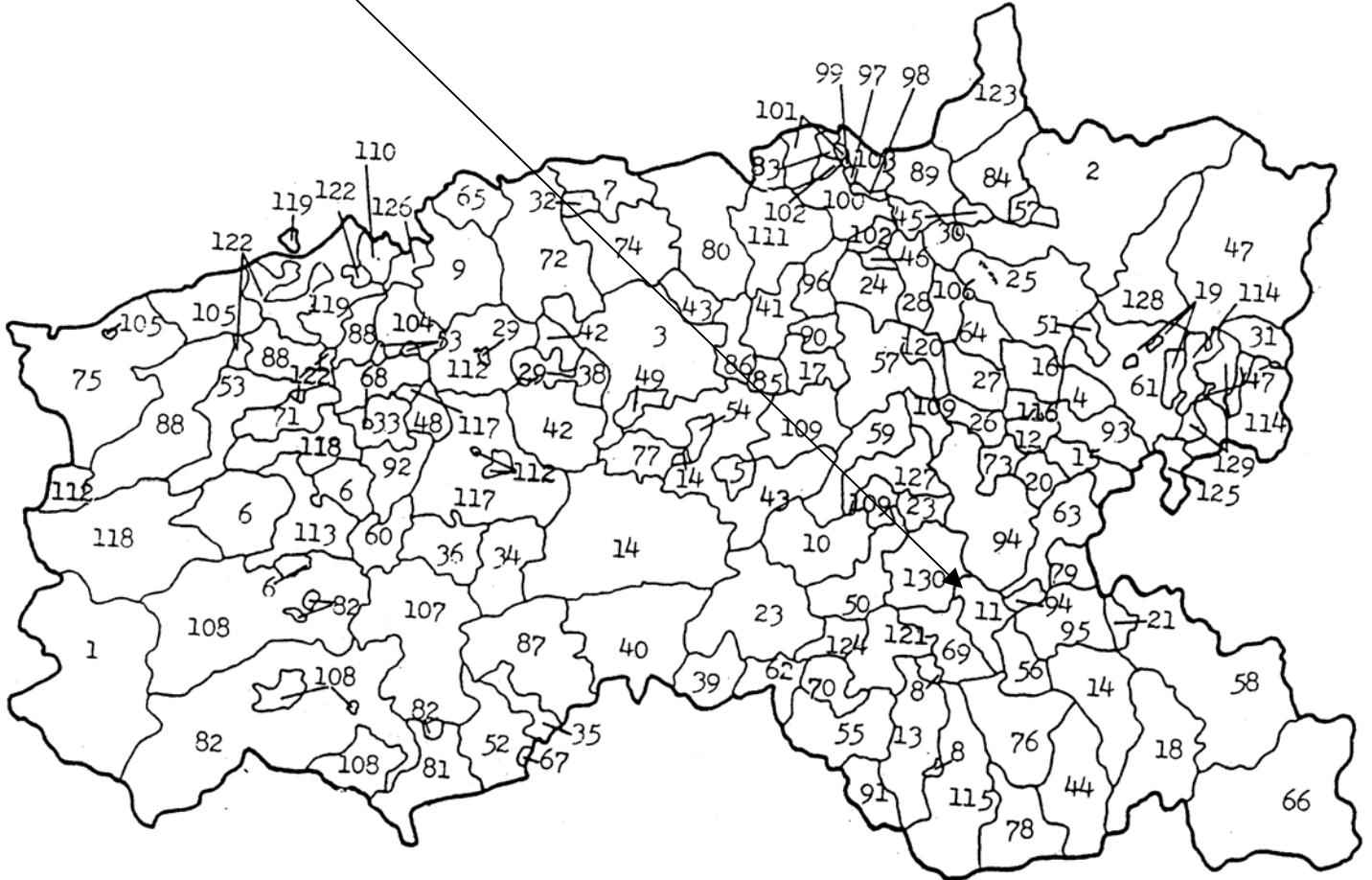


**No. 11 - ATHNEASY**



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Athanasy Parish

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Ath - nDéise, a shortened form of Beal-Átha-na-nDéise, the mouth of the ford of the Desii, from the old territory of Deis-beag, which lay around Knockany. Brugh na nDéise (Bruff) was the chief seat of this territory.

Athaneasy	-- J. O'D.
Athenessy	-- Barony Map
Athenesie	-- Down Survey
Atheneasy	-- Civil Survey 1654-1656

Bounded on the N. by the Ph. of Knockainy; W. by the Ph. of Uregar and portion of the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major; E. by the Phs. of Hospital and Knockainy; and S. by the Phs. of Athaneasy (Bary. of Coshlea) and Kilbreedy Major.

Contains 1,000 a. 2 r. 33 p. statute measure. All is arable land. There is one good road bearing nearly N. and S. through the td. It leads from Kilmallock to Knockainy, being in the Ph. of Athaneasy as far as Gormanstown Bridge. The only antiquity in the parish is Gormanstown Castle in ruins.

Adamstown

-- Sketch Map 2

Adamstown

-- J. O'D  
 -- Revd. Mr. Walsh, P.P.  
 -- Barony Book  
 -- Tithe Compn. Book

Adamstowne

-- Barony Maps  
 -- Sur. & Val. Report Ireland  
 -- Civil Survey 1654-1656  
 -- Acts of Settlemt. &c. 1666-1684

In the E. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Ballydaly; W. by Gormanstown Grady; E. by Newtown, Elton, and Stephens-town; and S. by Stephenstown and Ballinscaula.

Contains 219 a. 3 r. 16 p. statute measure. All arable land. There is one stream bearing E. and W. in the North of the td. There are several houses interspersed, and there is one bye-road leading N. and S. through the td. The site of a church & graveyard in the northern part.

Balline

-- Sketch Map 3

Bail' Fhinn, Finn's town. J. O'D.

Balline

-- J. O'D.  
 -- Revd. Mr. Walsh, P.P.  
 -- Barony Book  
 -- Tythe Compn. Book

Ballyne

-- Barony Maps  
 -- Sur. & Val. Ireland 1824

Ballyn Callowe

-- Civil Survey 1654-1656

In the S.W. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Gormanstown Philips; on the W. by Magherareagh and Bulgaden; on the E. by Gormanstown Grady; and on the S. by Ballinscaula.

Contains 212 a. 3 r. 12 p. statute measure. The whole is arable land. There is one good road bearing N. & S. through the centre of the td., with several houses and trees on each side of it. This road leads from Kilmallock in the S. to Knockainy in the N. All the houses are mud houses.

Gormanstown Grady

-- Sketch Map 4

Baile Uí Ghormáin, O'Gorman's town. J. O'D.

Gormanstown Grady

-- J. O'D.  
 -- Revd. Mr. Walsh, P.P.  
 -- Barony Book

Gormanstowne

-- Acts of Settlemt. &c. 1666-1684  
 -- Civil Survey 1654-1656

Central of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Gormanstown Philips; W. by Gormanstown Philips & Balline; E. by Adamstown; and S. by Ballinscaula.

Contains 238 a. 0 r. 38 p. statute measure. The whole is

arable. Part of the townland towards the N.W. is under orchard, and is bounded by a road crossing a corner of the td., which road leads from Kilmallock in the S. to Knockainy in the N. There are a few houses interspersed throughout the townland; but there is nothing of antiquity.

Gormanstown Philips

-- Sketch Map 5

Gormanstown Philips

-- J. O'D.  
-- Revd. Mr. Walsh, P.P.  
-- Barony Book  
-- Sur. & Val. Ireland  
-- Civil Survey 1654-1656

Gormanstowne

In the N.W. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Gormanstown (Ph. of Uregare) and Bagotstown; W. by Gormanstown Philips; and S. by Balline.

Contains 292 a. 3 r. 29 p. statute measure. The whole is arable. The road from Kilmallock to Knockainy bears nearly E. and W. across a corner of this td. Gormanstown Trigl. Point is in the E. of the td. near a road. There are several houses interspersed, but nothing of antiquity.

Magheraray

-- Sketch Map 6

Machaire Riach, grey plain. J. O'D.

Magherareagh

-- J. O'D.

Maughereereagh

-- Barony Book  
-- Mr. O'Donnell of Kilbreedy  
-- Acts of Settlement &c.

Magharareagh

In the W. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Gormanstown Philips; W. by Magherareagh in the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major; E. by Balline and Bulgaden; and S. by Bulgaden.

Contains 36 a. 3 r. 18 p. statute measure. The whole is arable. There is a house in the S. of the td., touching the boundary, with 2 other houses adjacent to it. Nothing of antiquity.

Portion of the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major

-- Sketch Map 7

See Name Book of Kilbreedy Major. J. O'D.

Bounded on the N. and W. by the Ph. of Uregar; E. by the Ph. of Athaneasy; and S. by the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major in the Bary. of Coshlea.

Contains 682 a. 0 r. 35 p. statute measure. There is nothing of antiquity.

This portion of Kilbreedy Major includes the Tds. of Magherareagh, Stookeens, Teermore, and Tullyleak, for which see Name Book of Kilbreedy Major.

- Magherareagh -- J. O'D. 8  
 Machaire Riach, grey plain. -- J. O'D.  
 This townland is in the parish of Kilbreedy Major,  
 which see.
- Gormanstown Grady Castle -- Local 9  
 In Gormanstown Grady Td.  
 This Castle ruins stands at the north end of a large  
 orchard.
- Gormanstown Bridge -- Local  
 In the townland of Gormanstown Grady.  
 Under this bridge flows the river that divides Athaneasy  
 from the Parish of Knockainy.
- Gormanstown Cross -- Local 10  
 Between Gormanstown Philips and Gormanstown Grady Tds.  
 A Cross Roads.
- Adamstown Churchyard and Burying Ground -- Local  
 Situated in the N. of Adamstown Td.  
 Site of church and grave yard.
- Gormanstown Trigl. Station -- Local 11  
 In the townland of Gormanstown Philips.
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Bounded on the N. by the parish of the same name in the Barony of Small County; on the W. by the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major; on the E. by the Phs. of Knocklong and Emylgrennan; on the S. by the Phs. of Kilbreedy Major and Kilfinane.

Contains 1836 a. 0 r. 33 p. statute measure, the whole of which is arable land. There are several ancient forts and several roads through the parish. Two roads to Kilmallock meet in the western part at Ballinscaul Cross. There is a portion of turf bog in the southern extremity.

<u>Ballinvana</u>	-- Sketch Map	2
Baile an Bhána, town of the lea, or green field.		
Ballinvana	-- J. O'D.	
	-- Barony Book	
	-- Mr. Michael Walsh	

In the N.E. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Stephentown; W. by Ballinscaula; N.E. and E. by the Glebes of Ballinvana and by Ballinvana in Emylgrennan Ph.; and on the S. by Darranstown.

Is the property of -- Moore, Esq., Tipperary. It contains 331 a. 1 r. 25 p. statute measure. the whole of which is arable land. About the centre of the td. there is one fort. There are a few houses interspersed. In the N.E. of the td., near the boundary of the Glebe of Ballinvana, is another fort (called Athaneasy), and S. of this fort are the site of an old church and a graveyard.

<u>Ballinscaula</u>	-- Sketch Map	3
Baile an Scála, town of the bowl. The term 'Scála' may be applied to a round hollow like the term 'Coire'.		
Ballinscaula	-- J. O'D.	
Ballinscalea	-- Barony Book	
Ballinscala	-- Mr. Michael Walsh	
Ballinscala	-- Down Survey	
Ballinscala	-- Civil Survey 1654-1656	

In the centre of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Gormanstown Grady and Balline; E. by Ballinvana; W. by Bulgaden Eady and Gibbonstown; and on the S. by Martinstown and Kilbreedy East.



Ballinskaula (contd.)

Is the property of Robert Latouche, Esq, of Dublin. It contains 677 a. 1 r. 34 p. statute measure, the whole of which is arable land. In the N.E. of the td. there are two forts, one not above the common size, the other a remarkably large one. In the S. of the td. are two cross roads. There are a few houses interspersed.

Glebe of Ballinvana No. 1.      -- Sketch Map      4

In the N.E. of the parish. This Glebe is situated in the N. of Ballinvana Td.

Is the property of the Dean and Chapter, Limerick. It contains 22 a. 3 r. 1 p. statute measure, all of which is arable. There is one well about the centre, called a Blessed Well, and named Lady's Well. A stream runs through the centre of the td. It is bounded entirely by Ballinvana Td.

Glebe of Ballinvana No. 2.      -- Sketch Map      5

In the N.E. of the parish, and bounded entirely by Ballinvana Td.

Is the property of the Dean and Chapter of Limerick. It contains 15 a. 1 r. 23 p. statute measure, the whole of which is arable. About the centre of the td. are two or three houses. Nothing of antiquity except the site of a church & graveyard.

Martinstown      -- Sketch Map      6

Baile Mháirtín, town of Martin. J. O'D.

Martinstown	-- J. O'D.
	-- Barony Book
	-- Sketch Map
Martinstown	-- Sur. & Val. Ireland 1824
Marteenstowne	-- Down Survey
Ballimartin	-- Down Survey Map
Ballymartin )	
Marteenstowne )	-- Acts of Settlement 1666-1684

In the S. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Ballinskaula; W. by Kilbreedy E.; E. by Darranstown; and S. by Teermore in the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major and Bosnetstown in the Ph. of Kilfinnane.

Is the property of R. Oliver Gascoigne, Esq. It contains 527 a. 3 r. 19 p. statute measure. In the S. of the td. is a small portion of bog; remainder arable land. One fort in the N. One road from N. to S. through the td. There are several houses interspersed. One spring well about the centre. Martinstown Cottage is on the road side in the N. of the td. The road from Kilfinane to Emly passes through the td.

<u>Stephenstown</u>	-- Sketch Map	7
Baile Steapháin, town of Stephen. J. O'D.		
Stephenstown	-- J. O'D.	
Stevenstowne	-- Down Survey	
Stephenstowne	-- Acts of Settlement. &c.	
..	-- Civil Survey 1654-56	

In the N.E. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Adamstown; W. by Ballinscaula; E. by the Glebes of Ballinvana; and S. by Ballinvana.

Is the property of R. Latouche, Dublin. It contains 170 a. 1 r. 6 p. statute measure, all of which is arable land. There are a few houses interspersed, four towards the W. By., one in the centre near a ruin, and one near the E. By. Aughadoon River is the td. and ph. boundary with Knocklong.

<u>Gibbonstown</u>	-- Sketch Map	8
Baile Ghiobúin, town of Gibbon. J. O'D.		
Gibbonstown	-- J. O'D.	
Gibbinstown	-- Barony Book	
Gibbonstowne	-- Acts of Settlement. &c.	

In the W. of the parish. Bounded on the N. by Ballinscaul; W. by Bulgaden Eady and Gibbonstown (Kilbreedy Major); E. by Ballinscaula; and S. by Gibbonstown (Kilbreedy Major).

Is the property of Mr. Smith, Ballintra. It contains 91 a. 0 r. 5 p. statute measure, the whole of which is arable. There are two houses near the E. boundary. One Trigl. Station, Gibbonstown Old, stands on the boundary of Gibbonstown in the Ph. of Kilbreedy Major. The west side of the road to Kilmallock forms the N. boundary of the townland.

<u>Church of Athaneasy</u>	-- Local	10
See parish name. J. O'D.		
In the N.W. of Ballinvana Glebe.		
Site of church and burying ground.		

<u>Athaneasy Fort</u>	-- Local
N. of Church of Athaneasy.	
A large fort.	

- Oughadoona -- Local 10  
 Áth a Dúin, ford of the dun, or earthen fort.  
 Ahadoon -- J. O'D.  
 On the Plan of Knocklong.  
 A fort<sup>in</sup> Knocktoran Td., Knocklong Ph.
- Lady's Well or Blessed Well -- Local 11  
 Lady's Well -- J. O'D.  
 To the E. of Athneasy Fort.  
 A holy well where, it is said, people are cured of blindness, and where stations are performed on the 25th day of August every year.
- Martinstown Stream -- Local  
 In Martinstown Td.  
 A small stream running in S. of the td., near a road.
- Tubbertour -- Local 12  
 Tobar a' Tuar. well of the bleach. J. O'D.  
 Toberatoor -- J. O'D.  
 A fine spring well in the S.W. of Martinstown.
- Gatha duf -- Local  
 Geata Dubh, black gate. J. O'D.  
 Gattaduff -- J. O'D.  
 A fine spring well in the S.E. of Martinstown.
- Oughadoon River -- Local 13  
 Áth a' Dúin, ford of the dún or earthen fort. J. O'D.  
 In the E. of Ballinvana Glebe.  
 A river forming a boundary between the Phs. of Knocklong, Knockainy, and Athneasy.
- Ballinscaula Forts -- Local  
 In the E. of Ballinscaula Td.  
 A large fort and a small one near the boundary between Ballinvana and Ballinscaula.

- Martinstown Cottage                    -- Local                    14  
     Martinstown House                -- Mr. Walsh, proprietor  
     The name of a neat house in the N. of Martinstown Td.,  
     adjacent to a road.
- Elton Bridge                         -- Local  
     -- J. O'D.  
     On the boundary between Ballinvana and Elton.  
     The name of a bridge on the By. between the parishes  
     of Knockainy and Athneasy.
- Ballinscaula Cross                 -- Local                    15  
     In Ballinscaula Td.  
     A Cross Roads.
- Roman C. Chapel                    -- Local  
     In Martinstown Td.
- Ballanvanna Fort                    -- Local                    16  
     See Td.  
     A small fort, central of Ballinvana Td.

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End of Athaneasy Parish

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