

31 & 32 Vict. cap. 129, 31st July, 1868	An Act to amend the Law relating to the Registration of Ships in British Possessions.
32 Vict. cap. 11, 13th May, 1869	An Act for amending the Law relating to the Coasting Trade and Merchant Shipping in British Possessions.
34 & 35 Vict. cap. 110, 21st August, 1871	An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Acts.
35 & 36 Vict. cap. 73, 10th August, 1872	An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Acts and the Passenger Acts.
36 & 37 Vict. cap. 85, 5th August, 1873	An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Acts.
37 & 38 Vict. cap. 51, 30th July, 1874	An Act to amend the Law respecting the proving and Sale of Chain Cables and Anchors.
39 & 40 Vict. cap. 80, 15th August, 1876	An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Acts.
40 & 41 Vict. cap. 16, 28th June, 1877	An Act to facilitate the removal of Wrecks obstructing Navigation.
42 & 43 Vict. cap. 72, 15th August, 1879	An Act to provide for the rehearing of Investigations into Shipping Casualties, to amend the rules as to the mode of holding and procedure at such Investigations.
43 & 44 Vict. cap. 16, 2nd August, 1880	An Act to amend the Law relating to the payment of Wages and rating of Merchant Seamen.
43 & 44 Vict. cap. 18, 2nd August, 1880	An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.
43 & 44 Vict. cap. 22, 12th August, 1880	An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, so far as regards certain fees and expenses and sums receivable and payable by the Board of Trade.
43 & 44 Vict. cap. 43, 7th September, 1880	An Act to provide for the safe Carriage of Grain Cargoes by Merchant Shipping.

65.

An Ordinance to extend to this Colony a certain Act of Parliament cited as the "Employers and Workmen Act, 1875."

In the year 1882.—No. 4.

Be it enacted by the Governor of the Falkland Islands and their Dependencies with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :—

1. The Act of Parliament 38 and 39 Vict. c. 90, entitled "An Act to enlarge the power of County Courts in respect of disputes between Employers and Workmen and to give other Courts a limited civil jurisdiction in respect of such disputes" shall be in force in this Colony in so far as its provisions can be applied and as local circumstances will permit.

(Signed) T. KERR, *Governor.*

Passed the Legislative Council this twelfth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

(Signed) ALAN KERR, *Acting Clerk to the Council.*

66.

An Ordinance to extend to this Colony a certain Act of Parliament cited as the "Employers Liability Act, 1880."

In the year 1882.—No. 5.

BE it enacted by the Governor of the Falkland Islands and their Dependencies, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :—

1. The Act of Parliament 43 and 44 Vict. c. 42, entitled "An Act to extend and regulate the Liability of Employers to make Compensation for personal Injuries

suffered by Workmen in their service," shall be in force in this Colony in so far as its provisions can be applied and as local circumstances will permit.

(Signed) T. KERR, *Governor.*

Passed the Legislative Council this twelfth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

(Signed) ALAN KERR, *Acting Clerk to the Council.*

67.

An Ordinance to provide for carrying out Capital Punishment in Prisons.

In the year 1882.—No. 6.

WHEREAS it is expedient that capital punishment should be carried into effect within prisons: Be it enacted by the Governor of the Falkland Islands and their Dependencies, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. The Ordinance No. 2, of 1881, entitled an Ordinance to extend to these settlements the Capital Punishment Amendment Act, 1868, is hereby repealed.

Repeals Ordinance No. 2 of 1881.

2. Judgment of death to be executed on any prisoner sentenced after the passing of this Ordinance on any indictment or inquisition for murder shall be carried into effect within the walls of the prison in which the offender is confined at the time of execution.

Judgment of death to be executed within walls of prison.

3. The sheriff charged with the execution, and the gaoler, chaplain and surgeon of the prison, and such other officers of the prison as the sheriff requires, shall be present at the execution.

Sheriff, &c., to be present.

Any justice of the peace for the colony, and such relatives of the prisoner or other persons as it seems to the sheriff or the visiting justices of the prison proper to admit within the prison for the purpose, may also be present at the execution.

4. As soon as may be after judgment of death has been executed on the offender, the surgeon of the prison shall examine the body of the offender and shall ascertain the fact of death, and shall sign a certificate thereof, and deliver the same to the sheriff.

Surgeon to certify death; and declaration to be signed by sheriff, &c.

The sheriff and the gaoler and chaplain of the prison, and other persons present (if any) as the sheriff requires or allows, shall also sign a declaration to the effect that judgment of death has been executed on the offender.

5. The coroner shall within twenty-four hours after the execution hold an inquest on the body of the offender, and the jury at the inquest shall inquire into and ascertain the identity of the body, and whether judgment of death was duly executed on the offender; and the inquisition shall be in duplicate, and one of the originals shall be delivered to the sheriff.

Coroner's Inquest on Body.

No officer of the prison or prisoner confined therein shall in any case be a juror on the inquest.

6. The body of every offender executed shall be buried within the walls of the prison within which judgment of death is executed on him; provided that if the Governor is satisfied on the representation of the sheriff or visiting justices of the prison that there is not convenient space within the walls there for the burial of offenders executed therein, he may, by writing under his hand appoint some other fit place for that purpose, and the same shall be used accordingly.

Burial of the body.

7. The Governor in Council shall from time to time make such rules and regulations to be observed on the execution of judgment of death in prison as he may from time to time deem expedient for the purpose, as well of guarding against any abuse in such execution, as also of giving greater solemnity to the same, and of making known without the prison walls the fact that such execution is taking place.

Power to Governor to make rules, &c., to be observed on execution of judgment of death.

8. All such rules and regulations shall be laid before the Legislative Council, and be published in the official gazette.

Such Rules to be laid before Legislative Council.

9. If any person knowingly and wilfully signs any false certificate or declaration required by this Ordinance he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be liable at the discretion of the Court to imprisonment for any term not exceeding two years, with or without hard labour, and with or without solitary confinement.

Penalty for signing false certificates, &c.