

MILITIA ATTESTATION OF

No. 1815 Name: Richard Hayes Corps: The Cork Artillery (R.S.R.A.)

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

If so, the Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce (if possible) his parchment Certificate of Discharge, and Certificate of Character, which will be returned to him accompanied by the endorsement in red ink, as follows: viz. (Name) enlisted as Militiaman for the County of Cork on the 21st day of August 1902. Here insert 6 years, except in the case of a re-called man, as defined by the Militia Regulations, who will be attested for 4 years. Here insert 4 "County," as defined in Sections 48 to 53 of the Militia Act (1883). Here insert the "Corps," as defined by Royal Warrant.

1. What is your Name? 1. Richard Hayes

2. In what Parish, and in or near what Town, and in what County were you born? 2. In the Parish of Bandon in or near the Town of Bandon in the County of Cork

3. Are you a British Subject? 3. yes

4. Where do you now reside? 4. In the Parish of St. Finbarrs in or near the Town of Cork in the County of Cork

5. Where have you resided for the last twelvemonth? 5. In the Parish of St. Finbarrs in or near the Town of Cork in the County of Cork

6. What is the Name and Residence of your present (or former) Master? 6. Mr. Maroney in or near the Town of Cork in the County of Cork

7. What is your age? 7. 37 Years Months

8. What is your Trade or Calling? 8. Labourer

(You are warned that you are liable to heavy Punishment if you make a false answer to any of the following nine questions.)

9. Are you an Apprentice? 9. no

10. Are you Single, Married, or a Widower? 10. Married

11. If Married, or a Widower, how many Children have you under 14 years of age? 11. Seven

12. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment by the Civil Power? 12. no

13. Do you now belong to Her Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Royal Navy, the Volunteers, the Yeomanry, the Army Reserve, or the Naval Reserve Force? If so, to what Corps? 13. no

14. Have you ever served in Her Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, or the Royal Navy? If so, state which, and cause of discharge? 14. yes, The Cork Artillery (R.S.R.A.) discharged on termination of engagement

15. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? 15. yes

16. Are you in receipt of a pension for any such Service? 16. no

17. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for Her Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? 17. no

18. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 18. yes

19. Did you receive a Notice and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? 19. yes Name: R. P. O'Connell Corp: Cork Artillery (R.S.R.A.)

20. Are you willing to be attested for the term of 4 years (provided Her Majesty should so long require your services), as a Militiaman for the County of Cork to serve in the Royal Artillery? 20. yes

I, Richard Hayes do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to fulfil the engagement made.

Richard Hayes Signature of Recruit. Mark J. O'Connell Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MILITIA RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Richard Hayes do solemnly promise and swear that I will be faithful to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, her heirs and successors, and that I will faithfully serve in the Militia, until I shall be discharged.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR OF A COMMISSIONED OFFICER.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the foregoing questions he would be liable to be punished.

The foregoing questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at

on this 21st day of August 1902

Signature of Magistrate or Commissioned Officer of Regular Army or Militia

Any alteration is required on this page of the Attestation, the Officer who attested the Recruit, or a Justice of the Peace, should be requested to make and initial the alteration under Section 80 (6), Army Act. The Recruit should be required to re-sign the Declaration on Army Form E. 597.

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Description of Hayes Richard on Enlistment.

Apparent Age <u>37</u> years <u>—</u> months. (To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.) Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7 1/4</u> inches. Weight <u>139</u> lbs. Chest measurement { Minimum <u>35 1/2</u> inches. Maximum expansion <u>37 1/2</u> inches. Complexion <u>Fair</u> Eyes <u>Brown</u> Hair <u>Dark Brown</u> Religious denomination { Church of England <u>—</u> Presbyterian <u>—</u> Wesleyan <u>—</u> Other Protestants <u>—</u> Roman Catholic <u>yes</u> Jews <u>—</u>	Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease. (Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the approving Officer.)  <u>Slight Scar</u> <u>Cube of forehead</u>
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Certificate of Medical Examination.

I have examined the above-named recruit and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye: his heart and lungs are healthy: he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him \* fit for the Militia.

Date 25<sup>th</sup> August 1900 Rawoodrey  
 Place Cork Civil Surgeon  
 Medical Officer.

\* Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

NOTE.—Should the Medical Officer consider the Recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been attested, and will briefly state below the cause of unfitness:—

Certificate of Primary Military Examination.

I hereby certify that the above-named recruit was inspected by me, and I consider him \* fit for service in the Militia, and that I have examined this Attestation and find it properly filled up.

Date 25<sup>th</sup> August 1900 St Ra  
 Place Cork Recruiting Officer.  
Cork

\* Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

\* Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named recruit is correct and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to The Royal Artillery

If enlisted by special authority, number and date to be here quoted

Date 26<sup>th</sup> August 1900 5 a Surmount Col of  
 Place Camp Camden Commandy The Cork Artillery  
 Approving Officer.

\* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.  
 † Here insert the "Corps" as defined by Royal Warrant.



STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. <sup>1815</sup> Name *Richard Hayes*

Corps in which served	Battalion	Promotions, Reductions, Transfers to other Corps, Enlistments in Militia Reserve, Re-engagements, &c., &c., &c.	Militia Rank	Period of Service in each Rank		Details of Service, showing whether drilled on enlistment or before the Annual Training, and whether present or absent from each Annual Training.
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<i>The Cork R.G.A. (S.R.A.)</i>		<i>Posted</i>	<i>Quartermaster</i>	<i>1900</i>	<i>25<sup>th</sup> August</i>	<i>LEAVE TR'NG '01</i> <i>Present Aug 1902</i> <i>do 1903</i>
<i>do</i>		<i>joined for</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>1900</i>	<i>25<sup>th</sup> Aug</i>	
<i>do</i>		<i>Embodiment</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>1900</i>	<i>25<sup>th</sup> Aug</i>	
<i>do</i>		<i>Reembodied</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>1900</i>	<i>6<sup>th</sup> Nov</i>	
<i>do</i>		<i>Discharged</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>6/6/04</i>		
		<i>as an invalid</i>				

*Character Very Good*  
*At Sergeant-Captain*  
*Cedric*  
**THE CORK R.G.A. (Militia)**

If absent without leave from the Annual Training an entry of such absence should be made as prescribed by the Militia Regulations.

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J. H. Chapin - St. P.  
Recruiting Office Cork

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