

C. S.

CONFIDENTIAL.

19 46.

No. C / 1 / 46.

MAI/STA/3#2

Secretary of State.

SUBJECT.

19 46.

th February.

Previous Paper.

PROPOSED SPECIAL ISSUE OF STAMPS TO  
COMMEMORATE "PEACE AND RECONSTRUCTION".

MINUTES.

S. of S. Confidential Circular Telegram No. 17 of 11/8/46.  
Confidential telegram to S. of S. No. 46 of 21/2/46.

- 3. Telegram No 55 to " " of 27. 2. 46.
- 4. Unnumbered telegram to S. of S. of 28. 2. 46
- 5. Telegram No. 30 from S. of S. of 1. 3. 46.
- 6. Unn. Circ telegram from S of S. of 27. 3.
- 7. Telegram No. 39 to Magistrate, S. S. of 29. 3
- 8. Unn. Telegram from S. of S. of 29. 3. 46.
- 9. Telegram No. 97 to S. of S. of 5. 4. 46.
- 10. " No. 74 from S. of S. of 2. 5. 46

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Subsequent Paper.

ME. Red 10.

He might suggest to Mr. Mac L. that  
ask Salomonis to send the S. G. supply  
out



out in the first British ship that sails  
from U.K. to S.G. after the stamps are  
available? They shd. have something  
by September, I imagine.

ABE  
2.7.46

P.S. And the Air Stamps (9/4s below)?

12

ACB

HE. spoke. Re. ask Majistak S.G. to  
tell when Salween's report to send first  
ship from U.K. to S.G.

2. No Air <sup>Mail</sup> Stamps for S.G. They <sup>normal</sup>  
~~will~~ (say HE.) <sup>by</sup> pushing by such opportunities  
as will via BA.

ABE  
3.7.46

Circular letter from Crown Agents of 17.5.46.

14

YE.

asked if Victory Stamps had come by this  
"Fitzroy". They have not - pl. see (red 10).

2. YE. will wish those (red 13) which I  
will then pass to P.M.

3. he will K.V. \$ 4 9 (red 13).

(15)

ABE  
4.7.46

(Tell me as 12 \$1 will go on return)

ACB

HE. has seen. Now 12 \$1 and  
then to P.M.

ABE



- 16. Telegram from Crown Agents of 8. 7. 46.
- 17. " No 107 from Magistrate S.G. of 3. 8. 46

~~A.C.S.~~  
 I am afraid that these stamps will now be on the high seas between the V. R. Armas! (Red 10) misled us.

2. Radio telegraph S.G. say that they are already on their way & will do me best to let him have them if opportunity offers.

3. I am a little obscure as to how many Fleet telegrams \$1 of 12.

4. P.M. to see (red 13) 14.

x

- 19. Tel. No. 97 to Magistrate, S.G. of 9. 8. 46  
 P.M. 16/8/46  
 etc.

- 20. Tel. No. 116 from Magistrate, S.G. of 14. 8. 46.

A.C.S. 21  
 I am not sure if we can send them by a non-British vessel. Re. spec. trans. Chile, 225 up on x of 18.  
 C.S.  
 16. 8. 46

- 22. Tel. No. 105 to Magistrate, S.G. of 16. 8. 46
- 23. " " 117 from " " 17. 8. 46



~~Oife Treasury~~

Will you please arrange to take delivery of the 2 sets stamps which arrived this "Gitzroy" & to issue to this Office for transmission to South Georgia by next Gitzroy via Montevideo, the stamps requested in red (23).

*A.H. Jones*  
19.8.46

(25)

Hon C.S.

The stamps have been taken on charge & unsorted sheets have been packed will be forwarded to you for transmission to S. Geo.

*Jr 5/11y.*

- First Shipping Advice of 26.6.46 <sup>22/8.</sup> 26
- Letter from Crown Agents of 16.7.46. 27
- Tel. " " " " 19.8.46 28.
- Letter to H.M. Consul, M.V. of 27.8.46. 29.
- Tel No. 122 from Magistrate, S.G. of 29.8.46. 30

*BU 31/8/46*  
*(27/8)*

(31)

~~Oife Treasury~~

Can the additional order at (30) be sent pl?

*A.H. Jones*  
29.8.46.

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Hon C.S.

Yes - the additional requirements have been packed with those shown at (25) pl.

*Jr 5/11y.*  
30/8.

Tel. No. 110 to Mag. S.G. of 31.8.46. 33.

(34)

*Y.C.* After discussion with P.M. & Oife Treasury, I suggest that the Dependency Victory Stamps be placed on sale locally on a date to be fixed by P.M.







Tel to Crown Agents of 24. 9. 46

44.

" No. 123 to Magistrate, S.G. of 24. 9. 46

45.

(46)

Ag. Postmaster

We have agreed that both Colony & Dependencies Victory Stamps should be placed on sale locally on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> October. When obtaining your requirements from the Vault, you will no doubt include requirements ~~from~~ for Fox Bay. The public should be notified.

*[Signature]*

24. 9. 46.

Hon. Col. Sec.

(47)

I have issued a public notice to the effect, that the Colony & Dependencies Victory Stamps will be on sale on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> October. I have telegraphed Fox Bay P.O. asking to let us know by telegram what his requirements are.

*[Signature]* 25/9/46

Invoice from Crown Agents of	16. 7. 46	48
" " " " " "	16. 7. 46.	49.
" " " " " "	19. 7. 46.	50.
" " " " " "	22. 7. 46.	51

Bill of Lading of 8. 8. 46 52.

First shipping advice of 8. 8. 46. 53.

Letter from H.M. Consul, M.V. of 6. 9. 46. 54.

(55)

Off. Treasury  
you will require this m.p. to check receipts.

*[Signature]*

27/9/46.

Hon. C.S.

(56)

The stamps have been taken on charge & placed in the vault. The P.O.'s requirements have been issued pl.

*[Signature]* 1/10.



59

(54)

I presume my notes S.G.?

ABE  
8.x.46

(52)

Yes - see red (43)  
[Signature]  
11/10/46

[Signature]  
1/10

- 59. Letter from Maclean & Stapledon of 16. 9. 46.
- 60. Telegram No. 137 from Mag. South Georgia of 27. 9. 46.
- 61. Telegram No. 127 to Mag. South Georgia of 2. 10. 46
- 62. Telegram Unnumbered from Mag. South Georgia of 4. 10. 46
- 63. Telegram Unnumbered to Mag. South Georgia of 4. 10. 46.
- 64. Letter to Maclean & Stapledon of 23. 10. 46.
- 65. Second Shipping Advice of 3. 7. 46.
- 66. " " " " August 1946.
- 67. Telegram No. 161 from Magistrate South Georgia of 13.11.46

(68)

O. of Treasury  
Re: (67). Will you please note for necessary  
action in due course.

[Signature]  
14.11.46

(69)

Idem. noted thank you

[Signature]  
14/11

BW 15/11/47 (67)  
[Signature]  
15/11

- 70. Minute from Ag. Col. Postmaster of 15. 11. 46.



Tel. No. 154 to Mag. S. G. of 20. 11. 46.

71.

B.W. 15/1/47  
31/1/47  
(71)

Telegram from Magistrate, Sec No. 5 of 15. 1. 47.

A.T. Will you please comply with reads (67) + (72). (73)

*[Signature]*  
15. 1. 47.

Hon. C. This has been done pl. (74)

*[Signature]*  
20/1/47.

Letter to H.M's Consul of 23. 1. '47.

75.

Letter from Crown agents of 24. 1. 47

76.

A.T. ✓ 77.

Aq. P.M.

To note (76), re.

*[Signature]*  
2/3.

78

Hon. C.

Noted, thank you

*[Signature]*  
24/3/47.

Hon. Col. Sec. 79.

Noted, thank you,

*[Signature]*  
26/3/47.

Memo. from Ag. P/manager of 12. 3. 47.

80.

Copy of Telegram from A. Newing of 2. 4. 47

81

P.M.

(81) was handed to me by Mr. Newing after our conversation about Longfield's taking up the remainder of <sup>these</sup> stamps.



2. Pl. set out below precisely what is wanted what the stocks available, including S.G., amount to.

3. Pl. also comment on x of (81). Have you any record?

(83)

A. B. L.

10.4.47

Hon. Col. Sec.

I understand the telegram to Mr. Maving reed (81) that Wingfields will only take the entire stock of F.I. Dependencies Factory stamps if we despatch to the Crown Agents one thousand pounds worth each mail, (every three or four weeks) against Cash on Delivery) this would mean about five or six months before we got rid of the entire stock. The stocks available including South Georgia amount to £6310.

2. x (81) There is no record in this office, but I understand that the procedure was followed a few years ago. I think there is a report in the C.S.O. dealing with stamps that were sent C.O.D.

10/4/47

Office

84

There was a telegram from S/S lets '43 or early '44 which is relevant to para 2 of (83), pl. attach pp.

12.4.47

A.C.S.

85

Please see para 1 of (56) M.P. 171/47 below,

M.B.S.

86

(83) onwards, pl

17/4

17.4.



JE.

(81) - 86

These stamps were withdrawn on 31.3.47. Prior to their withdrawal Mr. Newing asked if he could buy for Longfields, the two sales, the entire remaining stocks, on the basis of 83 5/8. As they could not pay by 31.3.47 I held the matter up for JE's decision.

2 (145) in 146/37 and (56) in 171/42 are not v. keepers: except that it might be argued that if these stocks had been in the hands of the C.A.A. on 31.3.47 they might have been sold for post-dated cheques: that that is what the Govt. is virtually being asked to do.

3. If A/ on (81) is true (i.e. if it means that Longfields are taking up all unused stocks in the Colonies) - if W's <sup>slaves</sup> are making an arrangement on lines similar to those suggested at B/, then I suppose it is in order; we could send the parcels through the C.A.A.

4. So proceed?

AB  
18.4.47

The main object is to sell them (they will otherwise be a dead loss?) / the proper channel the C.A.A. Cannot we send the entire surplus to the latter & let Longfields arrange payment direct with them?  
MS 22/iv/47



P.M.

89

Re. arrange to send entire remaining  
stocks to C.A.A. for disposal to Longfield's  
and we have the file back to inform  
S/S on an ongoing basis.

ABL

21.4

(90)

A.C.S.

I would like to have the surplus  
packed in a case & addressed to C.A.A.  
send by "Lafonia" direct.

(2) I sent a telegram to the Deputy  
Postmaster, South Georgia on 11<sup>th</sup> April,  
asking him to return to this P.O.  
the balance of Victory stamps (50,000 minimum),  
that is the number we sent him in  
error. Could he now be instructed  
to forward his balance to the  
C.A.A. direct from S.G.

Re. Ag. P.M.  
22/4/47

91

ABL

As at 90 pt. - let me  
have the file with drafts to C.A.A.  
S/S. (~~had~~ and mail letter -  
S/T separately).

ABL

24/4

92.

P.M. is arranging as in (90) - will  
submit draft as in (91) i. d. c

ABL

15.5.47

9.6/5. Bird

ABL



Memo. from Ag P/Master of 26.5.47

93

P.M.

94.

Will you pl. state number of stamps  
denominations etc in order that l/Ad.  
may be informed by telegraph

3/6.

95.

Hon. Col. Sec.

The following are the number of stamps  
denominations etc, sent to cfa:-

Dependencies	Victory	3 <sup>d</sup>	=	124,940	=	£ 1,561-15-0.
"	"	1 <sup>d</sup>	=	148,380	=	618-5-0.

Colony	"	3 <sup>d</sup>	=	221,380	=	2,767-5-0.
"	"	1 <sup>d</sup>	=	257,440	=	1,072-13-4.

£ 6,019-18-4.

The Deputy Postmaster at South Georgia  
sent the following to cfa for Wingfields:-

Dependencies	Victory	3 <sup>d</sup>	=	30,000	=	£ 375- - - -
"	"	1 <sup>d</sup>	=	21,178	=	88-4-10.

£ 463-4-10

The Deputy P.M. advised me by telegram that he  
despatched the above lot to the cfa on 24<sup>th</sup> May & mailed  
the usual advice to Wingfields & cfa.

P. Ag. P.M.  
4/6/47.

Telegram to Brown Agents of 7.6.47.

96

Certificate of destruction of stamps of 24.6.47

97

Letter from Brown Agents of 11.6.47.

98

PA  
4/6/47







Stamps were held pending payments  
from Messrs. Wingfields, it may lead  
to a lot of explaining.

*E. J. P. R.*  
14/1/48.

107

P.H.

What do you consider sh. to be done  
with them?

*A.B.L.*  
19.1

Hon. Col. Sec. 108.

Could a telegram be sent to the  
Crown Agents asking if Messrs. Wingfields have  
taken up these Peace Stamps yet, if not, to instruct  
the C.A. to destroy same

*E. J. P. R.*  
20/1/48.

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ag PM  
HCS wishes a letter to be sent to  
C.A.'s explaining the circumstances.  
Will you please put up a draft. ?

Hon. Col. Sec.

110.

*A. J. P.*  
20/1

Herewith draft letter to C.A.'s

*E. J. P. R.*  
21/1/48.

Letter to Crown Agents of 28/1/48.

111

*P.H.*  
23/1/48.



112.

Letter from Crown Agents of 11/9/48.

113.

P.M.  
A.T.

112 f.y. & pl.

~~A.C.S.~~  
25. x. 48.

114.

A.C.S.

Seen. Thank you.

115.

~~for from~~  
26/10/48.

How do

noted by

20/11/29/x

11/10/20/10/48

27/x

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Memo. from Postmaster of 11/5/49

A.C.S.

117

I suggest Post Office Board, in chief Constable and Mr. St. B. Board, should carry out this duty.

118

~~A.C.S.~~  
13/5/49.

not.

with yourself as president. M.

14/5.

2 pm Monday  
10<sup>th</sup> May 1949.



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CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION.

We the undersigned hereby certify that we have this 16th day of May, 1949, checked and destroyed by fire the undermentioned Falkland Islands Dependencies Peace

Commemorative Stamps :-

1d.	26 sheets @ 5/- per sheet 12 loose stamps @ 1d.	£6. 10. -- 1. --
3d.	26 sheets @ 15/- per sheet 38 part sheets of 20 (1/3rd) 23 loose stamps @ 3d.	19. 10. -- 9. 10. -- <u>5. 9.</u>
		<u>£ 35. 16. 9.</u>

*[Signature]*  
Chairman.

*[Signature]*  
Member.

*[Signature]*  
Member.

STANLEY.  
16th May, 1949.

*Memo. from Board of Survey 8.5.51*

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*pa*  
*[Signature]*  
244



Copy - original filed in 0801

120  
51.

8th May,

To The Honourable,

From Board of Survey,

The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

Disposal of Obsolete Postage Stamps.

We hereby certify that we have today checked and destroyed by fire the undermentioned obsolete postage stamps which were on charge in the Postmaster's Stock Books (2): -

OVERPRINTS (Grahamland).

- 5 @ 4d.
- 5 @ 6d.
- 5 @ 9d.
- 2 @ 1/-.

D/S/44

DEPENDENCIES - U.P.U. ISSUE.

- 325 @ 1d.
- 288 @ 2d.
- 251 @ 3d.
- 292 @ 6d.

0801

DEPENDENCIES - VICTORY ISSUE.

- 6823 @ 1d.
- 6851 @ 3d.

[Signature] Chairman of Board.

[Signature]  
[Signature] Members.

In this file file  
18/5



No. \_\_\_\_\_

MEMORANDUM.

116

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

11th May, 1949.

To: The Honourable,  
The Colonial Secretary,  
Stanley.



From: Postmaster,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

SUBJECT :- Destruction of Peace Stamps.

Could a Board be appointed to destroy some Peace stamps that have been returned from the Dependencies please?

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Postmaster.

*PP*



A/G/1175/1/18

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: { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBY 7780.

112  
19001743  
11th September, 1948.

111  
Sir,

112a.  
With reference to your letter  
C/1/46 of the 28th January last  
regarding a consignment of Falkland  
Islands and Falkland Islands  
Dependencies Peace Commemorative  
stamps sent to us for transmission  
to Messrs. Wingfields on payment, we  
have the honour to state that these  
stamps have not been taken up by  
Messrs Wingfields and in accordance  
with your request they have been  
destroyed. A certificate of  
destruction is enclosed herewith.

We have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servants,

*[Signature]*  
for the Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,

Falkland Islands.

JMD/

VR.





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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED

G.12/51

TELEGRAMS: "CROWN, LONDON".

TELEPHONE: ~~VICTORIA DOCK~~ MAN: 2016

4, MILLBANK,  
78 Gracechurch Street,  
LONDON, S.W.1  
London, E.C.3.

Falkland Is. A/G/1175/1/18.

CERTIFIED that the undermentioned Peace Commemorative  
Stamps of the Falkland Islands and Falkland Islands  
Dependencies, received by the Crown Agents for the Colonies  
in August, 1947 from the Colonial Government, have today been  
destroyed in our presence by burning:-

Falkland Is. Dependencies

1d.	1677	sheets	60	set	
	1592	"	30	"	<u>Total Stamps 148,380</u>
3d.	1631	"	60	set	
	900	"	30	"	
	1	"	30	"	
	1	"	48	"	
	1	"	2	"	<u>Total Stamps 124,940</u>

Falkland Is.

1d	4102	Sheets	60	set	
	376	"	30	"	
	1	"	40	"	<u>Total Stamps 257,440</u>
3d	3244	"	60	set	
	890	"	30	"	
	1	"	40	"	<u>Total Stamps 221,380</u>

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*T. F. ...*  
.....  
*R. ...*  
.....

8th September, 1948.



C/1/46

28th January, 48.

Gentlemen,

104 I am directed by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter A/G/1175/1/18, dated the 12th of December, 1947, regarding Falkland Islands and Falkland Islands Dependencies stamps for transmission to Messrs. Wingfields against payment, and to inform you that the local agent of Messrs. Wingfields requested that these stamps should be forwarded to you for delivery to them against payment of value.

2. He was consulted upon receipt of your letter and he expressed surprise that his dealer had not taken delivery of the stamps and cannot give a reason why they have not done so.

3. If these stamps have not yet been taken by Messrs. Wingfields I am to ask you to be good enough to cause them to be destroyed and advise me in due course.

62 in 205 | 37 4. With reference to paragraph 3 of your letter, I am to express regret that the instructions contained in your letter A/G/1175/1/18 of the 30th of April, 1946, were overlooked. I am to explain that the stamps in question were ordered before they became obsolete on the 31st of March, 1947, and it was therefore felt that the opportunity for disposing of the balance to the above dealer should be taken in preference to local destruction.

5. Steps have been taken to ensure that no further consignments of stamps will be forwarded by this method.

I am,  
Gentlemen,  
Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) A. B. MATHEWS  
Colonial Secretary.

Reply at 112.





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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. I.

A/G/1175/1/18



12 DEC 1947

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE, ABBEY 7730.

*c/1/40?*

*M*

Sir,

*96*

With reference to your telegram of the 7th June advising us of the despatch of three cases of Falkland Islands and Falkland Island Dependencies stamps to us for transmission to Messrs. Wingfields against payment, we have the honour to inform you that the dealers have not yet taken up these stamps.

We also received a parcel containing Dependency Special Commemorative stamps from the Deputy Postmaster, South Georgia, for transmission to Messrs. Wingfields on payment of the sum of £463.4.10d. This parcel was taken up in September.

In this connection we would refer you to our letter A/G/1175/1/10 of the 30th April, 1946, in which we drew your attention to the fact that this system of supplying dealers with postage stamps ceased on the 1st January, 1944 (vide circular telegram of that date from the Secretary of State). The continuance of the practice of sending stamps to us for transmission to dealers without payment having been made, gives the dealer an advantage over competitors who may have remitted funds to the Falkland Islands.

*62 in 205/37*  
*56 in*  
*171/42*  
*"Stamps for dealers"*

We have the honour to be,  
Sir,

Your obedient servants,

*L. J. J. J.*

For the Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

JK1.

JMD



A/G/1175/1/18

C/1/46

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

4, MILLBANK,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

TELEGRAMS INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7790.

22.4.47

Sir,

*Cannot trace.*

With reference to our letter  
A/G/1175/1/18 of the 30<sup>th</sup> May 1946  
forwarding a statement of sales of  
postage stamps, we have the honour  
to enclose a statement giving sales  
*Peace Commemorative Stamps*  
of ~~stamps up to the~~  
~~and showing the stocks held by us~~

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We have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient Servants,

for the Crown Agents

*The Colonial Secretary  
Falklands Islands.*

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Receipts from sales cred  
Falkland Islands Account

Year	Month in which stamps were sold	Month in which proceeds were credited	Amount		
1946	October	November	5670	10	-
	November	December	393	15	-
	December	January	355	2	6
1947	January	February	75	13	10
			6495	1	4

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A/G/1175/1/18

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



4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

TELEGRAMS | INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.

22. 4. 47.



Sir,

With reference to our letter

*Cannot be traced.*

A/G/1175/1/18 of the 30<sup>th</sup> May 1946

forwarding a statement of sales of postage stamps, we have the honour

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to enclose a statement giving sales ~~Salkland Islands Dependencies Peace of stamps up to the Commemorative Stamp~~ ~~The Certificate of Destruction referred to therein~~ and showing the stocks held by us. ~~is also enclosed~~

99c.

We have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient Servants,

E. P. Field

for the Crown Agents

*W*

The Colonial Secretary  
Salkland Islands.



A/G/1175/1/18.

S Falkland Islands Dependencies

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Sales of Peace Commemorative Stamps by the  
Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Reserved for sale in the United Kingdom

	1d	3d
Reserved for sale in the United Kingdom	390004	390004

Received from Falkland Islands vide Colonial Postmaster's letter dated 14<sup>th</sup> February 1947.

Received from Falkland Islands vide Colonial Postmaster's letter dated 14 <sup>th</sup> February 1947.	300.	
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Stamps available for sale

Stamps available for sale	390304	390004
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Stamps supplied for the preparation of Folders to be presented to Delegates attending the Postal Union Congress to be held in Paris in May 1947.

Stamps supplied for the preparation of Folders to be presented to Delegates attending the Postal Union Congress to be held in Paris in May 1947.	300	300.
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Stamps sold

Stamps sold	390004	386944
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Unsold stamps destroyed vide certificate of destruction attached

2760.

total stamps disposed of.

total stamps disposed of.	90307	390004
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*F. H. J. J. J.*  
for the Crown Agents for the Colonies  
17<sup>th</sup> April 1947



Receipts from sales credited to  
Falkland Islands Account.

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Year	Month during which stamps were sold	Month in which proceeds were credited	Amount		
1946.	October	November	5937	5	0-
	November	December	666	-	-
	December	January	58	10	-
1947	January	February		1	4-
			£ 6461	16	4-

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THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

G.12/51

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

4. MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES  
PEACE COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS

CERTIFIED that the undermentioned Falkland Is.  
Dependencies Peace Commemorative stamps from the  
Crown Agents' Stamp Bureau, which have been withdrawn  
from circulation, have to-day been destroyed in our  
presence by burning:-

3d. ... 2,760

*J. Jam*  
.....  
*A. Rogwell*  
.....

25th March, 1947





98

ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

G3/602/1.

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
              { OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



11 JUN 1947

~~24/46~~. 0/1/46.

Sir,

76 13. We have the honour to refer to our circular letter G3/602/1 of the 17th May, 1946, and the 24th January, 1947, on the subject of Peace Commemorative Stamps and to inform you that the printing materials have now been destroyed.

98a,b. Certificates of destruction of the material used for the stamps of the Falkland Islands and the Falkland Islands Dependencies, are attached.

We have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient Servants,

*L. Deane*

for the Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

*4*

GFD.

SC





98a.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

G.12/28

**4, MILLBANK,  
WESTMINSTER,  
LONDON, S.W.1.**

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

FAULKLAND IS.

CERTIFIED that the undermentioned printing material  
has this day been destroyed in our presence.

Postage & Revenue Commemorative Issue 1946.

- 1 Slip Die 1d.
- 1 Slip Die 3d.
- 1 Transfer Roller 1d and 3d. 2 set
- 1 Printing Plate 1d. No.1 60 set
- 2 Printing Plates 3d. Nos. 1 & 2. 60 set

*Jain*

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*J. G. G. G.*

.....

for THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES  
30th May, 1947

*Ans.*  
DB



Stanley,  
Falkland Islands,  
24th June, 1947. 97

We the undersigned hereby certify that we checked and destroyed by fire Postage Stamps to the value of <sup>(1718)</sup> £771 8s. 8½d. on 20th and 24th June, 1947. Details are given hereunder :-

DEPENDENCIES OVERPRINTED ISSUE

ex Secretariat Vault .

SOUTH GEORGIA

4d.	410 Sheets	⊙ 20s/- per sheet	£410.	-.	-.
6d.	807 Sheets	⊙ 30s/- " "	1210.	10.	-.
9d.	705 Sheets	⊙ 45s/- " "	1586.	5s	-.
1/-	735 Sheets	⊙ 60s/- " "	2355.	-.	-.
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			£ 5561.	15.	-.
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SOUTH ORKNEYS

½d.	197 Sheets	⊙ 2s/6d. per sheet	24.	12.	6.
1d.	367 "	⊙ 5s/- " "	91.	15.	-.
2d.	417 "	⊙ 10s/- " "	208.	10.	-.
3d.	393 "	⊙ 15s/- " "	294.	15.	-.
4d.	443 "	⊙ 20s/- " "	443.	-.	-.
6d.	435 "	⊙ 30s/- " "	727.	10.	-.
9d.	352 "	⊙ 45s/- " "	792.	-.	-.
1/-	336 "	⊙ 60s/- " "	1158.	-.	-.
			<hr/>		
			£ 3740.	2.	6.
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SOUTH SHETLANDS

½d.	181 Sheets	⊙ 2s/6d. per sheet	22.	12.	6.
1d.	367 "	⊙ 5s/- " "	91.	15.	-.
2d.	367 "	⊙ 10s/- " "	183.	10.	-.
3d.	379 "	⊙ 15s/- " "	234.	5.	-.
4d.	429 "	⊙ 20s/- " "	429.	-.	-.
6d.	476 "	⊙ 30s/- " "	714.	-.	-.
9d.	352 "	⊙ 45s/- " "	792.	-.	-.
1/-	335 "	⊙ 60s/- " "	1155.	-.	-.
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			£ 3672.	2.	6.
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GRAHAM LAND

½d.	177	Sheets	②	2s/6d.	per sheet	£22.	2.	6.
1d.	367	"	②	5s/-	" "	91.	15.	-.
2d.	402	"	②	10s/-	" "	201.	-.	-.
3d.	382	"	②	15s/-	" "	286.	10.	-.
4d.	429	"	②	20s/-	" "	429.	-.	-.
6d.	480	"	②	30s/-	" "	720.	-.	-.
9d.	343	"	②	45s/-	" "	771.	15.	-.
1/-	402	"	②	60s/-	" "	1206.	-.	-.
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						£ 3728.	2.	6.
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DEPENDENCIES OVER PRINTED ISSUEex Post OfficeSOUTH GEORGIA

½d.	5942	Stamps				12.	7.	7.
1d.	2	"						2.
2d.	804	"				6.	14.	-.
3d.	-	"				-.	-.	-.
4d.	125	"				2.	1.	8.
6d.	213	"				5.	6.	6.
9d.	435	"				18.	3.	9.
1/-	496	"				24.	16.	-.
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						£ 69.	9.	8.
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SOUTH SHETLANDS

½d.	931	Stamps				1.	18.	9½
1d.	1591	"				6.	12.	7.
2d.	2191	"				18.	5.	2.
3d.	789	"				9.	17.	3.
4d.	904	"				15.	1.	4.
6d.	858	"				21.	9.	-.
9d.	914	"				34.	5.	6.
1/-	906	"				45.	6.	-.
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						£ 152.	15.	7½
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GRAHAM LAND

½d. 770 Stamps

c/f. £1. 12. 1.



GRAHAM LAND (contd)

			b/fwd.	£	12.	1.
1d.	1237	Stamps		5.	3.	1.
2d.	249	"		2.	1.	6.
3d.	583	"		7.	5.	9.
4d.	879	"		14.	13.	-.
6d.	539	"		14.	14.	6.
9d.	643	"		24.	2.	3.
1/-	635	"		31.	15.	-.
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				£ 101 .	7.	2.

SOUTH ORKNEYS

$\frac{1}{2}$ d.	703	Stamps		1.	9.	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
1d.	231 $\frac{1}{2}$	"		9.	12.	10.
2d.	18	"			3.	-.
3d.	615	"		7.	13.	9.
4d.	682	"		11.	7.	4.
6d.	861	"		21.	10.	6.
9d.	92 $\frac{1}{2}$	"		34.	13.	-.
1/-	918	"		45.	18.	-.
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				£ 132	7.	8 $\frac{1}{2}$

MAP DESIGN (MUTILATED)

$\frac{1}{2}$ d.	22	Stamps		5.	1.	
1d.	30	"		2.	6.	
2d.	14	"		2.	4.	
3d.	17.	"		4.	3.	
4d.	21	"		7.	-.	
6d.	27	"		13.	6.	
9d.	20	"		15.	-.	
1/-	25	"		1.	5.	-.
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				£ 3.	14.	8.

COMMEMORATIVE ISSUE (WITHDRAWN)COLONY

1d.	479	Stamps		1.	19.	11.
3d.	235	"		2.	18.	9.
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				£ 4.	18.	8.



DEPENDENCIES

1d.	400	Stamps	£ 1.	13s.	4.
3d.	311	"		3.	17. 9.
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			£5.	11.	1.
			<hr/> <hr/>		

CURRENT ISSUE (2d. & 6d. Denominations Withdrawn)

2d.	1045	Stamps	8.	14.	2.
6d.	8.	"		4.	-.
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			£ 8.	18.	2.
			<hr/> <hr/>		

SUMMARY :-

South Georgia

Secretariat Safe	£ 5561.	15.	-.		
Post Office		<u>69.</u>	<u>9.</u>	<u>8.</u>	£ 5631. 4. 8.

South Orkneys

Secretariat Safe	3740.	2.	6.		
Post Office		<u>132.</u>	<u>7.</u>	<u>8½.</u>	3872. 10. 2½.

South Shetlands

Secretariat Safe	3672.	2.	6.		
Post Office		<u>152.</u>	<u>15.</u>	<u>7.</u>	3824. 18. 1.

Graham Land

Secretariat Safe	3723.	2.	6.		
Post Office		<u>101.</u>	<u>7.</u>	<u>2.</u>	3829. 9. 8.
					<hr/>
					£ 17158. 2. 7½.

Map Design

3. 14. 8.

Commemorative Issue

Colony 4. 13. 8.

Dependencies 5. 11. 1.

Current Issue

8. 18.

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£ 17131.

*D. L. Man*  
Chairman.

*H. Bennett*  
Member.

*T. Biggs*  
Member.



DECODE.

No. 16.

TELEGRAM.

*From* The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

*To* His Excellency the Governor.

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*Despatched:* February 11th 19 46 *Time:* 19.50.

*Received:* February 12th 19 46 *Time:* 09.30.

Circular No. 17 Confidential. Consideration is now being given to practicability of producing a special issue of stamps for this country to commemorate "Peace and Reconstruction" rather than "Victory". The two denominations selected are those representing postage rates for inland and Foreign letters respectively. Enquiries already received indicate Colonial Governments generally would wish for similar action to be taken on their behalf and I am proceeding accordingly.

Grateful if you would advise me by telegram what are your current rates for inland and Foreign letters. As date suggested for this issue is very near I cannot at this stage guarantee plan can be executed in time and this proposal should therefore be treated as Confidential.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

P.T.C.







DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

M.P. C/1/46.

3

From His Excellency the Governor.

To The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Despatched : February 27th 1946 Time : 16.15.

Received : . . . . . 19 .. Time : ..

*Recd 2*

No. 55. Confidential. With reference to my telegram No. 46  
Confidential. Special Peace Stamps paragraph 2. I would respectfully  
suggest that the Dependencies be included in order to

- (a) preserve complete imperial aspect and
- (b) maintain continuity of peculiarity and special nature of that  
issue thus avoiding any argument against the genuine postal  
character of the Dependencies' Post Offices.

2. There is moreover a chance of these special stamps reaching  
South Georgia direct from United Kingdom if special issue printed early.

GOVERNOR.

G. T. C.



DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

M.P. C/1/46.

(4)

From His Excellency the Governor.

To The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Despatched : February 28th 19 46 Time : 17.15.

Received : . . . . . 19 .. Time : ..

Red 3.

Unnumbered. My telegram No. 55 paragraph 1. Please amend words "paragraph 2" to read "sentence 2". Error regretted.

GOVERNOR.

G. T. C.



DECODE.

● Sss 53.

TELEGRAM.

5

M.P. C/1/46.

*From* The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

*To* His Excellency the Governor.

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*Despatched :* March 1st 19 46 *Time :* 14.33.

*Received :* March 2nd 19 46 *Time :* 09.30.

Red 3:

No. 30. Confidential. With reference to your telegram No. 55  
Confidential. Stamps. I agree.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

G. T. C.



DECODE.

No. 30.

TELEGRAM.

6

*From* The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

*To* His Excellency the Governor.

*Despatched:* March 27th 19 46 *Time:* 15.25.

*Received:* March 28th 19 46 *Time:* 09.30.

Recd 1.

Circular Unnumbered March 27th. My telegram No. 17 Circular Confidential. Commemorative Stamps. Selected design is in same format as 1935 Jubilee issue and features Houses of Parliament with River Thames in foreground. Name of issuing territory in the panel at the top with medallion portrait of His Majesty in the top right hand corner. Date June 8th 1946, is inscribed below the title. Duty tablet in bottom corner, left and right, and words "Postage and Revenue" in panel at the base. Stamps will be forwarded when ready to be placed on sale as soon as possible after June 8th. They should remain on sale until December 31st or until stocks are exhausted whichever is the earlier. Crown Agents will make announcement April 1st when similar steps may be taken locally.

See Recd 41

SECRETARY OF STATE.

G. T. C.



DECODE.

7

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched: March 29th 19 46 Time: 15.00.

Received: . . . . . 19 Time:

No. 39. Following has been received from Secretary of State begins.

Circular Unnumbered March. My telegram No. 17 Circular Confidential Commemorative Stamps. Selected design is in same format as 1935 Jubilee issue and features Houses of Parliament with River Thames in foreground. Name of the issuing territory in the panel at the top with medallion portrait of His Majesty in top right hand corner. Date June 8th 1946, is inscribed below the title. Duty tablet in bottom corner, left and right, and words "Postage and Revenue" in panel at the base. Stamps will be forwarded when ready to be placed on sale as soon as possible after June 8th. They should remain on sale until December 31st or until stocks are exhausted whichever is the earlier. Crown Agents will make announcement April 1st when similar steps may be taken locally. Message ends.

2. Arrangements have been made for similar issue for Dependencies and these will be sent you as soon as possible.

See Red 42 COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G. T. C.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

8

No. 60.

*From* The Secretary of State for the Colonies. <sup>M.P. C/1/46.</sup>

*To* His Excellency the Governor.

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*Despatched:* March 29th 19 46 *Time:* 07.30.

*Received:* March 30th 19 46 *Time:* 09.30.

*Recd 6*

Unnumbered. My telegram Circular Unnumbered of March 27th should read "date June 8th 1946 repeat 1946 is inscribed" etc.,. Error regretted.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

G.T.C.



DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(9)

*From* His Excellency the Governor.

*To* The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

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*Despatched* : April 5th 19 46 *Time* : 14.45.

*Received* : . . . . . 19 *Time* :

No. 97. Dependencies Stamps. So far it has been impossible to send to South Georgia new issue and the former overprints are in use. It is hoped to remedy this state of affairs some time in June.

47/46

2. With reference to your telegram No. 54, if person named is being sent direct to South Georgia and (r) and on a British ship, suggest master of vessel be asked to convey in his personal charge both the new permanent series as well as Victory ones.

GOVERNOR.

G.T.C.

DECODE.

No. S 44.

TELEGRAM.

M.P. C/1/46.

(10)

*From* The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

*To* His Excellency the Governor.

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*Despatched :* May 2nd 19 46 *Time :* 23.00.

*Received :* May 3rd 19 46 *Time :* 09.30.

No. 74. Your telegram No. Red 9. 97. Dependency Stamps. Regret unlikely that any commemorative stamps can be despatched before end of August.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

G.T.C.





c/1/46

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4, MILLBANK,

G3/602/1

LONDON, S.W. 1.

TELEGRAMS (INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON." OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON.") TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.



17th May, 1946.

CIRCULAR

Sir,

Red 6 We have the honour to refer to the Secretary of State's circular unnumbered telegram dated the 27th March furnishing particulars of Commemorative Postage Stamps. An order for these stamps has been placed but the work is still in the early stages of production. Actual printing is unlikely to commence before early June.

2. In view of the time available and labour conditions generally prevailing at present it has been necessary to limit the total number of stamps to be printed and to allocate that quantity in proportion among all of the Territories participating. The following quantities are being printed on your behalf:-

Denomination	Colour	Quantity for shipment to you	Quantity retained for sale in U.K.	Total Printing
1d	Mauve	264.000	600.000	864.000
3d	Blue	204.000	600.000	804.000
<u>FALKLAND IS. DEPENDENCIES</u>				<u>1.668.000</u>
1d	Violet	264.000	600.000	864.000
3d	Blue	204.000	600.000	804.000
				<u>1.668.000</u>

The Stamps will be supplied in sheets of sixty.....

In this connection we would add that the quantities being retained by us for United Kingdom sales are based on a review which we have already made as to probable demands.

3. We regret that we cannot give, at this stage, any indication when the stamps will be ready for shipment. Deliveries to our Chief Inspector are likely to be spread over a period of four months. It will have been noted from the Secretary of State's circular telegram referred to that the stamps are to remain on sale until the 31st December or until stocks are exhausted whichever is the earlier. In this connection we shall keep in close touch with the Colonial Office regarding the progress of the work in order that, if necessary, the position may be reviewed later in respect of any Territories for which stamps are not available for sale by the 30th September.

4. It is important that we should receive, by telegram, at least one week's notice of the date on which you propose to place your stamps on sale locally in order that simultaneous release may be made in this country.

Reply at Red 44.  
See Red 27.

We have the honour to be, Sir, Your obedient servants,

See 76. *[Signature]* for the Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary, Stanley, FALKLAND IS.

See 98

DECODE.

No. S6/SH11.

TELEGRAM.

M. P. C/1/46.

16

From The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched: July 8th 19 46 Time: 16. 10.

Received: July 9th 19 46 Time: 09. 30.

Case No. 1 and No. 2 containing Dependencies Commemorative Stamps shipped in Highland Monarch mail room No. 2 hold consigned MacLean and Stapledon Montevideo.

CROWN AGENTS.

See Red 28.

G. T. C.

See  
Add  
10.7  
Tel. DR. ✓  
14.20/9/46



DECODE.

No. 16.

TELEGRAM.

18

From The Magistrate, South Georgia.

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : August 3rd 19 46 Time : 00.01.

Received : August 3rd 19 46 Time : 10.00.

Red 7.  
No. 107. With reference to the supply of South Georgia Victory  
Stamps. Salvesen's s. s. *Saluta* is due to sail for the Dependency  
August 16th.

MAGISTRATE.

G. T. C.

See Red 67

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ABC  
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DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(19)

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched: August 9th 19 46 Time: 16.40.

Received: . . . . . 19 Time:

*Red 18.*

No. 97. Your telegram No. 107. We are advised that Victory Stamps are already on their way and will probably arrive here by Fitzroy within next week. We will do our best to let you have them if opportunity offers but meanwhile if you have any suggestions please let me know.

*Reply at Red 20.* COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G. T. C.



DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(20)

No. 122.

From The Magistrate, South Georgia.

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : August 14th 19 46 Time : 23.00.

Received : August 15th 19 46 Time : 10.00.

*Red 19.*  
No. 116. Your telegram No. 97. Suggest Victory Stamps be forwarded to Montevideo to connect with Ernesto Tornquist calling there about September 15th en route South Georgia.

G. T. C.

MAGISTRATE.

*See Red 22.*

*AB*  
*12.5*

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(22)

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

URGENT.

Despatched: August 16th 19 46 Time: 16.40.

Received: . . . . . 19 Time:

*Red 20*

No. 105. Your telegram No. 116. Grateful you telegraph approximate number of Victory Stamps you require for sale at South Georgia.

G. T. C.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.



DECODE.

23

TELEGRAM.

No. 1.

From The Magistrate, South Georgia.

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched: August 17th 19 46 Time: 15.00.

URGENT.

Received: August 17th 19 46 Time: 12.10.

No. 117. Your telegram 105. Assume denominations to be issued for sale locally will be 1d and 3d require 6000 repeat 6000 of each.

G.T.C.

MAGISTRATE.

See Red 30

See pl  
12/1/46

# FIRST SHIPPING ADVICE.

(26)

The Crown Agents for the Colonies have to report the shipment of goods supplied by

Reference :

S/ FALKLAND IS. G3/602/15

THE CHIEF INSPECTOR,  
STAMP INSPECTION BRANCH,  
THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.



26th June, 46.

Indent No.  
Special A/c.  
Dept.  
Consigned to **Maclean & Stapledon**

Marked

REQN. O. H. M. S.  
G3/602/15 Col. Sec.  
Stanley,  
G ↑ A Falkland Is.  
via Montevideo  
\*Nos.  
Gross Weight. Dependencies stamps

by the " HIGHLAND MONARCH " in the

No. 3 King George V Dock for Lock Up stowage.  
Strong Room

<u>VALUE EACH.</u>	<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Contents.</u>	<u>Gross Weight.</u>	<u>Nett Weight.</u>	<u>Measurements.</u>
£35.7.0d.	1 -	1 case Dependencies Postage & Revenue Stamps Commemorative Issue 1946	approx. G1.2.0.	G1.1.0.	approx. 24"x24"x12"
£33.13.-d.	2 -	1 case -do-	-do-	-do-	-do-

Ex. Messrs. T. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.,  
Dufferin Street,  
E.C.1.

ENCLOSURES :—

Bill of Lading  
Suppliers' Invoice  
Packing particulars

Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank, London, S.W.1.





(27)

ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
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CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
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DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

G3/602/1



16th July, 1946.

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.  
AIRMAIL

Sir,

Red 13:

We have the honour to refer to our circular letter of the 17th May reporting the order placed for Commemorative Postage Stamps. It now appears from definite orders received from the United Kingdom trade that sales in this country are most unlikely to reach 600,000 of each denomination. The quantity being retained for this purpose has therefore been reduced to 390,000 which it is estimated will be ample to meet demands.

The total quantities for your territory and for the Falkland Islands Dependencies have already been printed and we shall therefore despatch, in due course, the balance which will be in the vicinity of 210,000 of each denomination plus any excess that may be delivered by the contractor, in respect of each territory.

See Red 28:

We have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servants,

for the CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Stanley,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

*Handwritten initials and date: C/S, 20/7/46*

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NR

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(28)

From The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

To The Colonial Secretary.

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Despatched : August 19th 19 46 Time : 19.41.

Received : August 20th 19 46 Time : 10.00.

*Red 16*

My telegram 8th July. Cases No. 1 to No. 3 ~~(4?)~~ Commemorative Stamps and case No. 3 Dependencies Commemorative Stamps shipped in s.s. Columbia Star consigned to MacLean & Stapledon Montevideo.

CROWN AGENTS.

G. T. C.

*ABY*  
*20-8*



C/1/46.

29

27th August, 46.

Sir,

I am directed by the Acting Governor to inform you that a package of "Commemorative" postage stamps intended for South Georgia is being sent to you in the Chancery bag by this mail: and to ask you to be so good, if you think it a suitable opportunity, to arrange for it to be forwarded to the Magistrate, South Georgia, in care of the Master of the "Ernesto Tornquist" which is understood to be calling at Montevideo about the 15th of September.

*Sailing for SG early in December.*

Reply Red 54 "ASTRA" I am,

Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) E. W. ALDRIDGE

for Colonial Secretary.

His Majesty's Consul,  
MONTEVIDEO.

WH.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

30

No. 218.

From The Magistrate, South Georgia.

To The Colonial Secretary.

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Despatched : August 29th 19 46 Time : 13.10.

Received : August 29th 19 46 Time :

IMMEDIATE.

Red 23.

No. 122. My telegram No. 117. Have just received order for 9000 sets Victory Stamps suggest South Georgia requirements be increased to 15000 each denomination.

P/L.

MAGISTRATE.

Reply at Red 33.



DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(33)

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched: August 31st 1946 Time: 12.15.

Received: . . . . .19 Time: .

Red 30.

No. 110. Your telegram No. 122. 15,000 each denomination Victory Stamps despatched August 30th via Consul Montevideo who has been requested to hand packet to Master Ernesto Tornquist on arrival Montevideo for delivery to you.

G. T. C.

See 58.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DECODE.

38

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched : September 4th 19 46 Time : 11.00.

Received : . . . . . 19 Time :

*Red 33.*

*See para. 4 of Red 13*

No. 112. My telegram No. 110. Victory Stamps. Crown Agents require at least one week's notice of date stamps are to be placed on sale. On receipt of consignment grateful you telegraph date you propose to release.

G.T.C.

*Reply at Red 43*

COLONIAL SECRETARY.



# MACLEAN & STAPLEDON S.A.

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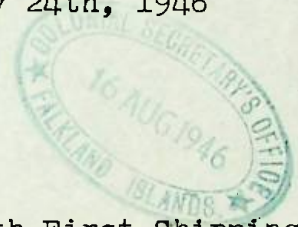
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## MONTEVIDEO

(URUGUAY)

July 24th, 1946

Officer Administering the Government  
PORT STANLEY.



*C/1/46*

Dear Sir:-

We beg to enclose herewith First Shipping Advices, which we have received from the Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies, London, relative to goods shipped per the m.v. "HIGHLAND MONARCH" to this port in transit to yours, and should be very much obliged if you will kindly acknowledge receipt of same.

The above goods have arrived here and will be forwarded to Port Stanley by the first opportunity.

Yours faithfully,  
MACLEAN & STAPLEDON, S.A.

*Reply at Red 40*

Encl.  
HB/vD.

c/1/46.

40

4th September 46

Gentlemen,

*Red 39*  
With reference to your letter of the 24th July, 1946, I am directed by the Acting Governor to acknowledge receipt of documents in connection with cargo shipped per m.v. "Highland Monarch".

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) B. W. ALDRIDGE

for Colonial Secretary.

Messrs: MacLean & Stapledon, S.A.,  
Casilla de Correo, 193,  
Montevideo,  
URUGUAY.

DRM.



DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(41)

No. S 22DC 114.

M. P. C/1/46.

*From* The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

*To* His Excellency the Acting Governor.

*Despatched* : September 12th 19 46 *Time* : 15.50.

*Received* : September 13th 19 46 *Time* : 09.30.

Rec'd

Circular Unnumbered September 12th. My telegram 27th March Circular

Commemorative Stamps. In view of late delivery I should see no objection to sales being continued until March 31st 1947 or until stocks are exhausted <sup>WHICHEVER</sup> ~~while~~ earlier.

G. T. C.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

*ABC*  
*14/9*

DRM.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(42)

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched: September 16th 19 46 Time: 11.00.

Received: . . . . . 19 Time:

Red 7

No. 118. My telegram No. 39. Victory Stamps. In view of late delivery Secretary of State has authorised continuance of sales until 31st March 1947 or until stocks exhausted whichever the earlier.

G.T.C.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.



DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

43

No. 146.

*From* The Magistrate, South Georgia.

*To* The Colonial Secretary.

*Despatched* : September 23rd 19 46 *Time* : 22.30.

*Received* : September 24th 19 46 *Time* : 10.00.

*Red 38.*

No. 131. Your telegram No. 112. Stamps received September 23rd.  
Propose to place them on sale October 4th.

G. T. C.

*See Red 45.*

MAGISTRATE.

DECODE.

44

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Despatched : September 24<sup>th</sup> 19 46 Time : 16.00.

Received : . . . . . 19 Time :

Red B

Your letter G3/60<sup>2</sup>/1 of 17th May paragraph 4. Victory Stamps .  
Dependencies issue will be placed on sale October 4th and Colony issue  
on October 7th.

G. T. C.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

DRM.



DECODE.

(45)

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched : September 24th 19 46 Time : 16.00.

Received : . . . . . 19 Time :

Red 43. No. 123. Your telegram No. 131. Victory Stamps. Many thanks.

Crown Agents advised accordingly.

Red 43.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G.T.C.

See Red 60.

(Advice Copy)

# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES. Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

(48)

Reference **G**/Falkland Is. Dependencies G3/602/15

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department



Date of Invoice 15th July, 1946

Date 16th July, 1946

CONTRACTOR. Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.

Control of ..... Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of 780,732 Stamps @ 4 d. per 1,000


£ 13. - . 3.

Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£ -----

DB

s. 00.

Examined and passed 



# INVOICE

(Advice Copy)

(48a)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. **Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.**  
of **Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.**

Date **15th July, 1946.**

Crown Agents' Reference **FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES G.3/602/15**

Indent No.

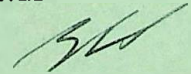
Special a/c (if any)

Department

Shipped by S.S./M.V.

or Date of posting

To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per #</u>			
	6500 sheets	1d 60 390,000 * stamps				
		G.P.O. Specimens <u>366</u> "				
		<u>390,366</u> "	2/6	£ 48.	15.	11
	6500 sheets	3d 60 390,000 *				
		G.P.O. Specimens <u>366</u> "				
		<u>390,366</u> "	2/6	48.	15.	11
		Overprinting Specimens 2 values.			<u>11.</u>	<u>2</u>
		<u>* FOR CROWN AGENTS' STAMP BUREAU</u>		<u>£ 98.</u>	<u>3.</u>	<u>0</u>
<p>I hereby certify that the above has been received</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chief Inspector Crown Agents for the Colonies.</p>						

No. of Case or Parcel.	Description of contents	Duty	Number of sheets	Number of Stamps on each sheet.
<u>By Insured Parcel Post</u>				
1	Dependencies Postage & Revenue stamps Commemorative Issue 1946 (Nbd.6401-7046)	1d.	646	60
2	- do - (Nbd.7047-8638)	1d.	1,592	30
<u>Sheets of stamps numbered and interleaved wax paper.</u>				
<u>Value of parcels:- No.1 £6. 10. -d.</u>				
<u>No.2 £8. - - -d.</u>				
<u>Certificates of posting attached to original.</u>				



**POSTED** 15 JUL 1946

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Two values (sets) of invoice attached.

Intd. *[Signature]*

CASE NO.	GROSS WEIGHT			NET WEIGHT			MEASUREMENTS		REMARKS
	Cwt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Cwt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Inches		

I Certify that the Stamps, as detailed, were packed as stated above.

16th July 1946.

CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
Stamp Inspection Branch.

*[Signature]*  
Chief Inspector.

DC



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(Advice Copy)

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# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES. Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

Reference **G**/Falkland Is. G3/602/15

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department



CONTRACTOR. Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.

Date of Invoice 18th July, 1946

Date 19th July, 1946

Control of \_\_\_\_\_ Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of 86,520 Stamps @ 4 d. per 1,000


£ 1. 8. 10.

Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£ -----

DB

s. 80.

Examined and passed 

# INVOICE

(Advice Copy)

(49c)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. **Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.**  
 of **Imperial House, 84/85 Regent Street, W.1.**  
 Date **18th July, 1946.**  
 Crown Agents' Reference **18th July, 1946.**  
 Indent No. **18th July, 1946.**  
 Special a/c (if any)  
 Department  
 Shipped by **S.S./M.V.**  
 or Date of posting



To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS</u>	<u>Per 100</u>			
	1442 sheets	1d 60 56520 stamps	2/6	£ 10.	16.	4
		Two tins Nos. 1 and 2			6.	6
		Postage on two parcels			18.	10
				£ 12.	1.	8



S

(Advice Copy)

50

# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES. Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

Reference **G**/Falkland Is. G3/602/14

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department



Date of Invoice 19th July, 1946

Date 20th July, 1946

CONTRACTOR.

Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.

Control of ..... Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of 780,732 Stamps @ 4 d. per 1,000


£ 13. - . 3.

Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£ -----

DB

s. 60.

Examined and passed 

# INVOICE

(Advice Copy)

50a

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.  
of Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.  
Date 19th July, 1946.  
Crown Agents' Reference FALKLAND ISLANDS G.3/602/14.  
Indent No.  
Special a/c (if any)  
Department  
Shipped by S.S./M.V.  
or Date of posting

To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS</u>	<u>Per #</u>			
	6500 shts	1d 60 390,000 stamps ★				
		G.P.O. Specimens <u>366</u> "				
		<u>390,366</u> "	2/6	£ 48.	15.	11.
	6500 shts	3d 60 390,000 stamps ★				
		G.P.O. Specimens <u>366</u> "				
		<u>390,366</u> "	2/6	48.	15.	11.
		Overprinting Specimens 2 values			<u>11.</u>	<u>2.</u>
				<u>£ 98.</u>	<u>3.</u>	<u>0.</u>

I certify that items marked ★  
have been received for the  
Crown Agents' Stamp Bureau.

*G. Smith*  
Chief Inspector of Stamps  
Crown Agents for the Colonies.



# INVOICE

(Advice Copy)

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## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. **Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.**  
 of **Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.**  
 Date **24th July, 1946.**  
 Crown Agents' Reference **PAKLAND ISLANDS G.3/602/14.**  
 Indent No.  
 Special a/c (if any)  
 Department  
 Shipped by **S.S./M.V.**  
 or Date of posting



To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per #</u>			
	1005 shts	3d 60 60,300 stamps	2/6	£ 7.	10.	9
		One tin No. 1.		-	4.	4.
		Postage on one Parcel.		-	9.	5.
				£ 8.	4.	6.



No. of Case or Parcel.	Description of contents	Duty	Number of sheets	Number of Stamps on each sheet.
<u>By Insured Parcel Post</u>				
1	Postage & Revenue stamps Commemorative Issue 1946 (Nbd. 5901-6460)	3d.	560	60
"	- do - (Nbd. 6461-7350)	3d.	890	30
<u>Sheets of stamps numbered and interleaved with wax paper.</u>				
<u>Parcel insured for:- \$12. -. -d.</u>				
<u>Certificate of posting attached to original.</u>				

POSTED      19 JUL 1946

Two copies of invoice attached.

Intld.

CASE NO.	GROSS WEIGHT			NET WEIGHT			MEASUREMENTS	
	Cwt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Cwt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Inches	

I Certify that the Stamps, as detailed, were packed as stated above.

22nd July, 1946.

DC CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
Stamp Inspection Branch.

Chief Inspector.



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(Advice Copy)

# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES. Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

Reference **G/** Falkland Is. G3/602/14

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department



Date of Invoice 24.7.46.

Date 25.7.46.

CONTRACTOR. Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.

Control of ..... Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of 60,300 Stamps @ 4l. per 1,000

£-1. -s. 1d.

Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£-----



# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

PORT OF DESTINATION. (52)

MONTEVIDEO.

Shipped in apparent good order and condition by THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, on board the SHIP COLUMBIA STAR lying at LONDON IN "LOCK UP" FOUR CASES. POSTAGE & REVENUE STAMPS. VALUE ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY FIVE POUNDS. STOWED ~~pieces and/or Packages or Merchandise~~ being marked and numbered as below, to be delivered, subject to the terms and conditions hereof, in like good order and condition at or off

MONTEVIDEO unto MESSRS MACLEAN AND STAPLEDON or to his or their assigns.

This Bill of Lading is to have effect subject to the Clauses, Conditions, Exceptions and Liberties of the current form of Bill of Lading now in use by this Line for the above-mentioned Port, which are to be taken as incorporated in and as forming part of this Bill of Lading, and subject also to the provisions of the Carriage of Goods by Sea Act, 1924. General average, if any, is payable according to the York—Antwerp Rules, 1924.

In witness whereof, the Master or Agent of the said ship hath affirmed to this one Bill of Lading.

Dated in London this 8 day of AUG 1946, 19

MARK:- O. H. M. S.  
C ↑ A Col. Sec.  
Stanley,  
Falkland Is.  
via Montevideo.



FOR THE MASTER.

BLUE STAR LINE LTD.  
*[Signature]*

Reqn. No.	Indent No.	Shipping Nos.	Packages.	Contents.
Falkland Is.				
602/14		1/3	3 cases	Postage & Revenue stamps. )
/15		3	1 case	Dependencies Postage & Revenue Stamps. ) C. 4. 2. 21. 14' -"
5173/2		1/1	1 case	Postage & Revenue stamps. ) C. 2. 12.
DM				



# FIRST SHIPPING ADVICE.

53

The Crown Agents for the Colonies have to report the shipment of goods supplied by:—

Reference :

S/Falkland Is. G3/602/14

THE CHIEF INSPECTOR,  
STAMP INSPECTION BRANCH,  
THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.



8th August, 1946.

Indent No.

Special A/c.

Dept.

Consigned to ~~XXXXXX~~ Messrs. Maclean & Stapledon, Montevideo.

Marked

REQN.  
G3/602/14

O. H. M. S.

Colonial Secretary,  
Stanley,  
Falkland Is.,  
Via Montevideo.

C ↑ A

\*Nos.

Gross Weight.

by the "COLUMBIA STAR" in the

~~15 Royal Albert~~ Dock for Lock Up Strong Room stowage.  
London, ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

<u>VALUE EACH.</u>	<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Contents.</u>	<u>Gross Weight.</u>	<u>Nett Weight.</u>	<u>Measurements.</u>
£35.4.0.	1 )	2 cases Postage and	ea.CO.3.26.	ea.CO.3.0.	2/1x1/11x-9
£33.10.0.	2 )	Revenue Stamps - Commemorative Issue 1946			sa.
£55.0.0.	3	1 case - do -	01.1.17.	01.0.8.	2/1x1/11x1/.

ex Messrs. T. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.,  
Bunhill Row,  
London, E.C.

ENCLOSURES:—

- Bill of Lading
- Suppliers' Invoice
- Packing particulars

Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank, London, S.W.1.

/BH.

# FIRST SHIPPING ADVICE.

(53a)

The Crown Agents for the Colonies have to report the shipment of goods supplied by:—

Reference :

S/ Falkland Is. 03/602/15

THE CHIEF INSPECTOR,  
STAMP INSPECTION BRANCH,  
THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

8th August, 46.

Indent No.  
Special A/c.  
Dept.  
Consigned Messrs. Maclean & Stapledon,  
Montevideo, South America.

Marked

REQN. O. H. M. S.  
03/602/15 Col. Sec.,  
Stanley,  
C ↑ A Falkland Is.,  
Via Montevideo.  
\*Nos. Dependencies Stamps  
Gross Weight.

by the "COLUMBIA STAR" in the

15 Royal Albert Dock for Lock Up Strong Room stowage.  
London, ~~XXXXXXXX~~

<u>VALUE EACH.</u>	<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Contents.</u>	<u>Gross Weight.</u>	<u>Nett Weight.</u>	<u>Measurements.</u>
£51.18.0.	3	1 case Dependencies Postage and Revenue Stamps - Commemorative Issue 1946.	C1.1.8.	C1.0.0.	2/1x1/11x1/-

ex Messrs. T. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.,  
Bunhill Row,  
London, E.C.1.

ENCLOSURES:—

Bill of Lading  
Suppliers' Invoice  
Packing particulars

/ RH.

Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank, London, S.W.1.



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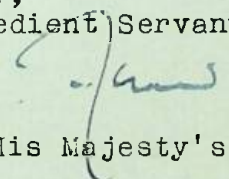
BRITISH EMBASSY,  
(Consular Section),  
MONTEVIDEO.  
6th September, 1946

Sir,

Red 29.

I have to refer to your letter C/1/46 of 27th August, 1946, and to state that the package has been duly received and will be placed on board the "Ernesto Tornquist" for conveyance to South Georgia.

I am,  
Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

  
His Majesty's Consul.

The Colonial Secretary,  
Falkland Islands.

# MACLEAN & STAPLEDON S.A.

CODES USED  
A.I.A.B.C. 5TH EDITION  
SCOTT'S 10TH EDITION  
BENTLEY'S

CASILLA DE CORREO 193

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS  
MACSTAPLE MONTEVIDEO  
TELEPHONES: 86382  
85042

## MONTEVIDEO

(URUGUAY)

September 16th, 1946

*ch/46*



Red 50

Sir:-

We beg to enclose herewith two copies of First Shipping Advices we have received from Messrs. Crown Agents for the Colonies, London, covering goods shipped per the s.s. "COLUMBIA STAR" to this port in transit to yours, and we should be very much obliged if you will kindly acknowledge receipt of this letter and enclosures.

Yours faithfully,  
MACLEAN & STAPLEDON, S.A.

Colonial Secretary  
PORT STANLEY.

Reply at Red 64.

Encl.  
HB/vd.



DECODE.

No. 202.

TELEGRAM.

*2/1/46*

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*From* The Magistrate, South Georgia.

*To* The Colonial Secretary.

*Despatched :* September 27th 19 46 *Time :* 18.35.

*Received :* September 28th 19 46 *Time :* 10.00.

Red 45. No. 137. Your telegram No. 123. Please telegraph whether equivalent denominations of current issue of Dependencies Stamps are to be withdrawn from sale during use of Victory Stamps.

G.T.C.

MAGISTRATE.

*Reply at Red 61.*

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

61

C/1/46

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched : October 2nd 19 46 Time : 11.00.

Received : . . . . . 19 Time :

Red 60. No. 127. Your telegram No. 137. Equivalent denominations of current issue of Dependencies Stamps should be withdrawn from sale while Victory Stamps are in use.

G.T.C.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

See Red 62.



DECODE.

C/1/46

62

TELEGRAM.

From Magistrate South Georgia

To Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : 4th. October, 19 46. Time : 13.34

Received : 4th. October, 19 46. Time : 12.00

Red 61. Unnumbered your telegram 127 please check and repeat group ten in text.

Magistrate.

P/L

Reply at Red 63

LH.

63

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

FALKLAND ISLANDS AND DEPENDENCIES

SENT.

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed In at	Date
				4.10.46.
To MAGISTRATE SOUTHGEORGIA.				

Red 62

Unnumbered Your unnumbered telegram 4 October 10th group in text of my telegram 127 is SIEDP.

Red 61

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Time



C/1/46.

64

23rd October

46.

Gentlemen,

Red 59

With reference to your letter of the 16th of September, 1946, I am directed by the Acting Governor to acknowledge receipt of documents in connection with cargo shipped per S. S. "Columbia Star".

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) E. W. ALDRIDGE  
for Colonial Secretary.

Messrs: Mclean & Stapledon,  
Casilla de Correo, 193,  
Montevideo,  
URUGUAY.

LJH.

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# SECOND SHIPPING ADVICE

6.11.46

The Crown Agents for the Colonies transmit documents for the undermentioned shipment.

Reference **S** / Falkland Is 93/602/15

Shipped by M.V./S.S. *Hyflona* *honored*

Indent No.

From *London*

Department

To *Montevideo*

Special Account (if any)

Sailing date *3 July 46.*



CONTRACTOR	INSPECTION (if any) %	AMOUNT OF INVOICE		
		£	s.	d.
<i>Thomas De la Rue Company Ltd</i> <i>Inspection choise</i>		<i>60</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>0</i>
		<i>7</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>0</i>
<b>FREIGHT ACCOUNT.</b>		<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>0</i>

To *The Colonial Secretary*  
*Falkland Is.*

Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies  
4, Millbank, London, S.W.1.



# FREIGHT ACCOUNT.

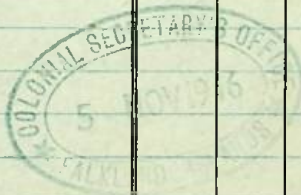
The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Date 23rd July 1946

(65a)

Dr. to Messrs. McGregor Gow & Holland Limited  
 Reqn. No. 602/15 Shipped by M.V./S.S. HIGHLAND MONARCH  
 Indent No. \_\_\_\_\_ From LONDON.  
 Department \_\_\_\_\_ To MONTE VIDEO.  
 Special Account (if any) \_\_\_\_\_ Sailing Date 3rd July 1946.

Shipping Nos.	Packages and Contents	Tons	ft.	ins.	Tons	Cwts.	qrs.	lb.	Rate per Ton	£	s.	d.
602/15.	2 cases		3	0					Min	2	10	0
										£ 2	10	0



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# INVOICE

(Advice Copy)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. **Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.**  
of **Imperial House, 64/65 Regent Street, W.1.**  
Date **1st July 1946.**

Crown Agents' Reference **FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES G.3/602/15**

Indent No.

Special a/c (if any)

Department

Shipped by S.S./M.V. **"Highland Monarch"**  
or Date of posting



To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per M</u>			
	4400 sheets	1d 60 264,000 stamps	2/6	£ 33.	-	-
	3400 "	3d 60 204,000 "	2/6	25.	10.	-
		Two cases Nos. 1 and 2		2.	6	-
				<u>£ 60.</u>	<u>16.</u>	<u>-</u>

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(Advice Copy)

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# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

## Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

Reference **G/** Falkland Is. <sup>Dependencies</sup> **G3/602/15**

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department



CONTRACTOR. Date of Invoice **1st July, 1946** Date **1st July, 1946**  
**Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.**

Control of                      Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of **468,000** Stamps @ **4** d. per 1,000

£ 7. 16. - *l.s.*

Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£ -----

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# INVOICE

2nd (Advice Copy)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.  
of Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.

Date 1st July 1946.

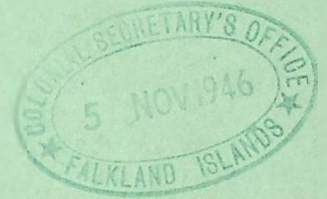
Crown Agents' Reference FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES G.3/602/15

Indent No.

Special a/c (if any)

Department

Shipped by S.S./M.V. "Highland Monarch".  
or Date of posting



To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per 100</u>			
	4400 sheets	1d 60 264,000 stamps	2/6	£ 33.	-	-
	3400 "	3d 60 204,000 "	2/6	25.	10.	-
		Two cases Nos. 1 and 2		2.	6	-
				<u>£ 60.</u>	<u>18.</u>	<u>-</u>

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GOVERNMENT of

FAKLAND IS.

Reqn. No.

G3/602/15

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No. of Case or Parcel.	Description of contents	Duty	Number of sheets	Number of Stamps on each sheet.
1	Dependencies Postage & Revenue Stamps Commemorative Issue 1946. (Nbd.0001-4000)	1d	4,000	60
2	-do- (Nbd.4001-4400)	1d	400	"
	-do- (Nbd.0001-3400)	3d	3,400	"

Numbered and interleaved wax paper.



CASE NO.	GROSS WEIGHT			NET WEIGHT			MEASUREMENTS Inches	VALUE (each)	REMARKS
	Cwt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Cwt.	Qrs.	Lbs.			
1	1	0	2	0	3	5	25 x 23 x 10	£35. 7. -.	
2	1	0	2	0	3	5	-do-	£33. 13. -.	

I Certify that the Stamps, as detailed, were packed as stated above.

27th June, 1946

CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
Stamp Inspection Branch.

*[Signature]*  
Chief Inspector.

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## SECOND SHIPPING ADVICE

The Crown Agents for the Colonies transmit documents for the undermentioned shipment.

Reference **S**/Falkland Is 602

Shipped by M.V./S.S. *Columbia Star*

Indent No.

From *London*

Department

To *Montevideo*

Special Account (if any)

Sailing date *Aug 4 6.*



CONTRACTOR	INSPECTION (if any)	AMOUNT OF INVOICE		
		£	s.	d.
<i>T De la Rue &amp; Co Ltd.</i>	%	109	8	3
<i>    Inspection charge</i>		14	2	4
<i>T De la Rue &amp; Co Ltd.</i>		45	17	11
<i>    Inspection charge</i>		5	19	0
<b>FREIGHT ACCOUNT.</b>		6	2	6.

To *The Colonial Secretary*  
*Falkland Island*

Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
4, Millbank, London, S.W.1.



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# FREIGHT ACCOUNT.

The Crown Agents for the Colonies.

Date 14-8-46

Dr. to Messrs. Blue Star Line Ltd 21 Rine St E.C.

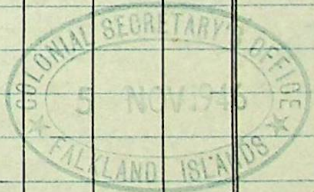
Reqn. No. 746 and 75 602/147/15 Shipped by M.V./S.S. Columbia Star

Indent No. \_\_\_\_\_ From London

Department \_\_\_\_\_ To West Indies

Special Account (if any) \_\_\_\_\_ Sailing Date Aug 14

Shipping Nos.	Packages and Contents	Tons	ft.	ins.	Tons	Cwts.	qrs.	lb.	Rate per Ton	£	s.	d.
395	Portage Slant	}	14	0	}	175	00	34	%	6	2	6
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# INVOICE

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## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.  
of Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.  
Date 9th August, 1946.  
Crown Agents' Reference FALKLAND ISLANDS. G.3/602/14.  
Indent No.  
Special a/c (if any)  
Department  
Shipped by S.S./M.V. *"Columbia Star"*  
or Date of posting



To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per 100</u>			
	8216 sheets	1d 60 493,080 stamps	2/6	£ 61.	12.	8.
	5900 "	3d " 354,000 "	2/6	44.	5.	0.
		Three cases Nos. 1 - 3		<u>3. 10. 7.</u>		
		<u>COMPLETE.</u>		<u>£ 109. 8. 3.</u>		



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GOVERNMENT of

Falkland Is.

Reqn. No. G3/602/14

No. of Case or Parcel.	Description of contents	Duty	Number of sheets	Number of Stamps on each sheet.
1	Postage & Revenue stamps Commemorative Issue 1946 (Nbd.0001-4000)	1d.	4,000	60
2	- do - (Nbd.4001-4400)	1d.	400	"
"	- do - (Nbd.0001-3400)	3d.	3,400	"
3	- do - (Nbd.4401-7530)	1d.	3,130	"
"	- do - (Nbd.7531-8906)	1d.	1,376	30
"	- do - (Nbd.3401-5900)	3d.	2,500	60

Sheets of stamps numbered and interleaved with wax paper.



CASE NO.	GROSS WEIGHT			NET WEIGHT			MEASUREMENTS Inches	VALUE (each)	REMARKS
	Owt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Owt.	Qrs.	Lbs.			
1	0	3	26	0	3	0	25 x 23 x 9	£35. 4s. -d.	
2		-do-			-do-		-do-	£33. 10s. -d.	
3	1	1	17	1	0	8	25 x 23 x 12	£55. -s. -d.	

I Certify that the Stamps, as detailed, were packed as stated above.

29th July, 1946.

CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
DC Stamp Inspection Branch.

*[Signature]*  
Chief Inspector.

(66d)

# INVOICE

2<sup>nd</sup> (Advice Copy)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. **Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.**  
 of **Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.**  
 Date **9th August, 1946.**  
 Crown Agents' Reference **FALKLAND ISLANDS. G.3/602/14.**  
 Indent No.  
 Special a/c (if any)  
 Department  
 Shipped by S.S./M.V. "*Columbia Star*"  
 or Date of posting



To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per 2</u>			
	6216 shts	1d 60 493,060 stamps	2/6	£ 61.	12.	8.
	5900 "	3d " 354,000 "	2/6	44.	5.	0.
		Three cases Nos. 1 - 3			<u>3.</u>	<u>10.</u>
						<u>7.</u>
						<u>£ 109. 8. 3.</u>
		<u>COMPLETE.</u>				

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No. of Case or Parcel	Description of contents	Duty	Number of sheets	Number of Stamps on each sheet.
1	Postage & Revenue stamps Commemorative Issue 1946 (Nbd.0001-4000)	1d.	4,000	60
2	- do - (Nbd.4001-4400)	1d.	400	"
"	- do - (Nbd.0001-3400)	3d.	3,400	"
3	- do - (Nbd.4401-7530)	1d.	3,130	"
"	- do - (Nbd.7531-8906)	1d.	1,376	30
"	- do - (Nbd.3401-5900)	3d.	2,500	60

Sheets of stamps numbered and interleaved with wax paper.



CASE NO.	GROSS WEIGHT			NET WEIGHT			MEASUREMENTS Inches	VALUE (each)	REMARKS
	Owt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Owt.	Qrs.	Lbs.			
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2	-	do	-	-	do	-	-do-	£33. 10s. -d.	
3	1	1	17	1	0	8	25 x 23 x 12	£55. -s. -d.	

I Certify that the Stamps, as detailed, were packed as stated above.

29th July, 1946.

CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
DC Stamp Inspection Branch.

*[Signature]*  
Chief Inspector.

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(Advice Copy)

# THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

Reference **G**/Falkland Is. G3/602/14

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department

CONTRACTOR. Date of Invoice **9.8.46.** Date **10.8.46.**  
Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.,

Control of \_\_\_\_\_ Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of **847,080** Stamps @ **4** d. per 1,000

£14. 2s. 4d. ✓  
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Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£-----



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# INVOICE

*1st* (Advice Copy)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs. **Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.**  
 of **Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.**  
 Date **3th August, 1946.**  
 Crown Agents' Reference **FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES.G. 7/608/15**  
 Indent No.  
 Special a/c (if any)  
 Department  
 Shipped by S.S./M.V. "*Columbia Star*" ?  
 or Date of posting

To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per M</u>			
	2000 shts	1d 60 120,000 stamps	2/6	£ 15.	-	-
	3950 "	3d 60 237,000 "	2/6	29.	12.	6.
		One case No. 3.			1.	5.
				£ 45.	17.	11
		<u>COMPLETE</u>				

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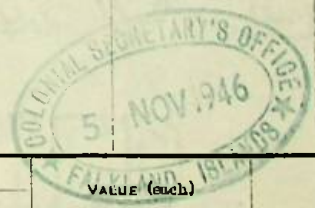
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GOVERNMENT of

Falkland Is.

Reqn. No. 93/602/15

No. of Case or Parcel.	Description of contents	Duty	Number of sheets	Number of Stamps on each sheet.
3	Dependencies Postage & Revenue stamps Commemorative Issue 1946 (Nbd. 4401-6400)	1d.	2,000	60
"	- do - (Nbd. 3401-4400)	3d.	1,000	"
"	- do - (Nbd. 4401-5300)	3d.	900	30
"	- do - (Nbd. 5301-7800)	3d.	2,500	60
<u>Sheets of stamps numbered and interleaved with wax paper.</u>				



CASE NO.	GROSS WEIGHT			NET WEIGHT			MEASUREMENTS	VALUE (each)	REMARKS
	Owt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Owt.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Inches		
3	1	1	8	1	0	0	25 x 23 x 12	251. 13. -1.	

Certify that the Stamps, as detailed, were packed as stated above.

29th July, 1946.

OWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,  
Stamp Inspection Branch.

*J. Smith*  
Chief Inspector.



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# INVOICE

2<sup>nd</sup> (Advice Copy)

## THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES

Dr. to Messrs.

Thomas De La Rue & Company Limited.

of

Imperial House, 84/86 Regent Street, W.1.

Date

9th August, 1946.

Crown Agents' Reference

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES. G. 2/602/15

Indent No.

Special a/c (if any)

Department

Shipped by S.S./M.V. "Columbia Star".

or Date of posting

To be filled in by Contractor.

Item No.	Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	£	s.	d.
		<u>COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS.</u>	<u>Per 1/2</u>			
	2000 shts	1d 60 120,000 stamps	2/6	£ 15.	-	-
	3950 "	3d 60 237,000 "	2/6	29.	12.	6.
		One case No. 3.			1.	5. 5.
				£ 45.	17.	11.
		<u>COMPLETE</u>				



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(Advice Copy)

THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
Charges due to the Stamp Inspection Branch.

Reference **G**/Falkland Is. G3/602/15 ✓

Indent No.

Special a/c. (if any)

Department

Date of Invoice 9.8.46. ✓

Date 10.8.46.

CONTRACTOR. Messrs. Thos. De La Rue & Co. Ltd.,

Control of \_\_\_\_\_ Currency Notes @ <sup>s. d.</sup> per 1,000

Inspection of 357,000 Stamps @ 4 d. per 1,000


£ 5. 19s. -d. L.S. ✓

Charge for insurance at 1% on invoice cost

£ \_\_\_\_\_

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Examined and passed 



DECODE.

No. 145.

TELEGRAM.

C/1/46

67

From The Magistrate South Georgia.

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : November 13th 19 46 Time : 00.20

Received : November 13th 19 46 Time : 10.00

Red 18

No. 161. My telegram No. ~~110~~<sup>107</sup>. In view of the extraordinary sale of Victory Stamps could further supply of 15,000 1d. and 20,000 3d. be forwarded from Stanley by Fitzroy if due here before March 31st 1947.

MAGISTRATE.

G. T. C.

see 71

No.

c/1/46.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).



MINUTE.

70

15th November, 19 46.

To the Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley.

From Ag. Col. Postmaster.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

I received a telegram today from the Clerk in Charge, Post Office Fox Bay, stating that the first day of issue of the Falkland Islands Peace stamps at Fox Bay was 14th November, 1946.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. S. E.", written over a horizontal line.

Ag. Col. Postmaster.

A.S.E.  
20/11



No.

c/1/46.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).



MINUTE.

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15th November, 19 46.

To the Honourable,

The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley.

From Ag. Col. Postmaster.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. S. L.", written in a cursive style.

Ag. Col. Postmaster.

A.S.L.  
20/11

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

71

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched : November 20th 19 46 Time : 16.00.

Received : . . . . . 19 Time :

Red 67

No. 154. Your telegram No. 161. Stamps will be forwarded if direct opportunity occurs.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G.T.C.



DECODE.

173.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Magistrate South Georgia.....

To The Colonial Secretary.....

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Despatched : January 15th 1947 Time : 1430

Received : January 15th 1947 Time : 1514

IMPORTANT. No. 5. My telegram <sup>Red 67</sup> 161 of 1946.

"Astra" sails from Montevideo for South Georgia January 27th.

Please increase number of one penny stamps to 20,000.

MAGISTRATE.

G.T.C.

C/1/46.

45.

23rd January

47.

Sir,

I am directed by the Governor to inform you that a package of postage stamps intended for South Georgia is being sent to you in the Chancery bag by this mail: and to ask you to be so good to arrange for it to be forwarded to the Magistrate, South Georgia, in care of the Master of the "Astra" which is understood to be sailing for South Georgia on the 2nd of February.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) A. B. MATHEWS

Colonial Secretary.

His Majesty's Consul,  
Montevideo.





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ALL COMMUNICATIONS  
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.  
THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE AND THE  
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

4, MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

G.3/602/1

TELEGRAMS { INLAND: "CROWN SOWEST LONDON."  
OVERSEAS: "CROWN LONDON."  
TELEPHONE: ABBEY 7730.

24th January, 1947.



*c/1/46*

AIR MAIL

Sir,

*13.*

We have the honour to refer to our circular letter G.3/602/1 of the 17th May, 1946, reporting the placing of the order for the Colonial issue of Peace Commemorative stamps, and to inform you that a collective order was placed covering all Territories participating, so that the benefits of a bulk order could be shared by all participants. In view of this arrangement, our usual form of advice of order was dispensed with.

2. Pending the final costing of the order by the firm, the price, including the cost of printing material, was provisionally fixed at 2s.6d. per 1,000 stamps, and the supplies have been invoiced and paid for at this rate.

3. The final costings, however, reveal the production cost to be 2s.10d. per 1,000 stamps. The printers, Messrs. Thomas de la Rue & Co. Ltd., have accordingly been authorised to submit a supplementary invoice at the rate of 4d. per 1,000 in respect of the stamps supplied, and the amount involved will be debited in our account in due course.

We have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servants,

*ABP*

for the Crown Agents.

The Colonial Secretary,  
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

*See 98*

WBC

No. \_\_\_\_\_

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

*c/1/46*  
*S/9/47*

MINUTE.

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12th March, 19 47.

To The Honourable,  
The Colonial Secretary,  
Stanley.

From Ag. Col. Postmaster,  
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

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Herewith a Post Office notice for your approval please.



*[Signature]*  
Ag. Col. Postmaster.

*Apps*  
*AKC*  
*12/3*

*Per. informed*  
*[Signature]*



800.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

WITHDRAWAL OF STAMPS.

The Colony and Dependencies Commemorative Peace Stamps which were placed on sale on 7th October, 1946, are to be withdrawn on 31st March, 1947. These will be replaced by the 1941 and 1946 issue respectively.

Post Office,  
Stanley.  
12th March, 1947.

c/1/06



MP  
abc  
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COPY OF TELEGRAM FROM MESSRS WINGFIELDS, LONDON

TO A. NEWING, STANLEY.

DATED 2nd APRIL, 1947.

A | "Your cable have had offer of unsold stocks in Colonies face over  
 quarter million sterling stop prepared to take entire lot Falkland  
 and Dependencies if despatched in parcel thousand pounds each with  
 three to four weeks interval payment against delivery stop suggest  
 B | Governor sends either through Crown Agents or Bank stop if we deposit  
 money with Crown Agents this means waiting three months before  
 stamps arrive stop prewar Colonies sent stamps delivery against  
 X | payment through Crown Agents stop now war over this regulation can  
 be reinstated as Crown Agents said power rests with Colony

WINGFIELDS"

Amount involved for Falkland Islands and Dependencies "Peace"  
 stamps is approximately £6,058.--



No.

MINUTE.

(It is requested that in any reference to this minute the above Number and the date may be quoted.)

26th May,

19 47.

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To The Honourable.

The Colonial Secretary,

Stanley.

From

Ag. Col. Postmaster,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

I have the honour to inform you that 3 cases Nos. 1, 2 & 3, of postage stamps (Victory-Colony & Dependencies) have been made up for despatch to the Crown Agents for the Colonies for delivery to the under-mentioned dealer against payment of their value:

8/9/46  
C/1/46

Messrs Wingfields Ltd,  
24, Chancery Lane,  
London, W.C.2

(£6,019.- 18.- 4.)

2. Will you kindly inform the Crown Agents accordingly?

*Wingfields*  
Ag. Col. Postmaster.

See 96.

DECODE. - Copy to Acting Postmaster for information. 96.

TELEGRAM.

From Colonial Secretary

To Crown Agents for the Colonies

Despatched : 7th June, 19 47. Time : 12.30

Received : ..... 19 ... Time : .....

3 cases containing Dependencies Victory Stamps 3d. denomination value £1,561.15. -d. 1d. £618.5 -d. Colony 3d. £2,767.5 -d. 1d. £1,072.13. 4d., have been addressed to you and shipped per "Lafonia" 31st May grateful you deliver to Wingfields Ltd., 24, Chancery Lane London against payment of value.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G.T.C. LJH

TYPED VP.

See 93, 104