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RESEARCHING AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA/ CIVIC GUARD ANCESTORS OF IRELAND



## James Fitzsimons

REG NO: 2566

### BORN

23 May 1903

### JOINED

23 November 1922

### STATIONED

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

### ADDRESS

Strongford, Down

### DATE OF DEATH

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### RELIGION

Roman Catholic

### OCCUPATION/TRADE

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### HEIGHT

6ft 1 1/4

### CHEST

38/36

### IRISH LANGUAGE

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### MARRIAGE

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## SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

**GARDA RANK**  
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**IRA RANK**

Private

**NATIONAL ARMY RANK**  
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**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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