

POSTAL AND TELEGRAPHIC.
(Mails)

C.S.

1927.

No.

185/27

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H.E. the Ag. Governor.

SUBJECT.

1927
27th April.

WEST FALKLAND MAIL SERVICE.

Previous Paper.

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MINUTES.

1. Minute from H. E. the Ag. Governor. of 27th April. 1927

Colonial Postmaster

*Red 1. referred in accordance with his
instructions. G.H. by sec
28 April 1927.*

Hon. Col. Sec.

During conversation held with Mr. Miller this evening he stated that he was satisfied with the present arrangements which are as follows: -

On receipt of any information regarding any ship bound W. Falklands a message is sent to Postmaster Fox Bay giving him all the details we have.

The P.M. Fox Bay has instructions to get into touch with various stations & arrange how mail is to be sent. He then gives instructions to Stanley & they are carried out accordingly. The P.M. Fox Bay is entirely responsible to me for delivery of mail in W. Falklands

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Subsequent Paper.

(Cont.)

In the past messages were sent to Stanley from various stations with instructions re delivery - This is now decentralized to Fox Bay & only one message containing the necessary instructions is sent by the Postmaster to me.

It is not always possible to give accurate information re sailing date & ports of call of "Atkland" as they are often changed at last minute but Fox Bay is in possession of as much information as the V. P. O. Stanley.

Mr. Miller's chief point was that towards the end of last year mail was sent in the "F-lewis" when it should have been sent in the "Atkland".

Attention is invited to fact that it was usual to land all mail at Fox Bay & Stations collected from there, but in order to assist the farmers the P.O. took the extra responsibility of delivering the mail direct to the Stations.

J.M.N.
28/4/27.

J.P.

Submitted.

G.R. By

Off. Sec.
29 April 1927

Off. Sec.

This seems to be quite satisfactory -

J.M.N.

28. 4. 27.

Colonial Postmaster.

Gov. Sec.

G.R.H.

Dir Sec.

30 April 1927

Hon. Col. Sec.

Noted, p.c.

J.H.V.

2/5/27.

2. Telegram from "Westers" of 10th Oct. 1927.

V.E. Submitted.

G.R.H.

10. 10. 27 for C.S.

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3. Telegram to "Westers" of 13/12/27.

4. Telegram from Hon. Col. Sec. to H.E. Govt of 13th Decr.

5. Minute from H.E. the Govt to ~~C.P.M.~~ of 14th Decr

6. Telegram from Postmaster to Hon. Col. Sec. of 15th

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Letter for Col. Postmaster 30. 12. 27.

Col. Putnam.

I have spoken to you in

this connection and have pointed out to

you that the explanation given in your

message telegram on red 5 can scarcely

be considered satisfactory in so much as

S.S. "Falkland" went out for the express

purpose of breeding at Beaver Island and

was not accidentally delayed as you would

seem to imply.

2. The fact remains that on this

occasion H.S.S. "Hesperus" left Stanley on the

9th December and between that date and the 16th

December visited on the West Falkland Port Howard,

Mill Cove, West Point, Roy Cove, Clarks, Spring

Point and Pelle Island whereas the S.S.

"Falkland" left Stanley on the 6th December

and visited only Port Howard or about

the 20th December. The general opinions are

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of both H.N.C.S. "Mthupha" at S.O. "Pattal" were fixed before they sailed at 1 am informed by the Manager of the P.L. Co. that after beaching at Broom Point it was in any case the intention for the vessel to proceed to Port Howard in North Bay at Fitzroy or the Port Pattal Shores H.N.C.S. "Mthupha" was presently directed to the West Pattal anchorage only at Jan Calm Point or the Port Pattal.

3. I am glad to see that?

Even' appreciation letters even though it would seem in fact to be written on a false premise. You will, however, not be aware thereof to let to avoid the inconvenience at labour

caused to other stations, S. J. Hill Coe
at New York, which had on this occasion
unwillingly to have their mails over a
considerable distance.

4. To ensure the expedition
at easy delivery of the Government parcels
at letter mails to the West Indies
I have arranged in consultation with you
for the U. S. S. "Albatross" to carry them.

She will sail from New York at 10 a.m. on
Sunday 1st January and will call at
Trinidad and San Carlos Port, if required,
on the West Indies and at Port
Harvest, Little Island, Hill Coe, Caracas Island,
West Port, New York, Havana, Port of Spain, at
Frisco Bay on the West Indies. I have

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4. Please be at pains to the
 please in any way to maintain
 at further to ensure the steady
 improved mail service to the West
 Island. It is unnecessary for me
 to emphasize that in a Colony where
 communications often so many at
 sea varied difficulties demand attention
 to the details of all arrangements
 made is essential.

J. Miller

30.12.27

10. Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 23rd December, 1927
 11. Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 30th Dec, 1927
 12. Telegram to Mr A.G. Barton, of 30th Dec, 1927

- Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay. of 2nd January, 1928. 13.
 Telegram to Master, "Afterglow", of 5th January, 1928. 14.
 " from " " " 7th January, 1928. 15.
 " to " " " 7th January, 1928. 16.

Recalled for Col. Antvarkus

M. J. J.

26. 1. 28

- Telegram to Westers of 30th January, 1928. 17.
 Telegram from His Excellency the Govt. of 5th February, 1928. 18.
 Telegram from the Manager, Pebble Island of 6 Feb 1928. 19.
 Telegram to Manager, Pebble Island of 7. Feb 1928. 20.

G. 22. 2. 28

L. 8. 2. 28.

- Telegram from Mr. A. G. Barton. of 8th Feb. 1928. 21.
 Telegrams to Mr. A. G. Barton, of 9th February, 1928. 22.
 Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 9th February, 1928. 23.

Col. Antvarkus

To see

10. 2. 28. V. J. J.

Hon. Col. Sec.

Seen, please

JWS

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24. Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 12.3.28
25. Telegram from Westers, of 14.4.28
26. Telegram to Westers, of 17.4.28
27. Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 1.5.28.
28. Telegram from Westers, Fox Bay, of 2.5.28
29. Telegram to Deputy Postmaster Fox Bay, of 4.5.28
30. Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 7.5.28

Col. Postmaster,

To see Red 30.

C. J. S.
8/5/28.

Hon. Col. Secretary

Seen, thank you

H. Chey
Postmaster

9/5/28.

31. Telegram to Westers, of 16.5.28

Col Postmaster

Red (31) for note.

awd of force
16. 5. 28

Hon Col Secretary

Wm H. Chey
for Postmaster
21/5/28

Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 21. 5. 28

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Col. Postmaster.

Red 32 for note.

awd of force.
21. 5. 28

Hon Col Secretary

Wm H. Chey
Postmaster
21/5/28.

Telegram to the Westers, Fox Bay, of 7. 6. 28

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Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 13. 6. 28

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Col. Postmaster

For note.

awd of force S.

13. 6. 28

Hon Col Secretary

Wm H. Chey
Postmaster
14/6/28.

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Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay of 15th June, 1928

Col. Postma's to

To note

To. Barlas.
for. C.S.
15.6.28.

Hon. Secy

W. H. Hey

Postmaster

15/6/28.

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Minute from H. E. the Ag. Governor, of 12.7.28

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Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 13.7.28

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Minute from H. E. the Ag. Governor, of 12.7.28

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Telegram to Westers, Fox Bay, of 13.7.28

Col. Postma's to

To note

for. C.S. 13.7.28.

Hon. Secy

W. H. Hey. It is a pity that the

"Falkland" is not calling at Fox Bay

whence an official mail could have

been sent. There may be some

difficulty in connection with the present

scheme, as the Captain of the Falkland

may not be aware of the rates of

postage in Montevideo, nor of the rate

Edith Pennington
advised. W. H. Hey
13.7.28.

of exchange, so that he will not know what to charge for the unstamped mail which is handed to him. However it is hoped that these difficulties may be overcome by co-operation between the managers & the master of the ship.

A. Chery

Postmaster

16/7/28.

Telegram from Hyles Foxbury of 16th July 1928 40.

Telegram to Hyles Foxbury of 17 July 1928. 41.

Telegram to Wecker, 22 July 1928 42.

P.T.
19/6/29

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From His Excellency the Governor

Officer to Secretariat.

to The Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

W. S. Miller J.R. of Hill Lane, West Falkland, has made certain representations personally to me in connection with the delivery of the parcel at latter date to the West Falkland.

I shall be glad if Col. Portman will take advantage of W. Miller's presence in Stanley to discuss the matter with him.

Please pass to Capt. Lethbridge for action accordingly.

J.P.

27. 4. 27.

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DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From The West Falkland Farmers.

To His EXcellency the Governor.

Despatched : 10th October, 1927. *Time* : 7.15.

Received : 10th October, 1927. *Time* : 10.40.

GOVERNOR

PORTSTANLEY.

We all wish to thank you for the interest you
are taking in our mail.

WESTERS.

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THE WESTERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

OFFICE STAMP.

13/12/27

CLERK'S STAMP.

W.B.D.

The following TELEGRAM received at 1230.

From RADIO PORTSTANLEY GOVT.

Foreign No. No. of Words 10.

Dated 13th. Time 1230

To WESTERS

FOXBY.

No. AND CIRCUIT.

REMARKS.

CHRISTMAS MAIL IN AFTERGLOW LEAVING STANLEY 21st.

GOVERNOR.

Trans. to W/TS at 12:42.

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This form must accompany any enquiry respecting this telegram.

Head Office:—"ELECTRA HOUSE," FINSBURY PAVEMENT, LONDON, E.C. 2.

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THE WESTERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

OFFICE STAMP.

No. AND CIRCUIT.

The following TELEGRAM received at 1030.

From FOXBAY RADIO GOVT.

Foreign No. No. of Words 107.

Dated 13th. Time 0800

To GOVERNOR

13/12/27

REMARKS.

CLERK'S STAMP.

PORTSTANLEY.

W.B.D.

RIDING OVER TO ROYCOVE THIS MORNING TUESDAY STOP WEATHER WARM AND BREEZY
 CALM STOP EXPECT TO ARRIVE CHARENTS TOMORROW EVENING WEDNESDAY STOP
 PRESS HAS ONLY BEEN RECEIVED AT HILCOVE ON SEVEN FOLLOWING DATES
 DURING LAST TWO MONTHS NOVEMBER 14th 17th 25th 26th DECEMBER 2nd. 11th.
 12th. DECEMBER STOP SUGGEST AFTER CONSULTATION WITH MILLER THAT
 ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR PRESS TO BE TELEPHONED FROM FOXBAY REGULARLY
 THREE TIMES A WEEK AT EIGHT O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING STOP ~~NO MAIL FOR~~
 WEST APPEAR TO HAVE BEEN SENT THIS OCCASION BY AFTERGLOW
 STOP SUGGEST THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR ALL MAILS AWAITING
 DELIVERY TO BE SENT BY EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY

SECRETARY.

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Head Office:—"ELECTRA HOUSE," FINBURY PAVEMENT, LONDON, E.C. 2.

From His Excellency the Governor

to the Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

Commd Post-Master

For early reply, please.

J.H.

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Y.E.

All mail on hand was despatched by "Afterglow"
but only a small amount on hand. Mail per "Fleurus"
from U.K. arrived after departure of "Afterglow" & will be forwarded
to-morrow 15th Dec. in "Fleurus," please

J.H.N.
14/12/27.

Telegram sent on instructions from H.E. as follows;-

"Secretary, Fox Bay.

His Excellency has passed your telegram to me in
reference to press news AAA This has been available in Fox Bay practicl
ly every day AAA Operator Fox Bay has instructions to pass it on demand
AAA Reference Mails AAA Large mail sent in Falkland on 6th. but has
been delayed through Falkland going on beach AAA Arrangements now being
made will wire later.

Postgen.

File.

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COPY OF TELEGRAM FROM POSTMASTER GENERAL TO HON. COL. SECRETARY.

(Rec'd . 15 . 12 . 27)

SECRETARY,
FOX BAY.

Arrangements have been made for "Fleurus" to make flying trip round West with mails delayed in "Falkland" she will pick up mails from "Falkland" in Port Howard and take them to Fox Bay, Port Stephens, Roy Cove, West Point and Carcass. She will not have time to anchor and help of stations to transfer mails will greatly assist.

POSTMASTER GENERAL

JAMES LOVEGROVE WALDRON,
LIMITED.

Telegraphic Address:
HOWARD, FOXBAY, FALKLANDS.
BENTLEY'S CODE USED.

Port Howard.
West Falkland Islands.

(8)

Dec 18th 1927.

Dear Captain Nethercoate

With regard your telegram of the 15th instant re "Fluores" trip around West I appreciate all His Excellency & yourself have done towards our mail service (which is the best we have ever had) and I think it only right that I should tell you what I know regarding this particular trip, as there must be some misunderstanding somewhere & I would like to help you -

On Dec 6th The F.S. Co. wired me to expect the "Falkland" here about the 19th inst: to load wool. Evidently according to your message of the 16th instant to the Postmaster Fox Bay which I passed on to the Master of the "Fluores" you had been misinformed regarding the "Falkland" movements, also may be she had to load wool at North Arm. I also ~~would~~ ^{take it} the "Falkland" has been on her way to Port Howard since Dec 6th & you could not have been told how long she would be before she arrived here, or you would not have had the mails put aboard her, if you had known the "Afterglow" & "Fluores" would

be calling on the West before her
This letter is no grouch & not intended to be. I
simply wish to help you all I can.

The Captain of the "Fleurus" has I know had a
most rotten & worrying time as he did not know
what to do - and I consider he did all he could
do to hang on here on the off chance of the
Falkland arriving; he left for Fox Bay this morning,
I believe returns tonight to load his animals ~~tomorrow~~
as the shipped of the live stock I say he must
keep his dates given me, as it is neither fair
on the stock or the trade I am endeavouring
to work up in the South.

I don't know what will happen to mails
Falklands lands here; if its not too big a one
I don't mind endeavouring to horse it along
to Chartres or somewhere, or perhaps Afterglow
can call & take it on to Fox Bay.

If this letter is of use to you, you can use
any information I have given you I take it
the Falkland will be here tomorrow.

With every good wish for Christmas
& the New Year

Yours sincerely
R. Robertson

No. ●

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

Confidential

MINUTE.

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1927

From Col. Postmaster

To

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The enclosed letter may be of interest in shewing the attitude of the "Westlers", please.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Fox Bay, West Falkland.

Despatched: 23rd December, 1927. Time: 11.30.

Received: 192... Time:

WESTERS,
FOX BAY

HIS EXCELLENCY HAS APPROVED THE DISPATCH OF LETTER
AND PARCEL MAIL TO THE WEST FALKLAND BY H.M.C.S.
"AFTERGLOW" ABOUT THE 30TH DECEMBER. CALLS WILL BE
MADE AT PORT HOWARD, FOX BAY, PORT STEPHENS, CHARTRES
ROY COVE, WEST POINT, CARCASS, HILL COVE, AND PEBBLE
IN ORDER ACCORDING TO WEATHER CONDITIONS.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From.....The Colonial Secretary.....

To.....The Westers, Fox Bay.....

Despatched : 30th December, 1927. Time : 12.00.

Received : 192... Time :

WESTERS,
FOX BAY,
WEST FALKLAND.

MY TELEGRAM 23rd DECEMBER AFTERGLOW WILL LEAVE STANLEY
DEFINITELY AT 10 a.m. SUNDAY MORNING JANUARY 1st WITH
CHRISTMAS MAILS. ITINERARY AS PREVIOUSLY GIVEN.

SECRETARY.

● CODE.TELEGRAM.*From* The Colonial Secretary,*To* Mr. A.G. Barton, Pebble (or Chartres.)

Despatched : 30th December, 192 7. *Time* : 12.00.*Received* : 192 ... *Time* :BARTON,
PEBBLE (OR CHARTRES)THANK YOU FOR YOUR TELEGRAM. AFTERGLOW LEAVES
FOR WEST FALKLAND JANUARY 1ST AND WILL CALL AT WEST
POINT.

SECRETARY.

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Fox Bay.

Despatched : 2nd January, 192 8. Time : 13.00.

Received : 192 ... Time :

WESTERS,
FOX BAY,
WEST FALKLAND.

Afterglow left Stanley with mails 10 a.m.
Sunday and is due Port Howard to-morrow Tuesday.
She will collect mails for home for despatch by
Loriga about January 11th.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To Master, Afterglow, Fox Bay.

Despatched: 5th January, 1927. Time: 11.30.

Received: 1927 ... Time:

MASTER,
AFTERGLOW,
FOX BAY, WEST FALKLAND.

Weather permitting you should return South about
and should call at Lively Island to collect hospital
case. If convenient you should also call at
Bleaker Island for mails and for any other purpose
which may have arisen.

SECRETARY.

TELEGRAM.

From The Master, "Afterglow."

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched: 7th January, 1928. Time: 8.30.

Received: 7th January, 1928. Time: 10.10.

SECRETARY,
PORTSTANLEY.

Afterglow leaves Chartres Sunday morning.
What is latest date of mail leaving Stanley and
have I got to catch same.

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TELEGRAM.

From The colonial Secretary, Stanley.

To The Master, H.M.C.S. "Afterglow"

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Despatched : 7th jan. 192 8 Time : 12.45. 11.31

Received : 192 Time :

MASTER,

AFTERGLOW.

You should reach Stanley with mails not later than Wednesday morning.

COLONIAL SECRETARY

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Foxbay.

Despatched : 30th January, 192 8. *Time* : 17.00.

Received : 192... *Time* :

WESTERS,

FOXBAY, WEST FALKLAND.

Mails from England by Orduna will be sent to Port Howard and Fox Bay by Fleurus leaving Stanley 2nd February and to other stations and islands by Falkland leaving Stanley about the same date.

SECRETARY.

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DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From His Excellency the Governor,

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched: 5th February, 1928. *Time*: 13.45.

Received: 6th February, 1928. *Time*: 10.25.

SECRETARY,

PORTSTANLEY.

Please make arrangements to bring over Westers
mail in time for Lobos.

GOVERNOR.

Minute from Hon. C.S. to Col. Postmaster:

"Please make necessary arrangements
accordingly." (SGND: J.M.Ellis.)
6.2.28.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Manager, Pebble Island.

To The Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Despatched : 6th Feb. 192 Time : 1955.
Received : 7th Feb. 192 & Time : 1045.

SECRETARY,

STANLEY.

Gentoo catching Lobos can she be of assistance
in bringing west mail.

BARTON.

TELEGRAM.

From The Honourable the Colonial Secretary

To Mr. A. G. Barton, Pebble Island.

Despatched : 7th February, 1928 *Time* : 12. noon.

Received : 1928 *Time* :

BARTON

PEBBLE ISLAND

MANY THANKS FOR YOUR TELEGRAM. SHOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD ARRANGE FOR GENTOO TO CALL AT FOXBAY FOR WEST MAILS OR ALTERNATIVELY AT PORT HOWARD. WILL ADVISE YOU WHEN LOBOS LEAVES PUNTA ARENAS.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From Mr. A.G. Barton,

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched: 8th February, 1928. Time: 16.15.

Received: 9th February, 1928. Time: 11.00.

SECRETARY,

PORTSTANLEY.

More convenient if pick up mail Hillcove
about 26th and Purvis for Porthoward March 2nd.
If these arrangements suit you please notify
Westers.

BARTON.

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TELEGRAM.

From Mr. A.G. Barton, Pebble Island.

To The Colonial Secretary,

Despatched : 9th February, 1928. *Time* : 2.30. p.m.

Received : 192 ... *Time* :

BARTON,
PEBBLE ISLAND.

Many thanks for your telegram. Suggested mail arrangements will suit admirably and I have notified Westers accordingly.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Westers, Fox Bay, West Falkland.

Despatched : 9th February, 192 8. *Time* : 2.30 p.m.

Received : 192 *Time* :

WESTERS
FOX BAY
WEST FALKLAND.

Mails for England by Lobos early March will be collected by Gentoo from Hill Cove about February 26th and from Purvis for Port Howard about March 2nd.

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From The Colonial Secretary

To The Western Mail Coy, West Auckland

Despatched : 15th March, 1938 192 Time : 11.00

Received : 192 Time :

WESTERS

FERRY.

Westerns will deliver mail from England to all stations on West leaving Stanley about 20th March. She will at the same time collect mail for specially arranged despatch via South Georgia. Bishop will visit you on this occasion.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Westers, Foxbay.....

To The Governor's Private Secretary.

Despatched: 4th April, 1928. *Time:* 8.40.

Received: 192 *Time:*

PRIVATE SECRETARY.

PORTSTANLEY.

The Westers wish to thank His Excellency for what he has done regarding their mails.

WESTERS.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Fox Bay.

Despatched: 17th April, 192 8. *Time*: 10.00.

Received: 192 *Time*:

WESTERS,
FOXBAY.

Mails for Europe by Orita will be collected at Fox Bay by Falkland and at Roy Cove by Afterglow both about April 23rd.

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TELEGRAM.

From.....The Colonial Secretary,.....

To.....The Westers, Fox Bay.

Despatched : 1st May, 1928. *Time* : 11.30.

Received : 1928 *Time* :

WESTERS,
FOX BAY.

Urgent please say whether you would prefer mails by Tijuca and Orita delivered in bulk at Fox Bay by Afterglow about May 5th or direct to various ports of call by Falkland leaving Stanley about May 12th.

SECRETARY.

DECODE.TELEGRAM.*From*.....The Deputy Postmaster, Fox Bay.*To*.....The Colonial Secretary,.....

Despatched : 2nd May, 1928. *Time* : 9 a.m.*Received* : 192 *Time* :COLONIAL SECRETARY,
PORTSTANLEY.

Letters papers only Hill Cove Roy Cove Port
Stephens, parcels by Falkland. All Spring Point
Fox Bay East and West, Port Howard letters only by
Afterglow, parcels papers Falkland. Weddell Beaver
New Island all mails per Falkland.

DEPUTY POSTMASTER.

CODE.TELEGRAM.

From.....The Colonial Secretary,

To.....The Deputy Postmaster, Fox Bay.

Despatched: 4th May, 1928. *Time*: 12.30.

Received: 1928 *Time*:

DEPUTY POSTMASTER,
FOX BAY.

Your telegram May 2nd mails will be despatched by Afterglow to Foxbay to-morrow Saturday afternoon and to other places on West with exception of Fox Bay and Port Howard by Falkland leaving towards end of next week.

SECRETARY.

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Westers.

Despatched : 7th May, 192 8. Time : 2 p.m.

Received : 192 Time :

WESTERS

FOXBAY.

Afterglow will call Fox Bay about May 25th to bring in mails for Europe for despatch by Fleurus May 28th and also any of you who wish to come to Stanley for the sale at the Experimental Farm June 1st and the visit of H. M. Ships about June 3rd stop a return trip to Fox Bay will be made about June 10th.

SECRETARY.

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CODE.

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Foxbay.

Despatched : 16th May, 1928. *Time* : 12.50.

Received : 192 *Time* :

WESTERS,
FOXBAY

Falkland or other vessel to be advised later will call Foxbay about May 26th to collect mails for Europe by Fleurus leaving Stanley May 28th and bring in passengers for visit of H.M. ships from June 3rd to June 7th. Falkland will leave Stanley about June 3rd with mails by Laguna calling Foxbay and Port Howard. Afterglow will leave Stanley with mails and passengers for Foxbay about June 10th.

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TELEGRAM.*From* The Colonial Secretary,*To* The Westers, Foxbay.

Despatched : 21st May, 192 8. *Time* : 15.00.*Received* : 192 *Time* :

WESTERS,

FOXDAY.

Weather permitting Falkland will call Foxbay for mails and passengers so as to arrive Stanley May 27th and connect with Fleurus leaving May 28th. H.M. ships Amazon and Ambuscade are expected to be at Stanley from June 3rd to June 7th.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Foxbay

Despatched : 7th June, 192 8. *Time* : 16.00

Received : 192 *Time* :

WESTERS

FOXBAY

Falkland leaves Stanley 8th Inst. for Port Howard Foxbay and Port Stephens with mails for Hill Cove Roy Cove Chartres Weddell Beaver New Island Saunders Carcass West Point and Spring Point. Please make arrangements for collection. Afterglow will not visit West Falkland on this occasion.

X' SECRETARY.

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CODE.

TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Foxbay.

Despatched : 13th June, 192 8. *Time* : 10.30.

Received : 192 *Time* :

WESTERS,
FOXBAY

Mails for despatch by Loriga end of June should be sent Hill Cove or Port Purvis where they will be collected by Gentoo 22nd June. Gentoo will return Port Purvis Hill Cove from Stanley 3rd July with mails ex Cornwall.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary

To The Westers.

Despatched : 15th June, 192 8 Time : 12.45 p.m.

Received : 192 . Time :

WESTERS

FOX BAY.

My telegram of 13th June. Arrangements made for Falkland calling Port Stephens, Fox Bay, and Port Howard to bring in mails for despatch by Loriga in place of Gentoo from Hill Cove and Purvis. Gentoo will land Cornwall's mails at Hill Cove and Purvis beginning July as previously arranged.

SECRETARY.

Off 1/2 Sect.

Please send following telegram

to Wetters

Fox Bay

" Hope to arrange for Pleams

" to visit all principal stations or towards the end

" West Kalkbult ~~letter~~ ~~half~~ of August

" with letter mail at also with

" parcel mail or Lyarto x will

" advise more definitely letter

Secretary

2. Col. Postmaster to note.

3. necessary publication - in

provisional terms - "Penguin".

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Foxbay.

Despatched : 13th July, 1928. Time : 12.40

Received : 192 Time :

WESTERS

BOMBAY

Hope to arrange for Fleurus to visit all principal stations on West Falkland towards the end of August with letter mail and also with parcel mail ex Lagarto. Will advise more definitely letter.

SECRETARY.

GA 1/2 Sect.

I understand from the Manager
F. L. Coy that the "Palliser"
will leave for Westward about July 21st.

I have arranged with him for her
to call at ^{Port Howard on} the West Palliser en
route to deliver and collect mail,
~~probably at Fox Bay.~~

2. Please inform Col. Portman
in order that he may prepare accordingly
and may issue necessary notice to public.

3. Please send following
telegram to Warkworth
Fox Bay
Port Howard
"Palliser will call ~~at Westward~~ ^{at Westward}
about July 21st"
"~~probably Fox Bay~~ ^{at} en route for
Westward to deliver ~~and~~ local mail

" out to collect mail for home

Secretary "

4. Used publication in "Penguin "

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary,

To The Westers, Foxbay.

Despatched: 13th July, 1928. Time: 12.40.

Received: 1928 Time:

WESTERS

FOXBAY

Falkland will call Port Howard about July 21st
en route for Montevideo to deliver local mail and to
collect mail for home. THE LATTER TO BE HANDED
UNSTAMPED TO THE CAPTAIN

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TELEGRAM.

From Mr. W. B. Myles, Fox Bay.

To The Colonial Secretary.

Despatched : 16th July, 192 8 Time : 9.00
 Received : 16th July, 192 8 Time : 10.52.

COLONIAL SECRETARY
PORTSTANLEY.

REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE 14th WESTERS ENQUIRING IF
CASH TO BE HANDED TO CAPTAIN ROBERTS TO COVER POSTAGE
FROM MONTEVIDEO TO U.K.

MYLES.

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS AND DEPENDENCIES.

SENT.

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
				17.7.28.

To

MYLES
FOXBAY.

YOUR TELEGRAM OF 16th JULY PLEASE INFORM WESTERS
THAT ARRANGEMENTS REGARDING POSTAGE ON LETTERS FROM
MONTE VIDEO TO THE UNITED KINGDOM WILL BE MADE BY
CAPTAIN ROBERTS ON HIS ARRIVAL AT PORT HOWARD.

SECRETARY.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The West Falkland Farmers.

Despatched : 22nd July, 1928. *Time* : -

Received : 192 *Time* :

WESTERS
FOXBAY.

Following is proposed itinerary Gentoo to bring in mails for despatch by Colombo via Montevideo August 16th leave Hill Cove for Saunders and Pebble August 4th leave Pebble for Stanley August 5th stop Mails from Port Howard will be collected at Port Purvis by motor boat early morning August 5th,

SECRETARY.