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## John Rabbitt

**REG NO: 2210**

BORN
**12 May 1902**

JOINED
**03 November 1922**

ADDRESS
**Clonbard, Castlerea, Co. Roscommon**

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
—

DATE OF DEATH
—

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
—

HEIGHT
5ft 10in

CHEST
37/35

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

—

RECOMMENDED BY

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## SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

—

IRA RANK

Batt. Lieut.

NATIONAL ARMY RANK

—

RIC RANK

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FOREIGN ARMY RANK

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CID/PROTECTION CORPS

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END OF SERVICE & REASON

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## NOTES & REFERENCES

REMARKS

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FURTHER NOTES

Sean Rabbitt was born in Baslick, Frenchpark, County Roscommon and was the son of Pat Rabit (a farmer) and Mary Cryan. Eventually reached the rank of Lieutenant. Married Teresa Connolly on 22nd April in Aughrim Street Church in Dublin. While in Limerick he was the founder of the first GAA Garda Club to win a championship, which contributed to him getting the name 'The Great Gael'. Superintendent Rabbitt died while in Dublin in August 1962, having been stationed in Gorey, County Wexford.

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