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An "official" letter may ussue as suggested pt p. 95 please?

2.10.72.

Yes, I duft

Both the Governor and you will wish to see the letter addressed to me at p. 97.

before it is processed.

Ty 11 est that M- Generall, give he Ar A's rane and soo me will be pleased t see him when he was to come. 2. Rid 1h lette care 1 high the windles mail in the same of 11/1 ung an alter 1/0 letter de?

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I have spoken to S. M.O.

100 is principally for information. It Ashure pointed out, however, that previous medical surveys in the bolony (i.e. in connection with T.B. and the ophitalnic survey) were authorized in Ex. loc, and that if Exco were to agree now that a survey in connection with hydatid disease should be carried in the botony during 1974, he could stank setting the wheels in unition during his for theorning leave to Britain (which is what he intended to convey by p. 100 also).

For mentin in Exces pl. Please mobe sure I don't Faret.

BU 16/4

Certaer from Exco-meeting 3/73 um files at -p. 101.

RSC You view a R102 pl.

og. E. Before proceeding with the amendments I would point out for your consideration that the maximum penalty for the most revious offences under the Bliscasco of Animals Det has in recent years been increased from \$50 to not exceeding \$200, 9P.B. 7 III.73.

Tow (10) roled. I arrive you pait the thet you comide & (iii) sheld be reduced to \$ 5000. y. E. (12) 9/8 Wraft amending Order attached ne. I consider the penalty of not less than 1250 too high when compared with the highest peralty to be imposed under the Diseases of onimals each. The Raw, without exception to my knowledge, provides à marcimum peralty not a minimum one. I have altered the wording which should cover de same points. Je.B. 15. VIII. 73. (i3)Peter Mishon 2102 and duft at Face to ofe April I ash for his views.

Per. The is alter letter Filis I the.

Peter
R102 9 have no comments on the draft
would be a good idea if it was shown to M, Milles before it goes to Council for Jept. Esces is Oct? 710/9 The seoner the amendment is made the somer control measures can be enforced. May I place on the Aganda pl? (. S. Ye A. The tile to RSC & see integrat correspondence. Clerk Exco
Pl add to Agenda Rios 11.9.73 Ag. c.s.,
Asies for Exco 1.7.

C as in (18) pl pth 12.9.73 Seen t. y. Perhaps it would cool both parties if they had a cony of (103) to comment on. SP.B. 17.IX.73, Rse's sumulia is a good ~. 11 send a corn of R103 to all itselis paties es gots doft I ash for eals comments. Ve need to like it to Esceo is mid Ock. 0 18/9 Shi be \$ 10.72 Draft Exco mems at centre ofe pl Br. 28.10.73 (Exco) Draft letter sp. This were in the co. Bu 7/1/73 Det Clerk Exco

RIM The Jogs Order is being attended to?

The Jogs Order is being 14.11.73

The oder - no 9/73 - is with the pinkin pt. (I sent it out about a week ago, when fempleting the minutes)

Ag) (1 (28) 14.11.73
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Bu \$ 11.73

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By 29 M. 93

Ag. c.s. J. 130/11
Order 9/73 submitted in dupliede,
or centre, for signing please.

\$ 30 NOW 73 30.11.72

Bu 10.12.73 (pints apies) Ag. c.s.,

The process of amending the Dogs Order, to take account of recommendations made by the Soa, has now been completed opt.

of the population in connection with the control of hydratis disease (pp 100 & 101 A and minutes 5-7 tefer) turning on this file. I am not sure of the present position regarding this.

8 " dec 73

BU 13/1/14

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wile have seen p. 121 in the float.

I strick both you and impective lock intend referrings. It the Instation bradication boundaring during meetings with the Soft later this week, and the subject is a the Agenda for discussion by the Association.

The proposed amended circular would best since after the meetings when any further amendments secondaries by the Association could also be incorporated?

6. S. / I when the proper to the mi general and

Who b. P. P. will I hohe go with more stabled.

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By 15.7.74.

P. 122. This seems fair and reasonable to me and I perpose to appeare it, unless you see any objection.

ag. C.S. Ref 34 Jagree will the proposed pargued of 65p her hour.

Efs/25/74

Bu & 274 Bu 16. 8.70

These papers for information pl.

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By 25. 1. 74.

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37. Is seen action a skin ph?

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(too 2007) (Printes worm of porder)

Order 2/75 submittel in duplicate at centre for signatures please.

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15 advoed night the Order at centre - 2 apris. This follows the one mil wording & contains some parks to which then SM objected but which were accepted by unanding Connal .

43 /52/7 Order Signed at advised.

Action is now regimed to appoint, inspector (Pare 2)?

Done \$24.7.75

Now that the Order No.2 of 1975 for the control of dogs has been made and promulgated you should look urgently into the question of compiling a complete list of all inspectors in accordance with para 2 of the Order.

- 2. There is already in existence a list of such inspectors but it may be as well to reappoint them.
- Will you also prepare for my consideration a backup pamphlet to send to all managers and inspectors in accordance with the last paragraph of minute 3 of Executive Council Meeting 5/75. (It is at folio 466 on AGR/10/4)
- By copy of this minute AS is please to arrange for publication of the Order.
- 5. I shall be grateful, too, if AS can arrange to have AGR/7/12 C and AGR/10/4 sorted out. There is considerable confusion between the two files.

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of staff to appropriate extens in Manual! 46 53/8

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Dr Gemmell

He will be met and accommodated by Mr Miller as Upland Goose Hotel is full.

Monday pm See H.E.

Monday evening Hydatids Committee meeting in Secretariat

Tuesday Fly to Darwin with Mr S Miller

Wednesday Fly to Port Howard with Mr Miller

Thursday Fly to Port San Carlos with Mr Miller

Friday Return to Stanley

Friday evening Public meeting in Town Hall. Dr Gemmell has slides he could show

Saturday Interviewed by Mr S Miller and Dr Cox

Saturday See H.E.

Sunday Free

Monday Depart.

Y.E.

Above is Mr Miller's provisional programme for Dr Gemmell.

Mr Miller has inserted two visits to Y.E., one when Dr Gemmell arrives and one before he departs. Would this be convenient to Your Excellency please?

Mr Miller who is something of a pioneer in the campaign to eradicate this scourge, thinks he should accompany Dr Gemmell on his Camp visits, rather than just putting him on the 'plane and leaving him to it.

Dam 27.11.75

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M P.w.D.)

That you As here fishely sphen I be fossibly sphen Semme 11's defanture my be delayed unt. (Two day

Pl see 128 for de Gemmells programme
Den 1/12
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Who's paying for him, Dot he get a your or?

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This be was removed from my office, but I remembered that the work wished to see De Gemmell and I checked this with you and you said that the col had attended a typhatides meeting.

2. Do you know (as See of the Contee) the answers the cols other questions.

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C.S.,

I have spoken to be Miller. He seintes stat Dr Genmell's faces CR Stanley I die aus acount the loamp will be government commitments.

11.12.75

Tom 10/17

Mecc 129 for possible action in files on A . H. Serlin Noted. som refir De jon need this for anything? Her about para 5 of 44? Carolyn Please see para 5 of minute 44. Do you as fegishing Clerk deal will this, or is it within Peter's province? To be attended to by the appropriate officer pl. We spoke about 144 - there are so many bles in this subject. In 18 said gaid talk with CS-This file and FIS/2/A should pl-be amalgamated 5002. They deal with the same subject. Paper should be transford in date

0.5.,

The appointments of the dog inspectors lapsed when the new Dogs Order was made earlier this year.

The former list of inspectors has now been up-dated and agreed by the O i/C Agric. Dept. and those listed (except in the case of Mr E Goss - pl. see p. 8 in this regard. I understand that Mr Coss is to move to Goose Green replacing Mr R Lee, and as he is a useful chap to have as an inspector recommend that he remains on the list).

Please see pages 36, 36A, and 37 for the up-dated list which is submitted for approval.

3. After the list has been approved I will have prepared a Notice similar to that at p. 1/15.

By 25.11.75

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A.S.

The list of inspectors at centre may be published. Will you please proceed accordingly.

Do you consider it necessary that we should follow-up publication with individual lettst to each inspector setting out his conditions of appointment and powers?

C.S.,

Cazette Motice at centre for signature pl.

While almost all those now being gazetted as inspectors have already served as such under the previous Order and individual letters are probably therefore unnecessary, I think that as this is all a "spring-cleaning" exercise it would be a good idea to issue them.

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I am advised that the previous appointments lapsed on the serveralist of the 1970 Order pl.

2. The matter of the preservices method of treating dogs has yet to be nettled. The relevant file -

Eradication of Hydalis Disease - is nive you I senick?

560 S.1.76.

Since mitting the above minute, the Registry has produced to me the two files attached. Please see para 3 of 3 in F15/1/13 with regard to the instructions to be issued to dog inspectors. I think the duiler came to see you after he received the letter and discussed it with you

12.1.76

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Jes. pl see para 13 g Order 2/75 Ananges 5 Thank you. I agree with A / Sut has the 1970 Order been revoked?

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do yn? (alphan BCS -I am um closing this the m seemed thoughts. CMS 12/1

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It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above mber and date uld be quoted.

From: Agriculture Dept.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To: The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

6th January.

Subject:- Dogs Ordinance - Camp Inspectors(Hydatid Disease)

Mr. David Barton will be on leave during the forthcoming year and he suggests that Mr. N.C.Summers - Foreman at Teal Inlet, should be appointed as an inspector during his absence.

c. S.,

See 352

Me Summers's appointment co

an inspection under the dogs Order

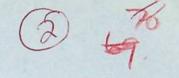
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TELEGRAM SENT.

From SECRETARY OF STATE to GOVERNOR

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11.1.71 Time: 1542 Received: 11.1.71 Time: 1523

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Unclassified 111135z to routine Governor Falkland Islands telno 9 of 11th January.

43 A Ecinococchus Fluid para 1(A) of Exco Meeting 7/70 refers to batch of fluid despatched by H.N.S. Endurance in April 1970. We have no record of whether action proposed has been taken and completed, if not, grateful for further information on consignment in question and details of consignee

DOUGLAS-HOME

PL: JE

Copy to S.M.O.

Reply at 70

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C.S. Advin has been taken a completed. f. 47 refers.

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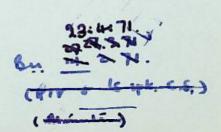
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PL: JE



25th January

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To: 0 i/c Agric. Doperment,

Proy: The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY

Dogs Ordinance - Camb Inspectors (Mydatid Disease)



Your memo 48 of 6th January 1971 refers.

Approved has now been given for the appointment of ir N. C. Summers of Teal Inlet to be an inspector under the Dogs Order 1970.

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

GAZETTE NOTICE



No. 8

Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

25th January 1971.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional person to be an Inspector for the purposes of this Order -

N. C. Summers - Teal Inlet

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(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Ref: 160/43/II

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Copy to: Mr Summers

Officerin. Charge. agraphend Devi', BERTRAND & FELTON Ltd. ROY COVE, FALKLAND ISLANDS.

11th Jan 1971

Dear Sin.

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The appointment of Me 1. Megain as a dog inspection submitted for consideration pl. (application males).

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Addendum Hen is hext downg? And? The Bu \$2.71 O.i.c. Agic.

358 While I agree it is an wellest idea ! have two inspection on each farm, to come leave etc. (Gooderin was affairled for his perfore) I nould not recomment the affaintment of additional inspection. If we one not conselve me could find ourselves with the rediculous situation where all outside sleptends are inspection! Of Agric. I agree. M. Let ha have an gyrgmide dret deply. [= On its way back to me (10 shows have a new jacket put on this file.] C.S. Draft refly berewill H. 9-27.



Dear Sir.

I refer to your letter deted 11th January 1971, regarding the appointment of additional inspectors for the control of Hydatid Disease.

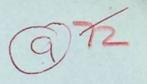
- 2. The appointment of two inspectors to each farm, is at present considered adequate.
- 3. At your request Mr W. Goodwin was appointed to the Roy Cove area on 30th June 1970 Gazette Notice No. 25 refers.

Yours faithfully,

(H. L. Bound)
COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Mr. S. R. Miller, Roy Cove, Falkland Islands. AC.





TELEGRAM SENT.

From MINISTRY FOR OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT to GOVERNOR

Despatched: Time: Received: 6.5.71 Time: 1445 5.5.71 1655

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Attention Dr. Malone from Evans.

Dr. Bradstreet enquires whether Hydatid Specimen has been sent to here if not grateful send if available

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S. M.O.

would you advise regarding this telegram pl. I see that a

copy has already been sent to

you.

Reply at 73.

C.S.

PL: JE

Copy to S.N.O.



7th May

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To: The Officer in Charge of

Police

From: The Colonial Secretary

STANLEY.

Tabeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970.

With reference to your memorandum 160/43/III of 23rd April 1971, you are aware as I am that the law can be enforced provided evidence is forthcoming. Do you have evidence enabling you to prosecute anyone?

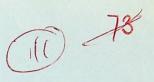
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2. However, it has been recognised, from the start of the hydatid campaign, that the annual mass slaughterings would present an almost insoluble problem and I think one needs to distinguish between that, once annual, occurrence and the situation represented by continual breaches of the law.

COLONIAL SECRETARY

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TELEGRAM SENT.





GOVERNOR to F.C.O. (OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION)

Despatched:

13.5.71 Time: 1144

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Your Modev 34. From Falone for Evans begins hitherto no opportunity to send specimens but will attempt by mv A.E.S. sailing ex-Stanley June

GOVERNOR

PL: JE

Copy to S.M.O.

S.M.O.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL 17th MAY 1971

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWER

Question No. 2/71

Is Government satisfied that the Hydatid Eradication Programme is operating satisfactorily and that the control measures required by law are being adequately met in all areas?

Answer

I have no specific evidence to the contrary. However, particular complaints based on evidence can be investigated.



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the arrangements for this have, as we introded, become antomative, I broadcast hoties of guartury dorning arrangement continue to be made as a sortine? I fear I have hot purnally checked security.

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Quarterly Dosing and relative broadcasts are now automatic.

2. The next dosing period is 1st October. Scolaban Tablets for this exercise will be delivered by the mail-drop after Darwin's return on the 12th inst.

Hydaled Discore 76 Enadication Compaign. O'l Agui. · Scolaban Ryphies are adequate. You will new to bear in hind that hext year you can only expect to he wive supplies occarionally by "AKS", though no doubt corraspeents and be made for lifts by B.A.S. Ships. It would be worth your while considering whether you Should not, in the circumstances, place or whole 12 months ordrer as a single belt indrent in advance. This hight heed this agreement in the imminent abeauce of an S.F.C. but I would be prepared to make the Leversday Ire communation to him it, after consideration, you decode to go ahead with it & fored it up to me both the been any financial of other reberred betail. chealt with there.

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PORT LOUIS LIMITED,
47 FITZROY ROAD,
STANLEY.

25th June, 1971.

Dear Sir,

Mr. R. Kiddle of this Company should be appointed an Inspector for the dosing of dogs at Port Louis under the control of Hydatid Disease Regulations, during the absence on leave of the Manager, Mr. L. Grant.

Yours faithfully,

120 Bannes.

Secretary.

Reply at 366.

The Colonial Secretary,

The Secretariat,

STANLEY.

RLR/B.

Bu sq. 6.71.

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Che Faikland Islands Company, Limited.

o (INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1851.) 0 -

REGISTERED 1902.

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AGENTS FOR LLOYDS.

TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RADIO.

Stanley,

28th June

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HMM/MH

The acting Colonial Sechetary

Dear Sir,

TAPEWORM ERADICATION (DOGS) ORDER 1970

The following Company Inspectors have now retired and left the Colony and we should be obliged if you would kindly delete their names from your list of Inspectors:

Mr. R.G. Vinson Mr. J.T. Clement

We would propose the following as Inspectors in their place:

Mr. B. Hardcastle Goose Green Mr. J.R.S. Felton Fitzroy

During the absence of Mr. K.J. McPhee, Manager, Green Patch, we would propose the name of Mr. E. Reive as a temporary Inspector in his absence.

Yours faithfully,

Reply at 365

Acting COLONIAL MANAGER

46. Inthrong 6.1/30/4



The list of Inspectors appointed under the Tapeworm Tradication (Dogs) Order 1970 requires updating, and the following names are submitted for your approval please -

Mr B. Hardcastle, Goose Green (replacing Mr Vinson now retired)
Mr J.R.S. Felton, Fitzroy (replacing Mr Clement now retired)

The application in respect of the foregoing is at p. 361.

Mr R. Kiddle, Port Louis (replacing Mr L. Grantnow on leave)
Application at p. 360.

Mr R. Hansen, Hill Cove (replacing Mr L.G. Blake now on leave)

Application made through the OiC Agric Dept.

Mr E. Reive, Green Patch (replacing Mr K.J. McPhee now on leave)

2. If approval is given, a notice similar to that at page 352 would be issued.

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No 26

Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

30th June 1971.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

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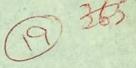
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Mr B. Hardcastle - Goose Green
Mr R.L. Hansen - Hill Cove
Mr R. Kiddle - Port Louis
Mr E. Reive - Green Patch

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Ref: 160/43/II

JE

Copies to: Mr Felton, Mr Hardcastle, Mr Hansen, Mr Kiddle



3rd July

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Dear Sir,

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With reference to your letter dated 28th June 1971, I am to inform you that approval has now been given for the appointment of Mr B. Mardeastle, Mr J.R.S. Felton and Mr B. Reive as inspectors under the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970.

2. Formal notice of the appointmentswill appear in the next issue of the Gazette.

Yours faithfully,

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Acting Colonial Manager, The Falkland Islands Company, Ltd., STANLEY.



5th July

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Dear Sir.

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With reference to your letter dated 25th June 1971, I am to inform you that approval has now been given for the appointment of Mr. R. Kiddle as an inspector under the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970.

2. Formal notice of the appointment will appear in the next issue of the Gazette.

Yours faithfully,

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

The Secretary, Port Louis Ltd., 47, Fitzroy Road, STANLEY.

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TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RAPTO

1st July

HMM/MH

The Acting Colonial Secretary STANLEY

Dear Sir.

TAPEWORM ERADICATION (DOGS) ORDER 1970

Could you please arrange to have Mr. T. Phillips of George Island added to the list of Inspectors under the above Order as George Island now has five dogs.

It would be appreciated if arrangements could be made to airdrop the necessary pills to Mr. Phillips as otherwise the lack of communication between Speedwell Island and George Island will render it impossible for him to obtain a regular supply of pills for dosing of the dogs.

Yours faithfully.

Acting COLONIAL MANAGER

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Palkland Islands.

9th July, 1971.

Tapeworm Bradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 124 of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

Purther to Casette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January, 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional person to be an Inspector for the purpose of this Order -

lr. T. Phillips

- George Island

Ref: 160/13/II

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9th July 7

Dear Sir,

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970

With reference to your letter HMM/NH of lst July, the appointment of Mr. T. Phillips of George Island as an Inspector under the Dogs Ordinance has been approved and will in due course be notified in the usual way in the Gazette.

2. The Officer in Charge Agriculture is being instructed to make the arrangements requested in paragraph 2 of your letter.

Yours faithfully,

(J. A. Jones) Colonial Secretary

Acting Colonial Manager, Falkland Islands Company Limited, Stanley.

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BROTHERS, LIMITED.

Directors: A. G. BARTON, D. POLE EVANS, DXXXXXX

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Telegrams:-"MITERJACK, PORT STANLEY"



FALKLAND ISLANDS, SOUTH AMERICA.

5th August 1971.

Colonial Secretary, Secreteriat, Stanley.

Dear Sir,

To enable us to simplify the dosing of Dogs in the Pebble Group, could you arrange for the appointment of two further Inspectors, these being:-

A.S.Betts Keppel Island a

B.K.Betts Pebble Island

(A) This would eliminate the run to Keppel by boat at each Dosing.

(B) During any Dosing Period that I may be away from Pebble b could then carry out the Dosing.

Yours faithfully.

(G.O.Evans.)

Manager Messer's Dean Bros Ltd, .

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No. 32

Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

25th August, 1971.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January, 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. A. S. Betts - Keppel Island Mr. B. K. Betts - Pebble Island



Ref: 160/43/II

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Copies to : Mr. A. S. Betts, Mr. B. K. Betts



25th August,

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Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 5th August, 1971, I am to inform you that approval has now been given for the appointment of Mr. A. S. Betts and Mr. B. K. Betts as inspectors under the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970.

2. Formal notice of the appointments will appear in the next issue of the Gazette.

Yours faithfully,

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Manager, Messrs. Dean Bros. Ltd., Pebble Island.

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THE FALKLAND ISLANDS COMPANY LIMITED.



Darwin Harbour, 6th.September, 1971.

The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Dear Sir,

I would be pleased if you would consider appointing Mr.S.Morrison as an additional hydatids inspector at Goose Green. Mr.S.Morrison is the head shepherd on the Goose Green section, and if appointed would assist Mr.R.Morrison.

Yours faithfully,

Camp Manager East Falklands.

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Page 76.

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Officer-in-Charge, Agric. informs me Scolaban supplies held plus those currently on order are adequate for our needs until July, 1973. No problem here, fortunately. All that is necessary is for the position to be checked regularly - a wise precaution at any time but doubly so during this period of recrientation of our transport system.

J.A.J.

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27th September

Hydatid Disease Control Campaign

You will recall, from your visit here earlier this year, that we use the drug Scolaban in connection with our Hydatid disease control campaign. It is understood that in New Zealand now a new drug Youngsan is widely used in place of Scolaban.

2. I should be grateful for your advice and, if you consider it appropriate, advice from the New Zealand authorities, as to whether we should seriously consider replacing the use of Scolaban in our campaign with Yourasan. Apart from any question of effectiveness of the newer drug we shall need to take into account the fact that, because of the paucity of our communications, we have built up our stocks of Scolaban so that they are now adequate to carry us up to at least the end of 1972. In these circumstances there is no great urgency over the question of the possibility of switching to the new drug.

(J. A. Jones)

A. L. C. Thorne, Esq., C.B.E.; Animal Health Adviser, Foreign and Commonwealth Office (O.D.A.) London SWIA 2AH

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JAMES LOVEGROVE WALDROW

Telegraphic Address: HOWARD FOXBAY, FALKLANDS . BENTLEY'S CODE USED. Port Howard. 3 West Falkland Islands.

September 27th. 1971.

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The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Dear Sir,

Would you please approve of Mr.S.S.Lee being appointed "An Ispector" under the Dog Dosing Ordinance.
Mr.Lee is our Head Shepherd and quite competent to undertake the responsibility.

In case there is not a chance for a written reply before September 30th., the next dosing date of "Scolaban", I would be grateful for a telegram of approval.

Yours faithfully,

JAMES LOVEGROVE WALDRON LTD.

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Reply at 887



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OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION Eland House Stag Place London SW1 & S &

Telephone: 01 - 828, 4366 ext

J A Jones Esq Colonial Secretary Colonial Secretary's Office Stanley Falkland Islands

Your reference 2457

Our reference T/F/2

Date 22 October 1971

Dear Mr Jones

I understand that you have already received supplies of information and literature on Hydatid disease control. If your campaign committee can specify those leaflets and posters which have been found most relevant to conditions in the Falklands I can arrange to have supplies of these sent to you.

Yours sincerely

John Davie

Deputy Animal Health Adviser

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Hydatid Disease Control: Informative Literature

Thank you for your letter of the 22nd October.

2. I think our Campaign Committee will find it difficult to specify the leaflets and posters, other than those which we have already received. Owing to the distance which we are from New Zealand, and to the slowness of our communications with that country which are inevitably routed through third countries, we are really very much in the hands of outside experts. I would therefore be grateful if supplies of informative material which you and the New Zealand High Commission consider suitable for our circumstances could be sent to us. My general impression so far is that, provided such material is not too sophisticated, it is both of use and interest.

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(J. A. Jones)

John Davie, Esq., Deputy Animal Health Adviser, Everseas Development Administration, Eland House, Stag Place, London SWIR 5DH

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DARWIN, FALKLAND ISLANDS

TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY"

13th.December,1971.

The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Dear Sir,

I would be grateful if you could acknowledge my letter
to you about an additional hydatids officer at Goose Green
dated 6th.September 1971.

I also wrote to the Officer in charge, Police Station, Stanley, on September 7th. and have received no acknowledgement.

Yours faithfully,

S. Hardenetto,

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requested in para 4 of 380 please.

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No. 49

Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

21st December 1971.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January, 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. S. S. Lee - Port Howard Mr. S. Morrison - Goose Green

(M. I. Bound)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Ref: 160/43/II

c.c. Mr. S. S. Lee, Mr. S. Morrison

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TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RADIO

23rd December

The Colonial Secretary. Secretariat. STANLEY.

Dear Sir.

Hydatid Serum

I noticed an interesting article recently on the subject of Hydatid disease in a copy of a New Zealand magazine. The magazine is the New Zealand Meat Producer of February, 1970. The article deals with a cure for Hydatid disease by means of a two part vaccine, copy of this article is enclosed for your information.

Apparently this was mentioned at this year's S.O.A. meeting and Mr. Hardcastle was asked to write to New Zealand for further information. This Mr. Hardcastle has done, but to date no reply has been received. In the circumstances it might be worthwhile to make an official approach either to the National Hydatids Research Unit at Dunedin or to the Medical Research Council of New Zealand.

The editor of the magazine is Mr. A. K. G. Riddell and the address of the magazine is :-The New Zealand Meat Producer Publishing Co. Ltd., Wellington. P. O. Box 2711.

Yours faithfully.

Enc.

COLONIAL MANA

c.c.: The Chairman of the Hydatids Committee, Mr. S. Miller. Senior Medical Officer, Dr. J. H. Ashmore.

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Done Hir.

Themle you for your letter of the 23rd of Recember 1971. To will cortainly make amplying about this ontter.

- 2. Meanwhile you will no doubt have particularly noted paragraph 3 of the extract you gont me. The vaccine is unlikely to be perfected for field use for several years.
- 3. You are also no Soubt evere that he renearch in depth into the Iclands form of infection and ment-festation has been made so that it is not necessarily that fact that the vection being developed in New Zouland would be effective here. It must certainly be assumed that extensive trials would be necessary, and trials without besic remearch could be incomplusive.

Yours faithfully.

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Colonial Sanager, Salkland Islands Co. Itd., Stanley.

c.c. U. Miller, Wag. O sie tente. Sec. 3.0.A.

3rd January 1972.

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Hydatid Disease

I enclose a copy of an extract from the 'New Scalend Seat Producer' issue of Pebruary 1970 and would appreciate being advised:

- (1) Whether it can be stated as of now that the vaccine being developed in New Wealand would be effective against the manifestations of hydraid disease in the Colony;
- (2) whether it could normally be expected that properly conducted trials (i.e. by qualified veterinaries) in the Islands could be expected to establish the afficiency of the decine in Colony conditions; or
- (3) whether in-depth basic research into the disease in the Islands, including the compilation of accurate statistics, is a pre-requisite for any firsty based scientific assessment.
- 2. This letter is sent to you in triplicate to enable two copies to be passed to the Principal Veterinary Adviser in the Overseas Development Administration who may perhaps wish to consider whether it is worth sending a copy, oven if only for information, to tr. T. Nedres who was the veterinary member of the O.D.A.—sponsored Agricultural Advisory from which visited the Colony in 1969/70, who has the best first-hand movied to of the disease and its manifestations in the

/Falkland Islands

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Fairland Islands and who materially assisted in the establishment of our current (though to my mind by no means 100% watertight) central campaign.

(J. A. Jones)

G. F. Kinnear, Esq., C.B.R., S.A. & I.O. Dept., Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London S#1A 2AH.

CB



Extract from the "New Zealand Meat Producer" of Feb. 1970.

New Hydatid Serum Discovered

The complete eradication of hydatids in New Zcalandhas become a possibility with the development of a new vaccine by the scientists at the National Hydatids Research Unit at Dunedin.

The serum when administered to a three-month-old dog followed by a booster threemonths later, will immunise against the three major hydatids species.

All the applied work on the vaccine has now been completed but it is likely to be several years before the laboratory vaccine is perfected for field use.

Mr. M. A. Germell, the director of the research unit, which functions under the Medical Research Council of New Zealand and the University of Otago at Taieri and the Otago Medical School, said further research would require cooperation with several Australian universities.

The revolutionary aspect of the vaccine was that it attacked the hydatids life eyeld at two points, whereas drugs used up to now had only been able to eliminate the tape-worm from the gut of the dog.

The new serum immunised the dog and sheep against infection as well as killing any existing cysts in the sheep.

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I received in yesterday's mail a personal letter from Terry McCrea, the veterinary member of the five-man agricultural team led by Davies. Among other things he mentioned to me that he had recently seen in the British Veterinary Journal an article on hydatid disease in camels. Reading it jogged his elbow and he would like to write something for the Journal on hydatids in Falkland Islands sheep and cattle. On the supposition that he does so he asks if he can have our permission to publish provided he clears it with Thorne, the PVO in ODA. I propose to reply that he can do so.

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Foreign and Commonwealth Office London SW1

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Telephone 01-

J A Jones Esq CBE Colonial Secretary FARL ND ISL NDS Moh

Your reference

Our reference HGF 7/4 Date

24 January 1972

Dear John

HYDATID Disease

- 1 Flease refer to your letter of 3 January asking for information in regard to the new vaccine which is being developed in New Zealand to combat Hydatids.
- Your request has been referred to our Agricultural Adviser who is obtaining information about this new development in Mydatid disease control from New Scaland. Meanwhile he confirms that, if the vaccine is found to be satisfactory in New Zcaland, it would probably be effective in Falkland Islands as well, but this can finally be established by relatively simple field trials. He points out however that the press release which you quote indicates that the vaccine may not be perfected for field trials for several years and in the meantime the compaign to control Hydatid disease in the Falklands will have to continue along present lines.
 - 3 I will pass onto you any further information which is received following the enquiries being made in New Zealand.

Yours ever George.

(G F Kinnear)

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Dear Sir,

Mydatid Disease

With further reference to your letter of the 23m December and my reply of the 3rd of January, I have been informed that it is hoped to obtain further information from New Zoaland about this new development in hyderid disease control. Meanwhile it is confirmed that, if the vaccine was found to be satisfactory in New Zoaland it would probably be affective in the Falkland Islands as well but this would need to be established by field trials.

- 2. At the same time my correspondent emphasises that the press release which you forwarded to be indicated that the vaccine may not be perfected even for field trials for several years so that in the meantime the campaign to control hydatid cyst in the Falklands will have to continue upon the present lines.
- 3. I will arrange to keep you in the picture when further information is received from New Zealand.

Yours faithfully,

J. A. Jones Colonial Secretary

Colonial Manager, Palkland Islands Co. Ltd., Stanley.

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Technical Visual Aids Branch

MINISTRY OF

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Telephone: Elmbridge-5191, ext. 01-399 5191

Ext 153

Our reference: TVA 2971
Your reference: HGF 7/9

Colonial Secretary Falkland Islands

29 February 1972

Dear Sir

I have today sent under separate cover 500 leaflets about Hydatid Disease Control as requested in your letter 2457 of 8 November 1971.

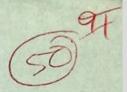
Unfortunately this Ministry has never prepared or obtained any posters on the subject and therefore I am unable to supply this item.

I understand that there is a possibility of obtaining more literature on Hydatidosis from Mr B Crooks Senior Inspector (Hydatids) at the Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 407, Launceston, Tasmania 7250, Australia. Perhaps you would like to contact him.

Should I be able to assist in the future, please do not he sitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

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J A Jones Esq Colonial Secretary's Office Stanley Falkland Islands Your reference

Our reference

Date 14 April 1972

Dear Mr Jones

HYDATID DISEASE

Further to your letter of 3 January, I have now received a number of reprints concerning vaccination against hydatid disease which indicate that the vaccines so far produced are of experimental value only. The Director of the New Zealand Hydatid Research Unit confirms this opinion, and says that the development of a practical vaccine will take some years.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely

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DARWIN, FALKLAND ISLANDS

TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY"

22nd.April 1972.

The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Dear Sir,

DOG DOSING INSPECTORS.

Mr.R.Morrison, inspector at Goose Green, is retiring to Stanley in May and Mr.S.Morrison is being transfered to Walker Creek.

I would recommend therefore that two new inspectore be appointed for Goose Green. I put forward for your consideration Mr.A.T. Blake manager designate and Mr.H.L. Whitney head shepherd. Mr. Whitney is at the moment on leave in the U.K. Both parties have however indicated to me verbally that they are willing to take the job on.

Yours faithfully,

Camp Lanager East Falklands.

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To see and advise pl.

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London SW1

Telephone 01-

Crown Agents 4 Millbank London S W 1 Your reference

Our reference HGF 7/4 Date

24 April 1972

Dear Sirs,

FALKLAND ISLANDS ACCOUNT

I enclose an account for 14.88 Australian dollars for some leaflets purchased on behalf of the Falkland Islands Government in accordance with the Colonial Secretary's letter 2457 of 8 November 1971.

I would be grateful if you would arrange for this account to be paid.

Yours faithfully,

(D C B Beaumont) Atlantic and Indian Ocean Department

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TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RADIO.

19th, May 1.9 72

The Honourable, The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Dear Sir.

During my absence from the Colony on leave this Winter Mr.F. Clasen will be assuming responsibility for this farm and I wish therefore to apply for his appointment as an Inspector of Dogs for the purpose of dosing with the anti Hydatid drug Scolaban.

Yours Faithfully,

O.i. c. Aquie,

In your observations pl.

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C.S.

Ref 388 and 389. The suggested appointments are within our present policy regarding 'Dog Inspectors' and I have no objection.

The appointment of Mr.S.Morrison(folio 384) should now be transferred to Walker Creek ?

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MEMORANDUM

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1st June, 19 72.

From: Dic Agric.,

To: The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT -

Dogs Ordinance - Inspectors

Requests have been received from the Managers at Fox Bay est and Chartres to have the following persons appointed as inspectors in connection with our Anti-Hydatid Campaign.

Fox Bay West - Mr.P. Hume (Foreman)
Chartres - Mr.F. Marsh (Head Shepherd)

I have no objection to the proposed appointments.

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GAZETTE MOTICE

No. 11

Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

2nd June 1972.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January, 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. A. T. Blake - Goose Green Mr. H. L. Whitney - Goose Green Mr. F. Clasen - Fitzroy

(R. Browning)
for GOLOWIAL SECRETARY

Ref: 160/43/II

c.c. Mr. A. T. Blake Mr. H. L. Whitney Mr. F. Clasen Amended 397



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Colonial Secretary's Office. Stanley, Falkland Islands.

2nd June 1972.

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Mr. A. T. Blake - Goose Green

Mr. F. Clasen - Fitzroy
Mr. P. Hume - Fox Bay
Mr. F. Marsh - Chertres - Fox Bay West

- Chartres - New Island Mr. R. Short

Mr. H. L. Thitney - Goose Green

for COLONIAL SECRET

Ref: 160/43/II

c.c. Mr. A. T. Blake Mr. P. Hume Mr. F. Clasen Fr. F. Marsh

Mr. H. L. Whitney

Mr. R. Short

Colonial Secretary,

Port Stanley.



R. B. Napier.

West Point Island. 7/0/12.

Dear Sir,

Riley Short is at present Manager of New Island, as you Island Preservation Co. Ltd. of which I am a Director. Could you please make Riley Short an Inspector for the dosing of dogs ? I would be most grateful if this could be done before the end of June.

Could you please let me know if this is possible by the next mail dron which should be about Isth June,

CS llano Yours faithfulis,

O.i.c. Agric,

Have you any comments ph?

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MEMORANDUM

1st July.

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It is requested hat, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

> From: Oic Agriculture,

> > Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The Colonial Secretary, To:

STANLEY.

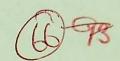
SUBJECT :-

Inspectors - Dogs Ordinance

Thw manager of Weddell Island has requested that Mr.G.C.Short, Jnr., be temporary appointed an inspector to supervise the doseing of dogs etc. on Weddell sland during the absence on leave of the manager.

despatched to Committee members 18/9/72

HYDATIDS CONTITTEE



Minutes of the seventh meeting of the Committee held on Tuesday, 25th July 1972, in the Conference Room, Secretariat, Stanley.

Fresent: Mr. S. Miller, J.P. - Chairman

Mr. L. G. Blake, J.P. Mr. L. J. Butler Mr. H. T. Luxton

Dr. J. H. Ashmore, J.P. Mr. D. M. Pole-Evans, J.P. Mr. R. M. Pitaluga

Clerk: Mr. R. Browning

- The minutes of the sixth meeting of the Committee held on the 22nd July 1971 were confirmed.
- Matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting -2.
 - a) The Committee noted that there had been complaints from dog owners that on occasions Scolaban had proved fatal when administered to bitches heavily in pup. It was understood that the Sheep Owners Association were dealing with the matter.
 - The Secretary was asked to write to Mr. B. Hardcastle at Darwin, and enquire whether he had yet to hand any further information regarding the drug YCEMASAH which is said now to be largely used in New Zealand instead of Scolaban.
- It had been reported that the offal disposal pit at Fox 3. Day West was leaking. Effectual repairs had now been made to the pit and the position was regarded as satisfactory.
- The presence of cysts on the livers of upland geese had been 4. noticed. Such veterinary opinion as had been available had indicated that the cysts could not be hydatid cysts. It was agreed that specimens could be sent to the Senior Medical Officer for investigation.
- The Committee then discussed the general situation with re-5. gard to the hydatid oradication campaign in the Colony. Information was given to the Committee showing that on at least one farm the incidence of the disease among sheep had not lessened (it was in fact reported to be about 90%), it also showed that cattle were seriously affected.

Members expressed themselves reasonably satisfied with the present position. The Senior Medical Officer was, however, somewhat disappointed with the latest trends and wondered whether the Scheme was being operated satisfactorily.

- In order to re-inforce the eradication campaign the Committee directed that the information leaflets recently received from 6. overseas should be distributed throughout the Colony; and further, recommended that Government should arrange for inspectors to make periodic visits to farms, more particularly when the dosing of dogs is in progress, in order to ensure that all requirements are being fulfilled.
- It was felt that the public should be advised that they were 7. free to address the Senior Ledical Officer on any matter dealing with hydatidosis, and the measures being taken to combat it; and that any questions or complaints would be dealt with by the Senior Medical Officer in strict confidence. The Secretary was asked to arrange for a suitable news item to be prepared and breadcast on Friday, 28th July.

No. 160/43/II It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum above number and date should be quoted.

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3rd August.

To: The Colonial Secretary.

From: O.i.c., Agricultural Dept.,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

STANLEY.

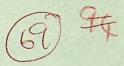
SUBJECT -Inspectors - Dogs Ordinance

> The Falkland Islands Co. Ltd. have requested ahat the following be gazetted as inspectors, as required by the Dogs Ordinance, to implement our Anti-Hydatid ampaign at Port Stephens and Speedwell Island:

> > Port Stephens. - Mr.P. Robertson.

Speedwell Island. - Mr.P.Lang) Temporary Appointment)

A.C.S



21st September

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I have been instructed by the Hydatids Committee to write to you with reference to the drug YOEMASAN which is said now to be largely used in New Zealand instead of Scolaban for dosing dogs, and to ask whether you have any further information regarding it. You will remember that at a meeting or the Hydatids Committee held on 22nd July 1971 you agreed to make enquiries about the drug on behalf of the Committee.

2. A copy of the minutes of the last meeting of the Hydatids Committee is enclosed herewith for your retention.

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Mr. B. Hardcastle, DARWIN.

HRT.

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It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the bove number and date should be quoted.



25th September, 72

From: Oic. Agricultural Dept.,

To: The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :-

Inspectors - Dogs Ordinance

Mr.J.Lauder has suceeded Mr.E.Dickson as Overseer of Packe Brothers farm at Dunnose Head. The Manager of Packe Brothers has requested that Mr.Lauder be appointed an inspector to implement the Anti-Hydatid campaign at Dunnose Head.

2. MWX My Memorandum dated 1st July 1972. Has this appointment been confirmed please?

That!

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Darwin Harbour, 26th.September,1972.

The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.



Dear Sir,
Thank you for your letter dated 21st September.

I wrote to New Zealand almost exactly twelve months ago, asking for information about Yoemasan, but have received no reply.

I would suggest that an official letter be written from your office to the Hydatids Reserch Unit, Taieri, Dunedin, asking for information.

This could be coupled with a query about the latest developments of the hydatids vaccine as suggested in the Colonial Managers letter to you dated 23rd.December 1971.

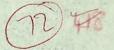
I regret that I have been unable to produck any further information about Yoemasan, but I am certain that an official letter will bring a prompt reply. I suggest that my original letter may have gone astray.

Yours faithfully,

Camp Manager East Falklands.

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c.c. Chairman Mydatids Committee, Mr.S. Miller Esq.



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Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

3rd October 1972

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance)
(Cap, 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January, 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. G. C. Short, Jnr. - Weddell Island Mr. J. Lauder - Dunnose Head

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

Ref: AGR/10/4

cc: Mr. G. C. Short, Jnr. Mr. J. Lauder

HRT.

SAN CARLOS SHEEP FARMING CO., LIMITED



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SAN CARLOS, FALKLAND ISLANDS (via Montevideo)

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appointed an Insporter ho is a very dependable person who has worked for the Company for our Zo yrs. I have known him for 26 years and would would for him benthatily
For and on behalf or
SAN CARLOS S. F. CO. LTD. (A.B. MONK) Dog Inspector a Tustice of the Teace.

16th October

Dear Sir,

For some time now concern has been felt here at the relatively high incidence of hydatid disease among the people of these Islands. In an effort to combat the disease an Hydatids Eradication Campaign was mounted some two years ago, and a committee was formed at the same time to give stimulus to the campaign and to attempt to educate public opinion on the subject.

- 2. Among the anti-hydatid measures adopted was a regulation to forbid the feeding of offal to dogs and to require all dogs in the Colony to be dosed every three months with Scolaban.
- 3. It has been reported to the Hydatids Committee that a more effective drug, namely, Youmason is now largely used in New Scaland instead of Scolaban for dosing dogs.
- 4. I should be grateful for any information you can give me regarding this new drug. I would also welcome the latest information on developments in the field of anti-hydatid vaccine.
- 5. Whatever information and advice you can give on those matters will be greatly appreciated.

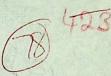
Yours faithfully,

(R. Browning)
for COLONIAL SECRETARY

The Director, Kydatids Research Unit, Taieri, Dunedin, New Zealand.

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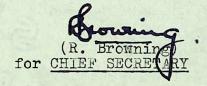
Chief Secretary's Office, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

24th October 1972.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance) (Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January, 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional person to be an Inspector for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. C. Alazia - San Carlos

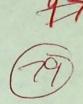


Ref: AGR/10/4

c.c. Mr. C. Alazia

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The New Zealand Medical Research Council

HYDATID RESEARCH UNIT

P.O. BOX 913

UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO MEDICAL SCHOOL GREAT KING STREET, DUNEDIN, C.1. NEW ZEALAND

8th December, 1972

R. Browning, Esq., Colonial Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, Stanley, FALKLAND ISLANDS

Dear Sir,

Your letter AGR/7/12 retreatment for hydatidosis

The drug of choice at the present time is Scoloban (Bunamidine hydrochloride - Burroughs Wellcome). The recommended dose rate is 50 mg. base/kg. given on at least two occasions.

Yomesan (Niclosamide - Bayer Fabriken) has very limited hydatid activity and is being used in New Zealand for the treatment of cysticercosis (Taenia hydatigena and T. ovis) in dogs. At this stage, it is not recommended for the treatment of dogs with Echinococcus granulosus.

There are a number of new drugs being developed for the treatment of E. granulosus in dogs and some of these are likely to be marketed within

Immunization as a practical technique is unlikely to be developed for at least another 5 years. It follows that regular treatment of the dog with drugs together with a strong educational programme remains the primary method for control.

It may interest you to know that pilot control schemes have been initiated in the Department of Flores in Uruguay and in the Province of Neuquen, Argentina. The former uses an educational approach with a test of the dogs with arecoline hydrobromide once a year and the latter uses a 6-weekly dosing programme as the main weapon of control. Both are being watched quite closely to see whether they can reduce the prevalence of hydatidosis in man. Other schemes include Bulgaria, Cyprus and Peru. The first two use dog control with massive reduction of numbers as the main control measure and the last named will follow the Uruguayan or Argentinian models.

I have recently revisited Latin America as a short-term consultant for the Pan American Health Organization and am hoping to return to Peru next year. I would very much like to examine the Falkland scheme next time I am in the region, since this is one scheme which has not been brought to the notice of the World Health Organization. I would appreciate it, if you could put me in touch with the Chairman of the Control Committee.

Yours faithfully,
Michael Afenne

M.A. Gemmell,

Director

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Dear Dr. Gemmell,

Thank you very much for your letter of 8th December 1972 regarding treatment for hydatidosis. The information you have given us has been received with great interest.

- 2. That you might perhaps visit us sometime and examine our anti-hydatids campaign is velcome news indeed. We would be pleased to see you whenever you wish to call on us.
- 3. The Chairman of the Hydatids Eradication Committee is Mr. S. Miller, J.P., Ross House, Ross Road, Stanley. The Colony's Senior Medical Officer, (Dr. J. H. Ashmore, O.B.B., King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, Stanley) is also a keen member of the Committee and you might like to contact him too.

Yours faithfully,

(R. Browning) for CHIEF SECRETARY

Dr. Michael A. Gemmell, University of Otago Medical School, Great King Street, Dunedin, C.1., New Zealand.

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Darwin Harbour, 26th. March 1973.



The Chief Secretary, Stanley.

Dear Sir,

I would be grateful if you would consider appointing
Mr.R.M.Lee as an additional hydatids inspector at Goose Green as from April 30th.1973.

Mr.A.T.Blake one of the two present inspectors will be moving to North Arm on that date and will replace Mr.J.P.Oliver who

is leaving the Colony.

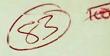
Yours faithfully, B. Handerstte.

Camp Manager East Falklands.

c.c.R.M.Lee Esq.

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MEMORANDUM



It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

28th March,

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The Chief Secretary,

Stanley

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The Senior Medical Officer.

SUBJECT :-

Hydatid disease in humans

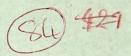
In view of the forthcoming meeting of Ex. Co. I felt I would like to put my thoughts to you, on paper.

The earlier tests were, in my opinion and in the opinion of Dr. Liston and Prof. Nelson, prematurely and inefficiently carried out. My report of 1970 refers.

I consider a full Casoni and Serological test should be instigated next year - probably following my talks whilst on leave and the visit of Dr. Evans in September - in which Dr. Cox, who is so interested in the subject, could help in the investigations.

(James H. Ashmore)
SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER

GAZETTE NOTICE



No. 12

Secretariat, Stanley, Falkland Islands. 30th March 1973.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance - Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional person to be an Inspector for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. R. M. Lee - Goose Green

(R. Browning)
for CHIEF SECRETARY

Ref: AGR/10/4

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2nd April,

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To: Oi/c Agriculture,

From: Financial Secretary

STANLEY.

Scoloban

It has been brought to my attention that supplies of Scoloban are still being issued free of charge.

At the last Budget Session of Council it was agreed to increase Stanley dog licences and continue issuing Scoloban free of charge but that all issues of Scoloban to Camp Stations would be charged for at cost price.

Please arrange for Scoloban issues to Camp Stations to be charged from the effective date of the increase in Stanley Dog Licences.

Financial Secretary

Copy to: The Chief Secretary, V

18TH APRIL

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iv. Hydatid disease - Council noted that the Senior Medical Officer proposed that a full survey of the Colony in connection with the incidence of hydatid disease should be held in 1974. He intended to hold preliminary discussions and make tentative plans in this field while on leave in London later this year. Council authorised the proposed survey.

CLERK TO COUNCIL

Che Falkland Islands Company, Limited.

O (INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1851.)

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AGENTS FOR LLOYDS.

TELEGRAMS "FLEETWING PORTSTANLEY" VIA RADIO.

Stanley,

17th May,

1973

The Chief Secretary, The Secretariat, STANLEY.



Dear Sir,

Control of Dogs - Port Stephens

The Manager of our Farm at Port Stephens, Mr P.C. Robertson will be away on leave this Winter. In his absence Mr T.L. Street will act as dog inspector.

Yours faithfully,

COLONIAL MANAGER

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Reply at 433

No. 048/III

It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

MEMORANDUM

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25th June, 19 73

To: Chief Secretary,

STANLEY.

From: Oic. Agricultural Department,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Subject:- Inspectors - Dogs Ordinance

May the following be appointed as Temporary Inspectors to supervise the dosing of dogs at Douglas Station and West Point Island:

> Mr.R.J.Goss - Douglas Station Mr. B. May - West Point Island

The appointments are only intended to cover the period while the respective managers are absent from their farms.







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Secretariat, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

1st June 1973.

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance - Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January 1970, the Acting Governor hereby appoints the following additional person to be an Inspector for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. T. L. Street - Port Stephens



Ref: AGR/10/4

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No. 048/III

It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

MEMORANDUM

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27th June,

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From: Oic. Agricultural Department.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To: Chief Secretary,

STANLEY.

SUBJECT :-

Dogs Ordinance - Inspectors

New Island Preservation Co.Ltd. have made application for Mr.Derek Evans to become an inspector to supervise the Anti-Hydatid Campaign at New Island. Mr.Evans is shortly moving to New Island where he will be employed by the Preservation Company.

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Secretariat, Stanley, Falkland Islands.

28th June 1973

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance - Cap. 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No. 7 of the 28th January 1970, the Acting Governor hereby appoints the following additional persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. R. J. Goss - Douglas Station Mr. B. May - West Point Island

(D. R. Morrison)
AG. CHIEF SECRETARY

Ref: AGR/10/4

HRT.

MIDATIDS COMMETTEE



Minutes of the eighth neeting of the Committee held on Friday, 3rd August 1973, in the Conference Room, Secretariat, Stanley.

Present: Mr S. Miller, J.P. - Chairman

Mr L. R. Anderson Dr F. C. Cox Mr L. J. Halliday Mr W. R. Luxton

Mr L. J. Butler
Mr J. R. S. Felton
Mr R. W. Hills
Mr J. Robertson

Clerk: Mr R. Browning

- 1. The minutes of the seventh meeting of the Committee held on the 25th July 1972 were confirmed.
- 2. Matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting
 - a) The Committee noted that the practice of feeding dogs on upland geese continued notwithstanding that the presence of cysts on the livers of geese had been noticed. While veterinary opinion suggested that such cysts could not be hydatid cysts, it was recommended that specimens should be sent to the Senior Medical Officer for analysis.
 - b) It was felt that any questions or complaints regarding the neasures being taken to combat hydatid disease could more properly be addressed to the Chief Police Officer rather than to the Senior Medical Officer.
- 3. The Chairman told the meeting that the hydatids eradication campaign had been discussed at the recent meeting of the Sheep Owners' Association and that the present meeting of the Committee had been called to consider, amongst other things, certain proposals made by the Association, namely,
 - i) that Government should arrange periodic visits to farms by inspectors who would report to Government regarding the observance of anti-hydatid measures. The object of such visits would be primarily to encourage the strict enforcement of the regulations introduced to combat hydatid disease. The Committee discussed the suggestion and endorsed it.

In this context, it was felt that the Chief Police Officer could with advantage be appointed an inspector with clearly defined powers to enter upon farms and inspect and report, and where necessary take appropriate action;

ii) that the law relating to hydatid control measures should be tightened up and amended in the following respects:

In the Tapeworn Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970:

- a) Paragraph 4. Delete the words "free of charge" and substitute "at cost, except in Stanley where the purchase of a dog licence is required".
- b) Paragraph 9. Delete and replace with the following "Any police officer may, for the purposes of
 ascertaining that the provisions of this Order
 are complied with, at all reasonable times, enter
 on any land or premises for that purpose".
- c) Add the following new paragraphs -

"No person shall knowingly leave within the actual confines of any farm settlement or within one mile of any human habitation any animal carcase from which all viscera has not been removed beyond the reach of dogs.

Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with the provisions of this Order shall be liable to a fine of not less than £250".

After fully discussing the natter the Committee recommended the adoption of the proposals.

The Chairman then undertook to report to the Sheep Owners' Association that the Committee supported their recommendations.

4. The Committee noted the figures relating to the incidence of hydatid cysts in sheep killed at the Stanley Butchery during the previous three years, which were:

Year/ended 30. 6. 71 36% (10-month period only)

Year/ended 30.6.72 40%

Year/ended 30.6.73 42.6%

Members felt that a falling-off in the incidence of hydatid cysts found in sheep could not be expected for several years yet. Mr Miller told the meeting that while he had been around the Camp recently in connexion with the export of sheep to Argentina he had found time to make several brief visits ashore in his capacity as Chairman of the Hydatids Committee but had not seen anything untoward as far as hydatid control measures were concerned.

- 5. The Chairman informed members of a letter dated 8th December 1972 which had been received from Dr Michael Λ. Gennell of the University of Otago Medical School, Dunedin, New Zealand, and which gave information regarding Yonesan and other drugs used in the treatment of dogs with Echinococcus granulosus and also indicated that the writer of the letter might visit the Colony during 1973 to examine the hydatids eradication scheme which had been rounted here. The Chairman said that he had replied to the letter extending a welcome to Dr Gennell. Nothing further had, however, been heard from him.
- 6. The Committee discussed the question of hydatid serum. During the discussion it was learned that immunization as a practical technique was unlikely to be developed for some years, and it followed therefore that regular treatment of dogs with drugs together with a strong publicity programme remain the primary method of controlling hydatidosis.
- 6. Dr Cox said that it was expected that a series of skin tests and blood tests would be carried out in the Colony towards the end of the year. He also planned exploratory studies on hydatid disease in the Islands.

Hydatids Eradication Committee. Stanley.

Aug. 6th, 1973.

The Chief Secretary, Secretariat. Stanley.



Sir,

The 8th meeting of this committee was held in the Conference Room at the Secretariat, at 5 pm on August 3rd.

The main part of the agenda was on account of a request from the annual general meeting of the Sheepowners Association Ltd. that Government would cause very much more strict inspection on properties, from time to time, to ensure that proper disposal of animal carcases was being carried out.

I am to say therefore that the suggested frame of two new paragraphs quoted below have the full approval and support of the Sheepowners Association. Because of this farming support, out of a total attendance of 11, six were fully representative of the sheep farming industry.

The following amenments are recommended to the Dogs Ordinance No.1. of 1970, dated 28th January 1070.

Section. 4. Delete "free of charge" and replace with " at cost except where in Stanley the purchase of a dog licence is required".

Section 8. After the word "from", insert "or secured". The following new sections inserted, the section of which will take the place of the present section 9.

- i) Any police officer shall have the authority at any time, with or without previous notification to the owner or manager, to visit any property in order to ascertain that all sections of this Ordinance are being correctly applied and observed.
- ii) No Extrement animal carcase, sheep, cattle or horse from which all viscera has not been fully removed beyond the reach of dogs shall be permitted to be left withing the actual confines of any farm settlement nor within one mile of any human habitation.
- iii) Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of this Order shall commit an offence and shall be liable to a fine of not less than £250.

Yours faithfully,

Chairman. Hydatids Eradication Committee.

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San Carlos, East Falkland Island.



24th August 1973

The Hon. Ch Secretary, Secretariat, Stanley.



Dear Sir,

With reference to The Dogs Ordinance No. 1 of 1970.

The Hydatid Eradication Committee, Chairman the Hon. S.Miller, have recently proposed amendments to this Ordinance; I expect you will have a copy of their proposals.

With regard to Clauses (11) and (111): Clause (11) as proposed reads," No animal cargass, sheep, cattle or horse from which all viscers has not been fully removed beyond the reach of dogs shall be permitted to be left within the actual confines of any Farm Settlement nor within 1 mile of any Human habitation".

Apart from the vagueness of the wording in the first part of this sentence, for instance what are the confines of a settlement? are they 1 mile from the furthest building, or what?

Apart from that it is the last part of the sentence which is so absurd. I refer to "--- within 1 mile of any human habitation".

Committee realise that a 1 mile radius area around, say an outside
Shepherds house, is near enough 2011.5 Acres? Do they seriously suggest
that any one man living in an outside House can, no matter how diligently
he searched and how often, at all times find all carcasses and
remove the Viscera from 2011.5 Acres of ground? What utter nonsense.
If he spent all his working hours at it he could not be certain. Nor
could any Manager in any Farm settlement be certain that there was
nothing within a mile. Not even if he employed 2 Men fulltime on it,
unless of course in every case of Human Habitation no animal was
ever allowed within a mile.

What happens around a Shepherds House when he is in shearing? Does his wife cover this 2011.5 Acres? Just suppose a Policeman finds a carcass in a ditch ½ mile from a house, or I do as a Dog Inspector, who will pay the fine, the Shepherd, me as Manager, or the Farm? Some Shepherds are good, I have 2 who keep their Camps very clean but none of them can ever find 100% of Carcasses. The same applies to the most conscientious Manager, around a Settlement. I never thought I would read such utter balderdash and to think it was proposed by Stockmen.

With regard to Clause (111):
This suggests raising the Penalty to £250 for any Contravention of
the Ordinance, there is nothing wrong with this provided the Ordinance
is reasonable: if Clause (11) were inserted it would not be. The
first Outside Shepherd that was fined £250 under Clause (11) would
signal the complete Exodus of all of them. The first Manager who was

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fined because some person found a Carcass % of a mile from the Settlement would be the leader in a general exodus of Farm Managers.

inpracticable
this absurdly XMAXXXXXXI proposal why not make it XXXXXXX obligatory
for ALL Dogs to be confined or chained at all times unless the Handler
was actively exercising them or working them: this would be reasonable
and the law could be enforced. All Farms and Dog owners should be given
a deadline after which they would have to have provision for confining
all Dogs.

Clause (11) as it is proposed is toally unreasonable: if it were inforced it would end the Sheepfarming Industry in this Country. The Law has been called an Ass before: if the Dogs Ordinance is amended by the insertion of Clause (11) as proposed, by Legislative Councillors, it will be an Ass again. I shall oppose the Insertion of this Clause, I only hope for the Comony's sake other members of Legislative Council will do so also.

Yours faithfully

(A.B.Monk)

Copies to:- The Hon, S.Miller.

The Hon. W.E. Bowles

The Hon L.G.Blake.

The Hon, W.Luxton.

The Hon, R.M. Pitaluga.

The Hon. A.Sloggie.

Sept.2nd, 1973.



The Hon.,
The Chief Secretary.
STANLEY.



Sir,

I refer to the letter to you dated 24th August from the Hon. A.B. Monk.

In his letter Mr Monk pours scorn upon the thoughts and deliberations of the Hydatid Committee in connection with their efforts to reduce, if not entirely eradicate, the menace within this Colony of hydatid disease.

The suggestions put forward by the Hydatids Committee were contained in my letter to you of August 6th 1973.

What Mr Monk does not seem to know are the circumstances which prompted my letter to you of August 6th.

The annual general meeting of the Sheepowners Association commenced on Monday July 30th and Mr Monk was present during the forenoon of that day but was not again present as he returned to San Carlos on July 31st.

During the Association's deliberations later that week there was raised the question of disposal of sheep carcases upon sheep farms because it was reported that there was evidence of lack of proper disposal of these carcases and in fact that many were being left about close to and actually within a settlement without even the viscera being removed and disposed of.

The Association therefore requested the Hydatids Committee and myself in particular as its chairman to hold a meeting to discuss

this matter and to suggest remedies.

Accordingly such a meeting was arranged and as my letter to you reports out of a total attendance of 11, six were fully repres-

-entative of the sheep farming industry.

The paragraphs to which Mr Monk raises objections and upon the authors of which he pours such undiluted scorn were conveyed back to the Sheepowners Association as a working basis to control this reported failure to dispose of infected carcases.

The term used "within one mile of any human habitation" referred of course in general terms to the area in which a carcase might be

left not disposed of and to which dogs could have access.

For Mr Monk to rant about the impossibility of disposing of any carcase over various given areas of about 2000 acres is plainly stupid; if, of course, instead of quitting the Association' meeting Mr Monk had been placer present he would have been able to put his agile brain at the disposal of the Association and discussed the pros and cons of the Hydatid Committee's suggestions, and no doubt

some proposal might have been arrived at and forwarded to yourself that would have suited even Mr Monk.

In his penultimate paragraph, Mr Monk suggests that instead of the "absurdly impracticable" proposal, all that Kis necessary is to keep all dogs confined or chained at all times except when

the handler was actually exercising them or working them.

By this suggestion it would appear that it will not matter how many infected carcases are left lying about the settlement (or within one mime of it); presumably then when the dogs so were used for work travel past these carcases or can have access to them in the course of being worked around the settlement, such dogs will be put on their honour not to touch such carcases.

The Hydatids Committee are determined that unless people take the trouble to dispose of every carcase that can be reasonably so disposed of, then severe penalties must be imposed, otherwise both the Committee and anyone elses might as well give up any attempt to rid the Colony of hydatid disease.

In fact, Sir, if in para ii) Section 8 of the Dogs Ordinance as conveyed in my letter to you of August 6th, we insert the word 'reasonably' in the last line between the words 'nor' and 'within'.

After 50 years of sheep farming I have yet to find a dog that can pull a carcase out of a ditch or a hole.

Yours faithfully,

Chairman, Hydatids Committee.

Copy to A.B. Hank Ey. J.P.

Ross House Stanley.

Sept.4th,



The Hon. . The Chief Secretary. STANLEY.

HYDATIDS COMMITTEE.

Sir.

In my letter to you dated Sept. 2nd, I have this morning discovered an incomplete sentence in my penultimate paragraph.

In this paragraph there should be a comma after the word 'within' and then the following remainder of the correct sentence - "this might meet the objection".

Yours faithfully,

Chairman, Hydatids Committee

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The Secretariat, Stanley.

21st September 1973.

Dear Sir,

It has recently been suggested by the Hydatids Committee and the Sheepowners' Association Limited that the law relating to hydatid control measures in the Colony should be tightened up.

I attach a draft Tapeworm (Dogs) (Amendment) Order which embodies Government's proposals in the matter, and should be grateful for your early comments on it.

Yours faithfully,

(R. Browning) for CHIEF SECRETARY

Copies to: Mr. S. Miller, JP

Mr. A. B. Monk, JP Chief Police Officer Mr. W. R. Luxton Mr. L. G. Blake, JP Mr. A. G. Barton, CBE, JP Senior Medical Officer

Chairman, Sheepowners' Association Ltd.

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DOGS ORDINANCE (CAP. 21)

TAPEWORM ERADICATION (DOGS) (AMENDMENT) ORDER 1973

No. of 1973

Governor

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance, the Governor has made the following order -

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Tapeworm (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973.
- 2. Paragraph 4 of the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Order) is amended by inserting at the end thereof the following -

"in Stanley and at cost outside of Stanley".

- 3. Paragraph 9 of the principal Order is deleted and replaced by the following new paragraphs -
 - "9. Any police officer may, for the purpose of ascertaining that the provisions of this Order are complied with, at all reasonable times, enter on any land or premises for that purpose.
 - 10. No person shall knowingly and without reasonable excuse permit the carcass of any demestic animal belonging to him or under his control from which all viscera has not been removed, to remain in any place to which dogs can gain access.
 - 11. Any person who obstructs or impedes any police officer in the execution of his duty or who contravenes or fails to comply with the provisions of this Order shall commit an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding £200."
- 4. The principal Order is amended by renumbering paragraph 10 as paragraph 12.

By Command,

CHIEF SECRETARY (ACTING)

October 1973

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CONFIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

No. 46/73

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973

It has recently been suggested by the Hydatid Committee and the Sheepowner's Association Limited that the law relating to hydatid control measures in the Colony should be tightended up: in particular, that the police should be given greater powers of entry on premises for purposes of ascertaining that control measures are being observed, and thatthe penalty for contravening the provisions of the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 should be increased.

- 2. The attached draft Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973 embodies Government's proposals in the matter.
- 3. Honourable Mebers are asked to advise that the amending Order be made.

The Secretariat, Stanley.

15th October 1973.

Ref: AGR/7/12 C

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DOGS ORDINANCE (CAP. 21)

TAPEWORM ERADICATION (DOGS) (AMENDMENT) ORDER 1973

No. of 1973

Governor

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance, the Governor has made the following order -

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Tapeworm (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973.
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- 4. The principal Order is amended by renumbering paragraph 10 as paragraph 12.

By Command,

CHIEF SECRETARY (ACTING)

October 1973

31st October 1973.

Ag. Chief Secretary

Senior Medical Officer

Hydatid Eradication

I should be grateful if you would edvise me of the position regarding the Hydatids project being undertaken by Dr. Cox.

(D. R. Morrison)
AG. CHIEF SECRETARY

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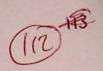
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EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING NO. 9/73 HELD ON WEDNESDAY 24TH OCTOBER, 1973.

ACR/7/12 6. TAPEVORM ERADICATION (DOGS) (AMENDMENT) ORDER 1973 (Nemo 46/73)

Honourable Members considered the suggestion by the Hydatid Committee and the Sheepowners' Association Limited that the law relating to hydatid control measures in the Colony should be tightened up, and advised that the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973 should be made.

CLERK TO COUNCIL



EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
NO. 9/73 HELD ON WEDNESDAY 24TH OCTOBER, 1973.

AGR/7/12C xi. Hydatidosis - Dr. F. C. Cox's preliminary report on hydatid disease is now almost ready for despatch to Britain and would be sent off within the next week or two.

CLERK TO COUNCIL



DOGS ORDINANCE (Chapter 21)

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973

No. 9 of 1973.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance, the Governor has made the following order—

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Tapeworm (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973.
- 2. Paragraph 4 of the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Order) is amended by inserting at the end thereof the following—
 "in Stanley and at cost outside of Stanley".
- 3. Paragraph 9 of the principal Order is deleted and replaced by the following new paragraphs
 - "9. Any police officer may, for the purpose of ascertaining that the provisions of this Order are complied with, at all reasonable times enter on any land or premises.
 - 10. No person shall knowingly and without reasonable excuse permit the carcass of any domestic animal belonging to him or under his control from which all viscera has not been removed, to remain in any place to which dogs can gain access.
 - II. Any person who obstructs or impedes any police officer in the execution of his duty or who contravenes or fails to comply with the provisions of this Order shall commit an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding £200."
 - 4. The principal Order is amended by renumbering paragraph 10 as paragraph 12.

By Command,

24th October 1973.

Ter Recuestry for Chief Secretary.

Ref. AGR/7/12 C.

MEMORANDUM



Refere AGR/7/12 C

Date 17th December, 1973...

From

Senior Medical Officer

To

Chief Secretary

17 DEC 1973

Hydatid Eradication

I refer to your memorandum AGR/7/12 0 of 31st October and 13th December.

- 2. Dr. Com is just unable to do anything about the Hydatids project at the present time.
- 3. When Government recruit the third doctor, the position will be totally different.

(James H. Ashmore)
SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER



GAZETTE NOTICE



No 28

Stanley, Falkland Islands 31st May 1974.

Taneworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970 (under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance - Cap 21)

Further to Gazette Notice No 7 of the 28th January 1970, the Governor hereby appoints the following additional persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr. H.J. Bonner - Douglas Station

Mr. P.V. Short - Passing work Dunes Head.

(R. Browning)
for CHIEF SECRETARY

Ref: AGR/10/4.

MEMORANDUM

Reference 048/III

Date 17th May, 1974.

From

Officer-in-Charge, Agricultural Department. To

Chief Secretary,

STANLEY

Dogs Ordinance - Camp Inspectors (Hydatid Disease)

The Manager of Fox Bay East has made application for Mr. Pat Short of Dunnose Head to be appointed an Inspector under the Dogs Order 1970.

I recommend Mr. Short be appointed and should be grateful for your approval.

Officer-in-Charne.



No. AGP/10/4

It is requested that, in any referet to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted. MEMORANDUM

13th June

The Chief Secretary,

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Chief Police Officer

Secretariat,

Stanley.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :-

Appointment of Inspectors

Two of my officers namely, Constables, R.K.Betts and P.A. Card, have not officially been Gazetted as Inspectors under the Dogs Ordinance.

2. I attach a copy of the Inspectors appointed under section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance, and suggest that it be amended and brought up to date. As you will see, several of the Inspectors have either left the farm named and in some cases, the Colony.

Superintendent

B HARDCASTLE . - GOOSE GREEN

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- HILL COVE

No. 7.

28th January 1970.

R.L. HAMSEN

Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970

(Under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance)
(Cap. 21)

The Governor hereby appoints the following persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order —

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H.L. WHITNEY	GOOSE GREEN
L. R. Anderson	
R. L. Anderson	Stanley X
J. H. Ashmore	Stanley
J. D. Barton	Teal Inlet
C. Bertrand	Carcass Island
L. G. Blake	Hill Cove
f. Clement	Fitzroy
T. Clifton	Speedwell Island
R. Cockwell	Fox Bay East
W. Crawford	Walker Creek
R. Davis	New Island
R. J. Davis	C-1 1
E. T. Diekson	Salvador
G. O. Evans	
W. A. Felton	Pebble Island
	Stanley
R. Ferguson	Weddell Island
	Port Stephens
L. Grant	Port Louis
W. J. Jones	Stanley
H. T. Luxton	Stanley
W. R. Luxton	Chartres
C. M. Malone	Stanley X
W. McBeth	Sedge Island
C. T. McCrea	Stanley &
R. McGill	CARCHISTISLAND
D. H. McMillan	Stanley
D. McMullen	Lively Island
K. J. McPhee	Green Patch
A. C. Miller	Port San Carlos
S. Miller	Stanley
S. R. Miller	n c
	Koy Cove San Carlos
FHAZIA	
R. Napier	
B. M. Neilson	West Point Island
	Stanley
J. P. Oliver	North Arm
T. J. Peck	Stanley
R. M. Pitaluga	
A. R. Pole-Evans	
D. M. Pole-Evans	
Reid	Douglas Station
C. H. Robertson	Stanley
. Robertson	Fox Bay West
S. P. Smith	··· Stanley X
D. R. Smith	Johnson Harbour
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Dogs Ordinance (Cap. 21)

ORDER

(Under section 12A of the Ordinance)

C. HASKARD, Governor.

No. 1 of 1970.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance, the Governor has made the following Order —

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970.
- 2. The Governor may appoint any fit persons to be inspectors for the purposes of this Order.
- 3. An inspector shall require the owner or other person in charge of any dog in his area, to dose the dog with the tapeworm remedy "Scolaban" under the personal supervision of the inspector in such manner and at such intervals as the inspector shall direct.
- 4. An inspector shall supply the owner or other person in charge of any dog with such doses of "Scolaban" as the inspector shall consider essential, free of charge.
- 5. Every dog shall be kept under observation by the inspector for at least three minutes after dosing to ensure that the dose has been retained.
 - 6. Every inspector shall have power to inspect any dog at any time.
- 7. Livers, lungs and hearts shall not be fed to any dog, nor shall dogs be allowed access to livers, lungs and hearts which are less than 28 days old.
- 8. Dogs must be removed from, and remain out of, the immediate area when the actual process of slaughtering cattle, sheep, horses and pigs is taking place.
- 9. Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of this Order, shall commit an offence and shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding £25 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month.
 - 10. The Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1965, is cancelled.

By Command,

H. L. BOUND.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

28th January 1970.

Ref. 160/43/Vol. 2.



TAPEWORM ERADICATION (DOGS) ORDER 1970

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Inspectors for the purposes of this order: as at 15th July 1970 :-
       H.L.WHITNEY
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       L.R.ANDERSON
                              STANLEY >
       / J.H. ASHMORE
                              STANLEY
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                              CARCASS ISLAND
        C. BERTRAND
       L.G.BLAKE
                              HILL COVE
       J.R.S.FELTON
                              FITZROY >
      ✓ T.CLIFTON
                              SEA LION ISLANDS >
       R.COCKWELL
                              FOX BAY EAST
       ~R.J.DAVIS
                              SALVADOR >
       G.O.EVANS
                              PEBBLE ISLAND >
      W.A.FELTON
                              STANLEY
       · R.FERGUSON
                              WEDDELL ISLAND ×
      L.GRANT
                              PORT LOUIS >
       ✓ W.R.LUXTON
                              CHARTRES >
      ✓ W.McBETH
                             SEDGE ISLAND
       · R.McGILL
                              CARCASS ISLAND
        D.H.McMILLAN
                             STANLEY
       V D McMULLEN
                             LIVELY ISLAND

    K.J.McPHEE
    A.C.MILLER
                             GREEN PATCH X
                             PORT SAN CARLOS
       S.MILLER
                             STANLEY
      S.R.MILLER
                              ROY COVE >
       ✓ A.B.MONK
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                             SAUNDERS ISLAND
      ✓ D.M.POLE-EVANS
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Inspectors to be appointed under the Hydatid Eradication (Dogs) Order 1975.

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POLE-EVANS, A.R. Saunders Island - POLE-EVANS, D.M. (J.R.) Port Howard Salvador PITALUGA, R.M. (OBE) Stanley ROBERTSON, C. H. (14) Stanley RYAN, D. Stanley ROSS, L. Port Stephenes ROBERTSON, P.C. Fox Bay West -ROBERTSON, J. Green Patch SORNSEN, J. Johnsons Harbour Bluff Cove SMITH O.R. STEWART, G. A. Weddell Island - SHORT, G.C. Dunnose Head SHORT P.W. Kincon Grande Goose Green - WHITNEY, H.L.

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ROSS HOUSE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

Jan. 14th. 1974.

The Hon.,
The Chief Secretary.
STANLEY.



Sir,

You will be well aware of the considerable losses of newly sheared sheep which were suffered by many farms on a night of savage rain & gales a few days before Christmas.

Although Government as well as other people would naturally sympathisimm with farmers in those serious losses, it has been brought to my knowledge that on some farms insufficient care has been taken in disposing of the carcases of those dead sheep, with a view to preventing the further spread of hydatid disease.

As chairman of Government's hydatid Committee I am a little bit concerned after receiving this information and I would ask Government to circularise all farms as early as possible, reminding managers and owners of the very recent Regulation under Tape morm Eradication (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973, dated 24th October 1973.

Under this Amendment, police officers may visit any farm without prior notice to ascertain that the provisions of the Order are being complied with.

I am well aware that during the normal stresses and strains strains of the shearing season it may have been difficult suitably to dispose of carcases, nevertheless no effort must be spared if we are to overcome our current hydatid infection. //

Yours faithf

Chairman,

Hydatids Committee.

Ref: AGR/10/ To: Ag. Chief Secret Secretariat, Chief Police Officer. Stanley. cc. Chairman, Hydatids Committee. Subject: Proposed amended Circular In consulatation with Mr S. Miller, Chairman of the appointed Hydatids Committee, it was agreed to circularise a minute to all farms on the correct method of disposing of animal carcasses during mass killings, and the need for improvements on a number of farms. I would propose something on the following lines: In the past few months, visits have been made by

2. In the past few months, visits have been made by the police to a number of farms in the Islands. They have carried out enquiries, and have observed that the requirements of the law relating to the spread of infectious and contagious diseases in dogs, is not being fully complied with. It shall as of now, be strictly enforced. Police will make unannounced visits at all farms throughout the Colony, and farms who are not complying with the waw will be prosecuted.

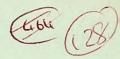
- 3. Mass killing of animals appears to be the period when the least care is taken. As of now, disposal of all carcasses during mass killings will be carried out in the following manner:
 - i) The viscera shall not be removed.
 - ii) Sheep carcasses shall be stacked in piles of 50.

 The legs in and backs out. The top carcasses should be so placed to lock the carcasses in pyramid form.
 - iii) The carcasses shall remain stacked for a minimum period of 28 days. They may then be spread over the fields.
 - iv) Carcasses may also be disposed off by tipping into the open sea, providing there is no risk of them being washed ashore on beaches near to any farm or settlement.
- 4. It has also been observed that offal disposal drums are being left open to the air. The following methods are to be used;

- i) Burning.
- ii) Cooking.
- iii) Buried in deep pits.
 - iv) Placed in covered receptacles for a minimum of 28 days.
- 5. It must be emphasised that only by concerted effort of everyone will we rid ourselves of this disease.
- 6. It is requested that a circular should be made available for the forthcoming S.O.A. Meeting. A dozen copies handed out to this Meeting would provide them with an opportunity for discussion, and perhaps other suggestions from their members would be worthwhile before circulating to all farms. It is requested that copies of all future minutes be made available to the police who have in the past been overlooked.

Superintendent

MEMORANDUM



Reference 048/III

Date 11th April 19.75.......

From

0.i/c., Agricultural Dept.

To

Chief Secretary SEC

Dogs Ordinance - Camp Inspectors (Hydatid Disease)

The Manager of Port San Carlos has made application for Mr. J.A. Berntsen to be appointed an Inspector under the Dogs Order 1970.

I recommend Mr. Berntsen be appointed and should be grateful for your approval.

The CS would like OFF Your views on this application pl DCS

I would not consider him reliable or a responsible person, but I suppose he would be no wome or better the same oftens appointed. The question of Impedian Pawers should be given consideration to Sept 24/4/25

GAMMAN NOTICE

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No 21

30th Amel 1975

(Unior Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance Can 21)

The Covernor hereby appoints the following person to be an Inspector for the purposes of this Order -

Mr J.A Forntson - Port San Carido

Acting Chief Secretory.

The Secretariat Stanley

REF: AGE/10/3

CFEJ

GC HM

MEMORANDUM

Reference AGR/10/4

Date 3rd July, 1975,

From

Officer-in-Charge, Agricultural Department.

To

Chief Secretary

- 3 JUL 1975

Dogs Ordinance-Camp Inspectors
(Hydatid Disease)

May the following be appointed as Temporary Inspectors to supervise the dosing of dogs at Green Patch and Fox Bay West:-

Mr. J. Sornsen - Green Patch Mr. D. Limburn - Box Bay West

The appointments are only intended to cover the period while the respective managers are absent from their farms.

O.i/d., Agric. Dept.

GAZETTE NOTICE



No. 33

Secretariat, Stanley, Falkland Islands. 17th July 1975.

Hydatid Eradication (Dogs) Order 1975 (Under Section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance - Cap. 21)

The Governor has appointed the following persons to be Inspectors for the purposes of this Order -

Mr J Sornsen - Green Patch Mr D Limburn - For Bay West.

(R. Browning)
for CHIEF SECRITIRY

MEMORANDUM

Reference

Date 18th July, 1974...

From

Officer-in-Charge,
Agricultural Department

To Ag, Chief Secretary,

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In September, 1970, approval was given for the payment of 50p per hour (56 herein) to Mr. P. McGill for the inspection of offal at the Stenley Butchery in connection with the Hydatid Cyst campaign.

On the 1st April, 1971, this work was transferred to the Agricultural Department and is now undertaken by Messrs Anderson and McKay. Whilst doing this inspection their normal pay ceases and they are paid at the rate of 50p per hour. This inspection takes up to 3 hours weekly.

In view of the increase in cost of living since 1971 the hourly rate of pay has risen to more or less the same level as that paid for the inspection of offal.

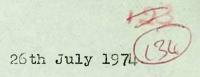
In view of the above and the special nature and care nedded for this inspection I should like to recommend that the rate of pay for the inspection of offal at the Stanley Butchery undertaken by Messrs Anderson and McKay be increased from 50p to 65p per hour with effect from the 1st July, 1974, and thereafter be increased with any future cost of living awards that are made.

Sufficient funds are available under II. AGRICULTURE, 2 Animal Diseases Control for the increase to 65p per hour if approved.

Of Ricer-in-Charge.



WATT S



Ag. Chief Secretary.

0 i/O Agricultural Dept.

e.c. Treasury Audit

re ication of hydatic disease

Your memorandum of loth July 1976 refers.

2. Approval is given for payment at the rate of 65p per hour each to be made to Messrs. Anderson and Iclay in respect of duties involving the inspection of viscera at the Stanley Butchery in connection with the campaign for the eradication of hydatid disease. The increased rate is payable with effect from 1st July 1974.

(E. Browning)
AG. CHIEF SECRETARY

31st July 1974.139

As. Chief Secretary

Officer in Charge, Agric. Dept.

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Eredication of bydatid disease

Further to my memorandum GR/7/120 of 26th July 1974, this is to advise you that it is now acreed that the hourly rates of pay to Besses. Indexed and Belley in respect of duties at the Stanley Butchery should be revised quarterly to take account of any cost of living asserds which may from time to time be made.

(B. Browning) AG. CHIEP SECRETARY EXTRACTS FROM THE MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS SHEEP

OWNERS ASSOCIATION LTD., HELD IN THE FORMER HAIR DRESSING SALON NOW CONVERTED INTO

OFFICES. THE MEETING WAS HELD AT 0900 ON WEDNESDAY, 16TH OCTOBER, 1974.

Minute 18. Hydatid Disease Eradication: - Mr. Miller, Chairman of the Hydatids Committee informed the meeting of the present positions with regard to the tightening of Legislation to eradicate Hydatid disease. The Poard approved all that had been done by the Committee.

Mr. Cockwell's letter of the 19th September was read but it was felt that the Legislation, existing and proposed, had gone as far as it could go to accommodate the special problems peculiar to certain areas.

One or two points such as the length of time offal must be cooked to make it safe and whether human consumption of livers will be accepted as a safe means of disposal, remain to be settled. In future, at Mr. Millers suggestion, all members of the S.O.A. Board will automatically be members of the Hydatids Committee.

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EXTRACTED FROM BAS VETERINARY FILE (95A) 14th August 1974 Letter from R W Bostelman. Extracted to:- A4R/7/12



HYDATID DISEASE Again I think the presence of a veterinary surgeon will act as a stimulus of this eradication scheme. Misconceptions have built up over the last few years which I hope I have straightened out during my stay but with a stong medical department we can really make a great headway with this. The Falklands have a few unique problems with respect to this disease (ie the large cull) which should be looked into and studied with a view of helping the scheme.

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REF: INT/36/3

28th February

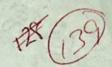
R. M. Pitaluga, Esq., Chairman, Sheep Owners' Association, Ltd., Stanley.

Dear

Thank you for your letter of 22nd February 1975.

- As regards the Livestock Ordinance we have inevitably run into consider ble difficulties. Both I and Harold Bonnett have had a shot at revising the Ordinance completely but, to be frank, there is such conflict within it and with other legislation that the only answer is to have it redrafted by an expert.
- 3. I did obtain some legislation from Australia which I sent to Sidney Miller. He has now returned it, and told me he thinks it not really relevant, so I have asked our legal adviser in U.K. to frame a completely new draft Ordinance. In my letter to him my main point has been that we want a law which will enable us to place the burden of proof for the reduction of keds on to the farmer and to incorporate automatic penalties if his sheep are infested. There may be some problem about this. As you will know, it is a normal precept of British law that the burden of proof is on the prosecution.
- 4. I hope we shall have some useful news during the next couple of months.
- 5. I enclose a copy of the missing minutes as requested.
- 6. As regards INTA I can see no objection to granting a rebate to the two representatives but will write to you again very seen about this.

A.J.P. Monk Chief Secretary



5th March

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Votorinary Officer/terionlives Officer Applications

Thank you for your letter Ref: HNF/7 of 3rd Petruary 1975. I think it would be well if I try to draw together the various aspects of recruitment for the Veterinary and Agricultural Officers, and the Grassland Trials Unit.

- 2. You are quite right that at one time we thought we could dispense with an Agricultural Differ and that the Veterinary Officer would be able to combine veterinary and agricultural duties. From the start I believed this was almostocived, for reasons set out in Leynr's letter of 12th June 1974 and size of 15th Eventor 1974.
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- d. It is important that we should now give ungent attention to the basis of this co-ordination and I look
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 not be laft unclear.
- 5. Thould be require it. I shall be only too he at to let him have my added on detailed matters. Be trobably already has somised of our Arricultural Livestock and Veterinery legislation but if he hasn't any longest that he sets those from your of ice to be read by the team so that they don't have to waste valuable time with homework before they got district.
- 6. They may elso be able to identify where our law is deficient. This is particularly important in regard to the Livestock Ordinance (Cap. 41) and the Dogs Ordinance

both of which need urgent and extensive revision. Also a study of these laws may help the term to decide how they should allocate responsibility for administering them for, inevitably they will be drawn into executive functions once they are here (as was Bostelman last rear).

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT BY R.W. BOSTELMANN (Veterinary Officer)



Hydatidosis: This is a tapeworm which affects all the domestic animals as well as Man. There is a cycle through sheep and dogs and Man is in the same position as sheep in the cycle. This is very, very serious in the Falkland Islands with a very large number of people affected and having to go to Argentina for serious operations. An eradication scheme has been under way for four years now and while I was in the Islands I was asked about this on very many occasions and also sat on a committee looking into ways of tightening the laws. Unfortunately the islanders have rather taken things into their own hands instead of seeking advice so there were many misconceptions but I hope these have been cleared up now. The Colony needs someone to continually pester them to make sure the impetus of the scheme is maintained.

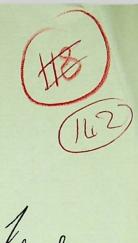
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Dogs Ordinance (Cap. 21)

ORDER

(under section 12A of the Ordinance)

No. 2 of 1975.

N. G. I. Jahrel.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12A of the Dogs Ordinance, the Governor has made the following Order—

- I. This Order may be cited as the Hydatid Eradication (Dogs) Order 1975.
- 2. The Governor may appoint any fit persons to be inspectors for the purpose of this Order.
- 3. An inspector shall require the owner or other person in charge of any dog in his area to dose the dog with an approved preparation under the personal supervision of an inspector in such manner and at such intervals as shall be directed by the Governor in Council.
- 4. An inspector shall supply the owner or other person in charge of any dog with such doses of the approved preparation as the inspector shall consider essential, free of charge in Stanley and at cost outside Stanley.
 - 5. Every inspector shall have power to inspect any dog at any time.
- 6. The owner or other person in charge of a dog shall ensure that the animal is confined or chained unless being worked or exercised.
- 7. No person shall feed or cause or allow to be fed livers and lungs of cattle, sheep, horses, or pigs to any dog, nor shall any person allow any dogs access to such livers and lungs.
- 8. No person shall allow any dog to remain in the immediate area where slaughtering of cattle, sheep, horses, or pigs is taking place.
- 9. No person shall knowingly and without reasonable excuse permit the carcase of any cattle, sheep, horse, or pig belonging to him or under his control from which the liver and lungs have not been removed, to remain in any place to which dogs can gain access.
- 10. An owner shall remove or cause to be removed the livers and lungs from all carcases of cattle, sheep, horses, or pigs, and shall dispose of them by one of the following methods:
 - (i) through burning to ash;
 - (ii) burying to a depth of at least three feet in a covered dog-proof pit;
 - (iii) placing in a covered dog-proof receptacle for a minimum of 28 days;
 - (iv) boiling for a minimum of 2 hours.
- II. Any police officer may, for the purpose of ascertaining that the provisions of this Order are being complied with, at all reasonable times enter on any land or premises.
- 12. Any person who obstructs or impedes any police officer or inspector in the execution of his duty or who contravenes or fails to comply with the provisions of this Order shall commit an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £200 for the first offence or £500 for the second or each subsequent offence.
- 13. The Tapeworm Eradication (Dogs) Order 1970, and the Tapeworm (Dogs) (Amendment) Order 1973 are cancelled.

By Command,

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22nd May 1975.

Chief Secretary.

Ref. AGR/7/12C.

6th August Ref: AGR/7/12/C The Hon S Miller JP Ross House Ross Road Stanley Dear Hydatid Bradication Order As promised, I attach a hastily composed draft for distribution to farm managers. I should be most grateful if you will cast a critical eye over it, adding and amending as you see fit. We could then get it run off and circulated. Alternatively, if you thought it worth while, we could produce it at the next ExCo. A J P Monk Chief Secretary

HYDATID DISEASE CONTROL 1964-74

A report on ten years of effort to control hydatid disease in Tasmania.



by A. J. BRAMBLE, Senior Hydatids Inspector

The slaughter of sheep for rations on farms has been a common practice in Tasmania since the arrival of the first white settlers.

Until fairly recently, it was the custom to feed the offal from farm-killed sheep to dogs. The result: a high incidence of hydatid disease.

In the decade 1950-1959, the number of human cases of hydatid disease in Tasmania was the highest in the English speaking world and one of the highest in all the world (see Table 1).

TABLE 1

Hydatids in Humans per 100 000 per annum-Decade 1950-59

 (1) Dalmatia
 27·1 (whole of Yugoslavia 3·37)

 (2) Uruguay
 17·5

 (3) Sardinia
 14·2 (whole of Italy 1·6)

 (4) Cyprus
 12·9

 (5) Tasmania
 9·3 (whole of Australia 1·6)

 (6) Greece
 8·3



A victim of hydatid disease.

Reports obtained by the Chief Veterinary Officer from Tasmanian surgeons indicated that 537 people had to undergo surgery during this ten year period for the removal of hydatid cysts—an average of one case a week.

Concerned at the seriousness of the situation, the Chief Veterinary Officer proposed in 1960 that Tasmania should begin a control programme. His proposal was eventually accepted and an official Government programme to control hydatid disease was begun with a pilot scheme in 1964.

Volunteer Educators

In the meantime, the Tasmanian Hydatids Eradication Council was formed in 1962 with

the amalgamation of sub-committees from two Tasmanian farmers' organisations and the Junior Farmers' Federation. Local hydatids committees were formed in rural areas and committee members embarked on a farm-visiting programme to alert neighbours about the problem of hydatid disease. Farmers, municipal officers, housewives, doctors and veterinarians all helped in this initial programme of education.

As a result, when the official pilot scheme for hydatids control began in 1964, the Department's field officers found that many rural dog owners were aware of the problem and of the need to do something about it



Dog being tested for hydatid worms.

Dog Testing

As was expected, the first tests of dogs for hydatid worms showed the prevalence was much higher in sheep-raising areas than in areas of mixed farming, orcharding or dairying. In fact, during the ten year period 1964-1974, as many as 65 per cent of dog owners in some sheep-raising municipalities were found to have at least one infected dog.

This meant that although many of these dog owners were already aware of the prob-

lem and were taking what they believed to be adequate precautions, the control measures, in many cases, were not effective.

Between July 1964 and July 1974, 1734 dog owners in Tasmania had an infected dog on at least one occasion.

Table 2 shows how the prevalence of hydatid disease in dogs has been reduced since the control programme began ten years ago.

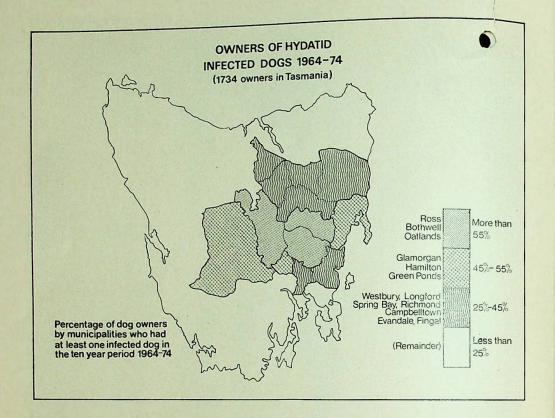
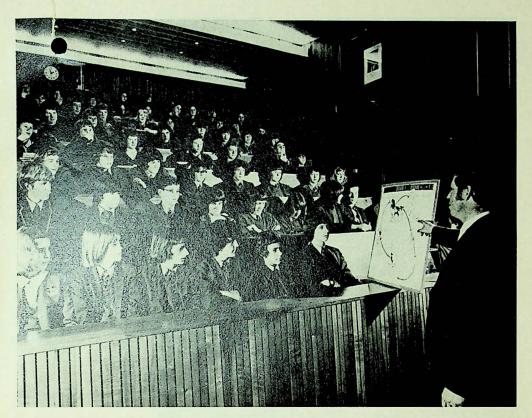


TABLE 2

Prevalence of E. Granulosus in Dogs—Tasmania 1964-74

	DOGS				OWNERS		
YEAR	No. Tested	No. Infected	% Infected	No. Tested	No. with Infected Dogs	% with Infected Dogs	
1964-65 (Pilot Scheme) 1965-66	1 551	175	11.28	****			
1966-67	8 013 18 900	881 863	10·99 4·57	3 263 10 635	484 617	14·83 5·80	
1967-68 19 332 1968-69 21 859	459	2.37	11 036	372	3.37		
1969-70	21 859 17 608	309 167	1·41 0·95	13 623	269	1·97 1·39	
1970-71 1971-72	15 179	129	0.95	10 242 8 625	142 116	1.34	
19/2-73	6 266	39 103	0.62	3 648	37	1.01	
1973-74	11 217	75	0·88 0·67	6 547	85 66	1·30 1·03	



Regional Hydatids Inspector lecturing to school children.

Education

As the campaign progressed, it became obvious that the key word was to be 'education'. District Hydatids Inspectors became more active in farm visiting to explain the life cycle of the hydatid worm and to demonstrate how to control the disease on the farm.

At the same time, the programme of education was extended to the schools. Since 1966, most school leavers in Tasmania have been given an illustrated lecture and shown a film about hydatid disease. About 7 500 pupils receive some form of instruction about hydatids control every year.

Already the benefit of these school lessons is apparent in the influence that young people are having on their parents.

Progress

Initially the control programme relied on voluntary co-operation, but eventually the testing of dogs was made compulsory. It has been necessary, at times, to serve legal notices under the Stock Act to ensure that dogs are presented for testing.

One of the surprising features of the campaign has been that even some of the most progressive farmers have failed to adopt effective control measures until positive dogs have been detected on their own properties.

Until now dogs have been good indicators of progress in hydatids control. In particular, the detection of a positive dog indicates that it probably became infected within a period of twelve months before the test. With sheep, particularly old sheep, there



A Hydatids Inspector using an automatic counter to record cystic lesions in offal at Derwent Park abattoir.

can often be a time lag of six or seven years between the time an animal swallows hydatid eggs on the pasture and the time it is slaughtered and the offal inspected.

However, from now on, information about the prevalence of hydatids in sheep will also be used in the control programme.

The offal from large numbers of sheep is now being examined at the major abattoirs and in July this year a system was introduced

that enables infected sheep to be traced back to the properties they came from. This means that sheep owners can be advised about the prevalence of hydatid disease in their flocks.

Figures illustrating a progressive reduction in the prevalence of hydatids in sheep are given in Table 3. The reduction would be even more marked if the figures for about twenty heavily infected properties could be excluded.

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TABLE 3

Prevalence of Hydatids in Full-Mouth Slaughter Sheep-Tasmania 1967-74

Year	No. Inspected	% Infection
*1966-67	2 064	52.2
1967-68	4 311	49.7
1968-69	2 125	43 · 4
1969-70	1 940	36.3
1970-71	4 417	17.7
1971-72	6 231	13.5
1972-73	46 438	8 · 4
1973-74	26 163	7.0

The figures for 1966-67 are for the period January-June 1967.

TABLE 4

Surgical Cases of Hydatid Disease in Humans in Tasmania

Year ended 31 December	New Cases
1966	19
1967	. 17
1968	. 6
1969	. 8
1970	
1971	. 7
1972	. 7
1973	. 6

(From a survey conducted by the Tasmanian Hydatids Eradication Council)

New and Proposed Measures

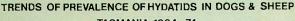
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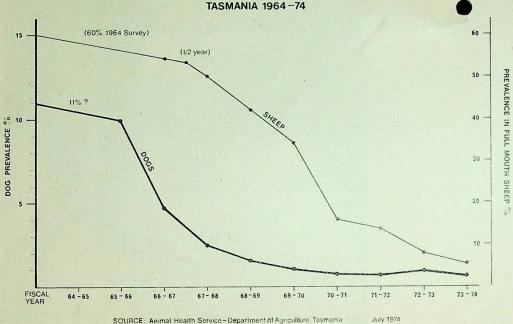
Recent measures include:-

- 1. An extended period of quarantine for infected dogs. The minimum period of quarantine is now six months and dogs under quarantine must be tested before release.
- 2. More frequent testing for certain dogs. Dog owners who repeatedly have infected dogs are to have their animals tested every six months.

In 1975:-

- 1. Restrictions will be imposed on the sale of sheep from properties assessed as having a hydatid infection level higher than 20 per cent. These properties will be allowed to sell sheep only for slaughter until it is clear that the rate of infection has dropped to a less dangerous level.
- 2. Dogs entering Tasmania from other States and overseas, with the exception of pups and greyhounds in training, will be treated for hydatid worms before arrival. All dogs will be required to have certificates to enter Tasmania.





Present Situation

The campaign has progressed well so far and much of the credit for this must go to the vast majority of rural dog owners who have heeded the advice given to them about control methods.

Only a 'hard core' of dog owners still appears to be feeding offal. Many of these people are in older age groups and are difficult to educate.

During the last full year of dog testing, fifty-nine of the sixty-six owners of infected dogs had apparently allowed their dogs to have access to offal either at farm slaughtering or in a local slaughterhouse.

The two main reasons for the accidental infection of rural dogs appears to be the

inadequate disposal of offal and careless slaughtering.

The campaign is now entering a difficult stage. Every remaining loophole in the control procedures must be found and closed. Some farmers and rural workers will have to be compelled by law to play their part in the scheme.

The reduced prevalence of hydatid disease in dogs and sheep is most encouraging and indications that the number of human cases is being reduced are heartening.

If the new control measures are successful, and the disease prevalence in dogs and sheep continues to fall, the time should come when hydatids is no longer a human health problem in Tasmania.

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23rd December, 1974.

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Mr. R.W. Bostlemann, M.A. Vet. M.B. M.R.C.U.S. Agricultural Department,

Stanley, FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Dear Mr. Bostlemann:

Hydatid Disease Control

I have attached a reprint of an article from the latest edition of the Tasmanian Journal of Agriculture, showing the results of our programme for the 10 year period up to the end of June 1974.

Yours sincerely,

(R.J. Green) CHIEF VETERINARY OFFICER

To me pl.



ROSS HOUSE

PORT STANLEY

FALKLAND ISLANDS

Aug. 10th, 1975.

Ref: AGR/7/12/C.



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The Chief Secretary. Stanley.

Dear Arthur,

Hydatid Eradication Order.

Thank you for the draft copy of the circular for all farm managers.

I have readt your draft carefully two or three times and I think that it is complete as it stands and says in short paragraphs all that is necessary to be said.

With regard to the last sentence in your accompanying letter of 6th August 1 do not think it would be at all useful to produce it at the next Ex.Co. as your item No.1 could quite easily become the subject of further argument :

With reference to your note of 4th August under your ref: TRE/7/6, yes I have submitted a paper to His Excellency on Agriculture; this paper may or may not require modification or improvement and perhaps H.E. will again refer to the whole subject next Thursday at Ex.Co.

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