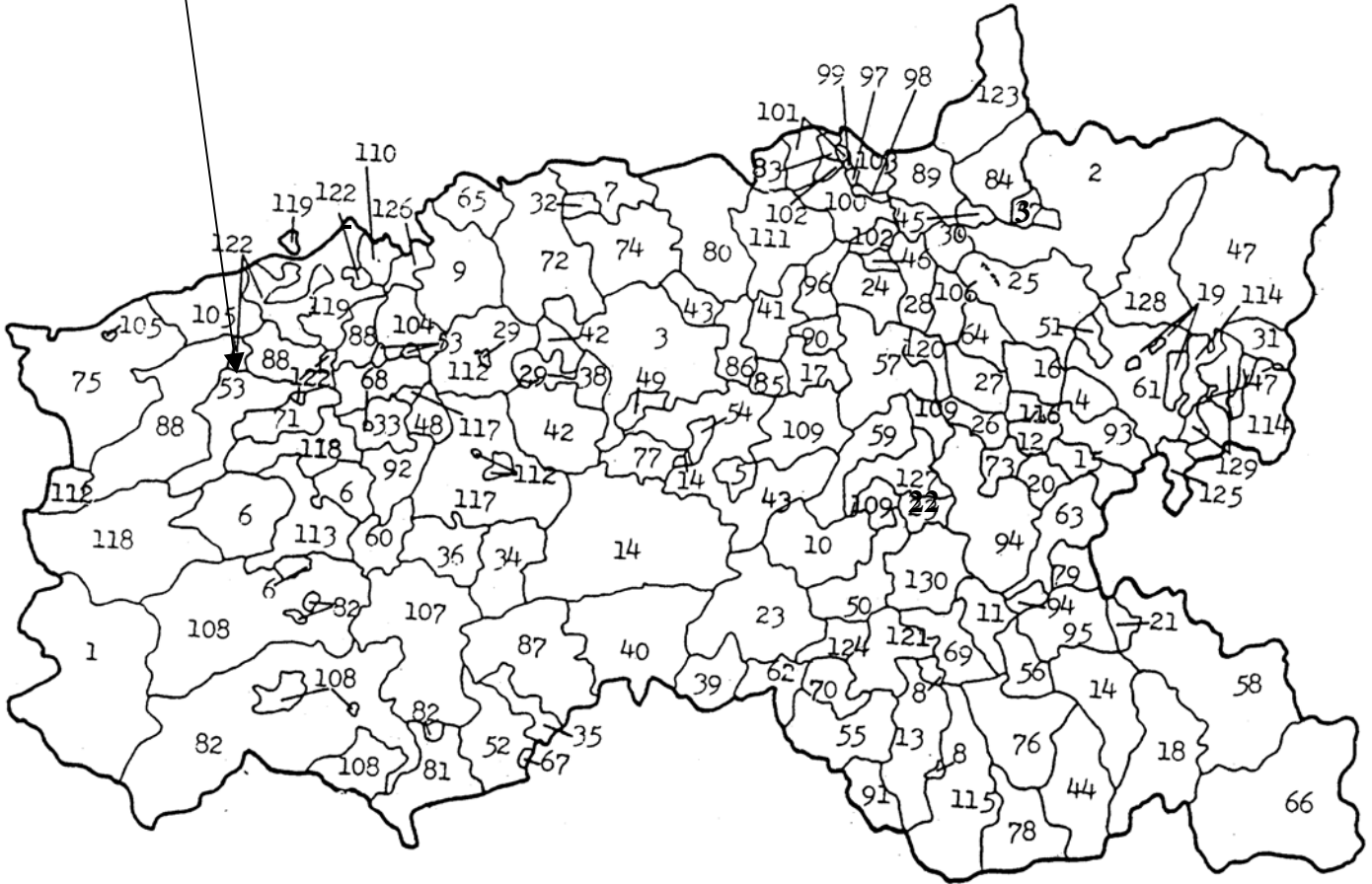


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PARISH OF DUNMOYLAN – BARONY OF SHANID

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PARISH OF DUNMOYLANBOOK I

Dunmoylan Ph. -- B.S.S.M. 1

Dún Maoláin, Moylan's Fort.

Dunmoylan -- Local
 -- Co. Cess Collector
 -- Barony Maps
 -- Sur. & Val. Report 1824
 -- Revd. Michl. O'Holleran, P.P.
 Doonemoylan -- Down Survey

This is a central parish in the Barony of Shanid. It is bounded on the N. by the phs. of Shanagolden and Kilmoylan; E. by the phs. of Kilbradran, Kilcolman, Rathronan (2nd Divn.) and Ardagh; S. by the ph. of Rathronan (1st Divn.); and W. by Kilmoylan ph.

It contains no Protestants, but has 1,000 R.Cs., according to the information procured by averaging the families at 5 persons each. The crops generally sown are potatoes, oats and some wheat. The corn is generally carried to Rathkeale for sale, where it is bought and carried to Limerick for export. The soil is tolerably good towards the North, but bad towards the South. Lime is much used for manure in the south part. It is brought from Askeaton. The wages of farm servants yearly - males, £4 to £5; females, £2. Labourers' wages - 8d. per day in summer; 6d. per day in winter.

Townlands &c.

Baurniogue -- B.S.S.M. 1

Bárr an Fhiaigh, hill-top of the deer.

Bauraneag -- J. O'D.
 Baroniegue -- Local
 Baroniegue -- Rent Receipt 1839
 Baroniegue or) -- Revd. Michl. O'Holleran,
 Barnahegue) P.P.
 Borrineague -- Barony Maps

This townland is situated in the S.W. side of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by Park and Moyreen tds.; W. by Kilmoylan ph.; S. by Knockfinnisk td.; and E. by the phs. of Rathronan and Kilcolman.

Baurniogue (contd.)

It contains 691½ acres. The proprietor is Francis L. Lloyd, Esq. Limerick; held under lease, rent bulked at £55 16s. 6d. per annum. This td. is under the Courts, agent Wm. Browne, Esq. Ballingarry. Co. Cess paid for 12½ acres half yearly at 2s. per acre. Soil not good, a great part bog. Produces poor crops of oats and potatoes.

Cahernagh

-- B.S.S.M.

2

Ceatharnach, a quadruple division.

Cahernagh

-- J. O'D.

Carnaugh

-- Local

Carnagh

-- Rent Receipt 1839

-- Co. Cess Collector

Caranagh

-- Revd. Michl. Holleran, P.P.

Cahernagh

-- Barony Map

This is a central townland. It is bounded on the N. by Kilmoylan ph.; W. by the tds. of Moneymohill, Gortadroma and Park; S. by Kilcolman ph.; and E. by the td. of Dooncaha.

It contains 475 acres. The proprietor is Lord Clare, Mount Shannon, Limerick. All held under one lease; rent bulked at £55 7s. 8d. yearly. Farms from 30 to 91 acres, including bog. Soil not good. Co. Cess paid for 150 acres, at 2s. per acre half-yearly. Light crops of oats and potatoes with a little flax. There are some paupers here, having only 1 acre.

Duncaha

-- B.S.S.M.

3

Dún Catha, fort of the battle.

Dooncaha

-- J. O'D.

-- Barony Maps

Duncaha

-- Local

-- Revd. M. O'Holleran, P.P.

-- Co. Cess Collector

Doonecahy

-- Down Survey

Doonkahy

-- Acts of Settlmt. &c.

This is a central townland in the parish. It is bounded on the N. by Kilmoylan ph.; W. by Cahernagh td.; S. by the phs. of Kilcolman and Shanagolden; and E. by the td. of Dunmoylan.

It contains 611 acres. The proprietor is Lord Clare, Limerick. It is held under different leases from 8 shillings to £2 10s. per acre. Farms from 10 to 60 acres. Co. Cess

Duncaha (contd.)

2s. 0½d. for each of 250 acres, half yearly. Soil middling, producing good crops of potatoes, oats and flax. A few paupers have only 1 acre and a hut.

Dunmoylan

-- B.S.S.M.

4

See parish name. J. O'D.

This td. is situated in the E. side of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by the phs. of Shanagolden and Kil-moylan; W. by Douncaha td.; S. by the ph. of Kilcolman; and E. by Kilbradran ph. and Lisbane td.

It contains 433 acres. Proprietor is Lord Clare, Limerick. Held under different leases from £1 11s. 6d. to £3 10s. per acre. Farms from 6 to 60 acres. Co. Cess 2s. 0½d. per acre for 182 acres half yearly. Soil good, producing wheat, oats, potatoes, and some flax. There is an old church in ruins in this townland.

Gortadrumma

-- B.S.S.M.

5

Gort a' Droma, field of the ridge.

Gortadroma

-- J. O'D.

Gurthadroma

-- Local

Gurtadrumma

-- Revd. Michl. O'Holloran, P.P.

Gurtadroma

-- Co. Cess Collector

Gortandrum

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

A central townland of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by Moneymohill td.; W. by Moyreen td.; S. by Park td.; and E. by the td. of Cahernagh.

It contains 385 acres. The proprietor is the Representative of the late Stephen Dixon, Limerick. Agent, Dixon Power, Esq., of Kilfinnane, Limerick. Held under lease by Christopher Delmege, Esq., Castlepark, Limerick, who sublets for £105 yearly. Co. Cess 1s. 0½d. per acre. Farms from 5 to 8 acres. John Motgan, Esq., of Park, is proprietor of part of this townland. Crops of potatoes and oats middling. In this td. are an old castle and a graveyard.

Knockfinnisk

-- B.S.S.M.

6

Cnoc Fionnuisce, hill of the clear water.

Knockfinnisk

-- J. O'D.

-- Local

-- Revd. Ml. O'Helloran, P.P.

-- Co. Cess Collector

-- Barony Map

This townland is situated in the south-western extremity

Knockfinnisk (contd.)

of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by the td. of Bauraneag and the ph. of Kilcolman; W. by the phs. of Kilcolman and Rathronan; S. by the phs. of Rathronan and Kilbradran; and E. by the phs. of Kilbradran and Rathronan.

It contains 1,017 acres. The proprietor is Matthew Barrington, Esq., Limerick. Held under lease; rents all bulked at £93 per annum. Co. Cess 1s.6d. to 2s. paid half yearly for each of 12½ acres. Soil, mostly heathy mountain, with only a small part arable at the Glens, attached to houses, producing poor crops of oats and potatoes.

Lissbaun -- B.S.S.M. 7

Lios Bán, the white fort.

Lisbane -- J. O'D.
 -- Revd. Ml. O'Holleran, P.P.
 -- Sur. & Val. Report 1824
 -- Down Survey
 -- Acts of Settm. 1666-1684
 Lisbaan -- Local

This townland is situated in the east of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by the ph. of Kilmoylan; W. by the ph. of Kilmoylan and the td. of Dunmoylan; and S. and E. by the ph. of Kilbradran.

It contains 370½ acres. The proprietor is the Knight of Kerry, near Listowel. Agent, Stephen Edward Collis, Esq., Listowel. Held under lease; rent £1 18s. per acre. Farms, from 9 to 54 acres. Co. Cess 2s. 2d. per acre half yearly. Soil good, producing potatoes, oats and some wheat. (N.B. Co Cess is paid only for each of 100 acres.)

Munnameehil -- B.S.S.M. 8

Muine Maothail, shrubbery of the cheese, or, of the soft, spongy land.

Moneymohill -- J. O'D.
 Munnameehil -- Local
 Monomohill -- Revd. Ml. O'Holleran, P.P.
 -- Co. Cess Collector
 Monemoyhill -- Sur. & Val. Report 1824
 Monemuchill -- Down Survey
 Monemihill -- Acts of Settm. &c.

This townland is situated in the N. side of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by the phs. of Kilmoylan and

Munnameehil (Contd.)

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Shanagolden; W. by Kilmoylan Ph.; S. by the tds. of Moyreen and Gortadroma; and E. by Cahernagh td.

It contains 625 acres. The proprietor is the Representative of the late Stephen Dixon, Limerick. Agent, Dixon Power, Esq., Kilfinnane. No Lease. Rent from £1 2s. 6d. to £2 4s. per acre. Farms from 6 to 50 acres. Co. Cess 1s.8d. to 2s. per acre for each of 200 acres, half yearly. Soil not good.

Myreen

-- B.S.S.M.

9

Máigh-Righin, tough plain.

Moyreen

-- J. O'D.

-- Local

-- Revd. Michl. O'Holleran

-- Co. Cess Collector.

This townland is situated in the western extremity of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by Moneymohill td.; W. and S. by Kilmoylan ph.; and E. by the tds. of Bauraneag, Park and Gortadroma.

It contains 509 acres. The proprietor is the Representative of the late Stephen Dixon, Limerick. All under leases. Rents bulked at £1 8s. per annum. Co. Cess from 1s.6d. to 2s. for each of 12½ acres, half yearly. Farms not measured. Soil not good, producing light crops of potatoes and oats.

Park

-- B.S.S.M.

10

Páirc, a park, or a field.

Park

-- J. O'D.

Park or Castle Quarter

-- Local

.. -- Revd. Mortimer Collins, P.P.

This is a central townland of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by the tds. of Gortadroma and Moyreen; W. by Moyreen td.; S. by the td. of Bauraneag and the ph. of Kilcolman; and on the E. by Cahernagh td.

The proprietor is George Hodges, Esq., of Donogor Castle, Co. Clare, and John Morgan, Esq., of Park. Held under lease. Rent from 10s. to 30s. per acre. Farms from 2 to 80 acres. Co. Cess paid for each of 12½ acres. Soil middling, producing light crops of potatoes and oats.

Miscellaneous FeaturesKilbreed

-- Local

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Kilbreed (contd.)

Cill Ruadh, red churchyard or red graveyard.

Kyleroe -- No authority given in
Name Book.

Situated in the td. of Gortadroma.

A fort, in which children used to be interred.

Thubberreeanedhoonee -- Local

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Tobar Rígh an Domhnaigh, Fons Regis Sabbathi, i.e.,
Well of the King of the Sabbath.

Toberreendoney -- J. O'D.

Situated in the td. of Gortadroma.

A holy well.

Killeen Fort -- Local

12

Cillín, a little burial ground.

In the td. of Dunmoylan.

This fort is said to have been used as a burial place
for children.

Crucknablinka -- Local

Cnoc na Blinec. This name seems a hybrid compound -
Blinking Hill. J. O'D.

Knocknablinka -- J. O'D.

In the td. of Moyreen.

The summit of a hill having a Trig. Station on it.

End of Book I.

PARISH OF DUNMOYLANBOOK 2

Dunmoylan Ph. -- B.S.S.M. 1

See parish name, Book 1, page 1.

Situated in the N.W. portion of the County of Limerick and Barony of Shanid, and divided into 3 portions, of which two are situated to the East and one to the West.

Of the two eastern portions, the extreme eastern portion is bounded on the North, East and West by the ph. of Lismakeery, and on the S. by Kilbradran ph. The other eastern portion is bounded on the North and East by Lismakeery ph., on the South by Kilbradran ph., and on the W. by the phs. of Kilbradran and Kilmoylan.

Townlands &c.

Ballanloughaun -- B.S.S.M. 2

Baile an Locháin, town of the little lough.

Ballinloughane	-- J. O'D.
Ballyloughane	-- Rental of Stephen Dixon
Ballinlahane	-- Tithe Compn. Book
Ballanloughaun	-- Revd. Michl. O'Holleran, P.P.
Ballinloghan	-- Acts of Settm., &c.

This td. is situated in the extreme East of the parish, and contains 195 acres.

It is the property of General Dickson, England. Agent, Samuel Power, Esq., Limerick, who lets it to 3 tenants, 2 of whom are at will and 1 holds by lease and sublets to 4 tenants at will. Rent per acre from £1 5s. to £1 10s. Co. Cess per acre yearly from 3s. to 5s.8d. Tithe per acre, 2s. Size of farms, from 25 to 50 acres. Soil light, producing wheat, oats and potatoes. Fuel scarce. Prevailing Names - Maddigan and Hurley. There is one ancient fort here.

Creeves West -- B.S.S.M. 3

Craobh, a branch, a branchy tree.

Creaves	-- J. O'D
West Creaves	-- Sur. & Val. Ireland 1824
West Craves	-- Tithe Compn. Book
West Creevs	-- Revd. Michl. O'Holleran, P.P.

Creeves West (contd.)

This townland is situated in an eastern portion of the parish. It contains 241 acres. There are five ancient forts here.

It is the property of John Croker, Esq., Ballyneguard, Limerick, and is let to Samuel Johnson, Esq., on a lease for ever, who occupies a part and sublets the remainder to 19 tenants, 7 of whom have leases and 12 at will; rent per acre from £1 to £1 10s. Co. Cess per acre yearly from 3s.6d. to 4s.6d. Tithe per acre from 1s.6d. to 2s. Size of farms from $\frac{1}{2}$ acre to 28 acres. Soil light, producing wheat, oats and potatoes. Fuel scarce. Prevailing Names - Condon and Johnson. This td. is watered by a stream containing trout and eels.

<u>Creeves House</u>	-- Local	4
Fort Anne House	-- John Morgan, Creeves	
Fort Anne	-- See letter.	

See townland name. J. O'D.

Situated in the centre of the td. of Creeves West.

This house is of a rectangular form, two stories high, and in good repair. It is the residence of Saml. E. Johnson, Esq. It was erected about 30 years ago by the late William Johnson, father of the present occupier. Attached to it are a garden, a set of offices and some trees.

<u>Fort Anne Cottage</u>	-- John Morgan	5
Creeves Cottage	-- See Letter	

Situated in the td. of Creeves West.

This is a rectangular building, one story high, in good repair. It was erected about 40 years ago by the late William Johnson, and is the residence of John Morgan, Esq.

<u>Fort Anne</u>	-- John Morgan	6
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Situated in the td. of Creeves West.

This fort has taken its name from a lady named Anne, who got a stone wall built around it.

End of the Parish of Dunmoylan