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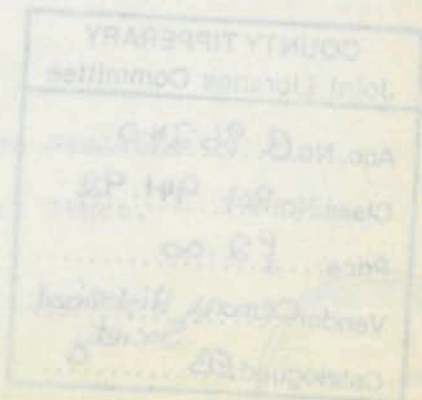
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ARDCRONEY GRAVEYARD

Ardcroney parish is in the Barony of Lower Ormond. It covers an area of 6428 statute acres.

The graveyard is in the village of Ardcroney, surrounding the ruins of a combined Castle / Chapel. In medieval times this was a residence of the Bishopric of Killaloe. Later the O'Hogans became tenants and occupied it up to the Cromwellian Confiscation of 1652.

The area around the parish has been inhabited for approximately 5000 years. A neolithic grave mound, dating from 3200 B.C. has been found on the lands of Mr. F. Ryan.

The R.C. church is across a narrow road from the graveyard. In the grounds of which is a Mass rock used in Ballinamurra during the penal days. It also contains some memorials within the church and these have been included in this publication.

There are just over 150 headstones all have been copied. The oldest seems to be in memory of William Newstead Esq. 1749. There is an inscription in Latin to the Rev. John Magrath, a priest who died in 1784. I understand that there is no other record about this priest or where he worked and he may have been a wandering friar. There is also a handsome monument to Captain Thomas Walsh of the National Army who was killed at Rearcross in 1922.

In a few instances very conventional religious texts have been left out. Where it has been impossible to decipher a word it is recorded thus -----. Where there is a doubt about the reading, especially with dates, it is recorded thus ?1805 ?1803.

Denise Foulkes.

Daniel Grace.

1984.



ABBOTT

1. Erected in memory of Mary Abbot, daughter to James Abbott, who departed this life March 8th 1771 aged 3 years & 7 months.

BANKS

2. Erected by Edward Banks in memory of his father, Patrick Banks, who depd this life Aug. the 22. 1825 aged 62 years. May he rest in peace. Mary Banks died March 2. 1949.
3. Erected by Henry Banks, Lahorna, in memory of his son, George died 30th Novr. '88. Also Julia died 30th April '91. Also Edward died Feby 12th '93. Henry Banks died 22nd June 1903 aged 70 years. His wife Anne Banks died on the 13th October 1905 aged 72 years and John Banks died 26th May 1938 aged 70 yrs. Henry Banks died 27th Aug. 1948. May their souls rest in peace.

BOLAN

4. Erected by Anne Houlahan in memory of her dutiful husband Wm. Bolan, who depd June 18th 1812 aged 45 yrs. May he rest in peace. C.H.

BRADLY

John Bradly c. 1776 see Hough no. 77.

BRERETON

5. Here lieth the body of Mr. Thomas Brereton who departed this life ye 30th of 10 ber 1776 aged 34 years.
6. Here lieth the body of Mrs. Mary Brereton otherwise Carroll, who departed this life September 1783 aged 90 years.
7. Here lieth the remains of Mrs. Margret Brereton, wife to John Brereton Esq. of Rathurles in the County of Tipperary, who lived beloved and died lamented in the fifty first year of her age, the 10th day of June 1800..
8. Erected by Daniel Brereton in memory of his father George Brereton who depd this life Feb. the 2nd 1847 aged 81 years. Also his mother Mary Brereton, who dep. this life Oct. the 12th 1832 aged 54 years. Also his brother John Brereton who died Sept 4. 1808.
9. Erected by Daniel Brereton, Oldcourt, in memory of his beloved wife Julia Brereton alias Cummins who died 7th May 1872 aged 56 years. Also his daughter Mrs. Mary Slattery died October 27th 1873 aged 26 years. Daniel Brereton born May 1st 1816 died May 16th 1902. John Brereton born Aug 4th 1845 died Feb. 27th 1910. Denis Brereton, Oldcourt, died 18th June 1919 aged 68 yrs.
10. In loving memory of Daniel Brereton, Oldcourt, who died 2nd Nov 1945 aged 88 years and his wife Mary died 19th March 1947 and his sister Ellen Brereton who died 19th April 1945 aged 90 years.

BRETT

11. Erected in loving memory of John Brett of Rapla died 10th April 1898 aged 70 years. Also his son James Brett died 11th January 1904 aged 24 years. Also his wife Hannah Brett died 14th July 1933 aged 95 yrs. May their souls rest in peace.

BROWN

12. Kind reader say, Lord have mercy on Peter Brown, who departed this life Jan. 1787 aged 34 yrs.

CARROLL

Mary Brereton otherwise Carroll 1783 see Brereton no. 6.

13. Erected by Pat. Carroll of Nenagh in memory of his wife Catherine Carroll, who died Octr 1st 1802 aged 47 yrs.
14. Erected by Patrick Carroll, Congar, in memory of his father John Carroll, who departed this life April 24th 1805 (?1825), in the 87th year of his age. Also his mother Bridget Carroll departed this life Dec. 1815 in the 70th year of her age. Also his brother Peter Carroll departed this life Feb. 17th 1817 in the 250th year of his age. Also his brother Michl. Carroll who departed this life January 10th 1833 in the 264th year of his age. Also his brother William Carroll who departed this life Sept 15 21850 (?1830) in the 50th year of his age. May their souls rest in peace.

CLARKE

Thomas & Patrick Clarke, c. 1959 see Hogan no. 68.

15. Lord have mercy on the soul of John Clarke who died 9 ber 1780 aged 70 years.
16. Dan Clarke 4 Oct. 1956 age 50.
17. Mrs. Ann Clarke 23 June 1962 age 47.

CLEARY

Mary Gleeson alias Cleary 1813 see Gleeson no. 43.

COLLINS

Kate Collins 1970 see McKenna no. 107.

CONNORS

Honora Molony alias Connors 1848 see Molony no. 117.

COSTALY

18. Kind Reader pray for the soul of Matthias Costaly who died 26th June 1789 aged 56 yrs.
19. William Costaly.

COSTELLO / COSTELLOE

20. Here lie the mortal remains of Timothy Costelloe, the beloved son of Hugh Costelloe of Garnacurragh, who in the bloom of youth was snatched

20. away from his sorrowing relatives by a malignant fever on the 9th June 1839 at the early age of 21 years. He was tenderly beloved and highly respected by all who knew him and this monument to his memory was erected by his disconsolate father in token of the fond and ----- esteem he bore him. The remains of (?Hugh Costelloe), father to the above who ----- 29th 1840 aged 67 years. (The end portion of this stone is broken & part is missing.
21. Erected to the memory of James Costello of Corbally who died on the 11th April 1850 aged 52 years and his son John S. Costello who died in Madison Gd. U.S.A., on December the 24th 1881 aged 41 years. May they rest in peace.

COSTOLO

22. Erected by Anne Costolo in memory of her husband Patrick Costolo, who depd this life July the 20th 1846 aged 54 years. Also his father John Costolo who depd this life Jan. the 2d 1836 aged 72 yrs. May they rest in peace.

CORRIGAN

23. In loving memory of Cornelius Corrigan, Friar St., Nenagh, died Dec. 23 1917. His wife Mary died July 23 1919. Their children, Cornelius died Jan. 19 1960. Winifred died May 15 1967. James, Mitchell St, Nenagh died July 30 1964. His wife Elizabeth died Nov. 15 1974. Their children, Nora died May 22 1929. Mary Jo died May 8 1976.

CUMMINS

Julia Brereton alias Cummins 1872 see Brereton no.9.

CURNEEN

24. The Lord receive the soul of Dennis Curneen, who died ye 24th April 1771 aged 67 yrs.

DARCY

Hannah Darcy 1773 see Gaynon no. 38.

25. Erected by Mary Darcy of Bórrisokane in memory of her beloved husband, Patrick Darcy who died the 1st of February 1849 aged 62 years. May he rest in peace. Mary Darcy died April 15. 1880. Daniel Darcy died March 6th 1906.
26. Erected by Daniel Darcy and his brother JJohn in memory of their father Dennis Darcy aged 77 and their mother Bridget aged 78 and their brother James age 48.

DEEGAN

27. Here lies the body of John Deegan who died February 1772 aged 50 years. His son William died January 1782 aged 32 yrs. Lord have mercy on their souls. Erected by Timothy Deegan.

DELANY

John Delany 1798 see McMahon no. 110.

DOHENY

John Doheny 1892, Patrick Doheny 1898, Catherine Doheny 1901, see Boughan no. 31.

28. Erected to the memory of Anne, the beloved wife of Roger Doheny, Ardcroney, died January 1st 1890 aged 60 years. Roger Doheny died November 14th 1908 aged 94 years. Nora Helena Doheny died May 21st 1922 aged 17 years. Tta Doheny died March 13th 1927 aged 17 years. John Doheny died January 4th 1928 aged 68 years. His wife Bridget died April 26th 1945.

29. In loving memory of John Doheny, Ardcroney, died 11th Oct 1931. His brothers, Thomas died 28th April 1933. Rody died 28th Oct 1933. Annie wife of Thomas died 25th Feb. 1952.

DONAHOE

30. This monument was erected by Wm. Donahoe in memory of his beloved and lamented brother Patrick Donahoe, who depd this life July 13th 1814 aged 24 yrs. May he rest in peace.

DONNELLY

Judy Kerrins alias Donnelly 1837. see Kerrins no. 100.

DOUGHAN

31. Erected by John Doughan in memory of his father Roger Doughan who depd Jan 18. 1812 aged 72 yrs. John Doheny died 14th June 1892 aged 85 yrs. Patrick Doheny died 5th Dec 1898 aged 48 yrs. Catherine Doheny died 9th April 1901 aged 84 yrs.

DOYLE

32. Erected by Paul Doyle in memory of his father Oliver Doyle who died Aug. the 11. 1817 aged 44 years. May he rest in peace

EAGAN

Michael Eagan 1821 see Gaynon no. 39,

EGAN

33. Erected by James Egan in memory of his son Jas. Egan who departed this life August the 15th 1817 aged 18 years. May he rest in peace.

FIN

Daniel Fin c. 1796 see Hough no. 79.

FLYNE

34. Erected by Cornelius Flyne, Ardcroney, in memory of his mother Hanora Flyne who died Octr 5th 1814 aged 60 yrs. Also his father John Flyne who died Sept 29th 1826 aged 73 yrs. Also his wife Mary Flyne who died May 27th 1839 aged 38 yrs. May they rest in peace.

FOGARTY

Margaret Gaynan alias Fogarty see Gaynan no. 36.

GAVIN

35. Erected by John Gavin in memory of his father John Gavin who departed this life July the 5th 1819 aged 76 yrs. May his soul rest in peace.

GAYNAN

- Mary Gaynan 1806 see Ryan no. 132.
 Hannah Toohey alias Gaynan 1793 see Toohey no. 148.
 36. Erected by John Gaynan in memory of his wife Margaret Gaynan alias Fogarty who died -- March 1797 in the 27th year of her age. May the Lord have mercy on her soul.
 37. Here lie the remains of Tirothy Gaynan of Lisgorriff who departed this life on the 2nd day of May 1828 aged 71 years. May his soul rest in peace.
 Also his wife Alice Gaynan who departed this life January 22nd 1836. aged 71 yrs. Erected by his sons Patt. and Mich. Gaynan.

GAYNON

38. Here lieth the body of Michael Gaynon who died June ye 1st 1781 aged 90 yrs. Also his wife Hannah Darcy died 1773 aged 70 yrs.
 39. Erected by Patrick Gaynan in memory of his father Timothy who died Oct. 2d 1804 aged 75 years. Also of his mother Mary Gaynon who died Decr. 1. 1815 aged 69 years. Also of his nephew Michael Eagan who died on the 3 d day of March 1821 in the 26th year of his age.
 40. Erected by Patrick Gaynon in memory of his daughter Mary Gaynon who departed this life April the 12th 1827 aged 18 yrs. Also his son James Gaynon who departed this life June the 22 1827 aged 18 years. Also his daughter Nancy Gaynon who departed this life Jan the 11th 1836 aged 28 years. Here lies the body of Patrick Gaynon of Ballyluskey who died Feb the 4th 1846 aged 88 years. Also his wife Mary Gaynon alias Glesson who died Feb the 21 1849 aged 77 years.
 41. Erected by John Gaynon of Coolderry in memory of his son Anthony Gaynon who departed this life on the 28th day of October 1832 aged 4 years. May he rest in peace .

GAYNOR

Bridget Horan alias Gaynor 1792 see Horan no. 70.

GILL

Elizabeth Whelan alias Gill 1863 see Whelan no. 154.

GLEESON / GLEESAN

- Mary Gaynon alias Gleeson 1849 see Gaynon no. 41 .
 42. Here lies the body of Jeny Gleesan wife to Roger Hanly who depd Anno 1766 aged 90 yrs.
 43. Erected by Michael Gleeson in memory of his daughter Mary Glëeson who depd this life September 30th 1807 aged 21 yrs. Also his wife Margaret

43. Gleeson alias Cleary who depd December 16th 1813 aged 55 yrs.
Lord have mercy on them.
44. Erected in memory of Patt. Gleeson who died March 11th 1870 aged 55 years
Also his father and mother who died March 1848. May they rest in peace.
45. Erected by Patrick Gleeson in memory of his father Denis Gleeson of
Springfield who died March 17th 1876 aged 73 years. Also his mother
Winifred Glæson who died July 17th 1857 aged 46 years. May their souls
rest in peace.

GLISON

46. With a pious intention say Lord have mercy on the soul of Dennis Glison,
who died Febr. 1780 aged 36 years. Erected by Michael Glison.

GLISSAN

47. Erected by Wm. Glissan in memory of his father Roger Glissan who departed
this life in the 64th year of his age, Feb 12. 1818.
48. Erected by Wm. Glissan, Bskane., in memory of his beloved mother Catherine
who departed this life February 7th 1835. May she rest in peace.

GRACE

Mary Hogan alias Grace c. 1797 see Hogan no. 63.

GUILFOYLE

49. In loving memory of Martin Guilfoyle, Carneywoodlands, died 25 May 1975
aged 85 and his wife Mary died 6 March 1969 aged 63.

HANDCOCK

50. Here lieth the body of Elizabeth Handcock who departed this life May ye
13th 1779 aged 24 years. She was dutiful to her parents, tender to her
children, & affectionate to her husband.

HANLY

51. Roger Hanly c. 1766 see Gleeson no 42.
Mary Hanly 1782 see Murphy. no . 119.
51. This stone was erected by James Hanly, it being his burying place.
October ye 17th 1779.

HANNY

52. Here lyeth the body of Daniel Hanny who departed this life ye 12th 9 ber
1778 aged 83 years.

HANRAHAN

53. Here lies tthe body of Daniel Hanrahan who died the 1st of August 1774
aged 70 years.

HARBERT / HERBERT

54. Here lies the body of James Harbert who departed this life August the
7th 1780 aged 61 years. Erected by Patrick Herbert in memory of his
wife Mary Herbert who departed Novr. 1826 aged 61.

HARRISON

55. In memory of Elizabeth, wife of Thos. Harrison Esq., who departed this life on the 12th Novr. 1785 aged 45 years. Also in memory of her son Richd. Harrison Esqr. who quitted this mortal scene on the 6th Jan, 1806 aged 32. If worth ensure felicity thou hast it. Also the body of Thos. Harrison M.D., who departed this life January the 27th 1819 aged 76 years.

HAUGH

- Anne Touhy otherwise Haugh 1776 see Tuohy no. 150.
56. Erected by Wm. & Jas Haugh of Ballymacegan in memory of Wm. Haugh's children, Anne died 1828 aged 22 yrs. Thos died Novr. 1828 aged 20 yrs and ---- (the rest of this stone deeply buried).

HAYES

57. In loving memory of our dear parents, Ellen Hayes, Ballyhasty, died 16th Aug 1942. Her husband Patrick died 21st Oct. 1955. May they rest in peace

HEALY

58. Erected by Patrick Healy in memory of his son, James Healy, who depd. Sept 20th 1808 aged 25 yrs. Lord have mercy on his soul.

HEFFERNAN /

59. Kind Angels protect the soul of Thomas Heffernan who died October 5th 1793 aged 18 yrs. Let friends forbear to mourn or cry whilst in my grave I silent lie.
60. Erected by Catherine Heffernan of Roscrea in loving memory of her husband Jeremiah Heffernan who died Novr. 17th 1910 aged 37 years. Also her daughter Kathleen died Novr. 23rd 1916 aged 15 years and her son Cornelius died May 15th 1923 aged 21 years.
61. In loving memory of Cornelius Heffernan, Ardcroney, died 23 March 1930 aged 59. His wife Julia died 10 Oct. 1965 aged 82. Their daughters in law, Mary died 14 June 1932 aged 26. Maureen died 20 Nov. 1953 aged 40.

HERBERT

see Harbert no. 54.

HOGAN

62. Erected by William Hogan in memory of his father Mallachy Hogan who depd this life Oct. 9th 1787 aged 73 yrs. May he rest in peace.
63. Erected by Mary Hogan alias Grace for husband Patrick Hogan who died Nov. 23 1797 aged 43.
64. Lord have mercy on the soul of Patrick Hogan who departed this life June 17th 1821 aged 50 yrs. Erected by his brother Morgan Hogan.
65. Erected by John Hogan in memory of his affectionate wife Margaret Hogan alias Toohy who died on the 2-th Nov. 1832 aged 55 years. May the Lord have mercy on her soul.

66. Erected by Anne Hogan, Ballyrickard, in memory of her husband, Darby Hogan, died Aug. 29th 1885 aged 84 yrs. Jesus, Mary & Joseph have mercy on her soul.
67. In loving memory of Michael Hogan, Clooneen, who died 8th March 1951 and his wife Margaret died 18th March 1969.
68. In loving memory of Margaret Hogan, Carney, died 19th May 1959 and her brothers, Thomas & Patrick Clarke. Her son Martin died 30th June 1965.

HORAN

70. Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Roger Horan, who died 21st Feb. 1792 aged 56 years. Erected by his widow Bridget Horan alias Gaynor.
71. Erected by Michael Horan in memory of his father Michael Horan who depd this life 12th June 1832 aged 60 years and of his son Henry who died on the 31st October 1857 aged 10 years and of his son James who died on the 26th February 1861 aged 24 years.

HORRIGAN / HORIGAN

72. Mrs. M.E. Horigan 2 July 1965 age 88.
73. Mary Horigan 28 April 1968.
74. In loving memory of Thomas Horrigan, Crowle, died 25 Dec 1951. His wife Mary Ann died 13 May 1949. Their daughter Daisey died 15 June 1969.

HOUGH

- Darby Hough c.1785 see Walsh no. 152.
75. Erected by William Hough in memory of his wife Mary Hough who died November 1765 aged 36 years. May she rest in peace.
76. Here lieth the bodies of James Hough and Catherine Reddan his mother. He died 26th April 1767 aged 16 yrs and she died 22d May 1774 aged 46 yrs.
77. Your prayers are humbly requested for the repose of the soul of Margaret Hough wife to John Bradly who died February 1776.
78. Here lies the body of Michael Hough who departed this life the 2d day of November 1780 aged 34 years. Lord have mercy on his soul. Erected by his widow Mary Reddan.
79. Erected by Danl. Fin in memory of his wife Judith Hough who died Feb. 21st 1796 aged 56 yrs.

HOULAHAN

Anne Houlahan c. 1812 see Bolan no.4

HOURIGAN (see also Horrigan).

80. Here lieth the body of the Reverend Father Patrick Hourigan, Parish Priest of Ardcroney, Uskane and Modreeny who died February the 25th 1748 aged 56 years.
81. Erected by Rev. James Hourigan, of Binghampton, America, in memory of his

81. brother William Hourigan, Nenagh, who died Sept 1st 1848 aged 57 yrs.

HOWE.

Anna Kenna alias Howe 1821 see Kenna no. 91 .

82. Erected by William Howe in memory of his father John Howe who depd this life Decr. the 22nd 1830 aged 48 years. Also of his mother Hanagh Howe who depd this life Decr. 5th 1829 aged 46 years. May she rest in peace.
83. Erected by James Howe in memory of his wife Margaret Howe who died on the 18th of July 1836 in the 48th of her age. May her soul rest in peace.

HURLEY

84. Erected by Michael Hurley in memory of his father William Hurley died March 14th 1814 aged 72 years. Also of his daughter Mary Hurley who depd this life Feb. the 10th 1823 aged 15 years. May they rest in peace.

HURLY

85. Lord have mercy on the soul of Cornelius Hurly who died June 1796 aged 50 yrs. Erected by his son Michl. Hurly.
86. Erected by Andrew Hurly for his father James Hurly who departed this life Jan. 5th 1776 aged 71 yrs.

KEEFFE

87. Erected by Edward Keeffe, Sharra, in memory of his father James Keeffe. Also their children, David, John, Thomas, Michael, Ellen and Mary.

KELLY

88. Erected by James Kelly, Bawnmoor, in memory of his beloved wife, Winifred Kelly, who died 13th Dec. 1873 aged 74 yrs. May the Lord have mercy on his soul.
89. In loving memory of Pat. Kelly, Moanfin, who died 16th Octr. 1914 aged 84 years. Also his wife Julia Kelly died 15 Oct 1910 aged 60 years. Also his son Dan Kelly died Sept 4th 1901 aged 24 yrs. Also his daughter Mary K. Kelly died June 3rd 1896 aged 14 years.
90. In loving memory of John Kelly, Kilruane, died 6th March 1921 aged 75 yrs. and his wife Bridget died 22nd March 1936 aged 80 yrs. Also their children, Patrick died 1964 aged 70 yrs. Erected by their son Patrick.

KENNA

91. Erected by Peter Kenna in memory of his wife Ann Kenna alias Howe who departed this life Nov. the 20th 1821 age 75 yrs. Lord have mercy on her soul. And his nephew John McKenna died 24th Jan 1892 aged 77 years. Mary, wife of John died 24th June 1919 aged 88 yrs.

KENNEDY

Mary Kennedy nee Rice 1898 see Rice no. 128

Francis Kennedy 1921 see Rice no. 128.

Mary Ryan alias Kennedy 1826 see Ryan no. 135.

KENNEDY (contd.).

92. Erected by Danl. Kenedy for his father Jams. Kenedy who died Novr. 1796 aged 56 years.
93. Erected by Nicholas Kennedy in memory of his brother Patrick Kennedy who depd Sept. the 2nd 1807 aged 27 years. Also his mother Winifred Kennedy who depd. Sept. the 20th 1807 aged 53 yrs.
94. Erected by John Kennedy in memory of his wife Catherine Kennedy alias Phelan who died Sept. 3rd 1808 aged 32 years. Lord have mercy on her soul.
95. Erected by Dennis Kennedy in memory of his brother Patrick Kennedy who depd May 9th 1817 aged 22 years.
96. Erected by Patk. Kennedy in memory of his brother Henry Kennedy who dep. Jan 1826 aged 17 years. Remember man thou arth but dust and to dust thou shalt return.
97. Erected by Cornelius Kennedy of Ardcroney in memory of his father Michael Kennedy who died 22nd April 1866 aged 72. Also his mother Mary Kennedy 1st May 1870 aged 69. His brother Michael died 26th Dec 1872 aged 48 and his sister Julia died 5th July 1875 aged 30. Also Cornelius and Julia Kennedy, Ardcroney and their daughters, Maryanne, Annie, Johanna. Their son Michael died 4th July 1960 aged 80. His wife Sarah died 9th Nov. 1980 aged 93.
98. In memory of James Kennedy, Coolagoran, who died Nov. 4th 1901 aged 84 yrs. Also his brother Pat died June 10th 1899 aged 80 yrs. John Kennedy, Claree, died 1919. His wife Mary died March 18. 1956 and their daughter Nuala Ryan, Claree, died Dec. 9 1982 aged 71. Erected by Katie Kennedy of U.S.A. Also in memory of James Kennedy, Claree, who died 10 March 1891 and his wife Mary Kennedy who died 8 Jan 1886.
99. In loving memory of Mary Kennedy, Cloughkeating, Borrisokane, died 8th May 1935. Her brother Patrick died 8th July 1935. Their parents, Julia died 15th July 1937. Patrick died 4th Oct. 1941.

KERRINS

100. Erected by Bryan Kerrins in memory of his wife Judy Kerrins alias Donnelly who depd this life Oct. the 8th 1837 aged 26 years. May she rest in peace

LEAHEY

1. Erected by Thomas Leahey in memory of his father, John Leahey, who dep. this Dec. the 2. 1834 aged 84 years. Also of his mother Mary Leahey, who dep. this life Dec. the 20th 1835 aged 80 years. May they rest in peace.

LEDGER

2. Here lie interred the body of William Ledger, son to Edward Ledger of Ballyrickard, who died the 6th of October 1775 aged 16. Universally beloved for his aimable qualities and as universally lamented, his ...
... of their regard(s... to the memory of a most hopeful and deserving youth.

102. sorrowing parents caused this monument to be erected as a perpetual testament of their regard(sic) to the memory of a most hopeful and deserving youth.

LYONS

103. Frank Lyons 31 Jan 1969 age 63.

MAGRATH

- 104 Sub hoc monumento jacet R. Joannes Magrath septuaginta septem prope annis verbo et opere servivit Christo obdormivit in Domino nonis Februarii anno 1784. Requiescat in pace.

MARLEY

Thomas Marley 1770 see Quinlan no. 126.

McCREADY

Mrs. McCready see Meagher no. 111.

Mc KENNA

105. John McKenna 1892 see Kenna no. 91.
106. In loving memory of John McKenna, Ballluskey, died 3rd Nov. 1918. His wife Catherine died 13th Sept 1939. Their sons , Michael died 30th April 1969. John died 7th June 1970. James died 3rd April 1972.
107. In loving memory of Tim. McKenna, Lisgorriff, Ardcroney, died 1923. His wife Ellen died 1922. His sons, Patrick died 30. 4. 1938. Michael died 7.5. 1961. Stephen died 23.12. 1964. and his daughters, Mary died 23. 12. 1951. Julia died 7. 12. 1958. Margaret died 4.6. 1960. Lena died 12.1.1968. Kate Collins died 22.1. 1970. Philip died 29.9.1976.
108. In loving memory of Timothy McKenna, Summerhill, Nenagh, died 5th May 1947 aged 69 yrs. and his wife Alice died 1st April 1928 aged 52 yrs. Their daughter Mary Anne died 14th June 1925 aged 21 yrs. Their son Philip died 11th Feb. 1969 aged 66 yrs. Their son John died 12th Dec. 1972 and his wife Mary died 13th Jan. 1976.
109. In loving memory of James McKenna, Ballyluskey, who died 23 April 1954 (Marian year) aged 78 years. His brother Michael died 28 June 1917 aged 40 years. His father Philip died 22 Feb 1912 aged 71 years and his mother Bridget died 5 Nov. 1910 aged 65 years. and his wife Minnie died 6 Nov. 1963 aged 78 years. Erected by his wife Minnie,

McMAHON

110. Here lies the body of Catherine McMahon who departed this life Decr. 9th 1778 aged 54 yrs. Also her husband John Delany who departed this life July 12. 1798.

MEAGHER

111. Erected by Mrs. McCready in memory of her father and mother Thomas and

111. Nora Meagher. Her sisters, Nora and Mary Anne. Her brothers, Peter and John and her stepbrother Denis Meagher,

MEALY

112. Erected in memory of Roger Mealy who died Jan. 2. 1793 aged 87 yrs.
 113. Erected by James Mealy in memory of his son Patrick Mealy who departed this life August 1 in the year 1800 aged 22 years. May his soul rest in peace.
 114. Erected by James Mealy of Ballyrourk in memory of his brother Dennis Mealy who depd this life June the 28th A.D. 1829 aged 26 years.

MEARA

115. Pray for the soul of Edmond Meara who died ye 22d of 9 ber 1769 aged 47 years.
 116. Erected by Jams Meara for his son Martin who died Apl. 9th 1798 aged 21 years. May he rest in peace.

MOLONY

117. Erected by Corns. Molony in memory of his beloved father Corns. Molony who died Feb.1. 1849 aged 62 yrs. Also his mother Honora Molony alias Connors who died Feb.1848 aged 51 yrs. Also his son Corns. Molony who died August 1853 aged 2 yrs.

MULCAHY

118. In loving memory of John Mulcahy, Arderoney died 30th Nov. 1970. Also his parents Martin and Julia.

MURPHY

119. Erected by Thady and Michl. Murphy for their father Edmd. Murphy who died May 1791 aged 61 yrs. Their mother Mary Hanly died Apl. 1782 aged 50 yrs.
 120. Erected By James and Theady Murphy in memory of their mother Mary Murphy who depd this life Novr. the 22nd 1824 aged 58 years. Also of their father James Murphy who departed this life Feb. the 23rd 1834 aged 77 years, May they rest in peace.
 121. Sacred to the memory of Patrick Murphy of Ashley Park who departed this life 13th April 1866. Also of his wife Margret who departed May 4th 1859.

NEWSTEAD

122. Here lieth the body of William Newstead Esq. who departed this life the 22nd day of April in the year of Our Lord 1749 aged 95 years.
 123. This stone erected by Thos. Newstead for his family. His daughter Elizabeth died in the 15th year of her age. His wife Eleanor depd this life 10th of Jan 1812 aged 56 years. Himself also the 12 March 1812 aged 54 years. Lord have mercy on their souls.
 124. Here lyeth the bodies of William Newstead and Elinor his wife who departed

124. this life in sure and certain hope of a blessed resurrection through the merits of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.
(NO date appears to have been inscribed on this stone).

PHELAN

Catherine Phelan 1808 see Kennedy no.94.

PURSELL

125. Erected by Dennis Pursell in memory of his brother John Pursell who departed this life Novbr. 18th 1814 aged 19 years. Also of -----
(rest of stone buried).

QUINLAN

126. O eternal God have mercy on the soul of Ann Quinlan, wife to Thoms. Marley, deceased ye 27th July 1770 aged 32 years.

QUINN

127. In loving memory of Michael Quinn, Ballinware, died 11 May 1952 aged 58 and his wife Winifred died 31 May 1968 aged 70. His sister Susan died 13 Oct 1960 aged 68.

REDDAN

Catherine Reddan 1774 see Hough no 76.

Mary Reddan 1780 see Hough no.78.

RICE

128. Sacred to the memory of Peter Rice. Also his wife Elizabeth Rice nee Rourke died March 20th 1882 aged 86 yrs. Also their son Patrick Rice died June 19th 1846 aged 21. and their daughter Margaret Rice died Janry 9th 1889 aged 60. Also their daughter Mary Kennedy nee Rice died Janry 30th 1898 aged 64 yrs. Also her son Francis Kennedy died March 14th 1921 aged 46 yrs. The Lord have mercy on them.

ROURKE

Elizabeth Rice nee Rourke 1882 see Rice no.128.

RYAN

Nuala Ryan 1982 see Kennedy no. 98.

129. Here lies the body of James Ryan who died in August 1769 aged 21.
130. This stone was erected by Danl. Ryan of Johnstown, being his burying place for him & family Janry 22nd 1778.
131. Erected by Danil. Ryan for his son James who died April 1783 ?1788. aged 21 years, May he rest in peace.
132. Michl. Ryan died May 1785 aged 50 years. Also his wife Mary Gaynon died May 1806 aged 65 years. Lord have mercy on them.
133. Erected by John Ryan of Dernaslin in memory of his father Malick. Ryan who depd Feby. 8th 1812 aged 78 yrs. Also his mother Margret Ryan dep. May 12 1811 aged 62 years. Also his sister Judith Ryan depd March 12. 1812 aged 23 years. May they rest in peace.

134. Erected by Daniel Ryan in memory of his father James Ryan who departed this life April the 18th A.D. 1817 aged 48 years. Also his wife Mary Ryan who depd. this life July 25th A.D. 1807 aged 34 years. May they rest in peace.
135. Erected by James Ryan in memory of his father Timothy Ryan who depd this life on tthe 18 day of Febr'y 1826 aged 77 years. Also of his mother Mary Ryan alias Kennedy who depd this life on the 10th day of Feb. 1826 aged 45.
136. Erected by Catherine Ryan of Cooraclevin in memory of her beloved husband Patrick Ryan who depd this life July 21. 1835 aged 35 years.
137. Of your charity pray for the repose of the soul of Mary Francis the dearly beloved wife of Daniel Ryan of Borrisokane whose remains are here deposited , Feb 8th 1870.
Daniel Ryan, Ballycasey died 22 Sept 1974. Requiescant in pace.
138. Erected by Mary Ryan of Nenagh in memory of her husband, Daniel Ryan who died February 13th 1882 aged 71 years. Also the above named Mrs. Ryan died March 27th 1884 aged 67 yrs.
139. Erected by Denis Ryan of Ardcroney in memory of his wife Mary who died March 23. 1884 aged 71 yrs. Also his two sons Patk. and Michl. who died young. The above named Denis Ryan who died Jan'y 2. 1889 aged 88 yrs.
140. In loving memory of Denis Ryan, Claree, died June 20. 1974 aged 74 and his wife Nuala died Dec. 9. 1982 aged 71. Erected by his loving wife Nuala and family.

RYDER

141. Erected by James Ryder in memory of his wife Mary Ryder who died March 15th 1788.

SCULLY

142. This stone was erected by Patrick Scully in memory of his wife Catherine Willes who departed this life Desembr.(sic). ye 20th 1775 aged 50 yrs.
Lord have mercy on her soul.

SLACK

143. Erected by Henry Slack in memory of his father William Slack who depd this life the 1-th day of Febr. 1779 aged 76 years. Erected by George Slack in memory of his father Henry Slack, who depd this life the 30th day of March 1824 aged 63 years.

SPELLANE

144. Erected by Mary Spellane in memory of her husband Edward, died April 15th 1875 aged 69 yrs. Also her son Patrick died April 30th 1852 aged 14 yrs.
May they R.I. peace. Amen.

SMITH

145. Elizabeth Smith died ye 10th May 1766 aged 22 years and James Smith died ye 9 ber 1769 aged 9 years.

STAPLETON

146. Lord have mercy on the soul of Cornelius Stapleton who died Jan 2d 1780 aged 20 yrs & his father Brien Stapleton died 1781 aged 70 yrs. Erected by James & -----Stapleton (rest of stone deeply buried).

SLATTERY

147. Mary Slattery 1873 see Brereton no.9.

TOOHEY / TOOHY

Margaret Hogan alias Toohey 1832 see Hogan no.65.

147. Here lies the body of Patrick Toohey who departed this life Dec. ye ----- aged 37 yrs.
148. Kind reader say Lord receive the soul of Hannah Toohey alias Gaynan who died in May 1793 aged 57 years.
149. Erected by Patrick and Michael in memory of their parents, Father died ?1882 aged 82 years. Mother died ?1885 aged 72 years. by their loving sons, P. & M. Toohey

TOUHY

150. Here lies the body of Anne Touhy otherwise Haugh and her three sons. She departed this life the 24th August 1776 aged 24 yrs. Lord have mercy on her soul.

WALCH

151. Kind reader with a pious intention say O Lord have mercy on the soul of Thoms. Walch who died 1796 aged 33 years.

WALSH

152. This stone was fixt by Darby Hough in memory of his mother Bridget Walsh who died 1785 aged 56 yrs.
153. In loving memory of Captain Thomas Walsh aged 24 years. A brave and gallant officer of the National Army who fell in action in Rearcross on 30th Nov. 1922. God rest his soul. He was fearless in battle and chivalrous to the vanquished. Forget not our noble companion who stood in the day of distress by your side, while the moss of the valley grew red with his blood, he stirred not but conquered and died. His generous friendship shall for all time be treasured by his sorrowing comrades who erect this monument to his memory.

WHELAN

154. Erected by Darius Whelan of Nenagh in memory of his father Edward Whelan who died November 10th 1835 aged ?65 years. His brothers James & John Whelan & infant child Jeremiah who died November 20th 1861, eight days old. Also in memory of his wife Elizabeth Whelan alias Gill who

54. departed this life June 18th 1863 aged 33 yrs.
 55. 17816 Private D.J.Whelan. Royal Army Service Corps. 12th Dec 1918
 aged 41.

WILLES

56. Catherine Willes 1775 see Scully no.142.

MEMORIALS WITHIN THE R. C. CHURCH , ARDCRONEY

1. Sacred to the memory of the Rev. Martin Corbett P.P., of Ardcroney & C----
 who departed this life on the 16th day of February 1843 aged 42 years.
 May he rest in peace.

2. Pray for the soul of the Very Rev. Patrick J. Canon Hogan.
 Born at Ballythomas in this parish, died Parish Priest of Kilrush,
 Co. Clare on April 10th 1937.
 He was a very generous benefactor to this church.

FONT IN GROUNDS OF CHURCH

Erected to the memory of Mr. Heffernan N.T., Ardcroney, who died on
 23rd March 1930, by the Borrisokane & Cloughjordan teachers.

CONGOR GRAVEYARD

This graveyard surrounds the C.ofI. church of Ardcrone; it lies to the right hand side of the main Ardcroney to Borrisokane road. It is a small well kept graveyard containing 23 headstones all of which have been copied.

There are a number of memorials within the church, mainly to members of the Falkiner family of Mt. Falcon. There are some very unusual brass memorials in the church.

Denise Foulkes. 1984.

CONGOR GRAVEYARD

AUSTIN

1. In loving memory of Richard Austin, Soepmoy, died 3 Jan 1959 and his wife Susanne died 26 April 1950. At Rest.

BIDDULPH

2. Erected by their children in memory of Nicholas Biddulph J.P. of Congor House, died 5th April 1888 aged 84 years.
Isabella, his wife died 19th Sept 1888 aged 78 years.
Also Arthur Stuart Biddulph died 7th June 1878 aged 10 years.
3. In memory of Mary Biddulph who died 1st January 1914. Also her sister Annie who died 21st September 1901. Birr View, Birr.
'I am the Resurrection & the Life.'

BLACKWELL

4. In loving memory of Thomas S. Blackwell who died at Ballinderry Park on Dec 21st 1909 aged 64 years.

CLARKE

5. Sacred to the memory of William John, son of W. Clarke of this parish who died Feb 28th 1887 aged 24 years.
6. In loving memory of William Clarke, Cowl who died 20th Jan 1919 aged 89 years.
Also his wife Rebecca who died 23rd Jan 1925 aged 88 yrs. And their son Richard who fell in France, 20th Oct 1916 aged 38 years.

DAVIDGE

7. In never fading memory of my beloved husband, Henry Nelson Davidge, and our dearly loved and only son, Henry Sandys Davidge.
'Father in Thy gracious keeping, leave we now our loved ones sleeping'

DENNISON

8. In loving memory of Hugh Dennison, Kylenagoona, Borrisokane who departed this life 21st Nov 1919.
Also his wife Margaret Jane who died 3rd Feb 1930.
Their son Albert who died 18th July 1976. 'Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.'
Erected by their daughters and son, Edith, Mrs. Stanley and Albert.

DONALDSON

9. In loving memory of George Donaldson, Finnore, died 26th Feb 1953.
His wife Evelyn died 3 March 1975 age 84.
His sister Annie died 30 March 1966.

FALKNER

10. Carissimae, Purissimae, Dulcissimae Adelaide Matildae uxori meae te revisurus hoc (spei signum) tibi interim posui.
Sacred to the memory of Adelaide Matilda Falkner, wife of Fredk. R. Falkner, Recorder of Dublin. Daughter of Thos Sadleir Esq. formerly

10. of Ballinderry Park. Born 8th Oct 1831. Died 2nd June 1877.
'Sleep on, beloved, sleep on take thy rest, lay down thy head upon thy Saviour's breast. We love thee well but Jesus loves thee best, Good Night, only Good Night, beloved not farewell, a little while and all His saints shall dwell in hallowed union indivisible, Good Night. Until we meet again before His throne clothed in the spotless robe He gives His own, until we know even as we are known. Good Night.
11. Sacred to the memory of thr Revd R.D.Falkner, Vicar of this Parish for 20 years. Departed this life Nov 4th 1871.
This tablet erected as a mark of regard by a friend.
12. In loving memory of Richard Henry Falkner, J.P.,D.I.,of Mount Falcon, in this parish who entered into the higher life 10th Oct 1907 aged 80 years. 'Come unto Me ye weary and I will give you rest.'
Also of Ellen Jane Falkner, wife of the above, died 12th April 1924 aged 75 years. 'Peace, perfect Peace.'
- GILFILLAN
13. In loving memory of Thomas Gilfillan of Kyle Park who departed this life Sept 8th 1887 aged 70 years.
Also John James Gilfillan, his son who died Oct 29th 1881 aged 12 years and his wife Sarah died April 20 .1920.
Their children: Sarah, Margaret, Thomas, Samuel, Matilda.
And their aunt Jane Wilson.
- GREY
14. Erected by Jane E. Hyde in loving memory of her parents, Thomas R. Grey and Frances his wife.
Also deceased members of their family.
'Until the day break and the shadows flee away.'
- HYDE
See Grey No. 14.
- JAMESON
15. In loving memory of John Jameson. Born at Overgrass, Northumberland August 5th 1827. Died at Hilton, Cloughjordan January 21st 1892.
- McLEAN
16. In loving memory of James McLean of Ballyrickard died 27th Nov 1920 aged 74 years. Also his daughter Sophie Louise died 2nd Aug 1931. And of his wife Christina (Dina) who passed away on the 25th Nov 1933. 'Until the day dawns and the shadows flee away.'
17. In loving memory of James Jacob McLean of Ballyrickard House who departed this life Feb 18. 1976, aged 90 years.

ROGERS

18. In loving memory of our devoted Aunt Mary, daughter of Rev John Rogers who fell asleep in Jesus, April 28.1906.
 'In rapturous awe on Him to gaze, who bought the sight for me and shout and wonder at His Grace to all eternity.'

RUSSELL

19. In loving memory of William John Russell of Ballinderry Park, who died 22nd April 1909 aged 90 years.

SADLEIR

See Falkner NO.10
 See Saunders No. 20.

SAUNDERS

20. Sacred to the memory of Owen Saunders Esq. Largy, Co. Cavan, died 26th Nov 1851 aged 62 yrs.
 Also to Eleanor Elimina, relict of the late Thomas Sadleir Esq. of Ballinderry & eldest daughter of the above Owen Saunders, died 1st of Aug 1863 aged 62 yrs.
 Also to Alice Caroline Saunders, second daughter of Edward Saunders Esq of Ballinderry Park who died 11th of Oct 1865 aged 15yrs.
 Also Henry Owen Saunders Esq J.P. of Kilavalla who died 30th of April 1880 aged 75 years.
21. In loving memory of Ellen Saunders wife of Captain E.H.Saunders of Kilavalla, Borrisokane who died on 21st April 1909.
22. In loving memory of Edward Henry Saunders, Captain 5th Lancers & 8th Hussars, Kilavalla, Borrisokane, who died on the 21st April 1911 aged 72 years.

STANLEY

See Dennison No.8.

WILSON

See Gilfillan No.13.

DALTON

23. Sacred to the memory of William Dalton Esqr.who died at Claremont, Co. Tipperary on the 28th day of October 1862 aged 66 years.

MEMORIALS INSIDE CONGOR CHURCH.

BIDDULPH

1. Sacred to the memory of Annie Biddulph died September 21.1901.

FALKINER

2. In loving memory of Travers Hartley Falkiner, Civil Engineer.
Born July 1829, died Oct 1897. Good son, good brother, good friend.
In a long and earnest life he was engaged in the construction of many public works at home and abroad, including the M.G.W. main line, its Sligo, Liffey, Galway and Cliften and Ballina and Killala branches. The railways from Zurich to Coire Switzerland, Didcot to Winchester England. The Forth Bridge, Scotland. The Rathmines Waterworks, Pembroke Drainage and Drumcondra Link line, Dublin, and the light railways Headfort to Kenmare and Killorglin to Waterville in Kerry. A loving relative, a generous and considerate employer, he had the affection of all his many friends and the confidence and respect of all who served him.

'Father in Thy gracious keeping, leave we now Thy servant sleeping.'

3. In loving memory of Georgina, wife of Richard H. Falkiner of Mount Falcon, daughter of Thomas Sadleir of Ballyderry Park. B.1832 D. 1891. Loving, faithful, gentle, beloved, when I wake up after Thy likeness I shall be satisfied.

Also of Richard Travers, eldest and only surviving son of the above Richard and Georgina, B.1866. D. 1881. Seventh of his name in lineal descent, of high promise, the hope of his family; he was taken to God in the flower of his boyhood to the inexpressible grief of his sorrowing parents. 'The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away, Blessed be the name of the Lord.'

Also of Tempe, eldest daughter of the above Richard and Georgina. B. 1860 . D. 1899. 'Nearer my God to Thee, nearer to Thee, even though it be a Cross that raiseth me.'

4. Sacred to the memory of Frederick Richard Falkiner, Knt. P.C., K.C. Recorder of Dublin 1876...1905., who died at Madeira 22nd March 1908, aged 72 years. 3rd son of Richard Falkiner of Mount Falcon, D.1833, and Tempe his wife D. 1838.
And of Adelaide Matilda, his wife who died in Dublin 2nd June 1877, daughter of Thomas Sadleir of Ballinderry House, buried in the vault adjoining. Also of their two elder sons : Frederick Richard Henry Falkiner, Lieutenant Royal Horse Artillery, drowned at Kirkee, India, 20th April 1888 trying to save a friend, aged 26 years. And Caesar Litton Falkiner, Barrister at Law, assistant legal Commissioner, Irish Land Commission, killed by a fall near Chamonix, 5th August 1908 aged 44 years. Erected by the surviving children of the above named Frederick & Adelaide Falkiner A.D. 1910.

4. Sacred to the memory of the Revd Travers Hartley Falkiner, M.A., T.C.D., sometime Captain of the Connaught Rangers, 94th Regt. who died at Melbourne, Australia on 18th May 1932 aged 60 years, youngest son of the above Frederick & Adelaide Falkiner.

5. In the family vault in the adjacent churchyard lie the mortal remains of Robina Hall Falkiner, born McIntire, the beloved wife of Sir Frederick R. Falkiner, K.C. Recorder of Dublin. She died 14 February 1895. Noblest, truest, tenderest; high souled and yet most humble; in her last long painful illness of three years, she walked down the valley erect and undaunted, utterly trusting in her Lord and Saviour and in adoring hope of the Resurrection through Him.

SADLEIR
6.

Sacred to the memory of Thomas Sadleir Esqr of Ballinderry House and Castletown in this County, who departed this life the 15th July 1863. Also of Eleanor Elimina, his wife who died the 1st August in the same year. This tablet is erected to their memory by their affectionate children. 'Forever with the Lord. Amen, so let it be life from the dead is in that word and immortality.'

SAUNDERS

7. Sacred to the memory of Caroline Weldale Saunders, died at Guilford Surrey, April 27 .1901.

STAINED GLASS WINDOW

To the Glory of God and in loving memory of Tempe Falkiner, nee Litton, wife of Richard Falkiner, Mount Falcon, born July 1796, died January 1888. Optima Femina. Optima Mater.



