



London

D^r Sir

Your favors of 31st May & 1st June are all to hand & would have been earlier replied to but from the hope of being enabled to have communicated some definitive arrangements which are delayed by the indecision of our Gov^t whom however I shall not allow to flug unreasonably, without Doory Jan bringing the subject into very general & favorable notice & I now go through your letters and make the necessary enquiries & replies thereto

1st The Paragraph to which you allude, I do not find any in the Letter Book & thus infer it was minor matter written after the Copy was taken, & such is almost now being omitted. You I to infer from yours of 2nd June that the White Horses on the East Falkland are those of no utility, as you send others from N.S. It is only at a particular season that the Climate Winds or some other Cause admit of it & what do you estimate the Cost of a Horse when landed there.

3rd I wish our estimate & report on the Stock of Cattle, Horses were seen on the Islands, you want to, on the quantities of ~~land~~ ^{land} which might be properly (without amputation) be taken in N. H.

4th What amount of your N. H. stating & unfortunately ~~not~~ ^{nothing} can be done in Winter the Climate be such as not to admit of Agricultural & other operations by Land and Water throughout the year, & whether the Cold is more than in the North of England: during the Summer Months we the Winds sufficiently quiet, long enough & the Heat great enough to allow the growing, ripening & then without risk of being blown down & damaged, had any ever been grown & with what result?

5th I have made three Appropriations & I wish of course must for present remain in obedience

6th I wish you to send me 1/2^o Paper in a parcel, a correct Map & soundings of those which I have from London be not corrected

7th Your N. S. to letter of 1st June is very important from a recent interview I view & have had with our Sec^y of State thereon, thus I wish you to forward me every document you therein allude to, as a record of the oldest Grants, I signed to me, each copyⁿ being dated not many weeks, not many weeks subsequent to your confirmation of 1821. Let me likewise have one Grant of 1825, properly signed by you in Blank under date of 1826: & stating both a Sum of money paid as consideration for the same & a for the most important point, viz. to secure the original Document or Document which you

you refer to, as having the Consul's Seal & affixed with any other such direct or indirect proofs or acknowledgements from any of the English Authorities, from which I hope at least to show your good grounds, if not right, to transfer us to the thereby further sanctioned validity for the grants to receive us &c

I am daily looking for your further communications relative to the Sheep of your friends & his grant prior to the British Protest, with the name & a letter to his London friends with whom I will cordially cooperate

10th Annexed a prospectus (with a few friends of mine who are ready to cooperate with me so soon as you will allow us) which I wish you to peruse & advise me of any alterations, suggestions &c &c which you deem advisable

11th Do you believe that there are any Mines of Coal Iron, Copper &c on the Falkland?

I have this instant had two reports, the one that the Admiralty have sent to the Falklands a frigate with 30 soldiers & 2000 tons of provisions the other that the Colonial office had removed to his death some of our party who is not intent to maintain any further troops I shall before the truth reach you again shortly, I am faithfully yours
C. W. Williams

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Duplicate to Mr. W.

Buenos Ayres



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W. Williams