

Name: Cornelius Cotter

Reg No: 4754

Address: Derra, Inchigeela, Cork

Date Of Birth: 24 May 1900

Date Of Joining: 21 June 1923

Where Stationed-
DISTRICT(Place): WEXFORD (Ballinaboola), KERRY (Lixnaw), CORK (Glanmire, Riverstown,
Rathcormac, Union Quay), KILKENNY (Kilkenny), SLIGO (Enniscrone)
LIMERICK (Adare, Bruff)

Garda Rank at end of
service: -

Occupation Or
Trade: -

By Whom
Recommended: -

Religion: Roman Catholic

IRA Rank: Private

Rank In National
Army: -

RIC Rank: 0

Foreign Army Rank: -

If In Cid Or
ProtectionCorps: -

Knowledge Of Irish
Language: -

Height: 5ft 9 ¼

Chest: 36 ¾, 35

Remarks: -

Further Notes: Son of John Cotter (a Farmer) and Kate Leary. Was among the first Civic Guards to open Ballinaboola Station in New Ross, County Wexford. Promoted to Sergeant in January 1924. Married Lena Cronin on 24th November 1927 in St. Andrew's Church, Dublin. They had six children. Promoted to Inspector in 1943 and spent 10 years stationed in Union Quay, Cork. Promoted to Superintendent in 1952 and posted to Enniscrone, before he was transferred to Adare and Bruff, County Limerick. Died suddenly from illness while serving on 26th May 1955 in Pembroke Nursing Home, Dublin. He is buried in Bruff Cemetery, County Limerick.

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