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(April, 1904.)

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AM 781

Form of Engagement or Re-engagement in the Royal Navy under the terms of the Naval Agreement of 1903.

To be forwarded to the Accountant-General of the Navy with Form S.—52 (late S.—41).

Christian and Surname in full.		Present Rating.
<i>James Henry Pullan</i>		<i>Boys 11 class</i>
Date of Birth. <small>(Vide Arts. 343, 346, and 351 of the Regulations, 1899.)</small>	Place of Birth and where Registered.	
<i>16th December 1889.</i>	<i>Christ church N.Y.</i>	

Personal Description at the date of this Document.

Height.	Hair.	Eyes.	Complexion.	Wounds, Scars, or Marks.	Trade or Occupation.
<i>5'6"</i>	<i>Dark Brown</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Fresh</i>	<i>- Nil -</i>	<i>Labourer</i>
Commencing date of Engagement	<i>16th December 1904</i>		Period of Engagement ...	<i>5 years</i>	
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage	<i>21st September 06</i>		In case of re-engagement, date and period of previous engagement		
Length of residence in Australia immediately preceding this date.....	<i>Since birth</i>				

Declaration on Entry from Shore for Service.

In accordance with Article 346 of the King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions, 1899, the following questions are to be put by the Captain to the person about to engage, whose answers are to be recorded hereon :—

- 1.—Are you a British subject? ... *yes*
- 2.—Have you ever served in H.M. Navy, Army, Army Reserve, Marines, Militia, or in His Majesty's Indian Military Forces, or in any Colonial Naval or Military Force? If so, state which * ... *no*
- 3.—Do you now belong to any of the Forces enumerated above, or the Naval Reserve? ... *no*
- 4.—Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service, or discharged from it on that account? If so, state reason of rejection or discharge, and date ... *no*
- 5.—Have you ever been dismissed from any of the Forces enumerated above? ... *no*
- 6.—Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ... *yes*

* Particulars of service in any of these forces or in the Merchant Service should be forwarded into Office with this Engagement.

[Handwritten signature]

Engagement or Re-engagement for men in the Royal Navy, under the terms of the Naval Agreement of 1903.

Date 21st September 1906.

This is to certify that we have examined the person named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for His Majesty's Navy, and we find as follows:—He is of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, free from all physical malformation, active and intelligent; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

 } Captain
 or
 } Commander.

 } Medical Officer.

I James Henry Pullan do solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the foregoing questions are true, and I do hereby agree to serve honestly and faithfully in the Royal Navy for five years from* 16th December 04 provided my service should be so long required, as witness my hand this 21st day of September 1906.

 Man's Signature, in full, or Mark.

Witnesses to
 Signature or Mark {

2.—CERTIFICATE FOR BOYS.

Date 21st September 1906.

This is to certify, that we have examined the boy named on the other side hereof, as to his fitness for His Majesty's Navy, and we find as follows:—He is a well-grown, stout, intelligent lad; of perfectly, sound and healthy constitution, and free from all physical malformation; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

The consent of his parents or friends has been obtained in writing,† and they are willing and desirous that the boy should be entered for five years' service from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till he attains that age; and the boy himself is willing and desirous to enter the Royal Navy under these conditions, as attested by his signature attached hereto, and declares that he is not indentured as an apprentice, and also that to the best of his knowledge and belief the answers to the questions on the other side hereof are true.

James Henry Pullan Boy's Signature, in full.

Witnesses to
 Signature, in full. {

 } Captain or Commander.

 } Lieutenant.

 } Medical Officer.

3.—RE-ENGAGEMENT FOR SERVICE.

To be executed by men who have not been out of the Service since the expiration of their first engagement.

The particulars indicated on the other side are also required when this Form is used.

I _____, now serving as a _____
 on board H.M.S. _____ who on the _____
 of _____ 19 _____, engaged to serve in H.M. Navy for a period of Five Years, under the terms of the Naval Agreement of 1903, do hereby engage to serve for a further period of Five Years from ‡ _____
 provided my services should be so long required.

 Man's Signature, in full, or Mark.

Witness,

 Captain.

* Insert the date from which the Engagement actually commences.
 † The document conveying the consent to be attached to this paper.
 ‡ Insert the date of commencement of the re-engagement which must either be coincident with, or (when the re-engagement is antedated) earlier than the date of execution. Vide Art. 372, Cl. 4, of the Regulations, 1899.

CERTIFIED COPY of ENTRY in the REGISTER-BOOK of BIRTHS in the District of CHRISTCHURCH.

No.	CHILD.			PARENTS.		INFORMANT.	REGISTRAR.	CHILD.	
	When and where born.	Name of Child, and whether present or not.	Sex.	FATHER.	MOTHER.				
15	1889 December 16 Suam Street	James Henry Present	m	1. Name and Surname. 2. Rank or Profession. 3. Age. 4. Birthplace. James Pullan Bricklayer 30 Yorkshire England	When and where married. 7 October 1882 Christchurch	1. Name and Maiden Surname. 2. Age. 3. Birthplace. Sarah Ann Pullan formerly Thompson 27 Manchester England	1. Signature. 2. Description. 3. Residence. 4. If entry a correction of a former entry, Signatures of Witnesses attesting the same. h.w. Pullan P.A. + Pullan mother Christchurch	1. When registered. 2. Signature of Registrar. 1890 January 6 L. F. Parkinson	Name, if added or altered after Registration of Birth.

I, LYONEL CHARLES WILLIAMS Registrar of Births and Deaths in the District of CHRISTCHURCH., do hereby certify that the above

is a true copy of the entry of the birth of James Henry Pullan, in the Register-book in my office.

Given under my hand at CHRISTCHURCH. this 18 day of September, 1906.

L. C. Williams
Registrar

CONSENT PAPER.

(This Paper is required in all cases, in addition to the Declaration or Certificate of Birth.)

* Strike out "my son" or "ward" as the case may be.

I hereby certify that my ^{son,*} ward _____ has my full ^{Five} consent (being himself willing) to enter His Majesty's Navy for a period of ~~Twelve~~ Years' ~~Continuous and~~ General Service, from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary until he attains that age, agreeably to the Admiralty Regulations.

Boys from Industrial Schools, and Industrial School Ships, are entered in exceptional cases, on special submission by the Superintendent of the School. My ^{son} ward has not been an inmate of one of these Institutions. *No*

He has not been in a reformatory, nor sentenced to imprisonment. *No*

I declare that he has never had fits. *No*

The Date of the Boy's Birth is, † _____

His Religious Persuasion is, *Methodian*

Witness my hand at *No 12 Essex St Linwood*

17th day of *September* 190*6*

† Parent's Guardian's Signature in full *James Pullan*

† Parent's Guardian's Address *No 12 Essex St Linwood*

† No alteration or erasure is to be made in the date of birth given.

† Must be signed by the Father, if alive, or satisfactory explanation made.

Strike out "Parent's" or "Guardian's" as the case may be.

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

I, the above named *James Pullan* do consent to enter

His Majesty's Navy and do declare that I am not Indentured as an apprentice.

§ Boy's Signature in full *James Henry Pullan*

Signed by the said [Here write Boy's name] *James Pullan*

And [Here write Parent or Guardian's name] *James Pullan*

§ The Boy and Parent or Guardian must sign in the presence of the witness to their signatures.

In the presence of *F. Malmanche* Witness to signatures of Boy, and Parent or Guardian.
No 34. St Asaph Street
Christchurch Address.

N.B.—The Boy and Parent or Guardian must sign in the presence of the Witness to their signatures.

CERTIFICATE.

|| Strike out "Parent" or "Guardian" as the case may be.

** Strike out "he" or "she" according to sex of Parent or Guardian.

† The assertion of the boy himself should not be taken as sufficient warrant for this statement

I certify that I am personally acquainted with this Boy's || Parent, and am aware** he/she has consented to the Boy's entry as above, and I believe the particulars stated herein to be true.

____ Clergyman of the Parish, or _____ Resident Householder } Occupation. _____

____ Address. _____ 190 .

Particulars to be stated, if possible, in the case of a Boy whose Father is dead.

Date of the Father's death Living

Place of death _____

Signed Mrs Sct. Cullan Mother.

Particulars to be stated, if possible, in the case of a Boy whose Parents are both dead.

Date of Father's death _____

Place of death _____

Date of Mother's death _____

Place of Mother's death _____

Signed _____ Guardian.