

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Governor's Office.

No.

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From

SUBJECT.

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Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Allowance from Private Alex. McPhee to his Mother.

No.

Date

121

27th October, 1915.

Colonial Secretary's Record No.

MINUTES.

Col. Secy asked to request O.C. Vol. to communicate Mrs. McPhee's complaint to her son Alex McPhee.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

NO. 121.

Downing Street,

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27th October, 1915.



Sir,

With reference to my despatch No.95 of the
2nd September I have the honour to transmit to you a
13th October, 1915. copy of a further letter from Mrs. Mc.Phee regarding
her allowance from her son, Mr. A. Mc.Phee.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

A. Bonner Law

GOVERNOR

W. D. YOUNG, ESQ., C.M.G.,

&c., &c., &c.,

ENCLOSURE TO DESPATCH
No. 121. OF 27/10/15

COPY

Mrs. Mc.Phee,
38, Newrow,
PERTH.



October 13th, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I take the liberty of again writing you to let you know that I have not received anything from my son Private Alexander Mc.Phee Falkland Islands, and as I am a widow and in great need of some thing to help me I have went several times to the S. & S.A. and they can't do anything for me as I can't tell them my son's number. I have taken my letters to them but it is of no avail so trusting you will try and help me sorry for having to trouble you so much I am yours obedient.

(Sd) MRS. MC.PHEE.

38, Newrow,
PERTH.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

No. 175.

Government House, Stanley.

19th December, 1915.

Sir,

With reference to your despatches No. 95 of 2nd September, and 121 of 27th October, forwarding letters from Mrs. McPhee regarding the discontinuance of remittances made to her by her son A. McPhee, a Private in the Falkland Islands Volunteer Force, I beg to state that A. McPhee has been informed of his Mother's representations.

2. Private A. McPhee ceased on the 30th of June last, to be a Military paid member of the Force on active service, when he returned to his civil employment, until such time as he may be called upon again for active service. In the circumstances I do not see that this Government can do anything further to assist Mrs. McPhee in the matter of her complaint.

3. I am informed that Mrs McPhee has two daughters working at a Mill in Perth and living with her, and that her eldest son is a piper in private employment. There were three sons in private employment in this Colony as Sheep Farm labourers. The eldest of these left for the front two or three months ago, the other two ^(the Volunteers) Alex. and Angus McPhee are still here.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

Douglas Young
Governor.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.