

C.S.

CUL/CEN/1#4

MISCELLANEOUS.	
No.	172/32.

1932.

C. S. O.

SUBJECT.

1932.

6th June.

Previous Paper.

Proposed commemorative medal on the occasion of the Centenary of the Colony in February, 1933.

MINUTES.

1-3. Despatch to S. of S. No. 113 of 11/6/32

6/7. 20. 9. 32

pro 20. 6. 32

cf. 15/10/32.

a. S. 20/9/32.

cf. 19/11/32.

a. S. 15/10/32.

4. Telegram from S. of S. No. 62. of 26/10/32.

G. P. Submitted with a

draft telegram in reply. [Signature]

Hon C. P. approved [Signature] 0-32 27. 10

Subsequent Paper.

Telegram to S. of S. No. ⁴⁰ of 28/10/32. 5.

The Treasurer *Ed. Johnson*
... Ag. Treasurer.

The P. O. *J.M.* 31 X 32

~~The J. P. S. ...~~ *MCB 2-11-32.*

Please see

W. J. ...

28.10.32.

Hon. Col. Sec.

Noted.

C. Roberts.
2-11-32

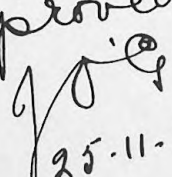
P.A.
2/11/32.

S. of S. Telegram. No. 68. of 24/11/32. 6-7.

y. s. Subtotal with a
draft telegram in reply.

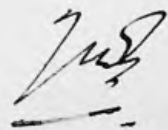
2. At this rate

The medals will cost
 $\frac{5}{12}$ at $\frac{5}{2}$ respectively
 according to class of case
 at night be placed on
 sale at $\frac{1}{6}$ at $\frac{2}{6}$,
 respectively. The cost additional
 to £100 should there be
 required.

Hon C. S.
 Approved

 25.11.32

3. The intention has been
 to issue medals free to
 the school children and old people.

25.11.32



Telegram to S. of S. No. 44 of 26R November, 1932. 8.

~~For D. P. W. C. C. 29.11.32.~~

For P. 2. 0. J. M. 30.11.32.

For Treasurers ~~W. H. Brown~~
29.11.32

Please see.

W. H. Brown
29

28. 11. 32.

W. H. 20. 1. 33

W. H. 30. 11. 32

Telegram from S. of S. No. 2. of 2/1/33. 9.

✓⁴⁵ Schilke for information.

Hou C. S.

Noted J. M.
3.1.33

W. H.
3.1.33.

~~Hon J.R. Doherty~~ CB 5-8-33

Hon. Treasurers ~~Inc H~~ 5. 1. 33

Hon P.O. J.V.M. 5-4-33.

Please note

J.V.M.

4. 1. 33.

b.f. 20. 1. 33.

~~jud 6. 1. 33.~~

b.f. 26. 1. 33.

~~jud 20. 1. 33~~

10-11.

Letter from Cts. of 23/12/32.

Hon C. P.

I think specimens
of medals & cases
admirable

J.P. 30. 1. 33

J.P. I believe with specimens

of the medals and the cases.

28. 1. 33.

J.P.

P.A.
7/2/33

Cts. Invoice of 30/12/32
~~Original Shipping Advice~~ 12.
S. ops. despatch, no. 5 of 17/1/33. 13-15.

Mr. Treasurer

To you

J. M. H.

Hon. Col. Sec.

2.3.33.

Seen. Presumably cost will be chargeable to Appendix 1, item 8 - see note in Estimates against that item. Sales of the medal to be credited to the item as an O.P.R.

Mr. George Halliday

Treas.
6.5.33.

Mr. Treasurer

I have spoken with you
re my correction. Expenditure will be debited as you say, but receipts will be credited to Revenue.

J. M. H.
10.3.33.

Hon. Col. Sec.

Thank you.

Mr. Craigie Hadden
2
10. 1. 33

P. H. [unclear]
11. 3. 33

⑩ Duplicate shipping advice 20/1/33
Local Auditor.

to usual action please

at
23/2/33

Hon. Col. Sec.

Noted, thank you.

Gordon C. Roberts
for Local Auditor
23-2-33.

pm [unclear]
25. 3. 33.

⑪ Minute from Hon Secy 4/1/33

Y/M

Submitted

A

at present the medals in cases are sold for 2/6 and those in cardboard boxes for 1/3 each.

C. J. J.
pres.
4/12/33.

Hon. Col. Sec.

B

I concur with Hon. Director of Public Works that it would be better to try and dispose of some of the medals even at a loss instead of having so many on our hands.

I approve his suggestion.

MCS

4. 12. 33

Hon. Treasurer, Audit & Treas.
Hon. J. W. local auditor, Gordon C. T. Robert
local auditor
10 no. 6. 5th Dec. 1933

C. J. J.
pres.
4/12/33

D

Hon. Col. Sec.

The numbers of medals sold were as follows

136	3	6	£ 3-8-0
42	3	1/3	£ 3-13-0

Total £ 7-0-0 (Seven pounds)

This sum has been handed over to the secretariat. C. T. Roberts 11-12-33.

Y.B.

Submitted
this is satisfactory.

all
11/12/33

Hon. Col. Sec.

Very satisfactory.

MCH
12. 12. 33

PA
12/12/33

H. We still have a considerable number of medallions left - about 1000.

M^r Leslie Hardy made verbal enquiry as to whether the Govt. would sell them and if so he would make an offer. Some possibly should be retained for record purposes.

MCH
an es.
12. 5. 34.

Hr. C.S.
I would like $\frac{4}{5}$ of

the medals at the reduced price of £/- for myself. I enclose

4/- in payment.

2. A certain number should be kept as you suggest. Probably 25 (or 50?) would be enough.

3. Mr. Les. Hardy might be permitted then to make an offer for the remainder.

Jud

13. 3. 34.

Letter to Mr. L. Hardy. 16/3/34. 18.

~~17/3/34~~

Letter from Mr. Les Hardy 19/3/34

(19)

y.e. Submitted. Mr. Hardy offers £6 for 893 medallions which works out at a little over 1½ each. I consider his offer too low and suggest that the medallions should not be sold for less than 3s each.

McH

20. 3. 34.

Mr. L.S.

1 agree: Mr. Hardy

might fine, say, £10 for the

Stole grandly or at the rate

of 3rd class for less.

J.M.D.

20.3.34.

20 Letter to Mr. L. Hardy. 22/3/34.

~~PA
22/3/34~~

(21) Letter from Mr. L. Hardy 22/3/34

Mr. Hardy is prepared to pay £10. I suggest the offer be accepted.

MCH
ay c.s.

23.3.34

H.C.S.

Approval.

[Signature]

23. 3. 34

C.C. If Mr. Hardy pays in the sum of £10, the stock of medallions now found to be 912 in cardboard boxes may be passed over to him.

22

The 38 in leather cases should be kept for purposes of record - place them in the C.S. safe.

mch
at C.S.
24. 3. 34.

H.C.S.

Mr. Hardy called at this office to-day and collected the medallions. He also paid the amount of £10.

38 medals in leather cases have been deposited in the safe.

mch
5. 4. 34

C.C. 2/4/34.

Hon. Treasurer. *[Signature]*
Local Auditor. *[Signature]*

To note. 4 April 1934

mch
by C.S.
5. 4. 34.

P.A.
[Signature]

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

STANLEY.

11th June, 1932.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

No. 113.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that on the occasion of the Centenary of the Colony to be celebrated in February, 1933, it is proposed to strike a commemorative medal of which I annex a detailed description.

In duplicate.

2. The medal would be given free to all school-children and old people in the Colony in the total number, approximately, of six or seven hundred. It would be sold at cost price to the general public. It is estimated that in all two thousand medals would be required and that the cost of their supply would be £100 more or less.

3. I have to seek your approval of this proposal and to ask that the necessary instructions may be passed to the Crown Agents for the Colonies so that the preparation of the medal may be put in hand.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient
humble servant,

JAMES O'GRADY.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE
MIR PHILIP CUNLIFFE-LISTER,
G.B.E., P.C., M.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

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ENCLOSURE IN FALKLAND ISLANDS DESPATCH No. 113
of the 11th JUNE, 1932.

FALKLAND ISLANDS CENTENARY MEDAL.

It is suggested that a medal should be struck in commemoration of the Centenary of the Colony.

The medal would be made of bronze or other similar metal or alloy; it would be generally after the style of that struck on the occasion of Queen Victoria's Jubilee.

The medal would have a diameter of one inch and three eighths ($1\frac{3}{8}$ inches) and a thickness of one eighth of an inch ($\frac{1}{8}$ inch): It would depend from a safety pin by a length of red, white and blue ribbon affixed to a ring passing through a hole pierced in the top centre of the medal.

On the front the medal would bear the effigy of His Majesty the King and on the reverse the Arms of the Colony with the words "Falkland Islands Centenary" and the dates "1833 - 1933". A rough sketch is annexed.

It is estimated that the cost of the medal would be 1s/- a copy and that 2,000 copies would be required.

Obverse

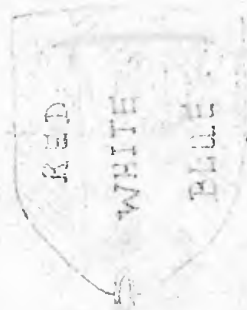


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It is presumed that the effigy of His Majesty should be crowned in accordance with the instructions contained in Lord Passfield's Circular despatch of the 5th June, 193/.

The Arms of the Colony which it is desired to have engraved on the medal are those as engraved on the Cap Badge for the Falkland Islands Defence Force as supplied under Indent 86/29 of 6th July, 1929, to wit:

Per bend. Azure and Or sinister a representation of the Ship "Desire" dimidated and issuant Argent Flag and Pennon charged with a Cross Gules, and dexter a Sea Lion proper, with the Motto "Desire the Right".



-- Pin

--- Ribbon

Falkland Islands
Crest -----

DECODE.

172/32.

TELEGRAM.

From The Secretary of State.

To His Excellency the Governor.

Despatched: 26th October, 1932. *Time:* 10.45

Received: 27th October, 1932. *Time:* 11.30

Red 3.

No. 62 Your despatch dated 11th June No. 113 has been submitted to His Majesty who has no objection Medal being struck* provided it is a Medal in a case and not one that can be worn. In these circumstances what are your wishes. Matter is urgent.

Secretary of State.

DECODE.

172/32.

TELEGRAM.

From His Excellency the Governor.

To The Secretary of State.

Despatched : 28th October, 19 32 *Time* : 11.30

Received : 19 *Time* :

Red 4.

No. ⁴⁰~~39~~

Your telegram October 26th No. 62 grateful if you will give instructions for medal to be struck as approved by His Majesty. I assume that estimated cost is approximately accurate.

Governor.

DECODE.

172/32.

TELEGRAM.

From The Secretary of State.

To The Governor.

Despatched: 24th November, 19 32. *Time:* 14.35

Received: 25th November, 19 32. *Time:* 11.00

Red 5.

No. 68.

Your telegram No. 39. Mint have arranged to supply 2,000 medals in light tone bronze at the cost of £100 exclusive of cases of which cost would be eleven shillings a gross of cardboard circular cases in either light or dark brown and twenty-five shillings a gross for larger square cases in dark brown. Suggest you select one of above for general issue. If cases of better quality are required for a number of medals they can be supplied in leatherette at about 10d each.

TELEGRAM CONTINUED.

Telegraph your wishes. Hoped medals ready for despatch
by the mail of 24th December.

Secretary of State.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

From The Governor.

To The Secretary of State.

Despatched : 26th November, 19 32. *Time* : 12.30

Received : 19 *Time* :

Redd. No. 44. Your telegram No. 68 grateful if you will arrange for supply of twelve gross cardboard circular cases for medals in dark brown at eleven shillings and of two hundred and seventy-two cases in leatherette.

Governor.

DECODE.

112/32.

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TELEGRAM.

From The Secretary of State.

To His Excellency the Governor.

Despatched: 2nd January, 19 33. *Time:* 12.55

Received: 3rd January, 19 33. *Time:* 11.00

Red 8. No. 2. Your telegram 26th November No. 44. Centenary Medals and cases required, despatched via Montevideo 24th December and should arrive in Falklands about 25th January.

Secretary of State.



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

146 S5/7855

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

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



23rd December 1932.

Sir,

20.11.32.

I enclose for your information, a copy of a letter which we have received from the Colonial Office regarding certain bronze medals required for issue in the Falkland Islands in commemoration of the Centenary in February 1933.

2. The medals have been packed in two cases Nos.1 and 2 and shipped to Monte Video by the s.s. "Highland Patriot" consigned to Messrs. Maclean and Stapledon who have been instructed to re-ship them to Port Stanley by the steamer indicated in the Colonial Office letter referred to above. The packages have been given lock up stowage on board the s.s. "Highland Patriot" and we have requested Messrs. Maclean and Stapledon to arrange for them to be given similar stowage on the on-carrying steamer and to send the Bill of Lading to you. We trust that the medals will arrive in good time.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. S. Blayfield
for CROWN AGENTS.

The Colonial Secretary,
Falkland Islands.

35/7855.

COPY.

FROM THE COLONIAL OFFICE, TO CROWN AGENTS.

Downing Street,

29th November, 1932.

Ref. 90643/32.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by Secretary Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister to inform you that arrangements have been made with the Deputy Master of the Royal Mint for 2000 bronze medals in cases, required for issue in the Falkland Islands in commemoration of the Centenary of that Colony in February, 1933, to be forwarded to you for shipment not later than the 24th December.

2. Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister would be glad if arrangements could be made for the medals to be despatched to the Falkland Islands as soon as possible after their receipt by you.

3. It is understood that there is a mail for the Falkland Islands leaving this country on the 24th December which is to be forwarded on from Monte Video by the s.s. "Lafonia" sailing from that port on 16th January, 1933, and due at Stanley about 25th January. This would appear to be the last opportunity for forwarding the medals to the Colony in time for them to be received before the date of the Centenary. I am accordingly to ask you to be good enough to ascertain whether shipment by that mail will be possible, and to inform this Department in due course when the medals have been received by you and arrangements have been made for their shipment.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sgd) R. V. Vernon.

122 January 3

90643/32.

Gentlemen,

Invoice.
With reference to your letter of the 23rd December last S 5/7855, I am directed by Secretary Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister to transmit to you the accompanying invoice from the Royal Mint in respect of the bronze Centenary Medals recently supplied to the Government of the Falkland Islands.

2. I am to request you to remit the sum of £118.15.3. to the Deputy Master of the Royal Mint in payment of this account, and to debit the funds of the Falkland Islands accordingly.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) G. J. ...

THE CROWN AGENTS
FOR THE COLONIES.

DUPLICATE SHIPPING ADVICE



The Crown Agents for the Colonies transmit documents for the undermentioned shipment.
The freight account is detailed below.

Reference **S/** S5/7855
 Indent No. Authy.C.O.lr 90643/32 dtd 12.1.33
 Special A/c Falkland Is.
 Dept.
 Steamer Highland Patriot
 From London
 To Monte Video
 Consigned to ~~C.A.G.~~ Messrs Maclean & Stapledon, Monte Video
 Sailing Date

Invoice:—

The Royal Mint.

£	s.	d.
118	15	3

FREIGHT ACCOUNT.

Messrs:— Moxon Salt & Co Ltd.

DESCRIPTION OF STORES.	Measurement.	Weight.	Rate.	£	s.	d.
2	boxes bronze medals.	Value £100	ad valorem.	2%	2	.
			Primage	10%	.	4
			Less $\frac{1}{2}$ Primage		2	0
				2	2	0

To:— The Colonial Secretary.
Falkland Islands.

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

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INVOICE

(Advice Copy)

THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES.

Dr. to Messrs. The Royal Mint, <

of London, E.C.3.

Date 30th December, 1932.

Reference G/ S5/1055.

Authy: Indent No. C.O. 1r. 50643/32 dated 27.11.32 of 12/1/33.

Special a/c (if any) Falkland Is

Department

Shipped by S.S. Highland Patriot.

or

Date of Posting

To be filled in by Contractor

Item Nos.	Quantity	Description of Article in wording of Tender.	Weight				Rate	£ s. d.			£ s. d.			
			T.	c.	q.	lb.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
		For the supply of -												
	2,000	Falkland Islands Centenary Medals in bronze.					100	2	0					
	270	Cases @ 9s.6d. per dozen.					10	16	2					
	1,725	" " 11s.0d. per gross					6	12	1					
		Packing in 2 tin lined cases.					1	5	0					
											210	15	3	

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No.
(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute the above Number and the date may be quoted.)

MINUTE.

December 11th 1933.

From To

From Director of Public Works

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Submitted.

I understand that we have more than one thousand Centenary medallions in stock; the sales having been very few during the year.

Seeing that we are in the last month of the Centenary year I would suggest that the prices be revised.

I submit that it would be better to cut the losses and raise a little money for revenue.

The prices I suggest are:

- 6/- for the ones in cardboard boxes
- 1/- for the ones in cases.

I am of opinion that at these prices we could dispose of a great many.

Mr Cook (Schoolmaster) H.M.S. "Dauntless" has kindly offered to take a number on board for disposal, if approved I will make the necessary arrangements.

C. Roberts

172/32.

16th March,

34.

Sir,

With reference to your verbal enquiry regarding the purchase of the remaining stock of Centenary medallions, I am directed by the Acting Governor to inform you that this Government is prepared to consider an offer from you for 893 medallions in cardboard cases.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

MCH

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Mr. L. Hardy,
STANLEY.

Stanley
19/3/34.

The Hon.
The Colonial Secretary
Stanley.

Sir,
In reply to yours of the 16th inst. No 172/32.
I beg to submit for your consideration
the offer of Six Pounds for the remaining
stock of Centenary medallions.

I am,
Sir,
Yours Obediently
L. Sturges

172/32.

22nd March,

34.

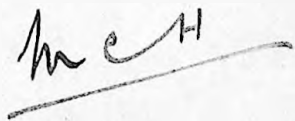
Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the
Red 19. 19th inst: I am directed to inform you that the
Government would be prepared to dispose of the
Red 18. Medallions mentioned in my letter of the 18th inst:
for the sum of £10. or at the rate of 3d each for
less.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Acting Colonial Secretary.

Mr. L. Hardy,
STANLEY.

S. Laneuf
22/4/34

The Hon.

The Colonial Secretary
Staney.

Sir,

With reference to yours of today's date.
I am prepared to offer the sum mentioned
in your letter on the understanding that
the number quoted (893) is the entire stock
of the medallions for disposal.

I Am

Sir,

Your Obedience

S. Laneuf

Middalson

22

Stock 27/3/24

Carabore Leather.

CSO.
Returned
from west
store

886.

14.

7.

21

Returned
from "Lafania"

19.

3.

Total.

912

38.