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RESEARCHING AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA/ CIVIC GUARD ANCESTORS OF IRELAND



Gerard McQuaid

REG NO: 3365

BORN
01 March 1903

JOINED
08 February 1923

ADDRESS
Belaghy, Magherafelt, Londonderry

PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
WESTMEATH (Finea, Kinnegad), WATERFORD (Rathgormac, Dungarvan, Mary Street), TIPPERARY (Ballingarry, Tipperary, Newcastle), CAVAN (Swanlibar, Belturbet Cavan)

DATE OF DEATH
22 November 1961

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
Wireless Operator

HEIGHT
5ft 9

CHEST
36.5 / 34

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

Margaret Murphy (09 June 1926)

RECOMMENDED BY

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SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

Garda

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

11 March 1953 (Retired)

NOTES & REFERENCES

REMARKS

Re-attested rank Sgt 03/03/24 Card issued 18/4/24

FURTHER NOTES

Son of Francis MQuaid (Sergeant Royal Irish Constabulary) and Mary Ann McCann. During the War of Independence he served with the Banbridge 3rd Battalion, 2nd Brigade, 4th Northern Division. Married Margaret Murphy on 9th June 1926 in Dungarvan Church, County Waterford. Retired on 11th March 1953 and resided in Rathgormack, Carrick on Suir, County Tipperary/Waterford. Died on 22nd November 1961 in St, Mary's Hospital Paddington, London, after he was hit by a car. He is buried in Sacred Heart Church Cemetery Rathgormack.

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