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Michael Burton

REG NO: 4506

BORN
17 August 1895

JOINED
24 May 1923

ADDRESS
Roads, Kells, Caherciveen, Co. Kerry

PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
CLARE (Ballyvaughan), TIPPERARY (Ballinure), KERRY (Portmagee, Cloghane, Kilgarvan)

DATE OF DEATH
11 April 1947

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
—

HEIGHT
5ft 10 3/4

CHEST
41 1/2 39

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

—

RECOMMENDED BY

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SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

Garda

IRA RANK

Private

NATIONAL ARMY RANK

Pte. 5513

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 April 1947 (Died)

NOTES & REFERENCES

REMARKS

Card Issued 30/08/1927 (D3494/27)

FURTHER NOTES

Son of Patrick Burton (a Farmer) and Honoria Coffey. Garda Burton was in Annascaul, County Kerry when he went missing on 9th April 1947 and two days later (11th April 1947) his body was recovered by the cliffs of the Iveragh Peninsula. An inquest held afterwards concluded his cause of death accidental drowning. He is listed on the Garda Memorial in the Phoenix Park, as he died while serving.

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KEYWORD

Died in Service Ballyvaughan Ballinure Portmagee Cloghane

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