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Andrew Sharkey

REG NO: 12071 (DMP)

BORN
19 September 1903 (20 years)

JOINED
5 January 1924

ADDRESS
Lower Rosses, Kincasslagh, County Donegal

PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
Depot 5 January 1924, A 7 March 1924, 9 November 1934, E 10 March 1939, 13213/38, F 11 May 1942

DATE OF DEATH
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RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
Shop Assistant

HEIGHT
5ft 11 1/4

CHEST
—

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

—

RECOMMENDED BY

Captain Barry

SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

—

IRA RANK

—

NATIONAL ARMY RANK

—

RIC RANK

—

FOREIGN ARMY RANK

—

CID/PROTECTION CORPS

—

END OF SERVICE & REASON

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NOTES & REFERENCES

REMARKS

Died 29 January 1944

FURTHER NOTES

Son of Andrew Sharkey (a merchant) and Maggie O'Donnell. He was a well known Garda boxer in Ireland as an amateur Heavyweight Boxing Champion and represented the force in competitions internationally, including Berlin. Died on 29th January 1944 while serving at Monkstown Hosptial from typhoid and heart failure, having been wrongly diagnosed as suffering from influenza. He is buried in his hometown of Kincassalagh.

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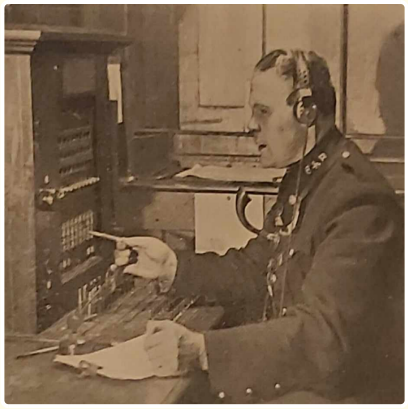
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