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To Lino Pasqual:

Sir

I am directed by H.E. the Governor to acknowledge your letter of yesterday's date, and in reply thereto to state that in consideration of your long residence in these Islands, His Excellency will accede to your request and you will therefore be permitted as long as you conduct yourself properly to remain in the Colony.

The Governor however at the same time directs me to add that he does not think proper to alter the arrangement under which you were placed on the Government Works, and that a portion of your wages (viz £3.10) will be retained in the hands of the Government to ensure your passage to Monte Video when necessary. -

Government Office  
Stanley 13<sup>th</sup> July 1855

By order of H. E. the Governor  
(signed) J. R. Douglas  
Acting Colonial Secretary

To Henry Joseph Hamblin Esquire J.P.

I hereby appoint you to act as Chairman of the Magistrates & Police Courts of this Colony respectively for the month ensuing from the date hereof -

Government House  
Stanley Falkland Islands  
16<sup>th</sup> July 1855

(signed) George Rennie  
Govr.

Government House  
Stanley 18<sup>th</sup> July 1855

Sir

I have laid before H. E. the Governor the application of Felipe Baravalle made through you to remain in these Islands. -

His Excellency desires me in reply to state that considering Baravalle's long residence here, he has no objection to his remaining in the colony on the same understanding as Lino Pasqual viz: that he shall deposit out of the wages he is now earning 3£ 10/ to provide a passage when necessary. -

I may add that I hold 1.12 already and shall require to deduct £1.10 from his wages to complete the sum.

His Excellency requests you will communicate this note to Baravalle. -

A. Andrew Esq

I am Sir

(Signed) J. N. Doyler  
Actg Colonial Secretary

Government House  
Stanley 18<sup>th</sup> July 1855

Sir

H. E. the Governor desires me to acknowledge your note of the 16<sup>th</sup> instant informing His Excellency that one of the Company's Schooners will sail for Monte Video on the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant weather permitting. -

2. - With respect to the concluding paragraph of that letter in which you say that should the Governor "be disposed to renew the proposal to carry a mail and bring back that which may arrive in August, the Company's business might be modified to accept that service on the terms heretofore named"; I am desired to say that by this proposition it appears that you intend to despatch on the Company's business a vessel to Monte Video to return to this place at dates fixed by yourself, and that for the mere conveyance of a few bags of letters and newspapers you shall require a payment of 85£. If this supposition be correct the Governor desires me to say that he cannot entertain the question for one moment. -

Government House Stanley  
22<sup>nd</sup> July 1855.

Sir

Head Constable Parry has just reported to me that Tiburcio Vera has this morning informed him that he has been refused a passage to Monte Video in the Company's schooner advertised to sail tomorrow.

Having laid this statement before His Excellency I am directed to enquire whether it is the case? & if so why he is detained here? as he is one of the men whose right to a free passage you admitted in your letter to me of the 25 May 1855, and to whom moreover as you state in your letter to the Governor of the 10<sup>th</sup> inst. you have given "notice that if they must avail themselves of the opportunity you now offer them or forfeit their right."

I have &c

Yours

Wm. Gordon  
Actg. Colonial Secy

Thos. Haversley  
Colonial Manager F. I. C.  
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