under this Ordinance, he shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds and, in the case of a continuing offence, to a penalty not exceeding two pounds for every day during which the offence continues after conviction therefor. Penalty for breach of regulations.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 15th day of November, 1937.

A. I. FLEURET,
Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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