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NAVAL AND MILITARY.
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No. 73/45.

O.C., Defence Force.

SUBJECT.

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18th July.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEFENCE FORCE.

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No.

MINUTE.

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(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

18th July, 1945.

From The Officer Commanding,

F.I.D.F.,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

To The Honourable the
Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

With reference to His Excellency's approval of the appointment of Mr. J. Bound as Quartermaster and confirmation of his temporary war time commission I should be grateful if you will arrange for the necessary announcement in the Gazette and ^{that} Mr. Bound ^{be} informed accordingly.

Rush Woodfall
Lieutenant-Colonel,
Officer Commanding.

20th July,

45.

Sir,

*Recd 52
in H.P. 132*

With reference to the letter from this Office dated the 5th of May, 1942, I am directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm your temporary Commission as a Lieutenant in the Falkland Islands Defence Force, for duties as Quartermaster, with effect from the 5th of May, 1942.

2. As from the 3rd of July, 1945, you will receive an allowance at the rate of £25 per annum in respect of your services as Quartermaster.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

K. G. BRADLEY

Colonial Secretary.

Lieutenant J Bound,
Falkland Islands Defence Force,
STANLEY.

(thru' G/C Falkland Is. Defence Force).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
20th July, 1945.

With reference to Gazette Notice No. 53 of the 5th of
May, 1942, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to
confirm the temporary Commission of

LIEUTENANT JOHN BOUND

in the Falkland Islands Defence Force, for duties as
Quartermaster, with effect from the 5th of May, 1942.

By Command,

Kenneth Bradlee.
Colonial Secretary.

No.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

MINUTE.

(4)

9th May, 1946.

To The Colonial Secretary,

STANLEY.

From The Officer Commanding,
F. I. D. F.,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

His Excellency having approved the following appointments and promotions (vide M.P. 92/45, red (4)) I would be grateful if the necessary action, as to Gazette Notice etc., could be taken.

The following Officers of the Falkland Islands Defence Force to have their temporary Commissions confirmed with the seniority stated:-

Lieutenant W. Browning, B.E.M.,	6th August, 1942.
Lieutenant D. W. O'Sullivan,	1st February, 1943.

The following Officers to have their temporary Commissions confirmed with the seniority stated and promoted Lieutenant from this date:-

2nd-Lieutenant S.R. Summers,	15th August, 1941.
2nd-Lieutenant D. Fleuret,	6th August, 1942.
2nd-Lieutenant M.J. Luxton,	6th August, 1942.
2nd-Lieutenant L.A. Sedgwick,	6th August, 1942.
2nd-Lieutenant J.B. Browning,	3rd May, 1943.

John Goodfellow
Lieut.-Colonel,
Officer Commanding.

73/45.

11th May, 46.

Sir,

With reference to the letter addressed to you from this Office, dated (1) 18.8.41 *Red 46 in 1/32*

(2) 5.8.42 " 68 " 1/32

(3) 5.8.42 " 64 " 1/32

(4) 5.8.42 " 72 " 1/32

Red 105 in 1/32 (5) 4.5.43, I am directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm your temporary Commission as a 2nd-Lieutenant in the Falkland Islands Defence Force, with seniority as from the (1) 45.8.41

(2) 6.8.42

(3) 6.8.42

(4) 6.8.42

(5) 3.5.43,

and to approve your promotion to the rank of Lieutenant with effect from the 9th of May, 1946.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

- 1) Lieut. S.R. Summers.
- 2) " D. Fleuret.
- 3) " M.J. Luxton.
- 4) " L.A. Sedgwick.
- 5) " J.B. Browning.

for Colonial Secretary.

(Thro' Officer Commanding, F.I.D.F.)

11th May, 46.

Sir,

43 of 1/32.
With reference to the letter addressed to you from this Office, dated the 18th of August, 1941, I am directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm your temporary Commission as a Lieutenant in the Falkland Islands Defence Force, with seniority as from the 6th of August, 1942.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Sd.) L. W. ALLEN

for Colonial Secretary.

Lt. W. Browning, B.E.M.,

F. I. D. F.

(Thro' Officer Commanding, F.I.D.F.).

11th May, 46.

Sir,

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With reference to the letter addressed to you from this Office, dated the 5th of August, 1942, I am directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm your temporary Commission as Lieutenant in the Falkland Islands Defence Force, with seniority as from the 1st of February, 1943.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

for Colonial Secretary.

Leut. D. W. O'Sullivan,

F. I. D. F.

(Thro' Officer Commanding, F.I.D.F.)

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.
11th May, 1946.

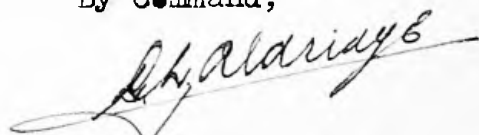
His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm the following Commissions in the Falkland Islands Defence Force:-

<u>Rank.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Date of Seniority.</u>
Lieutenant	W. Browning, B.E.M.,	6th August, 1942,
Lieutenant	D. W. O'Sullivan,	1st February, 1943,
2nd-Lieutenant	S. R. Summers,	15th August, 1941,
2nd-Lieutenant	D. Fleuret,	6th August, 1942,
2nd-Lieutenant	M. J. Luxton,	6th August, 1942,
2nd-Lieutenant	L. A. Sedgwick,	6th August, 1942,
2nd-Lieutenant	J. B. Browning,	3rd May, 1943,

and to approve the following promotions, with effect from the 9th of May, 1946:-

2nd-Lieutenant	S. R. Summers,	to be Lieutenant,
2nd-Lieutenant	D. Fleuret,	to be Lieutenant,
2nd-Lieutenant	M. J. Luxton,	to be Lieutenant,
2nd-Lieutenant	L. A. Sedgwick,	to be Lieutenant,
2nd-Lieutenant	J. B. Browning,	to be Lieutenant.

By Command,



for Colonial Secretary,

No. 73/45.

(It is requested that, in any reference to this minute, the above Number and the date may be quoted).

MINUTE.

10th June, 19 46.

To His Excellency the Governor
and Commander-in-Chief,
STANLEY.

From The Officer Commanding,
F. I. D. F.,
Stanley, Falkland Islands.

With reference to my Minute of the 7th of May, paragraph 5, (vide M.P. 92/45, red (4)), I have been in communication with the Officer Commanding, South Georgia, and have received the following cable:-

"To O.C., F.I.D.F.

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL. Your telegram 5th June. See no reason why Grierson should not receive similar treatment to other Officers in regard to confirmation.

O.C., SOUTH GEORGIA."

2. I have much pleasure in recommending to Your Excellency, for favourable consideration, that Mr. Grierson be confirmed, with seniority from the 3rd of May, 1943.

app'd 11/11/46
[Signature]

[Signature]

Lt.-Col.,
Officer Commanding,
F.I.D.F.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

(10)

From The Colonial Secretary.

To The Magistrate, South Georgia.

Despatched : June 14th 19 46 *Time* : 13.00.

Received : 19 *Time* :

No. 68. Following for O/C Defences begins. His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm Grierson's Commission in the Defence Force as Lieutenant with seniority as from the 3rd May, 1943.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

G.T.C.

73/45.

Copy to Officer Commanding, South Georgia. (11)

15th June, 46.

Sir,

*Red 107.
of 1/32.*

With reference to the letter addressed to you from this Office, dated the 4th of May, 1943, I am directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm your temporary Commission as Lieutenant in the Falkland Islands Defence Force, with seniority as from the 3rd of May, 1943.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for Colonial Secretary.

Lieut. W. J. Grierson,
SOUTH GEORGIA.

(Thro' Officer Commanding, South Georgia).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Stanley, Falkland Islands,
15th June, 1946.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm the following Commission in the Falkland Islands Defence Force:-

<u>Rank.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Date of Seniority.</u>
Lieutenant	W. J. Grierson	3rd May, 1943.

By Command,

Colonial Secretary.