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1905/B	1905/B

OIL TANKS - AGREEMENT FOR

CONSTRUCTION.

CONNECTED FILES.

NUMBER

1905/c

Transport of Welders

CASH ADVANCES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Voucher No.</u>	<u>Thorsen</u>	<u>Amundsen</u>
		£	£
1963 April 3rd	30	50	
" 6th	67		50
" 27th	224		50
" 27th	295	50	
May 7th	94		50
" 29th	333		50
" 29th	334	50	
June 28th	312	50	
July 3rd	28		50
" 27th	234	50	
Aug. 6th	37		50
" 30th	317	50	
Sep. 3rd	37		50
" 14th	162	50	
" 19th	207	100	
" 23rd	240		50
		£ 450	£ 400

Clauses 10 (a) Two tanks @ £1350

£2700. - - -

(b) Two men @ £125 pm.
from 25.3.63 to 14.10.63 14.10.63

£173. 2. 4d.

One man (Ammonium) @ £125 pm
from 14.9.63 to 8.11.63 14.9.63 to date arrival MV 1.10.63 £229. 3. 4d.
From date departure of Arlanza 19.10.63 to date arrival Norway 8.11.63

(c) Hire of Equipment

175. - - -

..... hours @ 25/-

880 hours @ 12/-

£28. - - -

(d) Insurance none.

(e) Cost of Steel Ring not known

Please calculate (b) and then we can
write to Brandt who I think are now
the sole agents for Albin Aba Plc.

One man Thorsen 14.9.63 to date departure for S.Gouan 27.9.63

£586.8d.

C. T. Thorsen,
Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd.,
Stanley,

19th September, 1963.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

Sir,

Please see below agreed hours that transforming equipment was in operation on oil storage tank construction. As certified by the Superintendent Public Works Department and myself as Contractors Representative.

Starting date of tank erection	15th April, 1963.
Completion date.	13th September, 1963.

Total hours on site.	1,216 Hours
Less hours sets were not in use due to bad weather.	<u>336</u> "
Total operating hours.	880 Hours

Hire charges:-

Please see paragraph 10, Clause C. of Contractors agreement.

C. T. Thorsen
Contractors Representative.

A. P. Victor
Supt. Public Works Dept.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

20th September, 1965.

To whom it may concern

Mr. C. T. Thorsen, Works Master, of "Albion Star" (South Georgia) Ltd., and under contract through that Company to the Colonial Government, Falkland Islands, erected and welded two (48ft dia x 36ft high) mild steel, oil storage tanks on a prepared concrete base in Stanley.

Mr. Thorsen was in charge of all aspects of the tank erection.

With the exception of one welder, all other personnel employed were unskilled.

Mr. Thorsen co-operated fully with the Government Department concerned and there were no labour disputes.

The subsequent water test and detailed inspection proved that the contract had been carried through to our complete satisfaction.

(Sgd.) L. Gleadell.

ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY

ALBION STAR (SOUTHAMPTON) LIMITED

DIRECTORS: D. J. CLARK, C. S. PERKINS, O.B.E.

AS U.K. REPRESENTATIVES FOR

ALBION STAR (SOUTH GEORGIA) LIMITED

TELEPHONE: SOUTHAMPTON 28251

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: ALBION SOUTHAMPTON

DJC/MC

10/12, BRITON STREET,
SOUTHAMPTON.

21st August 1962



The Colonial Secretary,
Port Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

Dear Sir,

We refer to your letter number 1905 dated 19th July 1962 on the subject of the installation of two oil storage tanks in the Falkland Islands.

We are ready to make a contract with the Government to erect the required tanks but as we are not catching next season we must make the reservation that the draft contract, which is attached hereto for your comments, must be subject to our being able to come to an agreement with two of our welders/erectors. We in fact anticipate no difficulty in this respect and we have forwarded a contract to the employees concerned for signature.

Please study the enclosed draft and if you agree, cable us and we will immediately prepare a formal contract for your signature. We anticipate being able to commence the contract in March/April 1963.

Yours faithfully,
for and on behalf of
Albion Star (Southampton) Limited

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D. J. Clark'.

D.J. Clark
Director

Reply at 156.

Contract for Erection of Two Oil Storage Tanks in
Port Stanley for the Falkland Islands Government

It is hereby agreed between the Government of the Falkland Islands (hereafter called the Government) and Albion Star (South Georgia) Limited (hereafter called the Contractor) that the Contractor shall supply skilled labour for the erection of oil storage tanks in the Falkland Islands and that the following terms and conditions of contract shall be binding upon both parties :

1. Two tanks to be erected of 1,500 tons capacity each.
2. Contractors to supply two welder/erectors in April/May 1963, providing Government are able to transport them to Port Stanley. The Government to supply unskilled labour as necessary and as agreed with the erectors.
3. Tanks to be prefabricated as is usual for these constructions and concrete foundations to be completed by the Government in advance of the commencement of the contract. Contractor will be responsible for erection of tank only and not for piping outside the tanks or pumping equipment.
4. The Government will ensure that all materials are available on the site when required and that heavy lift equipment in the form of an electric winch, tractor, or similar plant is available.
5. Contractor to supply a portable welding set, a special type "jack" and other specialised equipment which will be required by the erectors. This equipment to be collected by the Government from Grytviken, South Georgia, in advance of the constructions and to be returned by the Government to Grytviken on completion of the work.
6. Contractor to supply a special type of steel ring which they consider necessary to withstand certain stresses. This steel ring to be made in advance at Grytviken and transported to the site by the Government. The Government will supply drawings of the tanks to the Contractor at Grytviken in time for the steel ring to be made.
7. The government to arrange water filling of the tanks for testing

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7. (contd.)

under the supervision and control of the erectors.

8. The Government to arrange and pay for the suitable passages of the welder/erectors from Grytviken to Port Stanley and for their accommodation and subsistence at Port Stanley. The Government would also arrange and pay for the suitable passages of these men from the Falkland Islands to Norway on the completion of the construction.

9. The contractor to insure the men against sickness and accidents, including "in transit" risks on men and baggage, during the whole period from departure from Grytviken to arrival in Norway. The Contractor will also insure the equipment brought from Grytviken. The cost of these insurances will be for the account of the Government.

10. The Government will pay to the Contractor in respect of this contract :-

(a) £1,350 for each tank constructed.

7. (contd.)

under the supervision and control of the erectors.

8. The Government to arrange and pay for the suitable passages of the welder/erectors from Grytviken to Port Stanley and for their accommodation and subsistence at Port Stanley. The Government would also arrange and pay for the suitable passages of these men from the Falkland Islands to Norway on the completion of the construction.

9. The contractor to insure the men against sickness and accidents, including "in transit" risks on men and baggage, during the whole period from departure from Grytviken to arrival in Norway. The Contractor will also insure the equipment brought from Grytviken. The cost of these insurances will be for the account of the Government.

10. The Government will pay to the Contractor in respect of this contract :-

- (a) £1,350 for each tank constructed.
- (b) £125 per month (or pro rata for part thereof) for each man for the period from departure from Grytviken until commencement of construction and also from completion and acceptance of construction until arrival in Norway.
- (c) £175 for a period of six month's hire of special equipment as mentioned in Clause 5 above, plus 25/- (twenty-five shillings) per hour of running time of the welding set. If the Contractor thinks it necessary to bring and use an AC transformer this will be paid for at the rate of 12/- (twelve shillings) per running hour.
- (d) The cost of insurances as in Clause 9 above.
- (e) The sum to be agreed in respect of the steel ring mentioned in Clause 6 above.
- (f) Settlement of (a) to be made direct to Albion Star (Southampton) Limited immediately upon completion of the erection of the two tanks. All other monies due to be settled upon rendition of final account after arrival of Contractor's employees in Norway.

11. Both parties will keep records of travelling times and working hours and the causes of delays, if any, will be recorded, jointly examined

11. (contd.)

and agreed on at the time of the occurrence. Any delays caused by default of the Government in the supply of materials or equipment will be paid for by the Government at the rate as agreed in Clause 10 (b) above.

12. Any dispute which may arise from this Agreement shall be decided by the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands and will be decided in accordance with the laws of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies. The decision of the court will be final and binding on both parties.

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ve Lammey's and the commercial sites to take out in no longer has
importance on whether to whom this oil should be sold to the public
(d) Of course, no terms can ever not be reasonable, and not based on fair
value

so there are enough sites now which you below describes you

and this particular
Mariflow 150 segment of pipeline
will have priority assigned to first and the second to second
no pipeline can be built in this area will be necessary to add new movement
settling sites

IMAGE

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS

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Wt. P2809 5/61

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	Psy			27.9.62
To	etat ALBION SOUTHAMPTON ENGLAND			
			HOA/c	

155 | Your letter of 21st August Agree draft contract subject to provision
 following addition to Clause 10 (b) stop quote Provided that if either
 man or both men engage in other employment between departure from
 Grytviken and arrival in Norway the Government reserves the right to
 deduct a proportionate amount from this payment in respect of the time
 spent in the other employment unquote

Time

HLB/LH

Colonial Secretary

DECODE.

No. 6/262.

TELEGRAM.

From Albion, Southampton.

To The Colonial Secretary, Falkland Islands.

Despatched : 15th October, 19 62. Time : 1217

Received : 15th October, 19 62. Time : 1530

52.

Tank contract clause 5 understand two portables necessary which we can supply but operable on 400 volts only assume you can provide transformer advise.

See 201-3 in Part II

Albion

~~HQ~~ 7

Reply at 30.

S.P.E.D.

P/L : LH
(Intld.) HLB

Would you be advised

~~Chose~~) SEE VOL. II

~~571~~

~~Kir R. 1012 +~~
~~Ident 150~~

~~200~~ 200
SPEED

8
200 200

As at ~~168~~⁷ of 1905 fl.

3.11.62

H.C.S.

~~201~~ 9

A) Dear, thank you. S.P.W. will wish to see the D.S.I. Publication and Motherwell's Plan.

Should inquiries be made now with D.A.S. regarding their Goods railings, or perhaps first ask Mr. Horan S.G. when he will be free to come up, get an approximate date, and then arrangements with B.A.S. This may round a little early but B.A.S. Vizet will soon be arriving and their steamer may not get home soon finalised.

B) 7.S.

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200 200 3/11/62.

We could also enquire from Mr. Horan whether any of Motherwell's tank plans have been revised yet. That the site has been decided upon. That there will be a 230/400 volt 50 grm A.C. supply available. Or if you wish I could draft a telegram to him with the S.W. appeal to tie up odd matters.

11 ~~200~~ Show W.S.G. 3/11/62.

A) Yes

B) SPEED will put out a draft

C) SPE is getting in touch with DCC B.A.S. and will report 3/11/62

~~204~~ 12

S.P.W.

As at A/ of ~~204~~⁹ pe

H.C.S.

~~205~~ 13

8.11.62

seen thank you.

D. Riton. S.P.W.
13/11/62. 5-

BW 20.11.62 (203)

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ALBION STAR (SOUTHAMPTON) LIMITED

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AS U.K. REPRESENTATIVES FOR

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TELEPHONE: SOUTHAMPTON ~~26000~~ 28251

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: ALBION SOUTHAMPTON

10/12, BRITON STREET,
SOUTHAMPTON.

DJC/MC

30th October 1962

The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

Dear Sir,

Erection of Two Oil Storage Tanks

We enclose two copies of the contract for the erection of oil storage tanks at Port Stanley. You will see that they have been signed on behalf of Albion Star (South Georgia) Limited and now require your signature. One copy is for your retention and we ask that the other be returned to us in Southampton.

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~~ms2~~ u.s. The original draft has been amended as follows :-

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~~167~~ 168 Clause 5 - Now reads "two electric welding sets to be supplied by Contractor and transforming equipment to be supplied by Government. Alternatively, Government to supply welding sets." (Our cable of 15th October refers).

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~~156~~ 157 Clause 10 (b) - Additional provision regarding any other employment undertaken by the erectors (your cable 28th September refers).

156 157 10 (c) - Amended to give effect to new provision of Clause 5 above.

In addition to the items mentioned in the contract we should like you to bear in mind that we are able to supply welding electrodes from Grytviken at the following prices per pack of 100 :-

2.5mm	..	14/6d.
3.25mm	..	16/9d.
4.00mm	..	23/6d.
5.00mm	..	32/6d.

Replies at 33 + 35.

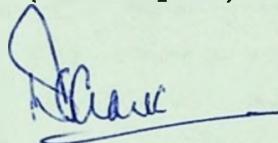
/contd...

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15
Colonial Secretary

30th October 1962

If this is of interest to you it will be possible for a supply of these electrodes to be brought to Port Stanley with the other equipment and for any unused balance to be returned to Grytviken. Please let us know if these are required and we will instruct Grytviken accordingly.

Yours faithfully,
for and on behalf of
Albion Star (Southampton) Limited



D.J. Clark
Director

231/16

Bitumen
sand.

Please see whether we can have
embodied all we asked for re
new to PSC. to wt
8/28/62.

File 169. Bitumen sand
as per recommended
Para 3 of Agreement - concrete.

PSC.

17

f. 231. Contract appears to embody all we asked
for (this has been checked). Would you pl. wt. contract,
at b.c., as directed.

for C.S.

3.12.62.

Hon. Col. Sec.,

I am still a little concerned about the wording of clause 10(6). This clause implies (only) that the workmen will not return to South Georgia after completion of construction, but if they do, we could be called upon to pay £250 per month, under the present wording of the clause, even if they remain in employment at South Georgia for 12 months.

The following is actual wording of the amendment I previously suggested:

"Provided that if either man or both men engage in other employment while "in transit" from the Falkland Islands to Norway the Government reserves the right to deduct a proportionate amount from this payment in respect of the time spent in the other employment".

J.B.
5. xii. 62.

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As per
HSC Clause 8. We have to arrange

for both horses to however & surely it is implied that they accept the horses we offer.²
If they refuse offer to go and sit in Stanley
or go to South Georgia or another place
we will have release us.²
And if there is any debt Borbetti we put in
after (8) that is new and new members
1) horses offered?
or

~~240~~
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DECODE.

No. 19/97.

TELEGRAM.

From Albion Star (Southampton) Ltd., Southampton.

To Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Despatched : 4th December, 1962 Time : 1206

Received : 4th December, 19 62 Time : 1600

015162
6 ~~#7~~

Yours 23rd November. Will accommodate doctor suggest
one pound day cable approval. Please reply ours 15th October
regarding transformer.

Albion

P/L:TB

Copy in 1905/II ✓

514 - 18 .

(Intld) DM

MAILED

20

RSC

As at 18A pl.

21.

D. P.

7.12.62

Hon. Col. Sec.,

I was concerned about the possibility of the whalers returning to South Georgia. It does not seem likely that they will do so and in such a case the agreement as it stands could not be guaranteed.

22.

St. B.

S.P.G.D & S.P.W.

10.xii.62.

Noted also ref'd

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HKS. See, and in order.

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It was been answered

I will do so

8.12.62

S.P.G.D. 14/12/62.
D. P. 24
D. P. 14/12/62.

27

H.C.S.

26. 6. has not been replied to

DR

18.12.62

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S.P.E.D. It appears that 6 has not been
answered. Can we forward transpense?

82
19/12/62

H.C.S.

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Please advise that suitable supply available

aff.

DR
20/12.

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To	etat ALBION SOUTHAMPTON			HOA/c

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Yourtel 15th October suitable supply available

Colonial Secretary

31

Hmc's.

Contract at b.c. still requires p. signature
 pl. Perhaps we cd. Telegraph Clerk when this has
 been done & send origine by next mail? ill

Time

DRM/LH

29.12.62

1 Yes. The typist can be
prepared for date at he has been 1 am to sign
signing. & I can sign more

2. It has been ready class 5
and works like to make me believe has
made all necessary arrangements for bringing
hawking sets etc - this is probably done
with in 4 weeks mail at S.S. by
means getting in a dictation now we require
all to consider file 5.

Folio 130 in
1905

DECODE.TELEGRAM.

No. 396.

From ... Administrative Officer, South Georgia.

To ... Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Despatched : 28th December, 19 62. Time : 7115

Received : 29th December, 19 62. Time : 1045

16
1905/c

No. 332. Your telegram No. 296. Following from Thorsen. "Intend bringing wife all travelling my expense. Interested in suggestion of house you confirm house fully furnished including washing machine and you responsible for light fuel and food myself and Amundsen. These being provided my wife would do housekeeping".

Administrative Officer

P/L : LH

Original in 1905/0

Copy in 1905/1

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

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Wt P2809 5/61

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	Psy			4.1.63
To				

Mr. ALBION SOUTHWICK, MILLAND HOA/c

14 Your lot 30th October contract signed as submitted will return copy
by post

Colonial Secretary

Time 11.2/12

1905/B.

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34

4th January,

62.

Sir,

^{14.}
35A I am directed to refer to your letter DJC/MC of the 30th October, 1962, and my telegram of even date and to enclose herewith a signed copy of the contract for the erection of two oil storage tanks at Stanley.

2. I am to thank you for your offer to supply welding electrodes but these items have already been specially ordered for this particular job.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) H.L. Bound

for COLONIAL SECRETARY.

D.J. Clark, Esq.,
Director,
Albion Star (Southampton) Ltd.,
10/12 Briton Street,
Southampton,
HANTS.

HLB/IM.

CONTRACT FOR ERECTION OF TWO OIL STORAGE TANKS IN
PORT STANLEY FOR THE FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT

It is hereby agreed between the Government of the Falkland Islands (hereafter called the Government) and Albion Star (South Georgia) Limited (hereafter called the Contractor) that the Contractor shall supply skilled labour for the erection of oil storage tanks in the Falkland Islands and that the following terms and conditions of contract shall be binding upon both parties :

1. Two tanks to be erected of 1,500 tons capacity each.
2. Contractors to supply two welder/erectors in April/May 1963, providing Government are able to transport them to Port Stanley. The Government to supply unskilled labour as necessary and as agreed with the erectors.
3. Tanks to be prefabricated as is usual for these constructions and concrete foundations to be completed by the Government in advance of the commencement of the contract. Contractors will be responsible for erection of tank only and not for piping outside the tanks or pumping equipment.
4. The Government will ensure that all materials are available on the site when required and that heavy lift equipment in the form of an electric winch, tractor, or similar plant is available.
5. Contractor to supply two 400 volt portable welding sets, a special type "jack" and other specialised equipment which will be required by the erectors. This equipment to be collected by the Government from Grytviken, South Georgia, in advance of the constructions and to be returned by the Government to Grytviken on completion of the work. Government to supply necessary equipment to enable the 400 volt welding sets to be used with local electricity supply or alternatively to supply two portable welding sets for the use of the Contractors.
6. Contractor to supply a special type of steel ring which they consider necessary to withstand certain stresses. This steel ring to be made in advance at Grytviken and transported to the site by the Government. The Government will supply drawings of the tanks to the Contractor at Grytviken in time for the steel ring to be made.
7. The Government to arrange water filling of the tanks for testing under the supervision and control of the erectors.
8. The Government to arrange and pay for the suitable passages of the welder/erectors from Grytviken to Port Stanley and for their accommodation and

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subsistence at Port Stanley. The Government would also arrange and pay for the suitable passages of these men from the Falkland Islands to Norway on the completion of the construction.

9. The Contractor to insure the men against sickness and accidents, including "in transit" risks on men and baggage, during the whole period from departure from Grytviken to arrival in Norway. The Contractor will also insure the equipment brought from Grytviken. The cost of these insurances will be for the account of the Government.

10. The Government will pay to the Contractor in respect of this contract :-

- (a) £1,350 for each tank constructed
- (b) £125 per month (or pro rata for part thereof) for each man for the period from departure from Grytviken until commencement of construction and also from completion and acceptance of construction until arrival in Norway. Provided if either man or both men are engaged in other employment between their departure from Grytviken and their arrival in Norway the Government reserves the right to deduct a proportionate amount from their payment in respect of the time spent in the other employment.
- (c) £175 for a period of six month's hire of special equipment as mentioned in Clause 5 above, plus 25/- (twenty-five shillings) per hour of running time of each welding set. If the Contractor thinks it necessary and is able to bring and use transforming equipment, this will be paid for at the rate of 12/- (twelve shillings) per running hour.
- (d) The cost of insurances as in Clause 9 above.
- (e) The sum to be agreed in respect of the steel ring mentioned in Clause 6 above.
- (f) Settlement of (a) to be made direct to Albion Star (Southampton) Limited immediately upon completion of the erection of the two tanks. All other monies due to be settled upon rendition of final account after arrival of Contractor's employees in Norway.

11. Both parties will keep records of travelling times and working hours and the causes of delays, if any, will be recorded, jointly examined and agreed on at the time of the occurrence. Any delays caused by default of the Government in the supply of materials or equipment will be paid for by the Government at the rate agreed in Clause 10 (b) above.

12. Any dispute which may arise from this Agreement shall be decided by

12. (contd.)

the Supreme Court of the Falkland Islands and will be decided in accordance with the laws of the Falkland Islands and its Dependencies. The decision of the court will be final and binding on both parties.

For and on behalf of the
GOVERNMENT OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS

R. J. Anderson

.....
Colonial Secretary.

2nd January, 1963.

For ALBION STAR (SOUTH GEORGIA) LIMITED

For and on behalf of
ALBION STAR (SOUTHAMPTON) LIMITED
As Agents

R. J. Anderson

.....
30th October 1962

1. Continue digging. Finish as at 31

2. Ask H.O. to let us know quantity and type of articles required in first section of house & of generator. So I suggested that we can be caught in Shambala with a welder minutes to O.I.C B.A.S. asking for us section of house & sending copy of telegram to regional head office of Shambala should contact them on his next visit and ask him to copy his name on copy. (We will of course also send to O.I.C B.A.S. no reply to our telegram after 10 days).

(23) 3. As regards 23 we are responsible for accommodation or misfortune. I do not know we are in any way bound to provide washing machines. But in view of fact he may have his own & available would be in Hasenbollen which I believe has ~~the~~ Government one.

I am not sure whether it can be said to be fully furnished as I think we only supply basic furniture and I don't know whether we would be able to use the Hasenbollen or what arrangement if any to be made with SPW about this.

H.C.T. will also have to be ~~what~~ cancelled about his arrangement. Work now when we should try to make the sack of feeding but I suppose he may be dead before it is all right to transport him.

We will now write to SPW & H.C.T.

as above

or

~~SPW~~ 37

SPC 2nd copy Para 3 above to 1905/C & pass to SPW & H.C.T. for comment.

7.1.63

ACI 38
Copied and put on 1905/C and
minuted to SPW & H.C.T.

SPW
8.1.63

* already
done in previous
order.

Para 3
Copied to
1905/C and
sent to SPW
& H.C.T. for
comments.
SPW
8.1.63

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Part 2 above is now dealt with at

246 or 247 of 1905/c

8/1/63.

Re. attach to 1905/c

14.363

Re.

1905/c attached

8/1/63

BU 7, 4, 6

39.

SPW or the Thorson Atah. They will be
about a week getting everything ready and
before they can actually start ~~with~~ construction
SPW considers this reasonable.

(When they actually start construction
they go off base or at any base beyond for
unrelated tasks)

They also ask that they be allowed
to go into the Husenholmen house. SPW
will try to get it habitable. I.C. set up
necessary equipment though it is realized that
it will be sparsely furnished. We have to feed
the Thorson & Amundsen and it is agreed (I.C.T.) that
it would be reasonable to give them a monthly allowance
of £15 a month each in tick.

I.C.T. also agrees that it would be reasonable to
let them have the use of a car to get to and from
their work quickly as SPW is trying to arrange
this. We shall now inform SPW in writing
of the above and a monthly allowance of £30/2/1.

X

H.C.T.

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Hire of car to Welden

H V. Summer, in PWD offered his
for £0.5 a day. As this was
through excursion SW made
further inquiries but can get no
other offer of less than £6 a
week. The work, they who, will
be finished by end of July so min at £0,
a day it should cost us above £60.

Would you agree? Contract at

R 9/4/63.

H.C.S.

41

To do the thing properly we
should advertise. If 10/- per day
is the lowest then we have no
alternatives. Old cars are
available for less than £60. L.G. 27/4/63

42

1905/B

8th

April,

63.

To: Superintendent of Works,
From: The Colonial Secretary, READING.

I am directed to inform you that Messrs. Thorsen and Amundsen may be paid a messing allowance of \$15 per month each in lieu of free messing to which they are entitled under the terms of the Agreement for construction of the oil tanks. The effective date for payment of the allowance will be on their taking up residence in Mr. Rosenhauer's house.

52
(Sgd) H. L. Bound.

for COLONIAL SECRETARY

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DDW/EM

43

S.E.

Here of car for welders. Please see x of 39
also 40 & 41

Advertisements have brought no offer below £1 a
day so we could now accept the offer of Summer and
I would have done this. Now that S.E. has returned I consider
that I should wait for S.E.'s offer. Admittedly this
is something outside the contract but I think it is
reasonable. If S.E. could give us a ring I would ask
SPW to carry on and get the Rover. This will draw
ourselves. SPW now fears that Summer will no longer accept
us. If this happens H.C.T. will do his best we can.

I have y.e. off from all arrangements made above
the house. Most times it is SPW makes it very
inconvenient and this Rover is a bit quicker for us.
(Shift charge £13 a man)

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9/4/63.

44 -

Discussed with H.C.T. re car. H.C.T. agrees

to keep SPW that Summer offer is accepted
(I have done so a few times and it needs to
be written)

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45

11 April, 63.

To: Superintendent of Works,
From: The Colonial Secretary, STANLEY.

Hire of Transport for Welders

I am directed to refer to my recent conversation regarding the above subject and to confirm that the transport offered by Mr. H. V. Summers at 10/- per day may be accepted.

(Sgd) R.H.D. Manders.

COLONIAL SECRETARY

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It is requested that, in any reference to this memorandum the above number and date should be quoted.

From: Superintendent of Works, P.W.D.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

16th July 1963

To: The Honourable,

The Acting Colonial Secretary,

Stanley.

SUBJECT:— Hire of Transport for Welders.

45 With reference to your Memorandum 1905/B dated 11th April 1963 I have to inform you that the transport in question has now been sold to Mr. Odd Amundsen one of the Welders.

47 Certificate of sale is attached and a voucher will be passed to the Treasury for payment of hire for the period 15th April to 14th July, 1963 inclusive.

P. Fulton
Supt. of Works.

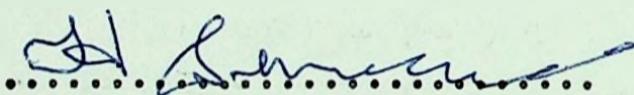
I believe the vehicle is still available for the Welders' transport from home to job. N.F.A.W. L.G. 18.7.63

47

I H.V. SUMMERS HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE SOLD MY MOTOR CAR -
LAND ROVER, REGISTRATION NUMBER 585, PORT STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS -
TO MR. ODD AMUNDSEN FOR THE AMOUNT OF £ 260 - 0 - 0 (TWO HUNDRED AND
SIXTY POUNDS, FALKLAND ISLAND CURRENCY)

PAYMENT RECEIVED IN CASH

PORT STANLEY, JULY 15th., 1963.



H.V. SUMMERS.

Pa

Hans

Odd Amundsen, the rest of Sled, now
wishes to return to Norway leaving Stanley on
Domin 27th September. He has expressed
a desire to travel by sea rather than air.

Clause 8 of the contract at fo. 35A
provides for Govt. to meet this expense &
suggest for yr consideration that he be
paid the equivalent of an air passage Montevideo/
Norway since this air. presumably be the way he
will travel had he not exercised an option to travel
by sea. The first Royal Mail connection by
ship sailing of Domin is "Arlanza" 19th October
involving a stay in Montevideo of 18 days.

Moosen is returning to Georgia.

3-9-63

Discussed

Mr Amundsen agrees to meet his hotel expenses
in Montevideo & proceed at our expense by "Arlanza" & hence
by sea Newcastle/Oslo.

14-9-63

DECODE.

No. 22

TELEGRAM.

From Brandt Sons, London

To Colonial Secretary, Stanley

Despatched : 17th September, 19 63 Time : 1722

Received : 18th September, 19 63 Time : 0845

Reference contract Albion Star South Georgia erection tanks.
Southampton closed please therefore remit us account Albion Star
South Georgia. Authorise payment account Albion Star £100
Carl Thorsen £50 Amundsen.

Brandtsons.

X/ for treasury action please

L.C.

Na. L.S.

19.9.63

Payments to Thorsen and Amundsen
been arranged, t.y.

20/9/63.

P/L : IM

L.C.

Hon Col Sec.

50a Herewith a copy of agreement to be signed by Contractor and Government for the use of transforming equipment at the rate of 12/- per hour according to 10/Clause (c) of Contract.

Date start of Erection.

Monday 15th April, 1963.

Date completion of Erection.

Friday 13th September, 1963.

Use of transforming equipment.

1216 hrs.

Less bad weather time.

336 hrs.

880 hrs @ 12/- = £528. -d.

D. P. Rubin
Supt. of Works,
19th September, 1963.

L.G.

C. T. Thorsen,
Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd.,
Stanley,

19th September, 1963.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Stanley.

Sir,

Please see below agreed hours that transforming equipment was in operation on oil storage tank construction. As certified by the Superintendent Public Works Department and myself as Contractors Representative.

Starting date of tank erection 15th April, 1963.
Completion date. 13th September, 1963.

Total hours on site.	1,216 Hours
Less hours sets were not in use due to bad weather.	<u>336</u> "
Total operating hours.	880 Hours

Hire charges:-

Please see paragraph 10, Clause C. of Contractors agreement.

C. T. Thorsen
Contractors Representative,

D. P. Weston
Supt. Public Works Dept.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

26th September, 1963.

To whom it may concern

Mr. C. F. Thorsen, Works Master, of "Albion Star" (South Georgia) Ltd., and under contract through that Company to the Colonial Government, Falkland Islands, erected and welded two (48ft dia x 36ft high) mild steel, oil storage tanks on a prepared concrete base in Stanley.

Mr. Thorsen was in charge of all aspects of the tank erection.

With the exception of one welder, all other personnel employed were unskilled.

Mr. Thorsen co-operated fully with the Government Department concerned and there were no labour disputes.

The subsequent water test and detailed inspection proved that the contract had been carried through to our complete satisfaction.

(Sgd.) L. Gleadell

ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY

52

A.C.S.

Please have a statement of what we appear to owe Albion Star for the erection of the tanks. Show also the advance made to Messrs. Hansen and Amundsen.

L.G.

26.9.63

53

A/C

Pl. see 52 above + skeleton statement at b.c.

Can you say how much was advanced to Hansen & Amundsen if any charges have been Recd. i.c.w. (d) + (e) at b.c. pl?

31.10.63.

11/10/63 (1.628)

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

54

FALKLAND ISLANDS

SENT

Wt. P2809 5/61

Number	Office of Origin	Words	Handed in at	Date
	Psy			3.10.63

To

STAT OFFICER IN CHARGE ZBH

SGA/c

No. 185. Understand Thorsen and Amundsen sailed from South Georgia
by Shackleton about 26th March stop Please confirm exact date

Secretary

HLB/LH

KIV 53

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

No. 27.

From Officer-in-Charge, South Georgia.

To Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Despatched : 4th October, 1963. Time : 1255

Received : 4th October, 1963. Time : a.m.

54 No. 188. Your telegram No. 185. Thorsen and Amundsen sailed 25th March.

Officer-in-Charge

A/T as at 53 fe.

56

4.10.63

P/L : LH
(Intld.) HLB

KIV 53

57

Nov 6. 6.

£850 was advanced to Chamber & Thorne
please see statement at 58.

I cannot trace any charges of (b) and (c)

A.C.S.

7.10.63.

See 58

See 58
Ad. you pl. have the figures worked out
i.r.o. (b) on skeleton statement at 58, verified with
Treasury.

15/10/63

59

ACS

Totals for (b) on Skeleton statement are £173/2/4d; £229. 3. 4d;
Treasury have checked. J.H. 16/10/63. + £58/6/8d respectively.

Ref: 1905/D.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

60

24th October, 1963.

Sir,

35A, B

I am directed to refer to the Agreement between this Government and Messrs. Albion Star (Southampton) Limited for the erection in Stanley of two oil storage tanks and to submit details of the known amounts payable to Messrs. Albion Star on completion of the contract.

2. It will be observed that the cost of the steel ring referred to under Clause 6 of the Contract has not been included in the account and I am to request that this figure be advised to the Crown Agents when submitting your final claim.

3. In assessing the amount due in respect of Mr. Amundsen's salary during his return to Norway, allowance has been made for the period of his elected stay in Montevideo. Normally we would have provided an air passage on the day following his arrival in Montevideo as there was no suitable connecting sea passage. This was explained to Mr. Amundsen and he chose to remain in Montevideo at his own expense until R.M.S. 'Arlanza' sailed on 19th October. Mr. Thorsen returned direct to South Georgia.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) H.L. Bound

for COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Wm. Brandts & Sons,
30 Fenchurch Street,
P.O. Box 95,
LONDON, E.C.3.

HLB/LM.

61

Expenses incurred by the Falkland Islands Government in connection with the erection at Stanley of two oil storage tanks in accordance with the terms of the Contract with Messrs. Albion Star (Southampton) Ltd. dated 30th October, 1962

Clause 10(a)	Erection two tanks at £1,350 each	£2,700
10(b)	Two men @ £125 per month from 25.3.63. to 14.4.63.	173. 2. 4.
	One man (Amundsen) @ £125 p.m. from 14.9.63. to date arrival Montevideo 1.10.63. and from date departure Montevideo 19.10.63. to date arrival Norway 8.11.63.	229. 3. 4.
	One man (Thorsen) @ £125 p.m. from 14.9.63. to date departure for South Georgia 27.9.63.	58. 6. 3.
10(c)	Hire of equipment 880 hours @ 12/-	175. -. -. 528. -. -. <u>£3,863. 12. 4.</u>
	Less cash advanced to Welders during their stay in Stanley : Thorsen £450 Amundsen £400	850. -. -. <u>£3,013. 12. 4.</u>

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DECODE.

No. 43.

TELEGRAM.

62

6.

From Brandtsons, London.

To Colonial Secretary, Stanley.

Despatched : 18th December, 19 63. Time : 1514

Received : 19th December, 19 63. Time : 0930

60
35a Your letter 24th October. Cost passage and wages to Norway Thorsen also due according contract please remit amount your statement on account ~~pending~~ receipt our debit note cost sterling running time welding sets and insurances.

Brandtsons

P/L : LM

Sec 64.

Colonial Treasurer

See folio 62. In view of folio 35A Clause 8 we must include.

I'm assuming you deal with this.

S.

3rd January, 1964.
WHT/FH

1905/3

64

15th January,

64.

Dear Sirs,

Erection of Oil Tanks

Please pay to Wm. Brandts & Sons, 30 Fenchurch Street, London, E.C.3., the sum of £3,013. 12. 4. in respect of the contract entered into by this Government and Albion Star (South Georgia) Limited, for the erection of oil tanks in Stanley.

2. The Colony's General Account should be debited.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd.) L.C. Gleadall

COLONIAL TREASURER

Crown Agents for Oversea Governments and Administrations,

4, Millbank,
London. S.W.1.

LCG/IN.

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Wm. Brandts for information

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Your ref. 1905/D

Our ref. DTN/SW

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The Colonial Secretary's Office,
STANLEY,
Falkland Islands.

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36 Fenchurch Street
London EC3

ALSO MIDLANDS OFFICE:
Newwater House, 11 Newhall Street, Birmingham 3
Telephone: (021) Central 2981

3rd February, 1964.

CT.
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for -

Dear Sir,

Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd.

65/P
We beg to refer to your letter of the 24th October and our telegram of the 18th December regarding the erection of two oil storage tanks by our above mentioned principals.

We now beg to enclose herewith on behalf of Messrs. Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd. invoice for the expenses incurred amounting to:-

£5,844. 13. 1.

for which we shall be pleased to receive settlement in due course. We shall also be pleased to receive receipts for the cash advances made to Messrs. Thorsen and Amundsen at Port Stanley. You will notice that the enclosed account includes the cost of additional rail tickets supplied to Mr. Amundsen and also the cost of passage to Norway due to Mr. Thorsen but not provided.

With regard to your remarks regarding the stay in Montevideo of Mr. Amundsen, this man claims that he is entitled to wages during his stay in Montevideo as he was not advised otherwise and we shall be pleased if you can let us have your further confirmation that it was made clear to Mr. Amundsen that he would remain at Montevideo at his own expense without wages.

We remain, dear Sir,
Yours truly,
p.p. Wm. BRANDT'S SONS & Co. Ltd.

D. J. Norton

Government of the Falkland Islands,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

INVOICE NO. B.3067

	To										
Expenses erecting two oil storage tanks in Port Stanley as per contract dated 30.10.62.											
Erection at £1,350 for each tank									22,700	-	- ✓
Cost of steel ring supplies	N. Kr. 3,630.-									181	10
Hire of special equipment	@ exch. 20.-									175	-
Running time 2 welding sets 1760 hours @ 25/- per hour									2,200	-	-
Running time transforming equipment 880 hours @ 12/-d. per hour									528	-	- ✓
Wages:-									35,784	10	-
2 men @ £125 per month from departure Grytviken 25.3.63. until commencement construction 15.4.63.	175	2	4								
	181	9	2								
2 men @ £125 per month from date completion 13.9.63. until arrival Norway 8.11.63. (less 18 days Montevideo)	321	4	8								
	329	11	4								
Rail tickets Amundsen London/Newcastle £3. 4. 6.											
Oslo/Sandefjord N. Kr. 22.30	1.	2.	4.								
Cost passage due Thorsen but not provided:											
Port Stanley/Montevideo	£22.	2.	2.								
Montevideo/London	160.	2.	2.								
Newcastle/Oslo	12.10.	2.	2.								
Mail tickets as above	4.	5.	10.						198	16	10
	c/f								35,498	14	2

Government of the Falkland Islands,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

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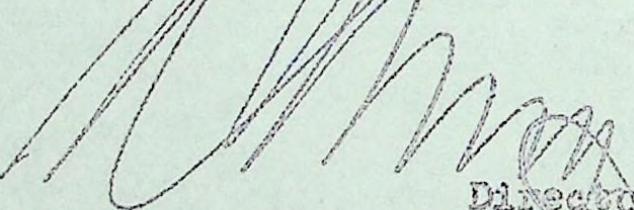
Insurances:-

Transit 2 men and baggage	£ 7. 15. 3.
Sickness and accidents	178. - . 2.
Equipment	<u>10. 5. 6.</u>

Loss cash advanced

	£/£	£	£	£
		25,498	14	2
		195	18	11
		36,694	13	1
		850	-	-
		<u>25,844</u>	13	1

E. & O. E.
LONDON, 3RD FEBRUARY, 1964.
For and by authority of,
ALBION STAR (SOUTH GEORGIA) LTD.,
For and on behalf of,
WM. BRANDT'S SONS & CO. LTD.,


Director
As Agents only.

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Your ref. 1905/D
DTN/SW

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The Colonial Secretary's Office,
STANLEY,
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Newwater House, 11 Newhall Street, Birmingham 3

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11th February, 1964.



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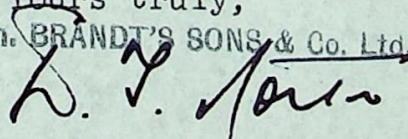
Dear Sir,

Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd.

65 Referring to our letter of the 3rd instant we beg to advise you that we have now received from the Crown Agents for Oversea Governments & Administrations here the sum of £3013. 12. 4. in respect of the erection of the two oil storage tanks, for which we thank you and with which we are doing the needful to the credit of our principals Messrs. Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd. As the account sent you with our above mentioned letter amounted to £5,844. 13. 1. the amount now due to our principals in the above connection is £2,831. -. 9.

We remain, dear Sir,

Yours truly,
p.p. Wm. BRANDT'S SONS & Co. Ltd.



Reply to 68

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Mr. B. S.

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the new names of
your party.

Colonial Treasury,

Stanley,

Falkland Islands.

28th March, 1964.

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(66)

Gentlemen,

I have for acknowledgement your letter (Produce Department DTN/SW) of 11th February, 1964, on the subject of the balance payable to Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd on the completion of a contract to erect oil storage tanks in Stanley.

Two small points arise. Firstly as the construction work commenced on 15th April it would appear correct to pay Messrs Thorsen and Amundsen up to and including the 14th at the rate of £125. Your statement claims for the 15th. Secondly as work ceased on 13th September, i.e. the men worked on that day, the resumption of pay at £125 per month would appear to take effect on 14th. If you accept this reasoning the total amount payable is reduced by 4 working days at £125 per month or £16. 13. 6d. and in anticipation of your acceptance I have asked the Crown Agents to pay the adjusted balance of £2814. 7. 3d.

With reference to the last paragraph of your letter of 3rd February (Produce Department DTN/SW) it was made abundantly clear to Mr. Amundsen that his stay in Montevideo would be at his own expense and that it would not be regarded as part of this Government's liability to repatriate him.

I am,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant.

(Signed) L. Gleadell.

Colonial Treasurer.

Wm. Brandt's Sons & Co. Ltd.,
P.O. Box No. 95,
36, Fenchurch Street,
London E.C.3.

LCG/CMc.

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C.S.1905/B

Colonial Treasury,
Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

28th March, 1964.

Gentlemen,

Erection of Oil Tanks

64

Further to my letter No 1905/B of 15th January, 1964,
please pay to Wm Brandts Sons & Co. Ltd., 30 Fenchurch Street,
London, E.C.3, the sum of £2,814. 7s. 3d. being the balance
due on the contract undertaken by Albion Star (South Georgia)
Limited to erect oil tanks. Brandts letter of 3rd February,
1964, (DIN/SW) to the Colonial Secretary refers.

65

The Colony's General Account should be debited.

Colonial Treasurer.

The Crown Agents for Oversea Governments
and Administrations,
4, Millbank,
LONDON, S.W.1.

Pa

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Produce Department

Your ref. 1905/B

Our ref. DTN/SW

The Colonial Treasurer,
Colonial Treasury,
STANLEY,
Falkland Islands.

Dear Sir,

Albion Star (South Georgia) Ltd.

69

We have for acknowledgment your letter of the 28th ultimo regarding the debit note rendered on behalf of our above mentioned principals for the erection of two oil storage tanks and note all you write.

In the circumstances we agree to the reduction of our account by four working days at £125 per month, i.e. £16. 13. 6. and thank you for instructing the Crown Agents to remit to us the adjusted balance due of £2,814. 7. 3.

We take good note of your remarks regarding the stay of Mr. Amundsen at Montevideo,

and remain, dear Sir,
Yours truly,

ccp. Wm. BRANDT'S SONS & Co. Ltd.

R. V. Mat-

R. V. Mat-
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The Colonial Treasurer,

Colonial Treasury,

STANLEY,

Falkland Islands.

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