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Kilbarron parish, in Lower Ormond, has three separate burial sites. At the village, in Ballyquinlevan Upper townland. (1/4" O.S. Sheet 15/Grid Ref. R845927), is a new cemetery, but since all the inscriptions are modern they have not been recorded. The adjoining Catholic Church, called, "the Newchapel", has no memorial inscriptions within its precincts.

Kilbarron Church of Ireland Parish Church is situated in Kilbiller townland (1/2" O.S. Sheet 15/Grid Ref. R855925) a little to the south of Coolbawn crossroads. All the pre-1885 inscriptions in the graveyard and the Memorials within the Church have been recorded.

The most interesting site, historically, is the so called, "Kilbarron Abbey" (1" O.S. Sheet 15/Grid Ref. S20918) situated in the townland of the same name. Although it is designated "Abbey" on the 1840 Ordnance Survey 6" Map, the surviving remains are in fact those of the 15th century Parish Church of the once separate Parish of Kilbarron. An ancient gravelslab, perhaps as early as the 10th century, located within the Church now, indicates the Early Christian associations of this site. There are a total of 69 inscribed monuments in this graveyard and all of them have been recorded.

Kilbarron now forms part of the Catholic Parish of Terryglass which is in fact an amalgamation of the three ancient Parishes, Terryglass, Finnoe and Kilbarron. The Church of Ireland Church is presently disused and the Parish is now part of the Nenagh Union.

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December 1981.

ERRATUM  Inscription No. 66 in Kilbarron graveyard has been transposed in the printing and should read -

66. Erected by Michael and Laurence Toohy of Annagh in memory of their mother, Mary Toohy, died 9th Oct. 1852 aged 62 years
    Also their father, John Toohy, died 10th Oct. 1860, aged 72 years.
    Also the two children, Michael Toohy died 8th Aug. 1873 aged 10 years
    And Angelo Toohy died 20th Aug. 1873, aged 4 years.
11. Here lies the body of Cornelius Cleary, who died in the year of the Lord, 1751.

See Carroll No. 10.

12. Here lyeth the body of Elizabeth Cleburne, aged thirteene dayes, who departed this life the 4 day of June, 1682.

(Translation - William Cleborne of Ballycolletan, gentleman, died 22nd October, A.D. 1684)

14. Erected by Derby Corboy in memory of his father, John Corboy, who died April 1790, aged 70 yrs.

15. Erected by Jerry Corboy in memory of his father, William Corboy, who departed this life, May the 5th 1825, aged 66 years.

16. Erected by Mary Corboy in memory of her father, Thos Corboy, late of Bellview, who died July -89.

17. Erected by Francis Cormack in memory of his brother, John Cormack, late of Correen, who died May 16th 1777, aged 26 yrs.

18. Erected by John MacCormick in memory of his father, Bartholmew, died April 21st 1848
And his mother, Catherine, died April 4th 1849
And his wife, Mary, died Sept. 29th 1904, aged 62 years.

Also his mother, Margaret, died 8th August 1909, aged 73
His sister, Mary, died 13th August 1896, aged 26 yrs.
And his brother, Tim, died 6th June 1902, aged 30 yrs.

20. Erected by Lizzie Hewett of Carney in memory of her uncle, John McCormack, Kilcowran, who died 4th Dec 1908, aged 73 yrs
Also his father, John McCormack, aged 77 yrs
And mother, Margaret McCormack, aged 71 yrs.

21. Erected by Jno. Costelloe in memory of his father, Thos Costelloe, who dept this life June 22nd 1817, aged 51 years
Also his daughter, Cathrin Costelloe, who departed this life, April 27 1834, aged 8 years.

22. Erected by Timothy Costelloe in memory of his father, Matthew Costelloe late of Ballinderry, who departed this life, February the 9th 1825, aged 69 years.

See Cahalan No. 6.

23. In loving memory of Thomas and Bridget Cunningham, Bellview, and their family.
CURTIN

24. Pray for the souls of Patrick Curtin, Clonmackilladuff, died 26th Oct. 1929, aged 70 yrs.
And his wife Anne, died 21st March 1941, aged 65 yrs.
Also her parents, Michael Hogan, died 30th April 1889, aged 50 yrs
Ellen Hogan, died 11th Oct. 1934, aged 95 yrs.
Their children;
  Michael, died Feb. 1917, aged 42
  Mary, died 21st Nov 1924, aged 35
  William, died 9. 4. 1955, aged 79
  Patrick, died 13. 1. 1957, aged 76
  Thomas, died 22. 11. 1961, aged 78

Erected by their daughter, Eileen Carroll (nee Curtin)

DARCY

25. Erected by Rog Darca in memory of his wife, Anne Flaherty, who
died May 1765, aged 54 years.

26. Pray for the soul of Catherine Darca, who died in April 1767, aged
24 years.

27. Here lies the body of Patrick Darca, who died Feb. 13th 1774, aged
24 years.

28. Erected by Own Darca, in memory of his father, Wilm Darca, who dep.
Deer. 16th 1812, aged 61 yrs.
Also his mother, Margaret Darca, dep. Jan 8th 1813, aged 64 yrs.

29. Erected by John Darca of Lislin lane, in memory of his father,
Michael Darca, who died the 16th of June 1850, aged 48 years.

EGAN

30. Memorial of a lad, who lived beloved and died lamented, Dan Egan,
whose body lies here. He died Jan 9th 1810, aged 21.

   See Hogan No. 37.
   See Starr No. 61.

FITZGERALD

31. Erected by Patrick Fitzgerald of Peterfield, in memory of his brother
John Fitzgerald, who departed this life, January 8th 1812 aged
23 years.

FLAHERTY

   See Darca No. 25.

GRADY

32. Erected by Daniel Grady in memory of his father, John Grady, who
departed this life April 5th 1824 aged 67 years.

HANLY

   See Minehan No. 49.

HEEYAN

33. Erected by Michael and John Heenan of Loughourn, in memory of their
father, John Heenan, who died Jan the 7th 1825, aged 55 yrs.
Also their brother, Denis Heenan, who died Oct. 16th 1849,
aged 35 yrs.
HEWITT
See Cormack No. 20

HOGAN
34. Grant, O Lord eternal peace unto the soul of Patk Hogan who died the 10th March 1768, aged 57 yrs.
35. Erected by Ed. Mr. Hogan, in memory of his father, Michl Hogan, who departed this life April 24th 1772, aged 57 years.
36. Lord have mercy on the soul of Wilm Hogan, who died 1784, aged 65 yrs
   Also his son, Daniel, who departed this life June 1780 aged 27 years.
37. Erected by James Hogan, in memory of Mary Egan, otherwise Hogan, his wife, who died the 19th of Jan 1814, aged 71.
38. Erected by John Hogan in memory of his father Timothy Hogan, who dep'd March 12th 1808, aged 79 years.
   See Cahalan No. 4.
   See Curtin No. 24.

HOULeAHN
39. This stone was fixed by John Houlehan for his wife Elizabeth Nears, who departed this life in March 1780, aged 55 yrs.

HODARD
40. Lord have mercy on the soul of John Howard, who died 1759, aged 56 years
   Also his son, Cornelius, died 1785, aged 25.

KENDY/KENNEDY/O'KEMEY/O'CINNEDA
41. Donatus Kendy, Sacerdos, 27 annos natus, 11 8'bris 1706 obiit memento mori (Translation - Donat Kendy, Priest, 27 years old, died 11 August 1706 - Remember Death)
42. Erected by Jno Kennedy in memory of his wife Ann Treacy, who died August 17th 1806, aged 35
43. Erected by Catherine Kennedy in memory of her father Patk Kennedy, who dep'd this life March 19, 1820 aged 43 yrs.
44. Erected by Dinnis Kennedy, in memory of his beloved wife, Margaret Kennedy, alias Wylde, who depd this life May 1st 1856, aged 49 yrs
   Also his father, Dinnis Kennedy, who depd this life, April 25th 1851 aged 74 yrs.
45. I gcumhnae an oghlaigh, Micheal O Cinneide, Aonach.
   To the memory of Michael O'Kennedy, Nenagh, who was mortally wounded at the attack on Borrisokane Police Barracks on the night of 26. 6.1920.
   Died 23. 7. 1920, aged 27 years.
   Erected by his Comrades of Tipperary No. 1 Brigade I.R.A.
   See Cahalan No. 5
   See Slattery No. 57 and No. 58
   See Walsh No. 68.

KENNY
46. Erected by Michael Kenny, in memory of his brother Denis Kenny, who departed this life, April the 18th 1795, aged 39 yrs
KILROY
47. Erected by the disconsolate wife of John Kilroy, who died in April 1772.

LARKIN
48. Lord have mercy on the soul of Jno. Larkin who departed this life, May 1806, aged 60 yrs.
Erected by Thomas Larkin, in memory of his father John Larkin.

LOUGMAME
49. Lord have mercy on the soul of Patrick Loughmane, who died April 1792, aged 73 yrs.
Erected by his son James Loughmane.

50. Here lies the body of Michael Loughmane, late of Bellview, who died Sepr. the 5th 1808, aged 42 years.
Erected by his son James.

51. In affectionate remembrance of James Loughmane of Kylebeg, who died in 1852, aged 65 years.
And his beloved wife, Sarah Loughmane, who died Jany 6th 1870, aged 78 years.
Erected by their son James Loughmane.

MEARA
See Houlahan No. 39
See O'Brien No. 50.
See Treacy No. 65.

MINCHAN
52. Erected by Patrick and Michl. Minchan of Knigh in memory of their dear and beloved father, Patrick Minchan, who depd this life, June the 4th 1842, in the 50th year of his age.
Also their dear beloved Mother, Bridget Minchan, alias Hanly, who depd this life Decr. 24th 1839, in the 56th year of her age.
Also their sister, Mary Minchan, who depd this life, March 17th 1833 in the 23rd year of her age.
Also his son Patrick Minchan, died 27th July 1889, aged 84 years.
His wife, Margaret, died 22nd Feb. 1905, aged 76 years.
Their children Kate and Maria R.I.P.

53. Pray for the soul of Patrick Minchan, Lisduff House, died April 1934 aged 75 years.
His wife, Mary Anne, died 17th Nov. 1959, aged 84 years.
Their son, William, died 8th March 1966, aged 50 years.

MURPHY
54. Erected by the disconsolate wife of James Murphy, who died April ye 18th 1772 aged 65 yrs.

55. Erected by Harry Murphy in memory of his father, Peter Murphy, who departed this life May the —— aged 86 years.
Also his wife, Mary Murphy, departed this life March the 19th 183-5, aged 19 years.

McDONNELL
See Slattery No. 60.

O'BRIEN
56. Erected by Patrick O'Brien of Cloneybrien in memory of his beloved wife Mary O'Brien, alias Meara, who died Oct. 7th 1888, aged 27 years.
SLATTERY

57. Erected by John Slattery of Kilbarren, in memory of his wife, Elenor Slattery alias Kennedy, who died on the 6th Feb. 1832, in the 67 year of her age.

58. Pray for the souls of John Slattery of Kilbarron, died 3rd Dec 1913 And of his wife, Catherine née Kennedy, died 1886 Also of their children James, Joseph, Mary Ellie, Annie, Penelope And Bridget who died in Dublin 16th Sept 1941 and who had this stone erected.

59. In loving memory of Joseph Slattery, Kilbiller, died July 13 1957 And his wife Rachael died Feb 21 1946.

60. Erected by Mary Slattery in memory of her dearly beloved husband, John Slattery of Glenbour, who departed this life, the 2nd of November 1873 Also of her daughter Sarah Slattery, who died Dec 13th 1855 aged 17 years Also of her son, Patt Slattery, who died 18th Feb. 1868, aged 21 years Also of her daughter, Anne Slattery alias MacDonnell, and child aged 24.

STAR/STARR

61. Erected by Stephen Star in memory of his father, John Star, who departed this life, Nov. the 20th 1785, aged 50 years Also his wife, Bridget Star otherwise Eagan, who dep'd this life June 4th 1818 aged 67 years.

62. Erected by Stephen Starr of Cloughpior in memory of his most beloved brother, William Starr, who dep'd this life on the 25th day of Novr. 1836, in the 53 year of his age.

SWEENY

63. Erected by Morgan Sweeney for his father Thos Sweeney who died April—(rest buried)

TREACY

64. Here lies the body of Thos Treacy, who died Sept. 10th 1804, aged 78.

65. Erected by Denis Treacy of Belview to the memory of his father, Denis Treacy, who died September 17th 1890 aged 60 years Also his sister, Mrs. Anne Meera, who died April 15th 1887, aged 32 years Denis Treacy died October 26th 1901, aged 28 years Also his brother, John, died 16th September 1939 aged 77 His wife, Mary, died 9th Sept. 1936 aged 66 Also his brother, Martin Treacy, died 16th Feb. 1932, aged 70 yrs.

See Kennedy No. 42.

TUHY/TUOHY

66. Erected by Michael and Laurence Tooby of Agh in memory of their mother, Mary Tooby, died 9th Oct. 1852 aged 72 years Also their father, John Tooby, died 10th Oct. 1850, aged 72 years Also the two children, Michael Tooby died 8th Aug. 1873 aged 10 years And Angelo Tooby died 20th Aug. 1873, aged 4 years.
67. In loving memory of Laurence Tushy, Cameron, who died Nov 1918 aged 89
And of his wife, Mary, who died March 1902, aged 72
Their son, John, died July 1940
His wife Bridget, died Nov. 1923.

**WALSH**

68. Erected by Elanor Kennedy, in token of her husband, Thos. Walsh.
He died May the 18th 1798 aged 38 years.
Also his brother, James Walsh, died 1789 aged 33 yrs.

**WYLDE/WYLDES**

69. Erected by Danl. Wyldes in memory of his father, Dennis Wyldes,
who dep'd this life Jan'y 23rd 1847, aged 75 yrs.
Also his mother, Bridget Wyldes, who dep'd this life,
April 12th 1849 aged 65 yrs.
Also his brother Jeremiah Wyldes, who dep'd this life April 3rd
1849, aged 18 yrs.

See Kennedy No. 44.
KILBARRON CHURCH OF IRELAND, CHURCH AND GRAVEYARD.

(Grid Reference \( \frac{1}{2} \) C.S. Sheet 15/R 835925)

This 19th century Church and Graveyard, are located in the townland of Kilbiller, on the West of the L 152 roadway, a little to the South of Coolbawn crossroads. In the surrounding Graveyard, the majority of the Inscriptions date to the 20th century and these have not been recorded. All the pre-1885 Inscriptions have however been included.

GRAVEYARD INSCRIPTIONS

BENNETT

BIGGS
2. George W. Biggs, Died 25th March 1844, aged 61 years
   Thomas Biggs, died 18th June 1844, aged 27 years.

BRUCE
3. Sacred to the memory of Sophie Mary, the beloved and eldest daughter of Major W.T. Bruce and Sophie Susan, his wife. She died on 21st of January, 1876, aged 18 years.

DINSMORE
4. In memory of Dorah Eleanor, the beloved daughter of Joseph and Ellen Dinsmore of Harrow Weald, Middlesex.
   Died June 25th 1877, aged 4 years.
   Also of their son, Robert Andrew Dinsmore, who died the 4th of October, 1884, aged 4 years.

GRAVES
5. In loving memory of Joanna, wife of the Reverend Richard Graves, whom she survived fourteen years.
   She died January 3rd 1871, in the 80th year of her age.

LYON
6. Sacred to the memory of Mary Thomasine, the beloved wife of the Rev'd Thomas Lyon, Vicar of this Parish.
   She died on the 18th of January 1876.
   Also in memory of the Rev'd Thomas Lyon, who died on the 17th of April 1877, aged 63 years. For thirty years the esteemed and beloved pastor of Kilbarron.

WARD
   Died 1st Sept. 1882.
MEMORIAL INSCRIPTIONS WITHIN CHURCH

MINCHIN

1. Sacred to the memory of John Minchin Esq. of Annagh, who departed this life, April 17 1855, aged 64.

2. Sacred to the memory of Frederick F. Reilly Minchin C.B.E. D.S.C., M.C. who perished on the first attempt ever to fly the Atlantic from England to America, together with Capt. Leslie Hamilton M.C. And Princess Anne of Loewenstein, Wertheim, daughter of 4th Earl of Mexborough 2nd Sept. 1922.

PARKER

3. In loving memory of John George (Jack) Parker, Brookfield, Co. Tipperary Captain Princess Victoria's Royal Irish Fusiliers. Born April 6th 1865. Died at Bhamo, Upper Burma, Feb. 3rd 1896 of enteric fever. This Tablet was erected by his sorrowing Mother and Sister, whom he dearly loved.

LYON

4. (A Memorial inscription on the stained glass window overlooking the Altar reads as follows:- )
"To the glory of God and in loving memory of Rev'd Thomas Lyon and Anne his wife. Given by their affectionate children."