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RESEARCHING AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA/ CIVIC GUARD ANCESTORS OF IRELAND



Patrick McAvinia

REG NO: 2

BORN
12 December 1894

JOINED
21 February 1922

ADDRESS
County Cavan

PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
—

DATE OF DEATH
—

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
—

HEIGHT
—

CHEST
—

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

—

RECOMMENDED BY

—

SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

—

IRA RANK

—

NATIONAL ARMY RANK

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RIC RANK

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FOREIGN ARMY RANK

—

CID/PROTECTION CORPS

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END OF SERVICE & REASON

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NOTES & REFERENCES

REMARKS

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FURTHER NOTES

Often said to be the first official person to join the Civic Guard. Son of Edward McAvinia (a farmer) and Mary Anne Kiernan. He worked as a clerk of the arbitration court in Galway before joining. Married to Christina. He retired on 24th March 1947. He worked for Irish Oil and Cake Mills Ltd in Drogheda for the next 15 years. He died in 1963

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