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<i>Name.</i>				<i>Date.</i>
Binnie, T.	Mail Officer, Grade IV., Post Office	to	Clerk, Grade IV.	1.12.46.
Carey, A.	Clerk, Grade IV., Post Office	to	Mail Officer, Grade IV.	1.12.46.

## LEAVE.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Period.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Evans, H. R.	The Governor.	Govt. House Gardener.	180 days.	31.12.46.	—

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 58. 11th December, 1946.

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

The Executive Engineer (*Chairman*) ;  
The Assistant Treasurer, Treasury and  
Customs Department ;  
The Honourable V. A. H. Biggs, J.P. ;  
Mr. W. H. Sedgwick ;  
Mr. D. Lees

to be Members of the Board of Assessors for the year 1947.

M.P. 597/29.

No. 59. 17th December, 1946.

With reference to Gazette Notices No. 29 of the 4th of April, 1940, and No. 48 of the 22nd of May, 1940, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the arrangement whereby His Majesty's Government undertook to purchase all Falkland Islands wool and sheepskins for the duration of the war and for one year thereafter has now come to an end, and that it will no longer be necessary to obtain licences to export these products.

M.P. 262/46.

No. 60. 24th December, 1946.

On the following dates in 1947 the Public Offices will be closed :—

New Year's Day	...	Wednesday, 1st January.
Good Friday	...	Friday, 4th April.
Easter Monday	...	Monday, 7th April.
Empire Day	...	Saturday, 24th May.
King's Birthday	...	Thursday, 12th June.
August Holiday	...	Monday, 4th August.
Anniversary of Falkland Islands Battle		Monday, 8th December.
Christmas Holidays		Thursday, 25th December. Friday, 26th December. Saturday, 27th December.

M.P. 291/33.

No. 61. 24th December, 1946.

The following Resolution was adopted at a Meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 23rd of December, 1946 :—

"BE IT RESOLVED that under the provisions of "the Stanley Rating Ordinance, 1928, this Council here- "by sanctions the following rate to be charged for the "year 1947, on house property in the Town of Stanley, "namely, Two shillings for every Twenty shillings of "the annual value of such house property."

M.P. 209/38.



No. 62.

28th December, 1946.

The following list containing the names and qualifications of Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists, registered to practise in the Colony and the Dependencies is published in accordance with Section 3 of the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance, 1914. M.P. 21/28.

A. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE COLONY AND DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Sladen, Francis James	M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.), D.T.M. & H.	1932.
Hopwood, Burton Edward Cyril	M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.)	1943.
Arthur, George David	M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.)	1944.
Krauss, Helmuth	Freiberg University	1923.
Bingham, Edward William	M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. (T.C.D.)	1926.
Slessor, Robert Stewart	M.B., Ch.B., (Aberdeen). L.M. (Dublin).	1935. 1936.
Andrew, James Darby	M.R.C.S., (Eng.) L.R.C.P. (Lond.) M.B., B.Chir. (Cantab.)	1944. 1944.
Butson, Arthur Richard Cecil	M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.), M.B., B.Ch. (Camb.)	1945. 1945.
Roberts, John Michael	M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.)	1945.
<i>Midwives.</i>		
Brigginshaw, Winnifred May	State Registered Nurse. State Certified Midwife (I)	1944. 1945.
Henricksen, Agnes	State Certified Midwife (Eng.)	1929.
<i>Dental Surgeon.</i>		
Tomlinson, James	L.D.S. (Manch.)	1942.

B. REGISTERED TO PRACTISE IN THE DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Gilkes, Michael John	M.R.C.S. (Eng.) L.R.C.P. (Lond.)	1946.
Peyrallo, Romulo Alberto	D.M. & S. (Univ. Montevideo)	1938.

No. 63.

31st December, 1946.

It is with deep regret that His Excellency the Governor announces the death, in England on the 3rd of December, 1946, of Mr. B. Colin McAtasney, Assistant Gardener, Government House, Stanley.

M.P. P/309.

PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Karl Edward Lindenberg of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Robert Cartmell, Executor 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

H. BENNETT.

*Acting Registrar, Supreme Court.*

16th December, 1946.

L. 25/46.

Application for a Publican's Licence under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance, 1944.

TAKE NOTICE

That under the provisions of the Licensing Ordinance, 1944, application has been made for a Publican's Retail Licence by

RODERICK JOHN DAVID McLEOD — SHIP HOTEL, STANLEY.

and provided that no objection be taken to the granting of this Licence before the 31st December, 1946, the same will be granted for a period of six months.

E. F. LELLMAN,  
*Assistant Treasurer.*

17th December, 1946.

No. 6.

## Proclamation

1946.

## Restriction on Importation of Goods.

*(Repeal of Proclamation No. 5 of 1941.)*

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.

G. M. CLIFFORD

—

*By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

In virtue of the powers in me vested by Section 2 of the Exports and Imports (Emergency Powers) Ordinance, 1939, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby proclaim and order and it is hereby proclaimed and ordered that the following amended rules regarding the importation of all goods without exception come into force forthwith.

1. Open general Import Licences will henceforth be granted to Registered Traders upon application to the Competent Authority for all articles of Merchandise obtainable within the sterling area with the exception of Foodstuffs, which will continue to be controlled.
2. Only in cases of urgency will an Import Licence be granted for an article from a non-sterling area when that article or a similar article is obtainable from a sterling area.

Proclamation No. 5 of 1941, made on the 9th day of June, 1941 is hereby repealed.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this fourteenth day of December, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-six.

*By His Excellency's Command,*

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

[L.S.]



## FALKLAND ISLANDS.

### Ordinance No. 1 of 1946.

I ASSENT,

G. M. CLIFFORD.

*Governor.*

24th December, 1946.

### An Ordinance

### To amend the Licensing Ordinance, 1944.

**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 Licensing (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946, and shall be read and construed as one with the Licensing Ordinance, 1944, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

**Section 35 (a) of  
Principal Ordinance  
amended.**

2. Section 35 (a) of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "one year of" in the third line, and the substitution therefor of the words "the period stated in".

Passed by the Legislative Council this 23rd day of December, 1946.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

[L.S.]



## FALKLAND ISLANDS.

## Ordinance No. 2 of 1946.

I ASSENT,

G. M. CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

24th December, 1946.

## An Ordinance

## To amend the Pensions Ordinance, 1937.

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 (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946, and shall be read and construed as one with the Pensions Ordinance, 1937, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

Short Title.

2. Section 3 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion of the following sub-section and proviso :—

Amendment of  
Section 3 of Ordinance No. 5 1937.

“(3) Whenever the Governor-in-Council is satisfied that it is equitable that any regulation made under this section should have retrospective effect in order to confer a benefit upon or remove a disability attaching to any person, that regulation may be given retrospective effect for that purpose :

“Provided that no such regulation shall have retrospective effect unless it has received the prior approval of the Legislative Council signified by resolution”.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 23rd day of December, 1946.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

[L.S.]



## FALKLAND ISLANDS.

### Ordinance No. 3 of 1946.

I ASSENT,

G. M. CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

24th December, 1946.

### An Ordinance To amend the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

#### 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 and operation.

1. This Ordinance, which shall be read and construed as one with the Customs Ordinance, 1943, may be cited as the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946, and shall come into force in the Colony and its Dependencies on a date to be specified by the Governor by Proclamation in the Gazette.

#### Amendment of Section 2 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

2. The definition of "Proof" in section 2 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be amended to read "Proof Spirit means such spirit as, at the temperature of 51 degrees Fahrenheit shall weigh 12/13ths of the weight of an equal measure of distilled water;"

#### Amendment of Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

3. The first sentence of Section 5 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be amended to read "It shall be lawful for the Legislature from time to time by resolution to impose import or export duties . . . etc."

#### Insertion of new sections.

4. The following sections shall be added to the Customs Ordinance, 1943 :—

#### Governor in Executive Council may make interim order.

"5A. Notwithstanding anything contained in the preceding section, the Governor in Executive Council may by order (a) increase or reduce any import or export duty of customs, or (b) impose new import or export duties of customs,

and from the date of publication of such order in the Gazette and until the expiry of such order, the duties specified in such order shall be payable in lieu of any duties payable prior thereto. Provided that where any duty is reduced by any such order the person by whom any goods liable to the reduced duty are entered shall pay the reduced duty and in addition shall deposit with the proper Officer the difference between the duty payable prior to the date of the order and the duty payable under the order until the order expires as hereinafter provided."

5B. Every order issued by the Governor in Executive Council under Section 5A shall after four days and within twenty-one days from the date of its first publication be submitted to the Legislature, and the Legislature may by resolution confirm, amend or revoke such order, and upon publication of the resolution of the Legislature in the Gazette the resolution shall have effect and the order shall then expire. If the order be not submitted within the said period of twenty-one days to the Legislature for confirmation it shall *ipso facto* expire."

Interim order to be confirmed, amended or revoked by Legislative Council.

5C. So much of the duties as shall have been paid under the order of the Governor in Executive Council as may be in excess of the duties payable immediately after the expiry of such order shall be repaid to the persons who paid the same."

Excess duty to be refunded when order expires.

"5D. So much of any sums which have been deposited in accordance with the proviso to Section 5A as, together with the duty paid, shall be equal to the duties payable after the expiry of the order, shall be brought to account by the Collector as duties of customs, and the balance, if any, shall be refunded to the depositor."

Refund of Deposit.

5. The following words shall be added after the words "process abroad" in the second line of Section 11, subsection (a) :— "or having been so subjected (but without change of their form or character) are goods not liable at the time of their reimportation to duty *ad valorem*".

Amendment of Section 11, subsection (a), of the Customs Ordinance 1943.

6. The word "renovation" in Section 34 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted, and the word "revocation" inserted in its place.

Amendment of Section 34 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

7. The words "upon being admitted to entry inwards" in lines 3 and 4 of Section 68 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted, and the words "at the time of making report" shall be inserted in their place.

Amendment of Section 68 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

8. Section 70 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted.

Deletion of Section 70 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

9. The word "warehouse" in line 2 of Section 94 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted, and the words "transit shed" inserted in its place.

Amendment of Section 94 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

10. The words "to stow" shall be inserted after the word "neglect" in line 2 of Section 104 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

Amendment of Section 104 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

11. The words "to which the provisions of Section 125 apply" in lines 1 and 2 of Section 126 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted.

Amendment of Section 126 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

12. The word "if" in line 6 of Section 137 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted.

Amendment of Section 137 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.



Amendment of Section 152 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943.

13. The word "such" in line 1, and the words "as aforesaid" in line 3 of Section 152 of the Customs Ordinance, 1943, shall be deleted.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 23rd day of December, 1946.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,  
*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

[L.S.]



## FALKLAND ISLANDS.

### Ordinance No. 4 of 1946.

I ASSENT,  
G. M. CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

24th December, 1946.

### An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-five in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 13 of 1944.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1945.

Enacting Clause.

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:—

Short Title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1945) Ordinance, 1946.

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 forty-five, 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 expenditure for the year 1945.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 23rd day of December, 1946.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,  
*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

### SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
	FALKLAND ISLANDS.			
IV.	Treasury & Customs ... ..	101	19	0
VII.	Electrical & Telegraphs ... ..	2031	8	6
X.	Police & Prisons ... ..	166	14	1
XI.	Medical ... ..	391	12	4
XV.	Military ... ..	43	4	6
XVI.	Agriculture ... ..	614	13	7
XVII.	Miscellaneous ... ..	3995	4	11
XVIII.	Public Works ... ..	41	1	5
XIX.	Public Works Recurrent ... ..	8229	12	11
XXII.	Land Sales Fund ... ..	893	0	0
		£ 16508	11	3

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## FALKLAND ISLANDS.

### Ordinance No. 5 of 1946.

I ASSENT,

G. M. CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

24th December, 1946.

### An Ordinance To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1943.

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 Tariff (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946, and shall be read and construed as one with the Tariff Ordinance, 1943, (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance).

Amendment of the  
Second Schedule to  
Ordinance No. 2 of  
1943.

2. The Second Schedule to the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion of the words "of the Governor or" between the words "use" and "in" in the first line of the sixth paragraph.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 23rd day of December, 1946.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

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## FALKLAND ISLANDS.

## Ordinance No. 6 of 1946.

I ASSENT,

G. M. CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

24th December, 1946.

## An Ordinance

To provide for the service of the year  
1947.

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 (1947) Ordinance, 1946.

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 December, 1947, a sum not exceeding One hundred and Thirty-seven thousand, One hundred and Sixty-nine 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 1947.

Appropriation of  
£137,169 for service  
of year 1947.

Passed by the Legislative Council this 23rd day of December, 1946.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this 24th day of December, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

Schedule.

## SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	Pensions ... ..	3950	0	0
II.	The Governor ... ..	4489	0	0
III.	Colonial Secretary ... ..	3916	0	0
IV.	Treasury and Customs ... ..	2111	0	0
V.	Audit ... ..	386	0	0
VI.	Post Office ... ..	6227	0	0
VII.	Electrical and Telegraphs ... ..	8556	0	0
VIII.	Harbour ... ..	1454	0	0
IX.	Courts ... ..	432	0	0
X.	Police and Prisons ... ..	1726	0	0
XI.	Medical ... ..	9450	0	0
XII.	Education ... ..	9011	0	0
XIII.	Ecclesiastical ... ..	289	0	0
XIV.	Naturalist ... ..	350	0	0
XV.	Military ... ..	1006	0	0
XVI.	Agriculture ... ..	10331	0	0
XVII.	Miscellaneous ... ..	12614	0	0
XVIII.	Public Works ... ..	3477	0	0
XIX.	Public Works Recurrent ... ..	22260	0	0
Total Ordinary Expenditure		£102035	0	0
XX.	Public Works Extraordinary ... ..	3770	0	0
XXI.	War Expenditure ... ..	720	0	0
XXII.	Land Sales Fund ... ..	211	0	0
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue		£106736	0	0
DEPENDENCIES.				
I.	Ordinary Expenditure ... ..	24708	0	0
II.	Extraordinary Expenditure ... ..	5725	0	0
Total ...		£137169	0	0

## Annual abstract account statement showing Receipts and Payments under various Heads

for the Dependencies for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1946.

## R E C E I P T S .

Receipts.	Estimated 1946.	Amount received to 31st March, 1946.	Receipts for same period, 1945.	More than estimated 1946.	Less than estimated 1946.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Customs Duties :					
(a) Imports	510 0 0	57 13 4	61 5 1	.....	452 6 8
(b) Exports	2050 0 0	3923 5 2	1748 11 3	1873 5 2	.....
2. Port & Tonnage Dues	25 0 0	80 0 0	30 0 0	55 0 0	.....
3. Internal Rev. Licences	2161 5 0	3902 10 3	225 6 9	1741 5 3	.....
4. Fees, Fines, etc.	23 15 0	97 8 0	7 2 0	73 13 0	.....
5. Rents ...	262 10 0	.....	.....	.....	262 10 0
6. Miscellaneous	32 10 0	48 14 6	19 5 1	16 4 6	.....
Total Ordinary Revenue £	5065 0 0	8109 11 3	2091 10 2	3759 7 11	714 16 8
Research Fund	.....	2628 16 4	2789 15 7	.....	.....
	£ 5065 0 0	10738 7 7	4881 5 9	3759 7 11	714 16 8

Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1946.

Research Fund ... £207650 5 6.  
£207650 5 6.

## P A Y M E N T S .

Payments.	Estimated 1946	Amount paid to 31st March, 1946.	Payments for same period, 1945.	More than estimated 1946.	Less than estimated 1946.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Personal:-					
South Georgia	420 0 0	432 10 0	625 5 0	12 10 0	.....
South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
General	168 15 0	183 10 0	94 0 0	14 15 0	.....
2. Other Charges:-					
(a) South Georgia	707 5 0	96 3 11	1026 16 0	.....	611 1 1
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
General	2526 10 0	11400 13 1	106 4 2	8874 3 1	.....
Total Ordinary Expenditure	3822 10 0	12112 17 0	1852 5 2	8901 8 1	611 1 1
3. Extraordinary:-					
(a) South Georgia	.....	.....	150 0 0	.....	.....
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
War Expenditure	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Georgia Defences	.....	.....	5 15 1	.....	.....
	£ 3822 10 0	12112 17 0	2008 0 3	8901 8 1	611 1 1
Charges on					
Dependencies Revenue	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Research Fund	.....	9 2	5 9	.....	.....
Total Expenditure ...	3822 10 0	12113 6 2	2008 6 0	8901 8 1	611 1 1

Surplus of Assets on 31st March, 1946.

Research Fund ... 1/1/46 £207650 5 6.  
Add Receipts 2628 16 4.  
Less Payments £210279 1 10.  
Total £210278 12 8.

E. F. LELLMAN,  
for Financial Secretary.



Annual Abstract Account Statement showing  
the Falkland Islands & Dependencies for

R E C E I P T S .

RECEIPTS.	Estimated 1946.	Amount received to 31st March. 1946.	Receipts for same period. 1945.	More than estimated, 1946.	Less than estimated, 1946
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance on 1st Jan., 1946		29034 19 0			
1. Customs Duties	4525 0 0	2504 0 8	5829 6 7		2020 19 4
2. Port Dues	21 5 0	15 1 0	9 9 0		6 4 0
3. Internal Revenue	3625 10 0	921 13 9	706 9 11		2703 16 3
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	731 0 0	416 13 5	628 3 4		314 6 7
5. Interest	3542 0 0	3649 4 5	3776 14 11	107 4 5	
6. Post Office	5511 5 0	23673 18 9	6395 8 1	18162 13 9	
7. Telegraphs & Telephones	2141 5 0	1378 7 6	1914 4 9		762 17 6
8. Rents	380 0 0	259 7 3	333 4 7		120 12 9
9. Miscellaneous	1529 15 0	1067 1 5	1418 17 3		462 13 7
10. Contribution from Dependencies	1000 0 0				1000 0 0
11. Land Sales	52 15 0		245 14 11		52 15 0
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands	£ 23059 15 0	33885 8 2	21257 13 4	18269 18 2	7444 5 0
Dependencies Revenue	5065 0 0	8109 11 3	2091 10 2	3044 11 3	
Total Revenue	£ 28124 15 0	41994 19 5	23349 3 6	21314 9 5	7444 5 0
Research Fund		2628 16 4		Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1946.	
Investments Realized		25000 0 0			
Farm & Building Loans		38 6 8			
Advances Repaid		5122 2 10			
Deposits Received		47353 13 7			
Remittances Received		17425 0 8			
Marine Insurance Fund		54 11 5		Land Sales Fund	£ 270651 4 9
Revenue Suspense A/c		5690 15 5		General Revenue Balance a/c	
Workmen's Compensation Insurance Fund		13 4 8		Deficit	21296 6 6
Reserve Fund		68 8 4			£ 249354 18 3
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund		170 15 1			
Dependencies' Postal A/c		10467 0 10			
Total	£ 156027 15 3				
Balance brought down 1st January, 1946	£ 29034 19 0				
Total	£ 185062 14 3				

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1946 :-

Colonial Treasury	£ 26261 1 7
Crown Agents	2427 5 6
South Georgia	346 11 11
	£ 29034 19 0.

Receipts and Payments under various Heads for  
the Quarter ended 31st March, 1946.

## P A Y M E N T S .

PAYMENTS.	Estimated, 1946.	Amount paid to 31st March, 1946.	Payments for same period 1945.	More than estimated, 1946.	Less than estimated, 1946.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Pensions ... ..	987 10 0	799 9 3	825 3 5	.....	188 0 9
2. The Governor ... ..	811 15 0	797 16 10	613 9 7	.....	13 18 2
3. Colonial Secretary ... ..	801 0 0	834 15 2	628 6 11	33 15 2	.....
4. Treasury & Customs ... ..	505 5 0	362 9 0	455 5 0	.....	142 16 0
5. Audit ... ..	1 10 0	.....	3 0 0	.....	1 10 0
6. Post Office ... ..	1615 0 0	1571 6 2	693 13 1	.....	43 13 10
7. Electrical & Telegraphs ... ..	1991 5 0	2691 12 6	1689 15 2	700 7 6	.....
8. Harbour ... ..	385 10 0	219 13 4	239 2 6	.....	165 16 8
9. Legal ... ..	105 10 0	103 2 0	302 18 5	.....	2 8 0
10. Police & Prisons ... ..	356 15 0	327 11 2	303 9 0	.....	29 3 10
11. Medical ... ..	1846 15 0	2143 3 4	1987 9 6	296 8 4	.....
12. Education ... ..	2049 10 0	1356 6 1	1272 5 7	.....	693 3 11
13. Ecclesiastical ... ..	72 5 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	.....	68 15 0
14. Naturalist ... ..	91 5 0	63 2 11	65 15 7	.....	28 2 1
15. Military ... ..	375 5 0	188 9 0	93 10 0	.....	186 16 0
16. Agriculture ... ..	2365 10 0	1780 11 4	2142 1 9	.....	584 18 8
17. Miscellaneous ... ..	3190 0 0	18447 14 9	1706 4 8	15257 14 9	.....
18. Public Works Department ... ..	1142 5 9	1201 14 8	1065 1 3	59 9 8	.....
19. Public Works Recurrent ... ..	3250 0 0	4897 12 11	4794 2 2	1647 12 11	.....
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	21943 15 0	37790 0 5	18884 3 7	17995 8 4	2149 2 11
20. Public Works Extraordinary ... ..	4 15 0	.....	451 17 2	.....	4 15 0
21. War Expenditure ... ..	250 0 0	222 7 11	3167 0 1	.....	27 12 1
22. Land Sales Fund ... ..	52 15 0	.....	.....	.....	52 15 0
Total Falklands ... £	22251 5 0	38012 8 4	22503 0 10	17995 8 4	2234 5 0
Surplus of Assets on the 31st March, 1946.					
Dependancies ... ..	.....	12112 17 0	Land Sales Fund ... .. £270651 4 9		
Research Fund ... ..	.....	9 2	General Revenue Balance A/c.		
Investments made ... ..	.....	37396 7 5	Deficit 31/12/45. £21296 6 6		
Advances made ... ..	.....	3668 19 7	" 31/3/46. 4127 0 2		
Deposits Repaid ... ..	.....	53303 5 7	25423 6 8		
Remittances made ... ..	.....	22059 0 8	£245227 18 1		
		166553 7 9			
Balance on 31st March, 1946 ... ..	.....	18509 6 6			
Total ... ..	£	185062 14 3			

## Distribution of Cash Balance 31st March, 1946:—

Colonial Treasury ... ..	£17406 14 4
Crown Agents ... ..	1080 13 3
South Georgia ... ..	21 18 11
	£18509 6 6.

E. F. LELLMAN,  
for Financial Secretary.

## Jury List for the year 1947.

The following list of the persons liable under the provisions of the Jury Ordinance, 1901 to serve as Jurors for the year 1947 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, 1947.

H. BENNETT.

*Justice of the Peace.*

1. McAskill, John	67. Anderson, Wm. J. S.	133. Larsen, Richard	199. Harvey, C. James
2. Anderson, Edward B.	68. Jacobsen, A. F. W. C.	134. Middleton, James (1)	200. Bundes, R. J. C.
3. Stewart, Gordon	69. McAskill, Donald W.	135. McPhee, Owen H.	201. King, Vernon T.
4. Thompson, Geo. H.	70. Llamosa, Arthur Jas.	136. Anderson, John	202. Halliday, Stanley S.
5. Rutter, Arthur	71. Parring, Francis G.	137. Hollen, Henry D.	203. Burridge, Walter
6. Henriksen, Albert J.	72. Lee, Edwin T.	138. Biggs, T. M. V.	204. Smith, Ludwick C.
7. Goodwin, Bert S.	73. Johnson, Fred. W.	139. Betts, Keith C.	205. Binnie, Albert F.
8. Porter, Charles (Sr.)	74. Smith, John C. (Sr.)	140. Clifton, Jas. Henry	206. Smith, Alfred C. E.
9. Pearson, Robert	75. Lee, Alfred F.	141. Skilling, Chas. J.	207. Lellman, Karl V.
10. Stewart, D. W. H.	76. Peck, Aubrey F.	142. Duncan, David John	208. Draycott, D. J.
11. Hardy, Fred J.	77. Simpson, Alex. S.	143. Jaffray, Alexander	209. McLeod, Murdo A.
12. McPhee, Patrick	78. Skilling, Albert G.	144. Roberts, Wm. Edgar	210. Burns, William
13. Betts, Allan Sturdee	79. Dettleff, Jas.	145. Biggs, Terence I.	211. Summers, Wm. Alex.
14. Whitney, Frederick E.	80. Hall, George F.	146. McDermid, M.	212. Duncan, William
15. Binnie James G.	81. Kiddle, William E.	147. Robson, George J.	213. Newman, Silas
16. Cletheroe, William H.	82. Hooley, T. V.	148. Luxton, Markham J.	214. Reive, Stanley S.
17. Blyth, Henry	83. Alazia, J. William	149. Pauloni, Romolo V.	215. Duncan, Peter R.
18. Turner, Leonard McL.	84. McGill, Maurice W.	150. Lyse, Sidney R.	216. Watson, James
19. Goss, Darwin J.	85. Llamosa, George A.	151. Dickson, Ed. T. C.	217. McLaren, Alex. R.
20. Dickson, Chas. J. E. C.	86. Johnson, Peter S.	152. Coutts, John	218. McPhee, K. J. (Sr.)
21. Kivell, William	87. Morrison, D. Ewen	153. Goss, Roderick J.	219. Paulini, H. Wm.
22. Butler, George J. C.	88. Clifton, Hugh E.	154. McMillan, Ian A.	220. Short, J. G. Arch.
23. Summers, Stanley F.	89. Lehen, Maurice	155. Hollen, James J.	221. Clifton, William
24. Binnie, William N.	90. Etheridge, Arthur G.	156. Sornsen, Ellis L.	222. Morrison, Douglas R.
25. Hawkins, C.	91. Rowlands, Wm. J.	157. Anderson, S. Allan	223. Flowers, W. H. R.
26. Goodwin, John K.	92. Lee, Wm. H. G. N. J.	158. Butler, Jos. T. J.	224. Pearson, William E.
27. Summers, Victor	93. Davis, Arthur H.	159. Browning, Frederick	225. McLeod, Donald
28. Berntsen, F. G.	94. Llamosa, Wm. J.	160. McGill, G. Stanford	226. Clausen, Fredk J.
29. Carey, Raymond F.	95. Bonner, William	161. Jacobsen, Karl M.	227. Whitney, G. Mark.
30. Jones, C. L. T.	96. Goodwin, Ernest G.	162. McRae, Donald A.	228. Cartmell, William J.
31. Dixon, Percy S.	97. Watson, T. Darwin	163. Pitaluga, Jas. A.	229. Smith, Eric H. S.
32. Browning, David L.	98. Carey, Anthony M.	164. Biggs, Edward D.	230. McPherson, John
33. McRae, F. W. Duncan	99. Blackely, Adam K.	165. Short, George H.	231. Jaffray, William
34. Lang, John S.	100. Alazia, Albert F.	166. Berntsen, Syd. L.	232. Summers, Wm. Ed.
35. Goodwin, Rupert V.	101. Browning, John B.	167. Kiddle, Peter	233. Clement, Wickham
36. Sornsen, Andrew A.	102. Earle, Arthur	168. Yates, Manuel	234. Curran, Joseph
37. White, W. Martell	103. Hooley, Jack C.	169. Anderson, Thos.	235. Curran, Henry
38. McKay, Donald	104. Bennett, Stanley	170. Robson, James T.	236. Bound, H. John L.
39. Jones, Albert H.	105. Larsen, Harold	171. Craigie-Halkett, C. M.	237. Bertrand, C. W.
40. Pettersson, A. R. A.	106. Oliver, Charles	172. Davis, Benjamin C.	238. Hills, Richard W.
41. Blyth, Jas.	107. Nunn, Henry	173. Rowlands, Jas. G.	239. McCarthy, Charles
42. Enestrom, Edgar W. R.	108. Sarney, Harry	174. Kendal, George N.	240. Kiddle, A. Stanley
43. Halliday, Andrew J.	109. Middleton, Jas. S.	175. McAtasney, W. Brian	241. McLeod, Donald
44. Berntsen, Lars M.	110. Lyse, George W.	176. Smith, Osmond R.	242. Gleadell, Sidney M.
45. Harrison, Clement	111. Anderson, Alfred	177. Morrison, Doug. D.	243. Bender, William J.
46. McMillan, William	112. Biggs, Horace H.	178. Hall, Albert H.	244. Hubbard, J.
47. Middleton, Stewart (1)	113. Halliday, J. Henry	179. Blyth, Fredk I. K.	245. Morrison, Finlay
48. Hannaford, Robert F.	114. Parrin, William R. B.	180. Perry, James J. (Jr.)	246. Stewart, S. A.
49. Gilruth, Thomas A.	115. Jones, Richard	181. Hewitt, Robert J. D.	247. Ford, James E.
50. Rumbolds, Robert H.	116. Craig, Peter	182. Hardy, Jack A.	248. Hannaford, W. Henry
51. Summers, Philip G.	117. Thompson, Wm. J.	183. Watson, Wm. H.	249. Lee, Sidney S.
52. Perry, James J. (Sr.)	118. Steen, Robert B.	184. Biggs, Edward John	250. Finlayson, Rod. (Sr.)
53. McGill, K. Niven	119. Anderson, Richard C.	185. Peck, Percy P.	251. Baker, H. L.
54. Goodwin, Vincent S.	120. Aldridge, Stephen C.	186. Anderson, Hector C.	252. Biggs, John F.
55. Halliday, John Jas.	121. Newman, L. Wilf. A.	187. Finlayson, Darwin	253. Berntsen, Alex.
56. Curran, John	122. Ford, Chas. W.	188. Newman, G. R. Hen.	254. Britton, William F.
57. Sprules, Gilbert E.	123. Browning, Benjamin	189. Hall, Donald John	255. Middleton, Arthur
58. Jennings, Clifford W.	124. Jones, William J.	190. King, James A.	256. Berntsen, Jas. L.
59. Lee, Henry J.	125. Cletheroe, Cyril J.	191. Hewitt, James	257. McMullen, D. J. E. H.
60. Newing, John C.	126. Morrison, Stewart	192. Biggs, Basil W.	258. McKay, James R.
61. Paice, William N.	127. McGill, Gordon A.	193. Lanning, George T.	259. Alazia, George J.
62. Perry, Christopher	128. Grant, Lemard J.	194. Halliday, William J.	260. Howatt, Frank D.
63. Stewart, Alex.	129. Sarney, James A.	195. McAtasney, E. J.	261. Smith, D. Roger
64. Skilling, Thos.	130. McLeod, George H.	196. Hills, Albert H.	262. Kiddle, Donald J.
65. Lang, William A.	131. Cheek, Frederick J.	197. Robson, Robert L.	263. King, Cecil F.
66. Jacobsen, James S.	132. McKenzie, William	198. Reive, Leonard L.	264. Biggs, Malcolm W.

## Jury List continued :—

265. Cartmell, Robert D.	312. White, John W.	419. Finlayson, Chas. J.	496. Perry, A. W.
266. Berntsen, William	343. Anderson, Ludwic R.	420. Middleton, Stewart 2	497. Newing, George L.
267. McCarthy, Wm. G.	344. Stewart, David G.	421. Biggs, Carl P. F.	498. Berntsen, F. E. N. L.
268. Gleadell, Marklin L.	345. Middleton, J. Darwin	422. Halliday, John J. G.	499. Allan, Hector
269. McLeod, Rod. J. D.	346. Alazia, Arthur J.	423. Goss, Richard V.	500. Summers, Herbert V.
270. Morrison, Donald F.	347. Perry, William J.	424. Bonner, Bruce	501. Cletheroe, Alb. R.
271. Barnes, Ernest	348. Barnes, Arthur J.	425. Morrison, Roderick	502. Felton, Anthony T.
272. Jaffray, John	349. Reive, John	426. Stewart, William H.	503. Peck, Andrew R.
273. Williams, Ralph M.	350. Pitaluga, Alex	427. Cletheroe, Stanley W.	504. Sedgwick, Bertrand
274. Stewart, James H.	351. Lyse, Ernest Louis	428. Summers, Walter J.	505. Bonner, Fred
275. Lee, A. Leslie	352. Fleuret Clovis	429. Ashley, Fred. Albert	506. Atkins, Stanley P.
276. Hirtle, Wallace C. L.	353. Biggs, Clarence G.	430. Jennings, F. G. J.	507. Carey, Chas. L.
277. Alazia, John	354. Ashley, John R.	431. Peck, Jas P.	508. Cletheroe, Leslie J.
278. Berntsen, Stanley G.	355. Butler, Fred. L. E. O.	432. Summers, Leslie F.	509. McCarthy, Archi. H.
279. Aldridge, Francis W.	356. May, Fredk. A. C.	433. Johnson, William G.	510. Atkins, Richard
280. McLaren, Reuben	357. Reive, George	434. Lee, Thomas F. G.	511. Phillips, Charles W.
281. Harvey, William	358. Bender, Chris. P. W.	435. Allan, Percival	512. Clifton, Albert
282. McKay, Richard	359. Osborne, George H.	436. Rice, R.	513. Biggs, James K.
283. Phillips, Jesse	360. Reive, Charles T.	437. Porter, Arthur	514. Morrison, Hubert H.
284. McLeod, Archibald	361. Ashley, Alfred G.	438. Betts, William D. N.	515. McGill, Keith W.
285. Middleton, James (2)	362. Peck, Victor H.	439. McMillan, D. Hugh	516. Lindenberg, J. E. T.
286. Smith, John F.	363. Cantlie, William J.	440. Thompson, George	517. Brechin, Gregor
287. Morrison, Murdo	364. Campbell, Thos. W.	441. Fraia, Harry	518. Johnson, Alfred G. R.
288. Goss, Jacob N.	365. Berntsen Alex. J.	442. Braxton, T. N. J.	519. McLeod, Donald J.
289. Bonner, H. J. (Jr.)	366. Kelway, J. George	443. Smith, Francis David	520. Kiddle, Robert
290. Paulini, Ralph	367. Porter, Charles (Jr.)	444. Hutchinson, Robt. T.	521. Hardy, C. Mansell
291. Stacey, David C.	368. Poole, J. B. Charles	445. Mercer, John	522. Sedgwick, H. H. (Jr.)
292. Nicholson, Leslie H.	369. Perry, George	446. Wilson, Edward	523. Barnes, W. F. John
293. Parker, C. F.	370. Smith Andrew C.	447. McKae, Alex B.	524. Lee, Frederick F. J.
294. Lellman, Edward F.	371. Summers, Walter F.	448. Gleadell, Jas R.	525. Betts, Alexander J.
295. Short, George C. (Jr.)	372. Morrison, John M.	449. Anderson, Louis	526. Aldridge, Sidney G.
296. Hirtle, E. R. C.	373. Creece, Martin G.	450. Campbell, J. Mark.	527. McPhee, K. J. (Jr.)
297. Bonner, A. M.	374. Hardy, Herbert H.	451. Finlayson, T. Dennis	528. Reive, Ernest
298. Shorey, William	375. Dearling, Leo. A.	452. Myles, William B.	529. Davis, William J.
299. Hardy, W. S. Bartle	376. Henriksen, Martin	453. Middleton, David J.	530. McKay, Donald Geo.
300. Shackel, Alex.	377. Biggs, Eric G. J.	454. Dettleff, Hansen C.	531. Simpson, Geo H.
301. McLeod, John T. A.	378. Roberts, Wm. Henry	455. Kenny, Norman D.	532. Alazia, George R.
302. Sedgwick, H. H. (Sr.)	379. Kirk, William J.	456. Pole-Evans, A. R.	533. Short, Joseph L.
303. Smith, William J.	380. Watt, Jas.	457. Gleadell, Frank E.	534. Spencer, W. E.
304. Peck, J. Bert H.	381. Morrison, Stewart M.	458. Summers, Sidney R.	535. Steel, Alex J.
305. Hannaford, R. H.	382. Miller, Sidney	459. Barnes, S. John	536. Cletheroe, John R.
306. Betts, Frederick C.	383. Watson, Louis James	460. Aldridge, Ernest J.	537. Fleuret, T. C.
307. Evans, Maurice E.	384. Paice, Ernest R. B.	461. Clifton, Allen Louis	538. Carey, Terence J.
308. Morrison, Leslie D.	385. Felton, Walter A.	462. Elias, W.	539. Binnie, Horace Jas.
309. Smith, John C. (Jr.)	386. Turner, W. John G.	463. Hills, William P.	540. Hennah, T. H. H.
310. Cartmell, Henry G.	387. Ferguson, Robert J.	464. Shade, Harry	541. Goss, William H.
311. Halliday, J. A. Leslie	388. Burns, Robert James	465. Stewart, James Alex.	542. Osborne, John C.
312. Sornsen, George A.	389. Parrin, Norman G.	466. Buse, F. K. E.	543. Morrison, M. John E.
313. Goodwin James	390. Middleton, Dave (Jr.)	467. McKay, David	544. Peck, Desmond D. B.
314. Sollis, Denis J.	391. Smith, John W.	468. McCarthy, Philip	545. Bowles, G. W. John
315. McKenzie, Alex. (Jr.)	392. Blyth, Alfred John	469. Hutchinson, W. J.	546. Hollen, Thomas
316. Duncan, Howard E.	393. Clifton, Chas	470. Peck, James W.	547. Buse, Ralph
317. Milne, A.	394. Finlayson, Alex. Jas.	471. Stewart, Keith G.	548. Paice, Charles J. B.
318. Harvey, Alfred Sid.	395. Buckley, P. Edward	472. Hutchinson, Keith R.	549. Davis, John
319. McKay, James J.	396. Andreason, S. V. Y.	473. Campbell, Ray	550. Bound, H. Leslie
320. Finlayson, Hugh	397. Kelway, Edward G.	474. Lee, Jas. W. T.	551. Coutts, W. J.
321. Summers, Albert G.	398. Ford, William J.	475. Kiddle, Alb. S.	552. Henriksen, Norman
322. Biggs, Hubert A.	399. Robson, Edward A.	476. Middleton, George S.	553. Middleton, James (3)
323. Carey, C. William	400. Smith, Percy S.	477. Davis, Frederick S.	554. Browning, Jos.
324. Short, George C. (Sr.)	401. Aldridge, Harold J.	478. Coleman, Fred. A.	555. Bonner, H. J. (Sr.)
325. Morrison, Wm. A.	402. Goodwin, Thos. J. W.	479. Ratcliffe, Jas.	556. May, Alfred M. W.
326. Anderson, A. Peter	403. Reive, Frederick J.	480. Lyse, Reginald S.	557. Clarke, J. H. A.
327. Stewart, H. W. A.	404. Berntsen, Ed. F.	481. Gleadell, William C.	558. Gleadell, Ernest C. S.
328. Johnson, E. Victor	405. Murphy, David John	482. McKae, Farquhar J. D.	559. Goss, James
329. Finlayson, Wm. A.	406. Anderson, Henry J.	483. Aldridge, Thomas G.	560. Browning, Jas S.
330. Hookings, Alfred	407. Gleadell, Leslie C.	484. Browning, Wm. C.	561. Finlayson, Rod. (Jr.)
331. Bradfield, Chas. H.	408. McMullen, Mathew J.	485. Parrin, George E.	562. Sornsen, C. Edward
332. Morrison, Roderick J.	409. Bundes, Jeff.	486. Blyth, John Jur.	563. Henriksen, C. W.
333. Reive, Peter	410. Lees, David	487. Morrison, Fred. M.	564. Smith, William
334. Goodwin, William	411. Pearson, George	488. Beatty, T.	565. Biggs, Herbert P.
335. Short, Richard F.	412. Harvey, Donald	489. Smith, David J.	566. Middleton, Stewart 3
336. Whitney, H. Leslie	413. Luxton, Ernest F.	490. Stewart, Geo. A.	567. Felton, A. A.
337. Smith, James Hogan	414. Evans, Evan H.	491. Rowlands, Jas. H.	568. Dixon, Ernest V.
338. Kiddle, Stephen N.	415. Summers, Ernest V.	492. Steen, Ivor B.	569. Porter, George
339. Robson, W. Conrad	416. Burns, Wm. P. T.	493. Finlayson, Murdk. J.	570. White, Frank
340. Martin, George A.	417. Ferguson, John	494. Luxton, Stan. C.	571. Biggs, Arthur L. S.
341. King, Ronald I.	418. Watts, Jas.	495. Sedgwick, F. Aubrey	572. Johnson, Eric Thos

## Jury List continued :—

573. Bowles, W. John	605. Hardy, Thomas D.	637. Robson, J. F. Roy	669. McKay, William R.
574. McGill, Donald	606. McNaughton, D.	638. Watson, Wm. H. C.	670. Hansen, George D.
575. McKay, Stephen J.	607. Bonner, R. Leslie	639. Smith, Jas A.	671. Binnie, Terence W.
576. Goodwin, David	608. Fuhlendorff, V. E.	640. Faria, Joseph F.	672. Blyth, Alex. L.
577. Coutts, James	609. Watson, Duncan R.	641. Bender, Sidney C.	673. Morrison, Norman
578. Blyth, John	610. Betts, Cyril S.	642. Atkins, Victor H. M.	674. Short, F. George
579. McRae, Roderick D.	611. Etheridge, Alex S.	643. Reive, Robert	675. Porter, Howard
580. Halliday, James A.	612. Goodwin, Aubrey W.	644. McLeod, George A.	676. Clifton, Jos. E.
581. McCullum, John D.	613. Biggs, A. Maxwell	645. Smith, J. Stanley	677. Murphy, Michael J.
582. Jones, A. Charles	614. Alazia, William C.	646. Lellman, F. T.	678. Coutts, Peter T.
583. Howkins, G.	615. Paulini, George L.	647. Clement, J.	679. Morrison, Don. W. J.
584. Smith, G. Douglas	616. Skilling, C. R.	648. Cartmell, Robert	680. May, James John
585. Blackley, C. D.	617. Barnes, Fred W.	649. Jones, John F. C.	681. Burns, Frederick J.
586. Duncan, David H.	618. Hills, James S.	650. McAtasney, Wm. J.	682. Allan, Frederick
587. Ford, Charles David	619. Bonner, Andrez P.	651. Petterssen, John S. P.	683. Goodwin, Douglas C.
588. Kirk, W. E.	620. Clifton, James	652. Betts, Arthur J.	684. Johnson, Stanley H.
589. Barnes, Ronald	621. Grant, Lewis	653. Yates, Robert	685. Newman, Silas A. F.
590. Reive, William J.	622. Finlayson, James M.	654. Sedgwick, Wm. H.	686. Pittendrigh, J. M.
591. Sollis, Leslie H.	623. Barnes, Sylvester	655. Evans, Griffith O.	687. McLeod, R. J.
592. Lyse, Markham O.	624. Kelway, Fred A.	656. King, Fred H.	688. Barnes, Richard
593. Berntsen, Robert A.	625. Smith, Francis H. H.	657. Summers, Aubrey V.	689. Young, W. H.
594. Wallin, W. Richard	626. McRae, Murdo	658. Hennah, Samuel H.	690. Jones, Ivor
595. Napier, Herbert M.	627. Ryan, John S.	659. Lehen, Dennis	691. Biggs, Patrick E.
596. Harries, John J.	628. Rowlands, T. Conrad	660. Biggs, Bernard L.	692. White, Fred
597. Reive, Bert	629. Pedersen, Leonard C.	661. Johnson, Howard W.	693. Dixon, E. S.
598. McCarthy, M. (Jr.)	630. Peck, Wm. G. E.	662. Pauloni, Robert R.	694. McKay, David (Jr.)
599. Watts, Walter	631. Dettleff, Thomas O.	663. Harris, W. C. H. G.	695. Cusack, E. R.
600. Aiken, John	632. Coutts, Alex	664. Morrison, Wm. D.	696. Clarke, D. J.
601. Clasen, Rupert H.	633. Biggs, Martin W. H.	665. Barnes, Frank E.	697. Ford, A. H.
602. McKay, Thomas	634. Meierhoffer, J. Geo.	666. McRae, R. G. V.	698. Heathman, A. S.
603. Sedgwick, L. A.	635. Mercer, Alex.	667. Harvey, Edgar A. J.	699. Lewis, F. R. M.
604. McMullen, William	636. Bowles, George E.	668. Tomlinson, J.	



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## APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Skilling, Miss B.	Electrical & Telegraphs.	Telephone Operator.	1.10.46.	Confirmation of appointment.
Campbell, R.	Public Works.	Storekeeper.	1.1.47.	—
Goodwin, T. J.	Agricultural.	Dairyman.	1.1.47.	On probation for 3 months.
Pettersson, Miss V.	Colonial Secretary's.	Temporary Clerk.	22.1.47.	—
Skilling, A. R.	" "	Office Boy & Messenger.	27.1.47.	—

## TRANSFER.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Date.</i>
Dixon, E. V., Storekeeper, Public Works Dept. to Clerk, Public Works Dept.	1.1.47.

## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Carter, Miss A. E.	Clerk, Agricultural Dept.	10.1.47.	Appointment terminated.

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

6th January, 1947.

### SCHOLARSHIPS TO MONTEVIDEO, 1947.

On the recommendation of the Selection Committee, who, under the chairmanship of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, have considered the results of the open competitive examination, His Excellency the Governor has selected the following candidates for scholarships to the British School in Montevideo in 1947:—

1. Noreen Scott.
2. Iona Alazia.

The award of the Falklands Prizes will be announced later.

No. 1.

7th January, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 60 of the 24th of December, 1946, Wednesday and Thursday, the 26th and 27th of February, 1947, have been added to the list of days on which Public Offices will be closed.

M.P. 291/33.

No. 2.

8th January, 1947.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance, No. 5 of 1894, as amended by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 7 of 1937, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, <i>President</i>	} <i>Ex-officio members.</i>
The Medical Officers	
The Executive Engineer	
W. H. Sedgwick, Esq.	
F. G. Langdon, Esq., J.P.	
Captain H. C. Harding, J.P.	
Mrs. J. D. Creamer, O.B.E.	

to be members of the Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands for the year 1947.

M.P. 600/29.



## No. 3. 11th January, 1947.

The following is the 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, No. 5 of 1944, with effect from the 1st of January, 1947 :-

Dr. the Honourable J. E. Hamilton, M.Sc.,  
F.L.S., F.Z.S., F.R.G.S. (*Chairman*).

Mrs. J. D. Creamer, O.B.E.

Reverend W. F. McWhan.

L. Hardy, Esq., B.E.M., J.P.

K. V. Lellman, Esq.

M.P. 172/25.

## No. 4. 14th January, 1947.

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 Daniel Ivor Evans	Lord Bishop of the Falkland Islands.
The Reverend Roger George Robert Calvert	Senior Chaplain of Christ Church Cathedral.
The Reverend Hugh Drumm	Priest in Charge of St. Mary's Church.
The Reverend John Kelly	Priest, St. Mary's Church.
Pastor Walter Forrest McWhan	Minister of the Non-Conformist Church.

M.P. 20/28.

## No. 5. 15th January, 1947.

The following Board of Trustees of the Stanley Cemetery has been constituted for the years 1947-1948 inclusive:-

<i>Ex-officio</i>	The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.
	The Incumbent of Church Church Cathedral.
	The Priest in Charge of Saint Mary's Church in Stanley.
	The Minister attached to the Bap- tist Church.
	The Honourable D. W. Roberts, O.B.E., Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council.
	The Honourable V. A. H. Biggs, Unofficial Member of the Legis- lative Council.

*Appointed by* A. V. Summers, Esq.  
*the Governor.* R. H. Hannaford, Esq.

M.P. 749/25.

## No. 6. 20th January, 1947.

Under Section 7 of the King Edward Memorial 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 1947 :-

Mrs. A. Mercer (*Chairman*).

Mrs. W. F. McWhan.

L. Hardy, Esq., B.E.M., J.P.

M.P. 596/29.

## No. 7. 27th January, 1947.

Under the provisions of Section 20 of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1937, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HONOURABLE

ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, O.B.E.,

Colonial Secretary, to be a Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation for the Colony.

M.P. 6638/A.

## No. 8. 30th January, 1947.

As from Monday the 3rd of February, Government Offices will be open on weekdays during the following hours :-

Monday to Friday 0900 to 1230 and 1400 to 1700 hours.  
Saturdays 0900 to 1300.

M.P. 142/38.

## No. 9. 30th January, 1947.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated the 11th of January, 1947, His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on the 21st of January, 1947.

M.P. P/363.

## PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Alfred Bertram King of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Mabel Annie King, wife 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

H. BENNETT,

*Acting Registrar, Supreme Court.*

19th November, 1946.

L. 24/46.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency* GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

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 the 11th of January, 1947, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East and West Falkland Islands :

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 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 11th day of January, 1947.

*By His Excellency's Command,*

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing **LIEUTENANT-COLONEL JAMES AUSTEN WOODGATE, O.B.E., A.R.I.B.A.**, to be a Member of the Executive Council.

**MILES CLIFFORD** — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

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 is amongst other things declared that there shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall consist of such persons as may 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 is declared that the Governor in pursuance of instructions from His Majesty the King through one of his Principal Secretaries of State, may, from time to time, appoint persons other than *ex-officio* Members to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony,

NOW THEREFORE, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, having received such instructions from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, do hereby appoint

**LIEUTENANT-COLONEL JAMES AUSTEN WOODGATE, O.B.E., A.R.I.B.A.**,  
to be a Member of my Executive Council for a period of three years.

**GOD SAVE THE KING.**

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 1st day of December, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and forty-six.

*By His Excellency's Command,*

**A. B. MATHEWS,**

*Colonial Secretary.*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing DAVID WILLIAM ROBERTS, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency* GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, *Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

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NOW THEREFORE, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, having received such instructions from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, do hereby appoint

DAVID WILLIAM ROBERTS, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., J.P.,  
to be a Member of my Executive Council for a period of three years.

**GOD SAVE THE KING.**

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 1st day of January, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and forty-seven.

*By His Excellency's Command,*  
A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ARTHUR GRENFELL BARTON, ESQUIRE, J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

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NOW THEREFORE, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, having received such instructions from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, do hereby appoint

ARTHUR GRENFELL BARTON, ESQUIRE, J.P.,  
to be a Member of my Executive Council for a period of three years.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 1st day of January, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and forty-seven.

*By His Excellency's Command,*  
A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

### MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THE 23<sup>RD</sup> DECEMBER, 1946.

1. The Honourable A. B. Mathews, O.B.E., Colonial Secretary, after taking the prescribed Oath, assumed his seat at the Council.

2. The minutes of the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of December, 1945, were confirmed.

3. His Excellency the Governor delivered to the Council the following address :—

Honourable Members of the Legislative Council,

It has hitherto been the custom at the December Session of Council for the Governor to review the past activities and present policy of his Administration and to combine this review with what might almost be termed a Budget Speech, while before the meeting the Colonial Secretary and Unofficial Members have gone through the Estimates together in order that the non-Government spokesmen might be in the position to take an informed part in the subsequent debate. This procedure has, in general, been adopted again this year but I shall leave it to the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, whose proper business it is, to introduce the Budget.

If however, as I most sincerely hope and will do my utmost to ensure, it should prove possible to introduce before the next Budget Session some measure of constitutional reform combining an element of true representation with increased non-official membership then the procedure which we now follow will be discontinued and I shall refer the Estimates for examination in detail by a Select Committee. This latter will be, in effect, the Finance Committee and will comprise the Colonial Secretary, sitting with all the Unofficial Members, both elected and nominated with the Heads of Government Departments in attendance, upon request, to explain any particular points on which enlightenment may be desired. We shall then be able to count on a proper and responsible examination of the Budget during the Session before it is finally adopted by the Council and I for one shall be a good deal happier when this comes about.

I shall look forward, too, to the day when we can reckon on more active participation in debate by representatives from the Camp and in this connection I particularly regret the unavoidable absence today of the Honourable R. C. Pole Evans, O.B.E. It is indeed unfortunate that the Budget Session should be held at a time when the farmers are necessarily pre-occupied with the urgent business of lamb-marking and shearing and, since these essential processes cannot be deferred I have decided that in future years the Council shall be convened at a date not later than the 15th October. This, it is true, will entail earlier submission of the draft estimates but that is a small matter; the views of representatives of the Camp, coming as they do from men on whose shoulders rests in very great measure our Colonial economy, are entitled to and will always receive from me the fullest respect.

Honourable Members, a review of the year's activities will be laid on the table and you will expect me now to offer some indication of the Government's future policy in relation to the needs of the Colony as — even at this early date — I see them. You may recall that when I assumed office last month, and again in my broadcast address to the Camp, I said in referring to development plans that we must be guided by the old maxim of "first things first" and it is one which I intend that my Administration shall adhere to very closely; to this maxim I add another, "the greatest good for the greatest number", and if we accept these two as our navigation lights we shall not go far astray.

The need for some more representative form of Government I have already referred to and it is so obvious a one that we shall proceed at once with the preliminaries involved but with, of course, the fullest possible measure of consultation before our firm proposals are submitted to the Secretary of State. As a first step I have appointed in their personal capacity two non-officials, Mr. A. G. Barton and Captain D. W. Roberts, O.B.E. to my Executive Council; both are men of proved ability and are widely respected, the one with an intimate knowledge of affairs in the Camp and the other of affairs in Stanley. Both have given frequent evidence of their public spirit and I shall welcome their assistance.

Next in order of importance, in my opinion, come Education and Health and I intend to lay immediate plans for long term improvements in both these services, which are essentially the responsibility of Government.

For Education "the first thing", unquestionably, is Teacher Training for without properly trained teachers such facilities as we can offer to the Camp are of little value. I have however sketched the outline of what I conceive to be our future needs in this field and a fully representative Committee is being appointed to study and report upon it without delay.

For the Medical and Health service "the first things" are improved transport facilities for getting emergency cases to Hospital, or the Doctor to the emergency case, and improved accommodation and service in the Hospital itself. As to the first, I have already sought the assistance of the Secretary of State in obtaining a Motor Fishing Vessel fitted for stretcher cases; these craft, which are sturdily built for rough seas and are easily handled and maintained, were used by the Navy for this purpose (amongst others) in the late war and if we are successful in getting one it will I hope go far toward allaying present anxieties. It will be equipped with a wireless receiving set and when not in use for the purpose I have proposed, it can be made available for other requirements.

As to the second, I have closely examined the plans for modernisation of the King Edward



Memorial Hospital which had previously been prepared and have considered them with the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer and the Honourable the Executive Engineer; as the result of these discussions certain modifications have been decided upon and revised plans will be submitted to the Secretary of State as soon as possible. With some experience of such undertakings I can assure you that the buildings, as re-modelled and enlarged, will be a credit to the Colony and will meet all reasonable requirements.

I have not overlooked the question of social amenities as represented by the general, and entirely understandable, desire for a new Town Hall to replace the old one so tragically destroyed by fire in 1944. Here again, I have examined the report and proposals of the Committee appointed to study this question but must inform you that I find myself unable to accept them; the project as submitted is altogether too ambitious for the Colony's pocket and – if I may venture the opinion – quite out of keeping with its natural background. From an aesthetic, as well as from the practical point of view, I find it difficult to conceive anything more pleasing or appropriate than the design of the original building with such modifications as experience of the latter may have dictated and the addition, perhaps, of a solarium on the seaward side. Be that as it may, we must certainly think again and on altogether more realistic lines.

While dwelling on the question of social amenities let us not forget the Camp and here, clearly, one of the first needs – and one which we should have no difficulty in meeting – is the provision of a better broadcasting service: better transmission, better reception and better programmes are needed. I propose therefore to appoint a Committee to investigate and report to me on this important service at the earliest possible date.

Other needs to which we must give early attention are a new Electricity service to provide power at an economic rate to the consumer and to facilitate the use of labour-saving devices so necessary here in Stanley, and a Topographical Survey of the Colony – the latter a long-term commitment.

That I suggest, completes the catalogue of "first things" and from it you will doubtless note that I have excluded my predecessor's East/West motor road project which, for the present certainly, is quite outside the realms of practicability for it would largely if not, indeed, completely exhaust the Colony's resources; nor without feeder roads would it fulfil the purpose for which it was intended. Much as I sympathise with the Camp dwellers in the isolation which is their inevitable lot, an experience which I have shared during many years of my life, this particular amenity – and it is an amenity – must be deferred for the Government cannot jettison other essential developmental measures to provide a service the cost of which could in no way be related to potential traffic. The real solution is, I believe, a helicopter and a report on its suitability for operation in the Islands has been sought.

As to the Stanley roads I can but agree with the critics who have described them as a disgrace for they are nothing less but we must recognise that this is due, and due solely, to their use by heavy military traffic for which they had never been designed. The long-term solution for the Town roads is either tar-macadam or concrete, with the work spread over the full development period; the cost will be high, whichever medium be employed but in the case of concrete, at least, the first cost is the last and we must put an end to uneconomical tinkering.

This brings me to the labour situation and to the policy pursued in fulfilment of some unrecorded commitment of a former Governor which has placed on the Administration the onus of giving work to almost anyone who seeks it, irrespective of other considerations. I venture to suggest to you that the full implications of this policy could never have been appreciated and it has created a very serious problem which we are unlikely to solve by running away from it. What it really means is this: that the Government, by carrying on a system of unplanned and uneconomic relief works which have cost the Colony many thousands of pounds, has laid on its shoulders a load from which it has been unable to free itself and which if unrelieved, may bring it financially to its knees. We face this year, as you will presently hear from the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, a deficit of no less than £27,000 and next year of no less than £35,000; it must be apparent to you that we cannot continue on these lines.

Relief works are justifiable, and indeed necessary, in an era of unemployment and it is proper, even in normal times, that older men for whom no measure of social security exists should be able, for their own self-respect, to obtain work so long as they are capable of giving effective service; but to extend this principle to every youth as soon as he leaves school, to every man irrespective of the fact that work is available elsewhere and labour desperately needed, is to set a most dangerous precedent. To this I would add that the proper provision for men who are past active work is a social security fund on a contributory basis and that is the solution towards which Government, Employers and Workers must turn their thoughts. I have put the problem before you in plain terms and should be failing in my duty had I neglected to do so; I shall look to Honourable Members for an expression of their views during the debate on the second reading.

One final word. Of the steps in development which I have commended to your attention this morning – and there is not one which we can in my opinion afford to set aside – two at least, Education and Health, will bring increased recurrent expenditure in their train. It is obvious therefore that we must, on the one hand, increase our revenue and on the other, bend all our energies towards a more effective utilisation of our natural resources; it is here that industry and Government must march together.

## APPENDIX.

### DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW, 1946.

(Laid on the Table)

The following is a review which I have caused to be prepared of the activities of the Departments of Government for the year 1946, and to be laid on the table by the Colonial Secretary; though this is apparently an innovation in the Falkland Islands, it is normal procedure in other Colonies. I hope that it will serve a useful purpose in outlining the achievements of the Administration during the

year under review so that these may be related to the statement of policy which is generally the subject of the Governor's Address at the Budget Meeting for the previous year.

**AGRICULTURE.** Dr. Gibbs left the Colony at the end of July. He had given six years of devoted and patient work in this Colony, without leave, and his report which will be published in abridged form goes far to substantiate that the policy advocated by Mr. Munro and Professor Davies with regard to the improvement of pastures was the only right one. As a successor to Dr. Gibbs, I have asked for a practical Hill-Farmer who can talk the Farmers' language and speak too, with the authority of experience and who will work in close and friendly co-operation with the farming community. I am glad to know that the qualifications which I have felt desirable for this post have been endorsed by the Chairman of the Sheep-Owners' Association.

Since Dr. Gibbs's departure on leave the Department has been in the charge of Mr. H. R. Evans. I should like to take this opportunity of congratulating Mr. Evans on the success with which he has carried out his duties, and to wish him good fortune and prosperity in his new post at the West African Cocoa Research Institute in the Gold Coast for which he leaves in a few days' time.

*Fodder and pasture improvement:* fifty acres of land about Stanley have been cultivated for fodder (hay and oats) with a view to pasture improvement; the whole of this area was formerly covered with white grass and diddle-dee.

Thirty-two tons of grass and oaten hay have been produced this year, of which eight were sold to local dairies.

As hay becomes scarce during the year, it was decided to close the Rookery Bay plantation and reserve the tussac there to guard against future shortage of fodder.

Six acres of clover were sown in the Eliza Cove area, the experiment being designed to ascertain if clover could be successfully established in the native pastures without pre-cultivation of the soil.

*Dairying:* every effort has been made to encourage local dairymen to increase milk production. The Government herd produced 13,200 gallons of milk during the year.

As production costs have considerably increased, a subsidy of £12 per month to each local dairy was approved as from the 1st of May, 1946, which has served to keep the price of milk down. I attach particular importance to the availability of cheap milk for children and the sick, and have for this reason decided to retain the Government herd so as to ensure that whatever may befall there shall be a minimum supply to meet these needs.

*Vegetable production:* 49,399 pounds of mixed vegetables were grown in the course of the year and six acres have been replanted, an increase of one acre over 1945.

*Animal health:* No serious outbreaks of disease have been reported. All milk cows were tested for tuberculosis during August and all were reported sound.

*Sylviculture:* Some four hundred young trees of various species were planted out in the Experimental Plantation. All the four hundred were transplanted during the year in an area which was formerly Common land, the soil being composed of shallow peat with a clay subsoil. It is not yet possible to give any indication of successful establishment, but experience of an experiment with the same species three years ago may be of interest:—

SPECIES.	REMARKS.
<i>Cupressus macrocarpa.</i>	This species establishes quickly with an average annual growth of 8". Of the many species under trial <i>Cupressus macrocarpa</i> is outstanding and may be utilized successfully in the provision of shelter belts.
<i>Pinus contorta.</i>	Establishes quickly during the first year following transplanting, but as the roots penetrate the subsoil, a distinct growth check is observed with chlorosis. The species appears to withstand considerable buffeting without injury. Annual growth rate 6".
<i>Picea sitchensis.</i>	Establishes quickly during the first season following transplantation but, as the roots penetrate the subsoil, growth rate is reduced. No chlorosis has been recorded. Withstands wind well, but growth is yet to be awaited on the windward side. Annual growth rate 4½".
<i>Pinus laricio.</i>	Gives little promise at the moment, but it does not follow that establishment is impossible. Some tree species are very slow in adapting themselves to soil and climatic conditions on transplantation; a majority of the plants are healthy. Wind injury very slight.
<i>Populus alba.</i>	Establishment very slow, as the wind causes considerable injury to terminal growths. Though the species gives excellent results in sheltered gardens, it cannot be recommended for planting in exposed situations under forest conditions.

NOTE: The number of each species planted out during 1946 was as follows:—

<i>Cupressus macrocarpa</i>	...	100
<i>Pinus contorta</i>	...	100
<i>Picea sitchensis</i>	...	100
<i>Pinus laricio</i>	...	50
<i>Populus alba</i>	...	50

*Fencing:* Much needed repairs and renewals of many sections of the Common fences have been effected.

**CUSTOMS.** The total value of Imports to November, 1946, amounted to approximately £184,000. Import duties collected were as follows :-

Beer, Malt	...	...	£ 490
Wines	...	...	458
Spirits	...	...	5,358
Tobacco	...	...	2,679
Matches	...	...	1,734
Total	...	...	£10,719

The totals for 1945 were £164,487 and £14,964 respectively.

The total value of goods exported amounted to £248,700, which included a figure of £28,000 being the value of the Falkland Islands Company's Dry Dock which was sold to Uruguay.

Export Duty collected on wool was £9,881.

**Staff:** The Customs Officer, Mr. A. R. Carr, left the Colony on the 5th of October, 1946, to take up an appointment in the Customs Department of Mauritius. Mr. Carr had served in the Falkland Islands for seven years without leave and had acted in addition as Commissioner of Income Tax and Chairman of the Labour Advisory Board; he was latterly a Member of the Executive Council. He at all times placed his services at the disposal of Government and is to be congratulated on his well earned promotion; I much regret the loss of this energetic and efficient officer.

Mr. B. N. Biggs, Assistant Customs Officer, was appointed to act as Customs Officer. The duties of Shipping Master and Competent Authority (Supplies) are performed by the Acting Customs Officer.

**Shipping:** 17 vessels entered the port during the year with a total net tonnage of 6,088 tons.

**Rationing:** Tea and clothing continued to be rationed throughout the year, but the rationing of matches, which had been in operation for nine months, was discontinued on the 27th of March, 1946. A sugar ration of 4 lbs. per head per month was imposed in Stanley on the 3rd of September, 1946.

**Food parcels:** Any person over the age of 18 years is permitted to send a parcel of 5 lbs. gross weight to the United Kingdom each quarter; an additional scheme permitting 22 lbs. food parcels (confined exclusively to surplus ex-Army stores) was instituted on the 23rd of October, 1946.

**Import licencing:** Import Licencing continues for all items.

Foodstuffs continue to be rigidly controlled by the International Food Council in the United Kingdom.

**EDUCATION.** Mr. H. L. Baker, M.A., Superintendent of Education, has been in charge throughout the year. The work of the Government School has been handicapped, especially in the early part of the year, by the shortage of qualified teachers.

Among important events were the holding of a School Concert and the establishment of a House system designed, incidentally, to foster and develop the corporate life of the School. The winners of the first two scholarships to Montevideo were both successful in the School Certificate Examination, which they sat at the end of last year.

In the Camp, the Government has supported six Travelling Teachers and five part-time Settlement Teachers during most of the year. The full-time School at Charters closed in March, but a new one was established at Roy Cove in September. Here I should like to record my appreciation of the enthusiastic assistance of Mr. S. Miller in erecting and fitting out what is now an excellent school room.

**ELECTRICAL AND TELEGRAPHS.** Mr. A. Mercer has continued his effective superintendence of this Department and I look forward to its development and expansion in 1947.

The existing plant has largely outgrown its usefulness and cannot with its present off-take provide power at an economic rate. The fact that it has been maintained in good order, with never a serious breakdown, reflects great credit on Mr. Mercer and his staff.

The Department is responsible for the maintenance of the W/T Station at Fox Bay; handling of telegrams in the Telegraph Office together with the accounts for both local and foreign telegrams. Regular services exist with the United Kingdom, Norway, Uruguay, Argentine and Chile, as well as with local stations within the Islands and the Dependencies. Traffic is worked at the Naval W/T Station with the assistance of four civilian operators.

A magneto Telephone Exchange System operating 142 lines extends for Government service 7 miles beyond Stanley.

Broadcasting Services consist of a re-diffusion system supplying 230 loud-speakers. A very low-powered Radio Broadcasting Transmitter is used during the week for Educational services; a musical programme is provided on Sundays.

The Electric Lighting System consists of a 220 volt single-phase 50 cycle alternating current. Over 380 metered users, including Government establishments, are supplied on overhead lines and by underground cable. The service is continuous.

**FALKLAND ISLANDS DEFENCE FORCE.** The Falkland Islands Defence Force, representatives of which had the honour of marching in the Victory Parade, is one of the most

distinguished features of the Colony. Defence Force Rules were promulgated in May to provide for efficient instruction of the members of the Force, and Infantry Training was conducted indoors throughout the winter months. There is, I am aware, the greatest keenness amongst all ranks of this Force and that the high reputation for marksmanship which this Colony enjoys shows no sign of waning was evidenced by the fine score of 103 out of 105 made by Mr. G. W. J. Bowles in winning the Stanley Cup in a difficult cross wind. Honourable Members will see that there is a token provision for Bisley in 1947; I earnestly hope that we shall be able to expand that provision and send a team to Bisley which will rival the Colony's exploits there in the past.

**HARBOUR.** The main task of the Harbour Department during the year 1946 has been the re-conditioning and re-lighting of the lights and beacons in the Colony; this has proved a somewhat heavy task for the lights, having been out of commission for so long, had suffered badly from the weather. Spares are still awaited from England before they can be rendered really efficient and the light at Cape Meredith is still unoperative.

A new derrick-cum-crane has been erected at the Dockyard Jetty with a safe lift of 5 tons. It was fabricated from scrap material from the Army Camp with the exception of the winch.

The surface of the Jetty has been repaired and new guard rails and posts erected.

The question of obtaining an engine for the Government launch "Penguin" is at present under consideration; the hull is said to be in good condition and if re-powered it will, no doubt, be capable of rendering useful service.

**MEDICAL.** Dr. F. J. Sladen has been in charge of the Department throughout the year.

Statistics for 1946 (up to 30th November) are as under:—

Total number of In-Patients treated	...	...	...	215
Total number of Out-Patients treated	...	...	...	1,110
Total District Patients	...	...	...	179
Surgical Operations - Major	...	...	...	15
Minor	...	...	...	75
X-Ray Examinations	...	...	...	81
Patients evacuated to Montevideo for treatment	...	...	...	3
Patients sent in from Camp	...	...	...	31
Cost of transport of Camp Patients	...	...	...	£433
Cost of Overseas treatment	...	...	...	£542

In August the Senior Medical Officer carried out Camp Tours to:—

Port San Carlos, Port Howard, Fox Bay, Speedwell Island, Sea Lion Island, North Arm, Lively Island and Darwin.

In November the Medical Officer visited - Berkeley Sound, and in December - Salvador Waters.

Special trips were made by the Senior Medical Officer and a Nursing-Sister to San Carlos in March, and to Port San Carlos in September.

The total number of In-Patients has decreased, while there has been a greater number of admissions. This is due to a number of "long-term" ailments, as well as three senile chronics. The shortage of beds has presented a difficult problem.

A widespread epidemic of mumps occurred in the early part of the year, with an unusual percentage of serious cases.

In November the Colony was threatened with an outbreak of measles which necessitated early closing of the schools; the epidemic has fortunately been averted.

It is of interest to record that one patient was operated upon in his house at San Carlos; and another at Port San Carlos, after the Senior Medical Officer and Nursing-Sister had journeyed there overland for the purpose. This was necessitated by the lack of shipping.

**POLICE.** The Chief Constable, Captain C. F. Sheppard, after seven years' service in the Colony as Drill Instructor to the Falkland Islands Defence Force, and latterly as Chief Constable, went on leave on the 30th of August, 1946; his duties have been carried out since that date by Sergeant J. Norris.

43 prosecutions were taken to the Court of Summary Jurisdiction; of this total 7 were against juveniles. There were 36 convictions, 2 sentences to imprisonment and 7 cases were dismissed.

55 motor cars and lorries, and 45 motor cycles were registered during the year, and 155 driving permits issued. 94 dogs were licenced.

The Chief Constable acts also as Sanitary Inspector and in this capacity renders monthly reports to the Board of Health.

**POST OFFICE.** The year has been remarkable for the issue of a definitive set of Dependencies stamps, in values from 1/-, which have excited much interest among collectors. From this issue, and from the overprinted issue which preceded it, a net sum of no less than £103,000 has accrued to Dependencies' Revenue, of which £55,000 were paid to His Majesty's Treasury on the instructions of the Secretary of State to meet the expenditure of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey up to the end of the present season. The balance has been placed to the credit of the Research and Development Fund. In addition, there has been a Colony and Dependencies issue of Victory Stamps of 1d. and 3d. denominations, and these were placed on sale on the 7th of October. The first day sales of Victory Stamps realised £650, while on the 11th of December the new airmail stamp, designed by Mr. K. V. Lellman, was placed on sale. Some indication of the interest taken by philatelists in the Falkland Islands may be gained by the fact that £384 worth of these stamps was posted on that day alone on First Day Covers.

Since January, 1946, mails comprising 1,704 parcels, 21,017 letters and 3,744 papers have been despatched from the Colony, and mails comprising 1,225 parcels and 96,000 letters have been received.

Stamp letter orders averaged 50 and Paid Postal Orders and Money Orders about 60 per month.

The Postal and Money Orders sold throughout this period (January to date) numbered 895 to a value of £2,123.

**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.** Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Woodgate, O.B.E., A.R.I.B.A., is not only Executive Engineer, but combines such other functions such as that of Harbour Master and of Officer Commanding the Falkland Islands Defence Force.

No major works have been attempted during the period under review as all available labour has been engaged in trying to make good the neglect of the war years.

Roads generally have been repaired by patching and the road through "Little Italy" and the sea-wall footpath have been completed. Ross Road from the Gymnasium west to "Little Italy" has been scarified and re-surfaced and two experimental strips, one in concrete and one with special binding, have been laid. The concrete has proved highly satisfactory, but the "special binding" has worn very badly and is clearly of no use without subsequent treatment by tar or bitumastic medium.

A new collecting tank at the Mullet Creek water station has been erected, and work has commenced on the new high level tank at Sapper Hill. The former has resulted in the water being less stained and the latter will provide adequate pressure to the upper part of the town.

The new workshop attached to the garage has been completed, and a welding plant installed.

A Ladies' Room has been added to the Gymnasium and the approach to the Ladies' lavatories improved. The lavatory at the Public Jetty has been reconstructed.

A new by-pass road has been cut at Rookery Bay Corner. In anticipation of the extensive road work ahead the crushing plant at Eliza Cove has been extended and an additional crusher set up at Rookery Bay in readiness for work in this area.

The main store at the Falkland Islands Defence Force Headquarters has been re-roofed. The remaining defensive barbed wire belts have been removed.

**TREASURY.** Mr. E. F. Lellman has been in charge of the Treasury throughout 1946.

The year commenced with a balance in hand of £12,738 : 1 : 7; in the Vault £13,523; at South Georgia £346 : 11 : 11; and £2,427 : 5 : 6 in the hand of the Crown Agents, who also held £11,000 in the Joint Colonial Fund.

**Staff.** One temporary clerk has been engaged. The Assistant Treasurer was appointed Officer-in-Charge until the arrival of the Colonial Secretary in May, 1946, and again when the Colonial Secretary was Acting Governor from the 26th of July to the 25th of November, 1946. The Assistant Treasurer assumed the duties of Commissioner of Income Tax in October, when Mr. Carr left the Colony.

**Provident Fund.** During the year 50 new accounts were opened and 15 accounts were closed. The monthly average of contributions was £129.

**Savings Bank.** The fund stands at present at £421,500 with a reserve of £47,328. Average monthly deposits were £7,628 and average monthly withdrawals were £7,751. There was an average of seven monthly new accounts while seven monthly accounts were closed.

**Currency Note Security Fund.** During the year £5,296 : 10 : 0 was withdrawn from circulation and a like amount was invested in the Colony's Reserve Fund. The Note issue stands at £49,000.

A considerable amount of work fell on the Department in connection with the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey. £3,045 : 16 : 6 was charged in connection with advances made locally for purchase of stores and payment of wages on behalf of the Imperial Government; this sum is subsequently recovered through the Crown Agents.

**Foreign Exchange.** £41,603 : 10 : 3 was approved for payment in the following countries, representing imports and the personal expenses of passengers to and from the Colony :-

Uruguay	...	...	...	...	£34,095	:	9	:	8
Argentina	...	...	...	...	6,615	:	2	:	0
Switzerland	...	...	...	...	200	:	0	:	0
Brazil	...	...	...	...	82	:	0	:	4
U. S. A.	...	...	...	...	530	:	18	:	3
Canada	...	...	...	...	80	:	0	:	0

**Audit.** Correspondence was exchanged between the Department and the Director of Colonial Audit, including queries covering most Departmental accounts. These latter have for the most part been satisfactorily settled.

**SOUTH GEORGIA.** No public works of importance were carried out during the year. A new accumulator bank was installed at the Wireless Station, which dealt with 10,097 telegrams.

Export duties from whale-oil, seal-oil and other products amounting to £8,761. Three Companies were operating - Salvesen and Company, Tonsberg Company, and the Compania Argentina de Pesca.



Experiments are being carried out by them in dehydration of whale meat and the production of meat extracts, as well as glue.

Import duties totalled £2,168.

(Sgd.) MILES CLIFFORD,

*Governor and Commander-in-Chief.*

By Order,

(Sgd.) A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

4. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, by command, laid on the Table the following Papers :-
  - (i) 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.
  - (ii) Copies of despatches received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, intimating the non-disallowance by His Majesty of Ordinances, Nos. 1 and 2 of 1945.
  - (iii) Annual Abstract Account Statement showing Receipts and Payments under various Heads for the Falkland Islands and Dependencies for the period 1st January to 31st December, 1945.
  - (iv) Annual Account of the "Discovery" Investigations for the year 1945.
  - (v) Estimate of the "Discovery" Investigations expenditure for the year 1946.
  - (vi) Financial Secretary's Report for the year ended the 31st December, 1945.
  - (vii) Secretary of State's unnumbered Circular Telegram of 5th December, 1946, and connected Memorandum on Mining Policy.
  - (viii) Departmental Review for 1946.

5. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved and the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded the adoption of the following Resolution :

"WHEREAS the revenues of the Dependencies for the year 1945 have not sufficed to meet the expenditure in the sum of ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THREE POUNDS SIXTEEN SHILLINGS AND SIX-PENCE (£1,163 : 16 : 6).

"NOW, THEREFORE, this Council resolves and it is hereby resolved in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3 of the Dependencies Research and Development Fund (Amendment) Ordinance, 1936, that the aforesaid sum of ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THREE POUNDS SIXTEEN SHILLINGS AND SIX-PENCE (£1,163 : 16 : 6), being the amount of the excess of the Expenditure over the Revenue of the Dependencies in respect of the year 1945, shall be paid out of the Dependencies Research and Development Fund into the general revenue of the Dependencies".

6. The Honourable the 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 ended the 31st of December, 1945.

"BE IT RESOLVED -

"This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from public funds of the sum of TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVEN POUNDS TEN SHILLINGS AND TWO-PENCE (£22,367 : 10 : 2) to meet the several charges itemized in the accompanying "Schedule".

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded and the Resolution was adopted.

7. The Honourable the 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 ended the 31st of December, 1946.

"BE IT RESOLVED -

"This Council hereby sanctions the expenditure from public funds of the sum of EIGHT THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIVE POUNDS FOUR SHILLINGS AND FIVE-PENCE (£8,365 : 4 : 5) to meet the several charges itemized in the accompanying "Schedule".

8. The Honourable the 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 1947 on house property in the Town of Stanley, namely, Two shillings for every Twenty shillings of the annual value of such house property".

The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer seconded and the Resolution was adopted.

9. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To amend the Licensing Ordinance, 1944".

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.

10. On the motion of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To amend the Pensions Ordinance, 1937" 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.

11. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To amend the Customs Ordinance, 1943".

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 to 13 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. On the motion of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To legalise certain payments made in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-five in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 13 of 1944" 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, Preamble and Title were agreed to. The Council resumed. The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

13. The Honourable the Colonial Secretary moved the *first* reading of the Bill "To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1943".

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.

14. On the motion of the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, seconded by the Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, the Bill "To provide for the service of the year 1947" 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 Honourable D. W. Roberts, O.B.E., J.P., and the Honourable V. A. H. Biggs, J.P., replied briefly to His Excellency's address. The Council resumed. The Bill was then read a *third* time and passed.

The Council adjourned *sine die*.

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**Annual Abstract Account Statement showing  
the Falkland Islands & Dependencies for**

**R E C E I P T S .**

RECEIPTS.	Estimated 1946.	Amount received to 30th June, 1946.	Receipts for same period, 1945.	More than 1/2 estimated, 1946.	Less than 1/2 estimated, 1946
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance on 1st Jan., 1946	.....	29034 19 0	.....	.....	.....
1. Customs Duties	9050 0 0	9211 6 2	13857 15 3	161 6 2	.....
2. Port Dues	42 10 0	38 3 9	54 16 0	.....	4 6 3
3. Internal Revenue	7251 0 0	2996 9 7	3514 14 10	.....	4254 10 5
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	1462 0 0	1582 0 4	1386 15 6	120 0 4	.....
5. Interest	7084 0 0	6212 12 7	6276 17 4	.....	871 7 5
6. Post Office	11022 10 0	37280 9 2	10232 1 8	26257 19 2	.....
7. Telegraphs & Telephones	4282 10 0	3099 4 2	2564 17 6	.....	1183 5 10
8. Rents	760 0 0	540 4 3	692 13 9	.....	219 15 9
9. Miscellaneous	3059 10 0	2638 2 2	2627 17 10	.....	421 7 10
10. Contribution from Dependencies	2000 0 0	.....	3851 10 6	.....	2000 0 0
11. Land Sales	105 10 0	136 15 1	352 8 0	31 5 1	.....
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands £	46119 10 0	63735 7 3	45412 8 2	26570 10 9	8954 13 6
Dependencies Revenue	10130 0 0	17803 14 7	6833 5 8	7673 14 7	.....
Total Revenue	£ 56249 10 0	81539 1 10	52245 13 10	34244 5 4	8954 13 6
Research Fund	.....	3955 13 5	Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1946.		
Investments Realized	.....	37296 10 0			
Farm & Building Loans	.....	38 6 8	Land Sales Fund		
Advances Repaid	.....	5894 4 3			
Deposits Received	.....	102061 4 9	General Revenue Balance a/c		
Remittances Received	.....	55160 5 4			
Marine Insurance Fund	.....	61 8 3	Deficit		
Revenue Suspense A/c	.....	5690 15 5			
Workmen's Compensation Insurance Fund	.....	13 4 8	£249354 18 3		
Reserve Fund	.....	68 8 4			
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund	.....	338 11 9			
Dependencies' Postal A/c	.....	17429 19 2			
Total	£ 309547 13 10				
Balance brought down 1st January, 1946	£ 29034 19 0				
Total	£ 338582 12 10				

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1946 :—

Colonial Treasury	£26261 1 7
Crown Agents	2427 5 6
South Georgia	346 11 11
	£29034 19 0

Receipts and Payments under various Heads for  
the Half Year ended 30th June, 1946.

## P A Y M E N T S .

PAYMENTS.	½ Estimated, 1946.			Amount paid to 30th June, 1946.			Payments for same period 1945.			More than ½ estimated, 1946.			Less than ½ estimated, 1946.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Pensions ... ..	1975	0	0	1829	13	6	1712	19	10	.....			145	6	6
2. The Governor ... ..	1623	10	0	1577	12	8	1242	5	8	.....			45	17	4
3. Colonial Secretary ... ..	1602	0	0	1591	16	0	1263	0	9	.....			10	4	0
4. Treasury & Customs ... ..	1010	10	0	795	14	9	1115	0	8	.....			214	15	3
5. Audit ... ..	3	0	0	5	10	0	3	0	0	2	10	0	.....		
6. Post Office ... ..	3230	0	0	2226	0	10	2651	8	2	.....			1003	19	2
7. Electrical & Telegraphs ... ..	3982	10	0	4376	5	3	4796	13	10	393	15	3	.....		
8. Harbour ... ..	771	0	0	435	5	10	448	13	4	.....			335	14	2
9. Legal ... ..	211	0	0	188	12	2	579	2	1	.....			22	7	10
10. Police & Prisons ... ..	713	10	0	685	1	1	631	9	3	.....			28	8	11
11. Medical ... ..	3693	10	0	4441	16	5	4108	9	7	748	6	5	.....		
12. Education ... ..	4099	0	0	2944	6	4	3012	15	2	.....			1154	13	8
13. Ecclesiastical ... ..	144	10	0	149	10	0	149	10	0	5	0	0	.....		
14. Naturalist ... ..	182	10	0	90	13	0	136	15	9	.....			91	17	0
15. Military ... ..	750	10	0	293	12	9	158	19	4	.....			456	17	3
16. Agriculture ... ..	4731	0	0	3821	3	8	5014	17	9	.....			909	16	4
17. Miscellaneous ... ..	6380	0	0	30319	2	1	5361	0	5	23939	2	1	.....		
18. Public Works Department ... ..	2284	10	0	2374	10	4	2149	19	5	90	0	4	.....		
19. Public Works Recurrent ... ..	6500	0	0	10465	17	7	9961	5	1	3965	17	7	.....		
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	43887	10	0	68612	4	3	44497	6	1	29144	11	8	4419	17	5
20. Public Works Extraordinary ... ..	9	10	0	.....			1210	18	11	.....			9	10	0
21. War Expenditure ... ..	500	0	0	1181	4	0	10748	0	11	681	4	0	.....		
22. Land Sales Fund ... ..	105	10	0	.....			.....			.....			105	10	0
Total Falklands ... £	44502	10	0	69793	8	3	56456	5	11	29825	15	8	4534	17	5
Surplus of Assets on the 30th June, 1946.															
Dependencies ... ..				13775	0	9	Land Sales Fund ... ..			£270787	19	10			
Research Fund ... ..					9	2	General Revenue Balance A/c.								
Investments made ... ..				66036	8	4	Deficit 1/1/46. ... ..			£21296	6	6			
Advances made ... ..				7576	15	1	" 30/6/46. ... ..			6058	1	0			
Deposits Repaid ... ..				103956	4	8						27354	7	6	
Remittances made ... ..				56205	4	9							£243433	12	4
Balance on 30th June, 1946 ... ..				21239	1	10									
Total ... ..				£338582	12	10									

## Distribution of Cash Balance 30th June, 1946 :—

Colonial Treasury ... ..	£19962	13	0
Crown Agents ... ..	999	8	2
South Georgia ... ..	277	0	8
	£21239	1	10.

E. F. LELLMAN,  
for Financial Secretary.

## Jury List for the year 1947.

The following list of the persons liable under the provisions of the Jury Ordinance, 1901 to serve as Jurors for the year 1947 is published in accordance with the fourth section of the Ordinance.

H. BENNETT.

*Justice of the Peace.*

1. McAskill, John	67. Anderson, Wm. J. S.	133. Larsen, Richard	199. Harvey, C. James
2. Anderson, Edward B.	68. Jacobsen, A. F. W. C.	134. Middleton, James (1)	200. Bundes, R. J. C.
3. Stewart, Gordon	69. McAskill, Donald W.	135. McPhee, Owen H.	201. King, Vernon T.
4. Thompson, Geo. H.	70. Llamosa, Arthur Jas.	136. Anderson, John	202. Halliday, Stanley S.
5. Rutter, Arthur	71. Parring, Francis G.	137. Hollen, Henry D.	203. Burridge, Walter
6. Henriksen, Albert J.	72. Lee, Edwin T.	138. Biggs, T. M. V.	204. Smith, Ludwick C.
7. Goodwin, Bert S.	73. Johnson, Fred. W.	139. Betts, Keith C.	205. Binnie, Albert F.
8. Porter, Charles (Sr.)	74. Smith, John C. (Sr.)	140. Clifton, Jas. Henry	206. Smith, Alfred C. E.
9. Pearson, Robert	75. Lee, Alfred F.	141. Skilling, Chas. J.	207. Lellman, Karl V.
10. Stewart, D. W. H.	76. Peck, Aubrey F.	142. Duncan, David John	208. Draycott, D. J.
11. Hardy, Fred J.	77. Simpson, Alex. S.	143. Jaffray, Alexander	209. McLeod, Murdo A.
12. McPhee, Patrick	78. Skilling, Albert G.	144. Roberts, Wm. Edgar	210. Burns, William
13. Betts, Allan Sturdee	79. Dettleff, Jas.	145. Biggs, Terence I.	211. Summers, Wm. Alex.
14. Whitney, Frederick E.	80. Hall, George F.	146. McDermid, M.	212. Duncan, William
15. Binnie James G.	81. Kiddle, William E.	147. Robson, George J.	213. Newman, Silas
16. Cletheroe, William H.	82. Hooley, T. V.	148. Luxton, Markham J.	214. Reive, Stanley S.
17. Blyth, Henry	83. Alazia, J. William	149. Panloni, Romolo V.	215. Duncan, Peter R.
18. Turner, Leonard McL.	84. McGill, Maurice W.	150. Lyse, Sidney R.	216. Watson, James
19. Goss, Darwin J.	85. Llamosa, George A.	151. Dickson, Ed. T. C.	217. McLaren, Alex. R.
20. Dickson, Chas. J. E. C.	86. Johnson, Peter S.	152. Coutts, John	218. McPhee, K. J. (Sr.)
21. Kivell, William	87. Morrison, D. Ewen	153. Goss, Roderick J.	219. Paulini, H. Wm.
22. Butler, George J. C.	88. Clifton, Hugh E.	154. McMillan, Ian A.	220. Short, J. G. Arch.
23. Summers, Stanley F.	89. Lehen, Maurice	155. Hollen, James J.	221. Clifton, William
24. Binnie, William N.	90. Etheridge, Arthur G.	156. Sornsen, Ellis L.	222. Morrison, Douglas R.
25. Hawkins, C.	91. Rowlands, Wm. J.	157. Anderson, S. Allan	223. Flowers, W. H. R.
26. Goodwin, John K.	92. Lee, Wm. H. G. N. J.	158. Butler, Jos. T. J.	224. Pearson, William E.
27. Summers, Victor	93. Davis, Arthur H.	159. Browning, Frederick	225. McLeod, Donald
28. Berntsen, F. G.	94. Llamosa, Wm. J.	160. McGill, G. Stanford	226. Clausen, Fredk J.
29. Carey, Raymond F.	95. Bonner, William	161. Jacobsen, Karl M.	227. Whitney, G. Mark.
30. Jones, C. L. T.	96. Goodwin, Ernest G.	162. McRae, Donald A.	228. Cartmell, William J.
31. Dixon, Percy S.	97. Watson, T. Darwin	163. Pitaluga, Jas. A.	229. Smith, Eric H. S.
32. Browning, David L.	98. Carey, Anthony M.	164. Biggs, Edward D.	230. McPherson, John
33. McRae, F. W. Duncan	99. Blackely, Adam K.	165. Short, George H.	231. Jaffray, William
34. Lang, John S.	100. Alazia, Albert F.	166. Berntsen, Syd. L.	232. Summers, Wm. Ed.
35. Goodwin, Rupert V.	101. Browning, John B.	167. Kiddle, Peter	233. Clement, Wickham
36. Sornsen, Andrew A.	102. Earle, Arthur	168. Yates, Manuel	234. Curran, Joseph
37. White, W. Martell	103. Hooley, Jack C.	169. Anderson, Thos.	235. Curran, Henry
38. McKay, Donald	104. Bennett, Stanley	170. Robson, James T.	236. Bound, H. John L.
39. Jones, Albert H.	105. Larsen, Harold	171. Craigie-Halkett, C. M.	237. Bertrand, C. W.
40. Pettersson, A. R. A.	106. Oliver, Charles	172. Davis, Benjamin C.	238. Hills, Richard W.
41. Blyth, Jas.	107. Nunn, Henry	173. Rowlands, Jas. G.	239. McCarthy, Charles
42. Enestrom, Edgar W. R.	108. Sarney, Harry	174. Kendal, George N.	240. Kiddle, A. Stanley
43. Halliday, Andrew J.	109. Middleton, Jas. S.	175. McAtasney, W. Brian	241. McLeod, Donald
44. Berntsen, Lars M.	110. Lyse, George W.	176. Smith, Osmond R.	242. Gleadell, Sidney M.
45. Harrison, Clement	111. Anderson, Alfred	177. Morrison, Doug. D.	243. Bender, William J.
46. McMillan, William	112. Biggs, Horace H.	178. Hall, Albert H.	244. Hubbard, J.
47. Middleton, Stewart (1)	113. Halliday, J. Henry	179. Blyth, Fredk I. K.	245. Morrison, Finlay
48. Hannaford, Robert F.	114. Parrin, William R. B.	180. Perry, James J. (Jr.)	246. Stewart, S. A.
49. Gilruth, Thomas A.	115. Jones, Richard	181. Hewitt, Robert J. D.	247. Ford, James E.
50. Rumbolds, Robert H.	116. Craig, Peter	182. Hardy, Jack A.	248. Hannaford, W. Henry
51. Summers, Philip G.	117. Thompson, Wm. J.	183. Watson, Wm. H.	249. Lee, Sidney S.
52. Perry, James J. (Sr.)	118. Steen, Robert B.	184. Biggs, Edward John	250. Finlayson, Rod. (Sr.)
53. McGill, K. Niven	119. Anderson, Richard C.	185. Peck, Percy P.	251. Baker, H. L.
54. Goodwin, Vincent S.	120. Aldridge, Stephen C.	186. Anderson, Hector C.	252. Biggs, John F.
55. Halliday, John Jas.	121. Newman, L. Wilf. A.	187. Finlayson, Darwin	253. Berntsen, Alex.
56. Curran, John	122. Ford, Chas. W.	188. Newman, G. R. Hen.	254. Britton, William F.
57. Sprules, Gilbert E.	123. Browning, Benjamin	189. Hall, Donald John	255. Middleton, Arthur
58. Jennings, Clifford W.	124. Jones, William J.	190. King, James A.	256. Berntsen, Jas. L.
59. Lee, Henry J.	125. Cletheroe, Cyril J.	191. Hewitt, James	257. McMullen, D. J. E. H.
60. Newing, John C.	126. Morrison, Stewart	192. Biggs, Basil W.	258. McKay, James R.
61. Paice, William N.	127. McGill, Gordon A.	193. Lanning, George T.	259. Alazia, George J.
62. Perry, Christopher	128. Grant, Lennard J.	194. Halliday, William J.	260. Howatt, Frank D.
63. Stewart, Alex.	129. Sarney, James A.	195. McAtasney, E. J.	261. Smith, D. Roger
64. Skilling, Thos.	130. McLeod, George H.	196. Hills, Albert H.	262. Kiddle, Donald J.
65. Lang, William A.	131. Cheek, Frederick J.	197. Robson, Robert L.	263. King, Cecil F.
66. Jacobsen, James S.	132. McKenzie, William	198. Reive, Leonard L.	264. Biggs, Malcolm W.

## Jury List continued :—

265. Cartmell, Robert D.	342. White, John W.	419. Finlayson, Chas. J.	496. Perry, A. W.
266. Berntsen, William	343. Anderson, Ludwic R.	420. Middleton, Stewart 2	497. Newing, George L.
267. McCarthy, Wm. G.	344. Stewart, David G.	421. Biggs, Carl P. F.	498. Berntsen, F. E. N. L.
268. Gleadell, Marklin L.	345. Middleton, J. Darwin	422. Halliday, John J. G.	499. Allan, Hector
269. McLeod, Rod. J. D.	346. Alazia, Arthur J.	423. Goss, Richard V.	500. Summers, Herbert V.
270. Morrison, Donald F.	347. Perry, William J.	424. Bonner, Bruce	501. Cletheroe, Alb. R.
271. Barnes, Ernest	348. Barnes, Arthur J.	425. Morrison, Roderick	502. Felton, Anthony T.
272. Jaffray, John	349. Reive, John	426. Stewart, William H.	503. Peck, Andrew R.
273. Williams, Ralph M.	350. Pitaluga, Alex	427. Cletheroe, Stanley W.	504. Sedgwick, Bertrand
274. Stewart, James H.	351. Lyse, Ernest Louis	428. Summers, Walter J.	505. Bonner, Fred
275. Lee, A. Leslie	352. Fleuret Clovis	429. Ashley, Fred. Albert	506. Atkins, Stanley P.
276. Hirtle, Wallace C. L.	353. Biggs, Clarence G.	430. Jennings, F. G. J.	507. Carey, Chas. L.
277. Alazia, John	354. Ashley, John R.	431. Peck, Jas P.	508. Cletheroe, Leslie J.
278. Berntsen, Stanley G.	355. Butler, Fred. L. E. O.	432. Summers, Leslie F.	509. McCarthy, Archi. H.
279. Aldridge, Francis W.	356. May, Fredk. A. C.	433. Johnson, William G.	510. Atkins, Richard
280. McLaren, Reuben	357. Reive, George	434. Lee, Thomas F. G.	511. Phillips, Charles W.
281. Harvey, William	358. Bender, Chris. P. W.	435. Allan, Percival	512. Clifton, Albert
282. McKay, Richard	359. Osborne, George H.	436. Rice, R.	513. Biggs, James K.
283. Phillips, Jesse	360. Reive, Charles T.	437. Porter, Arthur	514. Morrison, Hubert H.
284. McLeod, Archibald	361. Ashley, Alfred G.	438. Betts, William D. N.	515. McGill, Keith W.
285. Middleton, James (2)	362. Peck, Victor H.	439. McMillan, D. Hugh	516. Lindenber, J. E. T.
286. Smith, John F.	363. Cantlie, William J.	440. Thompson, George	517. Brechin, Gregor
287. Morrison, Murdo	364. Lewis, F. R. M.	441. Fraia, Harry	518. Johnson, Alfred G. R.
288. Goss, Jacob N.	365. Berntsen Alex. J.	442. Braxton, T. N. J.	519. McLeod, Donald J.
289. Bonner, H. J. (Jr.)	366. Kelway, J. George	443. Smith, Francis David	520. Kiddle, Robert
290. Paulini, Ralph	367. Porter, Charles (Jr.)	444. Hutchinson, Robt. T.	521. Hardy, C. Mansell
291. Stacey, David C.	368. Poole, J. B. Charles	445. Mercer, John	522. Sedgwick, H. H. (Jr.)
292. Nicholson, Leslie H.	369. Perry, George	446. Wilson, Edward	523. Barnes, W. F. John
293. Parker, C. F.	370. Smith Andrew C.	447. McRae, Alex B.	524. Lee, Frederick F. J.
294. Lellman, Edward F.	371. Summers, Walter F.	448. Gleadell, Jas R.	525. Betts, Alexander J.
295. Short, George C. (Jr.)	372. Morrison, John M.	449. Anderson, Louis	526. Aldridge, Sidney G.
296. Hirtle, E. R. C.	373. Creece, Martin G.	450. Campbell, J. Mark.	527. McPhee, K. J. (Jr.)
297. Bonner, A. M.	374. Hardy, Herbert H.	451. Finlayson, T. Dennis	528. Reive, Ernest
298. Shorey, William	375. Dearling, Leo. A.	452. Myles, William B.	529. Davis, William J.
299. Hardy, W. S. Bartle	376. Henricksen, Martin	453. Middleton, David J.	530. McKay, Donald Geo.
300. Shackel, Alex.	377. Biggs, Eric G. J.	454. Dettleff, Hansen C.	531. Simpson, Geo H.
301. McLeod, John T. A.	378. Roberts, Wm. Henry	455. Kenny, Norman D.	532. Alazia, George R.
302. Sedgwick, H. H. (Sr.)	379. Kirk, William J.	456. Pole-Evans, A. R.	533. Short, Joseph L.
303. Smith, William J.	380. Watt, Jas.	457. Gleadell, Frank E.	534. Spencer, W. E.
304. Peck, J. Bert H.	381. Morrison, Stewart M.	458. Summers, Sidney R.	535. Steel, Alex J.
305. Hannaford, R. H.	382. Miller, Sidney	459. Barnes, S. John	536. Cletheroe, John R.
306. Betts, Frederick C.	383. Watson, Louis James	460. Aldridge, Ernest J.	537. Fleuret, T. C.
307. Evans, Maurice E.	384. Paice, Ernest R. B.	461. Clifton, Allen Louis	538. Carey, Terence J.
308. Morrison, Leslie D.	385. Felton, Walter A.	462. Elias, W.	539. Binnie, Horace Jas.
309. Smith, John C. (Jr.)	386. Turner, W. John G.	463. Hills, William P.	540. Hennah, T. H. H.
310. Cartmell, Henry G.	387. Ferguson, Robert J.	464. Slade, Harry	541. Goss, William H.
311. Halliday, J. A. Leslie	388. Burns, Robert James	465. Stewart, James Alex.	542. Osborne, John C.
312. Sornsen, George A.	389. Parrin, Norman G.	466. Buse, F. K. E.	543. Morrison, M. John E.
313. Goodwin James	390. Middleton, Dave (Jr.)	467. McKay, David	544. Peck, Desmond D. B.
314. Sollis, Denis J.	391. Smith, John W.	468. McCarthy, Philip	545. Bowles, G. W. John
315. McKenzie, Alex. (Jr.)	392. Blyth, Alfred John	469. Hutchinson, W. J.	546. Hollen, Thomas
316. Duncan, Howard E.	393. Clifton, Chas	470. Peck, James W.	547. Buse, Ralph
317. Milne, A.	394. Finlayson, Alex. Jas.	471. Stewart, Keith G.	548. Paice, Charles J. B.
318. Harvey, Alfred Sid.	395. Buckley, P. Edward	472. Hutchinson, Keith R.	549. Davis, John
319. McKay, James J.	396. Andreason, S. V. Y.	473. Campbell, Ray	550. Bound, H. Leslie
320. Finlayson, Hugh	397. Kelway, Edward G.	474. Lee, Jas. W. T.	551. Contts, W. J.
321. Summers, Albert G.	398. Ford, William J.	475. Kiddle, Alb. S.	552. Henricksen, Norman
322. Biggs, Hubert A.	399. Robson, Edward A.	476. Middleton, George S.	553. Middleton, James (3)
323. Carey, C. William	400. Smith, Percy S.	477. Davis, Frederick S.	554. Browning, Jos.
324. Short, George C. (Sr.)	401. Aldridge, Harold J.	478. Coleman, Fred. A.	555. Bonner, H. J. (Sr.)
325. Morrison, Wm. A.	402. Goodwin, Thos. J. W.	479. Ratcliffe, Jas.	556. May, Alfred M. W.
326. Anderson, A. Peter	403. Reive, Frederick J.	480. Lyse, Reginald S.	557. Clarke, J. H. A.
327. Stewart, H. W. A.	404. Berntsen, Ed. F.	481. Gleadell, William. C.	558. Gleadell, Ernest C. S.
328. Johnson, E. Victor	405. Murphy, David John	482. McRae, Farquhar J. D.	559. Goss, James
329. Finlayson, Wm. A.	406. Anderson, Henry J.	483. Aldridge, Thomas G.	560. Browning, Jas S.
330. Hookings, Alfred	407. Gleadell, Leslie C.	484. Browning, Wm. C.	561. Finlayson, Rod. (Jr.)
331. Bradfield, Chas. H.	408. McMullen, Mathew J.	485. Parrin, George E.	562. Sornsen, C. Edward
332. Morrison, Roderick J.	409. Bundes, Jeff.	486. Blyth, John Jnr.	563. Henricksen, C. W.
333. Reive, Peter	410. Lees, David	487. Morrison, Fred. M.	564. Smith, William
334. Goodwin, William	411. Pearson, George	488. Beatty, T.	565. Biggs, Herbert P.
335. Short, Richard F.	412. Harvey, Donald	489. Smith, David J.	566. Middleton, Stewart 3
336. Whitney, H. Leslie	413. Luxton, Ernest F.	490. Stewart, Geo. A.	567. Felton, A. A.
337. Smith, James Hogan	414. Evans, Evan H.	491. Rowlands, Jas. H.	568. Dixon, Ernest V.
338. Kiddle, Stephen N.	415. Summers, Ernest V.	492. Steen, Ivor B.	569. Porter, George
339. Robson, W. Conrad	416. Burns, Wm. P. T.	493. Finlayson, Murdk. J.	570. White, Frank
340. Martin, George A.	417. Ferguson, John	494. Luxton, Stan. C.	571. Biggs, Arthur L. S.
341. King, Ronald I.	418. Watts, Jas.	495. Sedgwick, F. Aubrey	572. Johnson, Eric Thos

## Jury List continued :—

573. Bowles, W. John	605. Hardy, Thomas D.	637. Robson, J. F. Roy	669. McKay, William R.
574. McGill, Donald	606. McNaughton, D.	638. Watson, Wm. H. C.	670. Hansen, George D.
575. McKay, Stephen J.	607. Bonner, R. Leslie	639. Smith, Jas. A.	671. Binnie, Terence W.
576. Goodwin, David	608. Fuhlendorff, V. E.	640. Faria, Joseph F.	672. Blyth, Alex. L.
577. Coutts, James	609. Watson, Duncan R.	641. Bender, Sidney C.	673. Morrison, Norman
578. Blyth, John	610. Betts, Cyril S.	642. Atkins, Victor H. M.	674. Short, F. George
579. McRae, Roderick D.	611. Etheridge, Alex. S.	643. Reive, Robert	675. Porter, Howard
580. Halliday, James A.	612. Goodwin, Aubrey W.	644. McLeod, George A.	676. Clifton, Jos. E.
581. McCullum, John D.	613. Biggs, A. Maxwell	645. Smith, J. Stanley	677. Murphy, Michael J.
582. Jones, A. Charles	614. Alazia, William C.	646. Lellman, F. T.	678. Coutts, Peter T.
583. Howkins, G.	615. Paulini, George L.	647. Clement, J.	679. Morrison, Don. W. J.
584. Smith, G. Douglas	616. Skilling, C. R.	648. Cartmell, Robert	680. May, James John
585. Blackley, C. D.	617. Barnes, Fred W.	649. Jones, John F. C.	681. Burns, Frederick J.
586. Duncan, David H.	618. Hills, James S.	650. McAtasney, Wm. J.	682. Allan, Frederick
587. Ford, Charles David	619. Bonner, Andrew P.	651. Petterssen, John S. P.	683. Goodwin, Douglas C.
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589. Barnes, Ronald	621. Grant, Lewis	653. Yates, Robert	685. Newman, Silas A. F.
590. Reive, William J.	622. Finlayson, James M.	654. Sedgwick, Wm. H.	686. Pittendrigh, J. M.
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592. Lyse, Markham O.	624. Kelway, Fred A.	656. King, Fred H.	688. Barnes, Richard
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601. Clasen, Rupert H.	633. Biggs, Martin W. H.	665. Barnes, Frank E.	697. Ford, A. H.
602. McKay, Thomas	634. Meierhoffer, J. Geo.	666. McRae, R. G. V.	698. Heathman, A. S.
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## APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Harries, Leon	Education.	Travelling Teacher.	10.2.47.	On probation for one year.

## PROMOTION.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>
Summers, Philip	Clerk, Grade V. to Clerk, Grade IV.	1.1.47.

## LEAVE.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Period.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Steel, A. J.	Secretariat.	Caretaker, Secretariat Building.	352 days.	1.2.47.	Sick Leave.

## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Gleadell, M. L.	Orderly & Caretaker, Govt. House.	14.2.47.	Resigned.

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 10. 20th February, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 1 of the 7th of January, 1947, Wednesday and Thursday the 26th and 27th of February, 1947, have been withdrawn from the list of days on which Public Offices will be closed and Wednesday and Thursday the 5th and 6th of March, 1947, have been added thereto.

M.P. 291/33.

No. 11. 28th February, 1947.

In order to obtain the best use of daylight during Sports Week, Government clocks will be advanced one hour at midnight Saturday/Sunday the 1st/2nd March, 1947.

They will be restored to "Stanley Summer Time" a week later, on the night Saturday/Sunday, the 8th/9th March, 1947, when they will be put back one hour.

M.P. 0064.

## PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Jessie Reive of Stanley, Falkland Islands,  
deceased.*

Whereas Beatrice Ellen Pettersson, daughter 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

H. BENNETT,  
*Acting Registrar, Supreme Court.*

14th February, 1947.

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## Report on Education in the Colony for the year 1945.

### PART I.

#### Preface.

1. The population of the Falkland Islands is almost entirely British. It totals only about 2,300, and has been decreasing slowly in recent years. About half of the people live in the one town of Stanley, the rest being scattered either in small settlements or in isolated shepherds' houses over an area about the size of Yorkshire. The whole country outside Stanley is called the "Camp".

2. On account of the small population, the wide area over which it is scattered, and the poor communications, the provision of a good education for all children is a difficult problem, not yet fully solved. Education is compulsory between the ages of five and fourteen, but it is not easy to enforce this in the Camp.

3. The Educational facilities fall into four groups :

- (a) Schools in Stanley.
- (b) Small schools in a few of the Camp settlements.
- (c) Tuition by itinerant teachers in the rest of the Camp.
- (d) Further education.

#### Stanley.

4. A Government School is maintained from Public Funds. The curriculum and time-table of this school, catering for children between the ages of 5 and 14, are much the same as in a similar all-age school in England; a full-time Continuation Class offers a two-year course beyond Standard 6. A scheme of boarding allowances, to assist Camp parents to send their children to Stanley for schooling, has been in operation for many years. Until the evacuation of the Stanley children in 1942 there was also a Convent School in Stanley, taught by Roman Catholic Sisters.

#### Settlement Schools.

5. There are not many settlements with enough children to justify the establishment of full-time schools there. At the beginning of 1945 there were however small schools, conducted by part-time teachers, at San Carlos and Teal Inlet, and during the year settlement schools were set up at Chartres and Salvador also; the organization of these schools varies according to local circumstances, but in all cases the Government maintains or assists them financially, and supervises the work done in them. The Falkland Islands Company also maintains two part-time schools, one at Darwin and the other at North Arm, for the children of its employees; these schools are not assisted or inspected by the Government.

#### Tuition in the rest of the Camp.

6. The Government provides a number of itinerant teachers on the East and West Falklands. These teachers travel from house to house, mainly on horseback but sometimes by boat, and teach the children in their homes; they usually stay a fortnight or a month at each house. The houses are often isolated, and the teacher usually has to travel for several hours before reaching the next place where there are children to be taught. Each teacher has a "beat" which he covers at least four times a year. At the conclusion of his stay at each place, he sends in a report to the Supervisor of Camp Education, giving a detailed account of work done, progress made by the children, and so on.

7. Since 1944, the Government has employed, in addition to the travelling teachers, a full-time Supervisor of Camp Education who travels round the Camp, supervising and organizing the work of the Government travelling teachers and of the schools assisted or maintained by the Government in the Camp. The Superintendent of Education also makes periodic tours of inspection in the Camp.

8. A system of educational broadcasts to the children in the Camp was instituted, as an experiment, in 1944, and was continued during 1945.

9. The Falkland Islands Company also maintains a few travelling teachers (four during the greater part of 1945) for work on its extensive farms on the East Falklands; as with the Company's schools at Darwin and North Arm, the work of these teachers is not subject to Government inspection, nor is any financial assistance given by the Government.

#### Further Education.

10. Further Education is provided by a system of scholarships to the British School in Montevideo, and also, to a limited extent, by winter evening classes in Stanley.

## PART II.

## Administration and Staffing.

11. The authorised establishment of the Education Department at the beginning of 1945 was as follows :

Superintendent of Education & Headmaster, Govt. School	} Qualified teachers, recruited in United Kingdom.
Two Assistant Masters	
Two Assistant Mistresses (one for infants, one for seniors)	
One Assistant Master	
Five Assistant Teachers	} Recruited and trained locally.
Two Temporary Teachers	
Three Pupil Teachers	
Supervisor of Camp Education	Uncertificated, with experience in United Kingdom.
Teacher for Educational Broadcasts	Qualified teacher, recruited in United Kingdom.
Six Travelling Teachers	Recruited and trained locally.
One Clerk.	
One School Caretaker.	

12. The list given above (par. 11) shows a number of additions to the staff provided for in 1944. Of these the Supervisor of Camp Education and the teacher for educational broadcasts were added in 1944, to improve Camp education (see paragraphs 7, 35 and 36 of the Report on Education for 1944); the extra assistant master, temporary teacher, and pupil teacher were intended to replace teachers due to go on leave, and to provide for extra children in the Infants' Department. (The apparent increase from three assistant teachers to five assistant teachers is not real; "three" in par. 8 of the 1944 Report should read "five.")

13. The work of the Education Department, and particularly of the Government School, was seriously upset all through the year by difficulties and delays experienced in obtaining qualified staff from overseas. The two assistant mistresses whose contracts had expired in 1944 had returned to the United Kingdom, one in December 1944, the other in February 1945; their successors, although selected in England in good time, had difficulty in obtaining passages, and did not arrive in the Falklands until May 1945. A qualified assistant master, needed to allow the Superintendent of Education to go on leave, had been asked for from the United Kingdom but not obtained. The post of Senior Assistant Master, which had become vacant in 1944, was filled temporarily by an unqualified master educated in the United Kingdom and recruited in the Falkland Islands. At the beginning of the school year in February, therefore, there were altogether on the staff of the Education Department only two qualified teachers (the Superintendent of Education and the teacher in charge of educational broadcasts).

14. The position was improved when the two assistant mistresses, Miss E. Bosworthick and Miss M. Downs, arrived from England in May, but the school was still without a qualified assistant master. The temporary unqualified assistant master referred to above did not make a success of his work, and his appointment came to an end in April. In the same month an extra assistant mistress, recruited locally, was appointed temporarily in the place of one of the required assistant masters; she had high academic qualifications, and worked hard; but a woman cannot take the place of the Senior Assistant Master completely, and in this particular case her state of health affected her work adversely during a large part of the time; for the last two months of the year, ill-health obliged her to remain away from work altogether.

15. While the work of the school was thus being carried on as well as possible with the help of temporary appointments of people already in the Falklands, the Department had still been trying to obtain a qualified assistant master from the United Kingdom; finally, when it seemed out of the question for the time being to obtain a master, an extra mistress, Miss H. Gray, was selected for appointment; but although selected in July 1945, shipping delays prevented her from arriving in the Falklands until May 1946.

16. These shortages of qualified staff made 1945 a very different year from 1944. Whereas in 1944, in spite of a number of changes in staff (mostly transfers from one branch of work to another), a fair measure of progress had been possible, 1945 was largely one long struggle simply to keep going. The time available for training of teachers, developmental work, and general directive and administrative work, was far less than what was needed. Teaching and discipline inevitably suffered, particularly in the highest classes and when adequate help and supervision could not be given to young, inexperienced teachers. Except for 1942, the year of the evacuation, it is probably the year in which education in the Government School has been most affected by the war.

17. At the beginning of the year, three pupil teachers were appointed for training in the Government School. Two had just left school, after completing three years in the Continuation Class; the third had had two years in the Continuation Class and one year as clerk in the Education Department. The aim was to give these pupil teachers two or three years of training, which was to include further improvement of their own education, a study of principles and methods of education, observation of the whole work of the school from the Infants' Department to the Continuation Class, and a gradually increasing amount of supervised teaching practice. This work was mainly in the hands of the qualified teachers from overseas, although the locally trained teachers also gave help.

18. The pupil teachers began their work in the Infants' Department (before she left the Falklands, Miss Brown, the retiring infant mistress, was able to give them an outline of the principles on which infant teaching is based). From the Infants' Department they went on to work in the junior school, and then (for observation only) to the senior school. Having gained a comprehensive view of the work of the school as a whole, they then settled down to more intensive work in the junior school, where they would later be teaching. During the winter they attended evening classes in various subjects, as part of their work.

19. The shortage of qualified teachers referred to in paragraphs 13-16 above limited what could be achieved in the training of the pupil teachers in this one year. By the end of the year, however, they had acquired a fair understanding of the main principles in education, were taking certain lessons regularly on their own, and, on the whole, managing their classes fairly well. Just after the end of the school year, one of the pupil teachers resigned in order to go to England with her parents.

20. In the Camp there were a few changes in staff during the year. On the West Falklands, an additional travelling teacher was appointed in May, but one resigned in November to go to Montevideo. On the East Falklands the one travelling teacher employed resigned in June, and no successor could be obtained until November; in the meantime, however, an extra teacher had begun work in the settlement at Salvador (in Sept.); and in November another teacher began work, on a part-time basis, at Port San Carlos. By the end of the year, therefore, the number of teachers at work in the Camp had increased by two; adequate staffing still remained, however, one of the major difficulties of Camp education. For further details, see paragraphs 38, 40, 54, 55 and 56.

21. The following members of the staff of the Education Department went overseas on leave during 1945: in February, Miss H. Brown (Infant Mistress - see par. 13); in September, Mr. D. J. Draycott (Supervisor of Camp Education), Mrs. A. R. Draycott and Miss B. E. Braxton (Assistant Teachers in the Government School). Some other members of the staff were entitled to leave, but on account of shortage of staff could not be spared from their work in 1945.

#### School Attendance.

22. <i>Government School, Stanley:</i>	Boys	Girls	Total.
Number on roll 31st December 1945	107	110	217
Average number on roll during 1945	111	109	220
Average attendance during 1945	107	104	211
Percentage of average attendance			96
<i>School at San Carlos:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	1	6	7
<i>School at Teal Inlet:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	5	2	7
Percentage of attendance			97.6
<i>School at Chartres:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	3	4	7
<i>F. I. Co's School, Darwin:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	2	7	9
Percentage of attendance (256 sessions)			84.8
<i>F. I. Co's School, North Arm:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	2	3	5
<i>Government Travelling Teachers:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	31	26	57
<i>F. I. Co's Travelling Teachers:</i>			
Number under tuition during 1945	15	27	42
Total number under tuition during 1945	170	184	354

23. The above figures do not include a few children who were receiving private tuition - usually Camp children being taught by their parents, with or without help from the Education Department. The three boys and one girl attending the school at Salvador in the latter part of the year are included in the figures given for Government Travelling Teachers, as these children were included in the Travelling Teacher's beat for the greater part of the year. The figures given for the school at Chartres include one girl who did not actually attend the school, but who was taught by the teacher of the school, during short periodical visits made by the teacher to the girl's home (see par. 41).

#### Finance.

24. The expenditure under Head XII. Education of the annual estimates of expenditure was £6,523 : 6 : 7, as compared with £4,772 : 0 : 3 in 1944. The revenue collected in 1945 amounted to £174 : 8 : 4, as against £202 : 11 : 11 in 1944.

EXPENDITURE	£	s.	d.	REVENUE	£	s.	d.
1. Personal Emoluments	4,481	13	4	1. School Fees	150	9	6
2. Other Charges	2,041	13	3	2. Sale of School Materials	23	18	10
	£6,523	6	7		£174	8	4

**Government School, Stanley.**

25. The year in the Government School was a difficult and unsettled one. On account of an epidemic of whooping cough, the opening of the school at the beginning of the year was delayed a fortnight, until February 26th, and it was not possible to regain this lost time by shortening the holidays during the rest of the year, as the two regular holidays during the year are of only one week's duration each. Even after school had started, many children, who had difficulty in throwing off the whooping cough completely, were unusually irregular in attendance; and further time was lost through extra holidays for victory celebrations. Some of the difficulties caused by the shortage of qualified teachers from overseas have already been mentioned (pars. 13-16). The changes necessitated by the arrival and departure of teachers at various times during the year also disturbed the life of the school, so that it never seemed to settle down properly.

26. The school continued to use the same premises as in 1944 - the buildings of the Government School itself being used by the classes from Standard 1 upwards, the Infants' Department meeting in its temporary accommodation in the former St. Mary's School, and the physical training classes being held, by kind permission of the Falkland Islands Defence Force, in the Defence Force Drill Hall. Premises for domestic science are referred to in par. 30 below.

27. The curriculum of the school was in most points similar to that followed in previous years. There was a slight improvement in the variety and quantity of school materials obtainable from England, but shortages of materials still hampered some of the work. A good piano, bought cheaply from the Army garrison when it withdrew, was a valuable acquisition.

28. In the Infants' Department the three locally trained teachers, under Mrs. Osborne's leadership, and with the help of schemes prepared by Miss Brown before her departure, carried on the work very capably in the interval before the arrival of the new infant mistress, Miss M. Downs; when she arrived, the Infants' Department was once again fully staffed. Among the noteworthy features of the life of the Infants' Department during the year were the parties held at the end of each term and skilfully organised so as to fit in with the ordinary school work and to have the maximum educational value.

29. In the junior school, the most important alteration in the work was the addition of art to the girls' curriculum; it had been included in the boys' curriculum for many years, and was extended to the senior girls in 1944; but until 1945, the junior girls' opportunities for artistic expression had been extremely limited.

30. The senior school started the year under great difficulties, with Standard 6 and the Continuation Class combined, for most work, under an unqualified assistant master; it was not until April that the two classes could be separated. The senior boys' woodwork classes, which had formerly been taken by a carpenter from the Public Works Department, could not be started at the beginning of the year, because the Public Works Department could not spare a carpenter at the time; but when the school staffing position improved towards the middle of the year, the classes were taken by Mr. Lellman, an assistant master who is also a trained carpenter. The senior boys' work in gardening and agricultural science was kept up throughout the year, under officers of the Agricultural Department. The senior girls' cookery classes, which had been suspended since the evacuation in 1942 on account of lack of suitable facilities, were at last started again, under Miss Bosworthick, soon after her arrival; Church House, the former domestic science centre, was still occupied by naval personnel, but other premises became available in the Church Hall - premises which, while not suitable for all the work which should be included in a good domestic science course, were nevertheless able to be made fairly satisfactory for cookery. For games, the girls played hockey and netball, and the boys played association and a little rugby football; in addition to the regular games in sports periods, a number of games were again organized, at the children's request, out of school hours - some between teams from the school, and some against outside teams. The children of the senior classes naturally took a keen interest in the plans made during the year for a new Library, Town Hall and Civic Centre; they had their share in the discussion of plans when, after being invited by the Executive Engineer to examine the models of the proposed new buildings and to ask questions of him, their impressions and suggestions were written down in school and sent to him for his consideration.

31. In order to give the children more training in leadership and a greater share in managing the affairs of the school, a new system of prefects was introduced early in the year. Previously there had been a rudimentary system of cloakroom monitors, but this was now enlarged to provide for four girl and four boy prefects. The prefects were to have various duties and privileges, particularly in connection with play-times and the organization of games, and were to be the recognized leaders of the school and the normal representatives of the children in any matters that they wished to bring to the notice of the staff. The prefects were chosen largely on the results of a secret ballot held in the three senior classes. Although such a busy, unsettled year was not the best of times for introducing new schemes like this, the system worked fairly well. The prefects, on the whole, carried out their duties with commendable conscientiousness; some however (understandably enough) were inclined to be diffident about using their new powers.

32. All the pupils were examined medically and dentally in December; follow-up work was carried out during the school summer holidays.

33. In the course of the year His Excellency the Governor made three much-appreciated visits to the school, one on the occasion of the Open Day and Show of Work and the other two in connection with St. George's Day and Trafalgar Day. On his St. George's Day and Trafalgar Day visits he addressed the senior pupils and granted holidays in honour of these occasions.

34. The annual Open Day and Show of Work was held in December. The number of parents and friends of the children who came to see the work was greater than usual, so that although the largest room in the school was used for the display of work, at times it was overcrowded. In addition to the usual variety of handwork, needlework, woodwork and art, there was once again an exhibit of cookery done by the senior girls; and for the first time, a selection of handwork and needlework done by children in the Camp was displayed.

35. At the prize-giving ceremony held in the Gymnasium on the last day of term, His Excellency the Governor presented the prizes, and addressed the large gathering of children and their parents and friends on possible future developments in education in the Falklands.

36. The Old Pupils' Association again had a successful winter season, providing its members with a varied programme of social and cultural activities, including talks, cinema shows, dances and whist drives; as in previous years, many of its meetings were held in the school.

#### The Camp.

37. The Education Department's policy in the Camp in 1945 was a continuation and development of that followed in 1944. The teaching was done mainly by travelling teachers, although efforts were made to develop settlement schools wherever the number of children justified it and there was a teacher available. The travelling teachers' beats were kept as small as possible, so as to avoid long intervals between the teachers' visits to any one place. The work of the Camp teachers was supplemented by daily wireless broadcasts from Stanley. The details of organization and the supervision of the work done in the Camp were largely in the hands of the recently-appointed Supervisor of Camp Education.

38. On the West Falklands, at the beginning of 1945, there were five travelling teachers, teaching altogether 59 children in 21 different places. Four of the teachers' beats were satisfactory in size, but one was too large; attempts had been made in 1944 to get an extra teacher to split up this beat, but it was not until May 1945 that the extra teacher was finally obtained. From May until November the number of teachers on the West remained the same (quite a satisfactory number); but at the end of November, one of the teachers resigned, and could not be replaced immediately.

39. During the year a good many families moved from one part of the West to another; in some cases this resulted in the concentration of larger numbers of children in settlements, and it became possible to start a regular settlement school at Chartres, under one of the six travelling teachers, in May (see par. 41), and to keep another of the travelling teachers permanently on Saunders Island, teaching seven children, from August onwards.

40. On the East Falkland, at the beginning of 1945, there was one travelling teacher, teaching altogether 9 children in 5 different places. There were in addition settlement schools at San Carlos and Teal Inlet, with 8 and 7 children respectively. These arrangements for the teaching on the East were fairly satisfactory as long as they lasted. In June, however, the travelling teacher resigned, and it was five months before another teacher could be obtained. In the meantime the travelling teacher's beat had altered considerably; a settlement school had been started at Salvador, while the children from two other houses on the beat were now being catered for by the school at Teal Inlet; but new children in other places had started school, so that the beat now consisted of 3 places (with 7 children) on one side of the island, and 3 places (with 5 children, some of whom had attended school in Stanley for part of the year) on the other side - a most awkward beat, which would have been much better split into two beats, in spite of the small numbers of children, if the necessary extra teacher had been available. The extra teacher, however, could not be obtained. Various arrangements to improve the situation were attempted; at Port San Carlos, for instance, help was given by a part-time teacher during the travelling teacher's absence; but in spite of all that could be done, the position remained unsatisfactory.

41. Some reference has already been made (paragraph 39) to the settlement school started at Chartres in May. Plans for a full-time school there were made when all but one of the children on the former Chartres travelling teacher's beat came in to the settlement to live. It was expected at that time that there would be nine children attending school in the settlement, and although the number dropped to six about the time the school started, it was decided to carry on with the arrangements. The teacher was Miss June Myles, the travelling teacher who had been in charge of the Chartres beat. It was hoped at first that the one child from her former beat still remaining outside the settlement would come in to the settlement for her schooling, but eventually it was arranged that the teacher should make periodical short visits to the child's home. The school at Chartres met in the manager's house, in a room generously lent and fitted up as a schoolroom by the manager and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. K. Luxton. Mr. and Mrs. Luxton also provided accommodation for the teacher while she was in Chartres and gave invaluable help with the school in many other ways. At the end of the year, a boy from this school won one of the Government Scholarships to Montevideo.

42. The part-time school at San Carlos carried on its work during 1945 on much the same lines as in previous years, with Mrs. Bonner (the wife of the manager of San Carlos Station) teaching for two hours a day. In previous years, however, as a travelling teacher also had visited San Carlos, Mrs. Bonner had taught only during the travelling teacher's absence; this year, in view of the many other calls on the travelling teacher's time, her visits were discontinued, and Mrs. Bonner took over the whole of the teaching. Some of Mrs. Bonner's pupils live in San Carlos settlement; others walk in daily from their home at the Head of the Bay (a walk of about an hour). The school meets in Mrs. Bonner's house, in a room that she has equipped extremely well. She goes about her teaching with great energy and enthusiasm, and the good progress made by her pupils, and their interest in their work, are a credit to her. It was a fitting reward for her efforts that one of her pupils gained first place in the 1945 scholarship examination.

43. The school at Teal Inlet was established towards the end of 1944, with Mr. O. McPhee, the



resident teacher-storekeeper, in charge (for details of the arrangement, see paragraph 32 of the Education Department's Report for 1944). The school carried on its work most successfully during 1945, Mr. McPhee proving himself a thoroughly capable and popular teacher, with a definite place in the life of the community. The children made good progress in their work; the extent to which the school is appreciated and supported by the children and parents at Teal Inlet is shown by its attendance figures (97.6% for the whole year; in one quarter the school maintained a 100% attendance throughout the whole quarter).

44. One important development during the year was that the school began to cater not only for the children in the settlement at Teal Inlet but also for those living in shepherds' houses away from the settlement. With the help of the boarding allowances mentioned in paragraph 53, these children started coming in to board in the settlement to attend school for a few weeks at a time, with spells at home (doing homework) in between their visits to the settlement. Travelling teachers no longer needed to visit the homes of these children and the school at Teal Inlet became a central school for all the children on the station. In this development, as in many other things, the help and co-operation of Mr. A. G. Barton, manager of Teal Inlet Station, have been of the greatest value.

45. A new full-time school was started at Salvador in September. After the resignation in June of the travelling teacher for that beat, Miss N. Pitaluga, a daughter of the manager, began doing a little teaching for the children in the settlement. In September this work was put on a definite full-time basis, with Miss Pitaluga drawing an allowance proportionate to the number of children taught - not a full Camp teacher's salary, because that expense would have been out of proportion to the small number of children taught (four). The school met at first in the station manager's office, but later the manager generously fitted up a schoolroom in one end of a Nissen hut.

46. The broader range of studies and activities developed in the Camp in 1944 was carried on, without important change, in 1945. While the travelling teachers still had to give most of their time to arithmetic and the various branches of English, the general tendency towards smaller beats and more settlement schools allowed many of the Camp teachers to give more attention than before to subjects such as geography, history, nature study and handwork. The educational broadcasts also helped in providing this wider range of studies. As has already been mentioned, a selection of handwork and needlework done in the Camp during the year was exhibited in the display of work on the Open Day at the Government School in Stanley.

47. A scheme of educational broadcasts to the Camp had been started as an experiment, towards the end of 1944. The two chief aims of the scheme were to encourage and help the children with their homework in the intervals between the teachers' visits, and to supplement the teachers' work by talks on a wide range of topics. Although it was found that, on account of various difficulties, rather less than half the total number of children in the Camp could hear the broadcasts clearly and regularly, the scheme was considered to be sufficiently successful to be worth continuing.

48. Mr. R. Rice, the former Government Travelling Teacher who had conducted the broadcasts in 1944, was put in charge of them for the next three years. They were given for an hour each afternoon, five days a week. The scheme of lessons and methods of approach adopted in 1944 had been found generally satisfactory, and were continued, with minor alterations, in 1945 (for details, see paragraph 36 of the Education Department's Report for 1944). On the opening day of the 1945 session, His Excellency the Governor came to the studio and spoke to the children. After the arrival of a new chaplain for Christ Church (Anglican) Cathedral, the religious talks were given sometimes by him and sometimes (as in 1944) by the Non-conformist minister, the Reverend W. F. McWhan. As in 1944, summaries of most of the broadcast talks were sent out to all the Camp teachers. Damage to the transmitting aerial in a storm unfortunately suspended the broadcasts for two months between April and June.

49. Efforts to increase the circle of listeners were partially successful. In the almost complete absence of new sets on the market, little could be done for those families who had no sets, or poor sets, or sets without the necessary 83 metre band; nor could difficulties over repairs and re-charging of accumulators be eliminated; but at the transmitting station a new and higher aerial was erected, and various other improvements were made, so that the lessons could now reach more than half the children quite well. The untiring assistance given with the broadcasting by the Supervisor of the Electrical and Telegraphs Department is much appreciated.

50. The Supervisor of Camp Education, Mr. D. J. Draycott, made three tours in the Camp during 1945. The first was on the East Falkland (in January and February), the second on the West (March to June), and the third on the East again (August to September). At the end of September he left for England to take the leave due to him from his former contract. He is energetic, and well-liked in the Camp, and his appointment is proving of great value in the attempt to improve Camp education. On his tours he aims at visiting all the children receiving tuition from Government teachers (transport difficulties and other reasons sometimes prevent him from seeing a few of the children); he examines all their work, and discusses it thoroughly with the teachers. His regular visits help to sustain the interest of the children and their teachers in their work, and to keep them doing their best. His time in Stanley in the intervals between tours is spent in going through the reports and filled exercise books sent in by the teachers and in planning their work.

51. In addition to the tours carried out by the Supervisor of Camp Education, a tour was made on the East Falkland by the Superintendent of Education in October and November.

52. The boarding allowances granted by the Government for Camp children coming in to school in Stanley were continued during 1945 at the rate of £2 a month. The total number of Camp children who attended school in Stanley and received this assistance during 1945 was 27, as against 31 in 1944; 22 out of the 27 (as compared with 16 in 1944) attended for periods of more than six months. The above

figures include three children whose parents were in South Georgia, where there are no educational facilities.

53. Towards the end of the year, a new scheme was introduced to provide boarding allowances for Camp children who boarded in settlements in order to attend settlement schools. The scheme was intended to further the general policy of providing education in settlement schools, rather than by travelling teachers, wherever possible. The rate of the allowance was fixed at 1/3 a day – slightly less than the Stanley boarding allowance, because the cost of living is considered to be slightly less in the Camp. The scheme was confined (to begin with) to children attending Government-assisted schools. By the end of the year, one child was already attending the school at Teal Inlet as a boarder under this scheme, and two others had made arrangements to do so in the New Year.

54. Paragraphs 38 and 40 show that satisfactory staffing still remains one of the great difficulties of Camp education. More than once no replies have been received to advertisements for travelling teachers; often months have passed before it has been possible to obtain the extra teachers needed either to replace teachers who have left the service, or to increase the total staff and so reduce the sizes of beats. This scarcity of applicants for posts has sometimes meant that out of necessity candidates have been accepted whose qualifications were not as high as could have been desired. It has of course been a period of expansion, with a larger demand than usual for new teachers; and the number of teachers employed in the Camp has increased during the last two years; but with a more plentiful supply of teachers, much greater progress could be made.

55. Efforts were continued to give the Camp teachers more training, and to help them to improve their own standard of education in cases where this was desirable. It had been hoped to assemble most of the travelling teachers in Stanley for a short period of training in the winter, but various difficulties prevented them from coming in to Stanley together. Most came in to Stanley on leave at some time during the year, and, as in 1944, advantage was taken of these visits to give them periods of observation and training in the Government School, as well as to give them any help they needed with their own studies. The two new travelling teachers appointed during the year were both given some training, in one case before starting teaching, and in the other case a few months later, (in this latter case it was inconvenient for the teacher to come in to Stanley from her home in the Camp at the time when she was appointed; the Supervisor of Camp Education gave her some preliminary guidance in the Camp before she started work). The Camp teachers' coming in one at a time at intervals throughout the year, instead of all together, was wasteful of the time of the Stanley teachers who helped in training them, and the shortage of qualified staff in Stanley limited what could be done for them. Although most of the Camp teachers are doing good work – and some are doing excellent work – much still remains to be done to raise the standard everywhere to a satisfactory level.

56. At the end of the year, chiefly with the object of improving the supply of good Camp teachers, the Education Department introduced a scheme of Bursaries for Camp children who wanted to become Camp teachers. The first of these Bursaries were to be awarded early in 1946. Normally, two of these Bursaries will be awarded each year. They are intended mainly, though not exclusively, for children between the ages of 14 and 15½ at the time of the award (that is, for children who have completed the period of compulsory education). They offer a year's schooling in the Government School, to round off the child's education, and then a period of from three to six months' intensive training in Stanley for work as a Camp teacher. During all the time the child is in Stanley, he (or she) will receive not the ordinary Camp boarding allowance, but a larger maintenance allowance at the rate of £50 per annum, with free passages to and from Stanley. On the satisfactory completion of the period of schooling and training, the winners of these Bursaries will be appointed to posts as Government Camp teachers, and in return for the financial assistance given them under the terms of the Bursaries, they will be expected to serve as teachers for at least four years.

#### Government Scholarships to Montevideo.

57. The scheme for granting scholarships to enable chosen pupils from the Falkland Islands to attend the British School in Montevideo for three years' study there reached its full expansion in 1945, with six Falkland Islands children in Montevideo (two in their first year, two in their second year, and two in their final year).

58. Some difficulties were experienced during the year over arrangements for the children's board in Montevideo. The boarding-house in which the children had lived very happily ever since the scholarship scheme was introduced closed down. The Board of Governors of the British Schools Society went to considerable trouble to find another place where the children could still all live together, and eventually succeeded, but by the end of the year it was becoming clear that the place was not completely satisfactory.

59. On the recommendation of the Board of Governors of the British Schools Society, it was decided in September to appoint a guardian for the children in Montevideo (Mrs. Graves, the landlady who had boarded the children during their first two-and-a-half years in Montevideo, had acted unofficially as their guardian during that time, but had now left the country). The matter was put in the hands of the British Consul in Montevideo and when approached, Mrs. Norman Leslie, wife of the British Vice-Consul, kindly consented to act as the children's guardian.

60. At school, the six pupils did very satisfactory work on the whole during the year. In some cases progress was hampered by frequent absence due to illness; especially in their first year, the children seem to have difficulty in adjusting themselves to the different climate. The children took their place well in school sports; the four girls played hockey for the First XI, two of them winning their colours; one of the boys played football for the First XI, and gained a prize in the School's annual athletic sports contest. The pupils also took part with enthusiasm in various out-of-school activities, such as the Girl Guides and Boy Scouts. The broadening of outlook and increase in self-confidence brought about by



these varied activities and by new experiences are not the least valuable of the benefits given to the children by the scholarships. The great care and attention given to the pupils in Montevideo by the Board of Governors, Mrs. Leslie and the teaching staff contribute much towards making the scheme a success, and are deeply appreciated.

61. In December 1945, the first two children to go to Montevideo under the scholarship scheme sat and passed the Cambridge School Certificate Examination. This is the first time that Falkland Islanders, receiving their education under provision made by the Falkland Islands Government, have passed the examination.

62. At the end of October an examination in English, Mathematics, and General Intelligence was held for all candidates for the two scholarships for 1946; while Stanley was the main examination centre, five candidates sat the examination in the Camp – two at San Carlos, two at Port Howard, and one at Chartres. After considering the results of this examination and the school record, general ability and character of the candidates, the Scholarship Selection Committee awarded the scholarships to a girl and a boy, from San Carlos and Chartres respectively. Upon the girl's parents declining the scholarship, however, the funds thus made available were used to enable another girl, who had also done very well in the scholarship examination, to go to Montevideo in the place of the original scholarship winner.

63. As in 1944, three Falkland Prizes were awarded in connection with the scholarship examination.

#### Evening Classes.

64. A series of evening classes was again arranged for the winter months. In some ways the classes were an experiment; it was known that the military garrison, which had provided the chief support for the evening classes in previous years, was to be withdrawn early in the winter and the classes were therefore planned entirely to meet the requirements of the local population. Particular attention was given to the case of junior employees in Government Departments and to encouraging their attendance; at a conference of Heads of Departments a scheme was agreed upon, whereby employees under 18 years of age would be allowed time off from work equivalent to time spent at evening classes, and all boys and girls entering the Civil Service in salaried posts or as apprentices would be required, as part of the terms of their employment, to attend such classes as were considered desirable.

65. The classes, which were free of charge, were held in the Government School. The subjects studied included English, mathematics, dressmaking, and shorthand; there was also a class in "General Subjects" (a mixture of English, arithmetic, geography, general knowledge, etc.), and a series of four talks on "Science and the Scientific Outlook". Difficulties over equipment or instructors prevented the formation of certain other classes which would have met a definite need.

66. The response to the classes was quite good. Attendances remained fairly steady throughout the winter, with the smallest classes averaging more than ten students (quite a satisfactory number, considering the smallness of the population). The most popular classes were "General Subjects" and dressmaking. The "General Subjects" class had an average attendance of over twenty students (although not all worked seriously); the dressmaking class became so unwieldy in size that it had to be divided into two classes, and eventually further admissions to the classes had to be refused. Although the classes were intended only for the winter and early spring, and most stopped before the beginning of summer, a small group of shorthand students carried on right through the summer. The successes, difficulties and failures of the classes provided useful data for the planning of future classes.

H. L. BAKER,  
*Superintendent of Education.*  
29th December. 1946.

#### T A B L E S 1 — 14 .

The following are omitted as in previous years : Nos. 1, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 12, 13 and 14.

#### T A B L E 2 .

##### PERCENTAGE OF POPULATION ENROLLED IN INSTITUTIONS MAINTAINED OR AIDED FROM COLONIAL REVENUES AND LOCAL PUBLIC FUNDS.

		Population (according to the latest accessible estimate)	Total number of pupils enrolled in maintained & aided institutions.	Percentage.
European	Male	1287	151	12
	Female	1038	147	14
		<u>2325</u>	<u>298</u>	<u>13</u>

The figures above are averages for the year 1945.

TABLE 3.

SCHOLARS BY SCHOOL YEARS AND AGES ON 31ST DECEMBER 1945 IN INSTITUTIONS MAINTAINED OR AIDED FROM COLONIAL REVENUES OR LOCAL PUBLIC FUNDS, AND IN UNAIDED BUT INSPECTED INSTITUTIONS.

Primary Schools										
Age	Year of School Course									
	Cont. Class	Std. 6	Std. 5	Std. 4	Std. 3	Std. 2	Std. 1	Infants	Totals	
	m. f.	m. f.	m. f.	m. f.	m. f.	m. f.	m. f.	m. f.	m.	f.
15	6 4				1 -				7	4
14	- 2	4 2	3 3		- 1		- 1		7	9
13	- 3	4 4	4 4	3 5	4 4	1 1	- 1		16	22
12	- 1	- 2	5 1	6 7	3 2	1 1	1 2		16	16
11			- 2	4 4	4 7	5 2	2 -	- 1	15	16
10				- 1	3 5	4 8	2 1	- 1	9	16
9				- 1		8 7	8 2	4 4	20	14
8						1 1	5 7	8 5	14	13
7						1 -	3 4	14 12	18	16
6							- 1	15 10	15	11
5								11 6	11	6
4								6 6	6	6
3								- 1	-	1
	6 10	8 8	12 10	13 18	15 19	21 20	21 19	58 46	154	150
	16	16	22	31	34	41	40	104	304	

The above figures include the children taught in the Government School in Stanley and also those taught in the Camp by Government Travelling Teachers or in Government-assisted schools. The children are listed according to the classes they were in during the school year ending in December, 1945. Children taught in the Camp are grouped into classes according to their proficiency in their school work (particularly English and arithmetic), without regard to their age.

TABLE 4.

ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF GROSS EXPENDITURE FROM COLONIAL REVENUES AND LOCAL PUBLIC FUNDS ON EDUCATION FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR.

NOTE—All expenditure is from Colonial Revenue.

TOTAL DIRECT EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION.

Primary Schools :	
Personal emoluments	£4481 : 13 : 4
Superannuation contributions	39 : 14 : 11
Extra teaching assistance	30 : 0 : 0

£4551 : 8 : 3

TOTAL INDIRECT EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION.

Scholarships	£986 : 5 : 6
Boarding Allowances for Camp children	443 : 18 : 7
Rent and cleaning of buildings	222 : 3 : 0
School materials	212 : 15 : 2
Miscellaneous	106 : 16 : 1

1971 : 18 : 4

6523 : 6 : 7

TABLE 8.

## GROSS EXPENDITURE ON INSTITUTIONS MAINTAINED BY GOVERNMENT AND GROSS AND NET COST PER PUPIL.

## SCHOOL EDUCATION GENERAL: Primary Schools

Personal Emoluments (Staff)	£4481 : 13 : 4
Other Charges	2041 : 13 : 3
Total	6523 : 6 : 7
Gross annual cost per enrolled pupil to Colonial Revenue	21 : 17 : 10
Total Receipts :	
Fees	£150 : 9 : 6
Sale of School Materials	23 : 18 : 10
	174 : 8 : 4
Net annual cost per enrolled pupil	21 : 6 : 1

TABLE 11.

## STATEMENT OF FEE RATES, RULES GOVERNING EXEMPTION FROM FEES. AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

The following fees are charged at the Government School :

	s.	d.
Each pupil in the Continuation Class	1	0 a week
Each pupil below the C.C. and above Std. 1	6	" "
Each pupil below Std. 2	3	" "

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

Exceptions are made for fatherless children and in a small number of other cases where there is proved inability to pay.

No fees are charged in the Camp.

## Vital Statistics for the year ended 31st December, 1946

## COLONY

## Births

	Male	Female	Total
Stanley	13	16	29
East Falkland	2	3	5
West Falkland	2	1	3
Total	17	20	37

BIRTHS 1945 — 34

## Deaths

	Male	Female	Total
Stanley	17	7	24
East Falkland	2	1	3
West Falkland	2	1	3
Total	21	9	30

Maternal Mortality —

Infantile „ —

Still Births 1

DEATHS 1945 — 29

**Marriages**

	Anglican	Roman Catholic	Non-conformist	Registrar	Total
Stanley ...	8	2	4	5	19
East Falkland ...	—	—	—	1	1
West Falkland ...	—	—	—	3	3
Total	8	2	4	9	23

MARRIAGES 1945 — 29

**Arrivals**

1946	males 120	females 81	Total 201
1945	„ 33	„ 27	„ 60

**Departures**

1946	males 121	females 86	Total 207
1945	„ 65	„ 74	„ 139

**Population**

The population of the Falkland Islands as shown by the Census of the 31st March, 1946, was 1227 males and 1012 females or a total population of 2239.

Estimated population on the 31st December 1946 was 2234, as shown below —

	Males	Females	Total
Population by Census of 31st March 1946 ...	1227	1012	2239
Add births since date of Census ...	8	14	22
	1235	1026	2261
Add arrivals since date of Census ...	97	56	153
	1332	1082	2414
Deduct deaths since date of Census ...	11	8	19
	1321	1074	2395
Deduct departures since date of Census	99	62	161
Totals	1222	1012	2234
Birth rate per 1,000 ...	...	16.56	
Illegitimate births, actual ...	...	3	
„ „ per 1000 births ...	...	81.08	
Death rate per 1,000 ...	...	13.42	
Population per sq. mile ...	...	0.52	

**DEPENDENCIES**

Marriages	Nil	Births	Nil	Deaths	6
Estimated resident population at South Georgia 360.					
„	„	„	„	other Dependencies 30.	

H. BENNETT,

*Acting Registrar General.*

Stanley, Falkland Islands,  
12th February, 1947.



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## LEAVE.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Period.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Aldridge, Capt. L. W.	Secretariat.	Assistant Colonial Secretary.	180 days.	15.2.47.	—

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 12. 4th March, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 10 of the 20th of February, 1947, Wednesday the 5th of March, 1947, has been withdrawn from the list of days on which Public Offices will be closed and Friday the 7th of March, 1947, has been added thereto.

M.P. 291/33.

No. 13. 4th March, 1947.

Under the provisions of the Public Health Ordinance, No. 5 of 1894, as amended by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 7 of 1937, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

<p>The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer, <i>President</i> The Medical Officers The Executive Engineer Mrs. J. D. Creamer, O.B.E. R. H. Hannaford, Esq. Captain H. C. Harding, J.P. F. G. Langdon, Esq., J.P.</p>	}	<p><i>Ex-officio</i> <i>members.</i></p>
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to be members of the Board of Health for the Colony of the Falkland Islands for the year 1947.

2. Gazette Notice No. 2 of the 8th of January, 1947, is hereby cancelled.

M.P. 600/29.

No. 14. 13th March, 1947.

The following messages have been exchanged between the Commander-in-Chief, America and West Indies Station, and His Excellency the Governor :-

From the Commander-in-Chief, America and West  
Indies Station to His Excellency the Governor.

Goodbye and good luck to you all, and thank you and all those who made our stay so very enjoyable. It has been particularly nice to be in British Territory again and among British people. We look forward to seeing you all again.

From His Excellency the Governor to the  
Commander-in-Chief, America and West Indies Station.

Thank you for your kind message. Your visit has given very great pleasure to us all and I wish you God-speed in the name of the people of the Falklands.

M.P. 221/46.

No. 15. 13th March, 1947.

It is with deep regret that His Excellency the Governor announces the death on the 8th of March, 1947, of Mr. A. J. Steel, Caretaker, Secretariat Building.

M.P. P/275.

No. 16. 20th March, 1947.

DR. J. E. HAMILTON, D.Sc., F.L.S., F.Z.S., F.R.G.S., Government Naturalist, was absent on vacation leave from the 26th of April, 1946, to the 5th of March, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/225.

MR. J. MERCER, B.E.M.,

W/T Operator, 1st Class, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 27th of May, 1946, to the 5th of March, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/97.

No. 17. 20th March, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notices Nos. 13 and 18 of the 26th of April, 1946, and the 27th of May, 1946, respectively.

HAROLD BENNETT, ESQUIRE, J.P.,

Clerk, Legal Department, acted as Registrar, Supreme Court from the 26th of April, 1946, to the 5th of March, 1947, both dates inclusive; and Notary Public and Official Administrator from the 27th of May, 1946, to the 5th of March, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. P/150.

No. 18. 21st March, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LIEUTENANT JOHN BOUND

to act as Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to Councils during the absence on leave of Captain L. W. Aldridge, M.B.E., J.P., with effect from the 15th of February, 1947.

M.P. P/186.

No. 19. 21st March, 1947.

His Excellency has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Falkland Islands Defence Force during the absence on leave of Captain L. W. Aldridge, M.B.E., J.P., with effect from the 15th of February, 1947 :-

LIEUTENANT JOHN BOUND

to act as Adjutant; and

LIEUTENANT D. W. O'SULLIVAN

to act as Assistant Adjutant and Weapon Training Officer.

M.P. 92/45.

No. 20. 21st March, 1947.

His Excellency has been pleased to approve the award of the Efficiency Decoration to

MAJOR ARTHUR ISADORE FLEURET, M.B.E., J.P.,  
(Falkland Islands Defence Force).

M.P. P/19.

No. 21. 24th March, 1947.

Government clocks will be put back one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, the 29th/30th March, 1947, reverting to local mean time.

M.P. 0064.

### PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Philip Clifton of North Arm, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas William George Clifton, father 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

8th March, 1947.

L. 12/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Brian Colin McAtasney of 23 Hamilton Road, London, deceased.*

Whereas William John McAtasney, attorney for Johannah McAtasney, wife 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

11th March, 1947.

L. 10/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*William D. Pauloni of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Helen Braid Pauloni, wife 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

28th March, 1947.

L. 14/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,

*Registrar, Supreme Court.*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c.. &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

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 the 21st of March, 1947, for the purpose of visiting the Dependencies ;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 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 21st day of March, 1947.

*By His Excellency's Command,*

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*







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## APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Carter, Miss Jane	Education.	Pupil Teacher.	18.2.46.	Confirmation of appointment.
Skilling, Miss Emily	"	" "	18.2.46.	"
Goodwin, Thomas J.	Agricultural.	Dairyman.	1.1.47.	"

## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Hennah, Miss Phyllis	Pupil Teacher.	28.2.47.	Resigned.

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 22. 3rd April, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that His Majesty the King has commanded Court Mourning to be observed for a period of one week from the 1st of April, 1947, for the late King of the Hellenes.

Flags will be hoisted at half mast on the day of the funeral which has been fixed for Sunday the 6th of April, 1947.

M.P. 0130.

No. 23. 10th April, 1947.

### TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE MERCANTILE MARINE.

### 1939—1945 WAR MEDAL.

Officers and Men of the Mercantile Marine who are eligible for the 1939—1945 War Medal should forward particulars of their eligibility to the Shipping Master not later than the 31st of May, 1947.

Qualifications for the above are:—

- (a) 28 days' service anywhere at sea between the 3rd of September, 1939, and the 2nd of September, 1945.
- (b) Sea going service brought to an end by death, wounds or other disability attributable to service, capture by the enemy, or cessation

of hostilities on the 2nd of September, 1945, even though the service may not amount to 28 days in all. This concession will not apply to an individual who does not qualify for a Campaign Star.

- (c) When the 1939—1945 Star or one of the other Campaign Stars has been awarded for sea going service of less than 28 days the War Medal will be granted in addition.

M.P. 103/43.

No. 24. 22nd April, 1947.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony dated the 21st of March, 1947, His Excellency the Governor returned to Stanley on the 19th of April, 1947.

M.P. P/363.

No. 25. 28th April, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information, that His Majesty the King has commanded Court Mourning to be observed for a period of two weeks from the 21st of April, 1947, for the late King of Denmark.

Flags will be hoisted at half mast on the day of the funeral which has been fixed for Wednesday 30th of April, 1947.

M.P. 0154.

## Conditions of Pay, Allowances Etc., for Stanley Workers.

The following conditions of pay, allowances etc., were unanimously recommended by the Labour Advisory Board and have been approved by Government. They take effect from 1st May, 1947. inclusive, and will remain in force till further notice.

### A. PAY.

#### (a) Basic Rates, exclusive of any Cost of Living Bonus.

	s.	d.	
Carpenters and Joiners	1	7	per hour.
Masons, Smiths and Plumbers, and Handymen Carpenters supplying their own tools	1	5	„ „
Painters (Tradesmen)	1	5	„ „
Painters	1	4	„ „
Lorry Drivers	1	4	„ „
Masons Mates or Labourers, Plumbers Mates or Labourers (after 1 year's service as such in each case.)	1	3	„ „
Labourers and Slaughtermen	1	2	„ „
Apprentices (term of apprenticeship to end after 5 years).			
1st year	...	one quarter of tradesman's basic rate.	
2nd „	...	one third „ „ „ „	
3rd „	...	one half „ „ „ „	
4th „	...	two thirds „ „ „ „	
5th „	...	three quarters „ „ „ „	

(Apprentices at present serving their time to be given the choice of retaining their existing rates and conditions of pay, or of changing to the new basis).

Boys' Pay. To be paid in accordance with procedure previously established by the Labour Advisory Board, but to rise in the same ratio as other basic rates on any changes being made.

### NOTES.

(i) MEN EMPLOYED AS DRIVERS OF STATIONARY MOTOR ENGINES OR ANY TYPE OF STATIONARY STEAM ENGINE OR BOILER, to receive 2d. per hour above Labourer's rate. This additional rate to be taken into consideration in computing Overtime.

(ii) MASON'S basic rate includes payment for taking charge of small gangs.

(iii) MEN EMPLOYED TEMPORARILY AS LORRY DRIVERS to receive 2d. per hour above Labourer's rate.

(iv) CARPENTERS when in charge of three or more Carpenters, to receive 1d. per hour extra.

(v) LABOURERS when engaged in painting, to receive an additional 1d per hour whilst so employed.

(vi) SLAUGHTERMEN to be provided by the employer with suitable protective clothing and footwear.

(vii) APPRENTICES. It is to be understood that, by accepting pay based on that of a tradesman, the apprentice accepts the conditions under which the tradesman works (hourly rates).

#### (b) Flat Rates. (No Cost of Living Bonus Paid).

Casual Labour. (Working Ships). 1 : 9. per hour.

#### (c) Overtime.

(i) From midnight to 7.30 a.m. on any day, and continuing after, provided that any unpaid break after 7.30 shall not exceed 4 hours: and all day Sunday. Twice ordinary rates and allowances, excluding cost of living bonus.

(ii) From 4.30 p.m. to midnight all week except Saturdays, and from 12.30 p.m. to midnight on Saturdays. One and a half times ordinary rates and allowances.

(iii) Unpaid Holidays ... Twice ordinary rates and allowances.

(iv) Paid Holidays ... Men called to work on a paid holiday shall receive holiday pay plus their normal basic rate of pay per hour whilst working; that is, a total of double time for ordinary working hours: any other hours at ordinary overtime rates.

(v) Meal Hours ... When it is necessary to work through with no meal hour, double time shall be paid for the meal hour lost.

**(d) Subsistence.**

(i) Stanley workers required to carry their mid-day meal shall, in accordance with long-standing custom, receive 1/- per day subsistence allowance.

(ii) In the event of men sleeping away in a recognised camp house or cook-house, their lodgings shall be allowed for by the employer at the rate normally prevailing in the place in which they are staying.

(iii) Men required to live in a building not normally occupied shall be recompensed at a rate not exceeding 4/- per day.

**(e) Danger Money.**

(i) Men working on isolated structures above 30 feet shall receive 8d. per hour extra.

(ii) Men engaged in placing or tamping blasting charges, detonating and fixing the charge, 2d. per hour extra (limited to the man so engaged and 1 assistant).

**(f) Dirt Money.**

Pending production of further supporting details, and subsequent reconsideration of the Federation's case by the Board, existing rates to remain in force.

**B. GENERAL CONDITIONS OF LABOUR.**

(i) No employee shall be dismissed on account of objection on his part to work overtime.

(ii) If work is to continue after 6 p.m., men shall go to tea for an hour at a reasonable time.

(iii) Men temporarily employed at more than their basic rate shall receive holiday pay at the same rate as that for which they were working on the day preceding the holiday, provided that they have worked three consecutive days immediately prior to the holiday at a higher rate.

(iv) When men are required to carry their meals to their work, one man will be allowed sufficient time off normal duties in which to prepare meals for the others.

(v) Payment of wages will, in future, commence five minutes before the official "knocking-off" time, and no man may appear for his wages before that time.

(vi) **WORKING SHIPS.** If work is to continue after 7 p.m., men shall go to tea from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. except in cases where the ship is sailing in the same evening when, if the ship can be finished at or before 8 p.m., men shall work on to finish, in which event reasonable facilities shall be given to the men to obtain refreshments after 5 p.m.

**(vii) INTERVIEWS TO OFFICIALS OR DELEGATES.**

(a) Any official or delegate of the Labour Federation shall attend at a job or shop at any time, by appointment, to interview the workmen.

(b) No meeting of the workmen shall take place during working hours, except with the consent of the employer.

(c) The employer or his nominee will, at his office, during reasonable hours and by appointment, interview an official representative of the employees in respect of any matter in dispute.

(viii) No apprentice shall be called upon to accept responsibility except in the presence of a tradesman. (NOTE: This will not prevent an apprentice in his last year from taking charge of a job, provided that no responsibility is involved.)

**NOTE :—** The employers accepted the foregoing terms as to conditions of Labour and Wages, and the Falkland Islands Labour Federation on their part agreed, that they would, by internal discipline within the Union, or such other means as may be necessary, ensure that all members should perform any reasonable work that they might be called upon to do, that every member should, to the best of his ability, give a fair and reasonable day's work, attend and leave punctually, and not use the employer's time for personal business nor in any way waste the employer's time.

M.P. 114/45.

**PROBATE.**

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Thomas Watson Campbell, of Stanley,  
Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas William Henry Sedgwick, brother-in-law 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

31st March, 1947.

L. 15/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Isabella Luxton, of Stanley, Falkland Islands,  
deceased.*

Whereas Stanley Charles Luxton, husband 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

10th April, 1947.

L. 16/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,  
*Registrar, Supreme Court.*

## Falkland Islands Defence Regulations, 1946.

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Governor's Deputy.*

No. 1 of 1947.

In exercise of the powers in him vested by the Falkland Islands Defence Regulations, 1939, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered as follows :-

1. The following of the principal Regulations as amended, and all Orders issued thereunder are hereby repealed :-

### PART VI.

#### APPROPRIATION, CONTROL, FORFEITURE AND DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY AND OF THE USE THEREOF.

Section 41	(1) (b)	General control of industry.
" "	(2)	Right to make charges.
" "	(3)	Power of a Competent Authority.

### PART VIII.

#### GENERAL AND SUPPLEMENTARY.

Section 58	Inquiries.
" 74	Disposal of articles in possession of executive authorities.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1947.

*By Command*

J. BOUND,

*for Colonial Secretary.*

M.P. C/1/44.

**Annual abstract account statement showing Receipts and Payments under various Heads  
for the Dependencies for the Three Quarters ended 30th September, 1946.**

**R E C E I P T S .**

Receipts.	£ Estimated 1946.	Amount received to 30th Sept., 1946.	Receipts for same period, 1945.	More than £ estimated 1946.	Less than £ estimated 1946.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Customs Duties :					
(a) Imports	1530 0 0	433 18 6	227 5 6	.....	1096 1 6
(b) Exports	6150 0 0	9819 15 1	6360 6 9	3669 15 1	.....
2. Port & Tonnage Dues	75 0 0	150 0 0	60 0 0	75 0 0	.....
3. Internal Rev. Licences	6483 15 0	3905 3 2	2277 12 0	.....	2578 11 10
4. Fees, Fines, etc.	71 5 0	350 3 6	24 4 6	278 18 6	.....
5. Posts & Telegraphs.	.....	3203 8 1	.....	3208 8 1	.....
6. Rents ...	787 10 0	250 0 0	250 0 0	.....	437 10 0
7. Miscellaneous	97 10 0	1412 10 7	68 9 9	1315 0 7	.....
Total Ordinary Revenue £	15195 0 0	19529 18 11	9267 18 6	8547 2 3	4112 3 4
Research Fund	.....	6595 0 2	6845 18 6	.....	.....
£	15195 0 0	26124 19 1	16113 17 0	8547 2 3	4112 3 4

Surplus of Assets on 1st January, 1946.

Research Fund      ...      £207650    5    6.  
£207650    5    6.

**P A Y M E N T S .**

Payments.	£ Estimated 1946.	Amount paid to 30th Sept., 1946.	Payments for same period, 1945.	More than £ estimated 1946.	Less than £ estimated 1946.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Personal:-					
South Georgia	1260 0 0	1277 17 11	1757 8 9	17 17 11	.....
South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
General	506 5 0	493 8 1	282 12 0	.....	12 16 11
2. Other Charges:-					
(a) South Georgia	2122 10 0	1558 8 11	2283 7 9	.....	564 1 1
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
General	7579 10 0	14474 3 8	2399 7 8	6894 13 8	.....
Total Ordinary Expenditure	11468 5 0	17803 18 7	6722 16 2	6912 11 7	576 18 0
3. Extraordinary:-					
(a) South Georgia	.....	.....	15 1 8	.....	.....
Defences	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) South Shetlands	.....	.....	150 0 0	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Expenditure £	11468 5 0	17803 18 7	6887 17 10	6912 11 7	576 18 0
Charges on	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dependencies Revenue	.....	12 19 3	3852 10 7	.....	.....
Research Fund	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	11468 5 0	17816 17 10	10740 8 5	6912 11 7	576 18 0

Surplus of Assets on 30th September, 1946.

Research Fund      ...      £207650    5    6.  
Add Receipts      6595    0    2.  
Less Payments      .....  
Total      £214245    5    8.  
                                 12 19 3.  
                                 .....  
Total      £214232    6    5.

E. F. LELLMAN,  
for Financial Secretary.

Annual Abstract Account Statement showing  
the Falkland Islands & Dependencies for

R E C E I P T S .

RECEIPTS.	£ Estimated 1946.			Amount received to 30th Sept., 1946.			Receipts for same period, 1945.			More than £ estimated, 1946.			Less than £ estimated, 1946.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Balance on 1st Jan., 1946	.....			29034	19	0	.....			.....			.....			
1. Customs Duties	13575	0	0	11656	8	8	15479	15	6	.....	.....			1918	11	4
2. Port Dues	63	15	0	83	3	9	54	16	0	19	8	9	.....	.....		
3. Internal Revenue	10876	10	0	3641	14	9	8049	15	8	.....	.....			7234	15	3
4. Fees, Fines, &c.	2193	0	0	2325	16	5	1990	10	11	132	16	5	.....	.....		
5. Interest	10626	0	0	10138	3	1	10051	19	3	.....	.....			487	16	11
6. Post Office	16533	15	0	38500	8	11	13150	10	11	21966	13	11	.....	.....		
7. Telegraphs & Telephones	6423	15	0	4227	11	0	4175	16	6	.....	.....			2196	4	0
8. Rents	1140	0	0	870	13	9	1038	6	0	.....	.....			269	6	3
9. Miscellaneous	4589	5	0	3573	7	6	3738	5	6	.....	.....			1015	17	6
10. Contribution from Dependencies	3000	0	0	.....	.....		3851	10	6	.....	.....			3000	0	0
11. Land Sales	158	5	0	278	1	0	579	10	11	119	16	0	.....	.....		
Total Ordinary Rev. Falklands	£ 69179	5	0	75295	8	10	62160	17	8	22238	15	1	16122	11	3	
Dependencies Revenue	15195	0	0	19529	18	11	9267	18	6	4334	18	11	.....	.....		
Total Revenue	£ 84374	5	0	94825	7	9	71428	16	2	26573	14	0	16122	11	3	
Research Fund	.....	.....	.....	6595	0	2	Surplus of Assets 1st January, 1946.  Land Sales Fund ..... £270651 4 9 General Revenue Balance a/c ..... Deficit 21296 6 6 £249354 18 3									
Investments Realized	.....	.....	.....	48974	6	0										
Farm & Building Loans	.....	.....	.....	54	16	8										
Advances Repaid	.....	.....	.....	8413	9	6										
Deposits Received	.....	.....	.....	165108	14	7										
Remittances Received	.....	.....	.....	72988	18	5										
Marine Insurance Fund	.....	.....	.....	117	1	4										
Revenue Suspense A/c.	.....	.....	.....	5690	15	5										
Workmen's Compensation Insurance Fund	.....	.....	.....	29	1	2										
Reserve Fund	.....	.....	.....	211	7	4										
Town Hall Reconstruction Fund	.....	.....	.....	516	4	6										
Dependencies' Postal A/c.	.....	.....	.....	17429	19	2										
Total	£	420955	2 0													
Balance brought down 1st January, 1946	£	29034	19 0													
Total	£	449990	1 0													

Distribution of Cash Balance 1st January, 1946 : —

Colonial Treasury	£26261	1	7
Crown Agents	2427	5	6
South Georgia	346	11	11
	£29034	19	0



Receipts and Payments under various Heads for  
the Three Quarters ended 30th September, 1946.

## P A Y M E N T S .

PAYMENTS.	Estimated, 1946.			Amount paid to 30th Sept., 1946.			Payments for same period 1945.			More than estimated, 1946.			Less than estimated, 1946.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Pensions ...	2962	10	0	2928	15	4	2617	16	1	.....			33	14	8
2. The Governor ...	2435	5	0	2287	2	7	1867	14	9	.....			148	2	5
3. Colonial Secretary ...	2403	0	0	2323	1	3	1955	9	5	.....			79	18	9
4. Treasury & Customs ...	1515	15	0	1319	13	4	1499	12	11	.....			196	1	8
5. Audit ...	4	10	0	5	10	0	4	10	0	1	0	0	.....		
6. Post Office ...	4845	0	0	4370	19	3	3150	17	10	.....			474	0	9
7. Electrical & Telegraphs ...	5973	15	0	6112	15	3	7095	15	8	139	0	3	.....		
8. Harbour ...	1156	10	0	691	9	0	644	19	3	.....			465	1	0
9. Legal ...	316	10	0	296	9	8	668	7	1	.....			20	0	4
10. Police & Prisons ...	1070	5	0	1053	3	11	1026	8	3	.....			17	1	1
11. Medical ...	5540	5	0	6675	10	11	5891	11	9	1135	5	11	.....		
12. Education ...	6148	10	0	4966	11	1	4596	14	2	.....			1181	18	11
13. Ecclesiastical ...	216	15	0	153	0	0	153	0	0	.....			63	15	0
14. Naturalist ...	273	15	0	198	19	8	203	12	4	.....			74	15	4
15. Military ...	1125	15	0	409	13	3	314	15	0	.....			716	1	9
16. Agriculture ...	7096	10	0	6783	18	9	6789	12	1	.....			312	11	3
17. Miscellaneous ...	9570	0	0	32836	6	9	7279	6	8	23268	6	9	.....		
18. Public Works Department	3426	15	9	3869	3	0	3258	12	6	442	8	0	.....		
19. Public Works Recurrent	9750	0	0	14480	11	7	13140	9	6	4730	11	7	.....		
Total Ordinary Expenditure ... £	65831	5	0	91764	14	7	62159	5	3	29716	12	6	3783	2	11
20. Public Works Extraordinary	14	5	0	10	1	6	1481	12	3	.....			4	3	6
21. War Expenditure	750	0	0	1633	7	6	11539	12	4	883	7	6	.....		
22. Land Sales	158	5	0	.....			.....			.....			158	5	0
Total Falklands	£ 66753	15	0	93408	3	7	75180	9	10	30600	0	0	3945	11	5
Surplus of Assets on the 30th September, 1946.															
Dependencies ...				17803	18	7	Land Sales Fund ...			£270651	4	9			
Research Fund ...				12	19	3	General Revenue Balance A/c.								
Investments made ...				75557	7	7	Deficit 1/1/46.			£21296	6	6			
Advances made ...				10847	8	9	" 30/9/46.			18112	14	9	39409	1	3
Deposits Repaid ...				155758	2	8							£231242	3	6
Remittances made ...				75727	3	5									
Balance on 30th September, 1946				20874	17	2									
Total	£ 449990			1	0										

## Distribution of Cash Balance 30th September, 1946 :

Colonial Treasury ...	£19109	15	6
Crown Agents ...	1571	1	0
South Georgia ...	194	0	8
	£20874	17	2

E. F. LELLMAN,  
for Financial Secretary.





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## NEW APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Stafford, Dr. John Ingham, M.B., B.Ch., B.A., B.A.O.	Medical.	Medical Officer.	24.4.47.	—
Strong, Miss Rose	"	Matron, King Edward Memorial Hospital.	24.4.47.	—
Summers, Norman D.	"	Learner, Dental Mechanic.	1.5.47.	On probation for six months.

## LEAVE.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Period.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Braxton, T. N.	Public Works.	Mason.	180 days.	31.5.47.	—
Dixon, E. V.	" "	Clerk.	" "	31.5.47.	—
Hennah, T. H. H.	Electrical & Telegraphs.	Superintendent, Power House.	" "	28.3.47.	—
Hopwood, Dr. B. E. C.	Medical.	Medical Officer.	" "	31.5.47.	—
Kelway, G.	Harbour.	Engineer.	" "	31.5.47.	—
King, F. H.	Public Works.	Foreman Carpenter.	" "	31.5.47.	—
" V. T.	Printing Office.	Assistant Printer.	" "	31.5.47.	—
" Mrs. V. T.	Education.	Assistant Teacher.	" "	31.5.47.	—

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 27.

3rd May, 1947.

The following telegram was sent by His Excellency the Governor to the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the occasion of the 21st birthday of Her Royal Highness the Princess Elizabeth :—

"The people of the Falkland Islands send their respectful greetings and most sincere good wishes to Her Royal Highness the Princess Elizabeth on the occasion of her 21st birthday."

M.P. 0153.

No. 28.

3rd May, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has received the following telegram from Surgeon Commander E. W. Bingham, R.N., late leader of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey :—

"I would like to express my deep gratitude to Your Excellency and to the people of the Falkland Islands for the willing co-operation and kindness shown to me and all members of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey during the period of my command".

M.P. 0037/PER.

No. 29. 3rd May, 1947.

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. 4 of 1946, entitled "An Ordinance to legalise certain payments made in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-five in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 13 of 1944."

M.P. 240/46.

No. 30. 19th May, 1947.

#### LABOUR POLICY.

His Excellency the Governor in his Address to Members of the Legislative Council on the 23rd of December, 1946, dealing with the Labour situation in the Colony, said :-

"This brings me to the labour situation and to the policy pursued in fulfilment of some unrecorded commitment of a former Governor which has placed on the Administration the onus of giving work to almost anyone who seeks it, irrespective of other considerations. I venture to suggest to you that the full implications of this policy could never have been appreciated and it has created a very serious problem which we are unlikely to solve by running away from it. What it really means is this : that the Government, by carrying on a system of unplanned and uneconomic relief works which have cost the Colony many thousands of pounds has laid on its shoulders a load from which it has been unable to free itself and which, if unrelieved, may bring it financially to its knees. We face this year, as you will presently hear from the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, a deficit of no less than £27,000 and next year of no less than £35,000; it must be apparent to you that we cannot continue on these lines.

"Relief works are justifiable, and indeed necessary, in an era of unemployment and it is proper, even in normal times, that older men for whom no measure of social security exists should be able, for their own self-respect, to obtain work so long as they are capable of giving effective service; but to extend this principle to every youth as soon as he leaves school, to every man irrespective of the fact that work is available elsewhere and labour desperately needed, is to set a most dangerous precedent. To this I would add that the proper provision for men who are past active work is a social security fund on a contributory basis and that is the solution towards which Government, Employers and workers must turn their thoughts."

2. The matter was referred to the Secretary of State for the Colonies for consideration : and approval has been given for the termination of the present policy with regard to the employment of labour by Government, whereby it has been the custom to employ all men asking for work irrespective of their age or fitness, or of the necessity for their services.

3. Men now employed by Government, who are physically unfit through age or disability, or those who by age or infirmity are no longer able to work on the Camp, will be provided for by :-

- (a) Public Assistance if they are unfit for any work.
- (b) Employment on Task Work at a weekly wage, as recommended by the Labour

Advisory Board, where only fit for light duties.

Details of this scheme are now under consideration by the Falkland Islands Labour Federation and the Government, and such cases mentioned will be so provided for until the introduction of a Social Security Scheme.

4. If alternative work exists for a man applying for employment by Government whether in the Camp or elsewhere, no obligation rests on Government to provide relief work.

5. The new policy may be summarised thus :-

- (a) Government will provide casual work only to those who are unable either by age or other infirmity to work in the Camp, each such application being judged on its merits, and special rates of pay devised therefor. It will do this in recognition of the fact that there is no social security scheme and will cease to do it as soon as one can be introduced. Even so, this can only apply, where the worker is capable of doing a day's work and when he ceases to be able to do so it becomes a question of poor relief.
- (b) If work is offered whether in the Camp or elsewhere within the Colony and declined, no obligation will rest upon the Government to provide relief work.

The above does not affect those in regular employment by Government on essential works under the Public Works Department or other Departments, and refers specifically to the assumption of fresh liabilities.

6. The new policy will take effect forthwith.

M.P. 0041.

No. 31. 19th May, 1947.

#### FLOOD RELIEF FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

The sum of £1,360 ls. 4d. subscribed by the people of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies, to the above Fund, has been remitted to the Lord Mayor of London.

M.P. 0127.

No. 32. 20th May, 1947.

Under the provisions of Ordinance No. 5 of 1898, His Excellency has been pleased to appoint

L. HARDY, ESQ., B.E.M., J.P.

and

M. ROBSON, ESQ., J.P.

to be visiting Justices of the Gaol, Stanley, until the 31st of December, 1947.

M.P. 0049.

No. 33. 30th May, 1947.

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. 1 of 1946, entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Licensing Ordinance, 1944".

M.P. 164/43.

No. 34.

31st May, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Falkland Islands Defence Force under Section 7 (i) of the Defence Force Ordinance, 1920 :-

THE HON. A. B. MATHEWS, O.B.E.,  
to be Honorary Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel with effect from the 1st of June, 1947.

W. H. YOUNG, ESQ.,  
to be Lieutenant with effect from the 1st of June, 1947.

M.P. 0206.

**PROBATE.**

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*James Julian Perry, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Donald John Hall, Executor 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

23rd May, 1947.

L. 18/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Alice Maud Stevensen, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas James George Rowlands, Executor 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

23rd May, 1947.

L. 19/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,  
*Registrar, Supreme Court.*

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, ESQUIRE, O.B.E., to be the Deputy for the Governor of the said Colony.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

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 the 1st of June, 1947, for the purpose of visiting certain places on the East and West Falkland Islands ;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby appoint you ARNOLD BURNETT MATHEWS, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 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 1st day of June, 1947.

*By His Excellency's Command,*

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*



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## NEW APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Allan, J.	Post Office.	Office Boy & Messenger.	12.5.47.	On probation for 6 months.
Allan, R. J.	Electrical & Telegraphs.	" " " "	21.5.47.	"
McLaren, J.	Meteorological.	Junior Assist. Grade V.	28.4.47.	"

## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Newman, Miss B.	Travelling Teacher.	27.5.47.	Resigned.
Fleuret, Mrs. Rose	Temporary Nursing Sister, K.E.M. Hospital.	14.6.47.	Termination of temp. appointment.
Rowlands, Miss B.	Staff Nurse, K.E.M. Hospital.	21.6.47.	Appt. terminated.

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 35. 9th June, 1947.

With reference to the Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony, dated the 1st of June, 1947, His Excellency the Governor returned from tour on the 8th of June, 1947.

M.P. P/363.

No. 36. 10th June, 1947.

A Ceremonial Parade will be held at 10.30 a.m. on Thursday the 12th of June, 1947, on the occasion of the official celebration of His Majesty's Birthday.

The Parade, which will be inspected by His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief, will form up in the Government School Playground, and will comprise a detachment of the Falkland Islands Defence Force and the Boys' Brigade.

Members of the public wishing to attend the ceremony should arrive at the School Playground not later than 10.15 a.m. or on Victory Green not later than 10.30 a.m.

In the event of weather conditions being unsuitable for holding the out-door Parade, the

ceremony will be held in the Defence Force Drill Hall, commencing at 10.30 a.m. There will be limited accommodation for spectators who should be in the Hall by 10.20 a.m.

M.P. 0191.

No. 37. 14th June, 1947.

### KING'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointment:—

*To the Most Excellent Order  
of the British Empire,*

SURGEON-COMMANDER E. W. BINGHAM, R.N.  
to be an Officer of the Fourth Class (Military) or O.B.E.

M.P. 0107.

No. 38. 18th June, 1947.

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 1947.

M.P. 208/46.



No. 39. 23rd June, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

BERNARD NOEL BIGGS, ESQUIRE,

to act as Collector of Customs with effect from the 13th of June, 1947.

M.P. P/151.

No. 40. 27th June, 1947.

WILLIAM CHARLES RUMBOLDS, ESQUIRE,

Customs Officer, South Georgia, was absent on vacation leave prior to retirement, from the 19th of April, 1946, to the 4th of June, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/26.

#### PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Ivor Ejarne Steen, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Nellie Frances Middleton, daughter 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

16th June, 1947.

L. 22/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Robert Steel, of San Carlos, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Martha Burns, neice 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

16th June, 1947.

L. 23/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Alexander Berntsen of Port Stephens, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Edward John McAtasney, Executor 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

27th June, 1947.

L. 24/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,

*Registrar, Supreme Court.*

No. 1.

## Proclamation

1947.

To prohibit the Importation and Exportation of certain articles and goods and to regulate the Importation and Exportation of certain others.

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.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS it seems desirable to consolidate the orders governing the Importation of goods into the Colony and the Exportation of goods from the Colony.

Now in virtue of the powers in me vested by Section 2 of the Exports and Imports (Emergency Powers) Ordinance, 1939, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland

Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby proclaim and order and it is hereby proclaimed and ordered that the following amended rules regarding the importation of all goods without exception come into force forthwith :-

Open General Import Licences may henceforth be granted to Registered Traders upon application to the Collector of Customs for all articles of Merchandise obtainable within the sterling area with the exception of Foodstuffs, which will continue to be controlled by means of licences which may be issued by the Collector of Customs.

And it is further proclaimed and ordered that the exportation of the following articles is prohibited :-

Chemicals & chemical preparations.	Seeds.
Clothing (including footwear).	Soap & Soap powder.
Foodstuffs.	Textile materials (excluding bagging).
Glass & Earthenware.	Toilet preparations.
Oils, Polish, &c.	Toys.
Paint.	

Provided always that the foodstuffs and other products named in the Schedule annexed are hereby authorized to be exported subject to the conditions set forth in the said Schedules.

Proclamation No. 7 of 1942, dated the 23rd November, 1942, and Proclamation No. 6 of 1946, dated 14th December, 1946, are hereby repealed.

### GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 20th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-seven.

*By His Excellency's Command,*  
A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

M.P. 224/46.

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### SCHEDULE A.

The following may be exported by Open General Licence, issued by the Collector of Customs, quantities not limited.

Dripping and all other locally produced substances and articles containing no imported ingredients with the exception of salt used as a preservative.

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### SCHEDULE B.

The following may be exported by Open General Licence issued by the Collector of Customs, provided that the parcels do not contain more than 4 lbs. of any one foodstuff and that only one parcel may be sent to any one addressee in any one mail and that the contents are drawn from the following list :-

#### EX-ARMY STOCKS.

1. Meat & Vegetable Stew.
  2. Oxford Sausages.
  3. Casserole of Beef.
  4. Steak & Kidney Pudding.
  5. Margarine.
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## Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council.

MILES CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

No. 1 of 1947.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by the Post Office Ordinance, 1898, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered that:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Post Office (Air Mail) Amendment Order, 1947.
2. Line 3 of paragraph 2 of Order No. 4 of 1944, entitled Post Office (Air Mail Fees) Order, 1944, shall be amended by the insertion of the words "and South Georgia" between "Fox Bay" and "post offices".
3. The sixth paragraph of Order No. 1 of 1945 is hereby revoked and shall be replaced by the following paragraph—

The authorised air letter forms will be issued free of charge on application at a post office. No other forms will be accepted for transmission under this scheme.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council on this 1st day of July, 1947.

J. BOUND,

*Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.*

M.P. 0082.

## The Motor Car Ordinance, 1936.

### Regulations made by the Governor in Council under Section 6 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1936.

MILES CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

No. 2 of 1947.

In pursuance of the powers in him vested by Section 6 of the Motor Car Ordinance, 1936, His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice of the Executive Council is pleased to make the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Car (Speed and Weight) Regulations, 1947.
2. No motor vehicle having a chassis weight exceeding thirty hundredweight may be used in Stanley excepting those in use at the date of the making of these Regulations, provided that any motor vehicle which exceeds the said weight and has been ordered for importation before the date of these Regulations may be used.
3. No motor vehicle may exceed the speed of twenty miles per hour within that part of the town of Stanley which is enclosed within the Common Fence, provided that the said fence is assumed to cross the road running to the West at the West side of the gate at the Naval W/T Control buildings and that at a distance of fifty yards from every entrance to the area in which speed is controlled there shall be erected a white board bearing in black the figures "20" which shall not be less than twelve inches in height, and that the said boards shall be placed on the near side of the road with reference to vehicles approaching the area in which speed is controlled.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a Meeting held on the 24th day of June, 1947.

J. BOUND,

*Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.*

M.P. 0086.

## NOTICE.

An application of Ordinances of the Colony to the Dependencies.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

In pursuance of the powers conferred on him by Section 3 of the Dependencies Ordinance, 1908, His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council is pleased to declare by this Notice that from the date hereof the following Ordinances shall apply to the Dependencies, namely :-

The Pensions Ordinance, 1937, and  
The Matrimonial Causes Ordinance, 1940,  
together with all amending Ordinances.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a Meeting held on the 28th day of June, 1947.

J. BOUND,  
*Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.*

M.P. 0188.

# A Bill

To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1943.

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. Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained in the Third Schedule of the Tariff Ordinance, 1943, the duty of Customs to be raised, levied and collected upon both whale oil and seal oil which shall have been produced in the Colony or any of its Dependencies, or brought within the Colony or any of its Dependencies for storage and subsequent exportation shall be in accordance with the scale set forth in the Schedule to this Ordinance.	Rate of Duty on Whale and Seal Oil.
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2. In the event of any difference of opinion arising as to the average market price of whale or seal oil for any one season the decision of the Governor in Council shall be final.

3. In this Ordinance and in the Tariff Ordinance, 1943, "Colony" means the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies and the territorial waters of the Colony and its Dependencies.

4. This Ordinance may be cited as the Tariff (Oil Export Duties) Amendment Ordinance, 1947, and shall be read and construed as one with the Tariff Ordinance, 1943.

Passed by the Legislative Council this                      day of  
 , 1947.

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this            day of            , 1947.

Colonial Secretary.

M.P. D/6/47.

## Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

## EXPORT DUTIES

## WHALE OIL AND SEAL OIL.

If the average market price for the season of first grade oil,										
does not exceed £20 per ton						...	...	...	one shilling and sixpence per barrel of 40 gallons.	
exceeds £20 but does not exceed £25 per ton						...	two shillings per barrel of 40 gallons.			
..	£25	..	..	..	..	£30	..	..	...	two shillings and sixpence per barrel of 40 gallons.
..	£30	..	..	..	..	£35	..	..	...	three shillings per barrel of 40 gallons.
..	£35	..	..	..	..	£40	..	..	...	three shillings and sixpence per barrel of 40 gallons.
..	£40	..	..	..	..	£45	..	..	...	four shillings per barrel of 40 gallons.
..	£45	..	..	..	..	£50	..	..	...	four shillings and sixpence per barrel of 40 gallons.
..	£50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	five shillings per barrel of 40 gallons.



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## APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Bonner, R.	Education.	Travelling Teacher.	1.5.46.	Confirmation of appointment.

## PROMOTION.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Asst. Customs Officer.</i>	<i>to</i>	<i>Customs Officer.</i>	<i>Date.</i>
Grierson, W. J.	South Georgia		South Georgia.	5.6.47.

## TRANSFER.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Travelling Teacher,</i>	<i>to</i>	<i>Junior Assistant,</i>	<i>Date.</i>
Bonner, R.	Education Dept.		Meteorological Office.	16.7.47.

## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Morrison, Miss C.	Travelling Teacher.	5.7.47.	Resigned.

## NOTICES.

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A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 41. 4th July, 1947.

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 1946, entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Pensions Ordinance, 1937".

M.P. 59/36.

No. 42. 5th July, 1947.

MISS W. M. BRIGGINSHAW,

Nursing Sister, acted as Matron from the 1st of December, 1946, to the 23rd of April, 1947, inclusive.

M.P. P/353.

No. 43. 16th July, 1947.

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. 5 of 1946, entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1943".

M.P. 159/43.

No. 44. 29th July, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to constitute a Committee to report upon the development of broadcasting in the Colony and Dependencies :-

A. Mercer, Esq., *Chairman.*  
Comm. Tel. F. R. Dore, R.N.  
J. Mercer, Esq., B.E.M.  
D. McNaughton, Esq.

M.P. 0001.

No. 45. 25th July, 1947.

With effect from the 1st of August, 1947, Government employees may have a break in work from 8.50 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. daily for purposes of "smoko". The break shall not be taken at any other time or exceed ten minutes, except on the authority of the foreman in charge of a gang and disciplinary action will be taken against any employee found taking a break at any time other or longer than the above mentioned period.

M.P. 288/46.

No. 46. 29th July, 1947.

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

A. L. HARDY, ESQ., B.E.M., J.P.

to be Superintendent of the Stanley Volunteer Fire Brigade, with effect from the 29th of July, 1947.

M.P. 101/46.

No. 47. 29th July, 1947.

J. C. HOOLEY, ESQ.,

Travelling Teacher, Education Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 26th of April, 1946, to the 24th of April, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/179/A.

A. H. HILLS, ESQ.,

Water Bailiff, Public Works Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 8th of February, 1946, to the 24th of April, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/129.

T. I. BIGGS, ESQ.,

Clerk, Medical Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 25th of June, 1946, to the 24th of April, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/194.

No. 48. 29th July, 1947.

CAPTAIN C. F. SHEPPARD,

Chief Constable, Falkland Islands, was absent on vacation leave from the 30th of August, 1946, to the 9th of July, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/219.

No. 49. 29th July, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 35 of the 2nd of September, 1946,

POLICE-SERGEANT JAMES NORRIS

acted as Chief Constable and Gaoler from the 30th of August, 1946, to the 9th of July, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. P/115.

No. 50. 31st July, 1947.

In view of the several changes that have taken place in the composition of the Labour Advisory Board since its original constitution, and of the fact that it has not met for nearly a year, His Excellency has now been pleased to confirm the appointment to the Board of the following gentlemen for a period of two years :-

Hon. Dr. J. E. Hamilton,

D.Sc., F.L.S., F.Z.S., F.R.G.S. *Chairman.*

Hon. Mr. D. W. Roberts, O.B.E., J.P.

W. P. Hills, Esq.

G. Brechin, Esq.

M. Robson, Esq., J.P.

Rev. W. F. McWhan

D. McNaughton, Esq.

M.P. 97/41.

No. 51.

31st July, 1947.

The Leave and Passage Regulations have recently been reviewed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, who has reached the conclusion that they go beyond what was contemplated when they were framed or what is the general practice elsewhere.

2. Colonial practice the principle that

A Colonial Government officers recruited them fair facilities for home countries; and the interest for Government to provide facilities for overseas leave for certain classes or grades of local officers whose home is in the Colonies, but whose work and responsibility is on all fours with that of imported officials.

3. In the circumstances, and in view of the present financial position, the Secretary of State has agreed that the existing privileges regarding free passages for officers below the Special Grade (£400-10-£500) should be suspended.

4. Revised Regulations regarding Leave and Passages and other conditions of service are under consideration.

M.P. 0003.

#### PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Alexander Steel of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Gregor Brechin, Executor 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

21st July, 1947.

L. 25/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Catherine Ann Hall of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas William John Hutchinson and Bertie Fleuret, Executors of the above named deceased, have 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

31st July, 1947.

L. 26/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,  
*Registrar, Supreme Court.*





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## NEW APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Boumphrey, R. S.	Audit.	Assistant Auditor-in-Charge.	22.5.47.	—
Bowles, G. W. J.	Customs.	Assistant Customs Officer.	1.8.47.	On probation for 6 months.

## CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Osborne, Mrs. M. A.	Education.	Assistant Teacher.	7.12.42.	—

## LEAVE.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Period.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Krauss, Dr. H.	Medical.	Medical Officer.	3 months.	22.7.47.	—
Sheppard, Capt. C. F.	Police and Prisons.	Chief Constable.	12 days plus period of voyage.	24.8.46.	—
Tomlinson Capt. J.	Medical.	Dental Surgeon.	130 days plus period of voyage.	22.7.47.	—

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 52. 18th August, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 34 of the 31st of May, 1947, the Honourable Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Mathews, O.B.E., assumed command of the Falkland Islands Defence Force *vice* the Honourable Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Woodgate, O.B.E., with effect from Thursday, the 14th of August, 1947.

M.P. 0206.

No. 53. 19th August, 1947.

His Excellency has been pleased to approve the award of the Efficiency Decoration to

CAPTAIN DUNCAN RUSSELL WATSON,  
(Falkland Islands Defence Force).

M.P. 189/42.

## No 54. 25th August, 1947.

Under Section 4, sub-section (2) of Ordinance, No. 8 of 1938, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to the Board of Management of the Government Employees' Provident Fund :-

R. King, Esq., *vice* W. J. McAtasney, Esq.,  
Mrs. M. A. Osborne, *vice* Mrs. King  
(née Miss Pettersson).

M.P. 0146.

## No. 55. 26th August, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments :-

POLICE SERGEANT JAMES NORRIS

to act as Chief Constable and Gaoler with effect from the 24th of August, 1947.

M.P. P/115.

DAVID LEES, ESQUIRE.

General Foreman of Works, to act as Officer-in-Charge, Public Works Department, with effect from the 24th August, 1947.

M.P. P/57.

## No. 56. 29th August, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint a Committee to consider arrangements for wireless telegraph communications at Stanley to provide

- I. (a) Normal terminal facilities (Stanley/United Kingdom; Stanley/Monte-video, etc.).
- (b) Service with the Dependencies including South Georgia.
- (c) Needs of the Meteorological Service actual and projected.
- II. Radio-telephone communications with the Camp.

## III. New Broadcasting Service.

2. The Committee will be constituted as follows :-

Cmdr. C. R. W. Gairdner, R.N. (Retd.) *Chairman*  
Comm. Tel. F. R. Dore, R.N.  
G. A. Howkins, Esq.  
A. Mercer, Esq.

M.P. 0438.

## No. 57. 28th August, 1947.

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, the Princess Elizabeth and the other members of the Royal Family.

M.P. 46/37.

## PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Frederick Murdoch Morrison of Darwin,  
Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Mary Ann Morrison, wife 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

27th May, 1947.

L. 20/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,  
*Registrar, Supreme Court.*

## The King Edward Hospital Ordinance, 1916.

### The Medical Fees Regulations, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,

*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 Medical Fees Regulations, 1947. Short Title.

2. In these Regulations :

Definitions.

“Medical Officer” means a qualified medical Practitioner employed by the Government.

“Household” means those living under one roof as a family.

“Subscriber” means a household, the head of which subscribes an annual sum towards the cost of Government medical service.

“Child” means a person under 15 years of age.

“Government Servant” means any person appointed to an established post and whose appointment is published in the Gazette.

“Government Employee” means any employee not so appointed whose wages are paid from “Other Charges”, and who is a contributor to the Provident Fund.

Provided that any Government employee having the same privileges in respect of medical fees as Government Servants on the 1st of May, 1938, shall not be deprived of such privileges while in the employment of the Government.

“Normal Visit” means the professional visit ordinarily paid by a Medical Officer to a household in Stanley.

3. Charges levied under these Regulations may be remitted in whole or in part by the Governor. Remission of Charges.

4. Charges shall be paid or arranged for, save in emergencies, at the time or before the service is rendered. Charges to be paid at time or before service rendered.

5. The following schedules of charges shall apply : Fees to be charged.

#### SCHEDULE A — SCALE OF CHARGES FOR MEDICAL SERVICES PERFORMED OUTSIDE THE KING EDWARD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

(1) Attendance by a Medical Officer at the household of a person in Stanley whose income does not exceed £200 per annum, between 7.0 a.m. and 7 p.m.

(a) For the first visit 2/6.

(b) For each subsequent visit 1/6.

(2) Attendance by a Medical Officer at the household of a person in Stanley whose income exceeds £200, but less than £500, between 7.0. a.m. and 7.0. p.m.

(a) For the first visit 5/-.

(b) For each subsequent visit 2/6.

(3) Attendance by a Medical Officer at the household of a person in Stanley whose income exceeds £500 per annum, between 7.0. a.m. and 7.0. p.m.

(a) For the first visit 7/6.

(b) For each subsequent visit 5/-.

(4) Attendance by a Medical Officer at the household of a person during the night 7.0. p.m. to 7.0. a.m. shall be double the charge made for a day visit.

(5) Requests for visits except in cases of urgency shall be made to the K.E.M. Hospital by noon for a visit on the same day, otherwise double fees may be charged, as for night visits.

(6) Attendance by a Sister or Staff Nurse at a residence of any person in Stanley –

(a) For the first visit 1/- to 15/-.

(b) For each subsequent visit 1/- to 5/-.

(7) – (a) When a Nursing Sister or Staff Nurse is employed on full time service outside the King Edward Memorial Hospital but in Stanley, a charge of 9/- to 15/- per day shall be made and the Nurse shall be provided by her employer with suitable board and lodging free of charge.

(b) When the same service as in (7), (a) is performed outside Stanley, free transport shall be provided for the Nurse, free board and lodging shall be provided and there shall be payable in advance a charge of 3/- to 15/- per day.

(8) When a Medical Officer is required to remain with a case in excess of the time spent in a normal visit; renders special service or treatment, performs any kind of operation, obstetrical or surgical, a fee varying from £1 to £20 may be charged at the discretion of the Senior Medical Officer.

(9) When a Medical Officer visits a patient outside Stanley who is not a subscriber to a Government Medical Service, there shall be made, in addition to medical charges, a *one-way* mileage charge of 3/- per mile or, in lieu, transport both ways shall be provided, as required by the Senior Medical Officer.

(10) When a Medical Officer is requested to visit a ship in Stanley Harbour or elsewhere there shall be made a charge of £1. 1s. for the first patient and 5/- for each additional patient seen. When the patient is on board a ship in Port William the charges shall be £1. 10s. 6d. and 7/6 respectively.

Free transport to the ship shall be provided by the Master where necessary.

(11) For persons not normally resident in the Colony double fees may be charged at the discretion of the Senior Medical Officer.

SCHEDULE B - SCALE OF FEES CHARGEABLE AT  
THE KING EDWARD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

- (1) Medical Consultation as an Out-patient -
  - (a) For the first consultation 1/6 to 5/-.
  - (b) For subsequent consultations 1/- to 3/-.
- (2) Special services, diagnostic, medical, surgical or laboratory, as an Out-patient, 1/6 to £2, depending on the character of the work and at the discretion of the Medical Officer doing the work.
- (3) For ordinary medical attendance - while an In-patient in a General Ward, 2/- per day.  
While an In-patient in a Private Ward, 3/- per day.
- (4) - (a) For special services in addition to attendance, diagnostic, medical, surgical or therapeutic a special service charge shall be made depending on the nature of the work done, status of the patient, etc. This charge shall include post-operative attendance fees.  
(b) Maternity patients who have attended the ante-natal clinic and are admitted as In-patients shall pay an inclusive fee of £4. 4s. in the General Ward or £6. 6s. in a Private Ward.
- (5) There shall normally be no charge for ordinary medicines or dressings supplied to an In-patient but a charge shall lie where these are unusual in quantity or type and shall be such as the Senior Medical Officer may consider appropriate.

SCHEDULE C - FEES FOR MAINTENANCE.

- (1) Persons normally resident in the Colony and admitted to a General Ward shall be charged 8/- per day, £2. 2s. per week, and odd days in excess of a week 8/- per day; and if they are admitted to a Private Ward shall be charged 10/- per day, £3. 3s. per week and odd days in excess of a week 10/- per day.
- (2) Camp subscribers shall be charged general maintenance fees on the same scale as ordinary residents in the Colony.
- (3) Persons not normally resident in the Colony shall be charged 10/6 per day when admitted to a General Ward or 20/- per day or £5. 5s. per week when admitted to a Private Ward.
- (4) Half fees shall be charged for the maintenance of children.
- (5) At his discretion, the Senior Medical Officer may remit half of any of the fees set forth in Schedules (B) and (C) and the Governor alone may remit more than half, but there shall be no remission of fees charged with respect to Private Wards.

SCHEDULE D - DENTAL FEES.

- (1) Scaling and polishing, or scaling and polishing with gum treatment 2/6 to 7/6.

- (2) Fillings – (a) Amalgam 2/6 to 10/-.  
 (b) Cement 5/- to 10/-.  
 \* (c) Gold but excluding cost of gold 10/6 to £1. 1s.  
 (d) Temporary 2/-.
- (3) Root treatment, per tooth, 7/6 to £2. 2s.
- \* (4) Crowning, per tooth, £2. 2s. to £5. 5s.
- (5) Extractions – (a) Under local anæsthetic, per tooth, from 1/- to £2. 10s.  
 (b) With general anæsthetic, per tooth, 2/-, but in no case in excess of 30/-. This does not include a fee for anæsthesia and for maintenance if the patient is admitted to the Hospital.
- (6) Children – Scaling, polishing, gum treatment, Amalgam and Cement Fillings, extractions under local anæsthetic – Free. Any treatment more extensive shall require half the usual charges for Adults. Children of parents whose income exceeds £200 per annum, half adult fees.
- \* (7) Dentures – (a) Full upper or lower denture £3. 3s. to £5. 5s.  
 (b) Partial denture £1. 1s. to £2. 2s.  
 (c) Repairs to fractured dentures up to 15/-, without guarantee of resultant repair.  
 (d) Additions on partial dentures, per tooth, 1/- to 2/-.  
 (e) Obturator in addition to the plate £1. 1s. to £2. 2s.  
 (f) Splints – vulcanite or metal, each £1. 1s. to £2. 2s.

*Note.* Special compounds including Acrylic Resin, *double* and Precious Metals *treble* the fees above.

- (8) Visits in Stanley, in addition to any work, 2/6 to 10/-.

Special visits outside Stanley – Transport shall be provided free for the Dentist and a fee charged for his time from £1. 1s. to £10. 10s.

#### SCHEDULE E – MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES.

(1) General anæsthesia including spinal anæsthesia and intravenous anæsthesia. The fee charged shall be from 10/6 to 21/- regardless of the purpose for which it is required. No special fee for local anæsthetic.

(2) For examination for Benefit Societies with a certificate the fee shall be 10/6.

(3) For examination for Life Assurance with a certificate the fee shall be 31/6.

(4) Vaccination against small-pox and immunisation against any disease, free.

(5) Medical comforts, wines, spirits, any special apparatus, food or medicines, shall be paid for by the patient.

(6) Common galenical prescriptions –

Bottle of 10 ozs. in $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. doses	1s. 6d. to 3/-.
Common ointments, per oz.	3d.
Common linaments, per oz.	3d. to 6d.
Common tablets and pills, per doz.	2d.

Other preparations shall be charged according to cost and quantity.

(7) The following charges for radiography shall be made :

(a) Simple screening	5/- to 20/-.
(b) Skiagram	5/- to 20/-.
(c) Barium series	10/6 to 42/-.

(8) Physiotherapy treatment, *i.e.*, radiant heat, vapour baths, etc., if given to Out-patients, shall be charged at 1/- per session; to In-patients no charge.

(9) For use of the Medical car as an ambulance or conveyance 2/6 to 21/- depending on time and distance.

#### SCHEDULE F – SCALE OF CHARGES FOR SPECIAL CLASSES.

(1) Government Servants – No charge shall lie against a Government Servant for the cost of medical care except :

- (a) For maintenance in the King Edward Memorial Hospital, when half the normal charges shall be collected.
- (b) For dental charges of a special character, indicated in the Schedule by an asterisk, when half the normal charges shall be collected.
- (c) For general anæsthesia and special services as outlined in Schedule B, (4) or B, (2) ; when half the normal charges shall be collected.
- (d) Medical comforts, etc., – see Schedule E, (5).
- (e) Ambulance charge, see Schedule E, (9).

(2) Wives and children of Government Servants, excluding those gainfully employed, shall be treated precisely as Government Servants.

(3) Recognised Ministers of Religion and Sisters of Charity shall be similarly regarded.

(4) Camp Subscribers – With the exception of the charges prescribed in Schedule B (4) (b), no charges shall lie for Medical Services under Schedules A, B, and E.

(5) Government Employees, as for Government Servants.

(6) Children – half the normal charges shall be collected.

(7) No charge for medical or dental care shall lie against a member of the Falkland Islands Defence Force when on active service except :



- (a) in the case of a man who has been technically embodied but is not actually serving with the Force, when the regulations as for civilians shall apply –
- (b) in the case of a man who requires medical or dental treatment for conditions antedating enlistment and not arising from military service.

Members of the Falkland Islands Defence Force who, in the opinion of the Senior Medical Officer require treatment in Hospital, shall receive free hospital maintenance in a private ward in the case of a commissioned officer and in a public ward for all other ranks.

Repeal.

6. The Medical Department Fees Regulations, 1938, the Medical Department Fees (Amendment) Regulations, 1938, and the Medical Department Fees (Amendment) Regulations, 1939, are hereby repealed.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a meeting held on the 2nd day of August, 1947.

J. BOUND,

*Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.*

M.P. 0135.



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No. 10.

## NEW APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Gilmore, T. J., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Medical.	Medical Officer.	12.5.47.	Temporary, on 3 year contract.

## TRANSFER ON PROMOTION.

			<i>Date.</i>
Gleadell, L.	Clerk, Grade IV., E. & T. Dept.	to Clerk, Grade III., Audit Dept.	1.10.47.

## TRANSFER.

Mercer, J.	Wireless Operator, 1st Class, Stanley	to Wireless Operator-in-Charge, South Georgia Station.	18.9.47.
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## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT.

	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Binnie, T.	Clerk, Post Office.	7.9.47.	Appointment terminated.

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 58. 2nd September, 1947.

H. E. SLADE, ESQ.,

Electrician, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, was absent on vacation leave from the 18th of November, 1946, to the 5th of August, 1947.

M.P. L/79.

Ordinance, No. 5 of 1894, as amended by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 7 of 1937, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MR. DAVID LEES

to be provisionally a member of the Board of Health pending the appointment of an Executive Engineer.

M.P. 600/29.

No. 59. 3rd September, 1947.

Under the provisions of the Public Health

No. 60. 5th September, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

COMMANDER CECIL RANKIN WYLIZ GAIRDNER,  
R.N., (Ret.)

to be Personal Assistant and Personal Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency with effect from the 6th of August, 1947.

2. Commander Gairdner's duties will be mainly concerned with the Dependencies and his salary is found from Dependencies votes.

M.P. P/379.

No. 61. 10th September, 1947.

SIR ALLAN WOLSEY CARDINALL, K.B.E., C.M.G., late Governor and Commander-in-Chief was on leave from the 26th of July, 1946, to the 7th of September, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. P/231.

No. 62. 13th September, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment :-

DAVID LEES, ESQUIRE,

to act as Harbour Master, Harbour Department, with effect from the 24th of August, 1947.

M.P. P/57.

No. 63. 18th September, 1947.

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. 3 of 1946, entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Customs Ordinance, 1943".

M.P. 152/39.

No. 64. 19th September, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 62 of the 28th of December, 1946, the following Practitioners, Dentist and Midwife, have been added

to the List of Medical Practitioners, Dentists and Midwives, registered to practise in the Colony.

Name.	Qualifications.	Date of Qualification
<i>Medical Practitioners</i>		
Stafford, John Ingham	M.B., B.Ch., B.A. B.A.O. (Dub. Univ.)	1940.
Gilmore, Terence James	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (Eng.)	1943.
<i>Dental Surgeon</i>		
Roberts, Gerald Holgate	B.Ch.D., L.D.S. (Leeds), D.D.S. (Toronto)	1946. 1947.
<i>Midwife</i>		
Strong, Rose	S.R.N. S.C.M.	1933. 1934.

M.P. 21/28.

No. 65. 20th September, 1947.

Government clocks will be advanced one hour at midnight, Saturday/Sunday, the 4th/5th October, 1947.

M.P. 0064.

22nd September, 1947.

A Committee has been appointed to advise upon applications for import licences for food-stuffs and articles of domestic use, having regard to the necessity for limiting imports to the utmost in view of the economic crisis in the United Kingdom.

2. The Committee is constituted as follows :-

Acting Collector of Customs (*Chairman*).  
The Honourable the Senior Medical Officer.  
Miss Bosworthick.  
Mrs. H. Evans.  
Mrs. A. Mercer.

MP. 0057.

## Finance Control.

In view of the grave economic crisis, the following measures, which correspond to similar measures in the United Kingdom, will come into effect locally forthwith :-

### A. IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CURRENCY.

Travellers limited to  
£10.

1. The limit of exemption given to travellers from prohibition of the import and export of sterling notes has been *reduced* from £20 to £10 *maximum*.

Note: In the United Kingdom the maximum is £5 but in view of local conditions which involve transshipment at Montevideo a higher maximum will be permitted in the Falkland Islands and their Dependencies.

Export of sterling.  
Written undertaking  
necessary.

2. Export of sterling notes to the permitted maximum will only be allowed on a written undertaking by the exporter that they will be used on board ship or in the United Kingdom and **not** to buy foreign currency.

### B. MEASURES TO CONSERVE FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

No allowance for  
holiday travel in  
foreign countries.

1. *Personal Travel*. No allowance will be made for personal travel except on duty or business, in which case the prior sanction of

the Treasury must be obtained for (a) reasonable hotel expenses *plus*  
(b) a maximum of £1 *per* day.

2. *Health.* The necessary minimum expenses will be allowed provided that the patient obtains from the Senior Medical Officer before leaving the Colony a certificate that treatment is essential to health and cannot be obtained locally.

Medical treatment  
certificate from  
S.M.O. required.

3. The use of existing non-sterling credits by persons other than those in favour of whom they have been issued is strictly prohibited: and such persons, or any other persons who may be granted foreign exchange facilities, may only use them for goods to be purchased under Import Licences (which will be granted sparingly and only for essentials) and to the value of such goods supported by the evidence of receipts: or for such other purpose as the Treasury in exceptional circumstances prescribe.

Foreign credits.  
(a) Not transferable.  
(b) only to be used  
for goods licensed  
for importation.

4. Regulations will shortly be issued on the subject of Finance Control.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
16th September, 1947.

## MAGISTRATES AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE IN THE COLONY AND ITS DEPENDENCIES.

Name.	Place of Residence.	Date of Appointment.
EAST FALKLAND.		
Capt. L. W. Aldridge, M.B.E., J.P.	Stanley	22nd July, 1946.
H. Bennett, Esq., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
Hon. Mr. V. A. H. Biggs, J.P.	"	12th May, 1937.
Hon. Dr. J. E. Hamilton, D.Sc., J.P., Magistrate	"	14th November, 1919.
A. L. Hardy, Esq., B.E.M., J.P.	"	22nd July, 1946.
A. Newing, Esq., J.P.	"	6th May, 1935.
Hon. Mr. D. W. Roberts, O.B.E., J.P.	"	24th May, 1939.
J. R. Robson, Esq., J.P.	"	14th November, 1934.
M. Robson, Esq., J.P.	"	12th August, 1920.
Hon. Mr. A. G. Barton, J.P.	Teal Inlet	15th July, 1931.
J. F. Bonner, Esq., J.P.	San Carlos	12th May, 1937.
N. K. Cameron, Esq., J.P.	Port San Carlos	6th May, 1935.
WEST FALKLAND.		
G. D. Arthur, Esq., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., J.P.	Fox Bay East	25th April, 1946.
J. Hansen, Esq., J.P.	Carcass Island	7th November, 1938.
H. C. Harding, Esq., J.P.	Hill Cove	27th November, 1939.
K. W. Luxton, Esq., J.P.	The Chartres	24th September, 1940.
W. H. Luxton, Esq., J.P.	" "	1st January, 1913.
D. M. Pole-Evans, Esq., J.P.	Port Howard	25th April, 1946.
Hon. Mr. R. C. Pole-Evans, O.B.E., J.P.	" "	22nd June, 1921.
C. H. Robertson, Esq., J.P.	Fox Bay West	27th November, 1936.
DEPENDENCIES.		
O. Burd, Esq., Magistrate	Argentine Islands.	7th April, 1947.
K. S. P. Butler, Esq., Magistrate	Graham Land	1st April, 1947.
M. A. Choyce, Esq., J.P.	" "	8th January, 1946.
F. K. Elliott, Esq., Magistrate	" "	31st December, 1946.
Major A. I. Fleuret, M.B.E., E.D., J.P., Magistrate	South Georgia	26th September, 1940.
J. S. R. Huckle, Esq., Magistrate	South Shetlands	9th April, 1947.
G. deQ. Robin, Esq., Magistrate	Signey Island	31st December, 1946.

Instrument under the Public Seal of the Colony of the Falkland Islands appointing JAMES ERIK HAMILTON, Esq., D.Sc., J.P., to be a Member of the Executive Council.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

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 shall be an Executive Council in and for the said Colony which shall 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.

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

JAMES ERIK HAMILTON, Esq., D.Sc., J.P.,

to be a Member of the Executive Council.

**GOD SAVE THE KING.**

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Government House, Stanley, this 19th day of September, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and forty-seven.

*By His Excellency's Command,*

A. B. MATHEWS,

*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 2.

## Proclamation

1947.

To prohibit the Importation and Exportation of certain articles and goods and to regulate the Importation and Exportation of certain others.

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, &c., &c.

MILES CLIFFORD — *By His Excellency GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, ESQUIRE, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.*

[L.S.]

WHEREAS it seems desirable to amend the orders governing the Importation of goods into the Colony and the Exportation of goods from the Colony.

Now in virtue of the powers in me vested by Section 2 of the Exports and Imports (Emergency Powers) Ordinance, 1939, I, GEOFFREY MILES CLIFFORD, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Efficiency Decoration, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies, do hereby proclaim and order and it is hereby proclaimed and ordered that the following amended rules regarding the importation of all goods without exception come into force forthwith —

Except in respect of goods which have already been ordered and for which a confirmed credit exists in the seller's country all Open General Licences whether issued by the Competent Authority or by the Collector of Customs are hereby cancelled.

Specific Import Licences will henceforth be required for all articles of merchandise.

And it is further proclaimed and ordered that the exportation of the following articles is prohibited —

Chemicals & chemical preparations.  
Clothing (including footwear).  
Foodstuffs.  
Glass & Earthenware.  
Oils, Polish, &c.  
Paint.

Seeds.  
Soap and Soap powder.  
Textile materials (excluding bagging).  
Toilet preparations.  
Toys.

Provided always that the foodstuffs and other products named in the Schedules annexed are hereby authorized to be exported subject to the conditions set forth in the said Schedules.

Proclamation No. 1 of 1947, dated the 20th June, 1947, is hereby repealed.

**GOD SAVE THE KING.**

Given at Government House, Stanley, this 1st day of October, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-seven.

*By His Excellency's Command,*  
A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

M.P. 224/46.

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SCHEDULE A.

The following may be exported by Open General Licence, issued by the Collector of Customs, quantities not limited.

Dripping and all other locally produced substances and articles containing no imported ingredients with the exception of salt used as a preservative.

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SCHEDULE B.

The following may be exported by Open General Licence issued by the Collector of Customs, provided that the parcels do not contain more than 4lbs. of any one foodstuff and that only one parcel may be sent to any one addressee in any one mail and that the contents are drawn from the following list—

EX-ARMY STOCKS

1. Meat & Vegetable Stew.
2. Oxford Sausages.
3. Casserole of Beef.
4. Steak & Kidney Pudding.
5. Margarine.
6. Marmite.





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No. 11.

## A Bill for An Ordinance

To constitute a Town Council for Stanley, to provide for the conduct of Elections and to regulate the general powers of the Council.

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 Stanley Town Council Ordinance.

### ARRANGEMENTS OF PARTS.

Part I. — Constitution of the Council.	Parts.
Part II. — Election procedure.	
Part III. — Prevention of corrupt practices at elections.	
Part IV. — General powers and duties of Council.	
Part V. — Appointment and duties of officers.	
Part VI. — Public works, etc.	
Part VII. — General financial provisions.	

### PART I.

#### THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COUNCIL.

2. (1) There shall be constituted and elected in Stanley a Town Council (hereinafter referred to as the Council) the members whereof shall be termed councillors, and the said Council shall be constituted as from the date of the first election held under this Ordinance.

Formation of a Town Council.

(2) The Council shall be a corporate body having a common seal and shall sue or be sued in its corporate capacity.

Constitution of Town  
Council.

3. (1) The Council shall consist of nine members of whom three shall be members nominated or appointed by the Governor and six shall be members elected by the electors of Stanley.

(2) The Governor shall at each general election of councillors appoint three councillors as he may see fit for the full period of two years provided that in the case of the death or resignation of a councillor appointed under this subsection, or if any such councillor is absent from meetings of the Council for more than six months consecutively except in case of illness or for some reason approved by the Council, the Governor may appoint some other person to fill the vacancy and the person so appointed shall continue in office as a councillor so long only as the person in whose stead he shall have been appointed would have been entitled to remain in office.

(3) Every appointment or nomination made by the Governor under subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall be published in the Gazette.

(4) The six elected councillors shall be elected for a period of two years, at any election after the first election referred to in Clause 8 (1) hereafter.

Constitution of wards  
for elections.  
(First Schedule).

4. For the purpose of the election of councillors, the Township of Stanley shall be divided into three wards as set out in the First Schedule to this Ordinance and each elector shall record his vote only in the ward for which he is registered as an elector.

Preparation of  
register of electors.

5. (1) The year following immediately on the passing of this Ordinance and thereafter in every second year there shall be prepared a register of electors and such register shall be published not later than the 1st day of October in such year,

(Second Schedule).

(2) The Council shall appoint a registration officer to supervise the preparation of the register in accordance with the rules contained in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance,

Provided that the Governor may make all declarations, appointments and other arrangements necessary for the purpose of holding the first election.

Qualifications of  
electors.

6. A person shall not be entitled to be enrolled as an elector unless he is qualified as follows—

(Women to vote on  
same footing as men).

(a) is a person of either sex of twenty-one years of age or over, and

(b) is, on the first day of December of the year immediately preceding the year in which the electors lists are prepared or revised, ordinarily resident within the municipal limits and has during the twelve months prior thereto actually resided therein,

Provided that he shall not be deemed not to have actually resided within the municipal limits by reason only that he has been temporarily absent therefrom for short periods,

Provided also that no person in the armed forces, other than the Falkland Islands Defence Force, who is stationed in Stanley for naval or military purposes, shall be entitled to be registered as an elector in respect of the occupation of any residence or quarters provided by the Crown free of rent or other charges.

Appeal against  
decision of  
Registration Officer.

7. (1) Any person who deems himself aggrieved by the omission or inclusion of any name in the register may make complaint or objection to the Registration Officer who shall hear and determine the same.

(2) An appeal shall lie to the Magistrate's Court from any decision of the Registration Officer on any complaint or objection which has been considered by him.

(3) An appeal shall lie on any point of law from any decision of the Court on any such appeal from the Registration Officer to the Supreme Court, but no appeal shall lie from any decision of the Supreme Court.

8. (1) The first election under this Ordinance shall be held on the first Wednesday in the month of December immediately following the passing of this Ordinance. The second election shall be held on the second Wednesday of the month of December of the year immediately following the first election. Thereafter elections shall be held biennially on the second Wednesday in the month of December. One month before the second election if neither of the councillors in each ward wishes voluntarily to retire then one councillor in each ward shall be selected by ballot to retire. At each biennial election thereafter the most recently elected councillor in each ward shall remain in office and the other retire automatically. Any councillor retiring as a result of the ballot before the second election or automatically retiring under this clause shall be eligible to be a candidate at any subsequent election.

Date of first and subsequent and casual elections.

(2) In the case of a casual vacancy among the elected members an election shall be held on any day to be fixed by the Governor, such day being not less than twenty-eight nor more than forty-two days after the date upon which the vacancy shall have been notified to exist and any such casual vacancy arising shall be notified to the Governor by the Chairman of the Council and published in the Gazette at the first meeting of the Council after the vacancy has arisen.

9. (1) The Registration Officer shall perform the duties of returning officer and shall have power to appoint deputies who shall perform such duties as the Registration Officer shall direct, but the appointments of deputies shall be subject to the approval of the Council.

Duties of Returning Officer, and appointment of Deputies.

(2) The expenses incurred in the preparation of the register shall be audited by the Town Council auditor and shall be paid out of the funds of the Council.

10. A person shall be qualified to be elected a councillor if he is qualified to be registered as an elector in the terms of section six of this Ordinance. Provided that no person in the established service of the Government shall be nominated for election.

Qualification of councillor.

11. (1) A person shall be disqualified from becoming or from acting as a councillor who shall be or shall become a bankrupt and shall not have obtained his discharge or who has been or shall be convicted of any felony or other crime for which he has suffered or shall be sentenced to undergo any term of imprisonment exceeding three calendar months.

Disqualification of councillors.

(2) Any person not duly qualified who shall wilfully act as a councillor shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £50 for every day on which he shall so act, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, and the appointment or election of any such person who shall not be duly qualified or who shall become disqualified shall be void to all intents and purposes as from the date upon which such councillor shall first have become disqualified,

Provided always that no such acting shall prejudice or make void the acts of the councillors duly appointed or legally qualified.

12. Every person being a candidate for election as a councillor shall in writing not later than twenty-one days before the date fixed for the taking of the poll so notify the Returning Officer of his intention, the notification being subscribed by two electors of the ward, and shall at the same time forward to the Returning Officer a declaration sworn before a Justice of the Peace in the form set out in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance that he fulfils the qualifications required under this Ordinance.

Declaration to be made by candidate for election as councillor.

(Third Schedule).

## Deposit by candidates.

13. (1) Every candidate for the office of councillor who shall be nominated therefor shall deposit with the Returning Officer the sum of £25.

(2) No candidate who has not complied with the provisions of subsection (1) hereof shall be elected, by poll or otherwise, to the office of councillor.

## Remission and forfeiture of deposit.

14. The deposit made by a candidate under the provisions of section 13 shall be remitted to such candidate by the Returning Officer

- (a) if he be elected a member of the Council, or
- (b) if he obtain not less the 1/6th of the total votes validly polled, or
- (c) if he shall resign his candidature at any time not less than seven days prior to the date of the poll.

## Power of Registration Officer to hear complaints.

15. It shall be lawful for the Registration Officer to hear and consider any complaint or objection in regard to the qualifications of any candidate and to give a decision thereon and any person aggrieved by any such decision shall be entitled to appeal in manner provided by Section 7 of this Ordinance.

## Penalty on disqualified person offering himself as candidate.

16. Any person who knowing that he is not duly qualified shall wilfully offer himself as a candidate for election shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding £20 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month.

## If only sufficient persons signify their intention to become candidates.

17. If no more persons than the number of councillors to be elected shall have signified their intention in the manner required by section 12 of this Ordinance to become candidates for election, the Returning Officer on the day fixed for the election shall declare such candidate or candidates duly elected to the Council, but if more candidates than there are vacancies to be filled shall come forward for election a poll shall be taken in the manner hereinafter provided.

## If number of candidates insufficient.

Provided that if insufficient candidates are nominated to fill the existing vacancies the Governor may appoint members additional to those mentioned in section 3 (2) of this Ordinance.

## Power of candidate to appoint an election agent.

18. Every person being a candidate for election as a councillor may appoint an election agent whose name he shall notify to the Registration Officer and every advertisement, circular or publication issued for the purpose of promoting or procuring the election of any candidate shall bear thereon the name of the candidate or his agent and the printer thereof, if any.

## Chairman of Council.

19. (1) A Chairman of the Council shall be elected annually by the Council from among the elected members.

(2) The election of the Chairman shall be the first business transacted at the first meeting of the Council in every year.

(3) The Chairman shall, unless he resigns or ceases to be qualified or becomes disqualified, continue in office until his successor is elected.

(4) The Council shall also appoint from the elected members of the Council a Deputy-chairman.

(5) The Deputy-chairman shall, unless he resigns or ceases to be qualified or becomes disqualified, continue in office until his successor is elected.

(6) Subject to any standing orders made by the Council anything authorised or required to be done by, to or before the Chairman may be done by, to or before the Deputy-chairman.

## Filling of casual vacancy in case of Chairman or Deputy-chairman.

20. On a casual vacancy occurring in the office of Chairman or Deputy-chairman, an election to fill the vacancy shall be held not later than the next ordinary meeting of the Council held after the

date on which the vacancy occurs, or if that meeting is held within three days after that date, then not later than the next following ordinary meeting of the Council, and shall be conducted in the same manner as an ordinary election.

21. A person elected, nominated or appointed under this Ordinance to the Council or to an office therein may, at any time, resign by writing signed by him, (in this Ordinance referred to as a "notice of resignation") and delivered –

Resignations.

- (a) in the case of an elected member of the Council, to the Secretary of the Council,
- (b) in the case of a member of the Council nominated or appointed by the Governor, to the Colonial Secretary,
- (c) in the case of the Chairman or Deputy-chairman of the Council, to the Council, and
- (d) in the case of any officer in the Council, to the Chairman of the Council.

and his resignation shall take effect upon the receipt of the notice of resignation by the person or body to whom it is required to be delivered.

22. A person elected under this Ordinance to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the date upon which the person in whose place he is elected would regularly have retired and himself shall then retire.

Term of office of persons filling casual vacancies.

## PART II.

### ELECTION PROCEDURE.

#### ELECTIONS AND ELECTORS.

23. (1) In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires –

Interpretation of Part II.

"candidate" means any person who has been nominated or declared himself candidate at an election;

"election" means an election of a Town councillor or councillors;

"elector" means any person qualified to vote for members to serve on the Council;

"polling place" means the house or room in which an election is held;

"presiding officer" means the Returning Officer and includes also his deputy presiding at a polling station;

"register" means the register for the time being of voters qualified to vote for members to serve on the Council.

(2) Where in this part of this Ordinance any expressions are used requiring or authorising or inferring that any act or thing is to be done in the presence of the candidates or of any other persons nominated by them for the purpose, such expressions shall be deemed to refer to the presence of such of the candidates or of any other persons nominated by them for the purpose as may be authorised to attend, and as have in fact attended at the time and place where such act or thing is being done, and the non-attendance of any candidate or of any of the persons nominated by him for the purpose at such place and time shall not, if such act or thing be otherwise duly done, in anywise invalidate the act or thing done.

## PROCEDURE AT POLL.

Votes, when poll required at an election, to be taken by ballot. Of what ballot shall consist.

Description of ballot paper.

(Fourth Schedule).

Oath of secrecy by and before whom to be taken.

(Fifth Schedule.)

Provision of ballot boxes etc.

Directions for the guidance of electors. (Sixth Schedule.)

Ballot boxes to be locked and sealed etc.

Every elector entitled to a ballot paper.

Course to be followed by an elector on receiving a ballot paper.

24. In the case of a poll being required at an election the votes shall be given by ballot, the ballot of each voter shall consist of a paper (in this Ordinance referred to as a ballot paper) showing the names and descriptions of the candidates arranged alphabetically in the order of their surnames and (if there are two or more candidates with the same surname) of their other names; it shall have a number printed on the back and shall have attached a counterfoil with the same number printed on the face, and shall be in the form set out in the Fourth Schedule to this Ordinance or as near thereto as circumstances admit, and shall be capable of being folded up.

25. The presiding officer and every other person authorised to attend a polling place, or at the counting of the votes, shall, before the opening of the poll, make the oath of secrecy in the form prescribed in the Fifth Schedule to this Ordinance. If the person is the presiding officer he shall make the oath before a Justice of the Peace and if he is any other person, before the presiding officer or a Justice of the Peace.

26. (1) The presiding officer shall within three days before polling day provide such ballot boxes, ballot papers, polling compartments, materials for electors to mark the ballot papers, directions for the guidance of electors in voting and such other things as may be necessary for effectually conducting any election in the manner provided by this Ordinance.

(2) There shall be one polling station in each ward and each polling place shall be furnished with one or more compartments as shall be necessary in which the electors can mark their votes screened from observation.

27. Directions for the guidance of the electors in voting according to the form set forth in the Sixth Schedule to this Ordinance shall be placarded in various places, outside and inside every polling place and, in addition thereto, in every compartment of every polling place and be illustrated by examples of the ballot paper.

28. Every ballot box shall be so constructed that the ballot papers can be introduced therein but cannot be withdrawn therefrom without the box being unlocked. The presiding officer at any polling place just before the commencement of the poll shall show the ballot box empty to such persons as may be present in such polling place so that they may see that it is empty, and shall then lock it up and place his seal upon it in such manner as to prevent its being opened without breaking such seal and shall place it in his view for the receipt of ballot papers and keep it so locked and sealed.

29. Every elector shall be entitled to demand and receive a ballot paper, but immediately before it is delivered to such elector it shall be marked on both sides by the presiding officer with a mark (in this Ordinance referred to as the official mark) and the number and name of the elector as stated in the copy of the register shall be called out and the number of such elector to denote that he has received a ballot paper but without showing the particular ballot paper which he has received.

30. (1) The elector, on receiving the ballot paper, shall forthwith proceed into the compartment or one of the compartments in the polling place and there secretly mark his vote by placing a cross on the right hand side of the ballot paper opposite the name of the candidate for whom he votes. The elector may vote for as many candidates as there are vacancies to be filled. The elector shall then fold up the ballot paper so as to conceal his vote but so as to show the official mark on the back, and shall then put his ballot paper so folded in the ballot box in the presence of the



presiding officer, after having shown to him the official mark on the back.

(2) Any ballot paper which has not on its back the official mark or on which votes are given to more candidates than the elector voting is entitled to vote for, or on which anything except the said number on the back is written or marked by which the elector can be identified shall be void and not counted.

(3) Every elector shall vote without undue delay and shall quit the polling place as soon as he has put his ballot paper into the ballot box.

31. The presiding officer, on the application of any elector who is incapacitated by blindness or other physical cause from voting in manner prescribed by this Ordinance, or of any elector who is unable to read, shall cause the vote of such elector to be marked on a ballot paper in manner directed by such elector, and the ballot paper to be placed in the ballot box, and the name and the number on the register of every elector whose vote is so marked in pursuance of this section and the reason why it is so marked shall be entered on a list called the list of voters marked by the presiding officer.

Votes of blind electors, etc.

32. If a person representing himself to be a particular elector named on the register applies for a ballot paper after another person has voted as such elector, the applicant shall upon duly answering the questions and taking the oath permitted to be asked of and to be administered to voters at the time of polling, be entitled to mark a ballot paper in the same manner as any other voter, but the ballot paper, (in this Ordinance referred to as a tendered ballot paper), instead of being put into the ballot box shall be given to the presiding officer and endorsed by him with the name of the voter and the number in the register and set aside and shall not be counted by the presiding officer, and the name of the voter and his number on the register shall be entered on a list called the tendered votes list.

Two persons claiming to be same voter.

33. An elector who has inadvertently dealt with his ballot paper in such manner that it cannot be conveniently used as a ballot paper may, on delivering to the presiding officer the ballot paper so inadvertently dealt with and proving the fact of the inadvertence to the satisfaction of the presiding officer, obtain another ballot paper in place of the ballot paper so delivered up and the spoilt ballot paper shall be immediately cancelled.

When an elector may obtain a second ballot paper.

34. If any person misconducts himself in the polling place or fails to obey the lawful orders of the presiding officer he shall forthwith be removed from the polling place by any constable or any other person authorised by the presiding officer to remove him, and the persons so removed shall not, unless with the permission of the presiding officer, again be allowed to enter the polling place during that day. The powers conferred by this section shall not be exercised so as to prevent any elector who is otherwise entitled to vote at any polling place from having an opportunity of voting at such polling place.

Keeping order in polling place.

35. No elector who has voted at an election shall in any legal proceedings to question the election or return be required to state for whom he has voted.

Prohibition of disclosure of vote.

36. No election shall be declared invalid by reason of any mistake in the use of the form in the Fourth Schedule to this Ordinance if it appears to the authority having cognisance of the question that the election was conducted in accordance with the principles laid down in this Ordinance, and that such mistake did not affect the result of the election.



## PROCEDURE AFTER CLOSE OF POLL.

Result of poll when, how and in whose presence to be ascertained.

37. (1) After the close of the poll all ballot papers received at any polling place shall be sealed up by the person presiding at the polling place and delivered to the returning officer.

(2) The sealed boxes shall be opened by the returning officer in the presence of the candidates or other persons nominated by them for the purpose and of no other person except with the sanction of the returning officer; and he and his deputies shall ascertain and declare the result of the poll by counting the votes given to each candidate but while so doing shall keep the ballot papers with their face upwards and take all proper precautions for preventing any person from seeing the numbers on the backs of such papers.

(3) The returning officer shall give notice to the candidates of the time and place for counting the votes.

(4) Where an equality of votes is found to exist between any candidates on a final count and the addition of a vote would entitle any of those candidates to be declared elected the returning officer shall make a special return of the results of the election and the Council duly assembled shall choose one of such candidates to be a member of the Council.

Course to be pursued with respect to rejected ballot papers.

38. The presiding officer shall endorse the word "rejected" on any ballot paper which he may reject as invalid, and shall add to such endorsement the words "rejection objected to" if any objection be in fact made by any candidate, or a person nominated by him to be present at the count of the votes, to the decision of the presiding officer. The presiding officer shall report to the Colonial Secretary the number of ballot papers rejected and not counted by him under the following heads -

- (a) absence of official mark;
- (b) voting for more candidates than entitled to;
- (c) writing or other mark by which voter could be identified;
- (d) unmarked or void for uncertainty;

and shall on request allow the candidate before such report is submitted to copy it.

Decision of presiding officer to be final.

39. The decision of the presiding officer as to any question arising in respect of any ballot paper shall be final, subject to reversal on petition questioning the election or return.

Disposal of papers relating to the election when result of poll is declared.

40. Upon the completion of the counting and the declaration by the presiding officer of the candidates elected, the presiding officer shall seal up each description of papers, other than the list of voters (which shall in each case be returned to the Colonial Secretary for future use), relating to the election in separate packets and return them to the Colonial Secretary and the Colonial Secretary shall retain for one year all documents and papers so returned to him, after which, unless otherwise directed by the Supreme Court, he shall cause them to be destroyed.

In whose presence such papers be sealed up.

41. The papers required by Section 40 of this Ordinance to be sealed by the presiding officer shall be sealed up by him in the presence of the candidates, or any other person nominated by them for the purpose in attendance, and by no other person except with the sanction of the presiding officer.

Rejected ballot papers not to be inspected except under order of the Supreme Court.

42. No person shall be allowed to inspect any rejected ballot papers in the custody of the Colonial Secretary except upon the order of the Supreme Court to be granted only where it is satisfied by evidence on oath that the inspection or production of such ballot

papers is required for the purpose of instituting or maintaining a prosecution for an offence in relation to ballot papers or for the purpose of a petition questioning an election or a return; and any such order for the inspection or production of ballot papers may be made subject to such conditions as to persons, time, place and mode of inspection or production as the Supreme Court may think expedient and shall be obeyed by the Colonial Secretary, and the power given to the Court by this Section may be exercised by the Judge in chambers.

43. No person shall, except by order of the Supreme Court, open any election papers relating to the election of members of the Council so returned to the Colonial Secretary and in his custody; such order may be subject to such conditions as to person, time, place and mode of opening or inspection as the Court may think expedient. Provided that in making and carrying into effect any such order care shall be taken that the mode in which any particular elector has voted shall not be discovered until he has been proved to have voted and his vote has been declared by competent authority to be invalid. Such papers shall be resealed at such time and in such manner as the Court may from time to time direct.

Election papers in the custody of the Colonial Secretary not to be opened except under an order of the Supreme Court.

44. When an order is made for the production by the Colonial Secretary of any document in his possession relating to any specified election, the production by the Colonial Secretary of the documents ordered by the Supreme Court in such manner as may be directed by rule shall be conclusive evidence that such document relates to the specified election; and any endorsement appearing on any packet of papers produced by the Colonial Secretary shall be evidence of such papers being what they are stated to be by the endorsement. The production from proper custody of a ballot paper purporting to have been used at any election and of a counterfoil marked with the same printed number and having a number marked thereon in writing shall be *prima facie* evidence that the person who voted by such ballot paper was the person who at the time of such election had annexed to his name in the register at such election the same number as the number written on such counterfoil.

Production by Colonial Secretary of documents under any such order to be conclusive evidence that such documents are the ones required.

### PART III.

#### PREVENTION OF CORRUPT PRACTICES AT ELECTIONS.

##### ELECTION OFFENCES.

45. In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires –

Interpretation of Part III.

“candidate at an election” includes all persons elected to serve as members on the Council and all persons nominated as candidates or who shall have declared themselves candidates at or before such election;

“corrupt practice” means the offence of treating, undue influence, bribery and personation as defined in this part of this Ordinance and includes the aiding, abetting, counselling and procuring the commission of the offence of personation;

“election” means the election of any member or members to serve on the Council;

“voter” means any person who has or claims to have a right to vote in the election of a member or members to serve on the Council.

46. (1) Every person who –

(a) fraudulently defaces or fraudulently destroys any ballot paper or the official mark on any ballot paper;

Offences in respect of ballot papers and ballot boxes.

- (b) without due authority supplies any ballot paper to any person; or
- (c) fraudulently puts into any ballot box any paper other than the ballot paper which he is authorised by law to put in; or
- (d) fraudulently takes out of the polling place any ballot paper; or
- (e) without due authority destroys, takes, opens or otherwise interferes with any ballot box or packet of ballot papers then in use for the purpose of the election,

shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable, if he is a presiding officer, to a fine not exceeding £100 or, in default, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and if he is another person to a fine not exceeding £25 or, in default, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

(2) In any indictment or other prosecution for an offence in relation to the ballot boxes and ballot papers at an election, the property in such boxes and papers may be stated to be in the presiding officer at such election as well as the property in the counterfoil.

#### Infringement of secrecy.

47. (1) Every person in attendance at a polling place shall maintain and aid in maintaining the secrecy of the voting in such place and shall not communicate, except for some purposes authorised by law, before the poll is closed to any person any information as to the name or number on the register of any elector who has or has not applied for a ballot paper, or voted at that polling place, or as to the official mark, and no such person shall interfere with or attempt to interfere with an elector when marking his vote or otherwise attempt to obtain in the polling place information as to the candidate for whom any voter in such election is about to vote or has voted, or communicate at any time to any person any information obtained in a polling place as to the candidate for whom any voter in such polling place is about to vote or has voted, or as to the number on the back of the ballot paper given to any elector at such polling place.

(2) Every such person in attendance at the counting of votes shall maintain and aid in maintaining the secrecy of the voting, and shall not attempt to ascertain at such counting the number on the back of any ballot paper or communicate any information at such counting to the candidate for whom any vote is given in any particular ballot paper.

(3) No person shall directly or indirectly induce any elector to display his ballot paper after he shall have marked the same so as to make known to any person the name of the candidate for whom he has so marked his vote.

(4) Every person who acts in contravention of the provisions of this section shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £25 or, in default, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

#### Offence of bribery.

48. Every person who shall –

- (a) directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf, give, lend or agree to give or lend, or shall offer, promise or promise to procure or to endeavour to procure any moneys or valuable consideration to or for any voter, or to or for any person on behalf of any voter, or to or for any other person in order to induce any voter to vote or refrain from voting, or shall corruptly do any such act as aforesaid on account of such voter having voted or refrained from voting at any election;

- (b) directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf, give or procure, or offer, promise or promise to procure or to endeavour to procure any office, place or employment to or for any voter, or to or for any person on behalf of any voter, or to or for any other person in order to induce any voter to vote, or refrain from voting, or shall corruptly do any such act as aforesaid on account of any voter having voted or refrained from voting at any election;
- (c) directly or indirectly, by himself or any other person on his behalf, make any such gift, loan, offer, promise, procurement or agreement as aforesaid to or for any person in order to induce such person to procure, or endeavour to procure, the return of any person to serve in the Council or the vote of any voter at any election;
- (d) upon or in consequence of any such gift, loan, offer, promise, procurement, or agreement, procure or engage, promise or endeavour to procure, the return of any person to serve on the Council, or the vote of any voter at any election;
- (e) advance or pay, or cause to be paid, any money to or for the use of any other person with the intent that such money or any part thereof shall be expended in bribery at any election, or who shall knowingly pay or cause to be paid any money to any person in discharge or repayment of any money wholly or in part expended in bribery at any election;

shall be deemed guilty of bribery and shall be punishable accordingly.

49. Every person who –

Offence of bribery further defined.

- (a) being a voter, shall before or during any election directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf receive, agree or contract for any money, gift loan or valuable consideration, office place or employment for himself or any other person for voting or agreeing to vote, or for refraining or agreeing to refrain from voting at any election;
- (b) shall, after any election, directly or indirectly by himself or any other person on his behalf, receive any money or valuable consideration on account of any person having voted or refrained from voting, or having induced any other person to vote, or to refrain from voting at any election,

shall also be deemed guilty of bribery and shall be punishable accordingly.

50. Any person who corruptly by himself or by any other person, either before, during or after an election, directly or indirectly gives or provides, or pays wholly or in part the expense of giving or providing any meat, drink, entertainment or provision to or for any person for the purpose of corruptly influencing that person or any other person to give or refrain from giving his vote at the election, or on account of such person, or any other person having voted or refrained from voting or being about to vote or refrain from voting at such election, and every elector who corruptly accepts or takes any such meat, drink, entertainment or provision, shall be guilty of treating, and shall be punishable accordingly.

Offence of treating.

51. Every person who shall directly or indirectly by himself or by any other person on his behalf, make use of, or threaten to make use of any force, violence or restraint, or inflict or threaten the

Offence of undue influence.

infliction by himself or by or through any other person of any temporal or spiritual injury, damage, harm or loss, or in any other manner practice intimidation upon or against any person in order to induce or compel such person to vote or refrain from voting or on account of such person having voted or refrained from voting at any election, or who shall by abduction, duress or any fraudulent device or contrivance, impede, prevent or otherwise interfere with the free exercise of the franchise of any voter, or shall thereby compel, induce or prevail upon any voter, either to give or refrain from giving his or her vote at any election, shall be deemed to have committed the offence of undue influence and shall be punishable accordingly.

No cockades, etc., to be given.

52. No candidate before, during or after any election, shall in regard to such election, by himself or agent, directly or indirectly, give or provide to or for any person having a vote at such election or to or for any inhabitant of Stanley, any cockade, ribbon or other mark of distinction and every person so giving or providing shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £2.

Offence of personation.

53. (1) A person shall, for all purposes of the law relating to the Stanley Town Council elections, be deemed to be guilty of the offence of personation who at an election applies for a ballot paper in the name of some other person, whether that name be that of a person living or dead or of a fictitious person, or who having voted once at any such election applies at the same election for a ballot paper in his own name.

(2) It shall be the duty of the returning officer to institute a prosecution against any person whom he may believe to have been guilty of personation, or of aiding, abetting, counselling or procuring the commission of the offence of personation by any person at the election for which he is returning officer.

(3) A person charged with the offence of personation under this section shall not be convicted or committed for trial except upon the evidence of not less than two credible witnesses.

Punishment of person convicted on indictment of corrupt practices.

54. (1) A person who commits any corrupt practice other than personation, or aiding, abetting, counselling or procuring the commission of the offence of personation, shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and on conviction on indictment shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £200 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year.

(2) A person who commits the offence of personation, or of aiding, abetting, counselling, or procuring the commission of that offence, shall be guilty of felony, and any person convicted thereof on indictment shall be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years.

#### ILLEGAL PRACTICES.

Certain expenditure to be illegal.

55. (1) No payment or contract for payment shall, for the purpose of promoting or procuring the election of a candidate, be made –

- (a) on account of the conveyance of electors to or from the poll, whether for the hiring of horses or vehicles or otherwise; or
- (b) to an elector on account of the use of any house, land, building or premises for the exhibition of any address, bill or notice, or on account of the exhibition of any address, bill or notice; or
- (c) on account of any committee room in excess of one.

(2) Subject to such exception as may be allowed in pursuance of this Ordinance if any payment or contract for payment is knowingly made in contravention of this section either before,

during or after an election, the person making such payment or contract shall be guilty of an illegal practice, and any person receiving such payment or being a party to any such contract, knowing the same to be in contravention of this Ordinance, shall also be guilty of an illegal practice.

Provided that where it is the ordinary business of an elector as an advertising agent to exhibit for payment bills and advertisements, a payment to or contract with such elector if made in the ordinary course of business, shall not be deemed to be an illegal practice within the meaning of this section.

56. (1) Subject to such exception as may be allowed in pursuance of this Ordinance, no sum shall be paid and no expense shall be incurred by or on behalf of a candidate at an election, whether before, during or after an election on account of or in respect of the conduct or management of such election, save that a sum may be paid and expense incurred not in excess of the maximum amount of £50.

Expenditure in excess of permitted maximum an illegal practice.

(2) Any candidate or agent of a candidate or person who knowingly acts in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an illegal practice.

57. A person guilty of an illegal practice in reference to an election, shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £100.

Punishment for illegal practice.

#### EXPENSES OF CANDIDATES.

58. (1) Every claim against any person in respect of any expenses incurred by or on behalf of a candidate at an election of a councillor on account or in respect of the conduct or management of such election shall be sent in within fourteen days after the day of the election, and if not so sent in shall be barred and not paid, and all expenses incurred as aforesaid shall be paid within twenty-one days after the day of election (or such later time as the Supreme Court, having regard to all the circumstances, may fix on the application of the candidate), and not otherwise, and any person who makes a payment in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an illegal practice, but if such payment was made without the sanction or connivance of the candidate, the election of such candidate shall not be void, nor shall he be subject to any incapacity under this Ordinance by reason only of such payment having been made in contravention of this section.

Claims for expenses incurred by or on behalf of candidates, how and when to be submitted.

(2) Subject to an extension of time which the Supreme Court is hereby authorised to grant on any grounds which the court shall deem reasonable, within twenty-eight days after the day of election of a councillor every candidate at such election shall send to the returning officer a return of all expenses incurred by such candidate or his agents on account of or in respect of the conduct or management of such election, vouched (except in the case of sums under £1) by bills stating the particulars and receipts, and accompanied by a declaration by the candidate made before a Justice in the form set out in the Seventh Schedule to this Ordinance, or to the like effect.

(Seventh Schedule).

(3) After the expiration of the time for making such return and declaration the candidate, if elected, shall not, until he has made the return and declaration (in this Ordinance referred to as the return and declaration respecting election expenses), sit or vote in the Council, and if he does so shall forfeit £50 for every day on which he so sits or votes to be recovered at the suit of the Colonial Secretary.

(4) If the candidate fails without reasonable excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on the person accused) to make the said return and declaration he shall be guilty of an illegal practice.



(5) The return and declaration sent in pursuance of this Ordinance to the returning officer shall be kept at his office, and shall at all reasonable times during the twelve months next after they are received by him be open to inspection by any person on the payment of the fee of one shilling, and the returning officer shall, on demand furnish copies thereof or of any part thereof at the price of two shillings for every seventy-two words.

(6) After the expiration of the said twelve months the returning officer may cause the return and declaration to be destroyed, or if the candidate so require shall return the same to him.

#### ELECTION PETITIONS.

Power to question election.

59. (1) An election may be questioned by an election petition on the ground –

- (a) that the election was wholly voided by general bribery, treating, undue influence or personation; or
- (b) that the election was voided by corrupt or illegal practices or offences against this part of this Ordinance committed at the election; or
- (c) that the person whose election is questioned was at the time of the election disqualified; or
- (d) that he was not duly elected by a majority of lawful votes.

(2) An election shall not be questioned on any of those grounds except by an election petition.

Election petitions to be heard by Supreme Court.

60. (1) Every election petition shall be heard by the Supreme Court and, subject to the express provisions of this Ordinance and any rules of court prescribed under the powers conferred by this section, every election petition shall, as nearly as circumstances admit, be presented, heard and determined according to the law for the time being in force in England with respect to municipal election petitions.

(2) After hearing an election petition, the Supreme Court shall deliver a report to the Governor.

(3) The Judge of the Supreme Court may make rules of court for regulating all matters relating to the presentation, hearing and determination of election petitions.

Presentation of petition.

61. (1) An election petition may be presented either by four or more persons who voted or who had a right to vote at the election or by a person alleging himself to have been a candidate at the election.

(2) Any person whose election is questioned by the petition, and any returning officer of whose conduct a petition complains, may be made a respondent to the petition.

Time within which petition must be presented.

62. (1) Subject to the other provisions of this section, an election petition shall be presented within twenty-one days after the day on which the election was held.

(2) An election petition complaining of the election on the ground of an illegal practice may be presented at any time before the expiration of fourteen days after the day on which the returning officer receives the return and declaration respecting election expenses of the candidate to whose election the petition relates. This subsection shall apply notwithstanding that the illegal practice is also a corrupt practice.

(3) An election petition, complaining of the election on the ground of any corrupt or illegal practice, and specifically alleging a payment of money or other act made or done since the election by



the candidate elected at such election, or by an agent of the candidate, or with the privity of the candidate, in pursuance or in furtherance of such corrupt or illegal practice may be presented at any time within twenty-eight days after the date of such payment or act, whether or not any other petition against that person has been previously presented or tried.

#### EXCUSE AND EXCEPTION FOR CORRUPT OR ILLEGAL PRACTICE.

63. Where, upon the trial of an election petition, the Court reports that a candidate at such election has been guilty by his agents of the offence of treating and undue influence, and illegal practice, or of any such offences, in reference to such election, and the Court further reports that the candidate has proved to the Court –

Report exonerating candidates in certain cases of corrupt and illegal practice by agents.

- (a) that no corrupt or illegal practice was committed at such election by the candidate or with his knowledge or consent, and the offences mentioned in the said report were committed without the sanction or connivance of such candidate; and
- (b) that all reasonable means for preventing the commission of corrupt and illegal practices at such election were taken by and on behalf of the candidate; and
- (c) that the offences mentioned in the said report were of trivial, unimportant and limited character; and
- (d) that in all other respects the election was free from any corrupt or illegal practice on the part of such candidate and of his agents,

then the election of such candidate shall not, by reason of the offences mentioned in such report, be void, nor shall the candidate be subject to any incapacity under this Ordinance.

64. Where, on application made, it is shown to the Supreme Court by such evidence as seems to the Court sufficient –

Power of Supreme Court to except innocent act from being illegal practice.

- (a) that any act or omission of a candidate at an election, or of any other agent or other person, would, by reason of being in contravention of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, be but for this section an illegal practice; and
- (b) that such act or omission arose from inadvertence or from accidental miscalculation or from some other reasonable cause of a like nature, and in any case did not arise from any want of good faith; and
- (c) that such notice of the application has been given as to the Court seems fit,

and under the circumstances it seems to the Court to be just that the said candidate, agent and person, or any of them, should not be subject to any of the consequences under this Ordinance of the said act or omission, the Court may make an order allowing such act or omission to be an exception from the provisions of this Ordinance which would otherwise make the same an illegal practice, and thereupon such candidate, agent or person shall not be subject to any of the consequences under this Ordinance of the said act or omission.

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF ELECTORS.

65. Any person who is convicted of any corrupt or illegal practices or is found by the report upon the trial of an election petition to have been guilty of a corrupt or illegal practice either by himself or if a candidate, through his agents, shall not be capable for a period of five years from the date of the conviction or report, as the case may be –

Disqualification upon corrupt or illegal practices.

- (a) of being registered as an elector or voting at any election of the Council; or

- (b) of holding office as a councillor, or justice of the peace, and if he holds such office, the office shall be at once vacated.

Prohibition of disqualified persons from voting.

66. Every person who, in consequence of conviction or of the report of the Supreme Court on an election petition has become incapable of voting at any election is prohibited from voting at any such election, and his vote shall be void and struck off on a scrutiny.

Hearing of person before he is reported guilty of corrupt or illegal practice.

67. Before a person, not being a party to an election petition nor a candidate on behalf of whom the seat is claimed by an election petition, is reported by the Supreme Court to have been guilty at an election of any corrupt or illegal practice, the Court shall cause notice to be given to such person, and if he appears in pursuance of the notice, shall give him an opportunity of being heard by himself and of calling evidence in his defence to show why he should not be so reported.

Offenders to be struck off register, etc.

68. Whenever it shall be proved before the Registration Officer that any person who is or claims to be placed on the list or register of voters, has been found guilty of corrupt or illegal practices either by conviction or by the report of the Supreme Court at an election petition, the Registration Officer shall, in case the name of such person is in the list of voters, expunge the same therefrom, or shall, in case such person is claiming to have his name inserted therein, disallow such claim; and the names of all persons whose names shall be so expunged from the list of voters, and whose claims shall be so disallowed, shall be thereupon inserted in a separate list, to be entitled "The List of Persons disqualified for corrupt or illegal practices" which last-named list shall be appended to the list or register of voters, and shall be printed and published therewith, wherever the same shall be or is required to be printed or published.

#### PART IV.

#### GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF COUNCIL.

##### TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS.

Meetings.

69. The Council shall meet for the despatch of business as often as they shall think fit, being not less than once a month.

Quorum.

70. At every meeting of the Council four members shall form a quorum. Every question shall be decided by the votes of a majority of those present and voting on that question, and in case of an equal division of votes, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote. The Council shall cause all their proceedings to be recorded in a book to be kept for that purpose and such proceedings shall at every meeting be signed by the Chairman.

Council not disqualified by reason of vacancies.

71. The Council shall not be disqualified for the transaction of business by reason of any vacancy among the councillors.

Appointment of committees.

72. The Council may appoint from among themselves committees consisting of not less than three, of whom the Chairman shall always be one. Every such committee shall have power, until the first day of January next following or such sooner day as the Council may determine, to transact the ordinary business for which they may be appointed;

Provided always that it shall not be lawful for any committee —

- (a) to make any rate or assessment; or
- (b) to make or enter into any contract hereby, or by any law in force in the Colony, required to be in writing; or

- (c) to appoint or to remove any officer or servant employed by the Council; or
- (d) to make or to revoke any by-law; or
- (e) to commence any suit or action or other proceeding in the Supreme Court, or to give notice of appeal; or
- (f) to make or to revoke any order appointing an officer to be rated and assessed, by the name of his office.

73. At every meeting of a committee two of their number shall be a quorum. Every question shall be decided in like manner as at a meeting of the Council, except that every question as to which the voices are equal shall be deemed to be passed in the negative. They shall cause all their proceedings to be recorded in a book, which shall be kept and signed in like manner as that relating to the proceedings of the Council and shall submit their proceedings to the Council at every meeting next thereafter.

How committee may proceed.

74. (1) A committee shall be appointed to administer moneys voted by the Council for Poor Relief and it shall be entitled the Public Assistance Committee.

Public Assistance Committee.

(2) Provided that at least two-thirds of the committee are members of the Council, the Public Assistance Committee may include persons who are not members of the Council and at least one of these persons shall be a woman.

Members may be co-opted.

(3) Subject to the provisions of Section 72 of this Ordinance the Council may delegate to the Committee any or all of its functions relative to Poor Relief.

Delegation of functions by Council.

(4) With the authority of the Council as provided in subsection (3) or with special authority referring to specified cases which have previously been submitted to the Council, the Public Assistance Committee may institute proceedings before a Court of Summary Jurisdiction against persons who are liable to maintain those relatives who are within the degrees of relationship recognised for that purpose by the laws of England for the time being in force to compel them to maintain such relatives or to contribute to their maintenance.

Relatives may be sued.

(5) The Public Assistance Committee may be represented in such proceedings by one of their members appointed for the purpose by the Committee.

Representation of P.A.C. in Court.

75. (1) Subject to the approval of the Governor, the Council may make standing orders for the regulation of the proceedings and business of the Council and any of their committees.

Standing orders.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of this or any other law, it shall not be necessary to publish in the Gazette any standing orders of the Council.

76. In all legal proceedings before any court the Council may be represented by their Secretary.

Representation in legal proceedings.

77. Every order and certificate to be made by the Council shall be in writing under their common seal and the hand of their Chairman, and every return, report and recommendation shall be in writing and signed by the Secretary to the Council by order of the Council.

Orders of Council how made.

78. The Council shall whenever required by the Governor make a true and correct report to the Governor of any legal proceedings taken under this or any other Ordinance together with all such remarks relating to such proceedings as the Council may think fit to make.

Report of legal proceedings.

## PURCHASES AND CONTRACTS.

Purchase of carts,  
draught animals etc.

79. The Council may purchase, hire or possess carts, carriages and other machines, and all necessary implements, horses and other animals of draught.

Power of Council to  
contract.

80. The Council may enter into any contracts necessary for carrying this or any other Ordinance into execution. All such contracts shall be for any period not exceeding two years.

Contracts and pur-  
chases in the United  
Kingdom how to be  
made.

81. All contracts made by the Council in the United Kingdom, and all articles obtained by them in the United Kingdom, shall be made and obtained through the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

No councillor or his  
partner to enter into  
contract with Council.

82. No councillor or person being in partnership with a councillor shall be capable of entering into any contract for the supply of any goods to the Council, or for the execution of any works undertaken by the Council, unless the approval of the Governor shall have first been obtained in writing.

Penalty for so doing.

83. If any councillor, or any partner of any councillor, shall wilfully enter into any contract for the supply of any goods to the Council, or for the execution of any works undertaken by the Council, except as provided for in the preceding section, he shall be liable to pay a penalty not exceeding £50 for every day on which he shall so wilfully enter into any such contract, or during which any such contract, if so entered into, shall subsist.

## POWER TO MAKE BY-LAWS.

No by-law valid  
unless approved by  
the Governor and  
published.

84. Every by-law authorised to be made by the Council shall be made under the common seal of the Council and the hand of their Chairman, and dated on the day of the making thereof and no such by-law shall have any force of effect unless the Governor shall, within six weeks thereafter, signify his approbation thereof under his hand and seal thereto. Such approbation, if given, shall be published by the Council in the Gazette.

To be enrolled.

85. Every by-law shall, within three days after publication of the same, be enrolled in the Supreme Court.

Examined copy to be  
conclusive evidence.

86. An examined copy of the enrolment of any by-law, certified under the seal of the Supreme Court and the hand of the Registrar shall be conclusive evidence in all courts, and in all legal proceedings, and to all intents and purposes that such by-law was duly made.

No by-laws to be  
questioned till  
annulled.

87. Every by-law lawfully made by the Council shall, after publication thereof as aforesaid, be good, valid and effectual to all intents and purposes, and such by-law shall not be impeached, impugned, questioned or disobeyed by any court, or justice, or by any person whatever, until the same shall have been repealed, or otherwise lawfully annulled.

Provided always, that nothing hereinbefore contained shall apply to any legal or other authorised proceeding bona fide instituted or taken for the express purpose of causing any such by-law to be repealed, or otherwise lawfully annulled.

Breach of by-law an  
offence.

88. Unless any other penalty be specially provided, every person who shall without lawful excuse, the proof whereof shall lie on the person charged, break or disobey, or neglect, or refuse to obey any by-law duly in force shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

By-laws may be print-  
ed and sold.

89. The Council may cause to be printed, and may keep a sufficient number of printed copies of all their by-laws, and may upon payment of a reasonable sum for the same, sell copies thereof

to any person who may apply for the same.

90. The Governor, whenever requested so to do by the Council, may cause to be prepared a draft of any by-law hereby authorised, and cause such draft to be transmitted to the Council for their consideration.

Preparation of  
by-laws.

#### PART V.

#### APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

91. Subject to the proviso hereinafter mentioned, the Council may appoint, employ, and fix the salaries of all such persons as may be necessary to enable them to exercise and carry into effect the powers and authorities created by this or any other Ordinance. Provided always that whenever the salary proposed to be attached to any appointment shall exceed £150 per annum, such appointment shall be subject to the approval and confirmation in writing of the Governor, who shall also approve the amount of the salary to be attached thereto.

Council may appoint  
officers and servants  
subject to Governor's  
approval.

92. The Council shall appoint, during pleasure, the consent in writing of the Governor being first obtained, some persons to be sanitary inspectors and every sanitary inspector shall by virtue of his office be and exercise the powers of a constable under the orders and direction of the Council.

Appointment of  
sanitary inspectors  
who shall be  
constables.

93. The Council shall appoint collectors who shall be authorised to levy and collect the rates and other moneys which the Council are authorised to receive, and who shall be entitled to such salary or remuneration as the Council may fix and determine.

Appointment of  
collectors.

94. With the approval of the Governor, the Council may appoint suitable persons to be Secretary and Treasurer to the Council at such remuneration as may be fixed by the Governor or if the Council shall think fit they may in like manner appoint one person to carry out the duties of both Secretary and Treasurer.

Appointment of Sec-  
retary and Treasurer  
to the Council.

95. The Governor shall appoint and may remove a duly registered medical practitioner to be Medical Officer of Health, who shall execute all the duties of an Officer of Health and such other similar duties as may be required of him by the Governor or by the Council with the written approbation of the Governor.

Appointment of  
Medical Officer of  
Health.

96. Should at any time the Executive Engineer to the Government not be a member of the Council, the Council may appoint an Engineer, and, subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, may pay him such salary as they may think proper out of the rates.

Appointment of  
Engineer.

Provided that in these circumstances the Governor may require that the execution of any works undertaken by the Council of which the cost is partly provided for from Imperial funds or from the general revenues of the Colony, or from both of those sources, shall be carried out under the supervision of the Executive Engineer, but the rates shall not be charged with any remuneration payable in respect of such supervision to the Executive Engineer.

97. The Government Auditor, or in the absence of such an appointment, such other officer as may be nominated by the Governor shall be the auditor of the Council's accounts, and in all legal or official proceedings, correspondence, or written instruments, he may be described as the Town Council Auditor without naming him, except in any legal or official proceedings had or taken by or against him, or in any instrument to which he shall be a party.

Auditor of the  
Council's accounts.

98. The Council shall pay to the Government out of the rates such annual sum as may from time to time be agreed upon

Cost of audit.

between the Governor and the Council as a proper charge for auditing the Council's accounts.

When Deputy may be appointed by Council.

99. In the case of sickness, temporary absence, or other inability of any officer or servant of the Council, or other person charged with the performance of any duty under this Ordinance, the Council or, in the case of a civil servant, the Governor may appoint a deputy in the place of such officer, servant or other person, and every such deputy shall perform all the duties, and be subject to all the liabilities of the officer, servant or other person in whose place he may be appointed.

Officers not to contract with the Council.

100. (1) Officers or servants appointed or employed by the Council shall not in anywise be concerned or interested in any bargain or contract made with the Council.

(2) If any such officer or servant is so concerned or interested, or, under colour of his office or employment, exacts or accepts any fee or reward whatsoever other than his proper salary, wages and allowances, he shall be incapable of afterwards holding or continuing in any office or employment under the Council, and shall forfeit and pay the sum of £50, which may be recovered by any person, with full cost of suit, by action of debt.

Officers entrusted with money to give security.

101. Before any officer or servant of the Council enters on any office or employment under this or any other Ordinance, by reason whereof he will or may be entrusted with the custody or control of money, the Council shall take from him sufficient security for the faithful execution of such office or employment, and for duly accounting for all moneys, which may be entrusted to him by reason thereof, in such amount and with such sureties as the Governor shall in writing direct.

Officers to account.

102. (1) Every officer or servant appointed or employed by the Council shall, when and in such manner as may be required by the Council, make out and deliver to them, a true and perfect account in writing of all moneys received by him on behalf of the Council, stating how, and to whom, and for what purpose such moneys have been disposed of, and shall, together with such account, deliver the vouchers or receipts for all payments made by him and pay over to the Council all moneys owing by him on the balance of accounts.

(2) Every such officer or servant employed in the collection of any rate shall, within seven days after he has received any moneys on account of any such rate, pay over the same to the Council, and shall, as and when the Council may direct, deliver a list signed by him and containing the names of all persons who have neglected or refused to pay any such rate, and the sums respectively due from them.

Summary proceedings against defaulting officers.

103. (1) If any officer or servant appointed or employed by the Council –

- (a) fails to render accounts, or to produce and deliver up vouchers and receipts, or to pay over any moneys as and when required by this Ordinance; or
- (b) fails within twenty-four hours after written notice in that behalf from the Council to deliver up to the Council all books, papers, writings, property and things in his possession or power, relating to the execution of this or any other Ordinance, or belonging to the Council,

the Council may cause a complaint to be made to a Justice, and such Justice shall thereupon summon the party charged to appear before a Court of Summary Jurisdiction.

- (2) On the appearance of the party charged, or on proof

that the summons was personally served on him, or left at his last known place of abode or business, if it appears to the Court that he has failed to render any such accounts, or to pay over such moneys, or to produce or deliver up any such vouchers or receipts, books, papers, writings, property or things as aforesaid in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, and that he still fails or refuses so to do, the Court may commit the offender to gaol, there to remain without bail until he has rendered such accounts, paid over such moneys, and produced and delivered up all such vouchers, receipts, books, papers, writings, property and things in respect of the charge was made.

Provided that a person shall not be imprisoned under this section for a term exceeding six months.

(3) No proceedings under this section shall be construed to relieve or discharge any surety of the offender from any liability whatever.

104. (1) The provisions of the Provident Fund Ordinance and any subsequent amendment thereof, together with any regulations made or which may hereafter be made under that Ordinance shall apply to all officers and servants of the Council. Pensions.

## PART VI.

### PUBLIC WORKS, Etc.

105. In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, — Interpretation of Part VI.

“Capital” means —

- (a) every sum of money which the Council may be authorised to raise for any public purpose; and
- (b) all moneys which under any enactment have been granted or which at any time hereafter may be granted to the Council for any public purpose out of moneys provided by the Legislative Council, or from the general revenues of the Colony, and all other moneys which shall be payable to the Council, or come into their hands, and be applicable to the same purposes as capital which they may be authorised to raise;

“to construct” with all the moods, conjunctions and tenses thereof includes in addition to its ordinary signification to build, execute, erect, place, lay, fix, provide, enlarge, deepen, vary, alter, renew, supply and complete;

“expenses” include costs and charges;

“lands” and “premises” includes messuages, buildings, lands, easements and hereditaments of any tenure, whether the property of His Majesty or of any person whomsoever, whether built on or not, and whether public or private, enclosed or unclosed;

“public highway” means any street, road, lane, passage, alley, steps, stairs or public place;

“public purpose” includes every purpose which the Council is authorised to effect, the cost of effecting which is chargeable, wholly or in part, against capital or against any rates, tolls, rents, dues or other moneys which the Council may be authorised or enabled to levy, take, have, receive or recover;

“public works” include all existing works, buildings and other constructions which are by this or any other Ordinance vested in the Council and all works, buildings and other constructions



which they may be authorised by this or any other Ordinance to construct and provide and such other works of a public nature, whether paid for out of Town Council funds or not, as the Governor may, by notice in the Gazette, declare to be public works.

#### GENERAL.

Public works requiring Governor's sanction.

106. No public work or purpose of any kind, the cost of which is not intended to be defrayed out of the revenues provided in the estimates for the current year, and for which it may be necessary to raise capital shall be undertaken or executed by the Council without the previous consent in writing of the Governor.

Estimate of cost of public works.

107. Whenever any such public work or purpose is proposed to be undertaken by the Council, they shall submit to the Governor for his approval, accompanied when necessary by a map or plan, a report stating their reasons for desiring to undertake the same and an estimate of the cost of the execution thereof, and a financial scheme for the payment of such cost. Such estimate shall include, when necessary, an estimate of the probable annual expenditure, including redemption of capital and interest thereon, to be occasioned by the execution of such public work or purpose.

Governor may authorise public works.

108. The Governor may, if he shall think fit, authorise in writing the execution by the Council of any such public work or purpose and the raising for such purpose of the amount of capital necessary therefor.

When estimates to be published.

109. The estimates of any public work, the cost of which shall exceed £500, shall be published for general information in the Gazette not less than ten days before being submitted for the approval of the Governor.

Capital to include cost of estimates, surveys, etc.

110. The Council may include in, and raise as part of, capital their expenses in making and preparing all necessary estimates, surveys, valuations and plans, for any public work, and in procuring contracts for the same. Provided that an account thereof shall have been duly rendered to the Town Council Auditor and certified by him to be correct within three months after the estimates for such public work shall have been approved.

How construction of works may be suspended or abandoned.

111. The Council, with the consent in writing of the Governor, may abandon or suspend the construction of any public works or of any part thereof which shall not then be completed. The Council shall clearly describe the works so abandoned or suspended or intended so to be and shall forthwith cause notice of the same and the Governor's approbation thereof to be published in the Gazette and thereupon their powers and liabilities relating thereto shall cease or be suspended accordingly.

Suspended works may be sold or completed in different manner with consent of Governor.

112. The Council may also determine that it is expedient that they should sell or complete in a different manner or for a different purpose to be stated in writing and described in plan, any public works or any part thereof, the construction or completion whereof shall have been abandoned or suspended as aforesaid, and thereupon the Governor may authorise the Council in writing to sell or complete the same accordingly, and notice thereof, without the plan, shall be published in the Gazette. The proceeds of any sale shall be carried to the credit of the capital account.

Completed work and expenditure to be certified to Governor.

113. Whenever the Council shall have completed any public work authorised by the Governor under this Ordinance and for which capital shall have been raised, or so much of the work the construction whereof shall not have been abandoned or suspended in manner hereinbefore provided, the Council shall certify such completion to the Governor and shall at the same time transmit an account in duplicate of the expenditure relating thereto.

114. The Governor shall cause such account to be transmitted to the Town Council Auditor, who shall examine and audit the same, and the Governor if he shall be satisfied that such works have been satisfactorily completed, and the accounts thereof duly audited, shall certify to the Council his approbation thereof, and shall cause such certificate to be published in the Gazette. Such public works shall thereupon become vested in and be under the control and management of the Council.

Account to be certified by Governor after audit.

115. The Council shall insure against fire in some insurance office, at not less than two-thirds of the value thereof, all public works and property vested in or under their control and management, or in their possession or occupation, and which from the nature thereof may be liable to destruction by fire, and also all the furniture, fixtures, matters and things therein, and shall pay the premium and other expenses of every such insurance out of the general rate or out of such other moneys under the control of the Council to which such premiums and expenses may be more properly chargeable.

Public works to be insured against fire.

#### COUNCIL OFFICES.

116. The Council, with the consent in writing of the Governor, may construct, purchase or otherwise acquire, all such offices as they may determine to be necessary for the purpose of this or any other Ordinance, and to enable them to carry the same into effect, and may provide suitable furniture and fittings therein, and may for such purposes raise such sum as they may deem necessary, and as may be sanctioned by the Governor in writing, and shall apply the same in the payment of the expenses incurred by them under this section.

Council may construct offices.

117. For the purposes aforesaid, and for all other purposes which may be authorised by this or any other Ordinance, the Governor may from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the Land Ordinance grant to the Council at such rent, payable to His Majesty, as may be reserved, permission to use any Town Land site, house or building, the property of His Majesty, together with all easements appertaining thereto for such term and upon such conditions as he may think fit.

Governor may grant necessary sites.

118. Every site, house, office and building, together with all easements appertaining thereto, which, or permission to use which, shall be granted by the Governor, and all such offices, and all furniture, fixtures, fittings, matters and things therein, shall be vested in, and under the control and management of the Council.

Offices, etc., to vest in Council.

#### PART VII.

##### GENERAL FINANCIAL PROVISIONS.

119. In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, —

Interpretation of Part VII.

“capital” means —

- (a) every sum of money which the Council may be authorised to raise for any public purpose; and
- (b) all moneys which under any enactment have been granted or which at any time hereafter may be granted to the Council for any public purpose out of moneys provided by Parliament, or from the general revenues of the Colony, and all other moneys which shall be payable to the Council, or come into their hands, and be applicable to the same purposes as capital which they may be authorised to raise;

“expenses” include costs and charges;

“public purpose” includes every purpose which the Council are

authorised to effect, the cost of effecting which is chargeable, wholly or in part, against capital or against any rates, tolls, rents, dues or other moneys which the Council may be authorised or enabled to levy, take, have, receive or recover;

"public works" include all existing works, buildings and other constructions which are by this or any other Ordinance vested in the Council and all works, buildings and other constructions which they may be authorised by this or any other Ordinance to construct and provide and such other works of a public nature, whether paid for out of Town Council funds or not, as the Governor may, by notice in the Gazette, declare to be public works.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

Treasury account.

120. An account shall be opened in the Colonial Treasury and all moneys received by the Council shall be paid into such account.

Salaries, etc. how to be paid.

121. The salary, wages or other remuneration of every person lawfully appointed by the Council for the purpose of discharging any duty under this or any other Ordinance shall be deemed and taken to be part of the expenses of the Council and shall be paid out of the proper moneys which may be received by them for that purpose, and shall be entered into the proper account.

Costs of Council in legal proceedings.

122. All costs which the Council or their officers, or any constables acting in the execution of this or any other Ordinance may incur or be ordered by any court to pay in any legal proceedings shall be part of their lawful expenses, and shall be paid out of the general revenues of the Council unless the Court shall adjudge their conduct or any complaint or any ground of appeal or the defence against any ground of appeal to have been frivolous and vexatious or that they have wilfully neglected or refused to obey an order of the Court, in any of which cases the Court may make such orders as to costs as it shall think fit, and the Council and their officers or any such constables shall not be entitled to be reimbursed such costs out of any moneys that shall be raised or received by them under this or any other Ordinance or by virtue of their office.

Authority for expenditure on entertainment.

123. (1) The Council may expend in any one year ending on the 31st day of December a sum not exceeding £25 in the entertainment of visiting warships (including those of foreign powers), the public reception and entertainment of distinguished visitors and on such other ceremonial occasions as the Council may deem proper for official entertainment.

(2) All sums so expended by the Council shall be deemed to be expenses lawfully incurred by the Council and shall be charged and defrayed accordingly.

#### ACCOUNTS.

Accounts, how to be kept.

124. The Council shall cause their accounts to be kept according to a system of book-keeping, approved by the Colonial Secretary, and in the denomination of the legal currency of Stanley for the time being, and such books shall contain and include a full and distinct account of all expenses, disbursements, and liabilities of the Council and of all moneys by them received or receivable, and of all moneys by them paid or payable.

Capital account.

125. The Council shall cause a separate and distinct account, to be called the capital account to be kept of all receipts and disbursements of any capital which the Council may raise or receive for any purpose in such manner as the Governor shall in writing direct and, so far as such directions shall not extend, they shall keep such capital account according to a system of book-keeping approved by the Colonial Secretary.

126. The Council shall cause to be included in such capital account an account of all moneys which heretofore have been or at any time hereafter may be granted to the Council out of moneys provided by the Legislative Council, and out of general revenues of the Colony, and of all other moneys which shall be payable to them or come into their hands, and be applicable to the same purposes as capital which the Council may raise.

127. The Council shall also cause to be kept separate and distinct accounts of the appropriation of all moneys which they may raise or receive for the purpose of constructing, purchasing or otherwise acquiring any public work.

Accounts of money raised, etc.

128. The Council shall, during the month of September in every year, prepare an estimate, certified under the hand of their Secretary of their probable receipts and expenses during the following year, in the same form as the abstracts of accounts which they are hereby required to prepare and deliver to the Town Council Auditor, and shall publish the same in the next Gazette.

Annual estimates of probable expenses in following year.

129. All moneys which the Council shall receive under this or any other Ordinance, otherwise than as capital or for any specific purpose under this or any other Ordinance, shall be duly accounted for and applied in aid of the rates.

Receipts (other than capital etc.), how to be applied.

130. The Council may make by-laws, —

- (a) for regulating the manner in which their accounts shall be kept, subject nevertheless to the provisions contained in this or any other Ordinance; and
- (b) for regulating the application of the balance of any capital which shall have been raised by them for any purpose under this or any other Ordinance, and which may remain in their hands and not be required for such purpose.

By-laws as to manner of keeping accounts and disposal of capital.

#### AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS.

131. (1) The Council, and every person having the collection, receipt or expenditure of money payable to or receivable by the Council, or holding or accountable for any balance of such money, or any books, deeds, papers, goods or chattels relating to the duties of the Council, shall once in every quarter of a year make out and render to the Town Council Auditor an abstract of account of all moneys, matters and things committed to their charge, or received, held, expended or applied by them or him on their behalf.

Accounts of Council and collectors.

(2) Before the first day of March in every year, the Council shall prepare and deliver to the Town Council Auditor an abstract of every account hereby required to be kept containing the amount of the income and expenditure in each of such accounts in respect of the year ended 31st December immediately previous together with the General Balance Sheet as at that date.

(3) The Town Council Auditor shall complete the examination of such accounts within ninety days of the receipt thereof by him and shall deliver them to the Council certified by him and if he shall fail to do so within such period, the Council may notify the Governor accordingly.

(4) The Council shall within thirty-one days after the completion of the audit publish every such abstract in the Gazette.

132. The following regulations with respect to audit shall be observed —

Audit of accounts, regulations governing.

- (a) For the purpose of any audit, the Town Council Auditor may require the production before him of

all books, deeds, contracts, accounts, vouchers, receipts and other documents and papers which he may deem necessary, and may require any person holding or accountable for any such books, deeds, contracts, accounts, vouchers, receipts, documents or papers to appear before him at any such audit or any adjournment thereof, and to make and sign a declaration as to the correctness of the same. If any such person neglects or refuses so to do, or to produce any such books, deeds, contracts, vouchers, accounts, receipts, documents or papers, or to make or sign such declaration, he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction for every such neglect or refusal to a penalty not exceeding £2.

- (b) The Town Council Auditor shall disallow every item of account contrary to law, and surcharge the same on the person making or authorising the making of the illegal payment, and shall charge against any person accounting the amount of any deficiency or loss incurred by the negligence or misconduct of that person, or of any sum which ought to have been but is not brought into account by that person, and in every such case the Town Council Auditor shall cause notice of his intention to make such surcharge to be given to such person, and shall adjourn the audit so far as it relates to such particular matter, for a sufficient time to allow of such person appearing before him and showing cause against such surcharge; and at such time the Town Council Auditor shall hear such person and determine according to the law and justice of the case, and thereupon certify the amount, (if any) due from such person. Provided that the Town Council Auditor shall not disallow any payment or liability made or incurred by the Council under any order of the Supreme Court, or with the previous authority of the Governor in manner hereinafter mentioned.
- (c) On application by any person who deems himself aggrieved, the Town Council Auditor shall state in writing the reasons for his decision in respect of such disallowance or surcharge, and that person may apply to the Supreme Court by motion in a summary way for an order directing the Town Council Auditor to allow an item that may have been disallowed by him; and the Court, upon proof of notice to the Town Council Auditor and to all such other persons (if any) as it may think entitled to notice, may make such order with respect to such disallowance and surcharge as to costs as may appear to it just and reasonable, and if it shall find that the said disallowance or surcharge was lawfully made, but that the subject-matter thereof was incurred under circumstances that make it fair and equitable that the disallowance or surcharge should be remitted, the Court may remit the same, and the Town Council Auditor shall govern himself accordingly.
- (d) Every sum certified to be due from any person by the Town Council Auditor shall be paid by such person to the Council within fourteen days after the same has been so certified (unless there is an appeal against the decision) and the Town Council Auditor shall, if necessary, proceed for the recovery thereof in the Supreme Court if the amount shall exceed £5, or in a summary manner if the amount shall not exceed such sum. All expenses incurred by the Town Council Auditor in such proceeding as aforesaid,

. which shall not be recovered by him from any other person, shall be paid by the Council out of the rates.

133. The accounts of officers or assistants of the Council who are required to receive moneys or goods on behalf of the Council shall be audited by the Town Council Auditor with the same powers, incidents and consequences as in the case of such last-mentioned accounts.

Audit of accounts of officers.

134. The Governor may upon application made to him in that behalf, remit any surcharge upon any councillor or other person if he shall be satisfied that the payment or liability surcharged was made or incurred bona fide for the purpose of carrying into effect or performing the powers and duties vested in or imposed upon the Council, and that such payment or liability was made or incurred for the public advantage, and the Town Council Auditor shall govern himself accordingly.

Governor may remit any surcharge.

135. In all doubtful cases or upon any emergency, or in cases for which no provision has been made by law, the Council shall before making any payment or incurring any liability apply to the Governor for his authority to make such payment or incur such liability, and the Governor may, if he shall think fit, authorise in writing the expenditure of any sum of money or the incurring of any liability by the Council for the purpose of carrying into effect or performing the duties imposed upon them, notwithstanding that no provision may have been made by law for such expenditure or for incurring such liability.

Council to apply to the Governor in doubtful cases, to authorise expenditure.

136. The Council, whenever desired by the Governor, shall submit its books of account and all documents in its possession for the special examination by any person or persons appointed as a committee for the purpose by the Governor, and shall furnish all such information connected with its affairs as may be required by such committee.

Council to submit books for examination when required by Governor.

137. The map of Record shall be authenticated by the signature of the Colonial Secretary and all disputes as to the boundaries of the wards shall be conclusively settled by reference thereto.

Map of Record.

138. In this Ordinance "Stanley" means – the area comprehended in the three Wards defined in the First Schedule and shown on the Map of Record.

Definition of Stanley.

139. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Ordinance the Governor in Council may from time to time make such orders as may be deemed necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Ordinance.

Special Powers of Governor.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

Sections 4 and 138.

## BOUNDARIES OF WARDS.

1. The Northern boundary of all wards on the South side of Stanley Harbour and the Southern boundary of that part of the Centre Ward which lies on the North side of Stanley Harbour shall be the upper limit of the foreshore.

Provided that all hulks, jetties and sheds projecting into Stanley Harbour beyond the upper limit of the foreshore be deemed to be part of the ward from which they so project.

2. The West Ward shall be bounded –

on the West by a line about three hundred and thirty yards in length from a point on the upper limit of the foreshore two hundred and fifty yards West of the West side of Sullivan House Jetty and running in an approximately Southerly direction along the line of the fence now dividing Crown Land on the East of the fence from land in the possession of the Falkland Islands Company on the West of the fence and continued beyond the end of the said fence until the boundary meets the fence hereinafter called the second fence which runs approximately East and West on the North face of the Murray Heights;

on the South by the line of the second fence from the point where the Western Boundary of the West Ward meets it, thence towards the East to the South-East corner of the Golf Course, thence in a Southerly direction to the South-West corner of the enclosure known as “Bonner’s Paddock” this corner being marked with a concrete post bearing the number “I” on the top and being marked on the Map of Record as a triangular survey sign and with the number “I”, thence to a point opposite the middle line of Brisbane Road by a straight line running from the corner numbered “I” to the South-East corner of the enclosure known as “Dettleff’s Paddock”, the last mentioned corner being marked with a concrete post bearing the number “II” on the top and being marked on the Map of Record by a triangular survey sign and the number “II”;

on the East by a line running in a Northerly direction from the point on the Southern boundary opposite the middle line of Brisbane Road and along the middle line of Brisbane Road to the middle line of Drury Street, thence in a Westerly direction along the middle line of Drury Street to a point opposite the middle line of Barrack Street, thence in a Northerly direction along the middle line of Barrack Street to the middle line of Ross Road and thence to a point in line with the East fence of the Deanery, and thence North to the foreshore.

The West Ward is shown in Blue on the Map of Record.

The Centre Ward shall be bounded –

on the West by the East boundary of the West Ward;

on the South from the point at which the East boundary of the West Ward meets the aforesaid straight line running from the corner numbered “I” to the corner numbered “II” and by that line to a point opposite the middle line of Dean Street;

on the East, from the last named point, in a Northerly direction along the middle line of Dean Street to a point on the middle line of Fitzroy Road, thence in an Easterly direction on the middle line of Fitzroy Road to a point in line with the Eastern fence enclosing the Globe Hotel. Thence to the North end of the last mentioned fence and thence to the foreshore at a point on the East side of the Public jetty.

The Centre Ward shall include all lands on the North side of Stanley Harbour in occupation of the Crown or the Admiralty, being those lands to the East of the fence running North and South and distant approximately eight hundred and fifty yards East of the summit of Cortley Hill.

The Centre Ward is shown in Red on the Map of Record.



The East Ward shall be bounded –

on the West by the Eastern boundary of the Centre Ward;

on the South by the straight line running from the corner numbered "I" to the corner numbered "II" from the point at which it is joined by the East boundary of the Centre Ward to the corner numbered "II" and thence in a straight line running approximately ENE.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E. to the Southern Leading Mark for the entrance to Stanley Harbour;

thence North to the foreshore.

The East Ward is shown in Green on the Map of Record.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

Section 5 (2).

### RULES FOR PREPARING REGISTER OF ELECTORS.

1. The register shall be framed in separate parts for each registration unit, and the registration unit shall be the ward. The names in the register shall be arranged in street order. Arrangements of register.
2. It shall be the duty of the Registration Officer to cause a house or other sufficient enquiry to be made and to prepare, or cause to be prepared, lists for each registration unit of all persons appearing to be entitled to be registered as electors and to publish those lists in the form in which the register is to be framed. The Registration Officer shall at the same time publish a notice specifying the mode in which, and the time within which, claims and objections are to be made under these rules. Preparation of Lists.
3. Any person who claims to be entitled to be registered as an elector and who is not entered, or is entered in an incorrect manner or with incorrect particulars on the electors' list may claim to be registered or to be registered correctly by sending to the Registration Officer a claim on or before the first day of September. The claim shall contain a declaration of the qualification of the claimant to be registered accordingly, including a declaration that the claimant has attained the required age and is a British subject. Claims to be registered.
4. The Registration Officer shall, as soon as practicable after receiving any notice of objection to the registration of any elector, send a copy of the notice to the person in respect of whose registration notice of objection is given. Notices of objections.
5. The Registration Officer shall, as soon as practicable, consider all objections of which notice has been given to him in accordance with these rules, and for that purpose shall give at least five clear days' notice to the objector and to the person in respect of whose registration the notice of objection has been given, of the time and place at which the objection will be considered by him. Consideration of objections.
6. The Registration Officer shall also consider all claims of which notice is given to him in accordance with these rules, and in respect of which no notice of objection is given and, if he considers that the claim may be allowed without further enquiry, shall give notice to the claimant that his claim is allowed. If the Registration Officer is not satisfied that any such claim can be allowed without inquiry, he shall give at least five clear days' notice to the claimant of the time and place at which the claim will be considered by him. Consideration of claims.

Supplemental powers  
on consideration of  
claims and objections.

7. If on the consideration of any claim or objection it appears to the Registration Officer that the claimant, or person in respect of whose name objection is taken, is not entitled to be entered on the register in the character in which he claims to be registered or in which he is entered on the list, but is entitled to be entered on the register in another character or in another place on the register, the Registration Officer may decide that the name of that person shall be so entered on the register.

Publication of  
register.

8. It shall be the duty of the Registration Officer to publish the register not later than the 1st day of October by publishing in the Gazette a notice that a copy of the register is open to inspection at his office during specified hours whereupon the Registration Officer shall keep a copy of the register open for inspection in his office, and shall arrange for copies to be posted for inspection at the Post Office and shall also transmit a copy of the register, as soon as he may after it is published, to the Colonial Secretary.

Appeals from  
Registration Officer.

9. (1) A person desiring to appeal against the decision of a Registration Officer must give notice of appeal on the form supplied by the Registration Officer and to the opposite party (if any), when the decision is given or within five days thereafter, specifying the grounds of appeal.

(2) The Registration Officer shall forward any such notices to the Clerk of the Court together, in each case, with a statement of the material facts which, in his opinion, have been established in the case, and of his decision upon the whole case and on any point which may be specified as a ground of appeal, and shall also furnish any further information which the Court may require and which he is able to furnish.

(3) Where it appears to the Registration Officer that any notices of appeal given to him are based on similar grounds, he shall inform the Clerk of the Court of the fact for the purpose of enabling the Court (if the Court thinks fit) to consolidate the appeals or select a case as a test case.

Documents, how they  
shall be published.

10. (1) Where the Registration Officer by these rules is required to publish any document, and no specific provision is made as to the mode of publication, he shall publish the document available for inspection by the public in his office, and at the Post Office and, if he thinks fit, in any other manner which is, in his opinion, desirable for the purpose of bringing the contents of the documents to the notice of those interested. Any document required to be published shall be kept published for the prescribed time. Any failure to publish a document in accordance with these rules shall not invalidate the document, but this provision shall not relieve the Registration Officer from any penalty for such failure.

(2) If any person without lawful authority destroys, mutilates, defaces or removes any notice published by the Registration Officer in connection with his registration duties, or any copies of a document which have been made available for inspection in pursuance of these rules, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £5.

Supplies of copies of  
claims, objections, etc.

11. The Registration Officer shall, on the application of any person, allow that person to inspect, and take extracts from the electors' list for any registration unit in his area and any claim or notice of objection made under these rules.

Mode of sending  
notices etc.

12. Any claim or notice of objection which is under these rules to be sent to the Registration Officer may be sent to him by post addressed to him at his office. Any notice which is required to be sent by the Registration Officer under these rules to any person shall be sufficiently sent if sent by post to the address of that person

as given by him for the purpose, or as appearing on the lists, or if there is no such address, to his last known place of abode.

13. (1) The Registration Officer may require any householder or any person owning or occupying any land or premises within his area, or the agent or factor of such person, to give, on the form supplied by the Registration Officer, any information in his possession which the Registration Officer may require for the purpose of his duties as Registration Officer. Any notice requiring information under this rule may be sent by post.

Information from  
householder.

(2) If any person fails to give the required information or give false information, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £20.

14. In reckoning time for the purpose of these rules, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday and any day set apart as a public holiday, or public thanksgiving shall be excluded and where anything is required by these rules to be done on any day falls to be done on any such day as aforesaid, that thing may be done on the next day not being one of any such days.

Reckoning of time.

### THIRD SCHEDULE.

Section 12.

#### DECLARATION OF CANDIDATE.

I, A. B., being a candidate for the election to the office of Councillor of the Town Council of Stanley, solemnly and sincerely declare that –

- (a) I am a British subject by birth and of the full age of 21 years;
- (b) I reside within Stanley during at least eight months in every year; and
- (c) I am fully conversant with and able to read and write the English language.

(Signed) .....

Declared before me this

day of

, 194 .

.....  
(A Justice of the Peace).

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Section 24.

FORM OF BALLOT PAPER.

		(FRONT).	
DOE.  (John Doe, Labourer, John Street, Stanley.)	SMITH.  (Richard Walter Smith, Civil Servant, Ross Road, Stanley.)	ROE.  (Albert Roe, Merchant, Ross Road, Stanley.)	WHITE.  (John White, Contractor, Davis Street, Stanley.)
1	2	3	4
COUNTERFOIL.	No.....	Note :- The counterfoil is to have a number to correspond with that on the back of the Ballot Paper.	

(BACK OF BALLOT PAPER).

No.....

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Note : The number of the ballot paper is to correspond with that on the counterfoil.

DIRECTIONS AS TO PRINTING BALLOT PAPER.

Nothing is to be printed on the ballot paper except in accordance with this Schedule.

The surname of each candidate, and if there are two or more candidates of the same surname, also the other names of such candidates, shall be printed in large characters as shown in the form and the names, addresses and descriptions, and the number on the back of the paper, shall be printed in small characters.

## FIFTH SCHEDULE.

Section 25.

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I swear by Almighty God that I will not at this Election for the Town Council of Stanley do anything forbidden by Section 46 of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance.

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## SIXTH SCHEDULE.

Section 27.

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FORM OF DIRECTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF ELECTORS IN VOTING.

1. The voter may vote for two candidates.
2. The voter will go into one of the compartments and with the pencil provided in the compartment, place a cross on the right hand side, opposite the name of the candidate or candidates for whom he votes, thus - X.
3. The voter will then fold up the ballot paper so as to show the official mark on the back, and leaving the compartment will, without showing the front of the paper to any person, show the official mark on the back to the presiding officer, and then in the presence of the presiding officer put the paper into the ballot box, and forthwith quit the polling place.
4. If the voter inadvertently spoils a ballot paper he can return it to the presiding officer, who will, if satisfied of such inadvertence, give him another paper.
5. If the voter votes for more than two candidates or places any mark on the paper by which he may afterwards be identified, his ballot paper will be void, and will not be counted.
6. If the voter takes a ballot paper out of the polling place, or deposits in the ballot box any other paper than the one given him by the presiding officer, he will be guilty of a misdemeanour and be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

Note: These directions shall be illustrated by examples of the ballot paper.

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## SEVENTH SCHEDULE.

Section 58 (2).

## FORM OF DECLARATION BY CANDIDATE AS TO EXPENSES.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, having been a candidate at the election of the Stanley Town Council, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (and my agent) do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that I have paid \_\_\_\_\_ for my expenses at the said election, and that, except as aforesaid, I have not, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, no person, nor any club, society or association, has on my behalf, made any payment, or given, promised or offered any reward, office, employment or valuable consideration, or incurred any liability on account of or in respect of the conduct or management of the said election.

And I further solemnly and sincerely declare that, except as aforesaid, no money, security or equivalent for money, has to my knowledge or belief been paid, advanced, given or deposited by anyone to or in the hands of myself, or any other person, for the purpose of defraying any expenses incurred on my behalf, on account of, or in respect of, the conduct or management of the said election.

And I further solemnly and sincerely declare that I will not at any future time make or be a party to the making or giving of any payment, reward, office, employment or valuable consideration for the purpose of defraying any such expenses as last mentioned, or provide or be a party to the providing of any money, security or equivalent for money for the purpose of defraying any such expenses.

Signature of declarant C. D.

and his agent (if any) E. F.

Signed and declared by the above-named declarant(s) on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 194 , before me,

(Signed) G. H.,

A Justice of the Peace.





No. 68. 10th October, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment with effect from the 27th of March, 1947:—

MR. A. J. BLYTH.

Assistant Engineman, to act as Superintendent, Power House, Electrical and Telegraphs Department, during the absence on leave of Mr. T. H. H. Hennah.

M.P. P/93.

No. 69. 14th October, 1947.

The undermentioned Officers were absent on vacation leave, prior to retirement:—

SIDNEY EDMUND BROWELL, ESQUIRE,

Police Constable, Falkland Islands, from the 1st of May, 1946, to the 4th of June, 1947, both dates inclusive: and

EDWARD HEADFORD, ESQUIRE,

Orderly and Caretaker, Government House, from the 29th of August, 1946, to the 14th of October, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.Ps. P/126; P/38.

No. 70. 31st October, 1947.

MISS E. M. CAREY,

Postmaster, was absent on vacation leave, prior to retirement, from the 30th of August, 1946, to the 21st of September, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/61.

#### REGISTRAR.

#### DEED POLL

BY PATRICK EUGENE GLEADELL,  
OF STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I, the undersigned natural-born male British subject lately called Patrick Eugene Gleadell, residing at Stanley in the Colony of the Falkland Islands, son of Franklin Edmund Gleadell and Winifred Irene Gleadell his wife, do hereby absolutely renounce and abandon the use of my surname of Gleadell and instead thereof assume and adopt from the date of these presents the surname of Davis.

And for purpose of evidencing such change of name I hereby declare that I shall at all times hereafter in all deeds and writings and in all dealings and transactions and on all occasions whatsoever, use and subscribe the said name of Davis as my surname in lieu of the said surname of Gleadell.

And I hereby expressly authorise and desire every person whomsoever to designate, describe and address me by such adopted surname of Davis.

In Witness whereof I have subscribed these presents with my names Patrick Eugene and my adopted and substituted surname of Davis this

fifteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty seven.

PATRICK EUGENE GLEADELL.

PATRICK EUGENE DAVIS.

Signed, Sealed and delivered by the above named Patrick Eugene Davis in the presence of —

H. BENNETT,

*Justice of the Peace.*

Registered in the Registrar General's Department, Falkland Islands, No. 2479. Volume XI., folio 200 on the 16th day of October, 1947.

J. E. HAMILTON,

*Registrar General.*

#### PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Mary Hyacinth White, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas William Martell White, 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

9th October, 1947.

L. 29/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Philip Reginald Lee, of Chartres, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Harold Bennett, Agent for the beneficiaries 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

20th October, 1947.

L. 28/47.

In the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands.

*Elizabeth Ryan, of Stanley, Falkland Islands, deceased.*

Whereas Ileen Smith, grand-daughter 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 twenty-one days of the date hereof.

31st October, 1947.

L. 29/47.

J. E. HAMILTON,

*Registrar, Supreme Court.*

## Defence (Finance) Regulations, 1939.

Order by His Excellency the Governor.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

No. 2 of 1947.

Under the authority of the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, United Kingdom, 1939, the Governor is pleased to make the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Finance Control Penalties Regulations, 1947. Short title.

2. Any person contravening any provision of the Defence (Finance) Regulations, 1939, or of any Regulations amending them or Orders made thereunder shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable—

- (a) on conviction in a Court of Summary Jurisdiction, to imprisonment for not more than three months or to a fine not exceeding five hundred pounds or to both;
- (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for not more than two years or to a fine not exceeding one thousand pounds or to both;

and where the offence is concerned with any currency, security, gold, goods or other property, the Court may order such currency, security, gold, goods or other property to be forfeited.

*By Command,*

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

1st October, 1947.

M.P. 0078/A.

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## Plant Disease Regulations.

Regulations made by the Governor in Council under Section 3 of the Plant Disease Regulation Ordinance 1944.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

No. 4 of 1947.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Plant Importation Regulations 1947. Short title.

2. The Officer in Charge of the Agricultural Department shall be the prescribing authority. Prescribing authority.

3. The Governor may appoint duly qualified persons who shall be termed Plant Inspectors to enforce the provisions of the Plant Disease Regulation Ordinance 1944 and of the Regulations made under it. The Agricultural Officer shall be Chief Plant Inspector *ex officio* and all Customs Officers shall be Plant Inspectors *ex officio*. Inspectors.

Duty to inspect on  
arrival.  
First Schedule.

4. An Inspector shall inspect all plants set out in the First Schedule and Third Schedule on their arrival in the Colony, and may inspect any other plant, seed, container, or covering imported into the Colony.

Powers of Inspectors.

5. For the purpose of these Regulations, Plant Inspectors may board and inspect any ship on arrival in the Colony if there is reason to believe that such a ship has on board any plants, seed, soil, containers or coverings intended for importation into the Colony and Plant Inspectors may enter land, enclosures or buildings (but not dwelling houses) and if any person impedes or obstructs or refuses such boarding of a ship or such entry to a Plant Inspector who states his business it shall be an offence.

6. An Inspector may –

Quarantine.

(a) detain any plant, seed, soil, container, or covering which, if permitted to enter, would, in his opinion, bring about the introduction of pests or plant disease such as would endanger the healthy growth of plants customarily grown in the Colony or intended to be grown therein :

(b) with the approval of the Agricultural Officer, order any plant to be planted for a period not exceeding twenty-four calendar months in a specified place set apart and used for the time being as a plant quarantine station :

Destruction by fire if  
ordered.

(c) order or apply any treatment that may be necessary to destroy any pest or disease which he identifies or believes to be present on or in any plant, seed, soil, container, or covering, and if no such treatment exists, or if there is danger that a pest or plant disease may escape into the Colony before such treatment can be applied, he shall order the complete destruction by fire of such plant, seed, soil, packing material, container or covering and shall ensure the complete destruction of the pest or plant disease.

Free imports.  
Second Schedule.

7. With the exception of the plants and seeds specified in the Second Schedule no plant, seed or soil may be imported without a permit from the prescribing authority.

Permit necessary to  
import plants.

8. Applications for permits shall be made in writing and shall state –

(a) the full name, and address of the applicant :

(b) name and address of the person from whom it is proposed to obtain the plants, seeds or soil and the source of them, including locality and nursery if known.

(c) the botanical or the generally accepted popular names of plants, and the number of each variety it is desired to import.

(d) the locality in which it is proposed to grow the plants or seeds or use the soil etc.

(e) and any other information which may be specifically required by the prescribing authority.

Health certificate  
required.

9. Plants and tubers specified in the Third Schedule may not be imported unless –

Third Schedule.

(a) they are accompanied by a certificate issued by or on behalf of the Government of the country of origin and stating that the plants were free from pests and diseases including virus disease when examined not more than fourteen days before shipment and that

reasonable precautions were taken to prevent the plants becoming infected after the examination and unless—

- (b) there is in the Colony an officer competent to identify pests and diseases when the plants or tubers arrive. Provided that plants or tubers accompanied by certificates issued by or on behalf of a British or United States of America Government Authority may be imported in the absence of such an officer.

10. All reasonable costs incurred in the examination, treatment, or destruction of plants, seeds or soil shall be borne by the importer notwithstanding that the plants, seeds or soil may have been destroyed and the costs may be recovered as a civil debt in a Court of Summary Jurisdiction.

Costs of examination and treatment recoverable from importer.

Provided that the Governor may, if he sees fit, direct that no charge be made.

11. No claim for compensation shall lie for any loss incurred through the action of any Inspector acting in good faith under the authority of the Plant Disease Regulation Ordinance.

No compensation.

12. Plants, seeds or soil shall normally be imported into the Colony at Stanley; but may be imported at any other place under such conditions as the Agricultural Officer may impose.

Port of entry.

13. Any person importing any plant, seed or soil contrary to these Regulations shall commit an offence and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding £50.

Penalty.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council on the 2nd of October, 1947.

J. BOUND,  
*Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.*

#### SCHEDULE I.

Section 4.

1. Seedlings and plants of forest trees.
2. Plant stocks and cuttings of fruit trees.
3. Plants and cuttings of small fruits (for example, currants, strawberries, raspberries and gooseberries).
4. Potatoes and other tubers.

#### SCHEDULE II.

Section 7.

1. Vegetable seeds.
2. Flower seeds.
3. Agricultural seeds (pasture and crop).
4. Seeds of small fruits.

#### SCHEDULE III.

Section 9.

1. Potatoes.
2. Jerusalem artichokes.
3. Strawberry plants.
4. Raspberry plants.
5. Currant plants.

# Government Employees' Provident Fund 1946.

Colonial Treasury,  
Stanley, Falkland Islands.  
15th June, 1947.

The Honourable,  
The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with Section 4 (6) of the Provident Fund Ordinance No. 8 of 1938, I have the honour to submit a report on the transactions of the Fund for the year ended 31st December, 1946.

Appended are the following statements of account :-

- (i) Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure, Deposits and Withdrawals, Investments, Investments Adjustment, Capital, and statement of Assets and Liabilities.
- (ii) Nominal value, cost and market value of Investments at 31st December, 1946.

2. The amount standing to the credit of depositors at the close of the year is shewn in the following statement :-

Balance 1st January, 1946	...	...	£18,820 : 13 : 0
Compulsory & Voluntary deposits	...	...	1,535 : 8 : 3
Repayments of Advances	...	...	39 : 0 : 0
Government Bonus	...	...	1,519 : 18 : 3
Interest on closed accounts	...	...	6 : 1 : 4
Accrued interest	...	...	381 : 11 : 2
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			£22,302 : 12 : 0
<i>Less Withdrawals :</i>			
Closed accounts	...	£1,062 : 10 : 10	
Advances	...	5 : 0 : 0	
		<hr/>	1,067 : 10 : 10
Balance due to depositors 31/12/46	...	...	<hr/>
			£21,235 : 1 : 2

3. Investments of a redemption value of £19,195 : 19 : 1 made and held by the Crown Agents for the Colonies for and on behalf of the Fund, are detailed on the statement forwarded herewith. The revenue from Investments was £665 : 8 : 2.

4. In conformity with Col. Regs. 275 the Fund's Investments were revalued at the prices in the London market at the close of the year. Appreciation amounted to £1,251 : 18 : 0 and this amount was credited direct to the Fund.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. F. LELLMAN,  
*Assistant Treasurer.*

# Government Employees' Provident Fund.

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1946.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

To Interest on Closed A/cs.	6 : 1 : 4	By Interest on Investments	665 : 8 : 2
.. Interest credited to Depositors' A/cs.	381 : 11 : 2		
.. Proportion of Salaries	50 : 0 : 0		
.. Capital Account	227 : 15 : 8		
	<u>£665 : 8 : 2</u>		<u>£665 : 8 : 2</u>

## DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS ACCOUNT.

To Balance 1/1/46.	18,820 : 13 : 0	By Withdrawals - Closed A/cs.	1,062 : 10 : 10
.. Compulsory & Voluntary deposits	1,535 : 8 : 3	.. Advances made	5 : 0 : 0
.. Bonus on Compulsory deposits	1,519 : 18 : 3	.. Balance - Credit of Depositors	21,235 : 1 : 2
.. Repayment of Advances	39 : 0 : 0		
.. Interest on Current A/cs.	381 : 11 : 2		
.. Interest on Closed A/cs.	6 : 1 : 4		
	<u>£22,302 : 12 : 0</u>		<u>£22,302 : 12 : 0</u>

## INVESTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Balance 1/1/46.	19,761 : 4 : 10	By Balance - market value 31/12/46.	21,013 : 2 : 10
.. Appreciation of Investments	1,251 : 18 : 0		
	<u>£21,013 : 2 : 10</u>		<u>£21,013 : 2 : 10</u>

## INVESTMENT ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT.

To Capital Account.	1,251 : 18 : 0	By Appreciation of Investments	1,251 : 18 : 0
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## CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

To Withdrawals	1,067 : 10 : 10	By Balance 1/1/46.	19,568 : 10 : 10
.. Balance 31/12/46.	23,462 : 12 : 8	.. Revenue & Expenditure A/c.	227 : 15 : 8
		.. Deposits, Bonus & Interest	3,442 : 19 : 0
		.. Repayment of Advances	39 : 0 : 0
		.. Investments adjustments A/c.	1,251 : 18 : 0
	<u>£24,530 : 3 : 6</u>		<u>£24,530 : 3 : 6</u>

## STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Amount due to Depositors	21,235 : 1 : 2	Market value of Investments	21,013 : 2 : 10
Surplus of Assets over Liabilities	2,794 : 14 : 10	Cash in hands of Financial Secretary	3,016 : 13 : 2
	<u>£24,029 : 16 : 0</u>		<u>£24,029 : 16 : 0</u>

# Government Employees' Provident Fund.

INVESTMENTS 31st DECEMBER. 1946.

NAME OF STOCK.		%	FACE VALUE OF STOCK.			COST OF STOCK.			MARKET VALUE OF INVESTMENTS.															
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Price.	£	s.	d.												
British Guiana	1959/69	3	1,835	:	0	:	5	1,713	:	18	:	10	108	1,981	:	16	:	5						
Sierra Leone	1958/63	3½	2,240	:	1	:	11	2,273	:	19	:	5	110	2,464	:	2	:	1						
Gold Coast	1956	4½	2,393	:	13	:	2	2,634	:	15	:	7	118	2,824	:	10	:	3						
New Zealand	1947	4½	970	:	18	:	2	945	:	15	:	10	103	1,000	:	0	:	9						
Savings Bonds	1955/65	3	2,490	:	6	:	5	2,490	:	6	:	5	108½	2,701	:	19	:	11						
War Loan	1955/59	3	1,509	:	4	:	3	1,531	:	17	:	6	108½	1,637	:	9	:	11						
Savings Bonds	1960/70	3	2,054	:	5	:	5	2,054	:	5	:	5	109¼	2,244	:	5	:	10						
New South Wales	1947/57	5½	1,789	:	13	:	2	1,884	:	19	:	6	102	1,825	:	9	:	0						
Savings Bonds	1965/75	3	3,912	:	16	:	2	3,912	:	16	:	2	110¾	4,333	:	8	:	8						
			19,195			:	19	:	1	19,442			:	14	:	8			21,013		:	2	:	10
Market Value ...			21,013			:	2	:	10															
Book Value ...			19,761			:	4	:	10															
Appreciation ...			1,251			:	18	:	0															



# METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS, during the Year ended 31st December, 1946.

Latitude 51° 41½' South.

Longitude 57° 51½' West.

All readings at 0800 L.M.T. (1200 G.M.T.)

MONTHS.	MEAN PRESSURE IN MILLIBARS AT M.S.L.	AIR TEMPERATURE (°F).								PRECIPITATION IN INCHES.			VAPOUR PRESSURE IN MILLIBARS.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY (%)	AMOUNT OF CLOUD.	SUNSHINE.			WEATHER. Number of days of					WIND DIRECTION. Number of Observations of																	
		DRY BULB.	WET BULB.	MEANS OF		ABSOLUTE MAX. AND MIN.				TOTAL.	GREATEST FALL.	DATE.				TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS.	% OF ACTUAL AGAINST POSSIBLE.	MEAN (hours and tenths.)	RAIN.	SNOW OR SLEET.	• GALES.	CLEAR SKY. 0-1	OVERCAST. 9-10	MEAN FORCE OF WIND.	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.
				MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	DATE.	MIN.	DATE.																																
Jan.	1000.3	51.7	48.6	58.7	44.1	69.5	30th	36.7	13th	1.96	.440	21st	10.1	81	7.0	184.5	37	5.9	17	—	1	—	18	4.0	—	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	3	—	3	4	1	4	8	4	—
Feb.	993.8	48.8	46.0	55.5	41.7	73.0	23rd	35.1	20th	2.15	.579	7th	8.9	82	8.0	126.0	31	4.0	17	—	—	1	19	4.0	—	—	1	—	—	2	3	1	1	3	3	—	5	8	1	—	
Mar.	1011.3	46.1	44.0	51.9	40.8	63.5	1st	35.2	2nd	1.45	.324	30th	8.8	83	8.0	116.0	29	3.7	13	—	—	1	22	4.0	4	2	1	—	1	2	—	5	2	4	2	1	1	5	1	—	
April	1003.1	44.1	43.1	51.3	39.4	61.3	9th	33.3	29th	1.14	.300	9th	8.9	95	7.0	114.3	36	3.8	12	—	1	2	20	4.0	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	2	3	3	5	9	4	—	
May	1005.9	38.9	38.1	45.2	34.9	55.0	4th	29.8	30th	0.53	.085	27th	7.3	95	6.4	83.0	37	2.7	14	1	—	2	13	3.6	2	1	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	2	6	1	5	8	2	1	
June	1008.5	37.4	36.4	41.2	34.1	48.0	1st	27.0	3rd	0.94	.240	18th	6.8	90	8.1	48.8	20	1.6	17	4	3	1	18	5.0	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	3	4	7	1	1	4	4	1	
July	1011.6	35.5	34.5	38.9	31.7	44.1	19th	25.6	31st	2.18	.505	23rd	6.5	87	8.0	39.1	11	1.2	19	7	2	—	22	4.0	1	1	1	—	2	4	—	1	2	1	1	5	—	3	4	3	1
Aug.	1001.4	33.2	32.3	38.3	29.0	46.4	29th	23.2	23rd	2.35	.625	30th	5.6	89	7.0	104.9	35	3.4	18	13	1	—	18	7.0	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	8	3	7	3	2	—	
Sept.	1008.6	37.4	36.0	41.9	33.8	56.9	18th	27.3	1st	1.89	.880	16th	6.5	90	8.0	81.3	23	2.7	13	4	1	2	24	4.0	1	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	2	3	2	4	—	2	4	6	—
Oct.	993.1	42.8	41.1	50.2	32.1	61.0	26th	25.2	17th	1.06	.275	8th	7.8	82	7.0	186.5	42	6.0	12	5	1	1	15	5.0	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	6	3	6	8	3	1	
Nov.	995.2	45.5	41.5	51.7	36.5	65.0	12th	27.2	22nd	1.94	.370	6th	7.0	68	7.0	244.7	52	8.2	15	2	1	3	14	4.9	1	4	—	—	1	2	—	1	1	2	6	5	3	2	2	—	
Dec.	997.0	46.2	42.6	54.6	38.3	64.3	16th	30.7	11th	0.76	.404	19th	7.6	72	8.0	128.0	25	4.1	24	1	2	—	21	4.0	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	5	3	4	4	2	7	2	1	—	
Means	1002.5	42.3	40.3	48.3	36.3	59.0	—	29.7	—	1.53	.416	—	7.2	86	7.4	121.0	31	3.9	16	2.8	1.1	1.1	18.7	4.4	15	14	8	3	4	8	5	6	23	18	31	58	20	49	65	33	4

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

\* Force 8 or more - Beaufort Scale.

J. B. BROWNING,  
O. i/c. Agricultural Department.

November 1, 1947]

THE FALKLAND ISLANDS GAZETTE.

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## ANNUAL STOCK RETURN FOR 1946-1947.

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.		HOGGETS.	TOTAL.	EAR MARK
					CAST.	MAIDEN.			
EAST FALKLAND.									
C. Bender.	Moody Valley.	23	429	660	35	75	150	1,372	Fork & Back Bit.
Estate G. Bonner.	San Carlos.	279	7,582	8,528	277	2,654	5,082	24,402	Front Square.
Pitaluga Bros.	Gibralta.	137	5,205	6,828	—	—	3,881	16,051	Fore Bayonet.
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Darwin & Lafonia	1,854	56,088	56,724	110	17,046	31,863	163,685	Double Swallow.
Smith Bros. " " "	Fitzroy.	411	13,661	12,256	—	3,217	7,559	37,104	" " "
J. W. McGill.	Berkeley Sound.	186	4,786	7,019	—	—	3,409	15,400	Triangle.
Mrs. N. S. Browning	Peninsula.	3	—	117	—	—	—	120	Back Bayonet.
and J. W. McGill	Mullet Creek.	20	220	850	—	—	160	1,250	Back Bayonet.
Mrs. F. O. Yonge.	Bluff Cove.	80	640	1,800	55	—	580	3,155	Double Slit.
Estate T. Robson.	Port Louis.	166	3,606	4,304	361	1,077	2,281	11,795	Front Halfpenny.
The Douglas Stn. Co., Ltd.	Douglas.	437	6,127	10,473	1,137	—	4,757	22,931	Fork.
Port San Carlos Co., Ltd.	Port San Carlos.	366	8,272	9,998	—	2,229	6,393	27,258	Slit.
Estate J. J. Felton.	Evelyn.	264	7,260	9,430	227	2,005	5,241	24,427	Back Square.
Estate H. J. Pitaluga.	Rincon Grande.	84	3,277	3,486	—	911	2,147	9,905	Slit.
		4,310	117,153	132,473	2,202	29,214	73,503	358,855	

## WEST FALKLAND.

J. L. Waldron, Ltd.	Port Howard.	404	11,146	12,704	200	3,020	5,980	33,454	Fork.
Holmstead & Blake.	Hill Cove.	333	9,216	11,410	200	2,473	4,930	28,562	Front Bayonet.
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Port Stephens.	376	9,996	11,317	1,357	2,576	5,276	30,898	Fork.
Packe Bros. & Co. Ltd.	Fox Bay East	253	9,197	9,586	98	2,936	5,360	27,430	Fork Bit.
Luxton & Auson.	Chartres.	315	7,339	9,910	—	2,069	4,320	23,953	Double Swallow.
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Fox Bay West & Spring Point.	357	7,883	10,654	58	2,606	5,644	27,202	Fore Bayonet.
Bertrand & Felton Ltd.	Roy Cove.	161	5,047	5,370	—	1,569	2,935	15,082	Front Square.
		2,199	59,824	70,951	1,913	17,249	34,445	186,581	

## ISLANDS.

J. Hamilton, Ltd.	Weddell.	44	2,782	1,165	—	238	924	5,153	Fork.
" " "	Beaver.	30	55	870	—	—	—	955	"
" " "	Passage.	4	166	188	—	—	—	358	"
J. Davis.	Hummock.	6	90	130	—	—	44	270	"
Deau Bros.	Pebble & Keppel.	472	8,989	5,304	537	1,725	3,341	20,368	Back Bayonet.
J. Davis.	Jason.	9	860	490	246	190	428	2,223	"
J. Hamilton, Ltd.	Saunders.	90	3,343	2,566	220	724	1,103	8,046	Hole.
J. Hansen.	Carcass.	34	683	762	252	249	522	2,502	Fore Bayonet.
G. Scott.	New.	24	906	706	—	212	493	2,341	Fork.
W. J. Hutchinson.	Sea Lion.	11	367	610	28	260	410	1,686	Slit.
Mrs. Napier.	West Point.	13	1,323	787	—	—	560	2,683	Back Square.
Falkland Islands Co., Ltd.	Speedwell Group.	170	3,250	4,375	158	840	3,322	12,115	Double Swallow.
		907	22,814	17,953	1,441	4,438	11,147	58,700	

EAST FALKLAND	4,310	117,153	132,473	2,202	29,214	73,503	358,855
WEST FALKLAND	2,199	59,824	70,951	1,913	17,249	34,445	186,581
ISLANDS	907	22,814	17,953	1,441	4,438	11,147	58,700
TOTALS	7,416	199,791	221,377	5,556	50,901	119,095	604,136

## IMPORTATIONS.

FROM UNITED KINGDOM.			FROM NEW ZEALAND.		FROM ARGENTINE.		FROM URUGUAY.	FROM CHILE.	STALLIONS.
Bull.	Rams.	Dogs.	Bull.	Rams.	Rams.	Horses.	Dogs.	Horses.	
1	5	3	1	141	4	2	2	138	3

## SUMMARY OF STOCK RETURNS 1942-1947.

## SHEEP.

YEAR.	RAMS.	WETHERS.	BREEDING EWES.	OTHER EWES.	HOGGETS.	TOTAL.	SHEEP SHORN.	LAMBS MARKED.	% LAMBS MARKED OF PREVIOUS YEARS' EWES.	% HOGGETS DIPPED OF PREVIOUS YEARS' EWES.	% HOGGETS SHORN FOLLOWING YEAR.
									PER 100 EWES PUT TO THE RAM.		
1942-1943.	7,988	199,252	224,159	65,752	135,301	632,452	577,297	150,169	66.35	60.23	53.60
1943-1944.	7,818	200,131	220,926	63,807	135,097	627,779	575,298	151,965	67.79	60.27	53.20
1944-1945.	7,829	199,558	221,496	63,360	127,206	619,449	561,663	139,764	63.26	57.57	50.30
1945-1946.	7,919	196,887	222,001	58,027	126,889	611,723	553,167	147,003	66.66	57.19	50.38
1946-1947.	7,416	199,791	221,377	56,457	119,095	604,136	548,446	133,978	60.35	53.64	

## SHEEP DISPOSED OF.

YEAR.	SOLD LOCALLY FOR BREEDING OR FURTHER USE.	EXPORTED.	SLAUGHTERED.			TOTAL.	UNACCOUNTED FOR (DEATHS) EXCLUDING LAMBS.	DEATH RATE %
			MUTTON.	TALLOW.	SKINS.			
1942-1943.	5,554	—	29,278	13,886	34,122	82,840	59,600	9.40
1943-1944.	3,236	—	26,841	18,926	38,008	87,011	55,995	8.85
1944-1945.	1,519	118	22,501	16,734	28,959	69,831	67,224	10.71
1945-1946.	2,900	—	23,066	15,534	30,347	71,847	58,313	10.48
1946-1947.	5,342	469	23,960	17,135	31,744	77,789	53,813	8.73

## OTHER STOCK.

YEAR.	HORSES.	CATTLE.	SWINE.
1942-1943.	3,192	10,950	32
1943-1944.	3,211	11,226	35
1944-1945.	3,227	10,873	22
1945-1946.	3,087	11,205	4
1946-1947.	2,734	11,197	14



## Schedule.

## SCHEDULE.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	The Governor ... ..	2968	0	0
II.	Agriculture ... ..	7821	0	0
III.	Audit ... ..	995	0	0
IV.	Colonial Development & Welfare ...	15515	0	0
V.	Customs ... ..	605	0	0
VI.	Ecclesiastical ... ..	—	—	—
VII.	Education ... ..	10072	0	0
VIII.	Electrical and Telegraphs ... ..	8958	0	0
IX.	Harbour ... ..	1544	0	0
X.	Judicial ... ..	249	0	0
XI.	Land Sales ... ..	211	0	0
XII.	Medical ... ..	10943	0	0
XIII.	Meteorological ... ..	521	0	0
XIV.	Military ... ..	691	0	0
XV.	Miscellaneous ... ..	8951	0	0
XVI.	Naturalist ... ..	789	0	0
XVII.	Pensions ... ..	5000	0	0
XVIII.	Police and Prisons ... ..	1621	0	0
XIX.	Post Office ... ..	8145	0	0
XX.	Public Works Department ... ..	3506	0	0
XXI.	Public Works Extraordinary ... ..	19550	0	0
XXII.	Public Works Recurrent ... ..	16130	0	0
XXIII.	Secretariat & Treasury ... ..	6441	0	0
XXIV.	War Expenditure ... ..	—	—	—
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue		£131226	0	0
DEPENDENCIES.				
I.	Ordinary Expenditure ... ..	19993	0	0
II.	Extraordinary Expenditure ... ..	5040	0	0
Total ...		£156259	0	0

A Bill for  
An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-six in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 2 of 1945.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for Preamble.  
the service of the Colony for the year 1946.

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 —

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Short Title, Supplementary Appropriation (1946) Ordinance, 1947.

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 forty-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.

Passed by the Legislative Council this            day of  
                , 1947.

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this            day of            , 1947.

*Colonial Secretary.*

### SCHEDULE.

**Schedule.**

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
<b>FALKLAND ISLANDS.</b>				
II.	The Governor ...	86	4	11
III.	Colonial Secretary ...	348	1	0
V.	Audit ...	2	10	0
VI.	Post Office ...	780	18	0
VII.	Electrical & Telegraphs ...	529	12	5
X.	Police & Prisons ...	110	18	7
XI.	Medical ...	2184	12	10
XVI.	Agriculture ...	473	8	1
XVII.	Miscellaneous ...	119121	17	2
XVIII.	Public Works Department ...	1663	12	2
XIX.	Public Works Recurrent ...	9422	18	8
XX.	Public Works Extraordinary ...	555	8	5
XXI.	War Expenditure ...	735	14	2
XXII.	Land Sales ...	67	1	0
		136082	17	5
<b>DEPENDENCIES.</b>				
I.	Dependencies ...	68370	10	5





A Bill for  
An Ordinance  
To amend the Medical Practitioners,  
Midwives and Dentist Ordinance, 1914.

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 Medical Registration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1947, and shall be read and construed with the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance, 1914, (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance).

Short title.

2. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the section following:—

Amendment of  
Section 2 of No. 3  
of 1914.

Registration.            2. Separate registers of Medical Practitioners, Midwives, and Dentists shall be kept in the form of the Schedule hereto.

Fees.                    The fee to be charged for each registration under this Ordinance shall be two guineas for persons possessing professional qualifications registered in any Country of the British Commonwealth of Nations, and a fee of five guineas for persons possessing professional qualifications not registered within the British Commonwealth of Nations but Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists who are in the employment of the Colonial Government shall be registered free of charge.

Provided that the Senior Medical Officer may refuse to register any person whose professional qualifications are not acceptable by the General Council of Medical Education and Registration of the United Kingdom.

Passed by the Legislative Council this            day of  
, 1947.

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to by the Governor and given under the Public Seal of the Colony this            day of            , 1947.

*Colonial Secretary.*





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## NEW APPOINTMENT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Williams, Miss V.	Education.	Pupil Teacher.	1.11.47.	On probation for one year.

## PROMOTION.

			<i>Date.</i>
Aldridge, Miss E.	Pupil Teacher, Grade V. to Assistant Teacher, Grade V.		1.2.47.

## LEAVE.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Department.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Period.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Woodgate, J. A., O.B.E., A.R.I.B.A.	Public Works.	Executive Engineer.	180 days plus period of voyage.	24.8.47.	On transfer to Tanganyika.

## TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Office.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Reason.</i>
Bonner, R.	Junior Meteorological Assistant.	10.11.47.	Appointment terminated.
Harries, Leon	Travelling Teacher.	26.10.47.	" "

## NOTICES.

The following Notices etc., are published by command of His Excellency the Governor.

A. B. MATHEWS,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

No. 71. 3rd November, 1947.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THE HONOURABLE

ARTHUR GRENFELL BARTON, ESQUIRE, J.P.,  
to be provisionally a Member of the Legislative  
Council during the absence from the Colony of  
the Honourable D. W. Roberts, Esquire, O.B.E.,  
J.P., with effect from the 30th of October, 1947.  
M.P. 0456.

No. 72. 6th November, 1947.

W. J. GRIERSON,

Customs Officer, South Georgia, was absent on  
vacation leave from the 13th of April, 1947, to  
the 3rd of November, 1947, both dates inclusive.  
M.P. L/1.

No. 73. 19th November, 1947.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 59 of  
3rd September, 1947,

DAVID LEES

was provisionally a member of the Board of  
Health from the 3rd of September, 1947, to the  
5th of November, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. 600/29.

No. 74. 1st December, 1947.

CAPTAIN L. W. ALDRIDGE, M.B.E., J.P.,

Assistant Colonial Secretary, was absent on vaca-  
tion leave from the 15th of February, 1947, to  
the 20th of November, 1947, both dates inclusive.

M.P. L/17.

## Defence (Finance) Regulations, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

No. 5 of 1947.

Under the authority of the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, United Kingdom, 1939, the Governor is pleased to make the following Regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Defence (Finance) Regulations, 1947.
2. (1) Except with permission granted by or on behalf of the Governor no person other than an authorised dealer shall in the Colony buy or borrow any foreign currency or any gold from, or lend or sell any foreign currency or any gold to, any person not being an authorised dealer.  
(2) "Authorised dealer" means a commercial firm in the Colony authorised by the Governor to transact business direct with countries other than the United Kingdom and other parts of the British Empire.
3. Except with permission granted by or on behalf of the Governor no person shall –
  - (a) take or send out of the Colony any gold, securities or foreign currency, or transfer any securities from the Colony elsewhere, or
  - (b) draw or negotiate any bill of exchange or promissory note, transfer any security or acknowledge any debt, so that a right (whether actual or contingent) to receive a payment in the Colony is created or transferred as consideration –
    - (i) for receiving a payment, or acquiring property, outside the Colony, or
    - (ii) for a right (whether actual or contingent) to receive a payment, or acquire property, outside the Colony, or make any payment as such consideration.
  - (c) export from the Colony or import into the Colony sterling notes, provided that travellers may take out or bring in such notes, not exceeding ten pounds in value, which shall be produced to a Customs Officer.
  - (d) import into the Colony any One Pound (£1) Falkland Islands Currency Note bearing any number from C.44001 to C.54,000 inclusive of these numbers.
4. But nothing herein shall restrict the doing of anything by any person authorised by or on behalf of the Governor to deal in foreign exchange, nor restrict the doing of anything which is certified by or on behalf of the Governor to be necessary for the purpose –
  - (a) of meeting reasonable requirements of a trade or business carried on in the Colony,
  - (b) of performing a contract made before the day these regulations come into force, or
  - (c) of defraying travelling or other personal expenses at rates approved by the Governor.
5. Residents in the Colony who are or become entitled to sell gold, or procure the sale of gold, shall cause that gold to be offered for sale to the Government or to a person designated by the Governor at such price as may be determined by the Governor provided that there shall not be an obligation on any person to offer gold for sale if
  - (a) he satisfies the Governor –
    - (i) that none of the persons interested in the gold is resident in the Colony, or
    - (ii) that gold is required for the purpose of performing contracts made before the day on which these Regulations come into force, or
    - (iii) that gold is held for the purpose of meeting reasonable requirements of trade or business carried on in the Colony otherwise than by way of dealing in gold, or

- (b) if he is in respect of that gold exempted from this Regulation by the Governor.

6. Any person leaving the Colony shall declare and produce any foreign currency in his possession and surrender any in excess of that which he is authorised to export.

7. Except for the persons who have been authorised by or on behalf of the Governor no person shall use existing non-sterling credits and such credits may be used only for goods to be purchased under Import Licences issued by or on behalf of the Collector of Customs or for such other purposes as may be prescribed by or on behalf of the Governor.

8. Where the Governor is satisfied, owing to a change in the external or internal position of any State, that action is being, or is likely to be taken to the detriment of the economic position of the United Kingdom, he may give general or special directions prohibiting either absolutely or to such extent as may be specified in the directions, the carrying out, except with permission granted by or on behalf of the Governor, of any order given by or on behalf of (a) the State or the Sovereign thereof or any person resident therein, or (b) any body corporate which is incorporated under the law of that State or is under the control of that State or the Sovereign thereof or any person resident therein so far as the Order (1) requires the person to whom the Order is given to make any payment or to part with any gold or securities, or (2) requires any change to be made in the person to whose credit any sum is to stand or to whose order any gold or securities are to be held.

9. At the end of a period of two months from the date of these Regulations British Sterling Notes shall cease to be legal tender in the Colony and all such notes shall be brought to the Treasury in Stanley and there exchanged for Falkland Islands notes of equal value or if this cannot be done the holder of British Sterling Notes shall notify the Financial Secretary of the amount of such notes held.

10. Any Customs Officer or other person authorised by the Governor shall, for the purpose of enforcing these Regulations, have the same rights of search and seizure as are conferred on a Customs Officer by the Customs Laws.

11. Any person contravening the provisions of these Regulations shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable—

- (a) on conviction in a Court of Summary Jurisdiction to imprisonment for not more than three months or to a fine not exceeding five hundred pounds or to both such fine and imprisonment;
- (b) on conviction on indictment to imprisonment for not more than two years or to a fine not exceeding one thousand pounds or to both such fine and imprisonment;

and where the offence is concerned with any currency, security, gold, goods or other property the Court may order that such currency, security, gold, goods or other property be forfeited to the Crown.

12. The Regulations made on the following dates are hereby revoked :—

9th September, 1939;	29th March, 1941;	18th June, 1941;
26th July, 1941;	26th April, 1945;	1st October, 1947.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council at a Meeting held on the 25th of November, 1947.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,  
*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

M.P. 0078/A.

Regulations made by the Governor in Executive Council under Section 45 of the Live Stock Ordinance, 1901, for the prevention of the introduction of any contagious or infectious disorder into the Colony or Dependencies.

No. 6 of 1947.

Short Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Live Stock Quarantine Regulations 1947.

Notice of intention to import before animals are ordered.  
Schedule A.

2. Any person intending to import any animal shall before it is ordered give notice in the form set out in Schedule A to the Chief Inspector of Stock, and such forms completed in duplicate shall be delivered to the Chief Inspector at least two months before the animals to be ordered are expected to arrive in the Colony.

Importing vessels to enter at Port Stanley except by special permission.

3. Ships carrying animals shall enter at Port Stanley for the purpose of examination, except where the importer of such animals or his agent has previously obtained special permission from the Government to enter at some other port.

Seven days limit.

4. Special permission may be granted when a definite date of arrival is stated and seven days of grace will be allowed but at the end of that time a new application for special permission must be made.

Certificates of health compulsory.

5. Every animal imported into the Colony from a British or Colonial port shall be accompanied by a health certificate signed by a qualified veterinary surgeon of the district in which it was purchased, and if an animal is imported into the Colony from a foreign port, it shall be accompanied by a written declaration from the exporter made before a British Consular Officer to the effect that the animal was free, on embarkation, from any infectious or contagious disease and was not, within thirty days preceding shipment, in direct or indirect contact with infected stock.

Sheep must be drenched for internal parasites before shipment.

6. Sheep must be accompanied by a certificate signed by a veterinary surgeon (or if none reside in the district, a Stock Inspector) of the district from which they were purchased, certifying that within thirty days before shipment each sheep was drenched twice for the eradication of a stomach, intestinal and lung worm and liver fluke, and the certificate must specify the treatment employed to this end.

Cattle to be certified free from tuberculosis, contagious abortion, mamitis etc.

7. Cattle must be accompanied by a certificate signed by a qualified veterinary surgeon (or if none reside in the district, a Stock Inspector) of the district from which the animal was purchased certifying that within thirty days preceding shipment each animal has been subject to serological and/or bacteriological tests for, and has been found to be free from tuberculosis, contagious abortion, contagious mamitis and any other disease which the Inspectors may designate.

Dogs to be inoculated against distemper, and treated for parasites.

8. Dogs must be accompanied by a certificate signed by a qualified veterinary surgeon certifying that within thirty days preceding shipment the animal has been immunised to distemper, drenched to eradicate stomach and intestinal worms and is free from ecto-parasites and the certificate must indicate the treatment employed to this end.

Evidence of freedom from specific disease on demand.

9. The Inspector may, within seventeen days after receiving a notification as prescribed by Regulation 2, require any animal to be accompanied by additional evidence of freedom from such specific diseases as the conditions in the exporting country for the time being make desirable.

10. If transhipped at an intermediate port or ports, each consignment of animals must be accompanied by a declaration made before a British Consular Officer at each port of transshipment, stating the precautions that were taken to prevent the animals from contracting disease during transshipment, and the manner and place in which the animals were held and fed pending re-shipment.

Certificate of quarantine during transshipment.

11. No hay, straw, fodder or other similar substance that has been used for the food or bedding of animals being imported, or otherwise for or about such animals shall be imported, but unbroken bales to which the animals have not had access may be imported, subject to conditions imposed by the Inspector, if the said bales are accompanied by a written declaration from the exporter made before a British Magistrate, or a British Consular Officer at the port of shipment certifying that the hay, straw or fodder is from a district which has been free from foot and mouth disease for the past twenty four months.

Importation of fodder and litter restricted.

12. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Ordinance, an Inspector shall board and inspect every vessel carrying stock and shall examine every animal and all fodder and litter accompanying the animals or consigned to an address within the Colony or Dependencies.

Duties of Inspectors.

13. An Inspector may –

Powers of Inspectors.

(1) prohibit the landing of any animal which, in his opinion, would be a source of danger to animals in the Colony.

(2) order any animal to be destroyed either on board ship or after being landed, but such order in all cases must be sanctioned by the Governor before being carried into effect.

(3) order any animal to be conveyed or driven to and confined in any area set apart as a quarantine station, to treat such animal for the eradication of any disease, and to keep it in quarantine until a written order for its release is given by him, or until its destruction is sanctioned by the Governor.

(4) order that all or any parts of any vessel carrying stock shall be cleansed and disinfected to his satisfaction at the expense of the importer.

(5) prohibit the landing of fittings, pens, hurdles, utensils, or other articles which have been used for or about any animal.

(6) prohibit the landing of any hay, straw, fodder or any substance or article which in his opinion may carry disease and to order its destruction.

14. All expenses incurred in the destruction or keeping in quarantine by order of an Inspector, or in dipping, attendance on or feeding of any animals, or in the destruction of any hay, straw, fodder of any substance or any article under these Regulations, shall be payable by the importer and the Government will not compensate the importer for any loss sustained.

Expenses payable by importer.

15. The foregoing Regulations shall apply to the importation of sheep from South America subject to the following provisions –

Importation of sheep from South America.

(1) The exporter of the sheep shall make a declaration in the form annexed hereto (Schedule B) with respect to the sheep which it is intended to import and the declaration shall be made before a British Consular Officer and countersigned by the Inspector before the sheep are landed.

Schedule B.

(2) The sheep shall be landed on a quarantine station or upon an island approved by the Inspector, and shall remain in quarantine for ninety days.

(3) The sheep shall be dipped a first time within a week of being landed at the quarantine station, and another three times at



intervals of ten to fourteen days. Provided that the Inspector may at his discretion postpone the first dipping and have the sheep shorn in which case the wool so removed shall be rendered non-effective or, if necessary, be destroyed.

(4) Before the sheep are released from quarantine they shall be marked with a yellow ruddle.

16. Where ordered the minimum periods of quarantine shall be as set forth in Schedule C.

Periods of quarantine.  
Schedule C.

17. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these Regulations any animal brought to the Colony from the United Kingdom without transshipment and without having landed at any intermediate port may be landed in the Colony and subjected to domestic quarantine in a place approved by the Chief Inspector of Stock.

Provided that—

- (a) there is presented to the Chief Inspector of Stock before the landing of the animal a certificate of health from a veterinary surgeon practising in the United Kingdom,
- (b) the voyage from the United Kingdom to the Colony has exceeded twenty-one days,
- (c) the Inspector satisfies himself as to the health of the animal before it is landed in the Colony,
- (d) the animal has not been in contact with any animal coming or brought on board the ship at an intermediate port.

18. In the event of any animals being imported in an aircraft, these Regulations shall apply, and shall be read and construed as if the word "aircraft" were substituted for the word "ship" wherever the word "ship" appears.

Rescindment.

19. The Livestock Regulations 1923 and the Dog Importation Regulations 1928, are hereby rescinded.

Made by the Governor in Executive Council on the 25th of November, 1947.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,  
*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

M.P. 0301.

## SCHEDULE A.

Section 2.

## PROPOSED IMPORTATION.

I hereby give notice that I propose to import into the Falkland Islands the following live animals.

1. Number and description :
2. Where purchased (Country and locality) :
3. Port of shipment :
4. Port at which vessel will enter Falkland Islands :
5. Approximate date of arrival :
6. First port or place at which any animal will be landed :
7. Name of person in the Falkland Islands  
to whom the animals will be consigned :

N.B.—This notice, of which printed copies may be obtained on application, must be completed in duplicate and forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Stock, Stanley, in order to reach **at least two months** before the Livestock is expected to arrive in the Colony.

## SCHEDULE B.

Section 15 (1)

## DECLARATION REFERRING TO SOUTH AMERICA.

I ..... do solemnly and sincerely declare that the undermentioned sheep are to the best of my knowledge and belief free from all infectious and contagious diseases and were so at the time of shipment to the Falkland Islands and have not within six months immediately preceding the date hereof been in direct or indirect contact with stock infected with any such diseases and consist of :—

Number.	Sexes.	Breeds.	Brands and Marks.
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and I further solemnly and sincerely declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief no disease of any animals has existed for six months previous to the shipment of the above mentioned sheep at the place or adjacent thereto from which the said stock are bought and that they have (not) on the way to the port of shipment been driven over any roads open to any sheep which may have been infected with any contagious or infectious disease and/or that the vehicles in which they have been transported to the ship were disinfected with a scab



Assented to in His Majesty's name this 29th day of November, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

[L.S.]

No. 1



1947.

## Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

IN THE TWELFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
**HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI.**

G. M. CLIFFORD, C.M.G., O.B.E., E.D.,  
*Governor.*

### An Ordinance

To constitute a Town Council for Stanley, to provide for the conduct of Elections and to regulate the general powers of the Council.

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 Stanley Town Council Ordinance. Short Title.

#### ARRANGEMENTS OF PARTS.

Part I. — Constitution of the Council.	Parts.
Part II. — Election procedure.	
Part III. — Prevention of corrupt practices at elections.	
Part IV. — General powers and duties of Council.	
Part V. — Appointment and duties of officers.	
Part VI. — Public works, etc.	
Part VII. — General financial provisions.	

#### PART I.

#### THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COUNCIL.

2. (1) There shall be constituted and elected in Stanley a Town Council (hereinafter referred to as the Council) the members whereof shall be termed councillors, and the said Council shall be constituted as from the date of the first election held under this Ordinance. Formation of a Town Council.

(2) The Council shall be a corporate body having a common seal and shall sue or be sued in its corporate capacity.

Constitution of Town  
Council.

3. (1) The Council shall consist of nine members of whom three shall be members nominated or appointed by the Governor and six shall be members elected by the electors of Stanley.

(2) The Governor shall at each general election of councillors appoint three councillors as he may see fit for the full period of two years provided that in the case of the death or resignation of a councillor appointed under this subsection, or if any such councillor is absent from meetings of the Council for more than six months consecutively except in case of illness or for some reason approved by the Council, the Governor may appoint some other person to fill the vacancy and the person so appointed shall continue in office as a councillor so long only as the person in whose stead he shall have been appointed would have been entitled to remain in office.

(3) Every appointment or nomination made by the Governor under subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall be published in the Gazette.

(4) The six elected councillors shall be elected for a period of two years, at any election after the first election referred to in Clause 8 (1) hereafter.

Constitution of wards  
for elections.  
(First Schedule).

4. For the purpose of the election of councillors, the Township of Stanley shall be divided into three wards as set out in the First Schedule to this Ordinance and each elector shall record his vote only in the ward for which he is registered as an elector.

Preparation of  
register of electors.

5. (1) The year following immediately on the passing of this Ordinance and thereafter in every second year there shall be prepared a register of electors and such register shall be published not later than the 1st day of October in such year.

(Second Schedule).

(2) The Council shall appoint a registration officer to supervise the preparation of the register in accordance with the rules contained in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance,

Provided that the Governor may make all declarations, appointments and other arrangements necessary for the purpose of holding the first election.

Qualifications of  
electors.

6. A person shall not be entitled to be enrolled as an elector unless he is qualified as follows—

(Women to vote on  
same footing as men).

(a) is a person of either sex of twenty-one years of age or over, and

(b) is, on the first day of December of the year immediately preceding the year in which the electors lists are prepared or revised, ordinarily resident within the municipal limits and has during the twelve months prior thereto actually resided therein.

Provided that he shall not be deemed not to have actually resided within the municipal limits by reason only that he has been temporarily absent therefrom for short periods,

Provided also that no person in the armed forces, other than the Falkland Islands Defence Force, who is stationed in Stanley for naval or military purposes, shall be entitled to be registered as an elector in respect of the occupation of any residence or quarters provided by the Crown free of rent or other charges.

Appeal against  
decision of  
Registration Officer.

7. (1) Any person who deems himself aggrieved by the omission or inclusion of any name in the register may make complaint or objection to the Registration Officer who shall hear and determine the same.

(2) An appeal shall lie to the Magistrate's Court from any decision of the Registration Officer on any complaint or objection which has been considered by him.

(3) An appeal shall lie on any point of law from any decision of the Court on any such appeal from the Registration Officer to the Supreme Court, but no appeal shall lie from any decision of the Supreme Court.

8. (1) The first election under this Ordinance shall be held on the first Wednesday in the month of December immediately following the passing of this Ordinance. The second election shall be held on the second Wednesday of the month of December of the year immediately following the first election. Thereafter elections shall be held biennially on the second Wednesday in the month of December. One month before the second election if neither of the councillors in each ward wishes voluntarily to retire then one councillor in each ward shall be selected by ballot to retire. At each biennial election thereafter the most recently elected councillor in each ward shall remain in office and the other retire automatically. Any councillor retiring as a result of the ballot before the second election or automatically retiring under this clause shall be eligible to be a candidate at any subsequent election.

Date of first and subsequent and casual elections.

(2) In the case of a casual vacancy among the elected members an election shall be held on any day to be fixed by the Governor, such day being not less than twenty-eight nor more than forty-two days after the date upon which the vacancy shall have been notified to exist and any such casual vacancy arising shall be notified to the Governor by the Chairman of the Council and published in the Gazette at the first meeting of the Council after the vacancy has arisen.

9. (1) The Registration Officer shall perform the duties of returning officer and shall have power to appoint deputies who shall perform such duties as the Registration Officer shall direct, but the appointments of deputies shall be subject to the approval of the Council.

Duties of Returning Officer, and appointment of Deputies.

(2) The expenses incurred in the preparation of the register shall be audited by the Town Council auditor and shall be paid out of the funds of the Council.

10. A person shall be qualified to be elected a councillor if he is qualified to be registered as an elector in the terms of section six of this Ordinance. Provided that no person in the established service of the Government shall be nominated for election.

Qualification of councillor.

11. (1) A person shall be disqualified from becoming or from acting as a councillor who shall be or shall become a bankrupt and shall not have obtained his discharge or who has been or shall be convicted of any felony or other crime for which he has suffered or shall be sentenced to undergo any term of imprisonment exceeding three calendar months.

Disqualification of councillors.

(2) Any person not duly qualified who shall wilfully act as a councillor shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £50 for every day on which he shall so act, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, and the appointment or election of any such person who shall not be duly qualified or who shall become disqualified shall be void to all intents and purposes as from the date upon which such councillor shall first have become disqualified,

Provided always that no such acting shall prejudice or make void the acts of the councillors duly appointed or legally qualified.

12. Every person being a candidate for election as a councillor shall in writing not later than twenty-one days before the date fixed for the taking of the poll so notify the Returning Officer of his intention, the notification being subscribed by two electors of the ward, and shall at the same time forward to the Returning Officer a declaration sworn before a Justice of the Peace in the form set out in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance that he fulfils the qualifications required under this Ordinance.

Declaration to be made by candidate for election as councillor.

(Third Schedule).

Deposit by candidates.

13. (1) Every candidate for the office of councillor who shall be nominated therefor shall deposit with the Returning Officer the sum of £25.

(2) No candidate who has not complied with the provisions of subsection (1) hereof shall be elected, by poll or otherwise, to the office of councillor.

Remission and forfeiture of deposit.

14. The deposit made by a candidate under the provisions of section 13 shall be remitted to such candidate by the Returning Officer

(a) if he be elected a member of the Council, or

(b) if he obtain not less the 1/6th of the total votes validly polled, or

(c) if he shall resign his candidature at any time not less than seven days prior to the date of the poll.

Power of Registration Officer to hear complaints.

15. It shall be lawful for the Registration Officer to hear and consider any complaint or objection in regard to the qualifications of any candidate and to give a decision thereon and any person aggrieved by any such decision shall be entitled to appeal in manner provided by Section 7 of this Ordinance.

Penalty on disqualified person offering himself as candidate.

16. Any person who knowing that he is not duly qualified shall wilfully offer himself as a candidate for election shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding £20 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month.

If only sufficient persons signify their intention to become candidates.

17. If no more persons than the number of councillors to be elected shall have signified their intention in the manner required by section 12 of this Ordinance to become candidates for election, the Returning Officer on the day fixed for the election shall declare such candidate or candidates duly elected to the Council, but if more candidates than there are vacancies to be filled shall come forward for election a poll shall be taken in the manner hereinafter provided.

If number of candidates insufficient.

Provided that if insufficient candidates are nominated to fill the existing vacancies the Governor may appoint members additional to those mentioned in section 3 (2) of this Ordinance.

Power of candidate to appoint an election agent.

18. Every person being a candidate for election as a councillor may appoint an election agent whose name he shall notify to the Registration Officer and every advertisement, circular or publication issued for the purpose of promoting or procuring the election of any candidate shall bear thereon the name of the candidate or his agent and the printer thereof, if any.

Chairman of Council.

19. (1) A Chairman of the Council shall be elected annually by the Council from among the elected members.

(2) The election of the Chairman shall be the first business transacted at the first meeting of the Council in every year.

(3) The Chairman shall, unless he resigns or ceases to be qualified or becomes disqualified, continue in office until his successor is elected.

(4) The Council shall also appoint from the elected members of the Council a Deputy-chairman.

(5) The Deputy-chairman shall, unless he resigns or ceases to be qualified or becomes disqualified, continue in office until his successor is elected.

(6) Subject to any standing orders made by the Council anything authorised or required to be done by, to or before the Chairman may be done by, to or before the Deputy-chairman.

Filling of casual vacancy in case of Chairman or Deputy-chairman.

20. On a casual vacancy occurring in the office of Chairman or Deputy-chairman, an election to fill the vacancy shall be held not later than the next ordinary meeting of the Council held after the



date on which the vacancy occurs, or if that meeting is held within three days after that date, then not later than the next following ordinary meeting of the Council, and shall be conducted in the same manner as an ordinary election.

21. A person elected, nominated or appointed under this Ordinance to the Council or to an office therein may, at any time, resign by writing signed by him, (in this Ordinance referred to as a "notice of resignation") and delivered –

Resignations.

- (a) in the case of an elected member of the Council, to the Secretary of the Council,
- (b) in the case of a member of the Council nominated or appointed by the Governor, to the Colonial Secretary,
- (c) in the case of the Chairman or Deputy-chairman of the Council, to the Council, and
- (d) in the case of any officer in the Council, to the Chairman of the Council,

and his resignation shall take effect upon the receipt of the notice of resignation by the person or body to whom it is required to be delivered.

22. A person elected under this Ordinance to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the date upon which the person in whose place he is elected would regularly have retired and himself shall then retire.

Term of office of persons filling casual vacancies.

## PART II.

### ELECTION PROCEDURE.

#### ELECTIONS AND ELECTORS.

23. (1) In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires –

Interpretation of Part II.

"candidate" means any person who has been nominated or declared himself candidate at an election;

"election" means an election of a Town councillor or councillors;

"elector" means any person qualified to vote for members to serve on the Council;

"polling place" means the house or room in which an election is held;

"presiding officer" means the Returning Officer and includes also his deputy presiding at a polling station;

"register" means the register for the time being of voters qualified to vote for members to serve on the Council.

(2) Where in this part of this Ordinance any expressions are used requiring or authorising or inferring that any act or thing is to be done in the presence of the candidates or of any other persons nominated by them for the purpose, such expressions shall be deemed to refer to the presence of such of the candidates or of any other persons nominated by them for the purpose as may be authorised to attend, and as have in fact attended at the time and place where such act or thing is being done, and the non-attendance of any candidate or of any of the persons nominated by him for the purpose at such place and time shall not, if such act or thing be otherwise duly done, in anywise invalidate the act or thing done.

## PROCEDURE AT POLL.

<p>Votes, when poll required at an election, to be taken by ballot. Of what ballot shall consist.</p>	<p>24. In the case of a poll being required at an election the votes shall be given by ballot, the ballot of each voter shall consist of a paper (in this Ordinance referred to as a ballot paper) showing the names and descriptions of the candidates arranged alphabetically in the order of their surnames and (if there are two or more candidates with the same surname) of their other names; it shall have a number printed on the back and shall have attached a counterfoil with the same number printed on the face, and shall be in the form set out in the Fourth Schedule to this Ordinance or as near thereto as circumstances admit, and shall be capable of being folded up.</p>
<p>Description of ballot paper. (Fourth Schedule).</p>	
<p>Oath of secrecy by and before whom to be taken. (Fifth Schedule.)</p>	<p>25. The presiding officer and every other person authorised to attend a polling place, or at the counting of the votes, shall, before the opening of the poll, make the oath of secrecy in the form prescribed in the Fifth Schedule to this Ordinance. If the person is the presiding officer he shall make the oath before a Justice of the Peace and if he is any other person, before the presiding officer or a Justice of the Peace.</p>
<p>Provision of ballot boxes etc.</p>	<p>26. (1) The presiding officer shall within three days before polling day provide such ballot boxes, ballot papers, polling compartments, materials for electors to mark the ballot papers, directions for the guidance of electors in voting and such other things as may be necessary for effectually conducting any election in the manner provided by this Ordinance.</p> <p>(2) There shall be one polling station in each ward and each polling place shall be furnished with one or more compartments as shall be necessary in which the electors can mark their votes screened from observation.</p>
<p>Directions for the guidance of electors. (Sixth Schedule.)</p>	<p>27. Directions for the guidance of the electors in voting according to the form set forth in the Sixth Schedule to this Ordinance shall be placarded in various places, outside and inside every polling place and, in addition thereto, in every compartment of every polling place and be illustrated by examples of the ballot paper.</p>
<p>Ballot boxes to be locked and sealed etc.</p>	<p>28. Every ballot box shall be so constructed that the ballot papers can be introduced therein but cannot be withdrawn therefrom without the box being unlocked. The presiding officer at any polling place just before the commencement of the poll shall show the ballot box empty to such persons as may be present in such polling place so that they may see that it is empty, and shall then lock it up and place his seal upon it in such manner as to prevent its being opened without breaking such seal and shall place it in his view for the receipt of ballot papers and keep it so locked and sealed.</p>
<p>Every elector entitled to a ballot paper.</p>	<p>29. Every elector shall be entitled to demand and receive a ballot paper, but immediately before it is delivered to such elector it shall be marked on both sides by the presiding officer with a mark (in this Ordinance referred to as the official mark) and the number and name of the elector as stated in the copy of the register shall be called out and the number of such elector to denote that he has received a ballot paper but without showing the particular ballot paper which he has received.</p>
<p>Course to be followed by an elector on receiving a ballot paper.</p>	<p>30. (1) The elector, on receiving the ballot paper, shall forthwith proceed into the compartment or one of the compartments in the polling place and there secretly mark his vote by placing a cross on the right hand side of the ballot paper opposite the name of the candidate for whom he votes. The elector may vote for as many candidates as there are vacancies to be filled. The elector shall then fold up the ballot paper so as to conceal his vote but so as to show the official mark on the back, and shall then put his ballot paper so folded in the ballot box in the presence of the</p>

presiding officer, after having shown to him the official mark on the back.

(2) Any ballot paper which has not on its back the official mark or on which votes are given to more candidates than the elector voting is entitled to vote for, or on which anything except the said number on the back is written or marked by which the elector can be identified shall be void and not counted.

(3) Every elector shall vote without undue delay and shall quit the polling place as soon as he has put his ballot paper into the ballot box.

31. The presiding officer, on the application of any elector who is incapacitated by blindness or other physical cause from voting in manner prescribed by this Ordinance, or of any elector who is unable to read, shall cause the vote of such elector to be marked on a ballot paper in manner directed by such elector, and the ballot paper to be placed in the ballot box, and the name and the number on the register of every elector whose vote is so marked in pursuance of this section and the reason why it is so marked shall be entered on a list called the list of voters marked by the presiding officer.

Votes of blind electors, etc.

32. If a person representing himself to be a particular elector named on the register applies for a ballot paper after another person has voted as such elector, the applicant shall upon duly answering the questions and taking the oath permitted to be asked of and to be administered to voters at the time of polling, be entitled to mark a ballot paper in the same manner as any other voter, but the ballot paper, (in this Ordinance referred to as a tendered ballot paper), instead of being put into the ballot box shall be given to the presiding officer and endorsed by him with the name of the voter and the number in the register and set aside and shall not be counted by the presiding officer, and the name of the voter and his number on the register shall be entered on a list called the tendered votes list.

Two persons claiming to be same voter.

33. An elector who has inadvertently dealt with his ballot paper in such manner that it cannot be conveniently used as a ballot paper may, on delivering to the presiding officer the ballot paper so inadvertently dealt with and proving the fact of the inadvertence to the satisfaction of the presiding officer, obtain another ballot paper in place of the ballot paper so delivered up and the spoilt ballot paper shall be immediately cancelled.

When an elector may obtain a second ballot paper.

34. If any person misconducts himself in the polling place or fails to obey the lawful orders of the presiding officer he shall forthwith be removed from the polling place by any constable or any other person authorised by the presiding officer to remove him, and the persons so removed shall not, unless with the permission of the presiding officer, again be allowed to enter the polling place during that day. The powers conferred by this section shall not be exercised so as to prevent any elector who is otherwise entitled to vote at any polling place from having an opportunity of voting at such polling place.

Keeping order in polling place.

35. No elector who has voted at an election shall in any legal proceedings to question the election or return be required to state for whom he has voted.

Prohibition of disclosure of vote.

36. No election shall be declared invalid by reason of any mistake in the use of the form in the Fourth Schedule to this Ordinance if it appears to the authority having cognisance of the question that the election was conducted in accordance with the principles laid down in this Ordinance, and that such mistake did not affect the result of the election.

## PROCEDURE AFTER CLOSE OF POLL.

Result of poll when.  
how and in whose  
presence to be  
ascertained.

37. (1) After the close of the poll all ballot papers received at any polling place shall be sealed up by the person presiding at the polling place and delivered to the returning officer.

(2) The sealed boxes shall be opened by the returning officer in the presence of the candidates or other persons nominated by them for the purpose and of no other person except with the sanction of the returning officer; and he and his deputies shall ascertain and declare the result of the poll by counting the votes given to each candidate but while so doing shall keep the ballot papers with their face upwards and take all proper precautions for preventing any person from seeing the numbers on the backs of such papers.

(3) The returning officer shall give notice to the candidates of the time and place for counting the votes.

(4) Where an equality of votes is found to exist between any candidates on a final count and the addition of a vote would entitle any of those candidates to be declared elected the returning officer shall make a special return of the results of the election and the Council duly assembled shall choose one of such candidates to be a member of the Council.

Course to be pursued  
with respect to reject-  
ed ballot papers.

38. The presiding officer shall endorse the word "rejected" on any ballot paper which he may reject as invalid, and shall add to such endorsement the words "rejection objected to" if any objection be in fact made by any candidate, or a person nominated by him to be present at the count of the votes, to the decision of the presiding officer. The presiding officer shall report to the Colonial Secretary the number of ballot papers rejected and not counted by him under the following heads—

- (a) absence of official mark;
- (b) voting for more candidates than entitled to;
- (c) writing or other mark by which voter could be identified;
- (d) unmarked or void for uncertainty;

and shall on request allow the candidate before such report is submitted to copy it.

Decision of presiding  
officer to be final.

39. The decision of the presiding officer as to any question arising in respect of any ballot paper shall be final, subject to reversal on petition questioning the election or return.

Disposal of papers  
relating to the election  
when result of poll is  
declared.

40. Upon the completion of the counting and the declaration by the presiding officer of the candidates elected, the presiding officer shall seal up each description of papers, other than the list of voters (which shall in each case be returned to the Colonial Secretary for future use), relating to the election in separate packets and return them to the Colonial Secretary and the Colonial Secretary shall retain for one year all documents and papers so returned to him, after which, unless otherwise directed by the Supreme Court, he shall cause them to be destroyed.

In whose presence  
such papers be sealed  
up.

41. The papers required by Section 40 of this Ordinance to be sealed by the presiding officer shall be sealed up by him in the presence of the candidates, or any other person nominated by them for the purpose in attendance, and by no other person except with the sanction of the presiding officer.

Rejected ballot papers  
not to be inspected ex-  
cept under order of  
the Supreme Court.

42. No person shall be allowed to inspect any rejected ballot papers in the custody of the Colonial Secretary except upon the order of the Supreme Court to be granted only where it is satisfied by evidence on oath that the inspection or production of such ballot

papers is required for the purpose of instituting or maintaining a prosecution for an offence in relation to ballot papers or for the purpose of a petition questioning an election or a return; and any such order for the inspection or production of ballot papers may be made subject to such conditions as to persons, time, place and mode of inspection or production as the Supreme Court may think expedient and shall be obeyed by the Colonial Secretary, and the power given to the Court by this Section may be exercised by the Judge in chambers.

43. No person shall, except by order of the Supreme Court, open any election papers relating to the election of members of the Council so returned to the Colonial Secretary and in his custody; such order may be subject to such conditions as to person, time, place and mode of opening or inspection as the Court may think expedient. Provided that in making and carrying into effect any such order care shall be taken that the mode in which any particular elector has voted shall not be discovered until he has been proved to have voted and his vote has been declared by competent authority to be invalid. Such papers shall be resealed at such time and in such manner as the Court may from time to time direct.

Election papers in the custody of the Colonial Secretary not to be opened except under an order of the Supreme Court.

44. When an order is made for the production by the Colonial Secretary of any document in his possession relating to any specified election, the production by the Colonial Secretary of the documents ordered by the Supreme Court in such manner as may be directed by rule shall be conclusive evidence that such document relates to the specified election; and any endorsement appearing on any packet of papers produced by the Colonial Secretary shall be evidence of such papers being what they are stated to be by the endorsement. The production from proper custody of a ballot paper purporting to have been used at any election and of a counterfoil marked with the same printed number and having a number marked thereon in writing shall be *prima facie* evidence that the person who voted by such ballot paper was the person who at the time of such election had annexed to his name in the register at such election the same number as the number written on such counterfoil.

Production by Colonial Secretary of documents under any such order to be conclusive evidence that such documents are the ones required.

### PART III.

## PREVENTION OF CORRUPT PRACTICES AT ELECTIONS.

### ELECTION OFFENCES.

45. In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires—

Interpretation of Part III.

“candidate at an election” includes all persons elected to serve as members on the Council and all persons nominated as candidates or who shall have declared themselves candidates at or before such election;

“corrupt practice” means the offence of treating, undue influence, bribery and personation as defined in this part of this Ordinance and includes the aiding, abetting, counselling and procuring the commission of the offence of personation;

“election” means the election of any member or members to serve on the Council;

“voter” means any person who has or claims to have a right to vote in the election of a member or members to serve on the Council.

46. (1) Every person who—

- (a) fraudulently defaces or fraudulently destroys any ballot paper or the official mark on any ballot paper;

Offences in respect of ballot papers and ballot boxes.

- (b) without due authority supplies any ballot paper to any person; or
- (c) fraudulently puts into any ballot box any paper other than the ballot paper which he is authorised by law to put in; or
- (d) fraudulently takes out of the polling place any ballot paper; or
- (e) without due authority destroys, takes, opens or otherwise interferes with any ballot box or packet of ballot papers then in use for the purpose of the election,

shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable, if he is a presiding officer, to a fine not exceeding £100 or, in default, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and if he is another person to a fine not exceeding £25 or, in default, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

(2) In any indictment or other prosecution for an offence in relation to the ballot boxes and ballot papers at an election, the property in such boxes and papers may be stated to be in the presiding officer at such election as well as the property in the counterfoil.

#### Infringement of secrecy.

47. (1) Every person in attendance at a polling place shall maintain and aid in maintaining the secrecy of the voting in such place and shall not communicate, except for some purposes authorised by law, before the poll is closed to any person any information as to the name or number on the register of any elector who has or has not applied for a ballot paper, or voted at that polling place, or as to the official mark, and no such person shall interfere with or attempt to interfere with an elector when marking his vote or otherwise attempt to obtain in the polling place information as to the candidate for whom any voter in such election is about to vote or has voted, or communicate at any time to any person any information obtained in a polling place as to the candidate for whom any voter in such polling place is about to vote or has voted, or as to the number on the back of the ballot paper given to any elector at such polling place.

(2) Every such person in attendance at the counting of votes shall maintain and aid in maintaining the secrecy of the voting, and shall not attempt to ascertain at such counting the number on the back of any ballot paper or communicate any information at such counting to the candidate for whom any vote is given in any particular ballot paper.

(3) No person shall directly or indirectly induce any elector to display his ballot paper after he shall have marked the same so as to make known to any person the name of the candidate for whom he has so marked his vote.

(4) Every person who acts in contravention of the provisions of this section shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £25 or, in default, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

#### Offence of bribery.

48. Every person who shall –

- (a) directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf, give, lend or agree to give or lend, or shall offer, promise or promise to procure or to endeavour to procure any moneys or valuable consideration to or for any voter, or to or for any person on behalf of any voter, or to or for any other person in order to induce any voter to vote or refrain from voting, or shall corruptly do any such act as aforesaid on account of such voter having voted or refrained from voting at any election;

- (b) directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf, give or procure, or offer, promise or promise to procure or to endeavour to procure any office, place or employment to or for any voter, or to or for any person on behalf of any voter, or to or for any other person in order to induce any voter to vote, or refrain from voting, or shall corruptly do any such act as aforesaid on account of any voter having voted or refrained from voting at any election;
- (c) directly or indirectly, by himself or any other person on his behalf, make any such gift, loan, offer, promise, procurement or agreement as aforesaid to or for any person in order to induce such person to procure, or endeavour to procure, the return of any person to serve in the Council or the vote of any voter at any election;
- (d) upon or in consequence of any such gift, loan, offer, promise, procurement, or agreement, procure or engage, promise or endeavour to procure, the return of any person to serve on the Council, or the vote of any voter at any election;
- (e) advance or pay, or cause to be paid, any money to or for the use of any other person with the intent that such money or any part thereof shall be expended in bribery at any election, or who shall knowingly pay or cause to be paid any money to any person in discharge or repayment of any money wholly or in part expended in bribery at any election;

shall be deemed guilty of bribery and shall be punishable accordingly.

49. Every person who –

Offence of bribery further defined.

- (a) being a voter, shall before or during any election directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf receive, agree or contract for any money, gift loan or valuable consideration, office place or employment for himself or any other person for voting or agreeing to vote, or for refraining or agreeing to refrain from voting at any election;
- (b) shall, after any election, directly or indirectly by himself or any other person on his behalf, receive any money or valuable consideration on account of any person having voted or refrained from voting, or having induced any other person to vote, or to refrain from voting at any election,

shall also be deemed guilty of bribery and shall be punishable accordingly.

50. Any person who corruptly by himself or by any other person, either before, during or after an election, directly or indirectly gives or provides, or pays wholly or in part the expense of giving or providing any meat, drink, entertainment or provision to or for any person for the purpose of corruptly influencing that person or any other person to give or refrain from giving his vote at the election, or on account of such person, or any other person having voted or refrained from voting or being about to vote or refrain from voting at such election, and every elector who corruptly accepts or takes any such meat, drink, entertainment or provision, shall be guilty of treating, and shall be punishable accordingly.

Offence of treating.

51. Every person who shall directly or indirectly by himself or by any other person on his behalf, make use of, or threaten to make use of any force, violence or restraint, or inflict or threaten the

Offence of undue influence.



infliction by himself or by or through any other person of any temporal or spiritual injury, damage, harm or loss, or in any other manner practice intimidation upon or against any person in order to induce or compel such person to vote or refrain from voting or on account of such person having voted or refrained from voting at any election, or who shall by abduction, duress or any fraudulent device or contrivance, impede, prevent or otherwise interfere with the free exercise of the franchise of any voter, or shall thereby compel, induce or prevail upon any voter, either to give or refrain from giving his or her vote at any election, shall be deemed to have committed the offence of undue influence and shall be punishable accordingly.

No cockades, etc., to be given.

52. No candidate before, during or after any election, shall in regard to such election, by himself or agent, directly or indirectly, give or provide to or for any person having a vote at such election or to or for any inhabitant of Stanley, any cockade, ribbon or other mark of distinction and every person so giving or providing shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £2.

Offence of personation.

53. (1) A person shall, for all purposes of the law relating to the Stanley Town Council elections, be deemed to be guilty of the offence of personation who at an election applies for a ballot paper in the name of some other person, whether that name be that of a person living or dead or of a fictitious person, or who having voted once at any such election applies at the same election for a ballot paper in his own name.

(2) It shall be the duty of the returning officer to institute a prosecution against any person whom he may believe to have been guilty of personation, or of aiding, abetting, counselling or procuring the commission of the offence of personation by any person at the election for which he is returning officer.

(3) A person charged with the offence of personation under this section shall not be convicted or committed for trial except upon the evidence of not less than two credible witnesses.

Punishment of person convicted on indictment of corrupt practices.

54. (1) A person who commits any corrupt practice other than personation, or aiding, abetting, counselling or procuring the commission of the offence of personation, shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and on conviction on indictment shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £200 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year.

(2) A person who commits the offence of personation, or of aiding, abetting, counselling, or procuring the commission of that offence, shall be guilty of felony, and any person convicted thereof on indictment shall be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years.

#### ILLEGAL PRACTICES.

Certain expenditure to be illegal.

55. (1) No payment or contract for payment shall, for the purpose of promoting or procuring the election of a candidate, be made –

- (a) on account of the conveyance of electors to or from the poll, whether for the hiring of horses or vehicles or otherwise; or
- (b) to an elector on account of the use of any house, land, building or premises for the exhibition of any address, bill or notice, or on account of the exhibition of any address, bill or notice; or
- (c) on account of any committee room in excess of one.

(2) Subject to such exception as may be allowed in pursuance of this Ordinance if any payment or contract for payment is knowingly made in contravention of this section either before,

during or after an election, the person making such payment or contract shall be guilty of an illegal practice, and any person receiving such payment or being a party to any such contract, knowing the same to be in contravention of this Ordinance, shall also be guilty of an illegal practice.

Provided that where it is the ordinary business of an elector as an advertising agent to exhibit for payment bills and advertisements, a payment to or contract with such elector if made in the ordinary course of business, shall not be deemed to be an illegal practice within the meaning of this section.

56. (1) Subject to such exception as may be allowed in pursuance of this Ordinance, no sum shall be paid and no expense shall be incurred by or on behalf of a candidate at an election, whether before, during or after an election on account of or in respect of the conduct or management of such election, save that a sum may be paid and expense incurred not in excess of the maximum amount of £50.

Expenditure in excess of permitted maximum an illegal practice.

(2) Any candidate or agent of a candidate or person who knowingly acts in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an illegal practice.

57. A person guilty of an illegal practice in reference to an election, shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £100.

Punishment for illegal practice.

#### EXPENSES OF CANDIDATES.

58. (1) Every claim against any person in respect of any expenses incurred by or on behalf of a candidate at an election of a councillor on account or in respect of the conduct or management of such election shall be sent in within fourteen days after the day of the election, and if not so sent in shall be barred and not paid, and all expenses incurred as aforesaid shall be paid within twenty-one days after the day of election (or such later time as the Supreme Court, having regard to all the circumstances, may fix on the application of the candidate), and not otherwise, and any person who makes a payment in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an illegal practice, but if such payment was made without the sanction or connivance of the candidate, the election of such candidate shall not be void, nor shall he be subject to any incapacity under this Ordinance by reason only of such payment having been made in contravention of this section.

Claims for expenses incurred by or on behalf of candidates, how and when to be submitted.

(2) Subject to an extension of time which the Supreme Court is hereby authorised to grant on any grounds which the court shall deem reasonable, within twenty-eight days after the day of election of a councillor every candidate at such election shall send to the returning officer a return of all expenses incurred by such candidate or his agents on account of or in respect of the conduct or management of such election, vouched (except in the case of sums under £1) by bills stating the particulars and receipts, and accompanied by a declaration by the candidate made before a Justice in the form set out in the Seventh Schedule to this Ordinance, or to the like effect.

(Seventh Schedule).

(3) After the expiration of the time for making such return and declaration the candidate, if elected, shall not, until he has made the return and declaration (in this Ordinance referred to as the return and declaration respecting election expenses), sit or vote in the Council, and if he does so shall forfeit £50 for every day on which he so sits or votes to be recovered at the suit of the Colonial Secretary.

(4) If the candidate fails without reasonable excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on the person accused) to make the said return and declaration he shall be guilty of an illegal practice.

(5) The return and declaration sent in pursuance of this Ordinance to the returning officer shall be kept at his office, and shall at all reasonable times during the twelve months next after they are received by him be open to inspection by any person on the payment of the fee of one shilling, and the returning officer shall, on demand furnish copies thereof or of any part thereof at the price of two shillings for every seventy-two words.

(6) After the expiration of the said twelve months the returning officer may cause the return and declaration to be destroyed, or if the candidate so require shall return the same to him.

#### ELECTION PETITIONS.

Power to question election.

59. (1) An election may be questioned by an election petition on the ground –

- (a) that the election was wholly voided by general bribery, treating, undue influence or personation; or
- (b) that the election was voided by corrupt or illegal practices or offences against this part of this Ordinance committed at the election; or
- (c) that the person whose election is questioned was at the time of the election disqualified; or
- (d) that he was not duly elected by a majority of lawful votes.

(2) An election shall not be questioned on any of those grounds except by an election petition.

Election petitions to be heard by Supreme Court.

60. (1) Every election petition shall be heard by the Supreme Court and, subject to the express provisions of this Ordinance and any rules of court prescribed under the powers conferred by this section, every election petition shall, as nearly as circumstances admit, be presented, heard and determined according to the law for the time being in force in England with respect to municipal election petitions.

(2) After hearing an election petition, the Supreme Court shall deliver a report to the Governor.

(3) The Judge of the Supreme Court may make rules of court for regulating all matters relating to the presentation, hearing and determination of election petitions.

Presentation of petition.

61. (1) An election petition may be presented either by four or more persons who voted or who had a right to vote at the election or by a person alleging himself to have been a candidate at the election.

(2) Any person whose election is questioned by the petition, and any returning officer of whose conduct a petition complains, may be made a respondent to the petition.

Time within which petition must be presented.

62. (1) Subject to the other provisions of this section, an election petition shall be presented within twenty-one days after the day on which the election was held.

(2) An election petition complaining of the election on the ground of an illegal practice may be presented at any time before the expiration of fourteen days after the day on which the returning officer receives the return and declaration respecting election expenses of the candidate to whose election the petition relates. This subsection shall apply notwithstanding that the illegal practice is also a corrupt practice.

(3) An election petition, complaining of the election on the ground of any corrupt or illegal practice, and specifically alleging a payment of money or other act made or done since the election by

the candidate elected at such election, or by an agent of the candidate, or with the privity of the candidate, in pursuance or in furtherance of such corrupt or illegal practice may be presented at any time within twenty-eight days after the date of such payment or act, whether or not any other petition against that person has been previously presented or tried.

#### EXCUSE AND EXCEPTION FOR CORRUPT OR ILLEGAL PRACTICE.

63. Where, upon the trial of an election petition, the Court reports that a candidate at such election has been guilty by his agents of the offence of treating and undue influence, and illegal practice, or of any such offences, in reference to such election, and the Court further reports that the candidate has proved to the Court –

Report exonerating candidates in certain cases of corrupt and illegal practice by agents.

- (a) that no corrupt or illegal practice was committed at such election by the candidate or with his knowledge or consent, and the offences mentioned in the said report were committed without the sanction or connivance of such candidate; and
- (b) that all reasonable means for preventing the commission of corrupt and illegal practices at such election were taken by and on behalf of the candidate; and
- (c) that the offences mentioned in the said report were of trivial, unimportant and limited character; and
- (d) that in all other respects the election was free from any corrupt or illegal practice on the part of such candidate and of his agents,

then the election of such candidate shall not, by reason of the offences mentioned in such report, be void, nor shall the candidate be subject to any incapacity under this Ordinance.

64. Where, on application made, it is shown to the Supreme Court by such evidence as seems to the Court sufficient –

Power of Supreme Court to except innocent act from being illegal practice.

- (a) that any act or omission of a candidate at an election, or of any other agent or other person, would, by reason of being in contravention of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, be but for this section an illegal practice; and
- (b) that such act or omission arose from inadvertence or from accidental miscalculation or from some other reasonable cause of a like nature, and in any case did not arise from any want of good faith; and
- (c) that such notice of the application has been given as to the Court seems fit,

and under the circumstances it seems to the Court to be just that the said candidate, agent and person, or any of them, should not be subject to any of the consequences under this Ordinance of the said act or omission, the Court may make an order allowing such act or omission to be an exception from the provisions of this Ordinance which would otherwise make the same an illegal practice, and thereupon such candidate, agent or person shall not be subject to any of the consequences under this Ordinance of the said act or omission.

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF ELECTORS.

65. Any person who is convicted of any corrupt or illegal practices or is found by the report upon the trial of an election petition to have been guilty of a corrupt or illegal practice either by himself or if a candidate, through his agents, shall not be capable for a period of five years from the date of the conviction or report, as the case may be –

Disqualification upon corrupt or illegal practices.

- (a) of being registered as an elector or voting at any election of the Council; or

- (b) of holding office as a councillor, or justice of the peace, and if he holds such office, the office shall be at once vacated.

Prohibition of disqualified persons from voting.

66. Every person who, in consequence of conviction or of the report of the Supreme Court on an election petition has become incapable of voting at any election is prohibited from voting at any such election, and his vote shall be void and struck off on a scrutiny.

Hearing of person before he is reported guilty of corrupt or illegal practice.

67. Before a person, not being a party to an election petition nor a candidate on behalf of whom the seat is claimed by an election petition, is reported by the Supreme Court to have been guilty at an election of any corrupt or illegal practice, the Court shall cause notice to be given to such person, and if he appears in pursuance of the notice, shall give him an opportunity of being heard by himself and of calling evidence in his defence to show why he should not be so reported.

Offenders to be struck off register, etc.

68. Whenever it shall be proved before the Registration Officer that any person who is or claims to be placed on the list or register of voters, has been found guilty of corrupt or illegal practices either by conviction or by the report of the Supreme Court at an election petition, the Registration Officer shall, in case the name of such person is in the list of voters, expunge the same therefrom, or shall, in case such person is claiming to have his name inserted therein, disallow such claim; and the names of all persons whose names shall be so expunged from the list of voters, and whose claims shall be so disallowed, shall be thereupon inserted in a separate list, to be entitled "The List of Persons disqualified for corrupt or illegal practices" which last-named list shall be appended to the list or register of voters, and shall be printed and published therewith, wherever the same shall be or is required to be printed or published.

#### PART IV.

### GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF COUNCIL.

#### TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS.

Meetings.

69. The Council shall meet for the despatch of business as often as they shall think fit, being not less than once a month.

Quorum.

70. At every meeting of the Council four members shall form a quorum. Every question shall be decided by the votes of a majority of those present and voting on that question, and in case of an equal division of votes, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote. The Council shall cause all their proceedings to be recorded in a book to be kept for that purpose and such proceedings shall at every meeting be signed by the Chairman.

Council not disqualified by reason of vacancies.

71. The Council shall not be disqualified for the transaction of business by reason of any vacancy among the councillors.

Appointment of committees.

72. The Council may appoint from among themselves committees consisting of not less than three, of whom the Chairman shall always be one. Every such committee shall have power, until the first day of January next following or such sooner day as the Council may determine, to transact the ordinary business for which they may be appointed;

Provided always that it shall not be lawful for any committee -

- (a) to make any rate or assessment; or
- (b) to make or enter into any contract hereby, or by any law in force in the Colony, required to be in writing; or

- (c) to appoint or to remove any officer or servant employed by the Council; or
- (d) to make or to revoke any by-law; or
- (e) to commence any suit or action or other proceeding in the Supreme Court, or to give notice of appeal; or
- (f) to make or to revoke any order appointing an officer to be rated and assessed, by the name of his office.

73. At every meeting of a committee two of their number shall be a quorum. Every question shall be decided in like manner as at a meeting of the Council, except that every question as to which the voices are equal shall be deemed to be passed in the negative. They shall cause all their proceedings to be recorded in a book, which shall be kept and signed in like manner as that relating to the proceedings of the Council and shall submit their proceedings to the Council at every meeting next thereafter.

How committee may proceed.

74. (1) A committee shall be appointed to administer moneys voted by the Council for Poor Relief and it shall be entitled the Public Assistance Committee.

Public Assistance Committee.

(2) Provided that at least two-thirds of the committee are members of the Council, the Public Assistance Committee may include persons who are not members of the Council and at least one of these persons shall be a woman.

Members may be co-opted.

(3) Subject to the provisions of Section 72 of this Ordinance the Council may delegate to the Committee any or all of its functions relative to Poor Relief.

Delegation of functions by Council.

(4) With the authority of the Council as provided in subsection (3) or with special authority referring to specified cases which have previously been submitted to the Council, the Public Assistance Committee may institute proceedings before a Court of Summary Jurisdiction against persons who are liable to maintain those relatives who are within the degrees of relationship recognised for that purpose by the laws of England for the time being in force to compel them to maintain such relatives or to contribute to their maintenance.

Relatives may be sued.

(5) The Public Assistance Committee may be represented in such proceedings by one of their members appointed for the purpose by the Committee.

Representation of P.A.C. in Court.

75. (1) Subject to the approval of the Governor, the Council may make standing orders for the regulation of the proceedings and business of the Council and any of their committees.

Standing orders.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of this or any other law, it shall not be necessary to publish in the Gazette any standing orders of the Council.

76. In all legal proceedings before any court the Council may be represented by their Secretary.

Representation in legal proceedings.

77. Every order and certificate to be made by the Council shall be in writing under their common seal and the hand of their Chairman, and every return, report and recommendation shall be in writing and signed by the Secretary to the Council by order of the Council.

Orders of Council how made.

78. The Council shall whenever required by the Governor make a true and correct report to the Governor of any legal proceedings taken under this or any other Ordinance together with all such remarks relating to such proceedings as the Council may think fit to make.

Report of legal proceedings.



## PURCHASES AND CONTRACTS.

Purchase of carts,  
draught animals etc.

79. The Council may purchase, hire or possess carts, carriages and other machines, and all necessary implements, horses and other animals of draught.

Power of Council to  
contract.

80. The Council may enter into any contracts necessary for carrying this or any other Ordinance into execution. All such contracts shall be for any period not exceeding two years.

Contracts and pur-  
chases in the United  
Kingdom how to be  
made.

81. All contracts made by the Council in the United Kingdom, and all articles obtained by them in the United Kingdom, shall be made and obtained through the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

No councillor or his  
partner to enter into  
contract with Council.

82. No councillor or person being in partnership with a councillor shall be capable of entering into any contract for the supply of any goods to the Council, or for the execution of any works undertaken by the Council, unless the approval of the Governor shall have first been obtained in writing.

Penalty for so doing.

83. If any councillor, or any partner of any councillor, shall wilfully enter into any contract for the supply of any goods to the Council, or for the execution of any works undertaken by the Council, except as provided for in the preceding section, he shall be liable to pay a penalty not exceeding £50 for every day on which he shall so wilfully enter into any such contract, or during which any such contract, if so entered into, shall subsist.

## POWER TO MAKE BY-LAWS.

No by-law valid  
unless approved by  
the Governor and  
published.

84. Every by-law authorised to be made by the Council shall be made under the common seal of the Council and the hand of their Chairman, and dated on the day of the making thereof and no such by-law shall have any force of effect unless the Governor shall, within six weeks thereafter, signify his approbation thereof under his hand and seal thereto. Such approbation, if given, shall be published by the Council in the Gazette.

To be enrolled.

85. Every by-law shall, within three days after publication of the same, be enrolled in the Supreme Court.

Examined copy to be  
conclusive evidence.

86. An examined copy of the enrolment of any by-law, certified under the seal of the Supreme Court and the hand of the Registrar shall be conclusive evidence in all courts, and in all legal proceedings, and to all intents and purposes that such by-law was duly made.

No by-laws to be  
questioned till  
annulled.

87. Every by-law lawfully made by the Council shall, after publication thereof as aforesaid, be good, valid and effectual to all intents and purposes, and such by-law shall not be impeached, impugned, questioned or disobeyed by any court, or justice, or by any person whatever, until the same shall have been repealed, or otherwise lawfully annulled.

Provided always, that nothing hereinbefore contained shall apply to any legal or other authorised proceeding bona fide instituted or taken for the express purpose of causing any such by-law to be repealed, or otherwise lawfully annulled.

Breach of by-law an  
offence.

88. Unless any other penalty be specially provided, every person who shall without lawful excuse, the proof whereof shall lie on the person charged, break or disobey, or neglect, or refuse to obey any by-law duly in force shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

By-laws may be print-  
ed and sold.

89. The Council may cause to be printed, and may keep a sufficient number of printed copies of all their by-laws, and may upon payment of a reasonable sum for the same, sell copies thereof



to any person who may apply for the same.

90. The Governor, whenever requested so to do by the Council, may cause to be prepared a draft of any by-law hereby authorised, and cause such draft to be transmitted to the Council for their consideration.

Preparation of  
by-laws.

#### PART V.

#### APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

91. Subject to the proviso hereinafter mentioned, the Council may appoint, employ, and fix the salaries of all such persons as may be necessary to enable them to exercise and carry into effect the powers and authorities created by this or any other Ordinance. Provided always that whenever the salary proposed to be attached to any appointment shall exceed £150 per annum, such appointment shall be subject to the approval and confirmation in writing of the Governor, who shall also approve the amount of the salary to be attached thereto.

Council may appoint  
officers and servants  
subject to Governor's  
approval.

92. The Council shall appoint, during pleasure, the consent in writing of the Governor being first obtained, some persons to be sanitary inspectors and every sanitary inspector shall by virtue of his office be and exercise the powers of a constable under the orders and direction of the Council.

Appointment of  
sanitary inspectors  
who shall be  
constables.

93. The Council shall appoint collectors who shall be authorised to levy and collect the rates and other moneys which the Council are authorised to receive, and who shall be entitled to such salary or remuneration as the Council may fix and determine.

Appointment of  
collectors.

94. With the approval of the Governor, the Council may appoint suitable persons to be Secretary and Treasurer to the Council at such remuneration as may be fixed by the Governor or if the Council shall think fit they may in like manner appoint one person to carry out the duties of both Secretary and Treasurer.

Appointment of Sec-  
retary and Treasurer  
to the Council.

95. The Governor shall appoint and may remove a duly registered medical practitioner to be Medical Officer of Health, who shall execute all the duties of an Officer of Health and such other similar duties as may be required of him by the Governor or by the Council with the written approbation of the Governor.

Appointment of  
Medical Officer of  
Health.

96. Should at any time the Executive Engineer to the Government not be a member of the Council, the Council may appoint an Engineer, and, subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, may pay him such salary as they may think proper out of the rates.

Appointment of  
Engineer.

Provided that in these circumstances the Governor may require that the execution of any works undertaken by the Council of which the cost is partly provided for from Imperial funds or from the general revenues of the Colony, or from both of those sources, shall be carried out under the supervision of the Executive Engineer, but the rates shall not be charged with any remuneration payable in respect of such supervision to the Executive Engineer.

97. The Government Auditor, or in the absence of such an appointment, such other officer as may be nominated by the Governor shall be the auditor of the Council's accounts, and in all legal or official proceedings, correspondence, or written instruments, he may be described as the Town Council Auditor without naming him, except in any legal or official proceedings had or taken by or against him, or in any instrument to which he shall be a party.

Auditor of the  
Council's accounts.

98. The Council shall pay to the Government out of the rates such annual sum as may from time to time be agreed upon

Cost of audit.

between the Governor and the Council as a proper charge for auditing the Council's accounts.

When Deputy may be appointed by Council.

99. In the case of sickness, temporary absence, or other inability of any officer or servant of the Council, or other person charged with the performance of any duty under this Ordinance, the Council or, in the case of a civil servant, the Governor may appoint a deputy in the place of such officer, servant or other person, and every such deputy shall perform all the duties, and be subject to all the liabilities of the officer, servant or other person in whose place he may be appointed.

Officers not to contract with the Council.

100. (1) Officers or servants appointed or employed by the Council shall not in anywise be concerned or interested in any bargain or contract made with the Council.

(2) If any such officer or servant is so concerned or interested, or, under colour of his office or employment, exacts or accepts any fee or reward whatsoever other than his proper salary, wages and allowances, he shall be incapable of afterwards holding or continuing in any office or employment under the Council, and shall forfeit and pay the sum of £50, which may be recovered by any person, with full cost of suit, by action of debt.

Officers entrusted with money to give security.

101. Before any officer or servant of the Council enters on any office or employment under this or any other Ordinance, by reason whereof he will or may be entrusted with the custody or control of money, the Council shall take from him sufficient security for the faithful execution of such office or employment, and for duly accounting for all moneys, which may be entrusted to him by reason thereof, in such amount and with such sureties as the Governor shall in writing direct.

Officers to account.

102. (1) Every officer or servant appointed or employed by the Council shall, when and in such manner as may be required by the Council, make out and deliver to them, a true and perfect account in writing of all moneys received by him on behalf of the Council, stating how, and to whom, and for what purpose such moneys have been disposed of, and shall, together with such account, deliver the vouchers or receipts for all payments made by him and pay over to the Council all moneys owing by him on the balance of accounts.

(2) Every such officer or servant employed in the collection of any rate shall, within seven days after he has received any moneys on account of any such rate, pay over the same to the Council, and shall, as and when the Council may direct, deliver a list signed by him and containing the names of all persons who have neglected or refused to pay any such rate, and the sums respectively due from them.

Summary proceedings against defaulting officers.

103. (1) If any officer or servant appointed or employed by the Council -

- (a) fails to render accounts, or to produce and deliver up vouchers and receipts, or to pay over any moneys as and when required by this Ordinance; or
- (b) fails within twenty-four hours after written notice in that behalf from the Council to deliver up to the Council all books, papers, writings, property and things in his possession or power, relating to the execution of this or any other Ordinance, or belonging to the Council,

the Council may cause a complaint to be made to a Justice, and such Justice shall thereupon summon the party charged to appear before a Court of Summary Jurisdiction.

(2) On the appearance of the party charged, or on proof

that the summons was personally served on him, or left at his last known place of abode or business, if it appears to the Court that he has failed to render any such accounts, or to pay over such moneys, or to produce or deliver up any such vouchers or receipts, books, papers, writings, property or things as aforesaid in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, and that he still fails or refuses so to do, the Court may commit the offender to gaol, there to remain without bail until he has rendered such accounts, paid over such moneys, and produced and delivered up all such vouchers, receipts, books, papers, writings, property and things in respect of the charge was made.

Provided that a person shall not be imprisoned under this section for a term exceeding six months.

(3) No proceedings under this section shall be construed to relieve or discharge any surety of the offender from any liability whatever.

104. (1) The provisions of the Provident Fund Ordinance and any subsequent amendment thereof, together with any regulations made or which may hereafter be made under that Ordinance shall apply to all officers and servants of the Council. Pensions.

## PART VI.

### PUBLIC WORKS, ETC.

105. In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, —

Interpretation of  
Part VI.

“Capital” means —

- (a) every sum of money which the Council may be authorised to raise for any public purpose; and
- (b) all moneys which under any enactment have been granted or which at any time hereafter may be granted to the Council for any public purpose out of moneys provided by the Legislative Council, or from the general revenues of the Colony, and all other moneys which shall be payable to the Council, or come into their hands, and be applicable to the same purposes as capital which they may be authorised to raise;

“to construct” with all the moods, conjunctions and tenses thereof includes in addition to its ordinary signification to build, execute, erect, place, lay, fix, provide, enlarge, deepen, vary, alter, renew, supply and complete;

“expenses” include costs and charges;

“lands” and “premises” includes messuages, buildings, lands, easements and hereditaments of any tenure, whether the property of His Majesty or of any person whomsoever, whether built on or not, and whether public or private, enclosed or unclosed;

“public highway” means any street, road, lane, passage, alley, steps, stairs or public place;

“public purpose” includes every purpose which the Council is authorised to effect, the cost of effecting which is chargeable, wholly or in part, against capital or against any rates, tolls, rents, dues or other moneys which the Council may be authorised or enabled to levy, take, have, receive or recover;

“public works” include all existing works, buildings and other constructions which are by this or any other Ordinance vested in the Council and all works, buildings and other constructions

which they may be authorised by this or any other Ordinance to construct and provide and such other works of a public nature, whether paid for out of Town Council funds or not, as the Governor may, by notice in the Gazette, declare to be public works.

#### GENERAL.

Public works requiring Governor's sanction.

106. No public work or purpose of any kind, the cost of which is not intended to be defrayed out of the revenues provided in the estimates for the current year, and for which it may be necessary to raise capital shall be undertaken or executed by the Council without the previous consent in writing of the Governor.

Estimate of cost of public works.

107. Whenever any such public work or purpose is proposed to be undertaken by the Council, they shall submit to the Governor for his approval, accompanied when necessary by a map or plan, a report stating their reasons for desiring to undertake the same and an estimate of the cost of the execution thereof, and a financial scheme for the payment of such cost. Such estimate shall include, when necessary, an estimate of the probable annual expenditure, including redemption of capital and interest thereon, to be occasioned by the execution of such public work or purpose.

Governor may authorise public works.

108. The Governor may, if he shall think fit, authorise in writing the execution by the Council of any such public work or purpose and the raising for such purpose of the amount of capital necessary therefor.

When estimates to be published.

109. The estimates of any public work, the cost of which shall exceed £500, shall be published for general information in the Gazette not less than ten days before being submitted for the approval of the Governor.

Capital to include cost of estimates, surveys, etc.

110. The Council may include in, and raise as part of, capital their expenses in making and preparing all necessary estimates, surveys, valuations and plans, for any public work, and in procuring contracts for the same. Provided that an account thereof shall have been duly rendered to the Town Council Auditor and certified by him to be correct within three months after the estimates for such public work shall have been approved.

How construction of works may be suspended or abandoned.

111. The Council, with the consent in writing of the Governor, may abandon or suspend the construction of any public works or of any part thereof which shall not then be completed. The Council shall clearly describe the works so abandoned or suspended or intended so to be and shall forthwith cause notice of the same and the Governor's approbation thereof to be published in the Gazette and thereupon their powers and liabilities relating thereto shall cease or be suspended accordingly.

Suspended works may be sold or completed in different manner with consent of Governor.

112. The Council may also determine that it is expedient that they should sell or complete in a different manner or for a different purpose to be stated in writing and described in plan, any public works or any part thereof, the construction or completion whereof shall have been abandoned or suspended as aforesaid, and thereupon the Governor may authorise the Council in writing to sell or complete the same accordingly, and notice thereof, without the plan, shall be published in the Gazette. The proceeds of any sale shall be carried to the credit of the capital account.

Completed work and expenditure to be certified to Governor.

113. Whenever the Council shall have completed any public work authorised by the Governor under this Ordinance and for which capital shall have been raised, or so much of the work the construction whereof shall not have been abandoned or suspended in manner hereinbefore provided, the Council shall certify such completion to the Governor and shall at the same time transmit an account in duplicate of the expenditure relating thereto.

114. The Governor shall cause such account to be transmitted to the Town Council Auditor, who shall examine and audit the same, and the Governor if he shall be satisfied that such works have been satisfactorily completed, and the accounts thereof duly audited, shall certify to the Council his approbation thereof, and shall cause such certificate to be published in the Gazette. Such public works shall thereupon become vested in and be under the control and management of the Council.

Account to be certified by Governor after audit.

115. The Council shall insure against fire in some insurance office, at not less than two-thirds of the value thereof, all public works and property vested in or under their control and management, or in their possession or occupation, and which from the nature thereof may be liable to destruction by fire, and also all the furniture, fixtures, matters and things therein, and shall pay the premium and other expenses of every such insurance out of the general rate or out of such other moneys under the control of the Council to which such premiums and expenses may be more properly chargeable.

Public works to be insured against fire.

#### COUNCIL OFFICES.

116. The Council, with the consent in writing of the Governor, may construct, purchase or otherwise acquire, all such offices as they may determine to be necessary for the purpose of this or any other Ordinance, and to enable them to carry the same into effect, and may provide suitable furniture and fittings therein, and may for such purposes raise such sum as they may deem necessary, and as may be sanctioned by the Governor in writing, and shall apply the same in the payment of the expenses incurred by them under this section.

Council may construct offices.

117. For the purposes aforesaid, and for all other purposes which may be authorised by this or any other Ordinance, the Governor may from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the Land Ordinance grant to the Council at such rent, payable to His Majesty, as may be reserved, permission to use any Town Land site, house or building, the property of His Majesty, together with all easements appertaining thereto for such term and upon such conditions as he may think fit.

Governor may grant necessary sites.

118. Every site, house, office and building, together with all easements appertaining thereto, which, or permission to use which, shall be granted by the Governor, and all such offices, and all furniture, fixtures, fittings, matters and things therein, shall be vested in, and under the control and management of the Council.

Offices, etc., to vest in Council.

#### PART VII.

##### GENERAL FINANCIAL PROVISIONS.

119. In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, —

Interpretation of Part VII.

“capital” means —

- (a) every sum of money which the Council may be authorised to raise for any public purpose; and
- (b) all moneys which under any enactment have been granted or which at any time hereafter may be granted to the Council for any public purpose out of moneys provided by Parliament, or from the general revenues of the Colony, and all other moneys which shall be payable to the Council, or come into their hands, and be applicable to the same purposes as capital which they may be authorised to raise;

“expenses” include costs and charges;

“public purpose” includes every purpose which the Council are

authorised to effect, the cost of effecting which is chargeable, wholly or in part, against capital or against any rates, tolls, rents, dues or other moneys which the Council may be authorised or enabled to levy, take, have, receive or recover;

“public works” include all existing works, buildings and other constructions which are by this or any other Ordinance vested in the Council and all works, buildings and other constructions which they may be authorised by this or any other Ordinance to construct and provide and such other works of a public nature, whether paid for out of Town Council funds or not, as the Governor may, by notice in the Gazette, declare to be public works.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

Treasury account.

120. An account shall be opened in the Colonial Treasury and all moneys received by the Council shall be paid into such account.

Salaries, etc. how to be paid.

121. The salary, wages or other remuneration of every person lawfully appointed by the Council for the purpose of discharging any duty under this or any other Ordinance shall be deemed and taken to be part of the expenses of the Council and shall be paid out of the proper moneys which may be received by them for that purpose, and shall be entered into the proper account.

Costs of Council in legal proceedings.

122. All costs which the Council or their officers, or any constables acting in the execution of this or any other Ordinance may incur or be ordered by any court to pay in any legal proceedings shall be part of their lawful expenses, and shall be paid out of the general revenues of the Council unless the Court shall adjudge their conduct or any complaint or any ground of appeal or the defence against any ground of appeal to have been frivolous and vexatious or that they have wilfully neglected or refused to obey an order of the Court, in any of which cases the Court may make such orders as to costs as it shall think fit, and the Council and their officers or any such constables shall not be entitled to be reimbursed such costs out of any moneys that shall be raised or received by them under this or any other Ordinance or by virtue of their office.

Authority for expenditure on entertainment.

123. (1) The Council may expend in any one year ending on the 31st day of December a sum not exceeding £25 in the entertainment of visiting warships (including those of foreign powers), the public reception and entertainment of distinguished visitors and on such other ceremonial occasions as the Council may deem proper for official entertainment.

(2) All sums so expended by the Council shall be deemed to be expenses lawfully incurred by the Council and shall be charged and defrayed accordingly.

#### ACCOUNTS.

Accounts, how to be kept.

124. The Council shall cause their accounts to be kept according to a system of book-keeping, approved by the Colonial Secretary, and in the denomination of the legal currency of Stanley for the time being, and such books shall contain and include a full and distinct account of all expenses, disbursements, and liabilities of the Council and of all moneys by them received or receivable, and of all moneys by them paid or payable.

Capital account.

125. The Council shall cause a separate and distinct account, to be called the capital account to be kept of all receipts and disbursements of any capital which the Council may raise or receive for any purpose in such manner as the Governor shall in writing direct and, so far as such directions shall not extend, they shall keep such capital account according to a system of book-keeping approved by the Colonial Secretary.

126. The Council shall cause to be included in such capital account an account of all moneys which heretofore have been or at any time hereafter may be granted to the Council out of moneys provided by the Legislative Council, and out of general revenues of the Colony, and of all other moneys which shall be payable to them or come into their hands, and be applicable to the same purposes as capital which the Council may raise.

127. The Council shall also cause to be kept separate and distinct accounts of the appropriation of all moneys which they may raise or receive for the purpose of constructing, purchasing or otherwise acquiring any public work.

Accounts of money raised, etc.

128. The Council shall, during the month of September in every year, prepare an estimate, certified under the hand of their Secretary of their probable receipts and expenses during the following year, in the same form as the abstracts of accounts which they are hereby required to prepare and deliver to the Town Council Auditor, and shall publish the same in the next Gazette.

Annual estimates of probable expenses in following year.

129. All moneys which the Council shall receive under this or any other Ordinance, otherwise than as capital or for any specific purpose under this or any other Ordinance, shall be duly accounted for and applied in aid of the rates.

Receipts (other than capital etc.). how to be applied.

130. The Council may make by-laws, —

- (a) for regulating the manner in which their accounts shall be kept, subject nevertheless to the provisions contained in this or any other Ordinance; and
- (b) for regulating the application of the balance of any capital which shall have been raised by them for any purpose under this or any other Ordinance, and which may remain in their hands and not be required for such purpose.

By-laws as to manner of keeping accounts and disposal of capital.

#### AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS.

131. (1) The Council, and every person having the collection, receipt or expenditure of money payable to or receivable by the Council, or holding or accountable for any balance of such money, or any books, deeds, papers, goods or chattels relating to the duties of the Council, shall once in every quarter of a year make out and render to the Town Council Auditor an abstract of account of all moneys, matters and things committed to their charge, or received, held, expended or applied by them or him on their behalf.

Accounts of Council and collectors.

(2) Before the first day of March in every year, the Council shall prepare and deliver to the Town Council Auditor an abstract of every account hereby required to be kept containing the amount of the income and expenditure in each of such accounts in respect of the year ended 31st December immediately previous together with the General Balance Sheet as at that date.

(3) The Town Council Auditor shall complete the examination of such accounts within ninety days of the receipt thereof by him and shall deliver them to the Council certified by him and if he shall fail to do so within such period, the Council may notify the Governor accordingly.

(4) The Council shall within thirty-one days after the completion of the audit publish every such abstract in the Gazette.

132. The following regulations with respect to audit shall be observed —

Audit of accounts. regulations governing.

- (a) For the purpose of any audit, the Town Council Auditor may require the production before him of



all books, deeds, contracts, accounts, vouchers, receipts and other documents and papers which he may deem necessary, and may require any person holding or accountable for any such books, deeds, contracts, accounts, vouchers, receipts, documents or papers to appear before him at any such audit or any adjournment thereof, and to make and sign a declaration as to the correctness of the same. If any such person neglects or refuses so to do, or to produce any such books, deeds, contracts, vouchers, accounts, receipts, documents or papers, or to make or sign such declaration, he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction for every such neglect or refusal to a penalty not exceeding £2.

- (b) The Town Council Auditor shall disallow every item of account contrary to law, and surcharge the same on the person making or authorising the making of the illegal payment, and shall charge against any person accounting the amount of any deficiency or loss incurred by the negligence or misconduct of that person, or of any sum which ought to have been but is not brought into account by that person, and in every such case the Town Council Auditor shall cause notice of his intention to make such surcharge to be given to such person, and shall adjourn the audit so far as it relates to such particular matter, for a sufficient time to allow of such person appearing before him and showing cause against such surcharge; and at such time the Town Council Auditor shall hear such person and determine according to the law and justice of the case, and thereupon certify the amount, (if any) due from such person. Provided that the Town Council Auditor shall not disallow any payment or liability made or incurred by the Council under any order of the Supreme Court, or with the previous authority of the Governor in manner hereinafter mentioned.
- (c) On application by any person who deems himself aggrieved, the Town Council Auditor shall state in writing the reasons for his decision in respect of such disallowance or surcharge, and that person may apply to the Supreme Court by motion in a summary way for an order directing the Town Council Auditor to allow an item that may have been disallowed by him; and the Court, upon proof of notice to the Town Council Auditor and to all such other persons (if any) as it may think entitled to notice, may make such order with respect to such disallowance and surcharge as to costs as may appear to it just and reasonable, and if it shall find that the said disallowance or surcharge was lawfully made, but that the subject-matter thereof was incurred under circumstances that make it fair and equitable that the disallowance or surcharge should be remitted, the Court may remit the same, and the Town Council Auditor shall govern himself accordingly.
- (d) Every sum certified to be due from any person by the Town Council Auditor shall be paid by such person to the Council within fourteen days after the same has been so certified (unless there is an appeal against the decision) and the Town Council Auditor shall, if necessary, proceed for the recovery thereof in the Supreme Court if the amount shall exceed £5, or in a summary manner if the amount shall not exceed such sum. All expenses incurred by the Town Council Auditor in such proceeding as aforesaid,

which shall not be recovered by him from any other person, shall be paid by the Council out of the rates.

133. The accounts of officers or assistants of the Council who are required to receive moneys or goods on behalf of the Council shall be audited by the Town Council Auditor with the same powers, incidents and consequences as in the case of such last-mentioned accounts.

Audit of accounts of officers.

134. The Governor may upon application made to him in that behalf, remit any surcharge upon any councillor or other person if he shall be satisfied that the payment or liability surcharged was made or incurred bona fide for the purpose of carrying into effect or performing the powers and duties vested in or imposed upon the Council, and that such payment or liability was made or incurred for the public advantage, and the Town Council Auditor shall govern himself accordingly.

Governor may remit any surcharge.

135. In all doubtful cases or upon any emergency, or in cases for which no provision has been made by law, the Council shall before making any payment or incurring any liability apply to the Governor for his authority to make such payment or incur such liability, and the Governor may, if he shall think fit, authorise in writing the expenditure of any sum of money or the incurring of any liability by the Council for the purpose of carrying into effect or performing the duties imposed upon them, notwithstanding that no provision may have been made by law for such expenditure or for incurring such liability.

Council to apply to the Governor in doubtful cases, to authorise expenditure.

136. The Council, whenever desired by the Governor, shall submit its books of account and all documents in its possession for the special examination by any person or persons appointed as a committee for the purpose by the Governor, and shall furnish all such information connected with its affairs as may be required by such committee.

Council to submit books for examination when required by Governor.

137. The map of Record shall be authenticated by the signature of the Colonial Secretary and all disputes as to the boundaries of the wards shall be conclusively settled by reference thereto.

Map of Record.

138. In this Ordinance "Stanley" means— the area comprehended in the three Wards defined in the First Schedule and shown on the Map of Record.

Definition of Stanley.

139. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Ordinance the Governor in Council may from time to time make such orders as may be deemed necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Ordinance.

Special Powers of Governor.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

Sections 4 and 138.

## BOUNDARIES OF WARDS.

1. The Northern boundary of all wards on the South side of Stanley Harbour and the Southern boundary of that part of the Centre Ward which lies on the North side of Stanley Harbour shall be the upper limit of the foreshore.

Provided that all hulks, jetties and sheds projecting into Stanley Harbour beyond the upper limit of the foreshore be deemed to be part of the ward from which they so project.

2. The West Ward shall be bounded –

on the West by a line about three hundred and thirty yards in length from a point on the upper limit of the foreshore two hundred and fifty yards West of the West side of Sullivan House Jetty and running in an approximately Southerly direction along the line of the fence now dividing Crown Land on the East of the fence from land in the possession of the Falkland Islands Company on the West of the fence and continued beyond the end of the said fence until the boundary meets the fence hereinafter called the second fence which runs approximately East and West on the North face of the Murray Heights:

on the South by the line of the second fence from the point where the Western Boundary of the West Ward meets it, thence towards the East to the South-East corner of the Golf Course, thence in a Southerly direction to the South-West corner of the enclosure known as "Bonner's Paddock" this corner being marked with a concrete post bearing the number "I" on the top and being marked on the Map of Record as a triangular survey sign and with the number "I", thence to a point opposite the middle line of Brisbane Road by a straight line running from the corner numbered "I" to the South-East corner of the enclosure known as "Dettleff's Paddock", the last mentioned corner being marked with a concrete post bearing the number "II" on the top and being marked on the Map of Record by a triangular survey sign and the number "II";

on the East by a line running in a Northerly direction from the point on the Southern boundary opposite the middle line of Brisbane Road and along the middle line of Brisbane Road to the middle line of Drury Street, thence in a Westerly direction along the middle line of Drury Street to a point opposite the middle line of Barrack Street, thence in a Northerly direction along the middle line of Barrack Street to the middle line of Ross Road and thence to a point in line with the East fence of the Deanery, and thence North to the foreshore.

The West Ward is shown in Blue on the Map of Record.

The Centre Ward shall be bounded –

on the West by the East boundary of the West Ward;

on the South from the point at which the East boundary of the West Ward meets the aforesaid straight line running from the corner numbered "I" to the corner numbered "II" and by that line to a point opposite the middle line of Dean Street:

on the East, from the last named point, in a Northerly direction along the middle line of Dean Street to a point on the middle line of Fitzroy Road, thence in an Easterly direction on the middle line of Fitzroy Road to a point in line with the Eastern fence enclosing the Globe Hotel. Thence to the North end of the last mentioned fence and thence to the foreshore at a point on the East side of the Public jetty.

The Centre Ward shall include all lands on the North side of Stanley Harbour in occupation of the Crown or the Admiralty, being those lands to the East of the fence running North and South and distant approximately eight hundred and fifty yards East of the summit of Cortley Hill.

The Centre Ward is shown in Red on the Map of Record.

The East Ward shall be bounded –

on the West by the Eastern boundary of the Centre Ward:

on the South by the straight line running from the corner numbered “I” to the corner numbered “II” from the point at which it is joined by the East boundary of the Centre Ward to the corner numbered “II” and thence in a straight line running approximately ENE.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E. to the Southern Leading Mark for the entrance to Stanley Harbour;

thence North to the foreshore.

The East Ward is shown in Green on the Map of Record.

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## SECOND SCHEDULE.

Section 5 (2).

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### RULES FOR PREPARING REGISTER OF ELECTORS.

1. The register shall be framed in separate parts for each registration unit, and the registration unit shall be the ward. The names in the register shall be arranged in street order. Arrangements of register.
2. It shall be the duty of the Registration Officer to cause a house or other sufficient enquiry to be made and to prepare, or cause to be prepared, lists for each registration unit of all persons appearing to be entitled to be registered as electors and to publish those lists in the form in which the register is to be framed. The Registration Officer shall at the same time publish a notice specifying the mode in which, and the time within which, claims and objections are to be made under these rules. Preparation of Lists.
3. Any person who claims to be entitled to be registered as an elector and who is not entered, or is entered in an incorrect manner or with incorrect particulars on the electors' list may claim to be registered or to be registered correctly by sending to the Registration Officer a claim on or before the first day of September. The claim shall contain a declaration of the qualification of the claimant to be registered accordingly, including a declaration that the claimant has attained the required age and is a British subject. Claims to be registered.
4. The Registration Officer shall, as soon as practicable after receiving any notice of objection to the registration of any elector, send a copy of the notice to the person in respect of whose registration notice of objection is given. Notices of objections.
5. The Registration Officer shall, as soon as practicable, consider all objections of which notice has been given to him in accordance with these rules, and for that purpose shall give at least five clear days' notice to the objector and to the person in respect of whose registration the notice of objection has been given, of the time and place at which the objection will be considered by him. Consideration of objections.
6. The Registration Officer shall also consider all claims of which notice is given to him in accordance with these rules, and in respect of which no notice of objection is given and, if he considers that the claim may be allowed without further enquiry, shall give notice to the claimant that his claim is allowed. If the Registration Officer is not satisfied that any such claim can be allowed without inquiry, he shall give at least five clear days' notice to the claimant of the time and place at which the claim will be considered by him. Consideration of claims.

Supplemental powers  
on consideration of  
claims and objections.

7. If on the consideration of any claim or objection it appears to the Registration Officer that the claimant, or person in respect of whose name objection is taken, is not entitled to be entered on the register in the character in which he claims to be registered or in which he is entered on the list, but is entitled to be entered on the register in another character or in another place on the register, the Registration Officer may decide that the name of that person shall be so entered on the register.

Publication of  
register.

8. It shall be the duty of the Registration Officer to publish the register not later than the 1st day of October by publishing in the Gazette a notice that a copy of the register is open to inspection at his office during specified hours whereupon the Registration Officer shall keep a copy of the register open for inspection in his office, and shall arrange for copies to be posted for inspection at the Post Office and shall also transmit a copy of the register, as soon as he may after it is published, to the Colonial Secretary.

Appeals from  
Registration Officer.

9. (1) A person desiring to appeal against the decision of a Registration Officer must give notice of appeal on the form supplied by the Registration Officer and to the opposite party (if any), when the decision is given or within five days thereafter, specifying the grounds of appeal.

(2) The Registration Officer shall forward any such notices to the Clerk of the Court together, in each case, with a statement of the material facts which, in his opinion, have been established in the case, and of his decision upon the whole case and on any point which may be specified as a ground of appeal, and shall also furnish any further information which the Court may require and which he is able to furnish.

(3) Where it appears to the Registration Officer that any notices of appeal given to him are based on similar grounds, he shall inform the Clerk of the Court of the fact for the purpose of enabling the Court (if the Court thinks fit) to consolidate the appeals or select a case as a test case.

Documents, how they  
shall be published.

10. (1) Where the Registration Officer by these rules is required to publish any document, and no specific provision is made as to the mode of publication, he shall publish the document available for inspection by the public in his office, and at the Post Office and, if he thinks fit, in any other manner which is, in his opinion, desirable for the purpose of bringing the contents of the documents to the notice of those interested. Any document required to be published shall be kept published for the prescribed time. Any failure to publish a document in accordance with these rules shall not invalidate the document, but this provision shall not relieve the Registration Officer from any penalty for such failure.

(2) If any person without lawful authority destroys, mutilates, defaces or removes any notice published by the Registration Officer in connection with his registration duties, or any copies of a document which have been made available for inspection in pursuance of these rules, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £5.

Supplies of copies of  
claims, objections, etc.

11. The Registration Officer shall, on the application of any person, allow that person to inspect, and take extracts from the electors' list for any registration unit in his area and any claim or notice of objection made under these rules.

Mode of sending  
notices etc.

12. Any claim or notice of objection which is under these rules to be sent to the Registration Officer may be sent to him by post addressed to him at his office. Any notice which is required to be sent by the Registration Officer under these rules to any person shall be sufficiently sent if sent by post to the address of that person

as given by him for the purpose, or as appearing on the lists, or if there is no such address, to his last known place of abode.

13. (1) The Registration Officer may require any householder or any person owning or occupying any land or premises within his area, or the agent or factor of such person, to give, on the form supplied by the Registration Officer, any information in his possession which the Registration Officer may require for the purpose of his duties as Registration Officer. Any notice requiring information under this rule may be sent by post.

Information from  
householder.

(2) If any person fails to give the required information or give false information, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £20.

14. In reckoning time for the purpose of these rules, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday and any day set apart as a public holiday, or public thanksgiving shall be excluded and where anything is required by these rules to be done on any day falls to be done on any such day as aforesaid, that thing may be done on the next day not being one of any such days.

Reckoning of time.

### THIRD SCHEDULE.

Section 12.

#### DECLARATION OF CANDIDATE.

I, A. B., being a candidate for the election to the office of Councillor of the Town Council of Stanley, solemnly and sincerely declare that -

- (a) I am a British subject by birth and of the full age of 21 years;
- (b) I reside within Stanley during at least eight months in every year; and
- (c) I am fully conversant with and able to read and write the English language.

(Signed) .....

Declared before me this

day of

, 194 .

.....  
(A Justice of the Peace).

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Section 24.

FORM OF BALLOT PAPER.

		(FRONT).	
DOE.  (John Doe, Labourer, John Street, Stanley.)	SMITH.  (Richard Walter Smith, Civil Servant, Ross Road, Stanley.)	ROE.  (Albert Roe, Merchant, Ross Road, Stanley.)	WHITE.  (John White, Contractor, Davis Street, Stanley.)
1	2	3	4
COUNTERFOIL.	No.....	Note :— The counterfoil is to have a number to correspond with that on the back of the Ballot Paper.	

(BACK OF BALLOT PAPER).

No.....

ELECTION FOR TOWN COUNCIL, STANLEY.

194 .

Note : The number of the ballot paper is to correspond with that on the counterfoil.

DIRECTIONS AS TO PRINTING BALLOT PAPER.

Nothing is to be printed on the ballot paper except in accordance with this Schedule.

The surname of each candidate, and if there are two or more candidates of the same surname, also the other names of such candidates, shall be printed in large characters as shown in the form and the names, addresses and descriptions, and the number on the back of the paper, shall be printed in small characters.



## FIFTH SCHEDULE.

Section 25.

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I swear by Almighty God that I will not at this Election for the Town Council of Stanley do anything forbidden by Section 46 of the Stanley Town Council Ordinance.

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## SIXTH SCHEDULE.

Section 27.

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FORM OF DIRECTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF ELECTORS IN VOTING.

1. The voter may vote for two candidates.
2. The voter will go into one of the compartments and with the pencil provided in the compartment, place a cross on the right hand side, opposite the name of the candidate or candidates for whom he votes, thus - X.
3. The voter will then fold up the ballot paper so as to show the official mark on the back, and leaving the compartment will, without showing the front of the paper to any person, show the official mark on the back to the presiding officer, and then in the presence of the presiding officer put the paper into the ballot box, and forthwith quit the polling place.
4. If the voter inadvertently spoils a ballot paper he can return it to the presiding officer, who will, if satisfied of such inadvertence, give him another paper.
5. If the voter votes for more than two candidates or places any mark on the paper by which he may afterwards be identified, his ballot paper will be void, and will not be counted.
6. If the voter takes a ballot paper out of the polling place, or deposits in the ballot box any other paper than the one given him by the presiding officer, he will be guilty of a misdemeanour and be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

Note: These directions shall be illustrated by examples of the ballot paper.

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## SEVENTH SCHEDULE.

Section 58 (2).

## FORM OF DECLARATION BY CANDIDATE AS TO EXPENSES.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, having been a candidate at the election of the Stanley Town Council, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (and my agent) do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that I have paid \_\_\_\_\_ for my expenses at the said election, and that, except as aforesaid, I have not, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, no person, nor any club, society or association, has on my behalf, made any payment, or given, promised or offered any reward, office, employment or valuable consideration, or incurred any liability on account of or in respect of the conduct or management of the said election.

And I further solemnly and sincerely declare that, except as aforesaid, no money, security or equivalent for money, has to my knowledge or belief been paid, advanced, given or deposited by anyone to or in the hands of myself, or any other person, for the purpose of defraying any expenses incurred on my behalf, on account of, or in respect of, the conduct or management of the said election.

And I further solemnly and sincerely declare that I will not at any future time make or be a party to the making or giving of any payment, reward, office, employment or valuable consideration for the purpose of defraying any such expenses as last mentioned, or provide or be a party to the providing of any money, security or equivalent for money for the purpose of defraying any such expenses.

Signature of declarant C. D.

and his agent (if any) E. F.

Signed and declared by the above-named declarant(s) on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 194 , before me,

(Signed) G. H.,

A Justice of the Peace.

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This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to in His Majesty's name this 29th day of November, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

[L.S.]



No. 2

1947.

# Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

IN THE TWELFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

## HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI.

G. M. CLIFFORD, C.M.G., O.B.E., E.D.,  
*Governor.*

### An Ordinance

### To amend the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentist Ordinance, 1914.

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 Medical Registration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1947, and shall be read and construed with the Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists Ordinance, 1914, (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance).

Short title.

2. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the section following:—

Amendment of  
Section 2 of No. 3  
of 1914.

Registration. 2. Separate registers of Medical Practitioners, Midwives, and Dentists shall be kept in the form of the Schedule hereto.

Fees. The fee to be charged for each registration under this Ordinance shall be two guineas for persons possessing professional qualifications registered in any Country of the British Commonwealth of Nations, and a fee of five guineas for persons possessing professional qualifications not registered within the British Commonwealth of Nations but Medical Practitioners, Midwives and Dentists who are in the employment of the Colonial Government shall be registered free of charge.

Provided that the Senior Medical Officer may refuse to register any person whose professional qualifications are not acceptable by the General Council of Medical Education and Registration of the United Kingdom.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to in His Majesty's name this 29th day of November, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,

*Governor.*

[L.S.]

No. 3



1947.

## Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

IN THE TWELFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

**HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI.**

G. M. CLIFFORD, C.M.G., O.B.E., E.D.,

*Governor.*

### An Ordinance

### To amend the Tariff Ordinance, 1943.

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—

Duty on Whale and Seal products and Tallow.

1. Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained in the Third Schedule of the Tariff Ordinance, 1943, the duties of Customs to be raised, levied and collected upon whale products, seal products and tallow which shall have been produced in the Colony or any of its Dependencies, or brought within the Colony or any of its Dependencies for storage and subsequent exportation, shall be in accordance with the scale set forth in the Schedule to this Ordinance.

Dispute as to Value.

2. In the event of any difference of opinion arising as to the market price of any substance named in the Schedule the decision of the Governor in Council shall be final.

Definition.

3. In this Ordinance and in the Tariff Ordinance, 1943, "Colony" means the Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies and the territorial waters of the Colony and its Dependencies.

Short Title.

4. This Ordinance may be cited as the Oil &c. Export Duties Ordinance, 1947, and shall be read and construed as one with the Tariff Ordinance, 1943.

SCHEDULE.

## EXPORT DUTIES.

## 1. On Whale Oil and Seal Oil.

On every barrel of forty (40) gallons –

If the average U.K./Continent market price for the season of first grade oil

does not exceed £20 per ton	...	...	...	one shilling and sixpence.
exceeds £20 but does not exceed £25 per ton	...	...	...	two shillings.
„ £25 „ „ „ „ £30 „ „	...	...	...	two shillings and sixpence.
„ £30 „ „ „ „ £35 „ „	...	...	...	three shillings.
„ £35 „ „ „ „ £40 „ „	...	...	...	three shillings and sixpence.
„ £40 „ „ „ „ £45 „ „	...	...	...	four shillings.
„ £45 „ „ „ „ £50 „ „	...	...	...	four shillings and sixpence.
„ £50 „ „ „ „ „ „	...	...	...	five shillings.

2. On whale, or seal, meat-meal and guano and other substances prepared from whales or seals – sixpence per one hundred lb. weight, or part thereof.

3. On Tallow, whether prepared from sheep or cattle – Two and a half per centum of the average U.K./Continent market value at the time of shipment.

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This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

Assented to in His Majesty's name this 29th day of November, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

[L.S.]

No. 4



1947.

Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.

IN THE TWELFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
**HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI.**

G. M. CLIFFORD, C.M.G., O.B.E., E.D.,  
*Governor.*

### An Ordinance

To legalise certain payments made in the year One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-six in excess of the Expenditure sanctioned by Ordinance No. 2 of 1945.

**Preamble.**

WHEREAS it is expedient to make further provision for the service of the Colony for the year 1946.

**Enacting Clause.**

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 —

**Short Title.**

1. This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as the Supplementary Appropriation (1946) Ordinance, 1947.

**Appropriation of excess expenditure for the year 1946.**

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 forty-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.

## SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
II.	The Governor ... ..	86	4	11
III.	Colonial Secretary ... ..	348	1	0
V.	Audit ... ..	2	10	0
VI.	Post Office ... ..	780	18	0
VII.	Electrical & Telegraphs ... ..	529	12	5
X.	Police & Prisons ... ..	110	18	7
XI.	Medical ... ..	2184	12	10
XVI.	Agriculture ... ..	473	8	1
XVII.	Miscellaneous ... ..	119121	17	2
XVIII.	Public Works Department ... ..	1663	12	2
XIX.	Public Works Recurrent ... ..	9422	18	8
XX.	Public Works Extraordinary ... ..	555	8	5
XXI.	War Expenditure ... ..	735	14	2
XXII.	Land Sales ... ..	67	1	0
		136082	17	5
DEPENDENCIES.				
I.	Dependencies ... ..	68370	10	5

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L. W. ALDRIDGE,

*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*



Assented to in His Majesty's name this 29th day of November, 1947.

MILES CLIFFORD,  
*Governor.*

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No. 5



1947.

**Colony of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies.**

IN THE TWELFTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
**HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI.**

G. M. CLIFFORD, C.M.G., O.B.E., E.D.,  
*Governor.*

**An Ordinance**  
**To provide for the service of the year**  
**1948.**

**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 for all purposes as the Appropriation (1948) Ordinance, 1947.

**Appropriation of  
£156,259 for service  
of year 1948.**

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 December, 1948, a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-six thousand, Two hundred and fifty-nine 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 1948.

## SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Number.	Head of Service.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
FALKLAND ISLANDS.				
I.	The Governor ... ..	2968	0	0
II.	Agriculture ... ..	7821	0	0
III.	Audit ... ..	995	0	0
IV.	Colonial Development & Welfare ...	15515	0	0
V.	Customs ... ..	605	0	0
VI.	Ecclesiastical ... ..	—	—	—
VII.	Education ... ..	10072	0	0
VIII.	Electrical and Telegraphs ... ..	8958	0	0
IX.	Harbour ... ..	1544	0	0
X.	Judicial ... ..	249	0	0
XI.	Land Sales ... ..	211	0	0
XII.	Medical ... ..	10943	0	0
XIII.	Meteorological ... ..	521	0	0
XIV.	Military ... ..	691	0	0
XV.	Miscellaneous ... ..	8951	0	0
XVI.	Naturalist ... ..	789	0	0
XVII.	Pensions ... ..	5000	0	0
XVIII.	Police and Prisons ... ..	1621	0	0
XIX.	Post Office ... ..	8145	0	0
XX.	Public Works Department ... ..	3506	0	0
XXI.	Public Works Extraordinary ... ..	19550	0	0
XXII.	Public Works Recurrent ... ..	16130	0	0
XXIII.	Secretariat & Treasury ... ..	6441	0	0
XXIV.	War Expenditure ... ..	—	—	—
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue		£131226	0	0
DEPENDENCIES.				
I.	Ordinary Expenditure ... ..	19993	0	0
II.	Extraordinary Expenditure ... ..	5040	0	0
Total ...		£156259	0	0

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