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RESEARCHING AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA/ CIVIC GUARD ANCESTORS OF IRELAND



## Francis Colton

REG NO: 7114

BORN

06 June 1901

JOINED

1925

ADDRESS

Ardnasolen, Emyvale, Monaghan

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED

CORK (Bridewell), DEPOT, SLIGO/LEITRIM (Cloone, Ballinacorney, Kinlough, Belturbet)

DATE OF DEATH

13 May 1988

RELIGION

Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE

Mental Hospital Attendant

HEIGHT

5ft 10 1/2

CHEST

35/38

IRISH LANGUAGE

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MARRIAGE

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## SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

**GARDA RANK**  
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**IRA RANK**  
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**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**  
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## NOTES & REFERENCES

**REMARKS**  
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**FURTHER NOTES**

Son of Francis Colton (a Blacksmith) and Annie Connolly. Married Eliza Sweeney on 30th April 1930 in Aughavas Church, Carrigallen, County Leitrim. Worked in Border Duty while stationed in Belturbet. Retired on 5th June 1964. Died on 13th May 1988. He is buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Corracrin, Emyvale, County Monaghan.

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