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Laurence Fennelly

REG NO: 114

BORN
22 November 1901

JOINED
02 March 1922

ADDRESS
Esker, Finnahoe, Leix

PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
DONEGAL (Bundoran), KERRY (Castleisland), TIPPERARY (Clonmel), CORK, ROSCOMMON (Boyle), LAOIS (Abbeyleix)

DATE OF DEATH
29 August 1975

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
—

HEIGHT
5ft 10

CHEST
—

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

Katherine O'Mahony (17 April 1928)

RECOMMENDED BY

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SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

Superintendent

IRA RANK

Sergeant

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

22 November 1964 (Retired)

NOTES & REFERENCES

REMARKS

New Card Issued 21 Oct 1924

FURTHER NOTES

Son of Edward Fennelly (a Carpenter) and ? Married Katherine O'Mahony on 17th April 1928 in Glas Caonog, Dublin. They ahd 3 sons and one daughter. Was awarded the Gold Scott Medal in 1932 when he rescued two children from a burning house. Promoted to inspector in 1941 and spent time in Cork Promoted to Superintendent in 1954 and transferred to Boyle, County Roscommon. Transferred to Abbeyleix in 1960 and retired there on 22nd November 1964.Was actively involved in Abbeyleix Golf where he held positions on the committee such as treasurer and vice president. Died suddenly on 29th August 1975 after he collapsed while playing golf at Abbeyleix Golf Course. He is buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Abbeyleix.

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