

P. W. D.	
(Horses)	
No.	166/21

C.S.

1921

Col. Engineer

SUBJECT.

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4th February

Previous Paper.

Submits report of Chief Inspector of Stock on condition of mare belonging to the Public Works Department.

MINUTES.

Encls.

Minutes from the Colonial Engineers of the 4th February 1921.

*H.S. Submitted
for
8th February 1921.*

H.C.S.

Disposal authorized as recommended.

Am.

11 Feb 1921

Col. Engineer.

To see: for necessary action.

*Wm.
11.2.21*

Subsequent Paper.

The Hon. Col. Sec:

Letter from Chief Inspector of Stock submitted.

R.B.B.

C.E.

8/3/21.

Colonial Engineer,

For favour of your remarks please, and do you consider, under the circumstances, that the price offered, (£100) fair and reasonable ?

W. Thompson
A.C.S. 9/3/21.

The Acting Colonial Secretary.

Should the mare be sold an undertaking must be given by the purchaser that she will not be worked.

I am unable to give any opinion as to the price being fair and reasonable. The Chief Inspector of Stock considers that ~~the~~ £ 10 is a fair price.

9/3/21
C. E.
9/3/21.

Colonial Engineer,

Do I understand that you would like me to submit this matter to H.E., again?

2. These papers do not shew when, and the circumstances under which the horse in question was injured, other than some time in September 1919, it was badly cut on the near hind leg, when jumping a wire fence, - (these papers shew nothing regarding this. Whether it was an accident or the fault of any one) -

3. I presume that the horse is one of the "Cart horses" purchased by Government under the Item "Carts & Horses" under Public Works Recurrent on the Estimates, and that as Colonial Engineer you desire me to obtain definite instructions that the horse should be sold in accordance with the suggestion made in the Chief Inspector of Stock's minute of 3rd March 1921. Is this the case? Please see H.E.'s minute herein of the 11th February last.

W. Thompson
A. C. S. 10/3/21.

The Hon; Colonial Secretary.

The mare has been sold to Mr ,A, Morrison see letter of the 11th March 1921 . The purchase price being £14.

2. I beg to suggest that this amount be paid, as an overpayment recovered , to XXIII . Public Works Recurrent. 5. Carts and Horses . A new cart horse should arrive from the Coast in the next Cargo ^{boat} , and the above sum would assist in the purchase.

R.B.

C.E.

1/4/21.

Hon:Treasurer,

For your remarks please. I believe there are certain instructions filed in the Treasury (sent out by the Director of Colonial Audit) in connection with "Overpayments recovered", as distinct from receipts in respect of "Sale of stores, & Govt:Property".

Hon. Col. Secty,

A. C. S. 1/4/21.

I cannot for the moment trace the instructions referred to by you, but in any case I am of opinion that it would be preferable if the sum received for the sale of the Cart Mare were paid in under VIII. 2 Sale of Stores.

2. I hardly think that the payment can properly be regarded as an Overpayment Recovered.

M. Craigie Halpern
Ag. Treas.

April 2nd 1921.

Colonial Engineer,

I will submit this for the approval of the Governor, should you so desire ?

A. C. S. 2/4/21.

The Hon; Col; Secretary.

My minute of 1/4/21 was only a suggestion.

2. The sum received for the sale of the cart Hare will be paid in under VIII. 2. Sale of Stores.

N.B.

C.E.

4/4/21.

H.E. the Governor,

Submitted for information.

Handwritten signature

A. C. S. 5/4/21.

Handwritten initials

The appropriate order of the

H.E.S.

*Amount can be ordered to them perhaps though
Head VIII item 7 "unseen" seems perhaps
more appropriate.*

*2. While amount received must be paid into
Reserve Treasury (C.O. Reg 264): no
expenditure is to be incurred unless duly
authorized (C.O. Reg: 281): then must be
no juggling with "overpayments received"
or other attempts ^{made} to evade the regulations*

Handwritten signature

5 April 1921.

Hon: Treasurer,

For your information & guidance. Will you please pass papers to Colonial Engineer to note.

Handwritten signature

A. C. S. 6/4/21.

Inside Minute Paper.

Hon. Col. Sec.

Noted.

M. Francis Hackett

Ag. Treas.

April 6th 1921

Col. Engineer,

Passed to you.

MCH
April 6th 1921.

The Hon. Col. Secy.,

Noted.

(2) The amount received (£14) has been paid into the Treasury under Head VIII, Item 7, "Unforeseen".

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R.B.B.
C.E.
8/4/21.

MEMORANDUM.

..4th..February..1921..

From.....The Colonial Engineer..

To

The Honble

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

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Stanley, Falkland Islands.

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

I beg to submit report from the Chief Inspector of Stock on the condition of a mare belonging to the P.W.D.

I am informed that in September 1919 the mare, when jumping a wire fence, was badly cut on the hind leg near leg. She has not done any work since then. It was intended to work her this season but as she was still lame I requested the Chief Inspector of Stock to again examine her and report.

R.R.B.

C. E.

4/2/21.

MINUTE PAPER.

Departmental Number. X X /

From Chief Inspector of Stock

Stock Department

Date 4th February

To Public Works Department

SUBJECT.

The injury to a mare of P. W. D.

Reference
Numbers. }

I have examined the mare belonging to the Government. that you drew my attention to recently, and am of the opinion, the injury to her leg will make her useless for carting or any other work, and would suggest that the Government dispose of her to the best advantage for breeding purposes.

P.B.B.
4/2/21

The Hon: Sec: Secretary.

Submitted with covering memo.

P.B.B.

C.E.

4/2/21

MINUTE PAPER.

Departmental Number.

From Chief Inspector of Stock

XXI. Stock Department

Date 3rd March 1921

To Colonial Engineer

SUBJECT.

Disposal of Mare unfit for use of Government for carting purposes

Reference Numbers. }

In regard to the mare that was injured, I have had an offer from Mr A. Steel of £10.0.0. for this animal.

I consider that under the circumstances this is a fair price as the mare is unfit for any work, and so will have to be sold under a guarantee of the purchaser that she will not be used for work, but for breeding purposes only.

I am

Sir

Your obedient servant

B.A. Brown

Chief Inspector of Stock

a/g. Colonial Secretary.

Submitted.

R.R.B.

C.E.

8/3/21.

Stanley


Falkland Islands

11th March 1921

Sir,

In our conversation yesterday you mentioned to me that the Government would sell a mare they had condemned for draught purposes. This mare would be of use to me for breeding purposes and beg to tender an offer of £14. for same.

I am Yours faithfully.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A.M. Morison".

H.B. Baseley Esq.

Colonial Engineer.

Colonial Engineer's Office,

Stanley,

March 13th. 1921.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th. inst. in which you offer the Colonial Government £14 for a mare.

Your offer has been accepted on the understanding that the mare will be used for breeding purposes only.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

R. J. B.

Colonial Engineer.

A. Morrison, Esq.,

c/o D. Watson, Esq.,