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Haicéid



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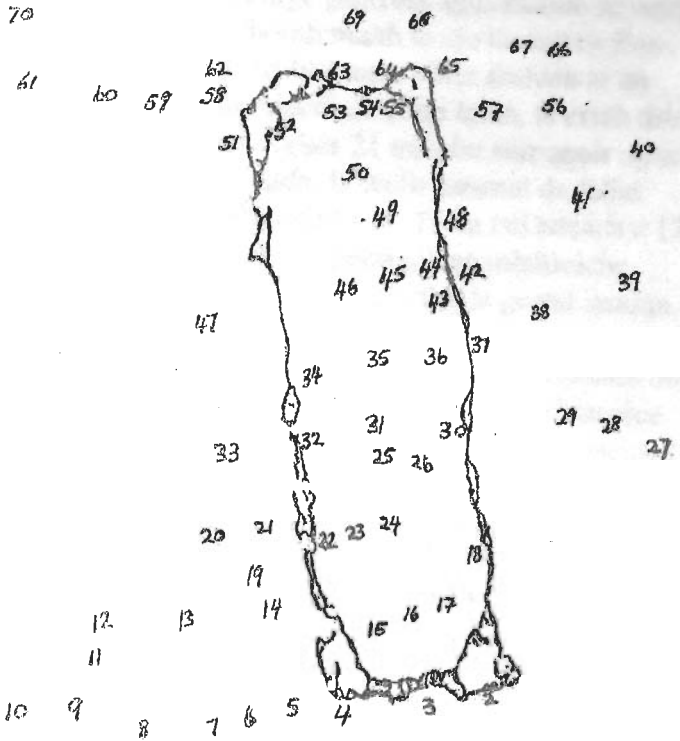
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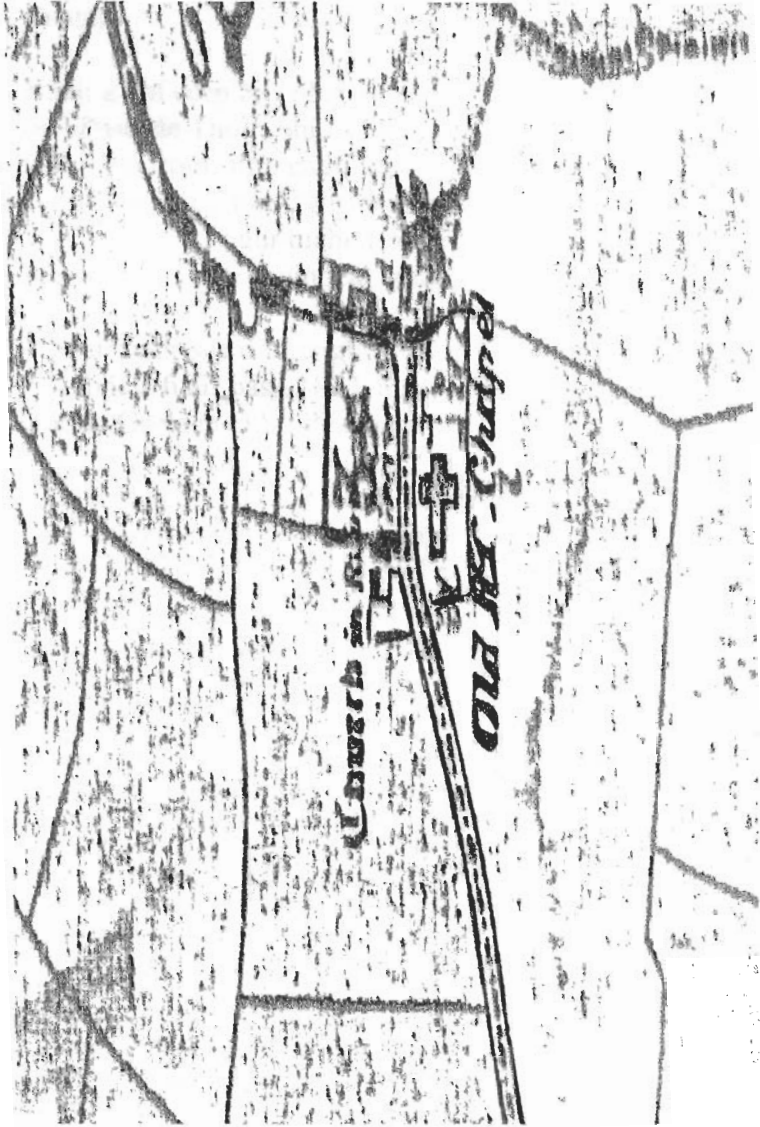
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De réir an bhéalóidís fuair reilig Bhaile Haicéid a hainm ó seoltóir darbh ainm Haicéid a bád ar chósta an tSean Phobail agus ba é an chéad duine a cuireadh sa reilig. Tá an reilig lonnaithe i mbaile fearann Bhaile an tSléibhe Theas ach ar dtús bhí sé lonnaithe i mbaile fearann Bhaile Haicéid a bhí i bhfad níos mó ag an am sin.

Tá roinnt cloiche reilige gearrtha agus tuamaí sa reilig , c 1675 – c.1825. Chomh maith le sin tá eaglais Proastúnach aonair le trí bhá agus cillín amháin ar an láthair. Thit roinnt mhaith de chun talún. Is cruth dro-nuilleach atá ag an eaglais 21 méadar soir anoir agus 8.5 méadar thuaidh aduaidh. Is féidir iarsmaí de fallaí cloiche gairbhe a fheiscint leis. Tá an tslí isteach c 1775 go dtí an reilig déanta de péire piléar aolchloiche garbhteilgthe gan aon phéint orthu le geataí iarainn.

Fothrach a bhí san eaglais ag tús na hochtú haoise déag. Tá sé seo ar eolas againn mar gur cuireadh Maurice Cuirrín a fuair bás i 1740 laistigh de fallaí an tséipéil.

‘Sé an cloch chinn is sine go bhfuil cuntas faoi ná cloch le Captain Michael Rowe a fuair bás i Márta 1733. Mhair sé i gcaisleán i mBaile Haicéid, ach faraor ní féidir teacht ar a chloch chinn inniu. Tá 77 cloch chinn sa reilig sa lá atá inniu ann le scríbhinn orthu.

An t-aon chuntas atá againn de bhall den eaglais a bheith curtha sa reilig ná faoin t-Athair Walter Curran C.C ón bPasáiste Thoir a d’éag i 1857 aois 42 agus a bhí mar bhall den eaglais ar feadh 17 bliain ar uair a bháis.

Ba iad na Currans ó The Lane, Baile Mhic Airt a chlann.

Nuair a bhí corp an Athar Walter Curran C.C. á iompar ón bPasáiste Thoir, bhí na bóithre dúnta de dheasca an tsneachta trom, stop na hiompróirí i dtábhairne go dtí gur ghlan na bóithre agus mar sin cuireadh é i rith na hoíche. Deirtear gur oíche fíor-ghaofar a bhí ann agus nár séideadh aon choinneal amach leis an ngaoth.

De réir tuairisce d'aistrigh Richard Ryan ó Bhaile an tSléibhe a fuair bás i 1813, aois 62, na dánta a scríobh Tadhg Gaelach Ó Suilleabháin.

Cuireadh Gabriel Mac Craith sa reilig leis, agus deirtear gurb é an fear is aclaí in Éirinn a bhí ann. Stopadh sé giorria a bhí ag iarradh éalú ó pháirc trí buachaint air go gach bearna agus gheobhadh sé é a chasadh trí huaire roimh a bheireadh sé air.

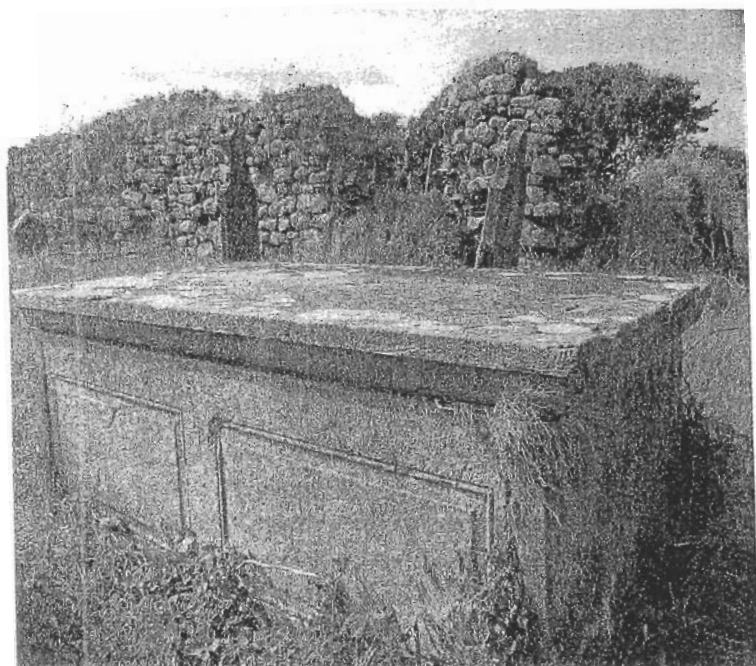
Tá tuama sa reilig, gur le clann Gee ó Lisarow House sa Aird Mhór é.

I mapa na suirbhéireachta ordanáis i 1841, tá séipéal eile suite trasna an bhóthair ón reilig. D'úsáideadh an séipéal seo go dtí 1839 nuair a tógadh séipéal nua i mBaile Mhic Airt. Bhí an scoil lonnaithe ar bhóthar an bheairic in aice le tigh Uí Laocha, ach bhog sé go dtí an séipéal trasna ón reilig go dtí an uair a d'oscail scoil nua i mBaile Mhic Airt i 1874. Chuaigh na páistí faoi stiúir dhá bhanna ceoil ón scoil trasna ón reilig go dtí an scoil nua i mBaile Mhic Airt ar shlí bóthair an bheairic.

Dhein gabha darbh ainm de Paor a chónaigh in aice na reilige na geata. Dhein sé na boltaí chomh maith chun na hadhmaid a bholtáil sa séipéal nua.

Dhein an stoirm cáiliúil i 1839 an chuid damáiste go dtí an reilig agus de réir tuairisce leag sé fallaí an tséipéal.

I measúnú Ghriffith i 1841, bhí Joanne Lennane ag íoc cíosa ar tailte na reilige agus deirtear go raibh tigh ann.



Folklore has it that Hackettstown graveyard got its name from a sailor called Hackett who was washed overboard along the Old Parish coast and was the first person buried in the graveyard. The graveyard is situated in the town land of Baile an tSléibhe Theas but originally it was within the town land of Hackettstown which was a much larger town land at that time.

The graveyard has various cut-stone grave markers and table tombs, c 1675 – c.1825. There are also remains of a detached three bay single cell Church of Ireland church c. 1675. It is now mostly collapsed. This was a rectangular shape 21 meters east to west and 8.5 meters north to south. Remains of random rubble stone walls can also be seen. The gateway c. 1775, to the grave yard comprises of a pair of unpainted roughcast lime rendered piers with rendered coping and wrought iron gates.

The church was in ruins at the start of the 1700's. We know this as there is a Maurice Cuirrín who died in 1740 buried within the walls of the church.

The oldest recorded headstone is that of Captain Michael Rowe who died in March 1733. He lived in a castle in Hackettstown, and unfortunately this headstone cannot be located today. There are 77 headstones in the grave yard today with inscriptions

The only record of a member of the clergy buried in the grave yard is that of Fr. Walter Curran C.C. of Passage East who died at 42 years of age in 1857 and he had been a member of the clergy for 17 years at the time of his death. His family was the Currans of The Lane , Baile Mhic Airt.

When Fr. Walter Curran C.C. remains were being brought from Passage East, the roads were blocked with a heavy snow fall, the funeral cortege stopped off in a watering hole until the roads cleared and because of this he had to be buried at night. It is said that it was a very windy night and none of the candles were blown out with the wind

Richard Ryan of Ballintlea who died in 1813, aged 62 is reputed to have translated the poems of Tadhg Gaelach O Suilleabháin.

There is also a Gabriel McGrath buried in the grave yard, who is said to have been one of the liveliest men in Ireland. He could stop a hare from going out of a field by getting in every gap before him and he could turn a hare three times before catching him.

There is one tomb in the grave yard , this belongs to the Gee family of Lisarow House, Ardmore.

In the ordnance survey map of 1841 there is another church situated across the road from the grave yard. This church was in use until 1839 when the new church in Baile Mhic Airt was built.

The school was situated on the Barrack road nears Leahy's cottage , it moved to the church across from the grave yard until the opening of the new school in Baile Mhic Airt in 1874. The children were led from the school across from the graveyard to the new school in Baile Mhic Airt via the barrack road, by two bands. Mr Browne was the teacher at the time.

The gates were made by a blacksmith by the name of Power who lived near the grave yard. He also made the bolts to bolt the timbers in the new Church.

The famous storm in 1839 caused a lot of the damage in the graveyard and reputedly knocked the walls of the Church.

In Griffith's evaluation of 1841, a Joanne Lennane was paying dues for the land at the graveyard and a house is said to have been there.



1.Small cut stone , facing due east

Inscription:

N. Morrissey

2.Stone reclining against east face of church wall

Inscription:

Erected By

Michael Mansfield

In memory of his sister

Nell Ryan alias Mansfield

Who died Feb 10 1846

Aged 30 years

3. Large plain cut stone, lying against east face of church wall.

Inscription:

Erected by

Mary Nugent

In memory of her

Husband

Michael Nugent

Who died 20th April 1874

Aged 76 years

4. Stone attached to east end of church wall. Grave surrounded by iron rail. Small cut stone with cross inscribed inside rail.

Inscription: Erected

To the memory of
Miss Johanna Curran
Dungarvan
Who died 22nd October 1911
Aged 79 years

5. Large reclining stone.

Inscription:

Erected by
Margaret Veale alias Fitzgerald
In memory of her husband
Nicholas Veale of Hackettstown
Who died Feb 22 1844
Aged 95 Years

6. Large tombstone facing due east. Writing on top partially obliterated by weathering.

Inscription:

Here lies the body of Mr. James Gee
Who departed this life on the 1th day
.....
Here also lies the body of Henry Thomas
Gee Esq of Lisarow who died the 5th of
December 1830 aged 30 years
Requiescant in pace amen
Also of Margaret his wife who departed this
Life the 24 of May 1835 aged 7? Years
May she rest in peace.

7. Decoratively carved headstone with cross on top.
Raised heart with cross carved into centre of the cross.

Inscription:

Erected by
Margaret Kiely
Ballykillmurray
In memory of her
Husband
James Kiely
Died 12th March 1895 aged 69 years
The above Margaret Kiely
Died Jan 20th 1913 aged 73 years

8. Large inclining stone. In hoc signo vinces, inscribed
centre top.

Inscription:

Remember
Death and peace
Erected by Mr. James Kiely
In memory of his beloved father
Mr. John Kiely of Crobally
Who deyd this life March 31st 1836
Aged 50 years

9. Raised cross and I H S carved into circle on top of large inclining stone.

Inscription:

Erected

By William Curreen of Monatrea

In memory of his sons

Patrick and William who died 1830

10. Large decorative stone with I H S and cross inscribed on top.

Inscription:

Erected

By James Curreen of Montrea

In memory of his son Thomas

Who died April 4th 1835

Aged 11 years

11. Plain white stone facing 12, due east. No inscription.

12. Large inclining stone. Cross and I H S carved in relief.

Inscription:

Erected

By John Moore in memory of his father

Thomas Moore died Nov 1 1818 aged 45 yrs

His mother Mary Moore died March 27

1845 aged 68 years

13. Small plain headstone

Inscription:

Here lies the body
Of Marget Troy who
Died April the 20 17
83 aged 59 yrs

14. Intertwined I H S in centre of top cross.

Inscription:

Erected by
Michael Whelan
Ballyvallona
In memory of his sister
Johanna Toomey
Died 24th May 1907 aged 67 years
Also his father
John
Died 25th November 1905 aged 90 years

15. Roughly cut stone with cross inscribed.

16. Roughly cut stone with cross inscribed.

17. Large inclined stone partially buried with leafy designs cut on top.

Inscription:

Here lies the body of
John Power Smith he
Died October 5 1797 aged
70 years

18. Large stone with serated type edging.

Inscription; Erected by

Garrett 7 James Troy

of Helvick

in memory of their father

Nicholas who died

Jan 11th 1889 aged 76 years

and their mother

Mary died

.ay 27th 1882 aged 60 years

.lso their sister

Bridget

..ed Dec 3rd 1878 aged 20 years

the above James Troy

...d July 14th 1892 aged 30

19. Plain white rough stone with cross inscribed.

20. Large stone with celtic style cross on top.

Inscription; Erected by

Kate Power Pulla

in memory of her parents

Edmund Power

who died 8th Feb 1886

aged 75 years

Margaret Power

died 11th May 1889 aged 73 years

her brother

John Power

died 6th July 1896 aged 35 years

and her sister

Johanna Clancy

died 11th Nov 1873 aged 30 years

21. Small inclining plain headstone.

Inscription; Here lieth the body

of Bartholomew

Fowlow who dep

this life May th2

1769 aged 67 yrs

22. Headstone in shape of open book, with stone surround.

Inscription; In loving memory of

Margaret Maher

nee McGrath

Moonbrack

died 5th Oct 1955

aged 48 R. I. P.

23. Iron cross in circle with rough stone directly in front.
No inscription.
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24. Inclining , partially buried carved stone.
Inscription; Here lies the body of
Michael Foley who
died May 28 1834
age 21
-

25. Large inclining stone, with I H S inscribed.

Inscription:

Erected by
David Foley
Of Dungarvan in me
Mory of his father
Jermiah Foley who depd
This life Agust 15 1797
Aged 49 years
Also
Three of his children
Michael Foley died
May 28th 1834 aged
21 years John Foley
Died aged 10 years
Jermiah Foley
Died aged 2 years
May they rest in peace
Amen

26. Large stone partial buried, dates not visible. Flower designs on top

Inscription:

Here lieth the body of
David Fowley who

27. Small white stone.

Inscription:

M.H.

28. Large headstone. Piece missing from top , probably a cross.

Inscription:

Erected in memory of
Patrick Hourigan of Goulane
Who died May 25th 1895
Aged 32 years
Also his father Patrick Hourigan
Died Sept 30th 1869
Aged 52 years
His mother Catherine died Oct 31st 189?
Aged 71 years
R.I.P
Also in memory of David Hourigan
Of Mountaincastle formerly of Goulane
Who died July 21st 1896 aged 39 years

29. Large reclining stone,

Inscription:

Erected by
Marg Howrigan alias Mahony
In memory of her husband
Cornelius Hourgian of Goulane
Who died Nov 18 1842 aged 80 years

30. Plain rectangular stone.

Inscription:

Here lies the body of
Thom Curreen who
Died December the 12th
1785 aged 60 yrs

31. Weathered stone, some cracking obliterating words

Inscription:

In memory of John Curren
Of Bally????? Who depd
Feby 11th 1807 aged 72 yrs

32. Narrow stone leaning against south wall of church.

Rough back.

Inscription:

Here lies the bo
Of Ellen Harris
Who died Aug
26th 1780
Aged 16y

33. Plain headstone. Iron surroundings

Inscription:

Erected to the memory
Of Richard Merrick
Died 17th April 1874
Aged 48 yrs
His wife Johanna
Died 27th August 1894
Aged 60 yrs
Their daughter
Mary Anne
Died 21st Jan 1881 aged 26 yrs
Their sons John J
Died Aug 1890 aged 21 yrs
And Patrick
Died in America 22nd July 1905

34. Large inclining stone, Inscription in relief.

Inscription:

Erected
By James and William Quin
In memory of their father
John Quin
Of Ballinacorly
Died August 25th 1849

35. Large plain stone

Inscription:

Erected by Wm Quin of Lisarow
In memory of
His wife Mary Quin alias Curreen
Who died March 31st 1826 aged 64 yrs
Also his daughter Mary Quin
Who died May 2nd 1831 aged 31

36. Large inclining stone.

Inscription:

Erected
By Patk Nugent in memory of his
Father John Nugent who died June
6th 1800 aged 67 yrs also his
Daughter Bridget Jan 1st 1826
Aged 24 and his son John
March 1st 1833 aged 21

37. Small rough cut stone inscription carved facing west.

Inscription:

Here lies the bo
Of Thomas Harty
Who died Feby
1796 aged 39 ye

38. Highly decorated Celtic cross. Figure of angel is
bas relief.

Inscription:

Erected by Mrs Elizabeth Foley
To the memory of her beloved husband
Mr. Thomas Foley merchant Clonmel
Brother to the Rev. Bazil Foley
Mount Mellary Abbey
Who departed this life the 9th day
Of January 1872 at the early age
Of 34 years
Regretted by his family and
Numerous friends
Requiescant in Pace

42. Celtic cross. Entwined I H S in centre of cross with fleur de lis designs

Inscription:

Erected by
Mrs Bridget Peters Cahill
In memory of her grandfather
Darby Harty Hackettstown
Her mother Mary Peters (nee Harty)
Died 11th March 1877
Her father
James Peters
Died 20th March 1891
Her brothers
Patrick died 24th Dec 1896
James died 12th Jan 1926
Both interred in Calvary New York
And Jerry
Died in Chicago 3rd Sep 1898

43. Small inclining weathered stone.

Inscription:

Here lies the body
Of Mary Dee als walsh who
Depd this life Novr the
13th 1786 aged 20 y

44. Large headstone. Cross and I H S in relief

Inscription:

Erected

By Thomas Dee of Lisskilly

In memory of his son John Dee

Who died Oct 30th 1848 aged 27 years

His father David Dee died 1818

Aged 70 years

45. Very weathered small stone. Inscription partially obliterated.

Inscription:

Phelan

Died 1787

46. Large most common type headstone

Inscription:

Erected by John Maher in memory

Of his father John Maher who

Died April 27th 1804 aged 50 yrs

Also his mother Margaret Maher

Alias Brown died May 4th 1809

Aged 48 yrs likewise his brother

James Maher died Octobr 20 1825

Aged 22 yrs

47. Small rough cut stone, weathered

Inscription:

Here lies the body
Of Marg Connery wh
Died July the 6 1780
Aged 48 ys

48. Inclining plain weathered stone

Inscription:

Here lies the b
ody of Maurice
Curreen who died
April the 7th 1740
Aged 32 years

49. Small rough hewn stone, cross carved into the
centre.

No Inscription.

50. Reclining stone, almost completely buried

Inscription:

In memory of Patrick
Cunningham

51. Inclining south west corner of church. Some lettering
obliterated.

Inscription:

In memory of Margr
Phelan who died Marc
25th 1800 aged 25 yrs

52.Small rough hewn stone, partially buried.

Inscription:

Here lies the body
Of Ellen

53.Large reclining stone, partially buried. Leaf designs on top.

Inscription:

Here lies the body
Of Catherine Fowlow
Who dep August the
12th 1773 aged 70 y
Also the body of Cat
Herine bhan who
Depd the 16th of ?????
1772 aged ?????
Also ?????????

54. Small stone, west end of Church. Nice cross and I H S inscribed.

Inscription:

Bridget Foley
Died March the
26 1780 aged 9

55.Small stone fuschia bush root at base

Inscription:

James Troy
Died ? ? ? 1761 age
71 years

56. Small white stone

Inscription:

M.P.

57. Pink marble headstone with stone surrounds

Inscription:

In loving memory of

Ellen Hourigan

Ballinaharda

Died 27 June 1965 aged 86 yrs

R.I.P

Barrys Middleton

58. Large inclining stone. Sun design surrounds I H S
leafy designs in light carving.

Inscription:

Erected

By Edmund Carew

In memory of his father James Carew

Who died Feb 2nd 1811

Aged 60 yrs

Also his brother Thomas

Who died April 9th 1885

Aged 40 yrs

And his brother Patrick

Who died June 1st 1833

Aged 32 yrs

59. Small much weathered stone. First letter of surname difficult to decipher, more than likely C.

Inscription:

Bartholmew
Cleary died
In December
1777 aged 66
Yrs

60. Small reclining, wording almost obliterated.

Inscription:

P.P. DIE 7 de 17 c

61. Small rough stone with cross inscribed in west face.
Opposite Flinn No. 70

62. Small stone, weathered, some writing missing.

Inscription:

Here lies the body
Of Maurice Folow who died
Februry the 17th 1765 aged
70 years also the body
Of Thos Folow his son
Who died August the 6
1771 aged 43 y

63. Large inclining stone.

Inscription:

Erected by Mary Keane in
Memory of her husband
Maurice Keane who died
Aug 12th 1830 aged 60 years

64. Large headstone, very weathered.

Inscription:

Erected by Patrick Foley
In memory of his son Patrick
Who departed this life April the
10 1807 aged 15 yrs
May he rest in peace

65. Celtic style cross on large headstone.

Inscription:

Erected by
Mary Fitzgerald
In loving memory of
Her mother
Bridget Fitzgerald
Who died 15th June 1864 .
Aged 52 years
Also her sister
Anne
Who died in America

66. Large headstone, decorative carvings on top. Sun designs surrounding I H S

Inscription:

Erected

By Margaret Power alias Rourke

In memory of her husband John Power

Of Ballintlea who died Dec 1 1831

Aged 70 years

Also her daughter Bridget Mansfield

Alias Power who died Feb 13 1836

Aged 27 years

67. Large inclining headstone

Inscription:

Erected

By Ellen Curreen

In memory of her husband

John Curreen of Ballinamona

Who died Aug 1 1835

Aged 66 years

Also our daughter Julia Curreen

Who died Dec 10 1826

Aged 21 years

68. Small solid headstone matching 69.

Inscription:

Here lieth the

Body of Patrick

Cahill who died

February 20th 1818

Aged 31 years

69. Small headstone matching 68, brothers probably

Inscription:

In memory of John
Cahill who died
Feby 3rd 1818 aged 29

70. Large inclining weathered headstone

Inscription:

Erected by Mary Flinn
In memory of her husband
Thomas Flinn who died
December 10 1831 aged
43 years

71. Large inclining headstone

Inscription:

Erected
By Catherine Wall alias Curreen
In memory of her husband
James Wall who died July 9th
1836 aged 60 yrs

72 a Large highly decorated Celtic Cross. Iron rail surrounds, west facing

Inscription:

Erected by
Walter Langan
Late of Ballinamona
To the memory of his uncle
The Rev. Walter Curran C.C.
Of Passage East
Who was interred here
On the first of Nov 1857
In the 42nd year of his age
And the seventeenth of his
Sacred ministry
RIP

Molloy Dugn

72 b Flagstone in centre of iron rail surrounds

Inscription:

Erected by Martin Curran
In memory of his wife Bridget Curran
Alias Whelan who died Jan 5th
1825 aged 40 years

72 c Decorated Celtic Cross, smaller than 72a east facing.

Inscription:

Erected by
Julia Curran
Ballymacart
In memory of her beloved
Husband
William Curran
Died 11th May 1894 aged 69 yrs
Her son Martin
died 11th Nov 1909 aged 39 yrs
And her infant children
Patrick Joseph and Walter
Died at the age of 12 and nine months
Respectively

73. Small headstone

Inscription:

Here lieth the body
Of Richard Ryan
Who died 12 of
January 1813 aged 62
Yrs
Erected by Alley
Curreen
May his soul rest in
Peace Amen

74. Most recently erected headstone. Large Celtic Cross

Inscription:

In loving memory of
Denis Joseph O Connor
Born in the parish of Kilcummin
Co Kerry 21 Feb 1922
Departed this life 27 Dec 1990
He touched the hearts of all
He met both man and beast
Great men might come but
You will never find better
Forever missed

Molloy Dungarvan

75. Large reclining weathered headstone

Inscription:

Erected
By Thomas O Danniell
In memory of his son Michael O Danniell
Who died July 13 1835
Aged 43 yrs

76. Large headstone, cleaned and recarved when most recent name added

Inscription:

Erected
By Edmund Hannagan of
Croobally in memory of his
Daughter Mary
Alias Curreen who departed
This life Nov 16th 1834
Aged 29 yrs
May her soul rest in peace
Amen

Joan Mooney Ballinamona, Old Parish
Died 10 Dec 1983 aged 74

Annie Mooney
Died 6 May 1998 aged 93

77. Fallen stone , much weathered

Inscription:

E.H.

Facts

No. 68 and 69

John and Patrick Cahill died within seventeen days of each other, on the Feb 3rd and Feb 29th respectively, in 1818. John was twenty nine and Patrick was thirty one. They have matching headstones

No. 39

In January 1841 John Foley of Ballinamone buried his son and his mother within fourteen days of each other, the 2nd and 16th respectively. His son Thomas was thirty and his mother Mary was eighty years of age

No. 72c

The youngest person commemorated is Walter Curran, of Ballymacart who died at the age of nine months

No. 5

The oldest recorded age in the nineteenth century is 95. This was Nicholas Veale of Hackettstown who died in 1844

No. 14

John Whelan of Ballyvallona lived to the age of 90. He died in 1905. This is the oldest recorded age in the twentieth century

No. 39

May Foley of Ballynamone was the longest living woman recorded in the nineteenth century. She lived to the age of 80 and was buried in 1841

No. 57

Ellen Hourigan of Ballinaharde lived to the age of 86, and is the oldest listed woman in the twentieth century. She was buried in 1965.

No. 55

James Troy died in 1761 aged 71 years. This indicates that he was born in 1690. This is the earliest recorded date

No. 73

Richard Ryan of Ballintlea who died in 1813, aged 62 is reputed to have translated the poems of Tadhg Gaelach Ó Suilleabháin

Curren is the most common surname, most likely an anglicised spelling of the Irish Cuirrín

The surname Fowlow is also most likely an Anglicisation of the Irish Foghlú

The earliest recorded death is in 1740 (No. 48)

The most recent death is 1998 (No. 76)

Men's Names

John is the most common name, listed 18 times

Patrick and James are both listed 12 times

Thomas is listed 9 times

Michael is listed 7 times

William is listed 5 times

David is listed 4 times

Maurice and Walter are both listed 3 times

Richard, Edmund, Bartholomew, Nicholas and Jeremiah are all listed twice

Martin, Darby, Jerry, Garrett, Cornelius, Patrick Joseph, John J., and Henry Thomas are all listed once.

Ainmneacha na bhFear

‘Sé John an t-ainm is comónta, tá cuntas air 18 uair

Tá Patrick agus James breactha síos 12 uair.

Tá Thomas breactha síos 9 uair

Tá Michael breactha síos 7 uair

Tá William breactha síos 5 uair

Tá David breactha síos 4 uair

Tá Maurice agus Walter breactha síos 3 uair araon

Breacadh Richard, Edmund, Bartholomew, Nicholas agus Jeremiah síos faoi dhó.

Níl ach an t-aon cuntas amháin ar fáil ar na hainmneacha Martin, Darby, Jerry, Garrett, Cornelius, Patrick Joseph, John J., agus Henry Thomas.

Women's Names

Margaret and Mary are each listed 11 times

Bridget is listed 6 times

Ellen, Catherine, Johanna are all listed 4 times

There are 2 Julia's listed

Anne, Annie, Kate, Nell, Mary Anne, May, Joan, Honora , and Elizabeth appear once

Ainmneacha na mBan

Breacadh Margaret agus Mary síos 11 uair araon.

Tá cuntas 6 uair ar an ainm Bridget

Breacadh Ellen, Catherine, Johanna síos 4 uair

Deineadh cuntas ar bheirt Julia

Feictear na hainmneacha Anne, Annie, Kate, Nell, Mary Anne, May, Joan, Honora , agus Elizabeth an t-aon uair amháin.

Iad siúd a d'éag sna Stáit Aontaithe (S.A.).

Deineadh comóradh ar roinnt dhaoine nár cuireadh sa reilig.

Uimhir 33

Fuair Patrick Merrick bás in America 22 Iúil
1905

Uimhir 42

D'éag James Peters i gCalvary, Nua Eabhrac, 12
Eanáir 1926

Uimhir 42

Bhásaigh Jerry Peters i Chicago, S.A. 3 Meán
Fhómhair 1898

Uimhir 42

Fuair Patrick Peters bás i gCalvary, Nua Eabhrac
24 Nollaig 1896

Uimhir 65

Fuair Anne Fitzgerald bás in America, níl cuntas
ar fáil ar an ndáta.

Died in America

There are a number of souls commemorated who are not actually interred in the graveyard

No. 33

Patrick Merrick died in America 22 July 1905

No. 42

James Peters died in Calvary, New York, 12th Jan 1926

No. 42

Jerry Peters died in Chicago, U.S.A. 21 Sep 1898

No. 42

Patrick Peters died in Calvary, New York, Dec 1896

No. 65

Anne Fitzgerald, died in America, no date recorded

Gates



1780