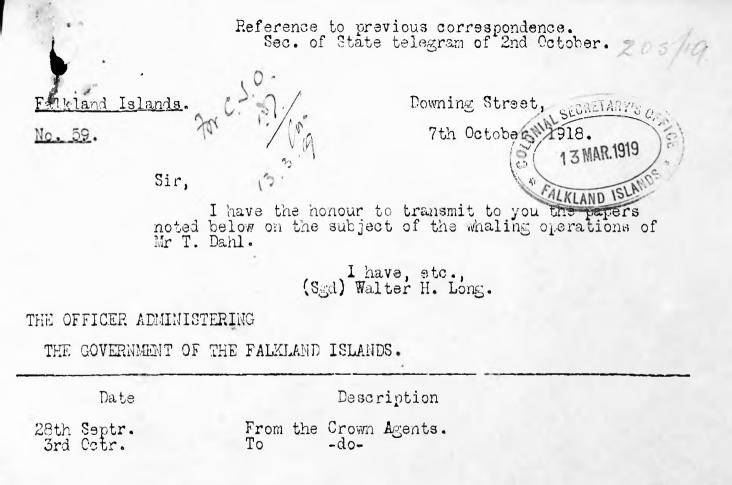
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Copy. Sec Falklands 20.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 42415/18 of the 14th September, I have the honour to report that we communicated with Mr T Dahl in the sense of your letter, relative to the whaling operations of his Company in the territorial waters of the Faikland Islands, and have credited the sum of £100 in our account with the Colonial Government.

2. Mr Dahl has nowsent us a cheque for £450 "in payment of rent for whaling factory s.s"Thor I" with 4 whalers on South Shetlands during the season 1918/19". As stated in the latter part of our letter of the 30th of August, we do not appear to have any information on this matter, and we shall be glad to receive the Secretary of State's instructions as to the acceptance of the money.

> I have, etc., (Sgd) P. Ezechiel for Crown Agents.

The Under Secretary of State Colonial Office, S.W.1.

46895/1918.

Downing Street,

3rd October, 1918.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by Mr Secretary Long to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th September (Sec/Ealks.20) and to inform you that he approves of your accepting the sum of £450 forwarded by Mr T. Dahl in respect of his whaling facilities in the Dependencies of the Falkland Islands for the season 1918/19.

2. In communicating with Mr Dahl you should inform him that, while the Secretary of State has no objection to his employing his floating factory "Thor I" with four whale catchers at South Shetlands, if he so desires, he must clearly understand that the concession is strictly limited to the season 1918/19 and does not include permission to employ the fourth whale catcher at South Georgia should the "Thor I" operate in the waters of that Dependency.

> I am, etc., (Signed) G. Grindle.

THE CROWN AGENTS

FOR THE COLONIES.