

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF
SOUTH AFRICA.

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No. 22 / 62

OFFICE OR INDIVIDUAL	SUBJECT
From K.F. Glass, Tristan da Cunha.	TRISTAN DA CUNHA Shortage of foodstuffs on.
1925 15 October	
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for several of the families have
 only got fire on fire shops and
 they have to keep them for the best for
 making stockings or clothing for it and you
 say we are to get all our clothing from the
 former names but at the same time we have
 from very few shops and it will soon be broken
 months and we have not seen a sewing machine
 and shoes and clothing at all getting short
 and also the $M^2 M^2 + M^2$ the M. Rogers
 have not cut all their skins and have not got
 any flour and are living on potatoes or meat
 and very little at that:

and the will be learning our intent
 by the first vessel that calls at the island
 if we can get it passage in the
 for we will be very sorry to see him
 leave the island for he has been very good
 to us on the island in every way for in everything
 we have to do on the island he is our ally
 give us it helping hand and the M^r M^r Rogers
 should also give us it helping hand but I will
 already thank them and wish good luck long life
 and happiness to them even they may go and I think that
 you will have the pleasure of making the M^r M^r M^r M^r

by the same vessel which takes the letter your sincerely
 M. J. Glass



To The Superintendent Tristan Da Cunha
 of Agricultural Dept. 15th Oct. 1924
 Cape Town

South Africa, Dear Sir

I am pleased to forward to you the information about the lonely island of Tristan Da Cunha on the 2nd Oct. 1924 We had a heavy gale of wind from the South East which damage all our first potato crops which we planted in June and July months and our second crops of potatoes we plant in August and our main crops of potatoes we plant in September and during the first week in October for our main crops of potatoes are coming on well at the present time but the islanders will be very short of potatoes up till about the New year but I will let you know more about our crops later for at the present time several of families are living on the sea birds and their eggs for we had to go across to Nightingale island for punning's eggs for to eat and we brought across two coats coats and we also brought several coats of eggs from the South part of the island of Tristan for the islanders have used up over forty thousand sea birds eggs in September & October and over two thousand sea birds and are very glad to get them

M. F. Glass

TELEGRAFIE ADRES:
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
"LANDBOUW, PRETORIA."

ALLE BRIEVEN TE WORDEN GERICHT AAN
DE SEKRETARIS VOOR LANDBOUW,
UNIE-GEBOUW, PRETORIA.

ALL LETTERS TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE SECRETARY FOR AGRICULTURE,
UNION BUILDINGS, PRETORIA.



IN ANTWOORD GELIEVE NAAR ONDERSTAAND
NUMMER TE REFEREREN.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE THIS NUMBER

REF. R. 2780.

UNIE VAN ZUID-AFRIKA—UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA.

DEPARTEMENT VAN LANDBOUW,
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

UNIE-GEBOUW,
UNION BUILDINGS,

PRETORIA.

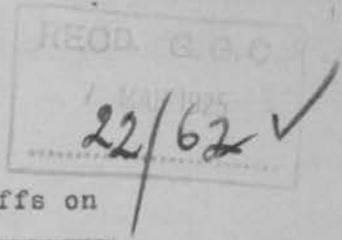
The Imperial Secretary,

High Commissioner's Office,

CAPE TOWN.

3 - MAR 1926

Sir,



Shortage of Foodstuffs on
Tristan da Cunha.

I have the honour to forward herewith, for
favour of disposal, a letter of the 15th October, 1924,
addressed to this Department by Mr. K. F. Glass,
Tristan da Cunha, in connection with the above matter.

Mr. Glass has been advised of the action
taken.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

H. J. Mollenaar
SECRETARY FOR AGRICULTURE.

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6. 3. 25

IN ANTWOORD GELIEVE NAAR ONDERSTAAND
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Dear Smith

REF. R. 2780.

I enclose herewith
a letter from the Dept. of Agriculture
Enclosing one from Mr. Glass of
Frislau.

SOUTH AFRICA.
DEPT. VAN LANDBOUW,
OF AGRICULTURE.
BOUW,
BUILDINGS,
PRETORIA.

I think the letter
thosed have been sent to the
Gov. Genl's Dept. Please let
me know if I am correct.

8 - MAR 1925

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*See Mr. Cohen
then we will
deal with it
A.C.*

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

CAPE TOWN,

17 March 1925.

No. 22/62

MINUTE.

The GOVERNOR-GENERAL transmits herewith for the information of MINISTERS, with reference to his Minute previous correspondence No. 22/23 of 14th August 1924 and / a copy of the undermentioned document. regarding the Island of Tristan da Cunha.

A copy of the letter has been forwarded to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Signed) ATHLONE.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

DATE	DESCRIPTION OF DOCUMENT
15th October 1925	Letter from K.F. Glass, Tristan da Cunha.



GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

CAPE TOWN,

16 March 1925.

SIR,

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith
with reference to your Predecessor's despatch No. 235
of the 24th July 1924,
the document mentioned below, on the subject of the
Island of Tristan da Cunha.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble Servant,

The Right Honourable

L. S. AMERY, M.P.,

etc., etc., etc.,

Colonial Office, LONDON.

(Signed) ATHLONE.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

DATE.

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15th October
1925.

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