Birth of an Issue – The 60s
South Georgia F.I.D. 245/1.

South Georgia

632-62
The Postmaster, Stanley,
Falkland Islands.

Dear Postmaster,

In forwarding care of the 12 postcards, 12 x 1/-, enclosed as for the list of Frank in fee for what please hand us per receipt with the value of 12 postage stamps, on failing to many, please hand us 10 of 1/- or 10 of other value equally accounted. Thanks for your trouble. Dear sir,

P.S. We would like to receive some of the S.A. stamps. If not, troubling you too much.
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Not Approved

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This gives us one of each class of ships which took part in the battle. I am sure that the Admiralty must have photographs of them which they would make available. As to size, I think the stamps should be the same size as that of our definitive issue Birds of the Falklands, with the same Queen’s Head and the small St. Edwards Crown above it. The 2/- stamp should be an upright one, as in our 1952 definitive issue. This is the best representation of the Battle Memorial that I have seen, and this representation should be used again. I think the ships should be shown in black, or very dark grey, against a white background, as in the case of our Birds in the definitive issue. We would like the stamps in two colours in the recess process. As to colours, I think the general motif should be red, white and blue. We have the white background and perhaps we could have two shades of red and two shades of blue. But you may perhaps feel that this would not be so attractive to collectors as four different colours, and I would appreciate your views on this point.

The designs are all simple, so I should not think it is necessary to employ an artist this time. Waterlows (De la Rue)
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FALKLAND ISLANDS

20th ANNIVERSARY OF THE GOVERNMENT AIR SERVICE 1939

1948 - 1950
1st Commercial Flight to North Arm. 24/12/1948 - Medical Flight
1st Convair Flight 1948-1950, retained as a trainer until June 1956 then scrapped because of excessive corrosion.

The first 40 pilots initially under British (UK) registration then re-registered Falkland Islands VP-FAA.
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Suggestions for Commemorative Stamp Issue

1. Stamp to show Bishop Cuthbert

Alternative wording to placate the Argentines and Threaby not encouraging the present Bishop

Ordinary of approvals of new Bishop
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AND: See the stamps and postal history tonight in the Members Evening Display