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Port & Marine.  
1874 C.S. 'Afterglow'

1924.

SHI/VES/2 # 2

No.

112/24

Ag Governor

SUBJECT.

1924

19th Jan'y

Previous Paper.

Musketry Course for Officers and  
men of 'Afterglow'

MINUTES.

Minute from Ag Governor 19 Jan'y 1924 (1)

Harbour Master.

For info. Will you please make  
arrangements with Lieut. Watson.

G.R.H.  
Dir Sec  
19 Jan'y 1924.

Hon. Sec. Secretary.

Arrangements have been made with  
Lieut. Watson - accordingly.

Colin G. Hooley  
Harbour Master.  
22. 1. 24.

Report from Harbour Master 26 Jan'y 1924 (2)

Score Sheets

Encls (2a) (2b)

V.E. Submitted

G.R.H.  
Dir Sec 31 Jan'y 1924

Subsequent Paper.

The results are satisfactory considering  
the very few conditions


~~W. W. W.~~ 21 Jan. 24

From His Excellency the Acting Governor

to The Officer-in-Charge of the Secretariat.

I had intended that the Afterglow should proceed to the Beaulieu Island at an early date but as the Assistant Naturalist is detained in Stanley this must be postponed.

I wish the officers and men of the Afterglow to be put through a musketry course next week. I have no doubt that the O.C. Volunteers will assist by landing target etc. Will you please ask the Harbour Master to make the necessary arrangements

 15 Jan. 24

FALKLAND ISLANDS.



C.S. No.....

MINUTE PAPER.

Departmental Number.

From...Harbour Master.....

*Port Marine*

Date.....26 January....1924.

To.....Hon.Col.Secretary.....

Musketry Course, H.M.C.S. "Afterglow".

Reference  
Numbers.

I beg to submit the attached score sheets, Musketry Course, Officers and Crew of the H.M.C.S. "Afterglow".

The course was taken, as laid down in the Musketry Regulations. Part I, General Staff, War Office. for the Territorial Force.

Part I. Instructional Practices was fired on the 24th inst and Part II Standard Test was fired on the 25th inst.

2. The firing practice on the first day appears poor, this was partly on account of a feeling of strangeness to range firing and the glare of a brilliant sun and more to inefficient rifles, this being remedied on the second day the score sheets appear to be better, though a moderate breeze was blowing across the range throughout the day and increasing in squalls.

3. Lieutenant Watson F.I.V. was present throughout the first day and Serjeant Major Lawler F.I.V. throughout the second day, separate score sheets were kept and regulations adhered to.

4. I would beg to place on record Lieutenant Watson's and Serjeant Major Lawler's kindness in thus assisting me and

and whose assistance by their presence and willingness to give instruction rendered the firing practice beneficial to all.

*Colin E. Hooley*  
Harbour Master

H.M.S. "Afterglow."  
Musketry Course.

Fired. 24<sup>th</sup> January. 1934.

PART I.				Hockly, C.E.	Howatt, F.	Swain, F.	White, J.	Watts, J.	Etheridge, W.	Meirhoffer, G.	Jones, J.	Roberts, H.	Brechin, G.	Evans, C.
Range.	Practice.	No. of Shots	MAX obtain <sup>d</sup>											
100	Grouping	5	25	10	10	10	10	10	10	0	10	10	10	0
100	Lying (with rest)	5	20	5	11	14	14	4	13	11	14	11	11	12
"	" (without rest)	5	20	13	9	12	7	4	14	16	7	9	6	9
300	Lying	5	20	7	7	12	12	10	13	8	13	12	15	8
"	Kneeling	5	20	3	6	9	2	2	4	6	12	9	11	0
500	Lying	5	20	0	6	8	4	8	10	2	5	2	12	0
		30	125	38	49	65	49	28	64	43	61	53	70	20

PART I  
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Maximum. 125.

G. Brechin	70
F. Swain	65
W. Etheridge	64
J. Jones	61
H. Roberts	53
F. Howatt	49
J. White	49
G. Meirhoffer	43
C.E. Hockly	38
C. Evans	29
J. Watts	28

Fine clear sky - Brilliant sunshine throughout.  
Wind South to E.S.E. 1 to 3 miles per hour.  
Commenced 9.55<sup>A</sup>. Finished 4.50<sup>P</sup>.

Colin E. Hockly.  
Harbour Master.  
26-1-34.

# H.M.S. "Afterglow"

## Musketry Course!

Fired 25<sup>th</sup> January 1954.

PART 2.		No of Shots	Max obtain <sup>d</sup> .	HOCKLY, C.E.	HOWATT, F.	SWAIN, E.	WHITE, J.	WATTS, J.	ETHERIDGE, W.	MEIRHOFFER, G.	JONES, J.	ROBERTS, H.	BRECHIN, G.	EVANS, C.	PART 2 Maximum 85.	
Range	Practice.															
100	Grouping	5	25	15	20	20	20	10	15	15	20	15	15	10	F. Howatt.	58
200	Lying. 4 hits. (Min. Score. 12.)	5	20	12	15	12	13	13	12	16	13	13	12	12	J. White.	57
"	Snapshooting (4 hits on target.)	5	20	11	17	16	12	13	14	15	10	11	11	17	E. Swain.	56
500	Lying. (with rest)	5	20	8	6	8	12	10	12	2	7	6	16	8	G. Brechin.	54
		20	85	46	58	56	57	46	53	48	50	45	54	47	W. Etheridge.	53
															T. Jones.	50
															G. Meirhofer.	48
															C. Evans.	47
															C.E. Hockly.	46
															J. Watts	46
															H. Roberts	45

Fine clear sky. Bright sunshine.  
Wind N.W. moderate breeze. increasing.

Colin E. Hockly.  
Harbour Master  
26-1-54