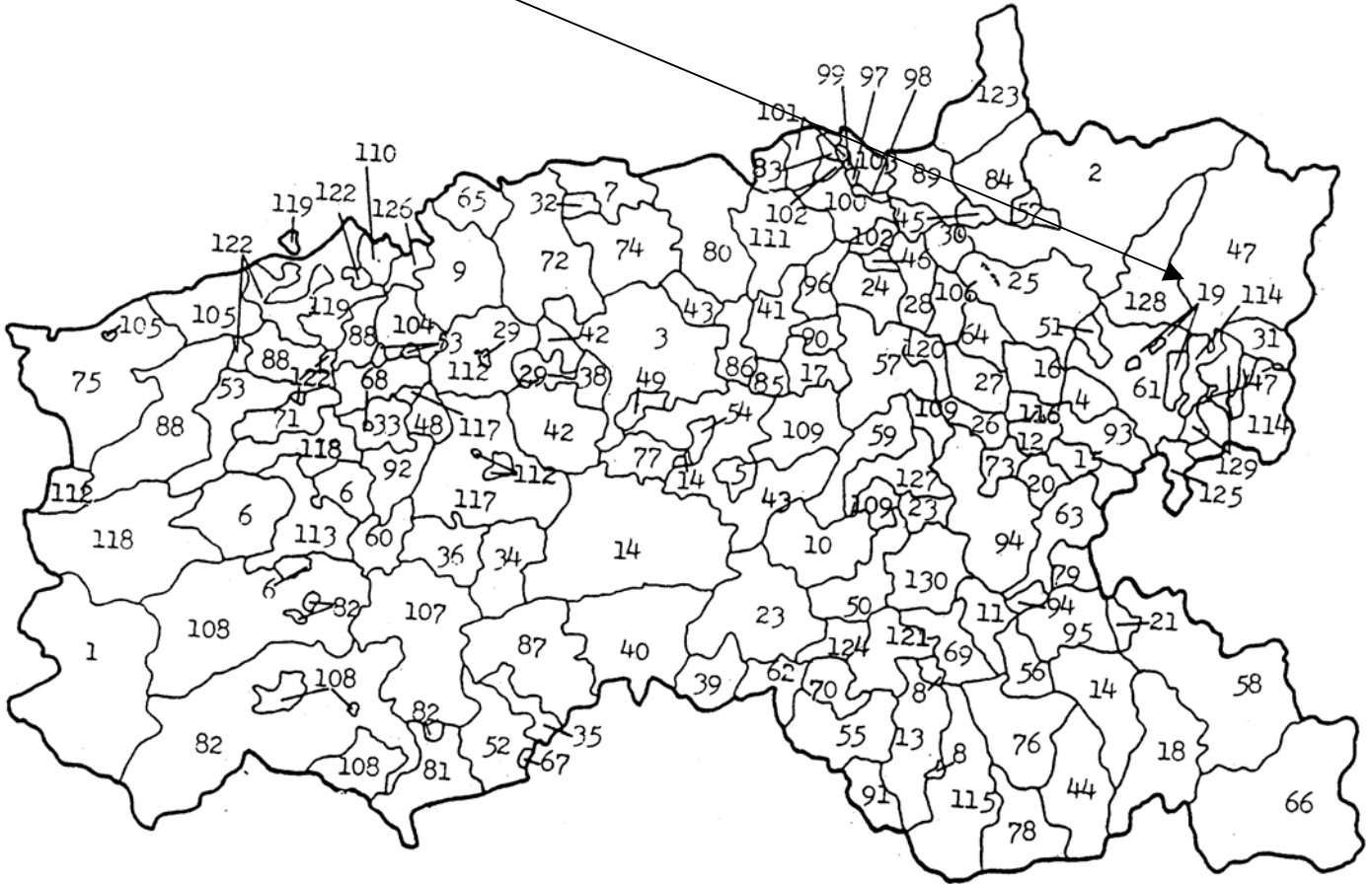


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Baile na Cloiche, town of the stone.	J. O'D.	
Ballynaclogh	-- J. O'D	
	-- Inhabitants	
	-- Revd. J. Mahony P.P.	

Situated in the E. end of the County and about 10 miles E. of the City of Limerick. It is in three parts. The first is bounded on the E. by part of the ph. of Cola & the td. of Plakaraka; S. by the td. of Gortnacoolagh; W. by Race, Garrison and Kilduff; and N. by Cola Ph. The second part is bounded on the E. & N. by the td. of Nicker; W. by Ballyvoneen & Bunavie; and S. by Bunavie and Nicker. The third part is bounded on the N. by Bunavie; on the W. by Ballytrasna; on the S. by Glin; and on the E. by Nicker tds.

The first of these portions is level, is about 2 m. long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile broad, & contains 8 townlands. The second, about  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile W. of the first, contains but one townland; and the 3rd portion, which is about a mile W of the first and a quarter mile S. of the second, contains 2 townlands, is nearly circular, and is a hill and good pasture ground.

Ballynaclogh Td.

-- B. S.

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## Ballynaclogh

-- Presentment Book 1834

-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.

-- Inhabitants

-- Hiff. Consadine, Esq.

-- D. O'Grady, Esq.

-- Bary. Map

## Ballynaclough

-- Acts of Settm. &amp;c. 1666-84

Situated in the S. end of the parish, and is bounded on the E., W. and S. by Grean Parish; on the N. by Ballyhurst Td.

This td. contains 283 a., which are arable and without limestone. Soil deep, producing potatoes, corn, flax, and some wheat. The proprietor, Maurice C. Moore, Esq., has it let to 15 tenants, 8 of whom with leases of 21 years and the rest at will; all at £ 3 13s. to £2 7s. per acre, and in farms of 40 to 1½ acres. County Cess generally 1/2 per acre ½ yearly, and tithe 1/1 per acre. Bog used for fuel is very scarce and is bought by the tenantry. The prevailing names are "Ryans".

Ballyhurst

-- B. Sketch

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## Ballyhurst

-- J. O'D.

-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.

-- D. O'Grady, Esq.

-- Inhabitants.

Situated in the E. end of the parish. Bounded on the E. by Cola Ph.; W. by Kilduff Td.; N. by Tulla Td.; and S. by Ballynaclogh Td.

Contains 51 acres, which are arable and without limestone. Soil partly light, producing potatoes, corn and flax. The proprietors, "Governors of Schools founded by Erasmus Smyth, Esq.", have it let per their agent Jas. J. Poe, Esq. to Darby O'Grady, Esq. by a lease ending in May 1840, and he again for same tenure to 5 tenants at £3 to £4 per acre. County Cess half yearly per acre generally 1/4 to 1/6. Tithe 1/- per do. Bog used for fuel is very scarce.

Ballyluddy

-- B. Sketch

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Baile Uí Ludaigh, O'Luddy's (Liddy's ?) town.

## Ballyluddy

-- J. O'D.

-- Rev. J. Mahony, P.P.

Situated in the N. of the parish. Bounded on the E. by Cola Ph.; W. by Mountcatherine Td.; S. by Tulla Td.; and N. by the td. of Dromlara in the ph. of Grean.

This td. contains 141 a., which are arable and without limestone. Soil very light, producing potatoes, corn & flax. The proprietors, the "Governors of Schools founded by Erasmus

Ballyluddy (contd.)

Smyth, Esq.", have it let per Jas. J. Poe, Esq., Agent, to Darby O'Grady, Esq. by a lease ending May 1840, and he again for same tenure to 15 tenants in farms of 22 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acres at £3 to £1 10s. per acre. Co. Cess generally  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{8}$  per acre half yearly, and tithe 8d. per do. Bog used for fuel is very scarce.

Glebe of Ballynaclogh

-- B. Sketch

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See parish name. J. O'D.

Situated in the S. end of the parish. Bounded on the E. by the ph. of Grean; on the W. and S. by Ballynaclogh td.; and on the N. by Ballynaclogh td.

This Glebe contains 7 acres which are arable and without limestone. Soil partly deep, producing potatoes, corn and flax. The proprietor, Archdeacon Pakenham, has it let per his agent, Thomas Apjohn, Esq., to 4 tenants by leases "during proprietor's term" at £2 2s. per acre. Tithe  $\frac{1}{10}$  per acre. Co. Cess none. Bog used for fuel is very scarce and bought by the tenantry.

Gurtnanuv

-- B. Sketch

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Gort na n-Ubh, field of the eggs. J. O'D.

Gortnanuv

-- J. O'D.

Gurtnanuv

-- Inhabitants

-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.

Gurtneguff

-- Presentment Book 1834

An isolated townland of the parish. Bounded on the E., W. and S. by the ph. of Grean; and on the N. by the td. of Lackanascarry.

Contains 67 acres which are arable without limestone. Soil light and gravelly, producing potatoes, corn and flax. The proprietor, General Bourke, has it let to one tenant by a lease of three lives at £2 15s. per acre. Co. Cess generally  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{8}$  per acre half yearly, and tithe  $\frac{1}{6}$  per do.

Kilduff

-- B. Sketch

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Cill Dubh, black church. O'D.

Kilduff

-- J. O'D.

-- Rev. J. Mahony, P.P.

-- Darby O'Grady, Esq.

Killduffe

-- Acts of Settm. &amp;c.

In the W. end of the parish. Bounded on the E. by Ballyluddy Td. and Tulla; on the W. and N. by Grean Ph.; and on the S. by Ballynaclogh Td.

Contains 252 acres which are arable with limestone in it.

Kilduff (contd.)—

Soil partly deep, producing potatoes, corn and flax. The proprietor is the "Governors of Schools founded by Erasmus Smyth, Esq." who has it let per Jas. J. Poe, Esq., Agent, to Mrs. Fitzmaurice Hunt by a lease ending in 1840 at £1 11s. per acre, and she again on same tenure at £3 per acre. Co. Cess generally 1/7 per acre, and Tithe 2s. per do. Bog used for fuel is very scarce.

<u>Lackanaskahy</u>	-- B. Sketch	8
Leaca na Scairbhe, flags of the shallow ford. J. O'D.		
Lackanascarry	-- J. O'D.	
Lackanaskaree	-- Inhabitants	
	-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.	
Lackanascarra	-- Barony Map	
Lacknascarhy	-- Acts of Settmt. &c.	

An isolated townland of the parish, situated in the W. end of Grean parish, and bounded on the E., W., and N. by Grean Ph. and on the S. by the td. of Gortnanuv.

Contains 89 acres, which are grazing and pasture land. Soil light and rocky and without limestone. The proprietor, Gen. Bourke, has it let per his agent Dan. Barrington, Esq. to one tenant by a lease of one life or 31 years at £2 10s. per a. Co. Cess generally 1/4 to 1/6 per acre half yearly. Tithe 2s. per do.

<u>Lisheen</u>	-- B. Sketch	9
Lisín, the little fort. O'D.		
Lisheen	-- J. O'D.	
	-- Inhabitants	
	-- Darby O'Grady	
	-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.	
Lisseene	-- Acts of Settmt. &c.	

Is an isolated townland of the parish, and is situated in the N.E. end of the parish of Grean.

Contains 84 acres of arable land with limestone in it. Soil deep, producing potatoes, corn and flax. The proprietors the "Governors of Schools founded by Erasmus Smyth, Esq." have it let per their agent Jas. Poe, Esq. to one tenant by a lease ending in May 1840 at £3 per acre. Co. Cess generally 1/7 per acre half yearly, and Tithe 2s. per do.

<u>Mountcatherine</u>	-- B. Sketch	10
Mountcatherine	-- J. O'D.	
	-- Inhabitants	
	Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.	

In the W. end of the parish, and is bounded on the E. and

Mountcatherine (contd.)

N. by the td. of Kilduff; on the S. and W. by the td. of Mountcatherine in the Ph. of Grean.

Contains 26 acres which are arable with limestone in it. Soil deep, producing potatoes, corn, wheat & flax. The proprietor Michael L. Apjohn, Esq. has it let by a lease for ever at 2/6 per acre to Michael Smithwick Esq., and he again to Henry Smithwick Esq., by a lease of lives renewable at £5 per acre. Co. Cess generally 1/4 to 1/8 per acre half yearly, and Tithe 1/8 per do. Bog used for fuel is very scarce

<u>Racebeg</u>	-- B. Sketch	11
Racebeg	-- J. O'D.	
	-- Barony Map	
	-- Inhabitants	
	-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.	

In the N. end of the parish. Bounded on the E. by Ballynaclogh Td.; on the W., N., and S by Grean Parish.

Contains 19 acres, which are arable without limestone. Soil deep, producing potatoes, corn, flax, and some wheat. The proprietor Maurice C. Moore, Esq., has it let to one tenant by a lease of one life or 21 years at £3 13s. 10d. per acre. Co. Cess generally 1/4 to 1/8 per acre half yearly, and Tithe 2s.6d. per do. Bog used for fuel is very scarce.

<u>Tulla</u>	-- B. Sketch	12
Tulaigh Beag, the little hill.	J. O'D.	
Tullabeg	-- J. O'D.	
	-- Inhabitants	
	-- Barony Map	
Tulla	-- Revd. J. Mahony, P.P.	
	-- Darby O'Grady, Esq.	

In the E. end of the parish. Bounded on the E. by Oola Ph.; on the W. by Kilduff Td.; on the N. by Ballyluddy Td.; and on the S. by the townland of Ballyhunt.

Contains 69 acres which are arable and without limestone. Soil light, producing potatoes, corn and flax. The proprietors the "Governors of Schools founded by Erasmus Smyth, Esq." have it let per their agent Jas. J. Poe, Esq. to Darby O'Grady, Esq. by a lease ending in May 1840, and he again for same tenure to 9 tenants at £3 to £3 10s. per acre. Co. Cess generally 1/4 to 1/8 per acre half yearly, and Tithe 1/- per do. Bog used for fuel is very scarce.

<u>Raheen na ngaurlagh</u>	-- Inhabitants	13
Ráithín na nGarlach, the little fort of the children.		
Raheennagaurlagh	-- J. O'D.	

Raheen na ngaurlagh (contd.)

The Infants' Fort (Eng.) -- Inhabitants

In the td. of Ballyluddy, near the centre of the E. boundary thereof and attached to the N. side of the old road leading to Cluggin, etc.

It is a small circular fort, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  chains in diameter and 2 feet high, with a green level surface and composed of earth. It is on low ground, and was used formerly for a burial ground for infants, from which reason it received its name. The practice is now discontinued.

Rathbaun -- Inhabitants 14

Ráth Bán, white fort. J. O'D.

Rathbaun -- J. O'D.

Situated in the W. part of Ballyhurst td. and W. of Boher an Airgid.

It is a circular fort about 3 chains in diameter and 2 feet high, composed of earth, with a green flat surface, and round which are a few hawthorn bushes. It is placed on a flat low plain, from which can be seen Raheennagauragh, etc.

Thobar a Khilleen -- Inhabitants 15

Tobar a' Chillín, the well of the little church. J.O'D.

Toberakilleen -- J. O'D.

Situated near the centre of the td. of Ballynaclogh, and about 12 chains west of Ballynaclogh Church.

It is a spring well of good water. It received its name from being near the Church.

Ballinaclogh Church -- Inhabitants 16

Teampull Baile na Cloiche.

See parish name. J. O'D.

Situated on the middle of the S. boundary of Ballynaclogh Td., attached to the W. side of Boher an Airgid and also west of the Glebe.

This is a small burial place, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  chains in diameter, being nearly circular. It is placed in a green field, on a small eminence enclosed in the centre of which is a small ruin, the wall now standing being about 4 feet high and 12 feet in length.

Boher an Airgid

-- Inhabitants

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Bóthar an Airgid, road of the money or silver.

Boheranargid

-- J. O'D.

The Money Road (Eng.)

-- Inhabitants.

Situated near the centre of the parish, leading directly north from Barna Village to Ballyluddy townland, where it joins the Limerick and Tipperary Road, in its course passing through the townlands of Plakaraka, Ballynaclogh, Ballyhurst, Kilduff and Tullabeg.

This road, which leads from Emly, etc, passes through Ballyneety, the townland in which King William's army lay when surprised by General Sarsfield, who destroyed the siege train intended for the siege of Limerick. It was on this occasion, 'tis said, that the native inhabitants ran and hid a treasure on this road, being then a most desolate place. Ever since it goes by the above name.

Mount Catherine

-- See letter

In the townland of Mount Catherine.

The residence of Henry Smithwick

The Castle of Kilduff

Is a castlelike house with barbicans at the corners. Its east side is totally destroyed, and its north side nearly so; but its west and south sides are in tolerable preservation. Its windows would indicate it to be an erection of the reign of James I.

The walls are 6 to 7 feet thick. The west and south walls are each surmounted by a chimney. There is a breach in the west gable, extending from near the ground to the top of the window which lighted the second floor.

The house is 5 stories high.

Q. Seat of O'Brien of Baile na Cloiche ?