Captain Etienne Geoffrey Milward

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With the deepest regret we announce the death (see another column), as a result of wounds received whilst fighting the Allies' great and just cause, of Capt E G Milward, nephew and adopted son of Mr and Mrs H W Sparkes, of Oak Cliff, Dawlish, to whom the sincere and respectful sympathies of the community will be extended.

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Death.

MILWARD.—Etienne Geoffrey (nephew and adopted son of H. W. and E. M. Sparkes), Captain, 7th D.C.L.I., aged 20½ years, severely wounded in action in France on Thursday, 31st August, 1916, departed this life in hospital on Saturday, 2nd September. R.I.P.