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Ag. C.S.

We spoke. Have noted for next meeting of SFC.

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Y/E

You may like to retain prints of the presentation ceremony photographs at centre?

2. As I have explained, I became aware of this only after your return & I may see from folios 6 & 7 that we received scant information at the time: NOT one of the Cash Agents best managed enterprises

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C.S.

Why?

Plus spk.

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Spoken with H/E
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MS

HE HAS NOT retained a print.

2. You might ~~care~~ to have one displayed & another sent to O/c NP8901 with a short explanation?

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~~MS~~
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Pl prepare an item in draft for Sunday's newsletter. The prints should go on the board in the foyer.

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29 Queens Road
Weston-Super-Mare
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Tel: 22025

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9th. June 1978

Dear Mr Massey,

I shall be enclosing the third part of my article on the Mail Ship definitives by separate post at printed paper rate. One or two errors have crept in, particularly the transposing of captions under two illustrations in Part 3. It is very annoying!

In view of the Aerogrammes having the Mail Ship definitives printed on them, the likely issue of Stamp Booklets containing the definitives and the possible re-design of the definitives with differently placed and styled numerals and titles etc.. Stamp Collecting Weekly have agreed to accept a "Postscript" to my article series. I think that in order to provide some continuity, this "fourth" part to my article should appear in print within the next three months, if at all possible.

I wonder, therefore, if you are able to supply me with the following information:

1. Aerogrammes.

- a. Will the 8p. definitive be printed on the small size Aerogramme?
- b. When is it likely to be first issued?
- c. Will it be the same in format as the 9p. on the A4 size?

2. Booklets.

- a. What booklets will be issued?
- b. What will be their format?
- c. What values will they contain?
- d. What other information will the booklets contain? - postal rates?
- e. What will be on the cover?

3. Re-designed Definitives.

- a. Is anything yet definite?
- b. May I make this public knowledge?
- c. Will the new stamps be issued piece-meal as individual reprints of values are required?
- d. How soon are these likely to appear?

4. Any more information on the Mail Ship definitives, which I can use.

'Stamp Collecting' have said that this "Postscript" is the most convenient way in which to include correction of the errors in the first three parts.

I feel sure that all this will help to stimulate interest in these issues and should increase the sales, thus increasing the revenue to the Government.

You may be interested to hear that a Producer, John Percival, has now been appointed to the Television Philatelic series, and I spent four hours with him last Monday discussing each programme in detail. It is thought that it will be broadcast on Friday evenings at 7 p.m. on BBC 2, starting in January. Although we cannot feature any one country as such in any of the programmes, I am thinking of ways in which examples of Falkland Islands stamps can appear on the screen. Stanley Gibbons have now confirmed that my article on the Falklands Centenary of the First Stamps issue will appear in the August issue of Stamp Monthly.

With best wishes

Forrie Shaffar

Your reference:

Posts & Telecommunications Dept.,
General Post Office,
Port Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

In reply
please quote:

.....6th July,..... 1978.....

Letter sent to
Major Spafford
7/78

G.S.

Re letter from Ronnie Spafford.

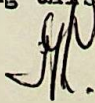
1. Aerogrammes:

We certainly hope to produce the small size Aerogramme (No.1.) with the relative ship stamp - at present 8p. However it seems probable that it will ~~not~~ be nearly a year before we receive the actual forms and by that time postage rates may very well have changed - possibly 9p and 10p, who can say?

2. Booklets:

The first issue of the Definitive Booklet will contain 4 stamps of the following denominations - 1p, 3p, 5p, 6p and 10p - total £1. Crown Agents are currently producing these and I am sure will make any information available to Major Spafford including a specimen of the cover.

My sincere apologies for overlooking this matter


P.M. 6.7.78.

Ref: P&T/2/13

7 July 1978

Major R N Spafford RA
 29 Queens Road
 Weston-Super-Mare BS23 2LH

I am sorry not to have replied sooner to your letter of 9 June. But it reached me during our Budget Session of Legislative Council, which demanded my attention for two weeks to the virtual exclusion of all other business. However, I am now in a position to answer the various points that you have raised.

2. First: Aerograms. It is certainly our hope to produce a small size Aerogramme (No 1) bearing the appropriate ship stamp - at present 8p. I make that last point about the price only because the Postmaster tells me that it may be almost a year before we receive the actual forms. (For some inexplicable reason the GPO Supplies Department does not seem to be able to fulfil ~~our~~ earlier delivery - but perhaps we must challenge them). By then, of course, postal rates may have moved upward. Incidentally, there are a number of technical problems about our producing a better defined reproduction of the stamp on our machinery here. However, we are examining the possibility of improving both the aerogrammes and the machinery itself.

3. Second: Booklets. The Crown Agents are currently producing the first two booklets for us. They will sell at £1 and contain 4 stamps of each of the following denominations: 1p, 3p, 5p, 6p, and 10p. But, beyond that, we have no other specific information about their final format or when they will be available for issue. Initially they will not contain information about postal rates, but they will have a note about John Smith, the designer of the issue. The first booklet will bear a representation of the "Hebe" on the front cover and the "Darwin" on the back. Thereafter we hope to feature two of the remaining ships on each successive cover. Moreover, after the printing of the first two booklets by the Crown Agents to get the enterprise launched, we want to print locally. Then we shall be better geared to print information - even advertisements if they would help cover costs.

7 July 1978

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4. Please do not hesitate to get into touch with the Crown Agents for further information about the first booklets. We appreciate both your interest and any help that you can give with publicity.

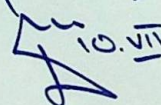
5. Finally, as you will know from my letter of 2 June, we are not going ahead with the re-designed definitives. That I much regret. (Would that I had more courage or temerity).

JOHN MASSINGHAM

CHIEF SECRETARY

cc P&T/2/13A ✓

JB

No reply
(as requested)
P.A.  10.VII

KINGSCLIFFE
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23rd June 1978

Dear Mr Massingham.

Thank you very much for your letter of 2nd June. I note that the postmark is 6th June, and it surprises me how long mail is taking to reach UK addresses - something over 2 weeks from being put on the plane at Stanley! I wonder where the holdup is: I am tempted to telephone the Post Office Overseas Section at Reading to ask. I wonder if it takes as long for mail from England to reach the Islands.

I am sorry to hear that your proposals to improve the Mail Ship deficiencies have been challenged so strongly by the Crown Agents that they have had to be abandoned. Your reasons seemed to be very valid, but no doubt the Crown Agents had their own reasons, probably based on years of experience of similar cases. However it does seem to me that they should have foreseen the problem of identifying the individual values in the Post Office ~~when~~ at the final design stage, though no

doubt they will blame the Stamp Committee for accepting them
Oh the other hand I am pleased to hear that they do
still have some standards, other than making money!

At the Falkland Islands Reception at Lincoln's
Inn on Tuesday I ~~presented~~ had 2 displays of stamps:
one showing the ~~the~~ Mail Ship deficiencies & covers which
travelled on some of the ships and the other promoting
the 100th Anniversary of Falkland Islands stamps issue.
They attracted some attention & will have given some
publicity to the issues.

You may be interested to hear that a very
interesting item has just come onto the market: it is
a letter and envelope dated 1891 from Bishop Stirling
to the ^{sole} Manager of the Falkland Islands Company. As you will
know Bishop Stirling was the first Bishop of the Falkland Islands
and built the Cathedral. Unfortunately the dealer wants
over £1000 for the item, so it is beyond the means of most
people including myself, of course. However I hope to
publish a photo copy in The Upland Goose, which will
interest Daphne Giffard.

The Upland Goose won a Silver Medal at the
International exhibition at Toronto last week, so every pleased
& it will give some extra publicity to Falkland Islands stamps.
I am just sending Part III of my article on the Mail Ship
Please don't bother to answer this, as you are busy.

Patricia Spufford
Patricia Spufford
Patricia Spufford

15th August

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Mr. E. J. Sims,
Heads of Security Printing,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.

Dear Mr. Sims,

107 in P&T/2/13 II

Please refer to my letter INT/21/7 of 19th April asking you to prepare a full size set of colour prints of the Mail Ship Definitive issue and present them to Colonel R. C. Sidwell of the Royal Marines.

2. Colonel Sidwell was in the Falklands recently, and was enquiring what the position is. I promised to find out what the state of play is on this and would let him know. Perhaps you would be good enough to drop me a line sometime.

Regards,


CHIEF SECRETARY

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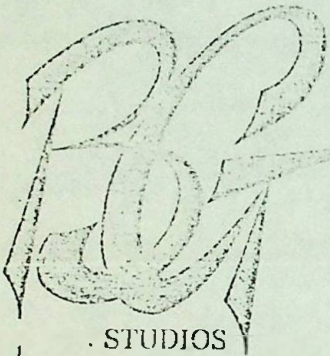
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Invoice No. BG 578

Date: 28/7/78

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PH1/FALKLAND ISLAND

3 October 1978



Dear Mr Morrison

Please refer to your letter, ⁽⁵⁾ P&T/2/13 III, of 15 August about the presentation to be made to the Royal Marines.

A set of colour prints, to art work size, have been prepared and mounted under glass in an attractive frame, and I am at present trying to contact H E Governor in the hope that I can persuade him to make the presentation personally to Lt General Richards, Commandant General of the Royal Marines with Colonel Sidwell and other representatives of the Marines of course present.

I will write to you again within the next seven to fourteen days with news of the progress I am able to make. Meanwhile you may like to know that the cost of the mounting, £394.20, has been debited against ... Falkland Island funds as per attached copy invoice.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely

E J SIMS
Head of Security Printing

Mr D Morrison



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Our Reference: PH1/FALKLAND ISLAND 3/01739

18 October 1978



Dear Doug

In continuation of my letter of the 3 October you may like to know that I have now formally arranged that H.E the Governor will be at Millbank next Monday, 23 October, to make the presentation of colour prints of the new definitive to Lt General Richards, Commandant General of the Royal Marines.

General Wall, Col Sidwell and Capt Macleod of the Royal Marines will also be present as well as the Editors of Stamp Monthly, Stamp Magazine and philatelic correspondants from some of our daily national newspapers.

Photographs will obviously be appropriate for publicity and I will send you a selection within a week or so. At the same time I will let you have a brief report on the presentation.

*kind regards
yours sincerely*

E J Sims
(E J SIMS)

Kiv for newsletter

Mr D Morrison

October 30th 1978

34 John Street
StanleyThe Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley

Dear Sir,

I was displeased recently to find in the 1978/79 edition of the Stanley Gibbons British Commonwealth stamp catalogue that R. Granger Barrett is given as the designer of the Mail Ships definitive issue of Falkland Islands postage stamps.

These stamps as you know are of my paintings of the Mail Ships. Granger Barretts contribution to the design was very small in comparison to the considerable amount of research and preparatory work which it was necessary to carry out before the final paintings were produced. If technically Granger Barrett is classed as the designer, then surely equal acknowledgment is due to the Artist in such authoritative works as the Stanley Gibbons catalogues.

The acknowledgement given to me in the new Stamp Booklets is gratifying, but these will be confined very much to local circulation. If Stanley Gibbons and possibly others are going to continue to give Granger Barrett the credit, a situation likely to cause me considerable embarrassment is going to arise inasmuch as many people outside of the Colony have accepted in good faith the fact that I did produce the paintings, which now when seen under Granger Barretts name will naturally cast some doubts on my integrity.

I would therefore be greatly obliged if it were possible that Government could advise Stanley Gibbons of this matter with the request that the due credit might be given in future editions of their Catalogues.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Smith". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke extending to the left.
John Smith

14th November

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Mr. John Smith,
Stanley.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter of 30th October about the Mail Ships
Definitive issue.

I share your concern about this and think the best course is
for me to take it up with the Crown Agents so that when the next
Gibbons catalogue is published some reference can be made to the
part you played in producing this issue. I would not think that
there is any chance of them issuing a correction to the present
catalogue, but am hopeful that something can be done for next
year's catalogue.

You will, of course, have good publicity in the stamp booklets
which will be on sale this month. I do not share your view that
these sales will be confined very much to local circulation as
10,000 have been printed and our share for local sale is something
of the order of 2,500: the majority of sales will therefore be
overseas; this should go some way to giving due credit for your
work.

Yours faithfully,

ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY

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14th November

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Mr. M. Vaughan,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.

Dear Mike,

Mr. John Smith who undertook all the research and put in much hard work, which included many meetings and trial drawings of the ships of the new definitive, before you were presented with his expertly drawn pictures has written to me as in the attached letter.

You will see from the recent stamp booklets that we have given Mr. Smith the credit he deserves; but he is concerned about the credit given to Granger Barrett in the Stanley Gibbons catalogue as designer of the issue. I know this is a difficult area and a sensitive one, as Mr. Barrett may be technically the 'designer' if he produced to you the final art work based on John Smith's drawings.

I am wondering if you would take up this with the editor of the Stanley Gibbons catalogue with a view to next year's issue containing some reference to the fact that Mr. Granger Barrett's designs were from original art work produced by Mr. John Smith. This, I think, would go a long way to satisfying Mr. Smith who feels that someone else is being given the credit for the work he has done.

Yours faithfully,

ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY

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Our Ref: PH1/FALKLAND ISLANDS



30 November 1978

Dear Doug

When I wrote to you on 18 October I told you that the presentation to the Royal Marines of the framed prints of your new definitive issue would be made by H.E. the Governor on 23 October.

I am pleased to say that as far as we can tell the presentation at Millbank was successful in attracting publicity to Falkland Islands stamps as page 59 of the attached December copy of Stamp Magazine shows. Unfortunately the colour photographs have needed to be "touched up" and will not be available for a few days. Hopefully by the end of next week I shall be able to send you prints, together with prints in black and white from which the reproduction in Stamp Magazine was prepared. I am sorry that this aspect of the promotion is taking longer than I had anticipated.

DCS has retained

I will be writing to you separately about the Swedish promotion on the front cover with its "give away" of the two low value stamps and possible application for a future issue of the Falkland Islands.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely

(E J SIMS)

Mr D Morrison

4 NT/21/7 copy
P4T/2/13 orig ✓

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Our Ref: PH1/FALKLAND ISLANDS 3/01739

18 December 1978



Dear Doug

With reference to my letters of 18 October⁷ and 30 November¹¹
I am now pleased to enclose two colour prints and two prints
in monotone of the presentation by H.E. the Governor to
General Richards of the Royal Marines in our office at the
end of October.

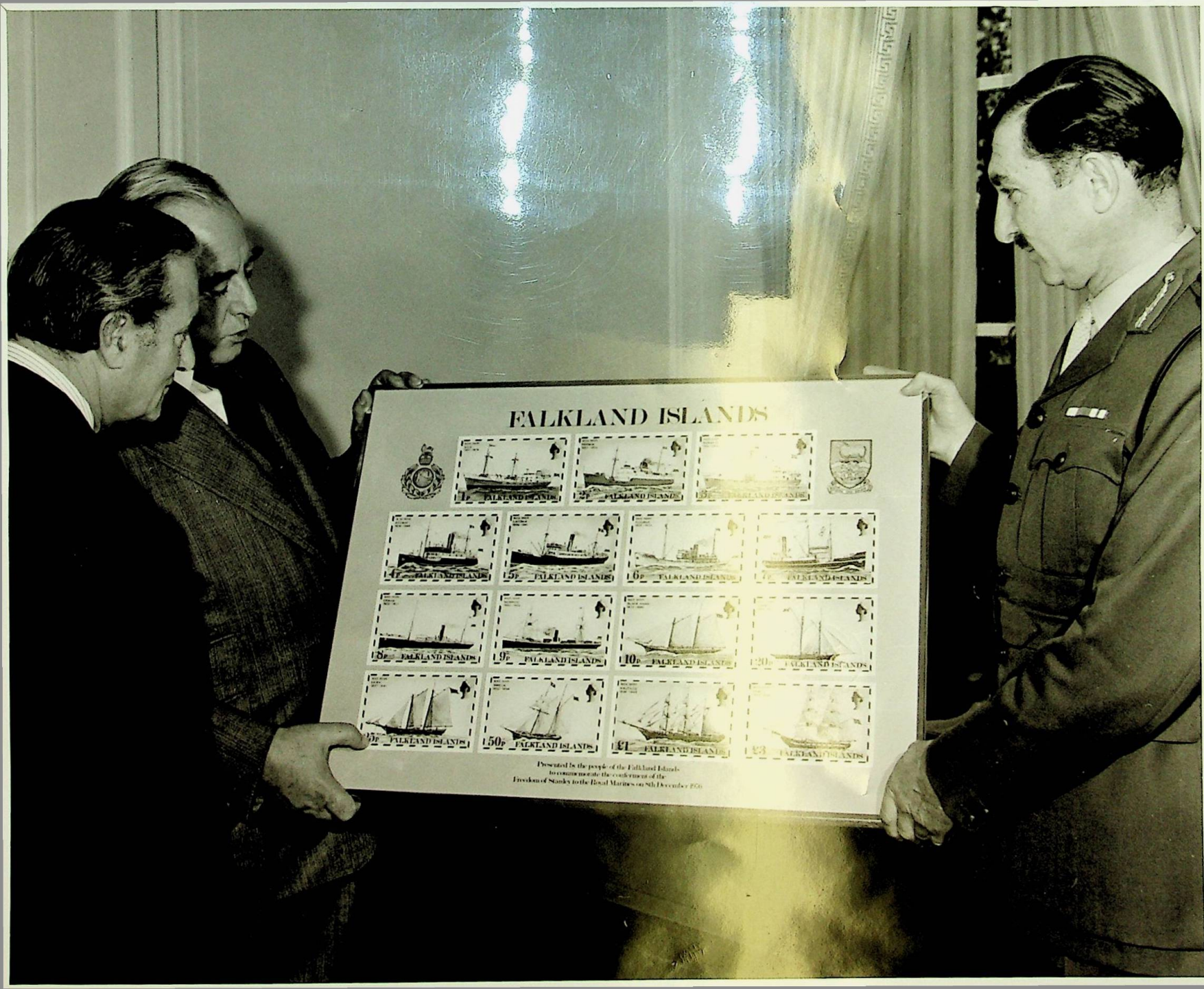
I apologise for the slight delay in sending you these prints
and trust you will find them pleasing and useful.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely

(E J SIMS)

Mr D Morrison



FALKLAND ISLANDS



Presented by the people of the Falkland Islands
to commemorate the centenary of the
Frisland Stakes to the Royal Marines on 8th December 1956



Ref: PRT/2/13

5 January

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Major S E Southby-Tailyour RM
Officer Commanding Naval Party 8901
Moody Brook

Dear Sir,

At a reception held at the Crown Agents in October, His Excellency the Governor presented to Lt General J C C Richards, Commandant General of the Royal Marines, a set of mounted prints, suitably framed, of the current Falkland Islands definitive stamp issue featuring mail ships. This presentation was in commemoration of the conferment of the Freedom of Stanley on the Royal Marines. The presentation of prints was in place of the artwork of the issue, which has to stay with the printer during the life of the issue.

I have pleasure in sending you a colour print of this important event.

Yours faithfully,

D R Morrison
for Chief Secretary

NEWS ITEM

At a reception held at the Crown Agents in October of last year, His Excellency the Governor presented to Lt. General J. C. C. Richards, Commandant General of the Royal Marines, a set of mounted prints, suitably framed, of the current Falkland Islands definitive stamp issue to commemorate the conferment of the freedom of Stanley on the Royal Marines on 8th December 1976. The presentation of the prints was in place of the original artwork of the issue which was expertly undertaken by Mr. John Smith of Stanley, as this is required to remain with the stamp printers during the life of the issue. Photographs recording the presentation are on display in the foyer of the Secretariat building.

The Secretariat,
Stanley.

12th January, 1979.

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New Definitive Series Part II

Release: January 29, 1979
Printer: Harrison & Sons
Designer: Gordon Drummond
Process: Photogravure

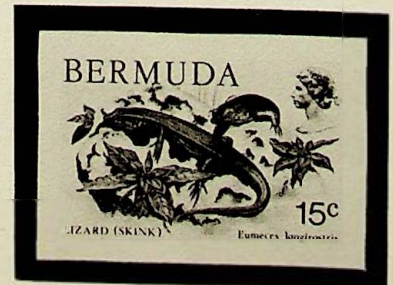
Cost per one set = U. S. \$3.88

Values: 7c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 30c, \$3

Pane: 50 (2 x 25)
Size: 1.6765 x 1.12"
Watermark: CA Spiral

Designs:- 7c - Whistling (Tree Frog)
10c - Spiny Lobster
12c - Land Crab

15c - Rock Lizard
30c - Monarch Butterfly
\$3 - Green Turtle



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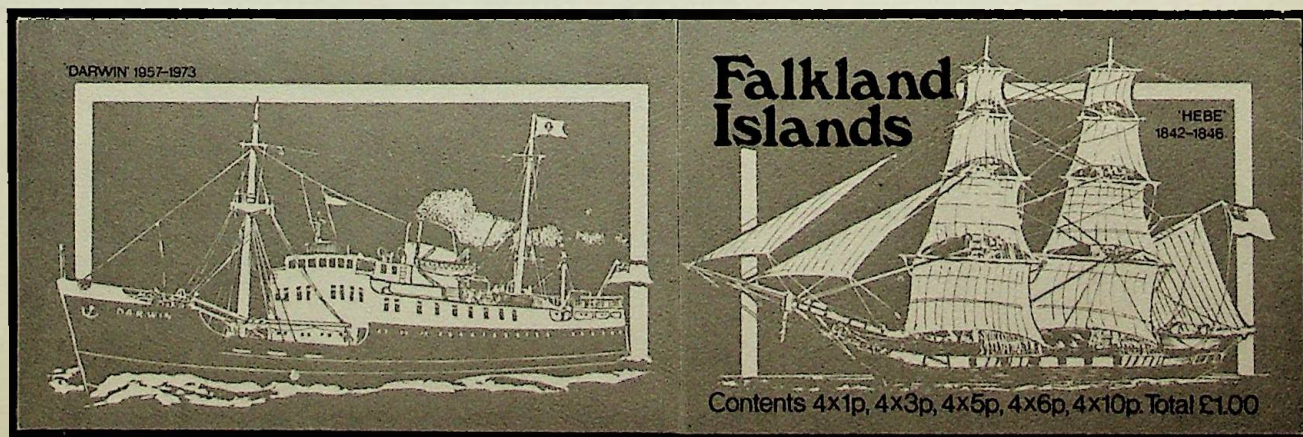
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FALKLAND £1 DEFINITIVE BOOKLET

Price per one booklet = U. S. \$2.00

This booklet contains 4 x 1p, 4 x 3p, 4 x 5p, 4 x 6p, and 4 x 10p stamps totalling £1. This issue depicting Mail Ships was produced from watercolors by Mr. John Smith a local marine historian, whose interest, knowledge and artistic ability enabled the Crown Agents to produce an issue featuring Mail Ships of the Falkland Islands.

Dealers please note that this is the first Definitive Booklet from Falkland Islands.





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Captain Cook's Voyages

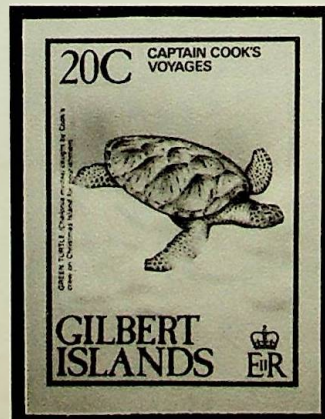
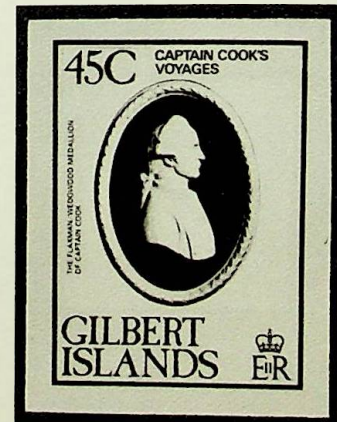
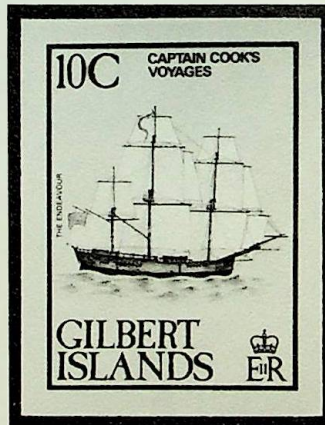
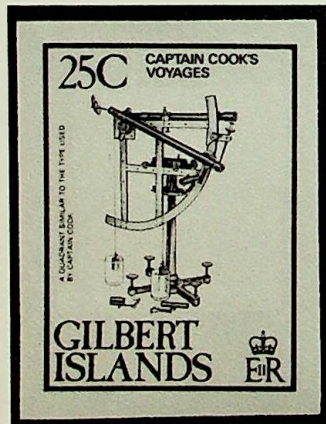
Cost per one set = U. S. \$1.17

Values: 10c, 20c, 25c, 45c

Release: January 15, 1979
Designer: Walsall Security Printers
Printer: Walsall Security Printers
Process: Lithography

Pane: 50
Size: 51.00 x 37.90 mm

- Designs:
- 10c - The Endeavor
 - 20c - Green Turtle caught by Cook's crew on Christmas Island
 - 25c - A Quadrant
 - 45c - Flaxman - Wedgwood Medallion (Embossed)



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SOLOMON ISLANDS

Captain Cook's Voyages

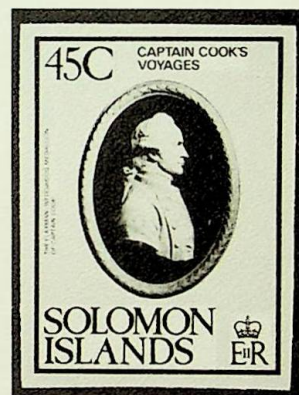
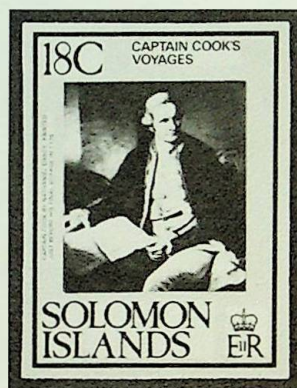
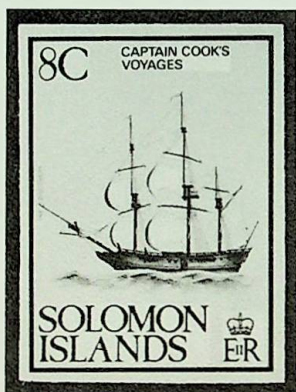
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Designer: Walsall Security Printers
Printer: Walsall Security Printers

Designs: 8c - The Discovery
18c - Captain Cook - painted
by Nathaniel Dance, 1776

Cost per one set = U. S. \$1.24
Values: 8c, 18c, 35c, 45c

Process: Lithography
Pane: 50
Size: 51.00 x 37.90 mm

35c - A Sextant
45c - Flaxman -
Wedgwood Medallion (Embossed)



BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

Penguins

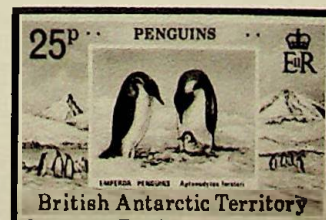
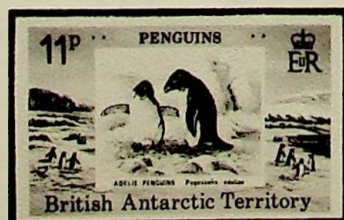
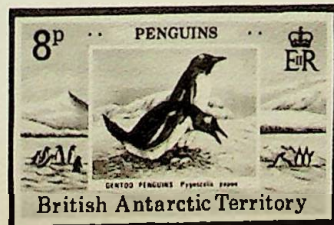
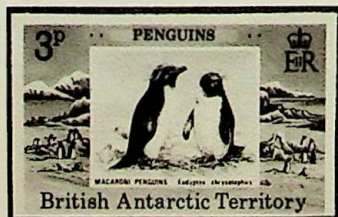
Release: January 17, 1979
Designer: Gordon Drummond
Printer: Walsall Security Printers
Process: Lithography

Designs: - 3p - Macaroni Penguins
8p - Gentoo Penguins

Cost per one set = U. S. \$.95
Values: 3p, 8p, 11p, 25p

Pane: 50 (2 x 25)
Size: 31.75 x 48.26 mm
Watermark: CA

11p - Adelie Penguins
25p - Emperor Penguins



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Our Ref: PH1B/FALKLAND ISLANDS 3/01739

6 February 1979



Dear Doug

Only recently I received a few further copies of the photographs taken at the Presentation at Millbank when H.E. the Governor handed to General Richards of the Royal Marines a mounted display of your new definitive issue.

... One further copy of the colour photograph and a copy of the monotone are enclosed.

Yours sincerely

(E J SIMS)

Mr D Morrison

MR. C. I. DAVIS,
5 YORK ROAD,
ILFORD,
ESSEX,
ENGLAND.

TO: HIS EXCELLENCY J. W. PARKER,
GOVERNOR OF THE FALKLAND IS;
PORT STANLEY
FALKLAND ISLANDS.

3. MARCH 1979.

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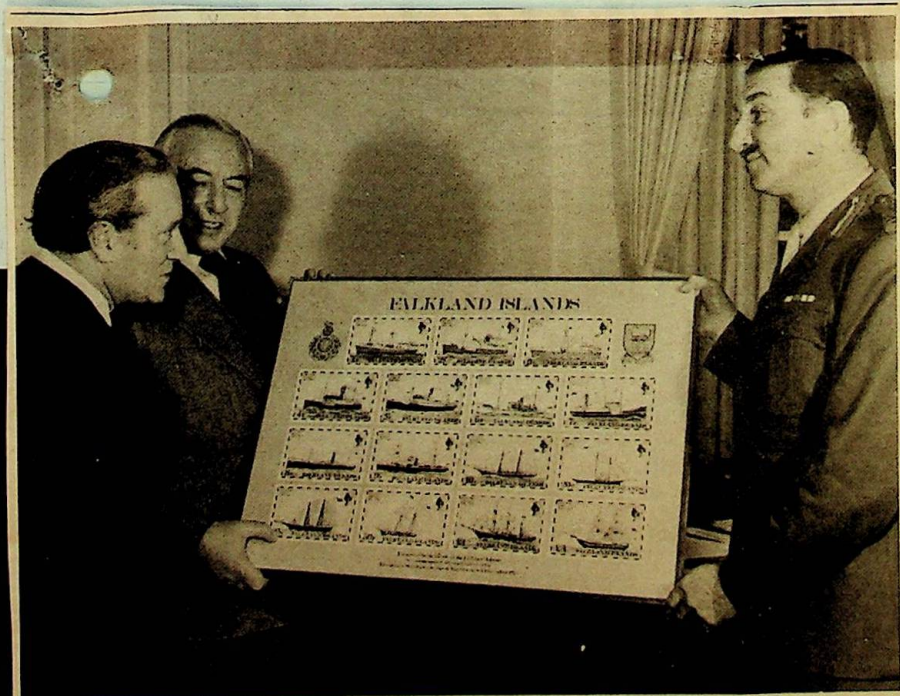
Dear Sir,

I enclose an extract from a philatelic magazine which is of great interest to me, both as a collector of stamps and especially as I am myself a Falkland Islander.

I would dearly love to own such a print. I have the stamps on First Day Covers, also mint and used condition, and this print I would treasure. Being somewhat at a loss I thought the most sensible course of action would be to contact you requesting assistance on how to obtain such a print, or even if it is possible to do so. The cost and postage, if available at all, I would gladly remit to source upon advice received concerning details of print.

I sincerely hope you can assist, or perhaps put me in contact with printing supply source. Regret necessity of taking up your time on this matter when you have far more important business, but I really felt you could assist me better than anyone else.

I am,
Yours faithfully,
C. I. Davis



At a reception held at the Crown Agents in October His Excellency J. W. Parker, CMG, OBE, Governor of the Falkland Islands presented to Lt General J. C. C. Richards, Commandant General of the Royal Marines, a set of mounted prints, suitably framed, of the current Falkland Islands definitive issue showing mailships, to commemorate the conferment of the freedom of Stanley on the Royal Marines.

Government House

PORT STANLEY

Falkland Islands

19 March 1979

C I Davis Esq
5 York Road
ILFORD
Essex

Thank you for your letter of 3 March,
addressed to His Excellency the Governor.

We do not, unfortunately, hold spare
copies of the print here, but I feel certain
that Mr Michael Vaughan of the Crown Agents
will be able to assist you in obtaining one.
His address is:-

Crown Agents Stamp Bureau
St Nicholas House
SUTTCN
Surrey.

M A M Lawrence (Miss)

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BOOKLETS

An order has been placed for a further booklet similar to the previous one with the 'Nautilus' and 'A.E.S.' on the front and back covers. Discussion followed re the production of a locally printed booklet containing 3p stamps; the Postmaster thought this would be a way of economising by utilizing remaining stocks of Kelp and Seaweed 3p and 11p stamps. It was decided further to investigate the idea of a 3p booklet. Crown Agents advise to be requested on this matter.



**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

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ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,
SUTTON, SURREY, SMI 1EL

TELEPHONE 01-643 3311

TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE ~~XXXX~~
PH2/1010/20

22 May 1979.

Mr D R Morrison
The Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS.



Dear Sir

FALKLAND ISLANDS SHIPS DEFINITIVE.

We are writing to say that we have been in touch with the Catalogue Editor at Stanley Gibbons about the credit for the design of the Ships stamps.

2 The Catalogue Editor will give a suitable credit to John Smith in the 1980 Elizabethan catalogue and alterations to their other publications will be made at the earliest opportunity.

3 We trust that John Smith will be pleased to hear that he is now being included and we regret that our original publicity did not make his involvement clear.

Yours faithfully

J. P. Lanigan.

MRS J P LANIGAN
Advertising and Publicity Manager
for the Crown Agents.

SU/JIG/22.

16th June

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Mr John Smith
Stanley

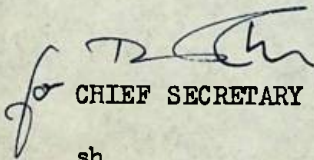
Dear Sir

You will be pleased to know that I have heard from the Crown Agents Stamp Bureau to the effect that they have been in touch with the catalogue editor at Stanley Gibbons about the credit for the design of the Mail Ships issue.

2. The catalogue editor will give a suitable credit to you in the 1980 Catalogue and alterations to their other publications will be made at the earliest opportunity.

3. I sincerely hope that this will rectify any erroneous impression given by the reference to Mr Granger Barrett in the current catalogue.

Yours faithfully


CHIEF SECRETARY
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NO.212 FOR FORDHAM YRTEL 14th PLEASE SEND AIRPOST 5000 STAMPS BAT
DEFINITIVE 1P AND 5000 FALKLANDS DEFINITIVE 3P AND BY SEAMAIL
5000 EACH BAT 1½P, 2P, 5P AND 50,000 FALKLANDS DEFINITIVE 3P

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FOR CHIEF SEC

YOUR TEL 18TH 5000 FALKLAND DEFIN 3P POSTED TODAY HAVE ONLY 6000
FULL SETS LEFT CAN SUPPLY 65000 OF 1P AND 25000 OF 2P IF YOU
REQUIRE.

BAT DEFIN 1P, 1.1/2P 2P WILL STOCK CAN SUPPLY 5000 OF 5P
N FORDHAM DEPT PH3 CROWN SUTTON

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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations
ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Mr D R Morrison
The Secretariat
Port Stanley
Falkland Islands
SOUTH ATLANTIC

Our ref PH1N/FALK IS 3/01739/1



27 June 1979

Dear Doug,

DEFINITIVE STAMP ISSUE

(26A)

... Please find enclosed a copy of the latest reprint price schedule for your current definitive issue, updated to 1 January 1979 in accordance with the Crown Agents Price Variation Clause.

2 In case you are not already aware, the printing material for your previous definitive issue is still being held at Harrisons, and I would be grateful if you could give written authority fairly shortly for destruction of this material.

Yours sincerely

M. Vaughan

M VAUGHAN

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STAMPS

Principal **FALKLAND ISLANDS.**

Details of issue **New Definitive.**
(Mail Ships).

Requisition **3/01739/1.**

Size of stamp **.28.45 x .42.58.**

Set **50.**

Printed by **THE HOUSE OF QUESTA.**

Denominations **1p. 2p. 3p. 4p. 5p.**

6p. 7p. 8p. 9p. 10p.

20p. 25p. 50p. £1. £3.

(All printed 5 cols.)

Process **Lithography.**

Paper Type **CA Watermarked.**

Watermark

RATES AT 1ST JANUARY 1979.

	Quantity (in 1,000s)									
		25.	50.	100.	200.	500.				
Printed 5 colours.	5	£11.68	£5.83	£2.93	£2.21	£1.52				

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17th July

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M Vaughan
Crown Agents
St Nicholas House
Sutton
Surrey SM1 1EL

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FLOWER DEFINITIVE ISSUE

I refer to paragraph 2 of your letter of 27th June ref PH1N/FALK IS 3/01739/1 and hereby authorise you to destroy the printing material held by Harrisons.

Yours sincerely


CHIEF SECRETARY

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Philart Productions Ltd

Publishers of first-day and souvenir covers, and maximum cards; philatelic designers and service agents
11 BERMONDSEY STREET, LONDON SE1 2JT
TELEPHONE: 01-407 0710

BANKERS: National Westminster, 6 Fitzroy Square, London W1P 6DX
Account No. 02415674
National Giro, Account No. 505 2157
Company Registration: England No. 867070
Value-added Tax: No. 236 1193 79
Registered Office: 49a, Station Road, Edgware.
Directors: Edgar Lewy, Lilly Lewy.

The Head Postmaster
Port Stanley
Falkland Islands

23 July 79

Dear Sir ,

One of our clients in Europe has approached us with the following request:-

He ordered a surplus of sets of the current Ships definitive stamps of the Falkland Islands, and has about 400 complete sets surplus to his requirements.

~~your~~ He has asked us to find out if we can dispose of them, but of course ~~your~~ orders are taken care of by the Crown Agents and they cannot take this quantity back into stock.

We write to ask if it is possible for you to accept these stamps - if necessary with a discount - for credit against future issues of the Falklands, e.g. the forthcoming Rowland Hill stamps, the I Y C issue or similar. He would require 2500 sets and sheets of Hill, and about 2000 of I Y C.

If you can arrange this, we will make arrangements for you to receive the stamps by the next possible means, but we would appreciate your early reply, so that we can adjust the order with the Crown Agents in accordance.

With many thanks

Yours truly

Philart Productions Ltd

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10th August

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Marketing Manager,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.

Dear Sirs,

I attach a copy of a letter from Philart Productions Limited asking us to take back 400 sets of the Falklands definitive and would welcome your advice as to whether we should do this sort of thing.

I also attach an extract from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office memorandum on Postage Stamp Policy which indicates that it is sometimes necessary to give credit against the purchase of subsequent issues. We have no legislation on this subject, but this is something we can have the consultant look at who is to advise us on our Philatelic Bureau.

There is the point that sales by you involve us in a payment of commission of $17\frac{1}{2}\%$, and we are not complaining about that, but presumably we must take this into consideration when taking back stamps. On the other hand we realise that selling stamps is a business and we may have to come to terms with dealers in order to maintain their goodwill and for the sake of the market.

I welcome your advice on Philart's request in particular and on the subject in general.

Yours faithfully,


CHIEF SECRETARY

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10th August 79

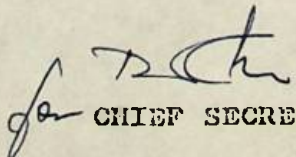
Philart Productions Ltd.,
11, Bermondsey Street,
LONDON, SE1 2JT.

Dear Sirs,

The Postmaster has passed me your letter of 23rd July about the return of 400 sets of the Falklands definitive issue.

As we have not, as yet, enacted legislation for the newly created Philatelic Bureau, we are seeking advice from London and will let you have a reply as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,


for CHIEF SECRETARY

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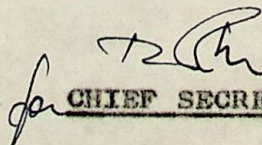
Chief Secretary

Postmaster

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U.N. Children's Fund

This memo authorises the write-off of one official First Day Cover of the Definitive issue costing 76p for presentation to the above fund.


CHIEF SECRETARY



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Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations
ST NICHOLAS HOUSE SUTTON SURREY SM1 1EL
TELEPHONE 01-643 3311 TELEX 267103 TELEGRAMS CROWN SUTTON

Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
FALKLAND ISLANDS
South Atlantic

Our ref PH3/FALKLAND IS
Your ref
Date 6 September 1979

Dear Sir

PHILART PRODUCTS LTD

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Thank you for your letter of 10 August on the subject of accepting from dealers the return of their surplus quantities of mint stamps. It is probably worth making the point at the outset that surpluses only come to our attention when a dealer reckons that he has bought in (for one reason or another) more than he can sell in the foreseeable future and wishes to regularise the position with minimal loss to himself. He would not be trying to claim relief if bumper profits were around the corner.

2 There are no absolute rules governing the matter and for our part we would consider this as being appropriate: each case needs to be considered on its merits in the prevailing circumstances. Clearly, instances should be few and far between for otherwise dealers would soon discover and exploit any position (even guide-lines) which happened to suit them. But even the rare occasions need to be scrutinised to prevent abuse.

3 The present case does not, in our opinion, justify returning "surplus" requirements. The European dealer in question has already approached us direct and we refused the facility because although the stamps were ordered on 13 March 1978, it was over one year later before he requested that they be accepted back for credit. It clearly was not a simple case of over-ordering erroneously. We do not recommend that you agree to accept these stamps back for credit, as the dealer in question is already committed to purchasing 2,000 sets and souvenir sheets of the Rowland Hill issue. The dealer is not a large regular customer for the stamps of Falkland Islands, purchasing normally thematics, for which they again are committed to supply to their standing order customers only.

4 A credit given now will mean a loss of future revenue.

5 Turning now to more general considerations, we would comment that the dealers network has a tendency to become remarkably close-knit when mutual benefit is discernible and it is not difficult to see how small surpluses might be channelled to one significant trading-house who would act on behalf of several in an attempt to gain refunds. Stamp dealing is an intricate business and we

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From: THE CROWN AGENTS

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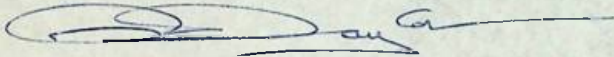
To Chief Secretary.....

Date 6 September 1979.....

do not think that soft, flexible sales policies would be to the long-term benefit of the Crown Agents Stamp Bureau or the Principals for whom we act.

6 We maintain close contacts with all major dealers and philatelic correspondents and by these means we hope to be able to gauge the macro-market situation. Only against this background, we suggest, is the evaluation of an individual request for special treatment likely to be objective and meaningful.

Yours faithfully



B A R TAYLOR
for the Crown Agents

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21st September 79

Philart Productions Ltd.,
11, Bermondsey Street,
LONDON, SE1 2JT.

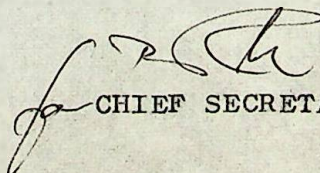
Dear Sir,

Please refer to your letter of 23rd July and my interim reply of 10th August.

We have looked closely at your request to take back about 400 sets of the current definitive set for credit against future issues and very much regret to have to inform you that we cannot agree to accept these stamps.

I hope this decision does not inconvenience your client too much, and that he will soon find a ready market for the stamps.

Yours faithfully,


CHIEF SECRETARY

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FOR CHIEFSEC

PLEASE ADVISE WHEN WE CAN EXPECT TO RECEIVE 20 X PDSTG 1 DEFIN
STAMPS SENT TO YOU A/MAIL 395545 JAN '78 AND 60 X 50P S.G.
DEFIN REQUESTED 30 MARCH '79 ALSO 50 EACH 1/2P 1P 1.1/2P
PDS STG 1, B.A.T DEFIN SENT A/MAIL 509615 JUNE '78 ALL C.T.O

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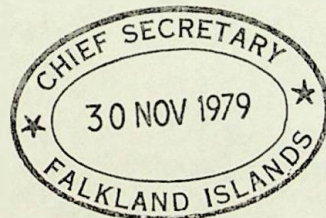
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for advice*

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November 29th 1979

CARTERS COTTAGE
32 John Street
Stanley

The Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley



Dear Sir,

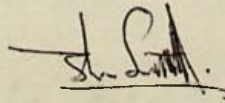
I refer to your letter ref P&T/2/13 dated 4th June 1979, and to my letter of October 30th 78.

b. The 1980 edition of the Stanley Gibbons catalogue still continues to give credit for the design of the Falkland Islands definitive Mail Ships to Granger Barrett. There is no reference to the part which my paintings played in the issue.

c. I appreciate that this situation poses difficulties, but quite frankly I am getting fed up with seeing my work appearing under someone else's name. As I have previously pointed out, this state of affairs casts some doubts as to my integrity, especially outside of the Colony.

d. I would once again point out, that the matter of payment for the First Day Covers which were prepared from my original artwork, still remains outstanding.

Yours faithfully,


John Smith

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MEMORANDUM

Date ... 6. December 1979.....

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It is requested that this number and date should be quoted.

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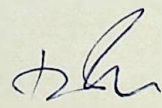
Chief Secretary

To

Acting Postmaster

Subject :-

Please pay Mr. John Smith £20 for the FDC design for the Definitive Issue



for Chief Secretary

6 December

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Mr. John Smith
32 John Street
Stanley

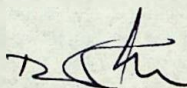
Dear Sir

Thank you for your letter of 29 November 1979.

I am indeed sorry that the most recent edition of the Gibbons catalogue makes no reference to the fact that the stamps were from original art work produced by you. The Crown Agents assured me in their letter of 22 May 1979 that the Stanley Gibbons catalogue Editor would give you a suitable credit. I shall take up with the Crown Agents this omission and see what can be done about it. I had hoped it had all been settled.

I have asked the Acting Postmaster to pay you £20 for the First Day Cover design and apologise for the oversight in not making payment before this.

Yours faithfully



for Chief Secretary

Mrs. J. P. Lanigan,
Advertising and Publicity Manager,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.


Dear Madam,

FAKLAND ISLANDS SHIPS DEFINITIVE

You wrote on 22nd May ⁽¹⁰⁾ to say that the Catalogue Editor at Stanley Gibbons would be giving credit to local artist John Smith from whose detailed drawings R. Granger Barrett prepared designs for the Ship issue.

I have been approached by John Smith who has complained that nothing has been done along the lines given in your letter, and he naturally asks that the matter again be taken up with Stanley Gibbons.

Yours faithfully,


CHIEF SECRETARY

MEMORANDUM

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Reference P.T. 12/13

Date 17th January, 1980

It is requested that this number and date should be quoted.

From Ag Postmaster

Chief Secretary



Subject:-

Mailships Definitive Issue

We are about to enter a small crisis due to a shortage of 3p stamps.

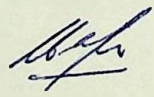
The 3p values in the Airport and Rowland Hill Issues were exhausted shortly after the three months counter sale and despite an increase in the stock of the UPU Issue I expect we will sell out of this value before the end of this month.

The 3p definitive stocks are also low and the sales of which have now been restricted and we are attempting to utilise 1p and 2p stocks but this is not always acceptable to the customer.

In an effort to fill the gap until the Dolphins Issue is released I attach the draft telegram.

KW

We must have a reprint of the 3p value as soon as possible as we cannot fall back on this value in the Postmarks Issue. We appear to be well off for stocks of the remaining ships values but the Crown Agents might like to consider their requirements, in which case we would be obliged to sell the all reprint values. We initially require 100,000 3p stamps which should last us for 2 years.


Ag Postmaster

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LTF

CROWN SUTTON

cc Phil B.

NO.

PLEASE FORWARD AS MANY AS POSSIBLE 3P VALUES
UPU AND MAILSHIPS ISSUES SOONEST AND FORWARD ALL
REMAINING 3P UPU STOCKS AFTER ISSUE WITHDRAWN

CHIEFSEC


Issue re
[Signature]
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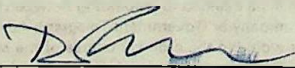
MAILSHIPS ISSUES SOONEST AND FORWARD ALL REMAINING 3P UPU

STOCKS AFTER ISSUE WITHDRAWN

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YRTEL 21 JANUARY OUR STOCKS ON 3P DEFIN AND UPU ARE LOW.
SUGGEST YOU CONSIDER REPRINT PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST=
FORDHAM CROWN SUTTON

JS

Pl copy to the Bureau

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NO. 38 FOR FORDHAM REPRINT 3P COLONY DEFINITIVE STAMPS AUTHORISED OUR REQUIREMENTS 100,000 STAMPS

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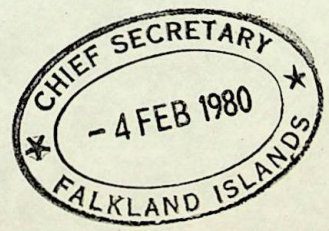


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GILBERT CROWN CRAWLEY

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**CROWN AGENTS
STAMP BUREAU**

ST. NICHOLAS HOUSE,
SUTTON, SURREY, SMI 1EL

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TELEX No. 267103

CABLES "CROWN SUTTON"

OUR REFERENCE ~~PH2~~ PH2/1010/20

4 February 1980

Your Ref: P&T/2/13



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Mr D R Morrison
The Secretariat
Stanley
Falkland Islands
South Atlantic

Dear Sir

FALKLAND ISLANDS "SHIPS" DEFINITIVE

Thank you for your letter dated 11 December 1979 about John Smith and the "Ships" definitive stamp designs.

2 I have spoken to the Assistant Catalogue Editor at Stanley Gibbons who has assured me that John Smith received due credit in the 1980 edition of the Elizabethan Catalogue. The British Commonwealth Catalogue will be altered before the next edition is printed.

3 The Assistant Catalogue Editor is supplying us with a copy of the Elizabethan Catalogue and on receipt I shall send you a photocopy of the relevant page. I hope that this will enable you to answer John Smith's complaint.

Yours faithfully

J.P. Lanigan

MRS J P LANIGAN
Advertising and Publicity Manager
for the Crown Agents

Bu 10/3/80

Bu 24/3/80

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DCS *DLH*
14/3/80

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14-3-80 1540 TLX 1062

FOR THE ATTN OF MR DOUG MORRISON

OUR REF PHIN FALK IS 0/02117/1

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REF YR CAB NO 38 DATED 24 JAN TO FORDHAM PLEASE NOTE THAT
REPRINTING 3P DEFINITIVE STAMPS COMPLETED.

TEN PERCENT GOODOVERS PRODUCED (11,500 STAMPS)
WILL ADD TO YOUR SUPPLY OF 100,000 UNLESS OTHERWISE
INSTRUCTED BY RETURN

REGARDS CHRIS PENRY DEPT PH1 CROWN SUTTON

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JM

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Copy to PH for advice pl*

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*Copied
llw 18/3/80*

*DLH
18/3/80*

25th March

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Mrs. J. P. Lanigan,
Advertising and Publicity Manager,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.

Dear Madam,

FALKLAND ISLANDS "SHIPS" DEFINITIVE

Thank you for your letter ⁽⁴⁵⁾reference PH2/1010/20
of 4th February 1980 from which I note that you will
be sending a photocopy of the relevant page from the
Elizabethan catalogue of Stanley Gibbons.

In case this has been overlooked may I remind
you that to date the photocopy has not been received.

Yours faithfully,


CHIEF SECRETARY

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FOR THE ATTN OF CHIEFSEC

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OUR REF PH3/FALKLAND

USA DEALER WISHES TO AFFIX 13,000 OF THE 8P VALUE DEFIN TO
PRIVATE COVERS AND DESPATCH TO YOU FOR CANCELLATION.
WILLING TO PAY SERVICE CHARGE 5 US CENTS PER COVER PLUS RETURN
A/FREIGHT. WILL CONFIRM BY LETTER IF PROJECT ACCEPTED. GRATEFUL
FOR EARLY REPLY PLEASE

MRS M SPOOR DEPT PH3 CROWN SUTTON

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JM

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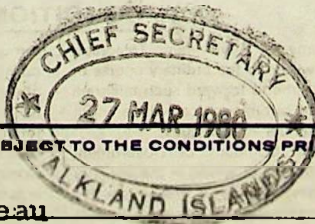
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 NO 129 FOR MRS M SPOOR DEPT PH3 REYR TELEX
 1880 25TH INSTANT. CONFIRM OFFER ACCEPTABLE. PLEASE
 ENSURE DEALER HAS AIRFREIGHT CHARGES PAID THROUGH TO
 FALKLANDS AND NOT BUENOS AIRES WHEN DESPATCHING.

CHIEFSEC

cc Secretariat File



I REQUEST THAT THE ABOVE TELEGRAM BE FORWARDED SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM BY WHICH I AGREE TO BE BOUND.

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CA Ref: PH2/1010/20

Your Ref: P&T/2/13

23 May 1980

Dear Sir

FALKLAND ISLANDS SHIP DEFINITIVE



I refer to your letter dated 25 March 1980.

2 I apologise for the delay in providing the photo-copy of the Falkland Islands page from Stanley Gibbons Elizabethan Catalogue.

3 After many reminders to Stanley Gibbons the catalogue reached me today and you will find enclosed the relevant photo-copy. As you will see John Smith is shown as the designer. The British Commonwealth catalogue will be amended before the next edition is published.

Yours faithfully

MRS J P LANIGAN
Advertising & Publicity Manager
for the Crown Agents Stamp Bureau

JPL/MRD

FALKLAND ISLANDS

1975 (31 Dec). *New Coinage. Horiz designs each showing coin as T 59. Multicoloured. Wmk Block CA (sideways)*. P 14 (C).*

Des G. Drummond. Litho Questa.

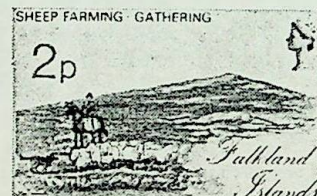
316E	2p. Type 59	..	..	12	12
	Ei. Wmk Crown to right	..	..	22.00	
317	5½p. Gentoo penguin	..	..	30	30
318	8p. Upland goose	..	..	45	45
319	10p. Albatross	..	..	55	55
320	16p. Sea-lion	..	..	90	90
316.20	..	..	Set of 5	2.10	2.10

*The normal sideways watermark shows Crown to left of CA, as seen from the back of the stamp.

Plate Nos.: 5½p. 1C (x5); 8p. 1B (x5), others 1A, 1B (each x5)
Sheets: 25 (5 x 5)

Imprint: Right-hand corner, bottom margin and left-hand corner, top margin

Withdrawn: 30.3.76



60 Gathering Sheep

1976 (28 Apr). *Sheep Farming Industry. T 60 and similar horiz designs. Multicoloured. Wmk CA Diagonal (sideways)*. P 13½ (C).*

Des PAD Studio. Litho J.W.

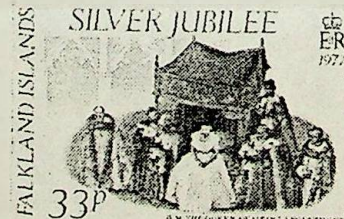
321	2p. Type 60	..	..	10	10
322	7½p. Shearing	..	..	40	40
323	10p. Dipping	..	..	65	65
324	20p. Shipping	..	..	1.25	1.25

Plate Nos.: 2p. 1C, 1D (each x4); 20p. 1A, 1B (each x4) others 1C (x4)

Sheets: 25 (5 x 5)

Imprint: Right-hand corner, bottom margin

Withdrawn: 27.7.76



16 The Queen awaiting Anointment

1977 (7 Feb—1 Nov). *Silver Jubilee. T 61 and similar horiz designs. Multicoloured. P 13½ (C).*

Des. M. and G. Shamir; adapted J. W. Ltd. Litho Questa.

(a) *Wmk CA Diagonal (sideways).*

325	6p. Visit of Prince Philip, 1957..	..	..	25	30
326	11p. Queen Elizabeth, ampulla and anointing spoon ..	..	..	45	50
	a. Booklet pane of 4 with blank margins (1.11.77)..	..	..	2.40	
327	33p. Type 61 ..	..	..	1.25	1.40
	a. Booklet pane of 4 with blank margins (1.11.77) ..	..	..	5.00	

(b) *Wmk Block CA (sideways) from Booklet No. B1 (1.11.77).*

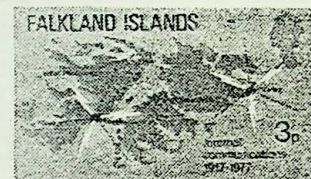
327b	6p. Visit of Prince Philip, 1957 ..	..	..	60	
	ba. Booklet pane. of 4 with blank margins ..	..	..	2.40	

Plate Nos.: 6p. 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D (each x4); 11p. 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D (each x6); 33p. 1C, 1D (each x5)

Sheets: 25 (5 x 5)

Imprint: Right-hand corner, bottom margin and left-hand corner, top margin

Withdrawn: 6.2.78



17 Map of Falkland Islands

1977 (24 Oct). *Telecommunications. T 17 and similar horiz designs. Multicoloured. Wmk CA Diagonal (sideways)*. P 14½ (C).*

Des K. Penny. Litho Questa.

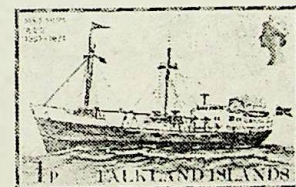
328	3p. Type 17	..	..	12	12
329	11p. Ship to shore communications ..	..	..	45	50
330	40p. Telex and telephone service ..	..	..	1.50	1.60

Plate Nos.: 11p. 1A, 1B (each x5); others 1C, 1D (each x4)

Sheets: 50 (2 panes 5 x 5)

Imprint: Right-hand corner, bottom margin and left-hand corner, top margin

Withdrawn: 23.1.78



18 A.E.S., 1957-74

1978 (25 Jan). *Mail Ships. T 18 and similar horiz designs. Multicoloured. Wmk CA Diagonal (sideways)*. P 14 (C).*

Des J. Smith; adapted R. Granger Barrett. Litho Questa.

331	1p. Type 18 (a) ..	..	..	5	5
332	2p. Darwin, 1957-73 (a) ..	..	..	5	5
333E	3p. Aterak-N, 1951-52 (a) ..	..	..	5	5
	Ei. Wmk Crown to right of CA ..	..	..	27.00	
334	4p. Fitzroy, 1936-57 (a) ..	..	..	8	8
335	5p. Lafonia 1936-41 (a) ..	..	..	8	10
336	6p. Fleurus, 1924-33 (a) ..	..	..	10	12
337	7p. S.S. Falkland, 1914-34 (a) ..	..	..	12	15
338	8p. Oravia, 1900-12 (a) ..	..	..	15	15
339	9p. Memphis, 1890-97 (a) ..	..	..	15	20
340	10p. Black Hawk, 1873-80 (a) ..	..	..	20	20
341	20p. Foam, 1863-72 (a) ..	..	..	35	40
342	25p. Fairy, 1857-61, (a) ..	..	..	45	50
343	50p. Amelia.1852-4 (a) ..	..	..	85	1.00
344	£1 Nautilus, 1846-8 (a) ..	..	..	1.75	2.00
345	£3 Hebe, 1842-6 (a) ..	..	..	5.25	5.75
331.45	..	..	Set of 15	9.00	10.00

*The normal sideways watermark shows Crown to left of CA, as seen from the back of the stamp.

Printing: (a) 25.1.78

Plate Nos.: 3p., 6p., 8p., 9p., 20p., 25p. 1A, 1B (each x4); £1 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D (each x4); others 1C, 1D (each x4)

Sheets: 50 (2 panes 5 x 5)

Imprint: Right-hand corner, bottom margin and left-hand corner, top margin

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THE SECRETARIAT,

STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS,

SOUTH ATLANTIC.

REF: P&T/2/13

It is requested that the number and date should be quoted.

..... 5 June 19 80

Mr John Smith
Stanley

Dear Sir,

I enclose a copy of a page from the Stanley Gibbons Elizabethan Catalogue which shows you as designer of the Mail Ships issue. The British Commonwealth catalogue will be amended before the next edition is published.

Yours faithfully,

D R Morrison
for CHIEF SECRETARY



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Mr D L Clifton
Philatelic Bureau
Post Office
Port Stanley
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Our Ref. PH1/1618P
Your Ref. PH3/FALKLAND/DEFIN

29 January 1981

Dear Mr Clifton,

REPRINT 50p DEFINITIVE STAMP

Please refer to your letter of 13 January 1981 to Mary Spoor of our Stamp Bureau. I have been advised that our Bureau is quite happy with the 8,000x50p stamps which you have supplied to them, which keeps their stocks at an adequate level. Therefore our Bureau will not require a reprint of this value.

2 However, should your stocks require topping-up, please ask Doug Morrison to order a reprint from us.

Yours sincerely

MRS J SMITH
Department PH1

939 - 1/100 - 20/100
1251 - 1/100 - 20/100
2190 - 10 null.

Present stock 2985 should last until Dec '81
Require - 25,000

MEMORANDUM

P&T/2/13

Reference

It is requested that this number and date should be quoted.

Date 20th February 1981

From Postmaster

To Deputy Chief Secretary

Subject:-

MAILSHIPS DEFINITIVE REPRINT - 50P

I attach a recent letter from Mrs J Smith of the Crown Agents.

Our present stocks of the 50p definitive will only see us through until the end of this year and we will require upwards of 7,000 of this value to see us through until the issue is replaced in 1984.

As I am unsure of the philatelic demand for a high value reprint I suggest that initially we require 25,000.

All other values of the Mailships series are adequate enough to see us through until replacement of the issue.

[Signature]
Postmaster

25th February

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Mrs. Janice Smith,
Crown Agents Stamp Bureau,
St. Nicholas House,
Sutton,
Surrey, SM1 1EL.

Dear Janice,

MAILSHIPS DEFINITIVE REPRINT

Please refer to your letter ⁽⁵¹⁾PH1/1618P of 29th January to Mr. Clifton about a reprint of the Mailships Issue.

A check of the Postmaster's stocks shows that he has ample stocks to last the life of the issue (1984) except for the 50p. The Post Office is unsure of the philatelic demand and suggest we go for 25,000 stamps.

Will you please take this as authority for a reprint of the 50p stamp of the Mailships issue with 25,000 stamps as our requirement.

Yours sincerely,

for 
CHIEF SECRETARY

c.c. Postmaster

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8/4/31 12.07 TL X NR 264

FOR ATTENTION OF MR DOUG MORRISON

OUR REF TO BE QUOTED IN REPLY PH1/FALK STAMPS 1/40325

REYRLET P AND T/2/13 25TH FEBRUARY REPRINT
50P DEFINITIVES.

Ref
8/4

QUESTA PROCEEDING ESTIMATE DELIVERY MID-MAY.
SHALL WE DESPATCH BY AIR OR TRY FOR DELIVERY ON AES
MID-MAY ?

REGARDS
JANICE SMITH DEPT PH1
CROWN SUTTON

PMB

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Our Ref. PH1/FALKSTAMP 1/40325/1

Your Ref. P&T/2/13

10 April 1981

Dear Mr Morrison,

"MAIL SHIPS" DEFINITIVE REPRINT

I refer to your letter ⁽⁵³⁾ dated the 25th of February requesting a reprint of 25,000 stamps of the 50p value from your "Mail Ships" Definitive.

2 The Crown Agents Stamp Bureau will require some supplies from the reprint to ensure that they hold stocks of the reprint as well as the original Definitive and consequently are able to release some of their existing stocks immediately.

3 I have therefore, asked the Bureau to despatch to you 7,000 x 50p stamps as soon as possible. The balance of your requirement (ie 18,000 stamps) have been ordered from Questa Colour Security Printers Ltd. The cost of the order is approximately £426.85 FOB aircraft (excluding cost of paper). It is anticipated that these stamps will be ready for despatch to you around the second week in May and I therefore await a reply to my telex dated the 8th April enquiring whether or not you wish me to investigate despatch on the AES or to deliver these stamps by air freight. No doubt I will have received a reply to my telex by the time you receive this letter.

Yours sincerely

JANICE SMITH

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Original sent to SPT

11/5/31 14.35 TLX NR 304

FOR THE ATTENTION OF MR BILL ETHERIDGE

OUR REF PH1N/FALK STAMPS 1/40325/1

JUST SEEN YRTLX NR 170 TO FORDHAM REF FALKLANDS
50P REPRINT. AGREE THERE WAS MISUNDERSTANDING ~~TJOS LMB~~
(FID DEFIN SENT INSTEAD OF FALKLANDS). *ENDING THIS END*

HOWEVER, IT IS OUR NORMAL PRACTISE ON RECEIPT OF A REPRINT TO
SEND ANY AVAILABLE STOCK HELD BY OUR BUREAU TO TIDE
YOU OVER WHILE REPRINTING TAKES PLACE.

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IN THIS CASE ON RECEIPT OF DOUG MORRISON'S LETTER
25/2/31 (REQUESTING 25,000 X 50P) WE ASKED OUR
BUREAU IF THEY COULD SUPPLY ANY IMMEDIATELY.
THEY SAID 7000, AND IN DUE COURSE I REQUESTED THAT THEY
BE SENT TO YOU (UNFORTUNATELY FID SENT BY MISTAKE).
THIS LEFT 18,000 TO BE REPRINTED FOR YOU, PLUS 10,000
OF THE NEW PRINTING FOR OUR BUREAU. 18,000
BEING DESPATCHED 16/5 ON 'AES'.

THIS HAS ALWAYS BEEN OUR STANDARD PROCEDURE WITH REPRINTS.

TRUST ALL OK.

REGARDS
MRS JANICE SMITH DEPT PH1
CROWN SUTTON

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12-5-81 1213 TLX 336

Copy to SPT.

ACTION

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RE OUR TELEX NR 304 SENT 14.35 (OUR TIME) ON 11TH
PLEASE READ AT END OF LINE 2

QUOTE

WAS MISUNDERSTANDING THIS END

UNQUOTE

APOLOGIES FOR ERROR

THANKS

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JM

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Mr F E Baker
Chief Secretary
The Secretariat
Stanley
Falkland Islands
South Atlantic



Ref. PH1/1618 & PH1/1918

4 August 1981

Dear Mr Baker,

BAT AND FALKLAND ISLANDS DEFINITIVES

I have pleasure in enclosing herewith a Reprint Price Schedule for the Falkland Islands "Mail Ships" Definitive and the BAT "Explorers" Definitive. The prices stated on the Schedule have been prepared by The House of Questa and are based on those prices agreed as at the 1 January 1980 with an increase of 13.52% being the certified Department of Employment increase for the period 1 January 1980 to 1 January 1981.

2 Any reprints for the stamps concerned will be placed at the prices stated plus any quarterly interim increases which are allowed under the Terms and Conditions of the Crown Agents' Price Variation Clause. The enclosed Schedules are for your information and retention.

Yours sincerely

MRS JANICE SMITH

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29/9/81 16.37 TLX NR

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CUR REF PH1N/BAT 1/40466/1A

FOR DICK BAKER CHIEF SECRETARY

RE DEFINITIVE REPRINT BOOKED ON FLT BR661 DATED 1/10/81
AWB NO 14535371 IN 1 CASE GROSS WT 25 KILOS
PLEASE ADVISE IF GOODS NOT RECEIVED

REGARDS
SMITH DEPT PH1
CROWN SUTTON

PMB

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