

of the moneys derived from the sale of eighty-two fur sealskins taken on the Pribilof Islands and sold at public auction in June and July, 1925, together with the statement in regard thereto.

The cheque has been forwarded in the ordinary course to the Receiver General.

I have, etc.,

O. D. SKELTON,

*Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.*

The Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries,  
Ottawa.

<sup>1</sup> No. 149.

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**No. 153.**

*From the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs to the Governor General*  
Canada.

No. 207.

DOWNING STREET, April 30, 1926.

MY LORD,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Your Excellency's despatch No. 111 of the 5th of March,<sup>1</sup> and to request you to inform your Ministers that His Majesty's Ambassador at Tokio has been instructed to obtain information from the Japanese Government regarding the disposal of sealskins taken on the Robben Islands in the years 1921 and 1922.

I have, etc.,

L. S. AMERY.

Governor General

His Excellency

General the Right Honourable

LORD BYNG OF VIMY, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., M.V.O.,

etc., etc., etc.

<sup>1</sup> No. 146.

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**No. 154.**

*From the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs to the Governor General*  
Canada.

Confidential.

DOWNING STREET, May 15, 1926.

MY LORD,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Your Excellency's confidential despatch of the 23rd March<sup>1</sup> regarding the collection of certain information with respect to the conservation of fur seal and sea otter herds, and to transmit to you, to be laid before your Ministers, a copy of a memorandum giving the information asked for as regards the Falkland Islands. Information regarding the Dependencies of the Falkland Islands is contained in the report of the Inter-departmental Committee on Research and Development in the Dependencies of the Falkland Islands (Cmd. 657), copies of which were enclosed in the late Viscount Milner's despatch No. 253 of the 28th April, 1920.<sup>2</sup> Copies of replies received from the Commonwealth of Australia, New Zealand, and the Union of South Africa to my despatches of the 22nd February (copies of which were enclosed in my confidential despatch of the same date<sup>3</sup>) will be communicated to you in due course.

I have, etc.,

L. S. AMERY.

Governor General

His Excellency

General the Right Honourable

LORD BYNG OF VIMY, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., M.V.O.,

etc., etc., etc.

<sup>1</sup> No. 147.

<sup>2</sup> Not printed.

<sup>3</sup> No. 141.