

I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY

NATURAL FEATURES, ANTIQUITIES, HISTORIC ASSOCIATIONS, ETC.

[BARONY OF Upper Connello]

TOWN OR VILLAGE DROMCOLLOCHER PARISH DROMCOLLOCHER COUNTY LIMERICK

TOPOGRAPHY

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

Country about Dromcollogher is particularly lovely and beautiful views may be had from the hills which rise to south & s/west. The Broadford/Dullylease road traverses an unusually beautiful stretch of country, through a deep ravine. The road which is cut out of hillsides looks into a tastefully planted gorge through which splashes a noisy stream. See picture.

GEOLOGY

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

Land is <sup>mainly</sup> of limestone quality rich and deep and noted for its fattening properties. The mountains slope gently and display little rock and are capable of cultivation right to the summit. No caves or eskers. On the hills near Lunnamore there is an outcrop of old red sandstone.

MANSIONS, CASTLES AND ESTATES

OF IMPOSING CHARACTER

Location and brief description. Owner. Past associations. Libraries or art collections?

Gardens? Open to visitors? Admission charge?

SPRINGFIELD CASTLE. Two miles west of Dromcollogher, approached from Broadford road through a beautiful avenue of immense limes, elms, beeches and oaks, stands lovely and historic Springfield Castle. See pictures. The original house which adjoined the castle & was of Elizabethan architecture was destroyed by fire during troubled period. Most of the residential portion has now been reconstructed but in a different style. The old towers & battlements have been tastefully incorporated in new building & work of reconstruction still goes on. Residence of the 5th Baron MUSKERRY (12th Baronet) ROBERT MATTHEW FITZMAURICE-DEANE-MORGAN, who is a descendant through

## ANTIQUITIES

Abbeys, Castles, Fortresses, Round Towers, Early Churches, Sculptured Crosses, Stone Circles, Ogham Stones, Cairns, Souterrains, 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.

### CHURCHES.

KILLOGHALAHANE. Situated on the CURRAMORE estate, 1 1/2 m from the village of Broadford is this exceptionally quaint little ruin. In the centre of an old burial ground, entirely surrounded by trees, 100 yards west of Broadford/Dully lease road & approached by avenue leading to site of Curramore Ho. Roughly 50 x 25 feet, from south wall projected a later wing roughly 15 feet square. North wall was strongly buttressed. West gable which is intact has a narrow pointed window of well cut limestone. Underneath is a pointed, narrow, <sup>limestone</sup> door 5 1/2 feet high. Inside are corbels to carry gallery. Outside door, is an old font set into wall & hewn out of one piece of sandstone. North wall has a damaged door near W. gable, square headed. Inside, ~~to~~ near east gable is a well carved sedilia. East gable, part of which is gone has three tall lights (see picture 4) into centre one of which a double lighted window was built. These lights have sandstone surrounds. Underneath are remains, in good condition of an immense altar slab 7 x 3 feet, resting on upright columns. In south wall are two square headed windows under one of which is piscina. This wall has been mainly restored. Wing already mentioned has a narrow light of limestone. In very good state of preservation and under the care of the Commissioners of Public Works. It is believed this church was founded early in 13th century. Walls are about 14 feet high and close on 3 feet thick. Was dedicated to Blessed Virgin Mary.

(Plain sheets of foolscap paper to be used, if necessary, for recording additional information).

See "Broadford" psh. (Lucas, 1944)  
which also contains informtr.  
on Drumcollogher. There appears  
to have been overlapping in this  
case.

Rob.

DROMOLOGHER

The remnants of this church lie in old graveyard in western section of the village of this name. Church measured approximately 50 x 20 feet. Portion of east window which had a round headed ~~light~~ splay and pointed light still stands but is entirely ivy covered. Uneven heights of side walls remain & a few feet of west gable. It was dedicated to St. Bartholomew.

GURT NA TUBRID.

Within the demesne of Springfield and close by the present church of Ireland stands portion of the east gable of this church. In centre of an old graveyard, where stands the tomb of the old Irish family of SULLIVAN, whose seat was at CURRAMORE near Bradford.

CASTLES.SPRINGFIELD OR GURT NA TUBRID.

Adjoining the residence of Lord Muskerry stands this very round old castle which was a stronghold of the FITZMAURICE family from whom the Barons Muskerry are descended through female line. 35 x 22 feet approx. and four storeys high. About 20 feet to points of gables. Base is sloped and all the windows are of splendidly cut limestone. Second storey vaulted. This was in use up to time of its destruction by fire. Perfect spiral stairs leads to battlements from which a wonderful view of the surrounding country may be had. See picture number 2.

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Village of Dromcollogher. Parish do. County Limerick.  
Mansions, etc.

female line of John Foster, Baron Oriel, Speaker of the last Irish House of Commons. Here are kept many relics of the Speaker and also the Bible and Prayer Book of the House of Commons. There are many valuable family treasures and pictures as well as a uniquely worked set of christening outfits of the Massierne and Ferrard family, which at one time were loaned for the purpose of being copied, to the South Kensington Museum. The house is not open to public.

Surrounded by very lovely gardens and court yard all of which have been rebuilt - by the present owner, personally. The 260 odd acres, <sup>of estate</sup> are run as a model farm equipped with all modern devices and labour saving gadgets. Lord Muskerry is deeply interested in farming and the bettering of the lot of the farming classes and has written many papers on the subject. The farm is at all times open <sup>free</sup> to interested parties & would well repay a visit. From the park many lovely views may be had of the surrounding hills and mountains.

CURRAMORE.

One mile south of Broadford, begins the lovely district of Curramore where was situated the seat of the old Irish family of SULLIVAN. Home has been now demolished and although estate has been divided by S.P.C. many of its beautiful features still survive. Located on the side of the mountain, many deep ravines, which occur were lately fully planted and are real little gems. One glorious view may be had from the top of the hill (see picture 3) where the road skirts a deep gorge which is planted with pine trees & from which a most wonderful view may be had to north & west through the cutting & over the tops of the trees. Unfortunately some of the trees are now being cut. Also on the estate is a charming little ruined early church, KILLOBARRANE, under care of Comm. of Public Works. This estate is well worth a visit and the trouble entailed in climbing the hill will be well repaid.

## Dromcollogher District.

Barony of Upper Connello. County Linc. Parish - Dromcollogher

The village of Dromcollogher is in the centre of a very charming district providing countless interesting walks and cycle spins.

Three miles east over a smoothly surfaced road is the delightful little hamlet of Millford with its castle of Kilbolane, so much mentioned by Miss BOWEN in her lovely book "Bowens Court". Going in a southerly direction, for the moment you leave the village you are climbing the picturesque Mullaghareirk mountains which divide Linc. and Cork. From these grand views may be had and the roads are easily negotiable on a bicycle. Three miles south west through the village of Broadford the lovely road leading over the hills to Dully here is approached. Passing on the way, the pretty district of Curramore and eventually reaching the cutting from which you look into beauty both, and west, back over the fertile plain of Linc. This is an ideal picnic site. Tall pine trees shelter a deep ravine, through which splashes a noisy stream, swelled to a torrent in wet weather. Along the road-side water splashes down from the hillsides and the pleasant and refreshing sound mingling with the rattle of mowing machines and farm implements from the valley below, makes a lasting impression of peace and seclusion. Three miles from Broadford by the foot of the Ashford hills is Killeedy, famous for its association with St Ita whose feast on 14 January is a day of special devotion and celebration each year. (Killeedy is in honour of that name) In the little lonely graveyard rests the ruin of her church beside which is the clean well dedicated to her.

For the hiker or biker who cares to linger here, much of interest will occur. The little village is clean and has well stocked shops displaying an abundance of wares now in short supply in many places.

Jr.

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## SPORTS AND GAMES

BARONY OF Upper Bonello

~~TOWN OR VILLAGE~~ DRODCOLLOHER PARISH DRODCOLLOHER COUNTY LINERIC

### 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~~ THE DEEL Nearest point to town (distance) 2 miles

#### KINDS OF FISH HELD :

Only very small trout in flood periods. not frequented by anglers. Deel rises on border of parish.

#### AVERAGE WEIGHT OF :

Salmon ..... Sea trout ..... Brown trout .....

#### BEST SEASONS FOR :

Salmon ..... Sea trout ..... Brown trout .....

#### SUITABLE FLIES :

Salmon .....  
Sea trout .....  
Brown trout .....

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

#### Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors :

#### Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day :

#### Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available) :

Local Angling Club ..... Membership Fee .....

Secretary (and Address) .....

SEA ANGLING

Brief notes on fishing grounds :

Dotted lines for notes on fishing grounds.

Kinds of fish to be caught :

Dotted lines for kinds of fish to be caught.

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

Dotted lines for owners of boats, type of boats, and charges per day.

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

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

GOLFING

Name of Club Newcastle West & Charleville. Both 9 miles No. of holes 9

Situation and brief description of course :

Newcastle West club lies west of road leading to latter place & about half mile east of town. Charleville club newly formed

Name of Professional J. Mc Ellyott. (occasional attendance)

Is there a clubhouse on course ? shelter only Licensed ? —

Green fees (Visitors) : Per day 2/6 Per week —



# ACCOMMODATION

PARISH Dromcollogher

BARONY Upper Connello

COUNTY Limerick

TOWN OR VILLAGE Dromcollogher

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HOTELS	NUMBER OF				Licensed	REMARKS	RESTAURANTS AND CAFÉS
	Guest Bedrooms	Baths	Lavs. (state kind)	Public Rooms			
<u>West End (Edmond Leahy)</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1 Hall</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>yes.</u>	<u>Regn refused by G. D. B. as per information supplied. did not inspect.</u>	
<u>GUEST OR BOARDING HOUSES</u>							
<u>Mrs L. O'Connor The Square.</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>None</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>Regn refused by G. D. B. as per information supplied. did not inspect.</u>	
<u>RESTAURANT.</u>							
<u>Mrs P. Kelly, West End.</u>	<u>Open only on market days for fairs etc. Not very comfortable.</u>						

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(Additional Forms to be used if necessary)

(Signed) P. J. Lynch  
Surveyor.

**RACING**

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

No. of meetings normally held during the year.....  
Under which rules?..... *N. 2nd*  
Situation of course.....

**HUNTING**

Hounds which hunt in the district :

Foxhounds *Subhollows are nearest.*  
Harriers.....  
Beagles.....

**COURSING**

<sup>nearest</sup>  
Name of Club *Milford C. Club.* Meeting held annually? *yes. date varies.*

**GREYHOUND RACING**

<sup>nearest</sup>  
Name of Company *Link City 35 miles.*  
Races on (nights) *Fri & Sat at 8.15 P.M.*

**SHOOTING**

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

*Extremely good shooting area. Pheasant; Grouse; Partridge; Woodcock; plentiful over the entire parish. Snipe; Curlew; all kinds Plover; Rabbits in abundance. plainly free but it might be necessary to ask permission to enter lands in many places.*

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

*SPRINGFIELD DEMESNE :- LORD MUSKERRY, Springfield Castle }  
FARRIHY :- RICHARD LEONARD, FARRIHY. }  
*These are only places displaying notices.**

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

BARONY OF Upper Connello

TOWN OR VILLAGE DROMCOLLOCHER PARISH DROMCOLLOCHER COUNTY LINERICK.

Location and brief description.

Population 360

A pretty and prosperous little town lying on the main Newcastle West / Mallow Road at the northern foot of the picturesque Mullaghareirk Mountains. Well stocked shops surround the "SQUARE" which is in reality a triangle. About nine miles east of Newcastle West and a similar distance west from the good market town of RATH LUIRC.

Is there a <sup>PARISH</sup> ~~Town~~ Hall? yes. Location Newcastle West Road

Parks, Gardens and Recreation Grounds. Brief description:

None.

Brief comments on water supply and sewerage:

A gravitation water supply. Laid on to houses. Pumps also on streets. ~~No~~ treatment whatever. Practically fails in dry weather. Modern sewerage scheme connected with houses. Both maintained by County Linch Board of Health.

### PUBLIC SERVICES

Nearest station Newcastle West Distance Both 9 Bus? Trampl village daily  
Public lighting by <sup>RATH LUIRC</sup> ~~Electricity~~? E. S. B. miles. Gas? \_\_\_\_\_

### DANCING

Dance hall PARISH HALL Proprietor Very Revd the PARISH PRIEST  
for the time being. Unisted  
or advised by Committee.

### CINEMAS AND THEATRES

Cinemas PARISH HALL Pictures shown frequently by  
(nights) travelling companies.

Theatre PARISH HALL Kind of shows Drama, Comedy; Concerts  
(Drama, Comedy &c) frequently by travelling bus  
& local amateurs.

## LIBRARIES

Public Libraries *Branch of the County Library  
in Parish Hall.*

Private Lending Libraries *None.*

## CHURCHES AND SERVICES

R.C. Church *Dromcollogher* Services (Sundays) *8 & 10.30*

*Old time all year round.*

*Church of Ireland:-*

*(RATH LUIRC)*

*6. of 9 community attend service at Rathonan & Charleville.*

*Church of Ireland for the parish, situated at Springfield, two miles*

*s/w of Dromcollogher is not in use presently.*

## POSTAL FACILITIES

Location of Post Office *The Square, Dromcollogher*

Business (? M.O., Telegraph, Telephone) *All branches*

## BANKING

Banks *Ulster & Leicester Bank, Ltd.*

## SPORTS AND PHOTO SUPPLIES

Sports Dealers

*None.*

Photographic Stores *Miss S. DEAKIN, The Square.*  
*Mr. J. DORE, West End*

## SWIMMING POOLS AND BATHS

Swimming Pool?..... Location.....

Public Baths?..... Location.....

## SOCIAL CLUBS, CULTURAL SOCIETIES, &c.

Social Clubs Parish Club. Meets nightly in Parish Hall. Reading; Billiards; Card games; Arts; Table Tennis.

Cultural Societies Dramatic Club.

## INDUSTRIES AND HANDCRAFTS

Industries Dairying is chief industry. W. & date creamery in the village, turning out dairy products of a high standard of excellence.

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

None.

## PUBLIC MONUMENTS

(Brief description; inscription to be quoted)

In yard of R. B. Church stands a large, well cut limestone cross: - "THE CROSS BEHIND THE WALL IS DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF ALL THOSE PERSONS WHO LOST THEIR LIVES IN THE CALAMITOUS FIRE OF 5 SEPTEMBER, 1926."  
(Forty nine people were burned to death in a cinema disaster.)

## IMPORTANT PUBLIC BUILDINGS

(Give brief notes on architectural features)

Vocational School which is of modern design & construction occupies a prominent site south of village & is surrounded by beautiful gardens & demonstration plots. Courthouse which is a rectangular building of well cut & hammered limestone stands at east end of village. R. B. Church which is of ordinary design, faced with dressed stone stands at west end.

## SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Vocational Schools, Male & Female, Drommallogher.  
Secondary School, Clived, The Square, do.  
National School for girls, Drommallogher  
National School for Boys, do.

## HOSPITALS

None near Dan broom, Co. Limerick, 17 miles.

**FAIRS AND MARKETS ; HALF-HOLIDAY**

Monthly fairs and markets Jan 21; Feb 11; Mar 15; April 1st Saturday & 27th; May 16; June 18; July 10; Aug 24; Sep 16; Oct 13; Nov 5; December 3 & 31. Weekly market day None. Half-holiday ~~Wednesday~~ TUESDAY. When date falls on Sunday, fairs held on Monday.

**GARAGES AND PETROL STATIONS**

JOHN FOSTER, Drummallogher, petrol & repairs.  
PETROL ONLY.  
CHARLES WALL, Drummallogher  
DENIS BRODERICK, do.

**CONVEYANCES FOR HIRE (Owners) :**

Taxis JOHN KIELY, The Square, Drummallogher  
MICHAEL FARRELL, CARRARD EAST, do.  
PATRICK O'SULLIVAN, GARDEN FIELD, do.

Motors (Touring)

Boats (State type)

Bicycles

Caravans

Horses

**CAMPING SITES**

(At principal holiday resorts)

Location Although there is no recognised camping site in the petty district of CURRADO RE near BROADFORD is often frequented by hikers & trappers. NO objection from land owners.

Local Improvements Committee

Secretary

DATE

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(Signed)

P. J. Lynch

Surveyor.

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BARONY OF Upper Bonmahon

TOWN OR VILLAGE BROADFORD PARISH DROMCOLLOGHER COUNTY LIMERICK

Location and brief description.

Population 100 approx.

The little village of Broadford lies about 3 miles s/w of Dromcollogher & is most attractively situated at the northern foot of Mullaghareirk mountains. There are well stocked shops & well kept houses, with friendly and hospitable people. From here starts the extremely lovely road which leads to TULLYLEESE through a gap in the hills at CURRADORE.

Is there a Town Hall? NO Location —————

Parks, Gardens and Recreation Grounds. Brief description:

None.

Brief comments on water supply and sewerage:

A gravitation water supply feeds fountains on roadsides, not laid on to houses. NO public sewerage scheme. Most houses have private arrangements. Water is not treated.

### PUBLIC SERVICES

Nearest station Newcastle West Distance 9 miles Bus? Dromcollogher 317.

Public lighting by—Electricity? E.S.B. Gas? —————

### DANCING

Dance hall None Proprietor —————

(This village is covered by Parish Hall at Dromcollogher)

### CINEMAS AND THEATRES

Cinemas None Pictures shown —————  
(nights)

(see Dromcollogher)

Theatre None do Kind of shows —————  
(Drama, Comedy &c.)



**LIBRARIES**

Public Libraries Branch of County Library in  
The Carnegie Library, Broadford

Private Lending Libraries.....  
None

**CHURCHES AND SERVICES**

R.C. Church BROADFORD Services (Sundays) 9.30 old time.

Church of Ireland:- This community attends service at  
Rathronan (Ardsyl). C of D. at Springfield (1/2 mile east)  
is not in use presently.

**POSTAL FACILITIES**

Location of Post Office Broadford

Business (? M.O., Telegraph, Telephone) all services

**BANKING**

Banks.....  
None  
etc of S. Bank at Drumallogher

**SPORTS AND PHOTO SUPPLIES**

Sports Dealers.....  
None

Photographic Stores.....  
None  
Two at Drumallogher

**SWIMMING POOLS AND BATHS**

Swimming Pool?..... Location.....

Public Baths?..... Location.....

**SOCIAL CLUBS, CULTURAL SOCIETIES, &c.**

Social Clubs *Paris Club at Dromcollogher.*

Cultural Societies *None.*

*Dramatic Club at Dromcollogher which serves Broadford.*

**INDUSTRIES AND HANDCRAFTS**

Industries *Dairying is the chief industry. Here is located a branch creamery of the Kantler C.D.S. which is one of the largest in the country. Poultry; pork; corn crushing; sausage making; cheese; tinned cream, etc.*

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

*None.*

**PUBLIC MONUMENTS**

(Brief description; inscription to be quoted)

*In little church of KILLOUGHALANANE near Broadford is a pretty lime stone Celtic cross in memory of those from Paris who fell 1916 to 1922.*

<i>50. hDÉA MEAR DO SOIL</i>	<i>DEY BTD O BRAONAIN</i>	<i>DO KUAR BAs</i>
<i>le bpoD agus le gRAD</i>	<i>LIA M O DUINEACAIR</i>	<i>ER SON na</i>
<i>DO SOGAD an leACE SO</i>	<i>PADRAIS O BACAIRIA</i>	<i>hEACENN SO</i>
<i>Y ADIL. CUYINE AR</i>	<i>MURC O Dubagairn</i>	<i>ndearaid Dia</i>
	<i>RISTEARD De bus</i>	<i>SASCA ORIA</i>

**IMPORTANT PUBLIC BUILDINGS**

(Give brief notes on architectural features)

*R. I. P.*

*R.I.C. church is a pretty building, faced with hammered limestone. No interesting features. Church of Ireland at Springfield is a very pretty building of early 19th century, of dressed limestone. Within the demesne of Springfield. Carnegie Hall in Broadford which is now in a bad state was a nice building of pleasing design.*

**SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES**

*National School for girls, Broadford*  
*" " " " Boys, do.*

*Vocational & Secondary Schools at Dromcollogher*

**HOSPITALS**

*None nearer than Croom, Co. Wick 20 miles*

*"TO GOD AND IRELAND TRUE 1916 1922"*

*might infer*

**FAIRS AND MARKETS ; HALF-HOLIDAY**

Monthly fairs and markets None in Broadford. See Drumcollogher

Weekly market day None Half-holiday Wed.

**~~GARAGES AND~~ PETROL STATIONS**

P. FITZGERALD, Broadford. Petrol only. None available presently owing to war restrictions. Supplies will be available in peace times

**CONVEYANCES FOR HIRE (Owners) :**

Taxis DAVID COTTER, BROADFORD.

See also list for Drumcollogher

Motors (Touring) ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

Boats (State type) ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

Bicycles ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

Caravans \_\_\_\_\_

Horses ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

**CAMPING SITES**

(At principal holiday resorts)

Location at CURRAMORE Landowner is a very pleasant site for camping & while it is not a recognised site it is popular & no objections raised by land owners.

Local Improvements Committee \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

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(Signed) P. J. Lynch

## HISTORIC SITES

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

None.

## 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.

SPRINGFIELD CASTLE (formerly known as GURTHA TUBRID)  
This was the chief stronghold of the FITZ MAURICE  
clan from whom the present owner (Lord Muskerry) is  
descended. The castle portion which had been in  
continuous use was destroyed during civil war  
period & is since out of repair. Most of the  
residential portion has been restored. See picture.

## 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.

None.

## 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.

### ENTRANCE TO SPRINGFIELD CASTLE.

The entrance gate & surround, from Broadford road is of most unusual and striking appearance. Rectangular limestone pillars about 10 feet high support an enormous slab on which is cut the motto of the DEANE family :- "FORTI ET FIDELI NIHIL DIFFICILE." The perfectly straight avenue which leads from this is very fine, being bordered by immense trees which meet overhead in many places.

## CUSTOMS, PATTERNS, ETC.

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

None.

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