

1919

Whaling

C.S.

Norge Company

No.

200.

S.O.S. no 4

SUBJECT.

1919

6th January

Previous Paper.

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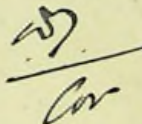
Approval of renewal of licences for Norge
Company for 1919-20 season with 3 (but
not 4) catches.

MINUTES.

Mr Treasurer

For your information

18.3.19



The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary.

Noted
W. H. Thompson
Treasurer.

19.3.19.

File Warrant for refund
M.O. 364/19.

Subsequent Paper.

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12.3.19

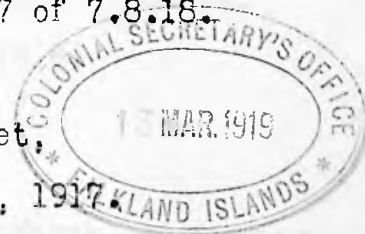
Reference to previous correspondence
Sec. of state's despatch No. 47 of 7.8.18.

Falkland Islands.

No. 4.

Downing Street,

6th January, 1919.



Sir,

I have the honour to transmit to you the papers noted below on the subject of an application on behalf of the Norge Whaling Company for the renewal of their licence in respect of the South Shetlands and Graham's Land, for 1919-20.

I have, etc.,

(Sgd) Walter H. Long.

The Officer Administering

The Government of the Falkland Islands.

Date	Description
1918.	
12th December	From the Crown Agents for the Colonies
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The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

12th December, 1918.

Sir,

Replying to your letter No.32282/1918 of the 26th July, I have the honour to transmit a copy of a letter from Messrs Chr. Neilsen and Company, applying on behalf of the Norge Whaling Company for the renewal of their licence in respect of the South Shetlands and Grahams Land for the season 1919/20.

4.12.18.

2. It will be observed that apparently the Company again desires to employ a fourth whaler. In accordance with the instructions conveyed in your letter under reference they were informed that the concession in this respect was strictly temporary for the season 1918-19 only, (and that the additional catcher was licensed solely for whaling purposes).

3. We shall be glad to receive the Secretary of State's instructions in the matter. In the meantime, we are retaining the Company's cheque for £400, but not cashing it.

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

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

60398/1918.

Downing Street,
30th December, 1918.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by Mr Secretary Long to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th December Sec/Falks 22, forwarding an application from Messrs Chr. Neilsen and Company, for the renewal of their licence in respect of the South Shetlands and Graham's Land for the season 1919-20.

2. In reply I am to inform you that you should accept the £200 tendered in respect of the floating factory and the £100 in respect of a third catcher, but that you should return the remaining £100 to the writers, reminding them that the licence issued to the Norge Company for a fourth catcher was strictly temporary for 1918-19 and cannot be renewed for 1919-20.

I am, etc.,
(sgd) G. Grindle.

The Crown Agents
for the Colonies.