

Whaling	
Larocemus Co.	
No.	158.

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Crown Agents	SUBJECT.
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1918

16th September

Previous Paper.

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Charting of S.S. "Roald Amundsen"
 (Larocemus Co.) by Messrs Summers, Little & Co
 for six months from 10th September 1918.
 Retention by Crown Agents of licence fees.

Subsequent Paper.

MINUTES.

Hon Treasurer
 For your information.

11.3.19

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Hon: Col: Sec

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Communications to be addressed
to The Crown Agents for the
Colonies, 4, Millbank, London,
S.W. 1, and the above refer-
ence quoted.



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4, MILLBANK

LONDON, S.W. 1.

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN LONDON."
TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 7730.

16th September 1918.

Sir,

With reference to our letter
No.69 of the 18th December 1917, I
have the honour to transmit the
accompanying copy of further
correspondence with the Colonial Office
on the subject of the issue of a
whaling licence to the Laboremus
Whaling Co.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

13.9.18.
16.9.18.

The Hon'ble,
The Colonial Secretary,
Falkland Islands.

for Crown Agents

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43745/1913.

DENNIS GIBSON,

13th September, 1913.

Gentlemen,

With reference to paragraph one of the letter from this Department of the 26th July, regarding the rechartering of whaling vessels which, during the war, have been employed elsewhere with the approval of His Majesty's Government, I am directed by Mr. Secretary Long to inform you that the "Roald Amundsen" has been time-chartered by Messrs Furness Withy and Company from the 10th September for six months with an option up to a further six months.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signature)

THE CROWN AGENTS
FOR THE COLONIES.

16th September, 1918.

Falkland Islands.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 43745/1918 dated the 13th September, informing us that the s.s. "Roald Amundsen" has been time chartered by Messrs. Furness Withy & Co. from the 10th September for six months with an option up to a further six months.

2. We presume that the vessel referred to is that belonging to the Laborer Whaling Co. We have not received any licences from the Government of the Falkland Islands for issue to that Company in respect of the season 1918-19, and in the absence of any request from the Company for a refund, we propose to retain the money referred to in your letter No. 50196 of the 27th November 1917, which has been paid to us in prospect of a licence.

3. We are sending a copy of this correspondence to the Colonial Government

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

The Under Secretary of
State,
Colonial Office.

W. H. Mercer

for Crown Agents.