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Confidential

<p>Confidential</p> <p>Miss</p>
<p>No. (345) C. 6.</p>

Governor

(SUBJECT.)

1914

16th November

Captain Ole Danielsen

Mangr for Salvesen & Co at New Island.

Previous Papers.

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(MINUTES.)

Office,

As Capt Danielsen is said to have strong German sympathies the Officer-in-Charge ~~and~~ at New Island shd be instructed to watch him carefully without arousing his suspicion, and forward his mail direct to the Postmaster for the information of the Censor.

Any statements or acts of Capt Danielsen's which support the above allegation shd be noted and full particulars reported.

W. G.
16 Novr. 1914.

H.E. the Governor,

Letter dated 11th December from Dep. Collector, New Island, submitted for Your Excellency's information.

[Signature]
for C.S.
23rd Decbr. 1914.

Office *Act's Dep. Col's report hardly conclusive.*

*sent by
Evans from I
to the Post-
Mail at 4 P.M.
W.G.*

*Am.
W.G.
16.11.14*

Subsequent Papers.

W. G.
23/12/14

Captain. Ole Danielson. sent out from Norway as manager ~~for~~
for Salvesen and Co. New Island. I left Norway on
Sept. 20th on the Factory Svendfoin I (Sandefjord) I called
at Cardiff, St. Vincent, and Monte Video. I am a
Norwegian, living in Tonsberg. I have my Master's
Certificate both in Norway and England. I have never
been to the Falkland Islands before, nor to South Shetland
or South Georgia. The Svendfoin I is supposed to call
at New Island as ~~she~~ she has two water boats there, but
the Capt of the Orin told the Capt. that there were some
waterboats on Deception Island which he could use.
There are also 14 men on board Svendfoin for New
Island. If Capt. of Svendfoin is not allowed to go
to N. I. I shall have to proceed coastwise. I have
no German sympathies because I have ~~too~~ much
sense, but I read the papers and I can form
my own opinion. I left the Svendfoin in order
to get permission to go ashore.

Before I came out here, I was manager of the
Walfisch Bay Whaling Co, which is registered in Glasgow,
but run by Norwegians. I was there from April 1st to
Nov. 30th 1914.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1914.

Ole O. Danielson

Memorandum for Acting Deputy Collector at New Island.

Captain Ole Danielsen has come out from Norway to act as Manager to Messrs Salvesen and Co. at New Island.

As he is said to have strong German sympathies you are to watch him carefully but without arousing his suspicions; you are also to forward his outward mail direct to the Postmaster for the information of the Censor.

Any statements or actions of the abovementioned Captain Danielsen which seem to you to support the allegation that he is a person having strong German sympathies should be noted and reported fully.



for Colonial Secretary.

16th November, 1914.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

New Island
West Falklands
11th December 1914



Sir

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, dated 16th November 1914. "Confidential" re. Captain Ole Danielsen. I will forward his Outward mail direct to Postmaster as instructed. As far as I can see he has no German sympathies. Having to do some business with the said gentleman one evening I went to his rooms, after the business was settled. We got on to talk about the War. He was reading some pieces from a Norwegian Paper to me. Upon leaving him he expressed the wish that the next news we get will be that the Allies are victorious

As far as I can gather from Norwegians I have been in conversation with. They are very nervous of Russia taking Norway after War is finished.

The Hon.
Col. Secretary
Port Stanley.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
E. H. Bound.
Act. Dep. Collector