

I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY

NATURAL FEATURES, ANTIQUITIES, HISTORIC ASSOCIATIONS, ETC.

BARONY OF Loshma

TOWN OR VILLAGE / PARISH Banoque COUNTY Limerick

TOPOGRAPHY

Brief description of outstanding scenic views in the district, natural attractions, or unusual topographical features.

The parish of Banoque lies south of Cron and is a rather hilly country, well wooded & watered & generally presenting a well kept appearance. There are no outstanding views, with exception of the wide vista to be had from summit of Dullorin Hill.

GEOLOGY

Brief notes on unusual geological features, such as caves, eskers, etc.

MANSIONS, CASTLES AND ESTATES OF IMPOSING CHARACTER

*Location and brief description. Owner. Past associations. Libraries or art collections?
Gardens? Open to visitors? Admission charge?*

While there are no mansions or estates of imposing character, there are two good houses, as follows:-

GLENBEVAN, CROON. Residence of Mr. John Hedderman. Was originally a small Georgian House but was considerably altered & enlarged by a former owner named Bevan. Very prettily situated on right bank of R. Maigue in a well timbered demesne.

CHERRY GROVE, CROON. Residence of Misses Sheehy. A good house, delightfully situated opposite Glenbevan, on left bank of Maigue, in a well kept & well timbered demesne. None of the above houses contain anything of outstanding value & are not open.

ANTIQUITIES

Abbeys, Castles, Fortresses, Round Towers, Early Churches, Sculptured Crosses, Stone Circles, Ogham Stones, Cairns, Souterrams, Pillar Stones, Cromlechs, Forts, Rathes, Moats, Tumuli or ancient monuments of any kind. Exact location of each with short description, noting condition, etc. Relate local legend or tradition associated with building or object. State if in charge of Office of Public Works. Right of way to public? Admission charge (if any). Name and address of caretaker, or where key is kept.

TULLOVIN CASTLE. ^{is situated} In the farmyard of Mr John Fay, Dullowin, 2 1/2 miles south of Kesh. A peel tower with the usual slit windows, ~~so common in buildings of 15th century~~. It was never finished as many openings in northern side are just closed with large flags. Built mainly of sandstone but all windows & south door are of limestone. Inside front door is the usual porch & overhead "murder hole". A very perfect spiral stair in southern angle has an elaborately carved newel. On some of steps of stairs, holes were drilled, apparently to assist in defence of castle. It was of three storeys, ^{the} lowest ^{one} vaulted. In 1st storey was an elaborately carved fireplace with patterns of leaves & flowers. One of the windows in S. wall had elaborately carved drip stones similar to those at Dunnaman castle in parish of Ardara. In this wall too, was a carving of a female figure, ^{of Shilennagis type} usually called "Shilennagis" similar to one in Dunnaman castle. S. door which was painted was of well cut limestone. Castle which is approx 25 x 15 ft is in good repair. ~~but in receipt of no care.~~ It was for many generations held by the Leo family, one of whom assisted a neighbouring chief named Stickey of Islandmore, to hang many of the leading citizens of Kesh after the rebellion of 1641. ~~Base of castle is a ^{very} battered or sloped. Inside castle are very many tiny, strongly vaulted apart~~

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AMENITIES AND GENERAL INFORMATION. TOWNS AND VILLAGES (Other than Seaside)

BARONY OF Coshma

TOWN OR VILLAGE / PARISH Banogue COUNTY Limerick

Location and brief description. Parish Population 120 families

Banogue one of the smallest parishes in diocese of Limerick is situated immediately south of Broom. It has not within its borders a single licensed premises or burial ground. Land generally of limestone quality with occasional veins of sandstone. Dairying is the staple industry & from time to time good bloodstock has been raised in the district.

Is there a Town Hall? / Location /

Parks, Gardens and Recreation Grounds. Brief description:

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Brief comments on water supply and sewerage:

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PUBLIC SERVICES

Nearest station Broom Distance 2 miles Bus? Good daily service thro' Parish

Public lighting by—Electricity? / Gas? /

DANCING

Dance hall / Proprietor /

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CINEMAS AND THEATRES

Cinemas / Pictures shown (nights) /

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Theatre / Kind of shows (Drama, Comedy &c.) /

LIBRARIES

Public Libraries.....
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Private Lending Libraries.....
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CHURCHES AND SERVICES

R. C. Church *Banogue* Services (Sundays) *9 & 11 (O.T.)*
(all time all year round)
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POSTAL FACILITIES

Location of Post Office *Banogue cross.*
Business (? M.O., Telegraph, Telephone) *Stamps & P.O. only*

BANKING

Banks.....
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SPORTS AND PHOTO SUPPLIES

Sports Dealers.....
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Photographic Stores.....
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SWIMMING POOLS AND BATHS

Swimming Pool?..... Location.....
Public Baths?..... Location.....

SOCIAL CLUBS, CULTURAL SOCIETIES, &c.

Social Clubs.....

Cultural Societies.....

INDUSTRIES AND HANDCRAFTS

Industries.....

Handcrafts or Cottage Industries (Give names of craftsmen, employer, &c.):

PUBLIC MONUMENTS

(Brief description ; inscription to be quoted)

IMPORTANT PUBLIC BUILDINGS

(Give brief notes on architectural features)

R. C. Church is a goodly sized, well kept edifice but lacking any architectural details worthy of mention. In adjoining yard is a fine "c. always" erected by Parishioners in memory of a former pastor.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

National School for Boys at Banague
" " " girls " "

HOSPITALS

FAIRS AND MARKETS ; HALF-HOLIDAY

Monthly fairs and markets.....

Weekly market day..... Half-holiday.....

GARAGES AND PETROL STATIONS

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CONVEYANCES FOR HIRE (Owners) :

Taxis

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Motors (Touring).....

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Boats (State type).....

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Bicycles.....

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Caravans

Horses.....

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CAMPING SITES

(At principal holiday resorts)

Location..... Landowner.....

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Local Improvements Committee.....

Secretary

DATE 25-7-43

(Signed) P. J. Lynch

Surveyor.
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SPORTS AND GAMES

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TOWN OR VILLAGE PARISH Banoque COUNTY Limerick

ANGLING (Fresh water)

If there is only one river or lake in the parish this form (B) will suffice. For additional waters Form Ba to be used.

RIVER OR ~~LAKE~~ ellaigue Nearest point to town (distance) Within parish

KINDS OF FISH HELD:

Salmon, B. Trout.

AVERAGE WEIGHT OF:

Salmon 9 lbs. Sea trout Brown trout 3/4 lb.

BEST SEASONS FOR:

Salmon Mar/Apr. Sea trout Brown trout Up to mid June.

SUITABLE FLIES:

Salmon Thunder & lightning; Jack Scott; Orange Grouse.

Sea trout

Brown trout Various Quills; Hare's Ear; Mole Fly; Alders

State if angling is—"entirely free"; "free except on preserved stretches"; etc.
Free except on preserved stretches.

Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors:

Mr. John Hedderman, Glenbevan, Broom. stretch adjoining his land.
Misses Shuck, Cherrygrove, Broom. stretch adjoining their lands.
Lady Daresbury, England. stretch of river below Cherrygrove Bridge.
This latter is presently sub-let to Mrs. J. Alloway,
Lough Gur House. + ~~Dunnell, Ballyclough House.~~

Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day:

Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available):

Broom; Charleville.

Local Angling Club Membership Fee

Secretary (and Address)

SEA ANGLING

Brief notes on fishing grounds :

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Kinds of fish to be caught :

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Owners of boats, type of boats, and charges per day :

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Bait available locally ?..... Fishing tackle ?.....

Representative of B.S.A.S. or other sea angling Assn.....

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GOLFING

Name of Club..... No. of holes.....

Situation and brief description of course :

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Name of Professional.....

Is there a clubhouse on course ?..... Licensed ?.....

Green fees (Visitors) : Per day..... Per week.....

RACING

(Including "Point-to-Point" and "Flapper" meetings)

No. of meetings normally held during the year.....

Under which rules?.....

Situation of course.....

HUNTING

Hounds which hunt in the district:

Foxhounds *County Limerick Foxhounds*

Harriers *Broom Harriers*

Beagles

COURSING

Name of Club..... Meeting held annually?.....

GREYHOUND RACING

Name of Company.....

Races on (nights).....

SHOOTING

Brief notes on shooting areas, stating kinds of wild fowl or game, and if free shooting is available:

good rough shooting over country side, to be had free with exception of undemarcated lands which are preserved. Pheasant, Woodcock, etc, plentiful. Rabbits are also abundant.

If preserved, give names of landowners or lessees and addresses:

*Glenbeavan, Broom. Mr. John Hedderman.
CHERRY GROVE, do. Miss Sheehy.*

Shooting Club..... Secy.....

CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING

Name of Club..... Competitions held?.....

ROWING AND SAILING

Rowing or yacht clubs, with address of club-house.

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GAMES AND RECREATIONS

Name of Club or Committee concerned with the following :
 (In each case give location of sports ground or recreation hall)

- Gaelic Football..... *Junior Team. Practice ground at Banogue.*
- Hurling..... ".....
- Handball..... */*..... Handball alley?..... */*
- Soccer..... */*.....
- Rugby..... */*.....
- Cricket..... */*.....
- Hockey..... */*.....
- Bowls..... */*.....
- Bowling (on public roads)..... */*.....
- Lawn Tennis..... */*..... Kinds of courts..... */*
- Croquet..... */*.....
- Billiards..... */*.....
- Badminton..... */*.....
- Table Tennis..... */*.....
- Bridge Club..... */*.....
- Other games or recreations (inc. "Cross Roads" dancing).....

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

Name of Club..... Events held under rules of.....
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ANNUAL EVENTS

Give list of annual events held in the town or parish, naming promoters (Clubs, etc.)
 in each case. Include pilgrimages and patterns.

..... Promoters.....

DATE..... *25.7.43.*.....

(Signed)..... *P. J. Lynch.*.....
 Surveyor.

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ANGLING (Fresh water)

RIVER OR LAKE Kilmore Nearest point to town (distance) Within Parish

KINDS OF FISH HELD :

Trout

AVERAGE WEIGHT OF :

Salmon / Sea trout / Brown trout up to 1 lb

BEST SEASONS FOR :

Salmon / Sea trout / Brown trout Mar / Apr

SUITABLE FLIES :

Salmon /

Sea trout /

Brown trout Standard Patterns

State if angling is—"entirely free"; "free except on preserved stretches"; etc.

Entirely free

Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors :

The Kilmore River is a small trout stream
it is not frequented by anglers from any
distance. It is however popular with residents
of surrounding county & fish up to half pound in
weight are frequently caught.

Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day :

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Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available) :

Limerick (where only limited accommodation is to be had)
Charleville

Local Angling Club / Membership Fee /

Secretary /

DATE 25/7/43

(Signed)

P. J. O'Connell
Surveyor.

BARONY.. *Coshma*..

COUNTY.. *LINCOLN*..

TOWN OR VILLAGE.....

<u>HOTELS</u>	No. Guest Bedrooms	No. of Baths	No. of Lavs.	No. Public Rooms	Licensed	<u>Remarks</u>
<i>None</i>						
<u>Guest or Boarding Houses</u>						
<i>None</i>						

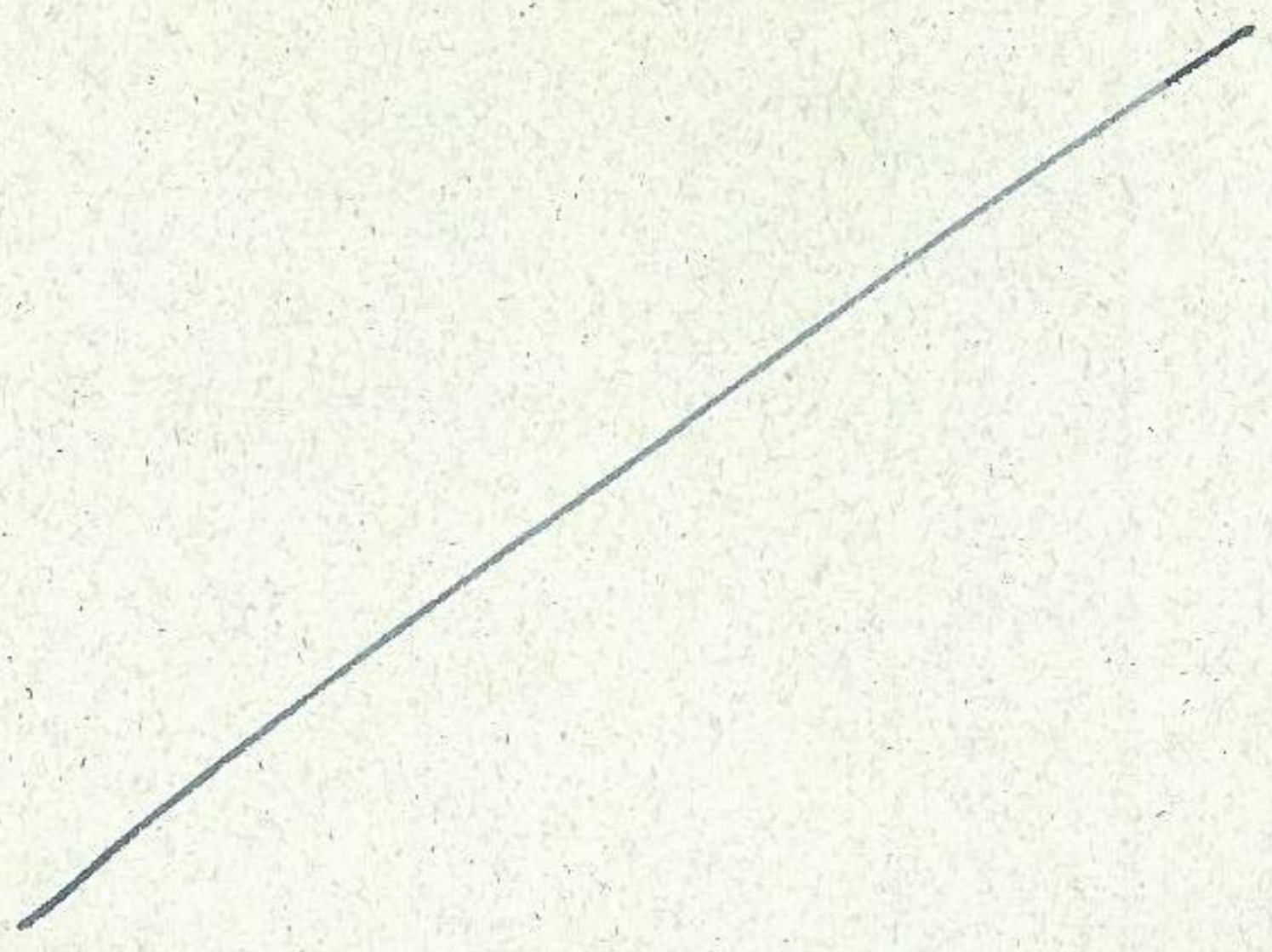
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(Additional forms to be used if necessary)

Signed *A.D. Lynch.*

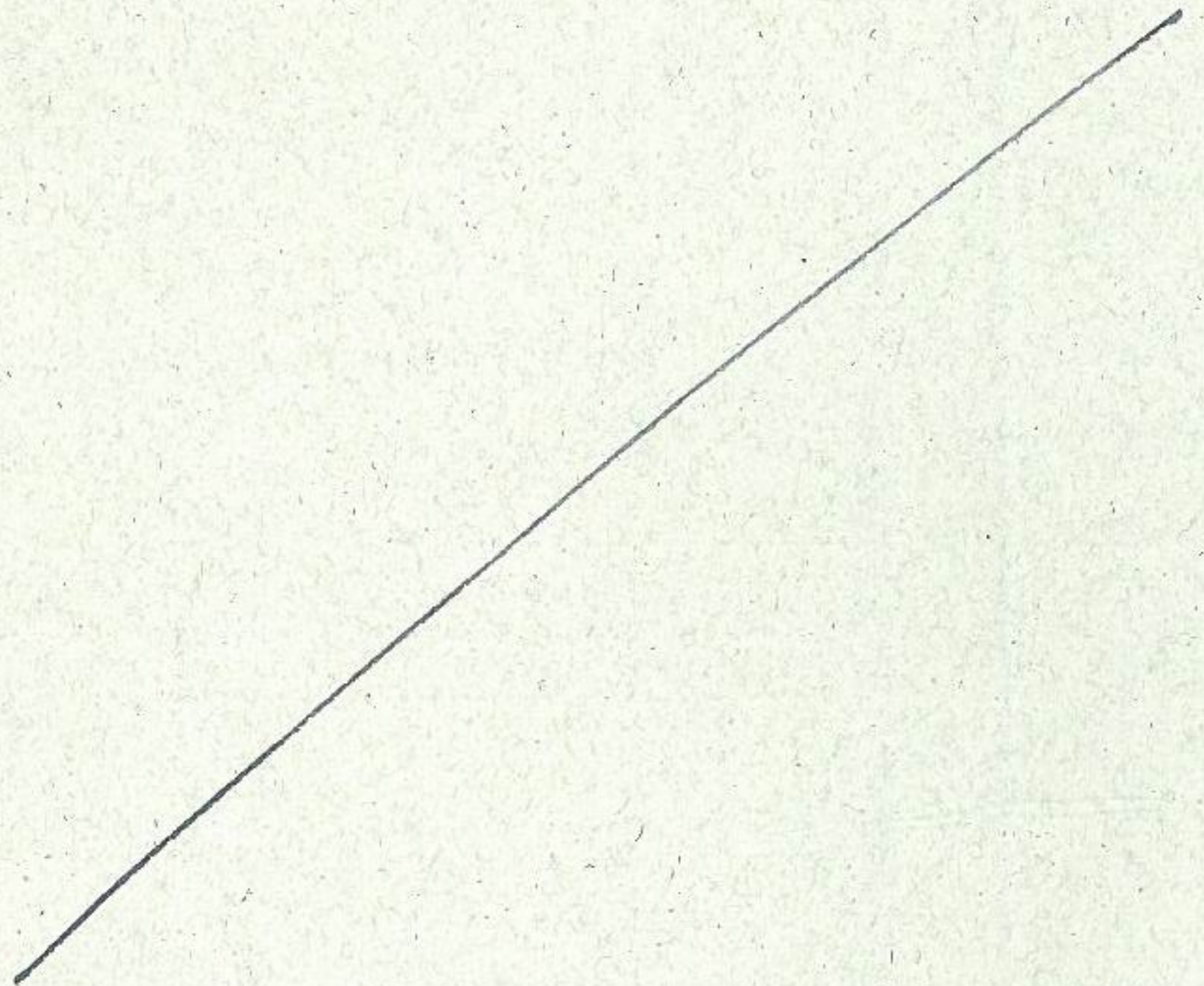
HISTORIC SITES

*Royal Seats, scenes of historic events—battles, mass meetings, historic festivals, &c. Location.
Landowner. Historical or traditional notes.*



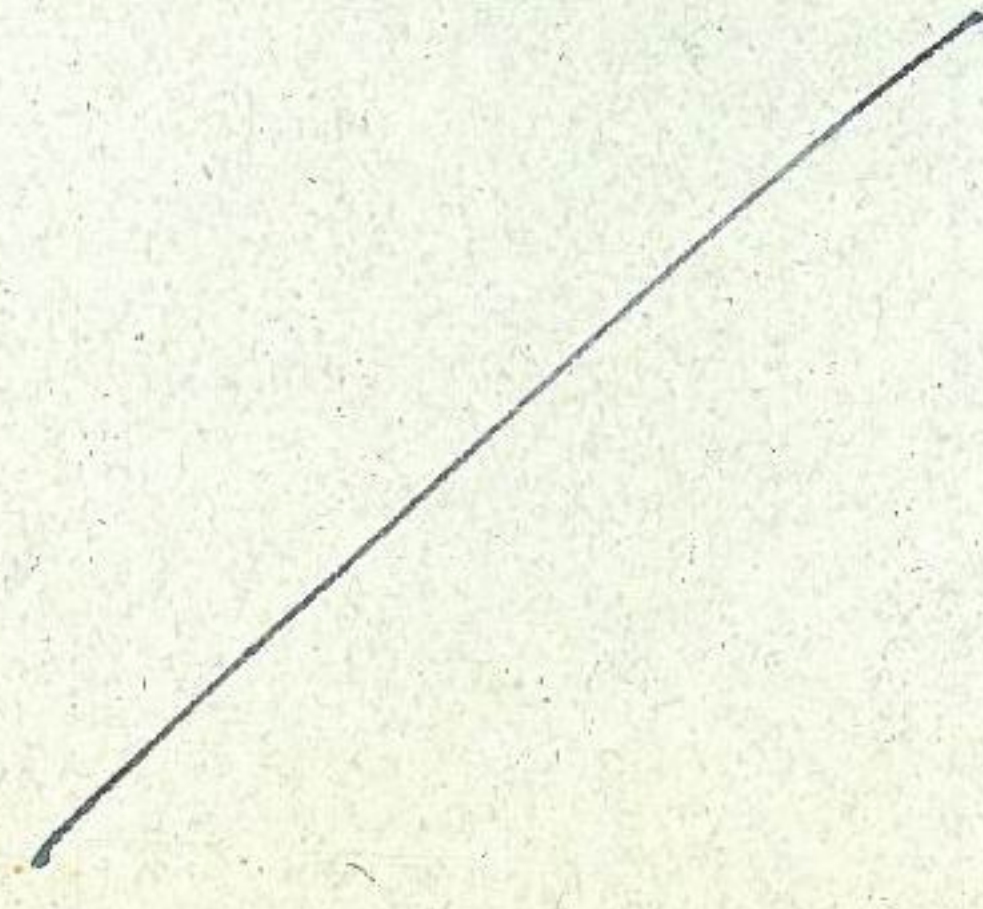
HISTORIC HOUSES ; BURIAL PLACES

*(a) Birth places or one-time residences of distinguished Irishmen or other personalities.
Location and description. Present owner or occupant. (b) Burial places of distinguished
personalities.*



SPAS OR MINERAL SPRINGS

*Spas formerly in use. Location and present condition. Access. Right of way to public ?
Mineral content and curative properties so far as known locally.*



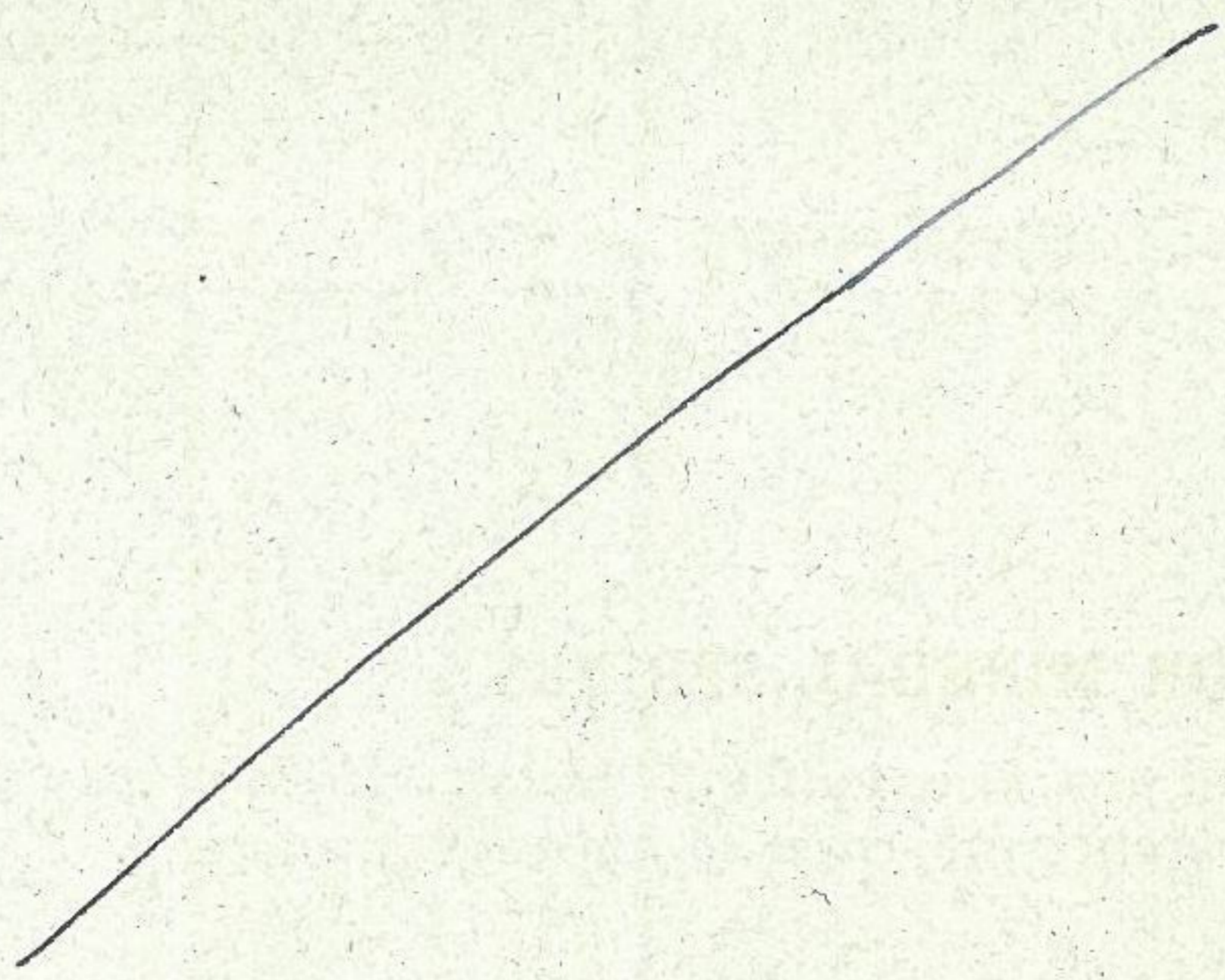
CURIOSITIES

Curious objects, structures, monuments, landmarks, sights, etc. For example, Wishing stones or "chairs," freaks of nature (i.e. grotesque rock formations)—in fact, any scene or object which may be regarded as queer, quaint or mirth-provoking. Location and description. Any story or legend to be related.



CUSTOMS, PATTERNS, ETC.

Brief account of old customs, traditional cures, etc., still practised in the district. Pilgrimages to Holy Wells, Shrines, etc. Patterns.



(Signed)

P. J. Dequid
Surveyor.

DATE 25.7.43.