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Geároid O Sullivan



Introduction

My Name is Denis Cadogan. I am 10 years old. I live in the Dromore bantry Co. Cork.

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The man who raised the Tricolour over the G.P.O. in Dublin on Easter Monday in 1916 was a teacher from a west Cork farm. Gearoid O'Sullivan from Coolnagurranne, Skibbereen, a second cousin of Micheal Collins was a member of the Irish Volunteers, the Irish Republican Brotherhood and the Gaelic League. That Easter Monday, the future President of Ireland, Sean T.O. Kelly, was instructed by James Connolly to go to Liberty Hall where he said he would find a large brown paper bags that contained two flags. One was a tricolour of green, white and orange and the other was a green flag with a gold harp in the middle, with the words 'Irish Republic' emblazoned on it. O'Sullivan recalled bringing the flags to Connolly, who ordered that they be hoisted onto the roof flag poles of the G.P.O..

He fought beside Michael Collins during Easter week, he played a leading role in the war of Independence

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