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[TEMPLEMALEY GRAVEYARD BAREFIELD, CO.CLARE]

Transcriptions of the older burials from the 1800's

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Note: Numbers in pictures relate to the grave records

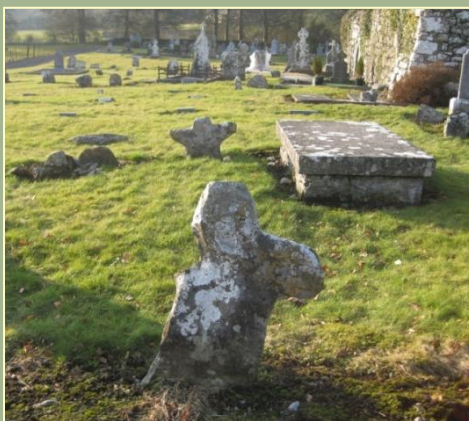
Introduction



Templemaley Graveyard

When undertaking this survey it was decided to concentrate on recording the transcriptions from the older burials (1800s) as many of the inscriptions are fading. The volume of modern graves and the numerous markers that have been put in place by various families for future burials are extensive and can be recorded at a later stage. We photographed a selection of unmarked stones protruding above the surface of the graveyard of an indeterminate age. These are often unmarked memorials that indicate the location of people who could not afford the costs of an inscribed memorial. This is one of the reasons why no small stones should ever be moved from the surface of the graveyard. We also noted two stone crosses at the south-eastern end of the graveyard which appear to be very ancient. There are a few substantial tombs and the workmanship on the various gravestones is varied and well executed.

Individuals doing genealogical research the smallest of links cannot be overlooked, so we have included information on the big houses in the area together with reports from journals of the time associated with the various families. We have also included the Ballyhea Cutting in recognition



Stone Crosses

of the eighty-four men who worked on this remarkable feat of engineering and no doubt many are now resting beside it.

We hope that our recordings will be of help to the local community and to genealogists who may be able to fill in the gaps we were unable to fill.

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The Parish of Templemaley (Medieval)

The Parish of Templemaley, in the Barony of Upper Bunratty and County of Clare, is bounded on the north and west by the River Fergus, on the east by the Parish of Kilraghtis and on the south by the Parish of Doora in the same Barony and by the River Fergus, and the Parish of Drumcliff in the Barony of Islands.

The name of this Parish is of ecclesiastical origin, and is called in the Irish language Teampall-Ua-Mhaille, i.e., O'Malley's Church, but who this Malley was, nobody knows. He may also have founded an early church at Kilmaley and his name is remembered in the earlier name of Fountain townland in Drumcliff parish, Tobermaley.⁽¹⁾ It is referred to as Tubbermaley in the Books of Survey and Distribution.⁽²⁾ St. Fingin of Quin whose feast-day was celebrated here is another possibility.⁽³⁾ Mention of Ecclesia Imaili in the Papal Taxation of 1302-1306 probably provides us with the first historical reference to the existence of this church.⁽⁴⁾

Templemaley Graveyard

Templemaley graveyard is bounded on the north west by the river Fergus and on the south east by Ballyalla estate and measures, ns 81m and ew 99m. It is surrounded by a stone wall and an iron railing. The entrance has two stone gate piers and a modern turnstile.



Hanging eye- west door

The church is in good condition and in its present form it dates largely from the fifteenth century, though some parts may

be older. The entrance is located in the south wall, and is pointed on the outside and flat-headed with lintel on the inside. There are two windows also situated in the south wall, one of which is of simple construction. The second window, which is located at the eastern end, is round-headed, and consists of large sub-rectangular blocks with a large sill stone forming the base of the window. Although one side of this window has broken away, there is some very interesting decoration to be seen near the top of it. Two incised lines on both sides of the arch and a plait-like motif are recognisable, and form part of an intricate decorative detail, which though now difficult to discern, may date back to the twelfth century. The east window has a wide embrasure on the inside, and the outside is constructed with cut limestone, featuring a neatly recessed moulding that forms the long narrow light.⁽⁵⁾

Ballyhea Cutting



Ballyhea Cutting

Close to the graveyard at the bridge spanning the river Fergus is a remarkable feat of engineering which dates from the post-Famine era. It is generally referred to as the Ballyhea Cutting. The bridge that spans the lower end of the cutting was

built at the same time; consist of a single elliptical arch on a twenty foot span raised on a rock formation and affording twenty-foot breath of roadway. The Ballyhea cutting was commenced in 1848 and lasted for several years. The work was done to eliminate severe flooding in the Clonteen area. The river, prior to this cutting was divided and a dry bridge can still be seen at Ballyalla and at Drumcliff.⁽⁶⁾

The Ballyhea cutting is a half mile in length, it is forty six feet in depth and it took four years to complete. The upper portion of the channel is faced with regular shaped limestone blocks. It was very beneficial to the area reducing the depth of the Clonteen lake by several feet. Eighty four men were permanently employed on this job, on task work for about ten pence per day which would be subsequently raised to a shilling.⁽⁷⁾

Ballyalla House



Ballyalla House, 1902 (courtesy of Veronica Rowe)

Ballyalla House, which was once associated with the Stacpoole family and Templemaley was their final resting place (see transcriptions and newspaper cuttings). Hugh W. L. Weir in his book *Houses of Clare* 1985⁽⁸⁾ describes Ballyalla House as an eighteenth-century, two storied, three bay, gable-ended house

facing east, with an interesting central fan and side lit front door. It has six pane sash windows, and there are chimney stacks in the gables. There is an equally proportioned four bay return to the rear, with Wyatt windows on the ground floor. A magnificent vista stretches to the south over a lawn and gardens to Ballyalla lake and the River Fergus valley. Yard and farm buildings are situated to the north. A long tree lined avenue leads from the wide gateway, with its single storey gate lodge to the south-east.

Families associated with the house, Cuffe, Petersham, Cramer, **Stacpoole**, Kerin, O'Brien, Wordsworth, Harper, White, and Costelloe. The house has been reconstructed and the original gateway and gate lodge survive.⁽⁹⁾

In 1766, John Cramer of Ballyalla was given the Freedom of Ennis, and in **1803 Andrew Stacpoole** of Ballyalla married Bridget, daughter of Laurence Comyn. Over seven thousand acres were owned by William Stacpoole, JP., M.P., late Captain in the Clare Militia of Ballyalla in 1878. He married Mary Hennessy of Leamington, Warwick. In 1898, Robert and Florence Vere O'Brien moved from New Hall (q.v.). Robert, nephew of William Smith O'Brien, was Clerk of the Peace at Ennis Courthouse. Florence had founded the Limerick Lace School in 1893 and the Clare Embroidery in 1894. In 1912 the County Clare Sanatorium was opened on the property. This wooden building was demolished by fire in the 1920s. In 1953 the Wordsworths were in residence. In the 1970s the Whites totally reconstructed the interior, as well as making other alterations, such as the relocation of the front door. The Siege of Ballyalla took place on this demesne (1642) and all that

remains of the ancient castle today is a mound. There is reputed to be a ghost in the form of a "pleasant little old lady", which people used to meet on the stairs.⁽¹⁰⁾

Templemaley House

Templemaley House was another substantial mid-nineteenth-century, two-storey house about which little can be ascertained. It reputedly faced south-west and had a small yard backed with utility buildings behind. It was approached by drives from the south-west and east. There was a gate lodge at the entrance to the former. To-day all that remains are some walls standing, original gateway but no gates and yards and walls of some utility buildings.⁽¹¹⁾

In 1855, John Enright held the house, gate lodge, offices and the hundred and forty-two acre farm in fee. He also held the four acre Clonteen Lough. The house and buildings were then valued at thirty pounds per annum. Twenty three years later, John Enright, J.P., of Templemaley, owned a total of five hundred and forty-five acres with a rateable valuation of £272. Some say that the name Enright is synonymous with Hanratty. It may derive from MacKenraghty, which is still prevalent in County Kerry. The Enrights have certainly been in the area since Cornet Enratt (sic) was taken up for treason in 1702, and since Alice Enright married Thomas Harold in the early eighteenth century. Their daughter, Christina, died in 1764. The Enright property included Trinaderry House (q.v.), which was built for a younger son. Bagot Blood, who lived here in the early twentieth century, was a J.P. and High Sheriff in 1883.⁽¹²⁾

It is interesting to note, that while the Enright family had extensive property in

Templemaley there is no evidence of their burials in Templemaley Graveyard. According to local lore the Enright family were not considered good landlords and are reputedly buried in Andrew Kerin's tomb. An entry in the Clare Journal ties in the family connection:

"Death as recorded in Clare Journal, Ennis, Monday October 1 1849

On Thursday last, at Templemaley House, the seat of her son-in-law. Ellen, relic of the late Andrew Kerin, of Ballyaly, Esq".

(Ellen's burial is not inscribed on the Kerin vault).

Other references to the Enright's arises during the agrarian conflicts, the Terry Alts, the secret society founded in the 1820s associated with County Clare: during the second week of January 1831, a large crowd assembled on the lands of John Enright of Ballyalla, about three miles north of Ennis, in the barony of Islands ⁽¹³⁾. The party, armed with crowbars, destroyed a mile long boundary wall, some out-offices lately built and a four acre plantation of young trees. Before departing they fired several shots into the air. The Clare Journal had no doubt about the reason for the attack and described Enright, a respected and fair minded agent and an employer of several labourers, who had had lately left the Roman church⁽¹⁴⁾. Shortly after this the rates of wages paid to labourers came under scrutiny by the Terry Alts, during 1831, notices were posted throughout the county warning the peasantry not to work for less than one shilling per day⁽¹⁵⁾. The intimidation of labourers caused serious losses to the land owners. Enright and his family moved to Ennis for safety. Residing but a few miles from his property, he tried to exert some

limited control over it, but to no avail. His labourers were too afraid to bring potatoes into town for him and when a party of the military went out to get them they were fired on by the 'Terries'⁽¹⁶⁾. At a time when there was a decline in serious crime connected with the Whiteboy or Terry Alt groups, an attempt was made on the life John Enright of Templemaley, in July 1848 and there was also an attack on cars bringing meal to Harley's brewery in Ennis⁽¹⁷⁾. Neither attempt succeeded. As already stated there was a decline in serious crime with just the few scattered incidents associated with Whiteboy or Terry Alt crime in 1848 and 1849. The incidents were relatively minor, botched and half-hearted, as if those involved no longer had the spirit or indeed the physical strength to carry them out⁽¹⁸⁾. Serious crime of this period carries about it an air of fatalism, with the perpetrators having little to loose by being caught. Being convicted for many of those tried improved their circumstances and many of the apprehended parties sought transportation or committed the crimes in the first place so they would be jailed or transported⁽¹⁹⁾.

A book titled: Los Angeles from the mountains to the sea fills in further gaps in this family history:⁽²⁰⁾

Kathleen Alice Averill is one of the most competent businesswomen in Los Angeles. Her family name was Enright. She was born at her father's estate Templemaley near the town of Ennis in County Clare, Ireland. Her father, Captain Andrew Enright of the Clare Militia, afterwards the London Irish Rifles, was also born at Templemaley. Her mother was Alice Greenhill, a native of Canonbury Park, Islington, London and daughter of William Greenhill, senior member of the firm of Greenhill Brothers

of the London Stock Exchange. Alice Greenhill had one sister who married Alfred Cellier, a famous operatic composer of London and a close friend of Sir Arthur Sullivan, the composer. The marriage of Mrs. Averill's parents was a runaway match of somewhat romantic character. On both sides there were objections because of the youth of the pair. They eloped from Ireland, were married in London at St. John's church, Norfolk Square, and set sail immediately for New Zealand on a sail boat, sailing vessels at that time constituting the only means of transportation to that faraway country. They reached Dunedin, New Zealand, in exactly three months from the day they set sail from London. Captain, Enright took up sheep farming on a large scale, and they lived in the wilds of New Zealand for three years. The oldest brother of Mrs. Averill was born there. In the meantime there had been a family reconciliation, and Captain Enright being an only son and child returned to Ireland at the earnest request, of his parents. When they returned to Ireland they had travelled completely around the world on a sailing vessel. Captain Enright then built up another family estate in County Clare adjoining that of his father. On the death of his parents he inherited the entire estate, and became a large landed proprietor. His individual property he called Trinaderry. He and his family including Mrs. Averill were wonderfully happy for a number of years. Captain Enright like all the other proprietors of landed estates in Ireland at that time was boycotted, but manfully tried to overcome the deplorable conditions under which the landed gentry of Ireland were obliged to live. Finally Kathleen Alice and her two brothers, very

young children, were deliberately set upon and stoned by the boycotting peasants, and would probably have been killed had not several of the police known as Irish Constabulary, then billeted in temporary barracks on the Enright estate, came to their rescue.

In disgust at this circumstance Captain Enright moved to England to a beautiful home called Kempston Lodge, in the village of Kempston, in Bedfordshire. From private tutors at home Kathleen Alice was sent to complete her education at a private college in the town of Bedford called Madame de Marchots French Protestant College. She graduated there at the age of sixteen. Two years later her father having in the meantime gone on the London Stock Exchange risked his fortune and lost, the entire family immigrated to America direct to San Diego, California.

The final chapters of Templemaley House are recorded in **The Clare Journal Monday Evening August 23 1897:**

To Be Let, Templemaley House. With the Lawn, Paddocks, and Kitchen Garden attached, containing about twenty five statute acres, or thereabouts. Templemaley is situated within easy distance of the town, about a quarter of an hour's drive from Ennis Railway Station. The house is a fine three storied residence, which has always been in first class repair. It was lately held by Bagot Blood, Esq, and Rev. M. Carey, P.P. Immediate possession will be given. For details particulars apply to Denis McInerney, Market Street, Ennis.

The Clare Journal, July 13 1913:

Clare Mansion Burned to the Ground. Contents saved. A disastrous fire occurred

on Monday afternoon at Templemaley House, the residence of Mr. F. N. Studdert, Secretary of the Clare Co. Council, over three miles from Ennis to the north west, involving the total destruction of a fine pile of building of which nothing was left but the blackened walls. Fortunately, and it may be said, owing to the hour that which the conflagration occurred, it was possible to save all the more valuable contents, including the massive furniture. Still a considerable amount of property was lost.

The fire originated in the upper storey, immediately under the roof and when discovered by one of the servants a little after three o'clock in the afternoon, must then have got firm hold, judging by the rapidity with which it spread. For some time previously there had been a strong smell of smoke perceptible, but its source could not be traced until at length smoke was seen to arise from the roof, and issuing through the interstices between the slating. Michael Moran, the coachman, who happened to be in the motor house at the time, was called by the domestics, and he made his way to the upper part of the house and endeavoured to trace the seat of danger, and eventually succeeded in locating it, as well as he could judge in the space over the governess' room in the upper story, and between the roof of the room and the slates. The alarm having being raised, a number of people from the neighbourhood around quickly collected, and one of the earliest on the scene was Mr. Kavanagh, the gardener at Ballyalla. Moran, Kavanagh, and some willing helpers, made their way to the spot where the blaze was located, and threw a quantity of water on the place, but there was an utter inadequacy of water, and what was thrown on the burning centre

was instantly converted into steam, which drove the rescuing party back. A patent fire extinguisher was brought from the motor-house by Moran, but it too, failed to give the desired result. The tank which gave a supply of water through the house was so situated under the main roof that it was not feasible to get a sufficient service from it for fire fighting purposes, and the fine well in the yard which gave a supply for domestic purposes was also difficult to work. A messenger was despatched in hot haste to the Clare Lunatic Asylum for their fire engine, but when it arrived which it did in a remarkably short time it was practically of no use in combating the flames through the insufficiency of water. Meanwhile some of the rescuing party had got on to the roof, under which the flames were now heard roaring fiercely, but they were virtually helpless, as they were without any means of extinguishing the blaze. When this was realised and it was seen that nothing short of a miracle could save the building, all efforts were concentrated on removing the contents with the utmost despatch, as the fire was developing towards the lower storeys with much rapidity. With the assistance of many willing hands, splendid efforts were made, and nearly all the heavy furniture, pictures, carpets and other contents of the lower parts were removed and piled out on the lawn at a safe distance from the house, which was now blazing forth fiery tongues of flame and dense volumes of smoke, which were visible for miles around. One of the earliest on the scene was Hon. Edward O'Brien, who had been motoring in the vicinity, and he gave valuable assistance in the struggle against the fire fiend.

At the time of the outburst, Mr. Studdert was engaged in his offices at the

Courthouse, and word was brought to him by Moran, the.....and he was very quickly on the scene, but even then it was evident that the house was doomed to destruction. The flames continued to rage furiously throughout the evening until floor after floor collapsed and eventually the roof fell and with a resounding crash sending sheets of flame and myriads of glowing sparks skywards. Soon nought was left but the charred and.....? a melancholy reminder of the tragic fate of one of the finest mansions around this district.

Templemaley House was built some eighty years ago, or so, by the late John Enright, and Mr. Studdert went into residence some time after the death of Mr. Bagot Blood. It was a fine three-storied mansion, built on square lines in admirable condition, and prettily situated in a nicely-wooded locality in which it was a conspicuous feature. A good deal of wood was noticed to have been used in the walls over-openings and such spots and it is believed that there must have been some timber under a flue which somehow became ignited. This is assigned as a cause for the conflagration.

There is a general regret of its destruction and widespread sympathy with the tenant Mr. Studdert on the great loss, trouble and inconvenience he has sustained as well as the owner, Mr. McInerney on the heavy loss involved in the disaster. There were insurances on both the buildings and the contents but we are unable to say what relation these bear to the actual loss which naturally is very considerable. At the time Mrs. Studdert was not at home having left for London on Saturday evening but we understand she at once returned to Ennis on getting an intimation of the alarming occurrence.

According to local information, the piers and gates from Templemaley House are now at the entrance to Doora church, but parish records attribute them to Dromconora House, the former residence of the O'Loughlin family.

Edmund Lenihan, A Survey of Otherwordly Clare⁽²¹⁾ records the following incidents:

Templemaley House. Haunted. Also cursed by friars: old mistress of house refused to allow them to walk through grounds. They promised that before a year was out the crows would be flying through it. House burned suddenly a short time later; completely destroyed.

Journal Reports

“Marriage (Ennis Chronicle, Wednesday October 24 1827)

On Monday morning last, in Clare Church, by the Rev. Frederick Blood, Robert Ledger, of Limerick, Esq. To Jane, daughter of Andrew Kerin, of Ballyally, in this County, Esq”.

Died (The Clare Journal, 18 August 1831

On Monday, at Glenview, near Limerick, the residence of his son-in-law, Robert Ledger, Esq., of a painful and protracted illness. **Andrew Kerin, Esq.**, late of Ballyally, in the county; Gentleman whose death is a source of deep affliction to a numerous and attached family, and of sincere regret to a wide circle of friends and acquaintance. Yesterday his remains were conveyed through this town, to be interred in the family burying-place at Templemaley. (**Burial No. 1**)



No.1 Kerin Tomb

Death (The Clare Journal, October 1855)

At the residence of J. Enright, Esq., Templemaley House, Miss Powell, at an advanced age. (**Burial No. 62**)



Nos 60,61,62 Fanny Powell, Jane Howell and James Menzies

Death (The Clare Journal, Monday April 2 1877)

March-31st., in Jail Street Mary, eldest daughter of the late William Burton of Clifdon, County Clare Esq., funeral will take place on Wednesday 4th instant, at 12 o'clock. (**Burial No. 64**)

Died (The Clare Journal, Monday Evening April 22 1878)

Whitty-At Ennis College, of croup, Edward Bovill, eldest and dearly loved son of J L Whitty. (**Burial No. 51**)

Died (The Clare Journal, Thursday Evening May 2 1878) (Burial No. 51)

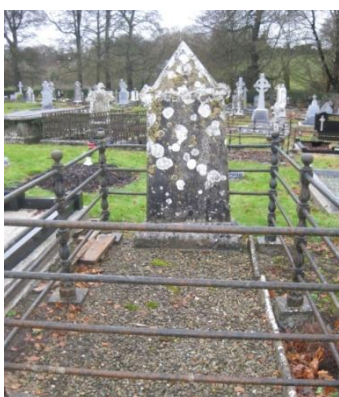
Whitty-April 28, at the College, Ennis, Noel John Bovill, second and only remaining son of John Langley Whitty, aged 4 months.



No 51 Edward Bovill Whitty

Fatal Accident (The Clare Journal and Ennis Advertiser, Ennis, Monday, Dec. 15, 1879, James Butler) (Burial No. 53)

We regret to have to record another, but on this occasion a fatal accident that occurred on the ice at Ballyalla Lake. Whilst a number of pupils of the Erasmus Smith School were skating on Thursday evening one of them- a lad named Irwin-unfortunately fell through the ice and was drowned before assistance could be procured. Almost immediately after he had fallen in Mr T. Griffin plunged in after, at the imminent risk of his life, but could render him no assistance as he had evidently sunk. The body was recovered on Friday morning, and an inquest



No 53 James Butler

subsequently held, the verdict being that of, "accidental drowning, with a rider eulogising the conduct of Mr. Griffin, and, also commending that of Messrs M, Kenny and T, Pilkington.

Funeral of Captain Stacpoole, M.P. (The Clare Journal, Monday Evening July 21 1879)

The following funeral oration was delivered by the Rev Canon Dwyer, at the interment of the late Captain Stacpoole, M.P. (Burial No. 38)

The Rev Canon Dwyer said a painful duty devolved on him, but although the weather was so inclement, he cannot allow the occasion to pass by without saying a few words in reference to William Stacpoole, whose confined remains are now before us. That something ought to be said is evident from the fact that into this old churchyard were gathered men from all parts of this country, men of classes and opinions, of all races and creeds, to pay all the tributes of sincere sorrow and full respect for, William Stacpoole. This was an Irish country gentleman, a landlord whose name and face had a place and associations with the Ireland of long ago. But it was not a paltry ambition that sent him into the field of political life, nor had he need to add to the broad circuit of his ancestral acres, nor sought he at all to transmit titles of honour to his family, and glorify his race. What impressed him to take the course he chose, was the desire to serve his country and to do good offices to his neighbours in his day and generation. And when we look upon his capacity for influence and compare it with the results which are so obvious, his great and long and growing success in this respect were due, not to any great genius, not to any high oratory-things which he never in the slightest degree pretended to possess. His success was due to totally different causes. In Parliament he exercised this special political power and when it was pronounced there "that he made many

friends, but no enemies," every one felt the correctness of this opinion. Here at home he exercised it too, it need hardly be said to you, and the respect of his success in this newly developed line of political power was the union of a spirit of mainly toleration, with the practical activity of a kindly beneficence. His toleration was all the more genuine as he held opinions of his own firmly enough, acted firmly upon them too. His charity was unmistakeable also as it reached to opponents as well as to supporters during his long career. And thus it was that William Stacpoole was a power, and his departure was mourned as a loss. A loss indeed it was for he by that special power which he possessed, so carried into uniform action, on the motto of his armorial emblazonment "I die for those I love" that in this poor country of ours in which there are so many differences of opinion, there is so much of misunderstanding between races and classes and political doctrinaires and religious professions, that William Stacpoole who had made himself for years an uniting power, a link of love, a bend of affinity is now felt to have been a power and is by us deplored as an irreparable loss in our midst. This is a great sore loss, the loss of one whose promise it was in no slender degree to soften political and social religious asperities and to teach and to draw men into the love of one another and to the working for good in behalf of this poor afflicted and distracted county of ours. And thus it was that his life passed not away without leaving a lesson, and the memory of his goodness will need no written history to perpetrate the love and trust and those bonds of unity with which he drew us all towards one another and to himself as a centre of loving trust. This life

is our and probation for eternity. We are here in the light of a divine covenant love sealed with Blood Divine and we are impressed towards goodness by an infinite power, and it is ours to go on our way rejoicing. Each one, faithfully doing his duty to his God and to his country, as our friend has shown us the noble example. Farewell, dear William Stacpoole (apostrophized Rev Canon) may we meet in the blest kingdom full of joy, and love in the Home of our Father and the city of our Good.

Death (The Clare Journal, Thursday Evening, January 13 1898). (Burial No. 38)

Death and Funeral of Mrs. Stacpoole, Ballyalla. We regret to announce the death of Mrs Stacpoole, Ballyalla, widow of the late Capt. William Stacpoole, for years member of Parliament for the old borough of Ennis. The sad event took place on Saturday morning, after an illness of several weeks duration, the result it was stated of a chill contracted recently. The deceased lady for a time after the death of her late husband resided in England, but for some years past she lived at Ballyalla, taking very little part in social life. She was kind and charitable to a degree, and will be much missed by the poor of the district.

The funeral took place on Monday, when the remains were removed for interment to the family vault at Templemaley cemetery. There was a representative attendance.

Amongst those who were present were the following:- Messrs T.G. Stacpoole Mahon, D.L., R. J. Stacpoole, D.L., R. Lane Joynt, J.P., R. R.Studdert, J.P., Fred N. Studdert, F.B. Keane, Fref G. Kerin, sol.' Dr. Stacpoole Westropp, Dr. Gilbert, C.G. Mahon, J.L. Wright, John Cullinan, R.W. Greene, M.

Glynn, P.L.G., P. Ryan, P.L.G., Dr. R. P. Gelston, M. O'Brien, Lisdoonvarna: P. O'Loughlen, do: W. D. Stevens, E.T. Stevens, P. Considine, D. Hassett, Geo Mulcahy, J. Kerin, J. Sheehy, Thos. Hogan, Thos. Purcell, P. O'Dea, Michael Moran, D. Daffey, John Lyons, John Hanrahan, etc.,

Carriages were sent by Most. Rev Dr MacRedmond, Mr. Mahon, D.L., Captain Parkinson, Mrs Stacpoole, etc.

The chief mourners were-Miss Stacpoole, daughter, and Miss O'Loughlin

The clergymen present were-Rev M. Carey, P.P., Doorra, and Rev Father O'Dea; and Rev Dr Griffith, Rector, Ennis.

The funeral arrangements were carefully carried out by Messrs Morgan McInerney and Sons, Ennis.



No. 38 Stackpoole M.P.

Death (The Clare Journal, Monday Evening, May 24, 1880). (Burial No. 60)

Death of James Menzies, Esq., Manager Provincial Bank. Grief and gloom are on our town! The kind, the generous, the warm-hearted James Menzies is no more.

There are few throughout the county to whom, this announcement will not bring a pang of sincere regret. Connected, as-Manager, with the Ennis branch of the Provincial Bank since its establishment,

now over 40 years ago, Mr. Menzies had become, as it were its very personification, and so intimately associated was he with the county, and so largely had he engrossed its sympathies, that the institution he so effectively managed was popularly know as "Mr Menzies Bank," and as well might the stability of the Bank of England be questioned as a shadow of doubt raised respecting the integrity of one who was regarded as the very embodiment of honour, as he certainly was of a thorough business capacity. Nor was the trust so implicitly r.po.ed? in him "a mere exaggeration of his sterling attributes". It was the natural outcome of his unfailing courtesy, and of that kindness to those of the poorer classes, whose interests seemed to be his own, so largely and so sympathetically did he share in them. In a word he was essentially the poor man's friend and probably no more conclusive evidence of the fact can be adduced than the circumstance that throughout the years immediately succeeding the famine, and since that fearful epoch, he never harassed any of those whom necessity had made his clients, and never instituted in a court of justice proceedings that he knew could only result in expense to those whose interests, as we have said, he always identified himself with. He was ever assiduously devoted to business, and never in its transaction combined suavity of manner, innate kindness with a thorough knowledge of its minutest details. It was no wonder then he was esteemed so largely, and largely and generally esteemed he undoubtedly was. In his domestic relations his kindness of heart was even more fully betrayed, and in this respect, as in his public capacity, it might be said of him that though "wise as the serpent he was

harmless as the dove." Of late his health had been failing, and some weeks ago he had resigned his position as manager, an office in which he is succeeded by Mr. Simms, of whom we may *en passant* say that no higher compliment to his efficiency could be given by the Directors than his appointment to succeed such a man as the late Mr. Menzies. The funeral will leave Bindon-street on Friday at 3 o'clock.

Burials No. 48 and 49 O'Brien and Keppie and their association with Clare Embroidery. The following extract is by kind permission of Veronica Rowe, who produced a booklet on Clare Embroidery. Veronica is the grand-daughter of Mrs. Florence Vere O'Brien.⁽²²⁾

The first "Clare Embroidery" class was started by Mrs. Florence Vere O'Brien with the help of a talented young Scottish needlewoman, Mina Keppie, at Newhall, Ennis, in 1895. Florence Vere O'Brien was born Florence Arnold and was the granddaughter of Dr Thomas Arnold of Rugby. Both her father, a Director of Education in the Punjab, and her mother, had died young, leaving four orphaned children. Florence, her sister and two brothers were sent home from India and were adopted by their aunt, Jane Arnold, and her husband, William E. Forster. In 1880 Mr Forster was appointed Chief Secretary of Ireland, and came to live in Dublin with his family. It was during this time that Florence met Robert Vere O'Brien - a young barrister from Limerick, son of Robert O'Brien of Dromoland. They were married in 1883 and came to live in Old church, Limerick.

Florence, with her educational and political background, her long training in community service and her considerable

artistic ability, became involved with the revival of the Limerick lace craft, and the founding of a lace school. In 1890 the Vere O'Brien's and their children moved to Newhall, near Ennis, where Robert worked as Clerk of the Peace at the Courthouse. While continuing her work with the Limerick lace, Florence became deeply involved with her "Clare Embroidery", the characteristics of which were, the use of washable materials, mainly white cotton or linen, coloured threads - predominantly blue and red - and original designs based on the flowers and foliage of Clare. Her designs were also used by the embroidery class at the Convent of Mercy, Ennis, presided over by Sister Mary Patricia with whom Florence co-operated closely. The first class at Newhall consisted of twelve to fifteen girls who came regularly for two hours weekly and were instructed in the embroidery stitches by Mina Keppie. The items first offered for sale were children's frocks, pinafores and aprons, but later the range was enlarged considerably, and included embroidered patchwork bedspreads, and embroidered panels for fire screens. The frameworks for the latter were made by Christopher Hodges, a disabled carpenter in Ennis.

In 1898 the Vere O'Brien family - now with four children - moved to Ballyalla, and by 1910 the classes had grown to twenty-seven girls, aged from fourteen. These classes carried on almost continuously until 1930 with Miss Keppie remaining throughout as manageress. Many of the girls cycled or walked long distances to get to the classes, which were also social events with tea, and sometimes an adventure story read to them by Mrs. Vere O'Brien as they worked. There was a Christmas party each year, and an

occasional outing during the summer. It took two or three years to become really proficient, and by then a worker could earn up to fourteen shillings a week (1908).

A colony from the Ballyalla class was started in 1889 by Mrs. Tottenham of Mount Callan, Inagh, and in 1902 she had eight girls coming regularly. This class also used liberty silk for the children's frocks. Classes were started by Father Halpin in Scarriff in 1907 at the home of Mrs. Hibbert, and by a committee in Corofin. There is even mention of a "Clare Embroidery" class starting in a convent in Burma! At the end of the 19th century there was a considerable interest in crafts generally. This was partly due to the work and enthusiasm of Lady Aberdeen, wife of the Viceroy, who on her arrival in Ireland in 1886 had set up the Irish Industries Association to encourage the production and sale of crafts. This Association opened craft depots in Dublin and London, and organised twice yearly exhibition sales in England, as well as numerous exhibitions in Ireland. The Irish Village at the World Craft Fair at Chicago in 1893 created enormous interest and encouraged the American market to look at Irish crafts. Other early influences in the movement for developing Irish industries were the Irish Industrial Development Association, the Gaelic League, Sir Horace Plunkett's Irish Agricultural Co-operative Society, the Congested Districts Board and the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction. Through Mrs Vere O'Brien's contacts in the world of arts and crafts "Clare Embroidery" was exhibiting and winning prizes and certificates at exhibitions all over Ireland and England, and also in America. Through this continual exposure "Clare Embroidery" became well

known and was much in demand. Following an exhibition in Windsor in 1902 an order was given for twelve smocked dresses for one of Queen Victoria's granddaughters, which encouraged sales in England. During the later years Mrs. Vere O'Brien's daughters Jenny (later Mrs. Godfrey Hardy of Walterstown, Crusheen) and Flora, both became involved in the "Clare Embroidery" and by 1923 were doing most of the drawing and designing, while Mina Keppie continued the cutting out and distribution of the work, and also the correspondence with customers, many of whom were American and Canadian at this time. Ten or twelve girls were still coming regularly, with Francis Malone of Ennis instructing in smocking and Mrs. Vere O'Brien herself teaching embroidery. Clare Embroidery was still being produced up to the time of Mrs. Vere O'Brien's death in 1937: one of the last orders received was from Canada in 1938 from a former customer who was now ordering smocked dresses for her own grandchildren. "Clare Embroidery" continued in production for almost forty years and was made possible by the hard work and enthusiasm of a dedicated group of people. It is the history of a small section of Clare's social and economic life.



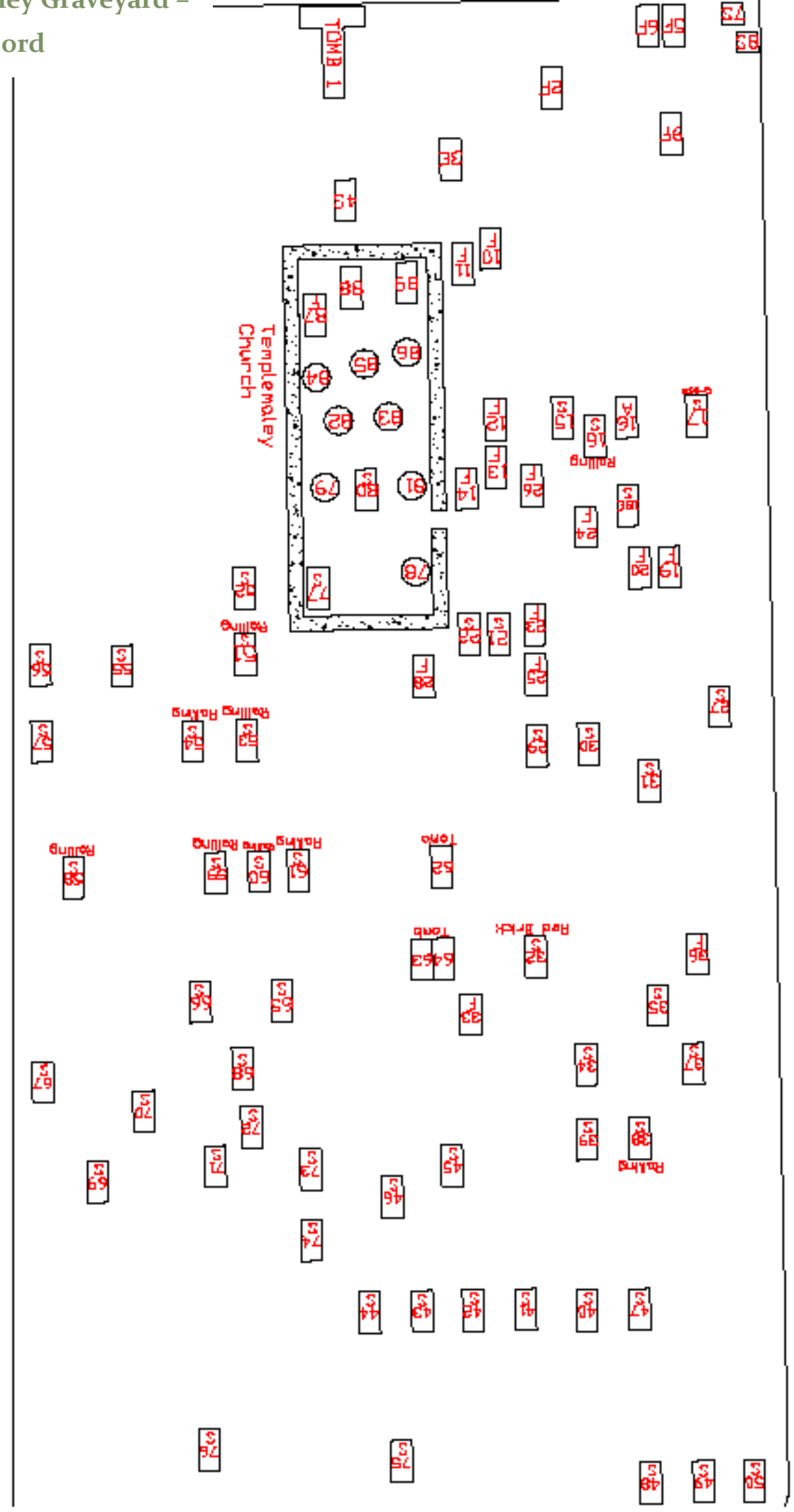
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Kerin	Andrew	4 th August 1831	1	Died on the 4 of August 1831 Andrew Kerin Esq Aged 63 Years Leaving to those about him full evidence that he entered into the Glorious Rest that remainder for the people of God.
Galvin	James	20 th July 1828	2	Here lies the remains of James Galvin, Caherbane who departed this life the 20th of July 1828. Erected by his beloved wife H? Galvin, Alias Molony and sons John, James, Thos. and Michl. Galvin for them and posterity. May they rest in peace. Amen.
Galvin	Patrick	7 th March 1919	3	In Loving Memory of Patrick Galvin, Ballycoree, died March 7, 1919, his grandson Patrick died Nov 29, 1942 and his wife Mary died Jan 29th 1944
Galvin	Patrick	29 th November 1942	3	In Loving Memory of Patrick Galvin, Ballycoree, died March 7, 1919, his grandson Patrick died Nov 29, 1942 and his wife Mary died Jan 29th 1944
Galvin	Mary	29 th Jan 1944		In Loving Memory of Patrick Galvin, Ballycoree, died March 7, 1919, his grandson Patrick died Nov 29, 1942 and his wife Mary died Jan 29th 1944
O'Loughlin	John	23 rd March 1842	4	Erected by Michael O'Loughlin in memory of his son John who departed this life March 23, 1842 aged 4 years.
Halloran	John	7 th April 1833	5	IHS. Here lies the body of John Halloran who died Easter Sunday 7th April 1833 aged 80 yrs. He was a loving husband and a kind parent. May the Lord receive His soul in peace. Amen. Erected by his son John Halloran for him and posterity.
O'Halloran	Muriel?	14 th August 1811	6	IHS. Sacred to the memory of Muriel? the beloved wife of John O'Halloran Ennis who died August 14, 1811 aged 59 years. May she rest in peace, Amen.
O'Halloran	James	2 nd November 1878	7	IHS. Erected by Lott O'Halloran Kilnamona in memory of his father James who died 2nd Nov, 1878
Hallinan	Michael		8	Erected by John Hallinan in memory of his wife and two sons Michael and Patk Hallinan. May they rest in peace.
Hallinan	Patrick		8	Erected by John Hallinan in memory of his wife and two sons Michael and Patk Hallinan. May they rest in peace.
Mulqueen	James	1 st February 1811	9	Erected by Ellen Mulqueen in memory of her beloved husband James Mulqueen of Ennis who died 1st February 1811 aged 50 years, for him and posterity. May he rest in peace Amen.
Flat headstone			10	Very worn, impossible to read

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Solon	Mary	December 24 ?	11	This stone was erected by John Solon for his daughter Mary Solon ??? McDonnell who departed this life December 24th ? Aged ? For himself and posterity. May they rest in peace, Amen.
Flynn	John	June 1801	12	Erected by Michael Flynn as a last tribute of affection in memory of his father John Flynn who departed this life June ? AD 1801 aged 72 years. Requiescat in pace.
Flanery	Andrew	1798	13	Here lies the remains of Andrew Flanery depd in the year 1798 aged 50 years. Erected by Michael Flanery of Drumcliff for him and posterity. May he rest in peace Amen.
O'Dea	John	25 th January 18?	14	IHS. Peace and rest be to the soul of John O'Dea of Ennis who departed this life on the 25th of January 18? aged 50 years. He lived beloved and died regretted. Erected by his beloved brother Patrick O'Dea of Ballymaly for him and posterity. Requiescat in Pace Amen.
O'Loughlin	Laurence	1860	15	Erected in memory of Laurence O'Loughlin who depd this life in the year AD 1860 aged ? Years. May he rest in peace Amen.
Hogan	John	22 nd June 1898	16	In memory of John Hogan who died 22nd June 1898 aged 20 years. R.I.P. Hush! Dear parents cease thy weeping, thou must bare God's holy will, though in my cold grave I am sleeping, your John lives and loves you still. Erected by his loving parents. His father David Hogan died 20th January 1906 aged 55, his brother James died December 12, 1907 aged 25
Hogan	David	20 th January 1906	16	In memory of John Hogan who died 22nd June 1898 aged 20 years. R.I.P. Hush! Dear parents cease thy weeping, thou must bare God's holy will, though in my cold grave I am sleeping, your John lives and loves you still. Erected by his loving parents. His father David Hogan died 20th January 1906 aged 55, his brother James died December 12 1907 aged 25
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Hogan	Connel?		16a	Here lies the body of Connel? Hogan who departed this life 18? Erected by ? Hogan for him and ? May he rest in peace, Amen.
Hogan	James	27 th May 1915	17	In loving memory of our father James Hogan who died May 27th 1915 aged 85 years. Erected by his loving daughters Norah O'Hogan and Mrs. Quinn. R.I.P.

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McNamara	Thomas	27 th June 1831	18	Erected by Bartholoueme W McNamara for his son Thomas MacNamara who departed this life June 27th 1831 aged 23 years. May he rest in peace.
Stone, unreadable			19	Unreadable
Moloney (Maiden Name: Hehir)	Winifred	1 st Oct 18?	20	Here lies the remains of Winifred Moloney alias Hehir who departed October 1, 18? Aged 19 years. Erected by her husband Michael Moloney of Ballycoree for him and family. May they rest in peace. Amen.
Egan	Catherine	12 th January 1881	21	Pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Egan wife of James Egan, Ballyduff, who died 12th January 1881 aged 39 yrs, Margaret Egan, sister, who died 29th December 1904 aged 82 years. The above James Egan who died 15th January 1914 aged 84, John Egan, 13 June 1951, his wife Catherine died 5th December 1946, Patrick M. Egan died 24th February 1927. Requiescant in Pace, Amen.
Egan	Margaret	29 th December 1904	21	Pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Egan wife of James Egan, Ballyduff, who died 12th January 1881 aged 39 yrs, Margaret Egan, sister, who died 29th December 1904 aged 82 years. The above James Egan who died 15th January 1914 aged 84, John Egan, 13 June 1951, his wife Catherine died 5th December 1946, Patrick M. Egan died 24th February 1927. Requiescant in Pace, Amen.
Egan	James	15 th January 1914	21	Pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Egan wife of James Egan, Ballyduff, who died 12th January 1881 aged 39 yrs, Margaret Egan, sister, who died 29th December 1904 aged 82 years. The above James Egan who died 15th January 1914 aged 84, John Egan, 13 June 1951, his wife Catherine died 5th December 1946, Patrick M. Egan died 24th February 1927. Requiescant in Pace, Amen.
Egan	John	13 th June 1946	21	Pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Egan wife of James Egan, Ballyduff, who died 12th January 1881 aged 39 yrs, Margaret Egan, sister, who died 29th December 1904 aged 82 years. The above James Egan who died 15th January 1914 aged 84, John Egan, 13 June 1951, his wife Catherine died 5th December 1946, Patrick M. Egan died 24th February 1927. Requiescant in Pace, Amen.
	Catherine	5 th December 1946		Pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Egan wife of James Egan, Ballyduff, who died 12th January 1881 aged 39 yrs, Margaret Egan, sister, who died 29th December 1904 aged 82 years. The above James Egan who died 15th January 1914 aged 84, John Egan, 13 June 1951, his wife Catherine died 5th December 1946, Patrick M. Egan died 24th February 1927. Requiescant in Pace, Amen.
Egan	Patrick M.	24 th	21	Pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Egan wife of

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		February 1927		James Egan, Ballyduff, who died 12th January 1881 aged 39 yrs, Margaret Egan, sister, who died 29th December 1904 aged 82 years. The above James Egan who died 15th January 1914 aged 84, John Egan, 13 June 1951, his wife Catherine died 5th December 1946, Patrick M. Egan died 24th February 1927. Requiescant in Pace, Amen.
Egan	Thomas	17 th December 1872	22	Erected by Bridget Egan in memory of her beloved father Thomas Egan who died 17th December 1872 aged 40 years. R.I.P.
Ryan	Michael	March 1856	23	IHS. This tomb was erected in memory of Michael Ryan who departed this life March 1856 aged 72 yrs and his wife Mary Ryan who departed this life on the 10th March 1860 aged 63 years, by their sons Patrick, Michael, John and Timothy Ryan. May they rest in peace. Amen.
Ryan	Mary	10 th March 1860	23	IHS. This tomb was erected in memory of Michael Ryan who departed this life March 1856 aged 72 yrs and his wife Mary Ryan who departed this life on the 10th March 1860 aged 63 years, by their sons Patrick, Michael, John and Timothy Ryan. May they rest in peace. Amen.
Stone, unreadable			24	Unreadable
Kelly	John	19 th October 1827	25	Here lies the body of John Kelly of Ennis who departed this life October the 19th, 1827 aged 68 yrs together with his three sons. Erected by his son Michael for him & posterity. May they rest in peace Amen.
O'Halloran (Maiden Name: Cullinan)	Ann	24 th February 1853	26	This tomb is erected by Michael O'Halloran in memory of his beloved wife Ann O'Halloran alias Cullinan who departed this life Feb'y 24th 1853 aged 69 years, for him and posterity. May they rest in peace, Amen.
Butler	Thomas	29 th December 1838	27a	Erected by John Butler in memory of his son Thomas who depd this life Dec. 29th 1838 aged 13 months.
Butler	Andrew	10 th January 1852	27b	Erected by John Butler as a tribute of paternal affection in memory of his son Andrew who depd this life the 10th of Jan AD 1852 aged 16 years. Requiescat in Pace.
Flanagan	Michael	22 nd August 1822	28	Here lies the body of Michl. Flanagan died 22nd of August 1822 aged 75 yrs. Erected by his sons Thos. & Michael Flanagan for him and his family. May he rest in peace, Amen.
Ryan	John	30 th May 1900	29	In loving memory of John Ryan, Toureen, died May 30 1900 Aged 74 years. Also his wife Mary Anne died Oct. 5th 1907 aged 71 yrs. Erected by their loving children. R.I.P.
Ryan	Mary Anne	5 th October 1907	29	In loving memory of John Ryan, Toureen, died May 30 1900 Aged 74 years. Also his wife Mary Anne died Oct. 5th 1907 aged 71 yrs. Erected by their loving children. R.I.P.

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Ryan	Anne		30	Erected by Patrick Ryan, Ballymacahill, in loving memory of his mother Mrs. Anne Ryan. Jesus Mercy.
O'Halloran	Mary	3 rd April 1849	31	Mary O'Halloran died 3rd April 1849.
Liston	John		32	I.H.S. Erected by John Liston in memory of his beloved father and mother John & Anne. R.I.P.
Liston	Anne		32	I.H.S. Erected by John Liston in memory of his beloved father and mother John & Anne. R.I.P.
Cahir	Michael	29 th May 1878	33	I.H.S. Erected by John Cahir in memory of his father Michael Cahir, died 29 May 1878 aged 82 years. May he rest in peace, Amen.
Stone,uninscribed			34	No Inscription (shaped like fireplace)
Lyons	Bridget	8 th January 1897	35	In loving memory of Bridget Lyons, Licknane, who died January 8th, 1897 aged 50 yeras. Also Michael Lyons who died July 18th 1910 aged 84 years. And Ellie Lyons who died December 1936. Erected by their son Patrick Lyons.
Lyons	Michael	18 th July 1910	35	In loving memory of Bridget Lyons, Licknane, who died January 8th, 1897 aged 50 yeras. Also Michael Lyons who died July 18th 1910 aged 84 years. And Ellie Lyons who died December 1936. Erected by their son Patrick Lyons.
Lyons	Ellie	December 1936		In loving memory of Bridget Lyons, Licknane, who died January 8th, 1897 aged 50 yeras. Also Michael Lyons who died July 18th 1910 aged 84 years. And Ellie Lyons who died December 1936. Erected by their son Patrick Lyons.
Ma.g..n?	William	30 th July 1813	36	I.H.S. In memory of William Ma.g.n?, gardener, who died in Ballyalla, July 30 1813. This stone is erected by W. Stacpoole Esq. M.P. in remembrance of his long and faithful service. May he rest in peace.
Murphy		No date	37	In loving memory of the Murphy family, Rineen, Corofin.
Stacpoole	William	10 th July 1879	38	In memory of Captain William Stacpoole M.P. of Ballyalla, Ennis, Co. Clare. Born 9 Oct 1830, died 10 July 1879. His son Andrew William Charles Lysaght born 12 Aug. 1874, died 4 Sept. 1875. His wife Mary Annie Catherine Winifred, born 19 Feb 1845, died 8 Jan 1898.
Stacpoole	Andrew William Charles Lysaght	4 th Sept 1875	38	In memory of Captain William Stacpoole M.P. Of Ballyalla, Ennis, Co. Clare. Born 9 Oct 1830, died 10 July 1879. His son Andrew William Charles Lysaght born 12 Aug. 1874, died 4 Sept. 1875. His wife Mary Annie Catherine Winifred, born 19 Feb 1845, died 8 Jan 1898.
Stacpoole	Mary Annie Catherine Winifred	8 th January 1898	38	In memory of Captain William Stacpoole M.P. Of Ballyalla, Ennis, Co. Clare. Born 9 Oct 1830, died 10 July 1879. His son Andrew William Charles Lysaght born 12 Aug. 1874, died 4 Sept. 1875. His wife Mary Annie Catherine Winifred,

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				born 19 Feb 1845, died 8 Jan 1898.
Lyons	Michael	11 th Dec. 1910.	39	In loving memory of Michael Lyons, Kilcross, who died 11th Dec. 1910. Erected by his widow Margaret and their son Michael. Mary K. Lyons died July 1928. Michael Lyons died May 1934. Peter Lyons died 6 Sept. 1996. R.I.P.
Lyons	Mary K.	1 st July, 1928	39	In loving memory of Michael Lyons, Kilcross, who died 11th Dec. 1910. Erected by his widow Margaret and their son Michael. Mary K. Lyons died July 1928. Michael Lyons died May 1934. Peter Lyons died 6 Sept. 1996. R.I.P.
Lyons	Michael	1 st May 1934	39	In loving memory of Michael Lyons, Kilcross, who died 11th Dec. 1910. Erected by his widow Margaret and their son Michael. Mary K. Lyons died July 1928. Michael Lyons died May 1934. Peter Lyons died 6 Sept. 1996. R.I.P.
Lyons	Peter	6 th Sept 1996		In loving memory of Michael Lyons, Kilcross, who died 11th Dec. 1910. Erected by his widow Margaret and their son Michael. Mary K. Lyons died July 1928. Michael Lyons died May 1934. Peter Lyons died 6 Sept. 1996. R.I.P.
Considine	Thomas	10 th March 1933	40	In memory of Thomas Considine, Barefield. Died 10th March 1933. His wife Mary died 4th Nov. 1933.
Considine	Mary	4 th Nov 1933	40	In memory of Thomas Considine, Barefield. Died 10th March 1933. His wife Mary died 4th Nov. 1933.
Flanagan	Bridget	26 th June 1897	41	Erected by John Flanagan in memory of his beloved daughter Bridget who died 26th June 1897 aged 30 years. Thomas Flanagan died June 17th 1940 aged 75 years. Mary Flanagan died Oct 17th, 1944 aged 85 years.
Flanagan	Thomas	17 th June 1940	41	Erected by John Flanagan in memory of his beloved daughter Bridget who died 26th June 1897 aged 30 years. Thomas Flanagan died June 17th 1940 aged 75 years. Mary Flanagan died Oct 17th, 1944 aged 85 years.
Flanagan	Mary	17 th Oct 1944	41	Erected by John Flanagan in memory of his beloved daughter Bridget who died 26th June 1897 aged 30 years. Thomas Flanagan died June 17th 1940 aged 75 years. Mary Flanagan died Oct 17th, 1944 aged 85 years.
Flanagan	Michael	15 th April 1930	42	In loving memory of Michael Flanagan, Ballygriffey, Ennis who died 15 April 1930 aged 69 years. His son Michael died 9th June 1935 aged 28 years. Catherine Flanagan died Sept. 17th 1952 aged 83 years. R.I.P.
Flanagan	Michael	09 th June 1935	42	In loving memory of Michael Flanagan, Ballygriffey, Ennis who died 15 April 1930 aged 69 years. His son Michael died 9th June 1935 aged 28 years. Catherine Flanagan died Sept. 17th 1952 aged 83 years. R.I.P.
Flanagan	Catherine	17 th Sept 1952	42	In loving memory of Michael Flanagan, Ballygriffey, Ennis who died 15 April 1930 aged 69 years. His son Michael died 9th June 1935 aged 28 years. Catherine Flanagan died Sept.

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				17th 1952 aged 83 years. R.I.P.
Stone cross			43	No inscription
Stone cross			44	Cross – No inscription
Cahir	Patrick	5th Oct 1907	45	Erected by Catherine Cahir in memory of her father Patrick, died 5th Oct. 1907 aged 78 years. R.I.P.
Gordon	Bridget	6 th March 1891	46	I.H.S. In loving memory of Bridget Gordon nee Malone died 6th March 1891 aged 40 years, and his daughter Mrs. Mary Mulcahy who died 21st Jan. 1951 aged 72 years. George Mulcahy died Dec. 21, 1962. R.I.P. Erected by Bridget Gordon.
	Mary	21 st Jan 1951	46	I.H.S. In loving memory of Bridget Gordon nee Malone died 6th March 1891 aged 40 years, and his daughter Mrs. Mary Mulcahy who died 21st Jan. 1951 aged 72 years. George Mulcahy died Dec. 21, 1962. R.I.P. Erected by Bridget Gordon.
	George	21 st Dec 1962	46	I.H.S. In loving memory of Bridget Gordon nee Malone died 6th March 1891 aged 40 years, and his daughter Mrs. Mary Mulcahy who died 21st Jan. 1951 aged 72 years. George Mulcahy died Dec. 21, 1962. R.I.P. Erected by Bridget Gordon.
Lyons	Margaret	20 th July 1914	47	Erected by Thomas Lyons & family, Mill St., Ennis, in loving memory of his wife Margaret, who died July 20th, 1914 aged 51 years. Thomas Lyons died March 3rd, 1942. Their son Thomas died 25th Sept. 1977. Their daughter Nance died 20th Oct. 1995. Sweet Heart of Jesus Have Mercy on Her Soul. R.I.P.
Lyons	Thomas	3 rd March 1942	47	Erected by Thomas Lyons & family, Mill St., Ennis, in loving memory of his wife Margaret, who died July 20th, 1914 aged 51 years. Thomas Lyons died March 3rd, 1942. Their son Thomas died 25th Sept. 1977. Their daughter Nance died 20th Oct. 1995. Sweet Heart of Jesus Have Mercy on Her Soul. R.I.P.
Lyons	Thomas	25 th Sept 1977	47	Erected by Thomas Lyons & family, Mill St., Ennis, in loving memory of his wife Margaret, who died July 20th, 1914 aged 51 years. Thomas Lyons died March 3rd, 1942. Their son Thomas died 25th Sept. 1977. Their daughter Nance died 20th Oct. 1995. Sweet Heart of Jesus Have Mercy on Her Soul. R.I.P.
Lyons	Nance	20 th Oct 1995	47	Erected by Thomas Lyons & family, Mill St., Ennis, in loving memory of his wife Margaret, who died July 20th, 1914 aged 51 years. Thomas Lyons died March 3rd, 1942. Their son Thomas died 25th Sept. 1977. Their daughter Nance died 20th Oct. 1995. Sweet Heart of Jesus Have Mercy on Her Soul. R.I.P.
O'Brien	Aubrey	7 th	48	Aubrey Vere O'Brien, Ballyalla, Ennis, died 7th October 1925

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	Vere	October 1925		aged 40 and his sister Florence Vere O'Brien died 12th January 1970 aged 70. I am the Way the Truth and the Life.
O'Brien	Florence Vere	12 th January 1970	48	Aubrey Vere O'Brien, Ballyalla, Ennis, died 7th October 1925 aged 40 and his sister Florence Vere O'Brien died 12th January 1970 aged 70. I am the Way the Truth and the Life.
Keppie	Georgina Frances	15 th Jan 1945	49	In loving memory of Georgina Frances Keppie daughter of William and Martha Eloisa Keppie of Glasgow N.B. June 15, 1858 - Jan. 15, 1945. Martha Wilhelmina Keppie, Glasgow 1866 - Dublin 1958. Beata Mundo - Corde. Thy Will Be Done.
Keppie	Martha Wilhelmina	1958	49	In loving memory of Georgina Frances Keppie daughter of William and Martha Eloisa Keppie of Glasgow N.B. June 15, 1858 - Jan. 15, 1945. Martha Wilhelmina Keppie, Glasgow 1866 - Dublin 1958. Beati Mundo Corde. Thy Will Be Done.
Hardy	Godfrey Nelson	24 th October 1945	50	Godfrey Nelson Hardy, Walterstown, Crusheen, died 24th October 1945 aged 52 and his wife Jane Elinor Vere (nee O'Brien) died 1st February 1971 aged 82. Salve Crux Spes Unica.
Hardy (Maiden name: O'Brien)	Jane Elinor Vere	1 st February 1971	50	Godfrey Nelson Hardy, Walterstown, Crusheen, died 24th October 1945 aged 52 and his wife Jane Elinor Vere (nee O'Brien) died 1st February 1971 aged 82. Salve Crux Spes Unica.
Langley	Edward Bovill Whitty	15 th April 1878	51	To the beloved memory of Edward Bovill Whitty, the idolized son of John Langley & Amy Constance Whitty, born July 10, 1875, died April 15, 1878. Also for his only brother Noel John Bovill Whitty, born Dec 25, 1877, died April 27, 1878. Mark 10.16
Langley	Noel John Bovill Whitty	27 th April 1878	51	To the beloved memory of Edward Bovill Whitty, the idolized son of John Langley & Amy Constance Whitty, born July 10, 1875, died April 15, 1878. Also for his only brother Noel John Bovill Whitty, born Dec 25, 1877, died April 27, 1878. Mark 10.16
			52	Not Recorded
Irwin	James Butler	11 th December 1879	53	Here rests the body of James Butler, youngest son of the Reverend Alex. Staples Irwin A.M., Rector of Tamhlaght, Diocese of Armagh, aged 16 years, who was drowned on the 11th of December 1879 while skating on Lake Ballyalla. In loving memory of his worth. This stone is erected by his mourning schoolfellows, Ennis College.
Kerin	Marcella	17 th May 1882	54	Sacred to the memory of Marcella Kerin who died at Ennis, May 17th 1882. Erected by her children in affectionate remembrance of a loving mother. May she rest in peace.
Stone grave encl.			55	No headstone or inscription
Barry	Patrick	9 th March	56	In memory of Patrick Barry, Templemaley, Ennis who died

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		1963		9th March 1963. Also his wife Florence Harriet who died 6th Jan. 1971.
Barry	Florence Harriet	6 th Jan 1971	56	In memory of Patrick Barry, Templemaley, Ennis who died 9th March 1963. Also his wife Florence Harriet who died 6th Jan. 1971.
Ryan	Patrick		57	Patrick Ryan, Ballymacahill. R.I.P.
Flannery	Michael	8 th August 1881	58	In loving memory of my dear parents, Michael Flannery who died 8th Aug. 1881 aged 60 yrs, Mary Flannery who died 10th Feb. 1900 aged 80 years. And of my son Thomas who died 26th June 1918 aged 28 years. John Flannery died 24th June 1929, his wife Bridget died 9th April, 1941. Frank Flannery died 9th July 1978. R.I.P. Erected by John Flannery.
Flannery	Mary	10 th Feb 1900	58	In loving memory of my dear parents, Michael Flannery who died 8th Aug. 1881 aged 60 yrs, Mary Flannery who died 10th Feb. 1900 aged 80 years. And of my son Thomas who died 26th June 1918 aged 28 years. John Flannery died 24th June 1929, his wife Bridget died 9th April, 1941. Frank Flannery died 9th July 1978. R.I.P. Erected by John Flannery.
Flannery	Thomas	26 th June 1918	58	In loving memory of my dear parents, Michael Flannery who died 8th Aug. 1881 aged 60 yrs, Mary Flannery who died 10th Feb. 1900 aged 80 years. And of my son Thomas who died 26th June 1918 aged 28 years. John Flannery died 24th June 1929, his wife Bridget died 9th April, 1941. Frank Flannery died 9th July 1978. R.I.P. Erected by John Flannery.
Flannery	John	24 th June 1929	58	In loving memory of my dear parents, Michael Flannery who died 8th Aug. 1881 aged 60 yrs, Mary Flannery who died 10th Feb. 1900 aged 80 years. And of my son Thomas who died 26th June 1918 aged 28 years. John Flannery died 24th June 1929, his wife Bridget died 9th April, 1941. Frank Flannery died 9th July 1978. R.I.P. Erected by John Flannery.
Flannery	Bridget	9 th April, 1941	58	In loving memory of my dear parents, Michael Flannery who died 8th Aug. 1881 aged 60 yrs, Mary Flannery who died 10th Feb. 1900 aged 80 years. And of my son Thomas who died 26th June 1918 aged 28 years. John Flannery died 24th June 1929, his wife Bridget died 9th April, 1941. Frank Flannery died 9th July 1978. R.I.P. Erected by John Flannery.
Flannery	Frank	9th July 1978	58	In loving memory of my dear parents, Michael Flannery who died 8th Aug. 1881 aged 60 yrs, Mary Flannery who died 10th Feb. 1900 aged 80 years. And of my son Thomas who died 26th June 1918 aged 28 years. John Flannery died 24th June 1929, his wife Bridget died 9th April, 1941. Frank Flannery died 9th July 1978. R.I.P. Erected by John

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				Flannery.
Encl. With railings			59	Enclosure with railings, no headstone
Menzies	James	24 May 1880	60	To the memory of James Menzies, late Manager of the Provincial Bank of Ireland, Ennis, died May 24th 1880, aged 79 years. Blessed are the pure in heart, they shall see God.
Howell	Jane	26 February 1877	61	Sacred to the memory of Jane Howell, who died on the 26th February 1877 in her 71st year. Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.
Powell	Fanny	25 October 1855	62	Sacred to the memory of Fanny Powell who died on the 25th October 1855 aged 68 yrs. And also to the memory of Anne Powell who died on the 4th January 1857 aged 56 years.
Powell	Anne	4 January 1857	62	Sacred to the memory of Fanny Powell who died on the 25th October 1855 aged 68 yrs. And also to the memory of Anne Powell who died on the 4th January 1857 aged 56 years.
Burton	Eliza	14th February 1906.	63	In loving memory of Eliza, daughter of William Burton Esq., of Clifton. Born 1st October 1818. Died 14th February 1906.
Burton	Mary	31 March 1877	64	In memory of Mary, daughter of William Burton of Clifton Esq. Born March 17, 1800. Died March 31, 1877.
Browne	William Maxwell	15 October 1855	65	In memory of William Maxwell Browne, son of W.J. Browne, Inspector of Schools, who died 15th October 1855, aged 4 years and 8 months.
Purdon	Margaret	21 August 1897	66	In affectionate remembrance of Margaret Purdon, died Ennis August 21st 1897, daughter of the late Dr. Purdon, Killaloe. Nothing in my hand I bring, Simply to Thy Cross I cling.
Griffen	Margaret		67	In loving memory of Margaret Griffen who died 19th April 1949, R.I.P., of Ballycoree, Ennis and Springfield, Mass., U.S. Our Lady of Lourdes, Pray for her who has been signally favoured by thee.
Walsh	Patrick	Feb. 9th, 1911	68	Erected by Catherine Walsh and son Timothy. In loving memory of her husband Patrick Walsh of Drumcliff who died Feb. 9th, 1911, aged 86 years. R.I.P. Anne Walsh died Oct. 25, 1950. Her husband Timothy Sept. 23, 1973.
Walsh	Anne	Oct. 25, 1950	68	Erected by Catherine Walsh and son Timothy. In loving memory of her husband Patrick Walsh of Drumcliff who died Feb. 9th, 1911, aged 68 years. R.I.P. Anne Walsh died Oct. 25, 1950. Her husband Timothy Sept. 23, 1973.
Walsh	Timothy	Sept. 23, 1973.	68	Erected by Catherine Walsh and son Timothy. In loving memory of her husband Patrick Walsh of Drumcliff who died Feb. 9th, 1911, aged 68 years. R.I.P. Anne Walsh died

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				Oct. 25, 1950. Her husband Timothy Sept. 23, 1973.
O'Loughlin	Stephen	Feb. 8th, 1944	69	In loving memory of Stephen O'Loughlin, Trinaderry House, Barefield, Ennis, died Feb. 8th, 1944 at Mullagh, Quilty, aged 44 years.
King	Margaret	10th March 1942.	70	In loving memory of Mrs. Margaret King, died 10th March 1942. R.I.P.
Galvin	Bridget	19 th April 1914	71	In loving memory of Bridget Galvin who died 19th April 1919, James Galvin who died 27th November 1919. R.I.P. Erected by their loving children.
Galvin	James	27th November 1919.	71	In loving memory of Bridget Galvin who died 19th April 1919, James Galvin who died 27th November 1919. R.I.P. Erected by their loving children.
Dillon	Martin	7th August 1944	72	In loving memory of Martin Dillon, Larchill, died 7th August 1944 aged 84 years.
Cross, metal plate			73	Cross with metal plate, inscription gone
Fitzgibbons	Mary	7th August, 1921	74	In loving memory of Mary Fitzgibbons, Ballygriffey, who died 7th August, 1921 aged 58 years. Also her mother Bridget Howard who died 16th August 1921, aged 76 years. R.I.P. Erected by her husband Daniel Fitzgibbons.
Howard	Bridget	16th August 1921	74	In loving memory of Mary Fitzgibbons, Ballygriffey, who died 7th August, 1921 aged 58 years. Also her mother Bridget Howard who died 16th August 1921, aged 76 years. R.I.P. Erected by her husband Daniel Fitzgibbons.
Hehir	Eileen	Dec. 24, 1937	75	In loving memory of Eileen Hehir, Tiermaclane, Ennis who died Dec. 24, 1937, aged 17 years. Erected by her parents. R.I.P.
Stone cross			76	Stone cross, no inscription
"The following burials are in the interior of church ruin"				
Galvin			77	Timber Cross, no inscription
Blank stone			78	
Blank stone			79	
Haleran	Mathew	August 1825	80	I.H.S. Erected by Michael Haleran in memory of his father Mathew Haleran who died August 1825 aged 60 yrs. May he rest in peace, Amen.
Blank stone			81	
Blank stone			82	
Blank stone			83	
Blank stone			84	

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Blank stone			85	
Blank stone			86	
Hassett	Patrick	24 July 1829	87	I.H.S. Here lies the remains of Patrick Hassett who died July 24th 1829 aged 20. Erected by his father Danniell Hassett for him and for posterity. May he rest in peace, Amen.
Greene	John	13th Jan, 1955	88	My Jesus Mercy. Erected by Delia Greene, Spancilhill, in loving memory of her husband John who died 13th Jan, 1955. Her parents Patrick and Ellen Moloney and her brothers Thomas and Patrick Moloney.
Moloney	Patrick		88	My Jesus Mercy. Erected by Delia Greene, Spancilhill, in loving memory of her husband John who died 13th Jan, 1955. Her parents Patrick and Ellen Moloney and her brothers Thomas and Patrick Moloney.
Moloney	Ellen		88	My Jesus Mercy. Erected by Delia Greene, Spancilhill, in loving memory of her husband John who died 13th Jan, 1955. Her parents Patrick and Ellen Moloney and her brothers Thomas and Patrick Moloney.
Moloney	Thomas		88	My Jesus Mercy. Erected by Delia Greene, Spancilhill, in loving memory of her husband John who died 13th Jan, 1955. Her parents Patrick and Ellen Moloney and her brothers Thomas and Patrick Moloney.
Moloney	Patrick		88	My Jesus Mercy. Erected by Delia Greene, Spancilhill, in loving memory of her husband John who died 13th Jan, 1955. Her parents Patrick and Ellen Moloney and her brothers Thomas and Patrick Moloney.
Hassett			89	No other inscription (Stone Cross)



No. 36- The Gravestone of the Gardener in Ballyalla House. On the top left hand corner there is a much eroded carving of a gardening glove and urn. Sketch by Kate Molan.



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