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James Fitzsimons

REG NO: 2566

BORN
23 May 1903

JOINED
23 November 1922

ADDRESS
Strongford, Down

PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
—

DATE OF DEATH
—

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
—

HEIGHT
6ft 1 1/4

CHEST
38/36

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

—

RECOMMENDED BY

—

SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

—

IRA RANK

Private

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

On 14th November 1926 concerted attacks were carried out on twelve Garda stations throughout the country. One of those stations was St.Luke's in Cork city when a group of armed men attacked the station and attempted to gain entry by forcing the front door of the building. Sergeant Fitzsimons, in an attempt to barricade the front door was confronted by the raiders in the hallway and shot dead.

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Killed in Line of Duty

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