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RESEARCHING AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA/ CIVIC GUARD ANCESTORS OF IRELAND



## James Groarke

REG NO: 6023

### BORN

23 December 1904

### JOINED

04 September 1924

### ADDRESS

Cloontubrid, Swinford Co. Mayo

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

### STATIONED

Clare (Doonbeg)

### DATE OF DEATH

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### RELIGION

Roman Catholic

### OCCUPATION/TRADE

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### HEIGHT

5ft 10 1/2

### CHEST

35,39

### 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 Michael Groake (a Farmer) and Anne Rowley. Married Anna Kitson on 26th November 1932 in Doonbeg, County Clare . Retired on 22nd December 1967. Resided in Cahirciveen in Kerry where he died on 3rd September 1989 and is also buried. His son James T. Groarke also served as a Garda from 04 November 1954 until 3rd January 1993.

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