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(April, 1904)

Powell

Official No. if known

AM 7.1671

H.M.S.

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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.

Stanley Ernest Cole

1 Boy 2nd.

Date of Birth.

(Vide Arts. 359A, 360, and 361 King's Regulations, 1906.)

Place of Birth and where Registered.

14th May 1896.

*Wellington
New Zealand.*

Personal Description at date of this Document.

Height.	Hair.	Eyes.	Complexion.	Wounds, Scars, or Marks.	Trade or Occupation.
<i>5'8"</i>	<i>Brn</i>	<i>Brn</i>	<i>Dark</i>	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Seaman.</i>

Commencing date of Engagement.....

14th May 1914

Period of Engagement...

5 Years.

Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage

8th June 1911

In case of re-engagement, date and period of previous engagement ...

Length of residence in Australia immediately preceding this date

Since Birth

DECLARATION ON ENTRY FROM SHORE FOR SERVICE.

In accordance with Article 360 of the King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions, 1906, 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 reasons 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.

ENGAGEMENT OR RE-ENGAGEMENT FOR MEN IN THE ROYAL NAVY, UNDER THE TERMS OF THE NAVAL AGREEMENT OF 1903.

Date _____ 19

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 _____ 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 * _____ provided my service should be so long required, as witness my hand this _____ day of _____ 19

 Man's Signature in full or Mark

Witnesses to } _____
 Signature or Mark. } _____

2.—CERTIFICATE FOR BOYS.

_____ *8th June* 1911

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.

Stanley Earnest Cole Boy's Signature in full.

Witnesses to } _____
 Signature, in full. } _____

 _____ } Captain or Commander.
 _____ Lieutenant.
John Fullerton 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, _____ 19
 _____ 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. 393, Cl. 3, of the Regulations, 1906.

Agreement relative to Deferment of Colonial Allowance.

To be signed by all Men and Boys entered under the Naval Agreement of 1903, and on Re-engagement, and to be attached to Form S. 55 A.

Until the expiration of my Engagement, or until I obtain my discharge, if previous to the expiration of that Engagement, I do hereby agree to defer the withdrawal of my Colonial Allowance from the States Savings Bank, except such amounts as shall be approved by my Commanding Officer to be withdrawn for the benefit of *bona fide* dependent relatives, as witness my hand this.....day of

.....*June*.....19*11*

.....*Stanley Earnest Cole*.....Man or Boy's Signature in full, or Mark.

Witness.....*J. H. Conway*.....*Swiler*

Perth 4-6-1911

Sir

My Boy Stanley has written to me for my consent for him to join the police I give that consent most gladly as I think it would be to his advantage to do so. as he seems to want to do so I think it is best for to let him go

I have the honour to be
Yours obediently
George Coler Father of
Stanley Coler

NEW ZEALAND.

CERTIFIED COPY of ENTRY in the REGISTER-BOOK of BIRTHS in the District of WELLINGTON

No.	CHILD.			PARENTS.		INFORMANT.	REGISTRAR.	CHILD.	
	When and where born.	Name of Child, and whether present or not.	Sex.	FATHER.	MOTHER.				
529	17 May 1896 Horndon Quay Wellington.	Stanley. Ernest.	Male.	1. Name and Surname. 2. Rank or Profession. 3. Age. 4. Birthplace. George. Cole. Engine Driver 54. England	When and where married. August 1874 Wellington	1. Name and Maiden Surname. 2. Age. 3. Birthplace. Mary Ann Cole formerly Wild 43. London.	1. Signature. 2. Description. 3. Residence. 4. If entry a correction of a former entry, Signatures of Witnesses attesting the same. Mary Ann Cole Mother Wellington	1. When registered. 2. Signature of Registrar. 11 June 1896 W. G. Wyatt	Name, if added or altered after Registration of Birth.

I, Gilbert Graham Hodgkin, Registrar of Births and Deaths in the District of WELLINGTON, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the entry of the birth of Stanley Ernest Cole, in the Register-book in my office.

Given under my hand _____ at WELLINGTON, this 17 day of May, 1900.

Gilbert Graham Hodgkin
Registrar.

leave

NEW ZEALAND

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