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Downing Street, 4th August, 1919.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary has expressed a wish to present to each of the principal museums throughout the Empire a specimen of the gift which was provided from Her Royal Highness's Soldiers' and Sailors' Christmas Fund for distribution to all men in the British Empire wearing the King's Uniform on Christmas Day, 1914.

2. The Christmas gift consisted of an embossed brass box, a bullet pencil case, and a New Year card. To this has been added a small photograph of Her Royal Highness such as was included in a separate gift sent to the Navy and the troops at the Front at the same time.

3. A specimen of this souvenir of the war is forwarded with this despatch to be placed with the collections in the local Museum, or similar institution in which it could be appropriately deposited.

I have the honour to be,

Sir, Your most obedient, humble servant, MILNER.

The Officer Administering

the Government of the Jalkland Islands