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SUBJECT.

1918

Army

21st October

Returns to be made of Graves of members of N.M. Corps who have died during war.

Previous Paper.

662/18.

MINUTES.

Of. Volunteers

Will you kindly let me have a statement giving the information asked for.

15.3.19 M.  
/ for

Hon. Sec.

I forward 2 copies of the details asked for.

21.3.19. F. J. Newham Maj.  
Comdt.

Subsequent Paper.

Copy of Statement forwarded to Secretary of State under cover of despatch 70 44 of the 24th March, 1919.

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29.3.19 M.  
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CIRCULAR.

For C.S.O.  
13.3.19  
WJ.  
LW



Downing Street,

21st October, 1918.

Sir,

With reference to my Circular despatch of the 8th of March, I have the honour to inform you that the Army Council have requested that the Governors, etc., of all British Colonies and Protectorates outside the sphere of active operations in the present War may be asked to furnish a list of all officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of His Majesty's Forces, raised in any part of the British Empire, and also of enemy combatants, who have died in the territory under their administration during the present War, shewing the location of their graves, and stating whether these have been temporarily or permanently marked.

2. This information is required in order to complete the record of War Graves throughout the world, which will, after the conclusion of hostilities, be handed over to the Imperial War Graves Commission.

3. I shall be glad if the wishes of the Army Council may be complied with, so far as concerns the territory under your administration.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

WALTER H. LONG.

The Officer Administering

the Government of

the  
Falkland Islands

## Falkland Islands Volunteer Force.

List of members who have died during the war.

No.	Rank	Name	Date of death	Cause of death	Where buried	Remarks.
<u>I. Men who have died on active service.</u>						
248	Corporal	Spencer, E.H.	1.12.14.	drowned	Stanley. 778	Headstone.
197	Private	Blyth, W	do.	do.	do. 779	do.
303	"	Biggs, F.J.	do.	do.	do. 776	do.
152	"	Aitken, N.	do.	do.	do. 777	Cross, no name as yet.
335	"	Newing, C.A.	do.	do.	do. 775	will be marked by family.
403	"	Shire, W.	do.	do.	do. 781	Cross and
405	"	Gayland, N.	do.	do.	do. 780	kerb, no
398	"	Allen, J.W.	do.	do.	do. 782	names as yet.

2. Men who returned to their civil occupations though still liable to be called up if required.

296	Private	Lee, E.C.	10.8.15.	disease	Port Stephens.	unknown.
392	"	Hewitt, D.	11.8.15.	"	Darwin.	
194	"	Yates, W.J.	2.9.15.	"	Stanley. 795	not marked.
458	"	Sollis, F.J.	15.11.18.	misad-venture.	do. 830	do.

21 March 1919.

*F. J. Newham*  
*Commandant*