

1919

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Volunteers

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Medals &c

No.

525.

O.C. Volunteers

SUBJECT.

1919

13th August

Previous Paper.

Eligibility of members of Dalkeith
Islands Volunteer Force for the
1914-15 Star.

MINUTES.

O.C. Volunteers

I will submit this matter for the
decision of the authorities at home -

Would you mind adding in the
margin of your letter, the name, rank and
number of the person referred to in para 3.
or let me have copy of the papers received by
you from Fordingham

2.9.19 27.
for

Hon. Col. Sec.

Copies of the papers from Fordingham
enclosed herewith.

F. J. Newkum May
O.C. Vol's.

Subsequent Paper.

131/20.

3.9.19.

over

Despatch to Secretary of State No 111
of 5th September, 1919.

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for

O.C. Volunteers

To note.

T.M.P.

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O.C. 185.

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Falkland Islands Volunteer Force.

Headquarters,

Stanley.

13th August 1919.

His Excellency

The Governor and Commander-in-Chief,

Falkland Islands.

Sir,

I have the honour to refer for the favour of Your Excellency's consideration the question of the 1914-15 Star.

1. Army Order 20/1919 notified the grant of this Star to persons who served in a theatre of war as defined.
2. Appendix A defined six theatres of war and in spite of the fact that a Naval action was fought here on 8th December 1914 it did not appear that the Falkland Islands came within any of the areas defined.
3. By the mail just arrived I have received for verification a Nominal Roll, forwarded from the Royal Air Force, Fowlmere, containing the name of a former member of this Force "entitled to wear the 1914-15 Star" for services rendered in this Colony in 1914-15.
4. I should be glad to be informed whether members of the Falkland Islands Volunteer Force who served during the time when the Colony was threatened by the German fleet and raiders, up to 31 December 1915, are deemed eligible for the Star.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Excellency's most obedient servant,

F. J. Newham Major

Officer Commanding

Falkland Islands Volunteer Force.

Copy.

525/19.

Officer I/C Records,

Royal Air Force,

Falkland Islands

Fowlmere.

Volunteer Force.

Port Stanley,

Falkland Islands.

Herewith two copies of Nominal Roll of man entitled to wear
the 1914-15 Star for your verification and direct submission
to the War Office.

sgd H. Bever Smith,

Capt.

for Major

Commanding No. 31 T.S.

Royal Air Force.

Fowlmere,

Royston,

Herts.

25.3.19.

(Stamp).

Orderly Room,

No. 31 T.S.

Royal Air Force.

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Copy.

Present Rank.	Surname	Christian Name.	Unit, etc. in which now serving and locality of same.	Rank & No. when first entering Theatre of operations.	Unit which served on entering Theatre of operations.	Theatre of operations in which served.	Date of arrival in Theatre of operations.
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A.C.I.	Tucker	Norris Jim.	31 T.D.S. R.A.F. Fowlmere.	107 Pte.	Falkland Islands Volunteer Force.	Falkland Islands.	12.8.14.
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