

yeomanry

 (*yeo-man-ry*)

Definition

n. 1 class of small freeholders who cultivated their own land; 2 a British volunteer cavalry force formed in 1761 for home defense later part of the Territorial Army

Example Sentence

The **yeomanry** was not entitled to bear arms.

Synonyms

yeomen collectively; class of freeholders; class between gentry and labor

Antonyms

nobility

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