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RESEARCHING AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA/ CIVIC GUARD ANCESTORS OF IRELAND



## John Laffan

**REG NO: 46**

BORN
**24 April 1898**

JOINED
**27 February 1922**

ADDRESS
**Ballycullane, Luggacurren, County Laois**

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

STATIONED
CORK (Coachford, Ballingarry, Ballyspittle, Kilcrohane), LIMERICK (Croom, Galbally)

DATE OF DEATH
13 September 1975

RELIGION
Roman Catholic

OCCUPATION/TRADE
—

HEIGHT
—

CHEST
—

IRISH LANGUAGE
—

MARRIAGE

Bridget Prendergast (10 February 1926)

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## SERVICE & RANK INFORMATION

GARDA RANK

Sergeant

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

03 June 1959 (Retirement)

## NOTES & REFERENCES

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FURTHER NOTES

John Laffan/Laffin was born in Ballycoonan, Stradbally, County Laois/Leix. Son of Matthew Laffan (a Labourer) and Margaret Murphy. Served in 4th Battalion 3rd Southern Division Laois IRA Brigade during the War of Independence. Married Bridget Prendergast on 10th February 1926 in Cobh, County Cork. They had 6 sons and 4 daughters. Retired on 3rd June 1959. Resided at Carraghmore, Salthills, County Wexford. Died on 13th September 1975 in New Ross Hospital, County Wexford.

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