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CROWN AGENTS

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1928.

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Crown Agents Circ.

SUBJECT.

1928

17th Feb.

Previous Paper.

PRIVATE LETTERS ADDRESSED TO THE CROWN AGENTS FOR REDIRECTION TO OFFICIALS SERVING IN THE COLONIES.

MINUTES.

Letter from Crown Agents, of 17.2.28.

*P. #
18/5/28 1-2.*

Postmaster,

Is there any objection to adoption of suggestion contained in para 3 of letter?

*G.R.H.
2.9.28 for C.S.*

For Col. Secretary

I can see no objection to the proposal

*H. Ches
Postmaster
5/5/28.*

Postmaster,

would the arrangement be equally convenient in the case of pensioners residing in the Colony para 4?

*G.R.H.
7.4.28 for C.S.*

Subsequent Paper.

Hon Cal Secretary

Yes.

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Li. to Crown Agents of 14th May 1928.

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Postmaster of the capital town of the Colony or State concerned and to give this address to enquirers, who can then send their letters direct.

4. The new rule would also be applied in the case of pensioners residing in the Colonies.

5. We shall be glad to learn as soon as possible if you are agreeable to this proposal.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

H. C. Shorter.



ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.
THE DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED
AND THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE: _____
TELEGRAMS. "CROWN. LONDON."
TELEPHONE. 7730 VICTORIA.

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4, MILLBANK,
WESTMINSTER,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

CIRCULAR.

17th February, 1928.



Sir,

I have the honour to state that we receive for re-direction a considerable number of private letters, addressed, in the care of this office, to officials who are on duty in their respective Colonies. In addition, we frequently receive applications for the addresses of officials who are similarly situated.

2. Our usual rule is to re-direct the letters to the Colony in the care of the Colonial Secretary, Treasurer, or other official to whom we normally write on the subject of salaries or pensions, and it is our rule to notify the enquirers for addresses, that we will re-direct letters addressed in our care, provided the appointment of the official and Colony to which he belongs are shewn on the envelope. Such letters, when received, are dealt with as indicated above.

3. With a view to reducing the amount of work in this connection, we propose to arrange, in future, that all such private letters shall be forwarded to the

Postmaster/

The Colonial Secretary,
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

173/28.

14th May, 28.

Gentlemen,

With reference to your Circular letter No. P/57/1 of the 17th of February, 1928, regarding the arrangements made for the re-direction of letters addressed to officials and pensioners in this Colony, I am directed by the Governor to inform you that your proposal to arrange in future that all such private letters shall be forwarded to the Postmaster, Stanley, will prove quite convenient to this Government.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten Signature]
Colonial Secretary.

The Crown Agents for the Colonies,
4, Millbank, Westminster,
LONDON, S.W. 1.