

Name: Daniel O'Brien

Reg No: 4993

Address: Raheen, Union Hall, Cork
Date Of Birth: 18 December 1901
Date Of Joining: 03 August 1923
Where Stationed-
DISTRICT(Place): WEXFORD (Hollyforty), LONGFORD (Longford), DONEGAL (Buncrana)
Garda Rank at end of
service: -
Occupation Or Trade: -
By Whom
Recommended: -
Religion: Roman Catholic
IRA Rank: N.C.O.
Rank In National
Army: -
RIC Rank: 0
Foreign Army Rank: -
If In Cid Or
ProtectionCorps: -
Knowledge Of Irish
Language: Yes
Height: 6ft 0 ¼
Chest: 38, 34½
Remarks: Re-attested Sgt 02/07/1924
Daniel O'Brien/Brien was the son of Daniel Brien (a Farmer) and Hanora Mahony. During the War of Independence he served as Section Commander in Myross Unit 4 Battalion No. 3 Cork IRA Brigade. Married Mary Cotton on 10th September 1925 in Killecommock, Ballymahon, County Longford. They had 9 children. Left the Civic Guards shortly after being stationed in Buncrana. Settled in Longford Town and worked as a Manager of a Printer Works. Died on 12th April 1972 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Longford.
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