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PROPOSED NEW ISSUE OF POSTAGE STAMPS FOR THE DEPENDENCIES.

Commencing with P 480

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CONNECTED FILES.

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MEMO

S.G. No. 100.

C.S. No.....

From :—



28th August, 1963.

To :—

THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER,
SOUTH GEORGIA.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
STANLEY.

Destruction of Dependencies 1954 'Ship' Issue Stamps

In accordance with instructions contained in your telegram no.163 of 24th August, 1963, please find attached the Certificate of Destruction as requested.

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[Signature]
Officer-in-Charge.

King Edward Point,
SOUTH GEORGIA.

28th August, 1963.

CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION

We, the undersigned members of a Board of Survey, hereby certify that the Stamps of the Dependencies 1954 'Ship' Issue and Registered Envelopes as enumerated below have this day been destroyed by fire in our presence.

<u>STAMPS.</u>			£.	s.	d.
215	@	½d.....		8.	11½.
3014	@	1d.....	12.	11.	2.
3526	@	1½d.....	22.	-.	9.
11087	@	2d.....	92.	7.	10.
39302	@	2½d.....	409.	7.	11.
8361	@	3d.....	104.	10.	3.
12681	@	4d.....	211.	7.	-.
4555	@	6d.....	113.	17.	6.
1306	@	9d.....	48.	19.	6.
26932	@	1/-.....	1346.	12.	-.
1240	@	2/-.....	124.	-.	-.
90	@	2/6d.....	11.	5.	-.
290	@	5/-.....	72.	10.	-.
351	@	10/-.....	175.	10.	-.
394	@	£1.....	394.	-.	-.

REGISTERED
ENVELOPES 'KING GEORGE VI'

364	@	4d.....	6.	1.	4.
			£3145.	9.	2½d.
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..... *Malabour* Chairman
 *Blair* Member
 *W. C. C.* Member

28th August, 1963.

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black in shop, Aunt.

Please address copy of certificate
of authentication.

R.G.

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Copy withdrawn thank you

E. Hilliday

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7 November

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I am sorry it has taken so long to reply to your letter HQ/1010/20 of the 13th July 1967 about commemorative stamps.

After much consideration we have decided against a joint Falkland Islands, South Georgia and British Antarctic Territory 25th Anniversary commemorative for 1968. With our new definitive set, the Human Rights issue and, perhaps, a short set at the tailend of the year for the 25th anniversary of the Falkland Islands Government Air Service the year ahead promises to be full enough. It is also a matter of local pride that our capital, Stanley, is the same number of degrees South of the Equator as London is North of it. We are never happy about perpetuating the common myth that the Falkland Islands are in Antarctica.

South Georgia has never been an Antarctic base and barely comes within the general scope of such an issue.

We are, however, writing to Sir Vivian Richards who might like to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the establishment of the first permanent British base in Antarctica.

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Your splendid list of possible commemoratives is acting as a spur and our interest has certainly been stimulated.

I have just heard that there may be some objection to an issue in 1969 to celebrate the centenary of the Bishopric of the Falkland Islands. The issue may have to be held back for a year, but the 40th anniversary of our Broadcasting Service could provide a reasonable replacement.

(W.H. Thompson)
COLONIAL SECRETARY

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