

PARISH OF HACKMYS – BARONIES OF COSHMA AND SMALL COUNTY

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Mackmys Ph. -- Boundary Surveyor's Sketch Map 1

This name is not known by the people.

The Irish word 'Aicme' signifies a people or tribe. The planal form of the word is 'Na h-Aicmidhe', the peoples or tribes. of which Hackmys is an anglicised form.

__ J. O'D.

This parish is bounded on the N. by the Parish of Bruree, W. by Colemans Well Ph.; S. by the County of Cork; and E. by the parishes of Tankardstown and Eilbreedy Minor.

The County Limerick section of this parish contains 2,249 cres, statute measure.

Townlarfs &c.

Ballyrt pul Bai na nGabhal, town of the forks, or confluences.

-- B.S.S.M.

2

Bai na nGall would mean 'town of the Englishmen'.

Ba lagoul -- J. O'D.

Ballynagoul (contd.)

Ballynagoul Ballinagoul

-- Revd. Mr. Ryan, P.P.

-- Barony Map

This townland is situated in the E. extremity of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by the Phs. of Tankardstown and Bruree; E. by the Ph. of Kilbreedy Minor & by Effin Ph.; S. by Ballincooly Td.; and W. by Creggaun Td. and by the Ph. of Charleville.

It is the property of Mr. Langton, France, and contains 964 acres of arable land. In this td. are 2 Trigl. Stations, one called Ballynagoul and the other called Ballynagoul South. In the eastern part of the td. is an ancient fort, and on the W. boundary is Garroose Bridge.

Creggaun

-- B.S.S.M.

3

Cragán, a rocky place (the first a is pronounced somewhat like e). J. C'D.

Creggane

-- J. O'D.

Cregaune Cregaun Cregan -- Revd. Mr. Ryan, P.P.

-- Barony Map

-- Acts of Settlement &c. 1666-1684.

This townland is situated in the W. extremity of the parish. It is bounded on the N. by Bruree Ph.; W. by the Ph. of Colemans Well; S. by Charleville Ph.; and E. by the Td. of Ballynagoul.

It is the property of Mr. Hutcheson, and contains 972 acres, about 4 of which is rough pasture, and the remainder arable land. In this townland are Creggaun Bridge and Creggaun House.

Ballancooly

-- B.S.S.M.

4

Baile Cholla, Colla's town. Colla is a man's name.

Ballincolly

-- J. O'D.

-- Barony Map

Ballencollo

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

This townland is situated in the extreme South of the parish. It is bounded on the K. by Ballynagoul Td.; W. and S. by the Ph. of Charleville; and E. by the Ph. of Effin.

It is the property of Lord Cork, England, and contains

Ballancooly (contd.)

313 acres of arable land. In the E. part of this Td. is a Trigl. Station called Ballincolly.

Creggaun House

-- Local

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See townland name. J. O'D.

Creggane Castle

-- See letter

In the S. part of Creggaun Townland.

The seat of Mr. Hutcheson. There is an old castle attached to this house.

Garroose Bridge

-- Michael Keany, Farmer

Garroose

-- J. O'D.

Garbhas, rugged land. Prond. Garus. J.O'D.

On the S. boundary of the Td. of Ballynagoul with Tankardstown Ph.

This bridge has 4 arches.

Creggaun Bridge

-- Local

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Greggaun Bridge

-- J. O'D.

On the boundary of Creggaun Td. with Bruree Ph. This bridge has only 1 arch.

End of the Parish of Hackmys