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OF PRIMATE JOHN GEO. BERESFORD,

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*Made by Rev Canon J B Leslie MA M.R.I.A.*

1. "Protestant Census of Woods Chapel Parish" 1829.  
*IV.1-17* Neatly written on Parchment, showing by Townlands, names of heads of households, No. of Males, Females & Servants, with observations, re schools, etc.  
*Given in full pp. 84-98, below. folio*
2. Address, engrossed on Parchment (2 skins) to the Primate after a "late fearful accident", congratulating him on his merciful preservation and praying that he and the others injured in it might be speedily perfectly restored, etc. Signed by 239 leading male inhabitants of Armagh, and dated at Armagh 27 May, 1844.  
*in the library.*
3. Bundle of Documents concerning the Restoration of the Cathedral, including:-  
*V.1-7* (a). A Bill, in MS., to enable Archbishops & Bishops in Ireland to borrow money on the Security of the Revenues of their Sees, and also to receive voluntary contributions for the repair of their respective Cathedrals.  
 (This Bill was withdrawn or abandoned.)  
 (b). A Memorial to the Primate signed by 57 Dignitaries, Rectors, Vicars, and Perp. Curates of Armagh Diocese in support of a Bill to be introduced to enable Ecclesiastical persons, etc., to charge their benefices with an annual sum, and also landed proprietors to charge their estates, for the same purpose. February, 1830.

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*V. last fol.*

3. (cont.)

V. 12-13

(c). A Letter dated Feb. 6, 1830, from Henry Goulburn, Downing Street, with respect to these proposals.

V. 24-25

(d). A Letter dated 21 June, 1830, from Rev. J. E. Jackson, Dean Elect, on the proposed bill, etc. He had 2 objections to (a). 1. that the whole burden would be laid upon the See. 2. that any sum so raised would be inadequate. He suggested that the Chapter should bear their fair proportion of the burden & that a plan and estimate should be got, and added "an entirely new edifice is required"; speaks of the distress in Wildletown district; & ends up "There is some reason to fear that Dr. Phelan's family are not left in comfortable circumstances. I am told that his life was insured for £2,000".

V. 20-23

(e). A Letter dated May 17, 1830, from Ven. Edward Stopford, Archdeacon, on the same subject. Begins with a reference to the illness of the King (George IV.) "whom every loyal man & every good Protestant must lament", and thinks his successor "must see it to be his interest to support the Protestant Establishment".

Is sorry plan in Bill 1, "to raise a fund for building a Cathedral has failed", it was preferable to the other plan of allowing the clergy to charge their successors, "too magnificent and too sanguine & theoretical for practice". It was proposed to borrow £50,000 a sum that the other Bishops and Dioceses would think extraordinary. "It would have caused great murmurs and discontent among the clergy of the diocese" when the time came for repayment and enthusiasm had died out.

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3. (a). (cont).

Many, he says, signed the Memorial against their better judgment. He calculated that the income of the beneficed clergy in the Diocese was £38,000, at 10 p.c. this would mean annually £3,800, and £1,500 on his Grace's income. As to the Memorial, (although his name appears among the signatures) he says "I never even saw it, nor was it ever offered to me for signature before it was presented to Your Grace". He said, if adopted "the public would say that the Church was in possession of great superfluous wealth which they threw away upon a single building . . . . not calculated to advance the religious instruction of the lower orders, & that Parliament might interfere and divert their wealth into more useful channels, such as founding new parishes, paying additional Curates etc." He goes on to say "on every account it will be necessary to lower our ideas to such a sum as there may be some prospect of obtaining (on loan from Eccl. Comrs. or Govt.) & as may not excite envy at the wealth of 'the richest Church in the world' . . . . a handsome and creditable one might be built for about £12,000 - £4,000 would build a plain Church with ample accommodation for the present congregation & it might be built in such a way as to allow for galleries hereafter (!); if to that sum we add £8,000 this ought to convert the plain Church into a Cathedral with ile, steeple, Chapter room & Gothic ornaments . . . . But a necessary part of this reduced scale of expense would be a change of Site. Mr. Farrell said that to make the present site answer £3,000 must be buried under ground! The advantages of

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3. (e). (cont).

the present site are its central situation, & elevated position for a crowning ornament to the City. In other respects its lofty situation & difficulty of access for carriages are disadvantages. It would not be any disadvantage if it were removed a little out of the town and it would shew fully as well". He suggests His Grace should give "an acre of the demesne on the Newry Road" for the purpose. "Or ground could be got just beyond the School ground . . . on the road to the Deanery".

"The present Cathedral might continue to stand, the its part, now used as a Church might be dismantled, the walls partly taken down, so as to shew the arches - the Consistorial Court to be kept still for use, the Vestry Room swept away & the Choir converted into a Music Hall & place for Chapters or Meetings of the Clergy".

Bundle Concerning Royal Schools, etc.

4. ✓ Royal School, Armagh - (Printed) Memorial to L. L. signed by noblemen and gentlemen of Co. Armagh animadverting on the administration of Royal School, Armagh, averring that no commercial education was given there, etc.. with Answer of the Primate and the Head Master, Rev. W. B. Guillemand. 27 pps. 8vo

*III. 1 (27 pp)*

5. ✓ Royal School, Armagh. (a) Short draft of letter by Primate re above to Gcm<sup>rs</sup> (b) Do. to L. L. 15-16. (c) letter of W. Todd re Exam Papers.

6. Royal School, Dungannon, Raphoe, etc. (a) Letter from W. Cotter Kyle, 1853. (b) Letter from Capt. Stuart Knox, 1852. (c) Minute showing Funds of

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6. (c) (cont.).

Dungannon School Estate 1827. - 22,426.19<sup>2</sup> 7<sup>2</sup>

III 5-14

(d) Letter from Rev. F. Ringwood re Prizes in Latin and English, 1853.

7.

Memo. re Carrickmacross School, Dungannon & Armagh

III 17-19

Schools, Colleg. School, Belfast, & Newry School, showing fees, subjects taught: dist.

8.

Letter of thanks to Primate for promise to pay £200 per an. for a Diocesan Inspector. Mar. 16, 1856.

III 21-22

9.

Letters to Primate re bad attendance at Schools, 1856,

III 23-6

from, (a) Rev. E. J. Young, Brackville

III 27-9

(b) Rev. A. Molony, Magherafelt

III 30-1

(c) Rev. Joseph Channey, Camlough.

10.

Letter from Rev. C. E. Irwin, Magherafelt, 1856, re condition of Rainey School and proposal for rebuilding by Salter's Co., and necessity of seeing their

III 32-5

deputation. Endorsed "Sent him £10 (£220) for his journey".

11.

2 letters from Rev. A. Irwin, 1857, one re Master of Dralincourt School, the other re "Primate's Room"

III 36-8

in T.C.D. & reminding him of the £10 per ann. he paid for "Hastings the Irish Scholar." (probably Patrick Hastings, B.A. 1860, afterwards a clergyman in Clogher Diocese.)

12.

Papers concerning Forkhill trust -

III 39-45

(a) Certified Copy of Accounts, Mar. 29, 1856, with

(b) Letter of Primate to Sec. re agricultural improvement on Estate, 1856.

12. (cont.)

*III 46-7* (c) A. Irwin to Primate re Mullabane School.

(d) Primate to Dr. Campbell re Missions in Ceylon  
*III 48-9* and stating that the Private Forkill Trust Act should be printed and a copy given to each Trustee on appointment.

*III 50-1* (e) Rev. R. Quin to Primate. Thanks for contrib. of £50 to alterations in Forkill Church.

(f) Letter of Rev. Elias Thackeray to the Primate  
*III 52-3* chiefly combating objections made (evidently by Pres. Allott) to Dr. Campbell's proposal that the Board should give £100 annually to encourage the Tenantry of the Trust to improve their farms, etc. Mentions Loan Fund and Dispensary both estab<sup>d</sup> by Dr. C. in Forkill; tells Primate Dr. Bruff master of Dundalk Gram. School, would like a private Exam. for Orders, as he would not care to sit among juniors - Thackeray gave Bruff no encouragement in this. Date, Dundalk, 10, Nov. 1843.

13. ✓ Letter of Rev. Elias Thackeray to Primate re dispute  
*III 111-12* of Incorp<sup>d</sup> Society with their Catechist, the Rev. J. R. Moffatt, V. of Athlone - law suit is going on.

14. ✓ Papers re Vaughan Charity & Tubred School, Drumcheeran Parish, including:-

*III 88-106* (a) A Report on Vaughan School, 1 Nov. 1855, giving details of Dietary, Clothing, Contracts, Lists of of Boys and Girls with date of admission, Names of Governors, Names of Staff, including Rev. Edward Stack, Chaplain (£120 and 14½ acr. land) Master - Henry Leonard. Mistress - Maria Keating, Land Steward, etc., etc.

14. (Cont.)  
 (b) Accounts of Vaughan's Charity with La Touche's Bank 1842-8 & a/cs. of Lodgments 1845-7 by M. C. Maude.  
*III 107-110*
- (c) A Bundle of letters of Rev. Edward Semple, R. of Drumcheeran, Rev. J. Grey Porter and the Primate concerning Mr. Porter's Accounts as Treasurer 1842-8, alleging careless or unbusinesslike accounting.  
*III 54-87*  
*III 113-22*

Tithe Composition Papers.

15. Arboe Parish. Letter of Rev. F. Hall, 1826. Compos. £550 Irish.  
~~III 108-11~~  
*IV. 68.*
16. Armagh Parish. Order for Special Vestry, Oct., 1827.  
*IV. 70-1*  
 Jas. Bolton } Ch. Wardens.  
 Wm. Barnes }  
*III 72-6* Armagh & Grange L<sup>150</sup> . Sept. Radoloff & H.L. Pontiac Comrs 1827.
17. Carnteel Parish. Nathl Mayre Vestry's Comf, 1826.  
*IV. 77.*
18. " " Letter of Arch. Stopford, "Mr. Montgomery, Archd. Knox's opponent his best friend."  
*III 78-9.*  
 £440 Irish.
19. Ballymore Parish. Letter of Dean Thos. Carter app<sup>d</sup> Abraham Hardy Comr. with seal. Dec. 1828. Endorsed £1,000. (22<sup>d</sup> per acre.)  
*IV. 80-1*
20. Ballymore Parish. Letter of Ch. Wardens (Geo. Hardy & Jas. Grant) app<sup>d</sup> G. W. Paton, M.D., Vestry's Comf  
*IV. 82-4*
21. Ballymoyer Parish. Cert. of Com<sup>rs</sup> 1827. £200 British.  
*IV. 85-99*  
 Lists of Parishioners
22. " " Order for Vestry to Marcus Synnot and Wm. Reed, C. Wardens, Oct. 1827.
23. " " Letter of Leonard Dobbin giving Acreage, arable and mountain, in parish 1827.
24. " " Letter of Lord Lifford consenting to Comp. 1827.



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25. ✓ Beaulieu Parish. Letter of Rev. Jerome Alley stating he offered to accept £100 Comp. but "such was the kindly spirit of the Vestry that they unanimously added 25 -- £105. March, 1827.  
*IV. 100-2*
26. " " Order for Special Vestry re Comp. 1827. Laurence Steele & ---- Wright Ch. Wardens.  
*IV. 102-3*
27. ✓ Clonkhan Parish. Letter from Rev. R. Olpherts accepting £50 Comp. Nov. 3, 1824.  
*IV. 104*
28. " " Order for Special Vestry re same. Clarges Ruxton & John Filgate C. Wardens, Aug. 1826.  
*IV. 106-7*
29. ✓ Derryloran Parish. Letter from Rev. W. Mauleverer accepting £550 unanimously granted by Vestry, "nothing could exceed Col. Stewart's kindness on the occasion" 1826.  
*IV. 109-112*
30. " " Certs. of Col. Stewart as to Comp. 1826.
31. Desertoreight Parish. Cert. of Ch. Wardens (S. Armstrong & Thos. Harpur) appointing Thos. Harpur as Com<sup>r</sup> of Vestry. 14 Aug., 1824.  
*IV. 113*
32. Desertlyn Parish. Order for Special Vestry re Comp. Sep. 23, 1824. R. Mullen & J. Sinclair Ch. Wardens.  
*IV. 115-6*
33. ✓ Donoughmore Parish. Cert. signed by Comrs. Sm. Smyth & Benj. Brown, awarding £900 Comp. Sep., 1825.  
*IV. 115-120*  
Also signed by John Ynyr Burges, Northland; Alec. McKenzie; W. Brown; W. H. Walsh; Sam<sup>l</sup> Stewart; & And<sup>w</sup> Dilworth.
34. ✓ Drumree Parish. 3 Documents, 1 and 2, Appointments of Com<sup>r</sup>s 3, Award by Robert Atkinson & Henry L. Prentice £650. 12 Oct. 1827.  
*IV. 123-8*  
*16-27-77*

**Tithe Composition Papers.**

35. Dunbin Parish. Minutes of Special Vestry re Comp. in Widow Judith Rice's house, Killynaly. Ch. Wardens Laurence Cunningham James Keiran. Parishioners.

*IV. 129-132.  
+ 133-4*

*(See opposite p.)*

*II. 72-6 includes also Grange (comp<sup>n</sup> 1827 £450 Ste. Radulph } (cont)  
+ Armagh. ready 1825 £350  
IV. 137. names of Vestrymen*

Day of Humiliation, 1846.

Papers re proposed Day of Humiliation (on failure of Potato Crop) appointed for Oct. 30, 1846, postponed to Nov. 20, 1846, on request of L. L.

*Vol II pp 1-68*

Includes:- Draft of Circular, to Bishops and Incumbents.

Nature of Service.

Correspondence with Bishop of Down re same including ref. to Black Gown and Surplice.

Also letters from various Bishops.

Letter to Archbishop of Canterbury animadverting on attitude of Archbishop of Dublin, who objected to Prayers issued by Order in Council, would not attend Councils ordering them, or allow them to be used in Ch. of parish in which he resided.

He also was offended at (1) Circulars sent by Primate to his suffragans, (2) none to himself. Answer of Primate claiming right to do so but not to dictate;

Also Letter of Bishop Stopford, Meath, referring to Savage Assault on his son-in-law Mr. Hickman a magistrate by the Clare Ruffians - he was wounded.

Jonesborough. Correspondence of Rev. Robt. Henry, Jonesborough,

*II 46-83.*

with Primate, 1858.

*See p 50*

Rev. Prec. Irwin proposed to evict him from part of Glebe Lane of Killeavy, let to him by Prec. Allott in 1838 - being mountain - speaks hard of Irwin - Letters of Allott, senr. - claims tenant right Compensation - leaves settlement to Primate or Lord Clermont.

Diocese.

*I 69<sup>a</sup>*

Book of Notes of Value, etc., of Unions of Parishes in Dio. Armagh, c. 1830. (? Archd. Stopford's.)

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Fees. List of Trien. Vis. Fees of V. Gen. 2203. 5. 10.  
*I. 66.* Reg. 2153. 8. 4½ and Apparitor 252. 0. 1½.  
*Inar.* and ~~not~~ expenses 252. 17. 8.

See Property. Mr. Kelly's Report on See Property 1824 and  
*I. 69-70-75* 1830 - full description of what Primate did  
for Armagh.

Tithe Compos- Remarks on 1st Tithe Composition Bill, 1823.  
ition Bill. (~~F~~ Stopford's). 69 pages.  
*I. 76-77 in RC D. Collection*

Cathedral Bill, Dr. Wm. Phelan's objections to proposed Cathedral  
1830.  
*V. 7-11* Bill, 1830, and J. E. Jackson's comments on it.  
(Bound in Cathedral Volume)

Pluralities. Arch<sup>d</sup> Stopford on certain charges (in Parl<sup>t</sup> ?  
*I. 76-* by Sir John ----) 1828, concerning abuses in  
Faculties for Pluralities stating no record was  
kept of them,

Marshall, referring to "a scrape of Marshall, C. Killeshil"  
Killeshil. with a parishioner, Crossle.  
*I. 76-7.*

Pluralities Arch<sup>d</sup> Stopford re Fac. for Arch<sup>d</sup> Dublin and  
*I. 78* parishes held with it, 1828, and Narraghmore.

Archbishop of Cashel told Arch<sup>d</sup> it would be  
impossible to keep up his rank on the income  
of the Arch<sup>d</sup>. - (£1,600 a year !)

*I 79* Also Wicklow and other parishes and Killiskey  
- Dr. Dealtry has not resided for many years  
from pecuniary embarrassment.

*I. 79-80* Also Rev. Geo. O. Beresford's parishes,  
= V. Chor. Cork, Union Iniscarra (Cloyne),  
Feanagh (Ardagh), and Arch<sup>d</sup> Cork.

He res. Feanagh 3 yrs. since in favour of  
his son, but Archbishop of Tuam refused to  
inst. his son and allowed father to go  
back to it. Some time since he res.  
Inniscarra.

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Acton Glebe House. Some changes proposed 1858.

*I 82-3*

Aghavilly.

Number of Ch. people (1856) is 300, pupils at School 70. Letter of Rev. Ed. Thomas with copy of Report of Rev. Robt. King, Dio. Insp. Letter of Rev. W. Maclean correcting his Vis. Ret. re Aghavilly.

*I. 84-89*

Letter of Rev. E. Thomas, Perpetual Curate, complaining of his Income (£70 = £35 from R. Derrynoose and tithe Rent Charge of £35 less Poor Rate, from R. Armagh). He applied to Eccl. Com<sup>rs</sup>, who gave him no aid, but the R. Armagh increased £15 more. Endorsed sent him check £15 and will send £15  $\frac{1}{2}$  yearly.

Ardee. (a) Irwin to Primate re wish of Rev. A. Ellis to appoint H. W. Young his Curate at Ardee, Sep. 18, 1858.

*I. 90*

"Mr. Young was so long accustomed to deal with and humour an old gentleman, while he was Curate to Dr. Campbell that he may perhaps suit himself to the Rector of Ardee, but he will find a considerable difference in their tempers

(b) Letter from Rev. R. Quin, Charlestown Sep. 26, 1858,

*I 91-94*

to Rev. J. Jones concerning work among R. C. in the district. He distributes "Catholic Layman" and speaks well of it. The Scrip. Readers of Ardee "can now walk unmolested . . . a feeling of shame on the part of the priests may have driven them to withdraw their persec<sup>n</sup> - 2 persons from Ardee renounced Popery - others ready. "Trust those 100 Missionaries from England will not disturb our work".

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Ardee. (cont.).

(c) Letters of Leonard Dobbin and Arthur Ellis, 1847, re

*I 95-97* Glebe Leases of Ardee Glebe made by Rev. A. Ellis binding his successors without Primate's consent.(d) Letter of Rev. A. Irwin re Ardee Parish. <sup>1857</sup> Finlay,*I 98-9* Kearney, Hewetson and Simpson are named.

(e). Papers concerning case of Rev. A. Ellis, V. of Ardee,

*I. 100-123* versus Rev. Edwd. Nixon, a beneficed clergyman of Dio. of Meath, for preaching in connection with the Estab. Ch. Home Mission in the Market House, Ardee, against Vicar's wish.

Judgment of Dr. Miller, Proeg. Court, Mar. 23, 1828, against Nixon, who submitted to the Court.

Letters of Nixon, Rev. Dominic Browne, and Primate, etc.

Armagh. Letter of A. Irwin, Feb. 5, 1858, with an amusing ref-

*I 124-5* erence to Dean Disney; proposal for new Chimes for Cathedral.

Armagh Constituency. Election of Ross Moore, 1852 - Goulburn

*I 126-130* 1830. Refusal of Primate to support Mr. Webber, 1823.

Armagh Observatory. Trustees of Dean Hamilton on his decease

*I 131-5* said to have removed certain instruments and furniture, claiming them as his. From an inventory they were found to belong to Observatory, and were to be demanded back. Mr. Robinson put into Observatory Nov. 11, 1823.

Ballyclog. (a) O. Herbert was C. of Ballyclog from June 1,

*I 136-7* 1857. (Letter of A. Irwin). Also re P. Ck. of Killylea (Welsh).*I. 138-143* (b) Rev. Oway Herbert employed a few months to help the Rector by the Primate: was ord. by late

Bishop of Lincoln. Served with Army in Crimea, now seeking to be Nav. Chaplain. Primate tells Admiralty he suffers from epilepsy. April 3. 1858

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Ballymascanlan. J. T. Warren, May 2, 1854, complains that Ballyboys and Bellurgan in Castletown parish, for which the Rector receives £20 tithe rent charge devolves to him to spiritually superintend and now that Dundalk is vacant he ought to get allowance for it. No answer!

I. 1114-7

*Memoranda notes 7.*

Ballymascanlan and Jonesborough. Copy of Act of Council

*I. 1148* making change in the Parish. April, 1861.

*TV. 18-21* Act of Council is in Registry

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Ballymore. Letters of Rev. Mortimer O'Sullivan, 1856.

(1) Mar. 4, 1856, re Influence of Catholic Layman; new system (Dr. Cullen's) of meeting efforts of Scripture Readers by sending Redemptorist preachers through the country. The Irish Society with its quiet work "accumulated the waters" while the Irish Church Missions "let loose the cataract".

*I. 149-52*

(2) Oct. 8, 1856. O'Sullivan's son ill from pulmonary disease, and he craves leave of absence to go with him to a warmer clime. Granted; Primate offers to pay an extra Curate while he is away. Declined thankfully as Johnston says he can do the work.

*I. 153-54*

(3) Note. reference to a publication of Johnston objected to by Mr. Verschoyle. And a letter of Rector (O'S.) evidently objecting to it also.

*I. 165-7*

Ballymoyer. Proposal of transfer of augment<sup>d</sup> from Ballymoyer to Newtownsaville as Rector now paid him more; letter from Mr. Quin, 1850. "Grants from the Boulter Fund are to the benefice not to the individual"

*I. 168-171*

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Brackville. Rev. Josiah Heron just arrived to assist Young  
✓ (a) I. 172-3 as Curate of Brackville. Asks for an advance of his  
stipend (of £100 ?).

✓ (b) I. 174-5 Mr. Williams' report on condition of Church, 1854.

✓ (c) I. 176-9 Letter (? from Archdeacon) re forming of Brackville  
P. C. 1840.

✓ Brantry. Letter from Archdeacon Stokes, states Lady Caledon  
wishes to make Brantry £100 a year.

cc/ I. 180-3 Mr. Fitzgerald (P. C. of Brantry) intends to return  
to Co. Wexford . . . . altho' he appears to have  
regained fully his popularity among his people".

Chaplain of Vaughan Charity -- his infirmities  
are increasing, Nov. 1, 1856.

Carlingford. Printed Judgment of Dr. Redcliff, Consist. Court  
✓ (a) I. 184-98 re Dilapidations of Glebe on resignation of Rev. W.  
Barlow. Dublin. Milliken. 1854.

✓ (b) I. 198-9 Letter of A. Irwin, on R. Johnston's appointment  
as C. Carlingford. "the account of Mr. J's doctrine"  
"surprised if it is a prudent thing to introduce Mrs.  
J. into the little Society of Carlingford which has  
hitherto been a peaceful one". Sep. 30, 1858.

✓ (c) I. 200-1 Verechoyle's thanks to Primate for his donation  
of £5 to Carlingford School Fund. Aug. 30, 1853.

Charlestown. Letter from Em. Ruxton, Ardee, re a Memorial of  
✓ (1) I. 204-4 Ardee parishioners in favour of T. D. Logan as Rector  
of Charlestown.

✓ (2) I. 202-4 Reply of Primate, saying he had appointed Logan,  
but deprecating the method of Memorials to him. Sep. 1  
1858.

✓ (3) I. 205-5 Letter from R. Olpherts, 1831, re Income of  
parish.

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Clogherry. Letter to Rev. R. V. Dixon, declining to suggest  
*I. 207-8* any allocation of pews in Church. Suggesting parish-  
 ioners would settle it among themselves and expressing  
 pleasure that congregations filled the Church. 1856.

Clommore. Letter from Rev. J. Jervis White refusing Clommore  
*I. 209* June 4, 1858.

Collon. A. Adams to Primate re Tablet in Church to Miss Wynne.

(1) *I. 211*

(2) Letter of Primate to Adams. Reference to a Monument

*I. 213-4*

to Mrs. North. He considers the design unfit for  
 erection; was not consulted before it was carved, or  
 brought over, and nothing but his regard for Mr. and  
 Mrs. North would induce him to permit its erection.

Derryloran.

(1) Acknowledgment by Rev. A. Molony of a cheque £11. 12. 0,  
*I. 215* for Mrs. Burgoyne.

(2) " " " " " of a cheque £20. 0. 0,  
*I. 217-219-  
 + I. 220* towards gas lighting;  
 Derryloran Church.

(3) Letter from W. C. Quin re Mr. Welland's plan for  
*I. 222* enlarging Cocketown Church, 1854.

(4) Letter of Rev. A. Molony re an Organ; Primate promises  
*I. 223-4* £20. Sep. 9, 1854.

Desertlyn. Letter of J. P. Hewitt to Primate appointing Mr.

(1) Orestores as Curate, and speaking highly of him and of  
*I. 225-6* late Curate A. Fitzgerald (appointed to Wortedown),  
 June 1859.

(2) Letter of do. re £403 compensation coming from  
*I. 227-8* Railway Co. 1856.

Drogheda. Letter from A. Irwin re application of Mrs. Adamson

(1) (who m. a Curate of her father's, Archdeacon Martin of  
*I. 229-231* Killeshandra) and application of W. E. Ormsby to be



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## Drogheda (cont.).

allowed for reasons of health to live in another house in Drogheda. 1857.

- ✓ (2) *I. 237-4* Letter from Ormsby. Par. Clk. wants one of the Widows' Houses as his house has been occupied for 20 years by the old organist whom he does not wish to evict.
- ✓ (3) *I. 235-4* Letter from Dean H. U. Tigue objecting on principle to Mrs. Carpendale being allowed to have 2 Widows' Houses and break a door between them. Primate agrees with him. Oct. 26, 1856.
- ✓ (4) *I. 238* Letter of same, acknowledging appointment of Mrs. Brabazon to a Widows' House and Annuity, vice Mrs. Burton.
- ✓ (5) *I. 240-258* Correspondence re Rev. J. Paed's objection to Glebe houses. Letters of Mr. Cairnes and Archbishop of Dublin. He resigned in a few months. 1859.
- ✓ (6) *I. 259-60* Letter of Rev. B. Newcombe asking help for Mrs. Stewart wife of the Curate who is believed to be insane. "Obliged to leave her husband from excessive ill-treatment . . . with 2 young children . . . hopes to get livelihood as a governess." Endorsed "sent him £20 for her and told him I had sent only a few days £55 to Rev. Mr. Stewart for his q<sup>rs</sup> salary".
- ✓ (7) ~~*I. 261-2*~~ Letter from Rev. W. B. Ormsby re suspension of Sexton of St. Peter's, Drogheda. April 24, 1856.
- ✓ (8) *I. 261-2* Letter of Primate to him adverting to End. Com<sup>rs</sup> report as to Blue Coat School, Drogheda, as to want of cleanliness and neglect of decencies of life. Says he offered Mr. Cairnes a sum to supply bedsteads, bedding, and other necessaries.
- ✓ Dromiskin. Letter of Rev. J. H. Stubbs with printed List of  
(1)  
*I. 263-5* Course of Lent Sermons in Dromiskin Church: blowing his own trumpet. Mar. 17, 1856.
- ✓ (2) *I. 266-7* Do. complaining that Mr. Fullerton the

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- Dromiskin, (E) (cont.)  
 Architect did not come to inspect wall in Churchyard  
 and the Church. Jan. 15, 1856.
- Drumbanagher. Mr. Allott's letters objecting to Kirkpatrick  
 as D.C., is allowed to appoint Chas. L. Maclean.  
*I. 268 - 275-283 of the matters such as subscribers to the House*
- Drumcar. (1) Letters re right of Patronage of V. 1840.  
*I. 284-287.*  
 (2) Comp. 2290; passed at Vestry, 8 Feb., 1836.
- IV. 121-2.* Rectorial tithes  
 (Rev. Jer. Alley) John McClintock (Chairman)  
 Robert Thompson, Comrs. for applotment.  
 Signed:- John McClintock, Jerome Alley, Robt.  
 Thompson, Henry Foster, Thos. Crawford, Patk.  
 Clinton, Thos. Donnelly, Jas. Gaddis, Jas. Dullagh-  
 an, Patk. Dullaghan, Jas. Kelly, John Corkeran,  
 Jas. Gaynor, Patk. McKim, James Erakine, John  
 Markey, Peter Butterly, Anthony Rogers, Patk.  
 Shields, Richd. McGinnis, John Finnagan, Peter  
 McGinnis.  
*(with title comp. papers see p. 9)*
- Dunany. Letter of A. Irwin Aug. 19, 1853, asking for help  
*I. 288-9* for "Mrs. Jones widow of the late reprobate Inct. of  
Dunany". also to a letter of Rev. C. K. Irwin  
 of Magherafelt concerning rumoured changes in  
 National Education.
- Dundalk. Letter from Rev. Edwin Thomas, Curate of Dundalk and  
 (1)  
*I. 290* Louth, telling of his Rector's (Rev. Elias Thackeray's)  
 death this morning at 5 o'clock. April 29, 1854.
- (2) Letter of Primate to Lord Roden telling him in case  
*I. 292-4.* of a vacancy (it was in June, 1852) he would appoint  
 Rev. A. M. Pollock of Newry, a sound divine, with no  
 tendency to Tractarian opinions, a good Preacher, etc.  
 Lord Roden replies thanking him.

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Dungannon School. Letter of Rev. L. Dowdall, with reference  
*I 296-7* of refusal of Board to pay for repairs, thanking the  
Primate for his helpful interference with the Board of  
above, who had uniformly refused Head Master's appli-  
cation for cost of necessary repairs to School "public  
part". Nov. 12, 1823.

Dungannon Church. L. L. hears an orange flag is to be flown  
*I 298-9* on Church on 12 July, 1830: is afraid it will cause  
disturbance. Thos. Singleton, *ackn* writes on his behalf re  
it from Phoenix Park to Primate, who assures him it  
is not true.

✓ Forkhill Trust. Some papers.  
*I 300-1*

✓ Jonesborough. Letters from R. Henry re application for  
*I 302-5* Augmentation from Ecol. Com<sup>rs</sup> 1856.

✓ Kildarton. Letter to J. R. Greer, saying he must reside.  
*I 306-9*

✓ Killeavy & Meigh. Letter of A. Irwin enclosing Bom<sup>n</sup> of Rev.  
*I 310* R. Law to Meigh; with particulars of salaries of  
Curate of Meigh, Mullaglass, and Drumbanagher.  
Sep. 7, 1856.

✓ Killeavy and Jonesborough. Letters of Rev. R. Henry re  
*I 311-19* Prec. Irwin's notice to evict him from a part of  
Killeavy Glebe - mountain land - which had been  
leased to him by Prec. Allott in 1838, and which  
Irwin now wanted possession of, 1858. Henry claimed  
tenant right, but left it to Primate and Lord Clermont  
to settle.

✓ Kilsaran. Rev. R. Le P. McClintock requests Licence for Non-  
*I 320-328* residence on grounds of health and nominates Mr.  
Thornhill as Curate-in-Charge. Writing from "Kilsaran

Kilteeran (cont.)

Rectory, Castlebellingham, Oct. 23, 1856.

Primate asks for a Medical Certificate.

Killylea. Letter from Mr. Maclean objecting to Fullerton

(1)

I 323-4

giving authority to thin the trees in Churchyard, as the Church is on a high hill and requires all the shelter it can get. 15 Mar., 1856.

Mentions his schoolmaster at Tyman, Mr. Loney, who also trains the Choir.

(2) Letter of Primate to Rev. J. McCausland ordering him

I 325-8

to reside on his benefice, (McC. resided in Armagh) and requesting him to cut no more trees in Churchyard as the consent of the patrons should be obtained to do so. "I remember perfectly well that the site of the Church was purposely fixed where it is on account of the ornament which the trees would be to the building & the Churchyard" besides Mr. Prentice had reported that the large trees cut was not an improvement but the reverse. 19 Mar., 1856. Another letter May 23, 1856.

(3)

I 329

Letter from Mr. Armstrong, Mt. Irwin, referring to Building of a Glebe House.

Primate Robinson's bequest amounted to £1,000.

(4) Bundle of Letters re Vacancy in Killylea.

Rev. C. S. Mangan wished to appoint Rev. Alex<sup>r</sup> Robinson son of Dr. Robinson of the Infirmary. July 1856.

I 331-44

Robinson was a year Asst. C. of the Mariners' Church Dublin, then Asst. C. of Drumcondra a year. He was ord. by Archbishop of Dublin. He res. expecting a Chaplaincy in India which he did not get owing to political changes, was lately in charge of Belturbat. Primate objects to his inexperience and says he would offer it

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Killylea (cont.)

(4) (cont.)

either to Rev. Geo. Tottenham or Rev. J. G. Eccles.

In another letter to Mr. Armstrong he proposes to appoint Rev. Thos. Ellis, and says a residence should be built. Would Mr. Armstrong give land and build a house. Meanwhile could live in Caledon.

Mr. W. Armstrong offers 5 acres in perpetuity at 30/- per acre. Oct. 1858.

(5) ✓ P. Clk. removed for marrying his dec<sup>d</sup> wife's sister.*I. 345* Was also Schoolmaster. Letter of A. Irwin, Sep. 5, 1857.

Loughgall. Mr. Flavell writes referring to a request or "demand"

(1)

of Mrs. Cope of the Manor for him or his Curate to have a weekly service in a School house built by Cap. Cope before his death. Mr. Flavell declined and the Primate agreed with him. There were places of worship near enough. June 26, 1858.

*I. 347-8*

(2) Alex. Hamilton, Q. C., writes from Black Rock, Dublin,

*I. 349*

requesting Primate to appoint his son-in-law, Rev. Joseph Wright, to the Preb. Loughgall. Dec. 31, 1861. Primate refused.

Magherafelt. Letter of T. A. Vesey, saying his son (William)

*I. 357-2*

was coming as his Curate from Ballymoyer. - William's wife's bro-in-law Mr. Mangin, was in the Castle (Dublin); also referring to the opposition of Dissenters and a Dissenting Clergyman to the Compos<sup>n</sup> of Tithes, opposition dying out, he was now offered £450, which he proposed to take. Feb. 20, 1838.

Keigh. Resignation of Rev. Richard Graham (as requested by

*I. 353*

Mr. Bailey who conveyed the Primate's wishes in that respect) of the P. C. Keigh, 11 Feb. 1854.

*I. 355*

Accepted by Primate 14 Feb. 1854, who told him

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Meigh (cont.).

he might officiate till 13 April, when he would give him £100 to clear off any liabilities he incurred to assist him in settling elsewhere.

Middletown Infirmary. Letters of Rev. W. Maclean, re repairs

*I 357* - plumbing; and re Dr. Clarke. 1853-8.

Moy. Letter of Mrs. Balfour, March 1852, with Mr. Wrightson's approval, suggesting building of a church in Tullyrone

*I 361-6*

T. L. near Derryscollop where her tenants were - who on account of distance of the Church went to Methodists. She says a district would include part of Killyman, Clonfeacle and Loughgall. Mr. Balfour would give £50 towards it.

(8) Letter of A. Irwin, says Mr. Wrightson of Moy tells him

*I 367-8* a pew in Gallery was given by Vestry for Lord Charlemont's servants, but a man named Joyce claims it and sits in it. Aug. 30, 1858.

Mullabrack. Letter of Lord John Beresford, Rector, asking for

*I 369* approval of changes in the Church there. Mar. 11, 1856.

Mullavilly. Letter of thanks for Condolence from Primate re

*I 371-2*

death of his sister's husband, Rev. Ed. Atkinson, R. of Mullavilly, from Thos. Jones, Sep. 1858.

Woods Chapel. Letter of Rev. A. Molony, Rural Dean, pointing

*I 373-6* out that Woods Chapel Glebe is not, but should be, secured by Deed, from Salter. 1858.

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First Fruits. 1831. Letter from Rev. B. O. Disney to Primate

(a) Statement showing History of First Fruits Fund, up  
I 377-390 to 1823-4, and its uses, and position at that date.

(b) Parliamentary Paper printed giving opinions of Law  
IV. 228 Officers on the Revaluation of Benefices under First  
Fruits Fund and adverse to same. Printed 23 Aug., 1831.

(c) Minutes of 1st Meeting of Ecclesiastical Commissioners  
IV. 36 2 Oct., 1830.

Letter of Mr. Beresford to Primate. Jan. 16, 1834.

Rev. Isaac Aebe Baronstown on the Revival Movement in  
Louth.

I 393-4 - "It has now reached my own parish". He held prayer  
meetings at which Presbyterians attended. "No Pres-  
byterian affected and no physical manifestations," says  
he thought it better to be at the head of the movement,  
visited Ardee and Collon by request, Presbyterians  
being drawn to the Church, the movement emphasised the  
doctrine that "Christ died for all mankind" and this  
more acceptable to many Presbyterians than the "limited  
atonement" they were taught. Feb. 2, 1862. 0.

Primate "approved his proceedings".

July 16, 1853. Letter from Lord Massereene re Commission

I 398-9 of Enquiry concerning dispute about Jews in Collon  
- between Mr. Henry, Mr. Singleton, and Captain Wynne.

Jan. 1860. Copy of Primate's letter to L. Dobbin to commu-

I 400-1 cicate to the Agent (Mr. Spottiswoode) of the Salters'  
Co. to get a grant in Perpetuity of the land on which  
the Parsonage of Woods Chapel was built (built by Sub-  
scription - including subscribers Salters Co. and the  
Primate.)

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30 April, 1861. Letter from Rev. E. O. Disney to Primate  
*I. 402-5* re Enlargement of Killeeshil Church and from Dr. Gayer  
 saying Eccl. Com<sup>rs</sup> will pay half of £550 (estimated  
 Cost, Mr. Archer, Collier, tendered for £589). Mr.  
 Disney had only raised £161, including contributions  
 from Primate, £50 from Sir W. Venner, and £10 from Mr.  
 Goff (latter's agent "a virulent dissenter" and there-  
 fore not likely to recommend Goff - an absentee land-  
 lord - to give more).

Letter of Dr. Stopford to Primate. Jan. 16, 1824.

- (1) *I. 406-7* Re sequestration of Ternonfeekin to Sir Jas. Stronge,  
 his nephew, for debt of Mr. Armstrong the Rector.  
 Another creditor now offered a compromise otherwise  
 he "would be lodged in jail". He had been agent to  
 Sir Jas. Money slipped thro' his fingers being a  
 zealous magistrate! did not pay for a resident  
 Curate, as he should, but got a clergyman from  
 Drogheda. Recommends a relaxation, as he might  
 reside.
- (2) *I. 408-9* Complaining that Lady Lifford put a little girl in  
 Drelincourt Orphanage, who was under 8 years -  
 against His Grace's rules.

Enclosing another letter from Dr. S. with Extracts  
 from Acts of Parliament respecting Glebes for Curates.  
 Primate at Remegate, refers to Dr. Phelan ("Dilan")  
 and his antagonist Baron Smith ("Barton") latter  
 son "of a popist mother and Protestant father".

*I. 410-1* Dr. Radcliff's opinion about holding a P. C. with a Vicarage  
 Case Llanadill and another Cure cited, May 4, 1826.

*I. 412-4* Primate to Rev. R. Quin Rural Dean, concerning a report  
 that the V. of Dundalk (Marcus Hainsford) officiated



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in a Presbyterian Church in his parish, to warn him  
not to repeat offence, and Mr. Quin's answer

"night shirt" comfortable! Feb. 6., 1860.

*I H 16* Primate to Revs. Olpherts saying they had no claim against  
Mr. Quin for Dilapidations Charlestown. Feb. 7, 1860.

*I H 18* Primate to Churchwardens Armagh to call a Vestry in Cath-  
edral Ch. Armagh Union, 26 May, 1858, to make an asst.  
for support of destitute children, for coffins for the  
poor and for applotter's salary, omitted to be done  
at Easter.

*I H 20-3* Letter from Rev. R. Verschoyle, Carlingford, asking advice  
whether he should support Mr. Mury's move to revise  
P. Bk. Primate thinks improvement might be necessary  
but present time not convenient "the door might be  
opened for innovations injurious to the Church".  
Jan. 9, and 11, 1860.

*I H 24-5* Primate gets thanks <sup>40</sup> from Rev. M. Rainsford for offering to  
pay Cur. Asst. for Dundalk for 6 months on account of  
illness of Curate (? Jos. Rainsford) which R. fears  
will be fatal! June 17, 1859.

*I H 26* Rev. E. Semple, Drumcheeran, Kesh, writes for Power of  
Attorney to sell £580 granted by the Genl B<sup>d</sup> last  
Rev. ?(for School there). Sep. 11, 1859.

*I H 28-9* Copy of Mr. Flavel's Agreement with John, Lord Waterford,  
re Markethill Chapel of Base. 1860.

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## ✓ Returns of Church Families in Parishes of Diocese, 1832.

<u>Parish.</u>	<u>Families.</u>	<u>Individuals.</u>		
Acton. <i>III 276</i>	125.	660.	Oct. 24, 1832.	Savage Hall, Curate.
Arboe. <i>III 278-80</i>	174.	920.	Nov. 7, 1832.	John Darley, Rector.
Armagh dist.) in Par. of ) <i>III 281</i>	640	2880	"	C. S. Mangan, Robt. Miller, Curates.
Armaghleague. <i>III 283</i>	111.	497.	Oct. 30, 1832.	Saml. Simpson, Curate.
Ballenderry. <i>III 284</i>	141.	840	Oct. 19,	Jas. Tisdall, Rector.
Ballylog. <i>III 285</i>	54.	301.	Nov. 2, 1832.	Wm. Smith, Rector.
	(33 pure 21 mixed) children all bap. <sup>c</sup> in Ch.			Only 4 instances of R. C. mar. to Prots.
Ballygawley. <i>III 286-7</i>	139.	715	Oct. 30.	Thos. Murray.
Ballymascullen.) Dunbys. ) <i>III 288</i>	61. None.	334. ---	Nov. 2, 1832.	Owen Ormsby, P. C. Owen Ormsby, Rector.
Ballymakenny. <i>III 289</i>	4.	28.	Oct. 24.	Anth. Adams,  (No P.C. or Sch. Wr.)
Baronstown. <i>III 291-2</i>	8.	51.	Oct. 30.	Sir Thos. Forster, Rector.
	(vis. Geo. McQuerry, Esq. 5) Mr. Jennings (his steward ) V. Cap. Williams, 8. Mr.) Mr. Pollock, 4. Mr. Jas. ) Pollock, 12. Mr. Alex. ) McEvoy, 5. Mrs. McNeil, 6.) Six Thos. Forster, B <sup>p</sup> 4. )			
<i>Carlingford</i> <i>III 295</i> <i>III 297</i>	46 110.	227 538.	Nov 9 Oct. 31	<i>Andrew Cleland C.</i> W. B. Forde, Rector.
Clogherny. men widows <i>III 298</i>	100) wives 87) 8) Heads 108) Male ch <sup>d</sup> 193) Female " 186)		- 574.	Oct. Jas. Lowry, Rector.
Clommore. <i>III 300-1</i>	(5 (2 Police	34.	Oct. 23	Saml Gerrard (aged 80)
Derrygortreevy. <i>III 302</i>	(95 Church (41 Dis- sentera but Confor- mists.	477.) 193.)	Oct. 26.	Geo. Evans, P. C.

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Derryloran <i>III. 304</i>	327.	1622.	Oct. 22.	Chas. Bardon.
Derrynoose. <i>III. 312</i>	156.	730.		Jas. Jones, Jr.
Desertreight. <i>III. 305</i>	263.	1137.	Nov. 5.	Alex Geo. Stuart.
		(not including Dis- (centers who have (wished to be enrol- (led as hearers of (mine.		
Desertlyn. <i>III. 306</i>	237.	1187.	Oct. 16.	John P. Hewitt.
<i>Quombanagher</i>	<i>137</i>	<i>545</i>	<i>Nov 9</i>	<i>Jas. Hutton, C. of Kerry</i>
Dundalk & Castletown. <i>III. 308-9</i>	264. (Mil.	1630 1888	(Spring Census) Oct. 25.	Elias Thackeray, Vicar.
		Barracks reckoned as 1 Family)		
Dunleer. <i>III 313. &amp; 319</i>	71. 60.	307. 277.	(1828) (1832)	Nov. 15 (not incl. Moylary) Thos. H. C. Finny, (Cur- ate).
Erriglokesrogue, (given by Townlands) <i>III. 310-11</i>	152.	773)=	379 male. 394 female.	Oct. 18. John Jas. Montray.
Faughart. <i>III. 318</i>	11.	47.	Nov. 2, 1832.	S. Thackeray for G. Finley who has not at present the use of his right hand.
<i>Keady (by Townlands)</i>		<i>985</i>	<i>483 Male</i> <i>502 Fem.</i>	<i>S. Blecker Rector</i> <i>1832</i>
Killylea. <i>III 315</i>	323.	1045.	Nov. 5.	S. G. Disney, Curate.
Killyman (by <i>III 320-1</i> Townlands)	564.	3228.	Nov. 7.	Wortimer O'Sullivan.
				" The no. of dissenting Protestants is not considerable perhaps not exceeding 30 families, of these many attend Ch. but except in 2 instances their names are not included.
Kilsaran. <i>III 322</i>	50.	200.	Nov. 14.	Henry McClintock.
Lisnadill. <i>III. 323</i>	93.	429.	Nov. 2.	Step <sup>d</sup> Radcliff.
Lissan. <i>III. 324</i>	111.	450.	Oct. 31.	Wm. J. Irvine, (Curate)
Louth. <i>III 308</i>	42.	227.	Oct. 25.	Elias Thack- eray.
<i>Laughgilly</i>				<i>Slake</i>
<i>III. 325</i>				
Nagherafelt. <i>III. 326</i>	249.	1249.	Oct. 25.	S. Twigg.

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<u>Parish.</u>	<u>Families. Individuals.</u>			
Meigh. <i>III. 327.</i>	50.	247.	Nov. 1.	Geo. De Butte, Curate.
		(includes Presbyt <sup>o</sup> (who wished to be no <sup>t</sup> (attend Ch. & get Ch <sup>o</sup> (baptized.)		
Moy. <i>III. 329-30</i>	487.	2465.	Nov. 5.	M. C. Hime.
Mullavilly. <i>III. 331</i>	597.	2875.		Maxwell Car- pendale.
Pomeroy. <i>III. 332</i>	136.	712.	Oct. 23.	John A. Wall. (? Curate)
Tartaraghan. <i>III. 333.</i>	627.	3224.	Nov. 6.	Henry Stewart, Curate.
Ternonmaguirke. <i>III. 335</i>	176.	779.		
(Sixmilecross <i>III. 335</i> Division. (Clogherny P <sup>o</sup> ) ( <i>III. 335</i> ) (Errigle P <sup>o</sup> ) <i>III. 335</i>	168.	816.		
	24.	130.	Nov. 15.	C. C. Beres- ford, Rector.
	14.	71.		
Tullyallen. <i>III. 336.</i>	35.	165.	Oct. 24.	Thos. J. Mackie, P. C.
Woods Chapel. <i>III. 339</i>	352.	1527.	Oct. 23.	Laurence Dowdall.
<i>Jynon &amp; Middletown Glebe Return</i> <i>III. 338</i>				

Papers re a promise to subscribe £200 by late Primate in 1862

for building a Glebe house in Aghavilly, with sworn  
*I. 430-49* declaration of Rev. Edwin Thomas as to same: Circular  
issued, list of Subscribers: letters of Rev. J. Jones  
and A. Irwin, etc.

Sequestrator's (H. U. Tighe's) account of Rentscharges of  
*IV. 34-5.* Drumcar parish in 1840 - amounting to £39. 14. 2½ -  
giving list of landed Proprietors. J. McClintock,  
R. Thompson, H. Burke, and C. Bolton, Esq<sup>rs</sup>

Report Printed, and List of Subscribers to Ardee Ragged School  
*I. 441-4* 1858, and letter of Miss Susan Ellis to Primate solicit-

ing subscription, telling of building of a nunnery in Ardee. Oct. 15, 1858.

Letter of Rev. David Donaldson to Primate, Oct. 23, 1844, from Tartaraghan, recently appointed P. C. Armaghheague complaining of Rev. S. Simpson not giving up his house as agreed on, and saying he can get no residence in the parish.

Printed Letter to Primate complaining of Rev. Mr. Allott's administration of Vicars' Chorals' Funds, and threatening proceedings, from W. J. Jenkinson, Solr., Seven Houses, Armagh, and a reply - both printed. 1855.

Bundle. Returns Concerning Schools & Glebes, 1824.

(Glebe returns not noted by me.)

Parish.

		<u>No. on</u> <u>Roll.</u>	<u>How Supported.</u> (L.H.S. = London Hibernian Society)
Ardee.	F. Hall, LL.D., R.		
<i>III 183-4</i>	(1) Parish School.	60 or 70.	R. 24. L.H.S.
	(2) L.H.S. School.	60 or 70.	
	(3) another do.	" " "	
	(4) " " "		Close to another Parish.
Ardee.	J. E. Jackson, W.	least, greatest.	
<i>III 135-6-7.</i>	(1) Kildemock Par. )		Inct. 245.
	Sch., stone, )	50 to 150.	
	covered with )		
	slate, built at )		
	sole expense of )		
	late V., Rev. )		
	Eliaz Thackeray.)		
	(2) Boys E. Smith Sch.)	Average	(E. Smith 230.
	Ardee, built by the)	56.	(Corp. Ardee 220.
	Charity on lands )		{Inct. 24.
	given by Corp. of )		{Schs. 213.
	Ardee. )		
	(3) Girls E. S. Sch. Ardee)	70.	(E. S. 230.
	in Sch. Bc. built by )		{1/3 of work
	Corp. Ardee & P. Ruxton)		{done by Scholars.
	on & R <sup>d</sup> granted by )		{ £10. 10. 0.
	Perkin, Ruxton. )		{ Subsc. 29.
			{ Schs. 23.

## Returns, Schools etc., 1824. (cont.)

Parish.		No. on Roll.	How Supported.
Ardree.	E. Hincks, R. & V.		
<i>III. 138</i>	(1) Par. Sch. Ardree.	74 to 90.	Inct. £6. & Scholars.
	M. Steele P. C. Woods Chapel.		
	(2) Sch. at Woods C. not properly a Par. Sch. but supported as such.	about 30.	Inct. £4. & Scholars.
	<i>also Return re Globe</i>		
Armagh.	(1). Par. Sch.	70.	Inct. £24.
<i>III. 140-1</i>	(2) Primate Stuart's Sch., built 1818.	200.	Endowed by lands & funds by him, bringing £110 a year. Incumbent £40 to 50.
	(3) The Rector's School.	62.	Some of the scholars pay in Parish School.
Aghalow (see also Carntael).			
<i>III. 142</i>	(Caledon) Parish School	87.	Inct. £2.5.6, Scholars £52.
	There are other schools in the par.		
Ballinderry.	Par. School.	Average	Inct. £2.
<i>III. 143-4</i>	(Wm. Browne, Master, (trained in Kildare St.)	30.	Kildare St. & Scholars.
Ballyclog.	(1) Eras. Smith Sch. estab. 1814.	60.	E.S. £30 to master & mis- tress, ho. & 1 sc.
<i>III. 145</i>	(2) Par. Sch.	--	Inct. £2. & Scholars' fees.
	(3) Easy (Bary) Sch.	150.	Inct. Lady Cas- tlestuart, Mild. St., & L.H.S.
	(4) Ballinagown Sch.	60.	Self-supporting. Scholars' fees.
Ballymore	"Sch. Ho. reputed the Par. Sch. has been taken possession of by the Proprietor of the Estate & a master appointed by him". R. did not wish to go to expense of action at law, but paid attention to other Schools. See Lord Mandeville's return of 6 Schools, 1840.		
<i>III. 146-7</i>	19 Day Schools	Scholars 745.	2 more day Schs. nearly ready.
	<i>also Globe Return</i>		
Ballymoyer.	No Sch. here: till one built by Hon. J. P. Hewitt opened 1821, by grant Ed. Lieut.'s Sch. Fund, with apartments for teacher & 1 sc.	Average (Inct. Lord Lif- ford £4. More on A.P.C.E. £12. Rolls. (Curate, Schs. etc £12. ( 1 land, £4.	
<i>III. 148-9</i>	R.C.s attend and attended S.Sch till priest stopped them in 1822.		

Returns, Schools etc., 1824. (cont.)

<u>Parish.</u>		<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Beaulieu.	Par. Sch.	24.	Schs. fees about £10 & Incts. say 24.

III 150-1

Camlough. See Lord Mandeville's Return, 1840. *on p 59.*

Carlingford.	Par. Sch.	No returns kept.	24 from Inct., some Scholars pay.
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III 152

("Partly built by subscriptions within these few years.")

Carnteel. (A long and very full Return by Rev. John Groves, Curate.)

III 153-162

- (1) Par. Sch., Carnteel, put on Establt. 1818, when Sch. house built by parish at expense of £282.18.8, on an acre of Glebe close to Aughnacloy. Accomod. for Master ground floor. Sch. upstairs, 36 x 17 feet.

Several R. C.s got premiums in answering New Testament.

Master Chas. Bampton, Church trained in Model School, Dublin.

- (2) Sch. in Aughnacloy under Hib. Society. Parish pays for house. 108. Danl Quinn, R.C. teacher pd by Hib. Soc. & Schs. fees.
- (3) English Sch. kept by Jas. McKeogh, a surveyor & R. C. paid by Schs. fees. 36.
- (4) Girls School kept by Miss Bowess dissenting Methodist, paid by Schs. fees.
- (5) Jas. Hughes a R. C. takes pupils but does not keep a constant School.

Country Schools.

- (6) Ardmaloughey - originally supported by Hib. Soc., but the parents disagreed with the Master and the Soc. withdrew its support. Parish now gives £5. p. ann. Inct. £2.2.0, & other subsc. it is thatched 24 x 18. Jas. Hawey, Master, R.C. 44 on Roll.
- (7) Ballynaputtock - Master Jas. Coulter a Churchman, was here in 1820 - paid by Schs. fees only. About 30 pupils.

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<u>Parish.</u>	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Carnteel (cont.) Country Schools (cont.)		
(8) Ballyreagh, under "Soc. Prom. Ed. Poor" III. 163 782 (cont) slated, 32 x 18. Society gave £35, Col. Verner gave balance to make up £102 cost of building - built on his estate, only 2 years built.		Income. Society £10. Col. V., Ho. & gar. & Schs. fees.
	No. of Scholars 87.	
Master, Jas. FitzSimmons a Churchman.		
(9) Carnteel Village Sch., cabin built by parish, till 1822, when disputes among the inhab <sup>ts</sup> arose about the master and it fell into disrepair and Churchwardens sold it - it is in contemplation to open another.		
(10) Dernaborey Sch., under Soc. for Ed. Poor, Ire., built by subsc. £10 from Parish & £20 from Soc. Parish keeps in repair.		Rector from £1 to £3, Society £3. Joseph Goff Proprietor £2 annually & fees.
	No. of Scholars 87.	
Master Patrick Magirr, R. C.		
(11) Edentetean. David Burnet Anabaptist Master a cabin 22 x 18. Under Hib. Soc.		Joseph Goff Esq., £4. Archdeacon £1. & Hib. Soc., & fees.
	122 on Roll.	
Lately Soc. Ed. Poor Ir., granted £45 to build a new Sch. here, & subsc <sup>ns</sup> £10 were collected.		
(12) Loughans, kept by Thos. Mack a Presbyt., teaching there 7 years Thatched, 30 x 18. Sch. built 5 years ago, parish paid £5 towards its building. Subscriptions, £5. Archdeacon £1.	30.	Fees only.
(13) Skie, Master John Starbit R. C. Built by subsc <sup>ns</sup> Parish £5, others, £5. Thatched, 28 x 18.	16.	Fees only.
(14) Tullyvaar, Master, Andrew Wilson a surveyor & Anabaptist; built by subscription (£5 incl. £1 from Arch <sup>d</sup> ) & £5 from parish, 1823.	77.	Fees only but got £10 yearly from Mrs. Gage Proprietor till she d. in May, 1823.



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## Returns, Schools etc., 1824. (cont.)

## Parish. No. on Roll. How supported.

Charlestown. Par. Sch. kept 50.  
 For 18 years for  
 last 12 supported by . . . . . ( Rector £10  
 (Col. Filgate,  
 (Lisranny, 3  
 (guineas,  
 (Mr. Filgate,  
 (Arthuretoun, 2 6<sup>d</sup>)  
 Rector & parishioners  
 have subscribed £64 to  
 build new Sch. & apart-  
 ments on part Glebe.  
 Ed. Lieut's Fund granted  
 also £64. Will be ready  
 in 4 months.

*also Glebe Return*  
 Clonfeacle. (1) Par. Sch., Benburb. 66. Rector £8  
 & fees.  
*III. 167-8*  
 Present Master here  
 since 1819.  
 (2) Another Sch. lately  
 estab. in Derrycreeve. Kildare Place  
 Soc. helps it  
 & fees.

Other schools in par. not under  
 Church superintendence. Methodists  
 very numerous & keep their schools  
 from inspection & control of Estab.  
 Clergy.

No Ch. School at Moy or Derrygortreavy.

*also Glebe Return.*

Clonkeen. There is a Par. School, but can give  
 no information.  
*III. 169*  
 The Rector has been granted £100  
 from Lord Wellesley's Fund &  
 given £50 & land himself for  
 erection of a new School.

Clonmore. No Schools under any Public Fund.  
 Incumbent has given part of Glebe  
 towards a school and residence.  
*III. 172.*

Clonoe. Par. School. Par. Clk. is  
 School Master. School was  
 erected at expense of  
 parish. Paid by  
 Scholars'  
 fees.  
*III. 174.*  
 80 largest attendance.

Another temporary School only  
 open in summer months.

Signed by John Anstell,  
 Curate.

Creggan. Parish School. 160. Master paid  
 since 1818 £15  
 from Incorp<sup>d</sup>  
 Soc., & house &  
 gar. & 2 acres,  
 also about £20  
 Sch. fees.  
*III. 176*

*III. 177. Return of Glebe Lands Creggan 1824*

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<u>Parish.</u>		<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Derryloran.	(1) Parish School.	89.	Income £40. = R. 6 gs. Vestry 5 gs. & fees.
	<i>III. 178-9</i> School house is the property of the Master.		
	(2) Derryrommy, began 1817.	30.	L.H.S. & fees.
	(3) Tubberlane, instituted 1820.	91.	L.H.S. & fees.
	(4) Gortallowry, instituted 1820.	145.	L.H.S. & fees.

Several other Schools over which  
Incumbent has no control. A School  
House at Killycurry to which he has  
subscribed & offered £10 towards  
building one at Cockstown.

Desertreight.	Parish School.	No. not known,	Salary not known but Inct. gives £2.
	<i>III. 180-1</i>		

*and Glabe Return*

Desertlyn.	Parish School,	38.	
	<i>III. 182</i> supported by Inct. He has applied to Kildare Place for help. The Master & Mistress lived in Rector's house.		

Drapers' Co. lately estab. several  
Schools - one in parish, 3 near.

Donaghendry.	(1) Parish School.	Average	(Schs. fees { £21. { Inct. £2. { A.P.C.K. £15.
	<i>III. 185-6</i> Henry Wade Master.	80 - 90.	
	(2) Rosemount,	Average	Fees £1.3.0. A. For Ed. Poor £5. Hib. Soc. £3.
	Wm. Leonard Master.	104.	
	(Not a Par. Sch. but under superint. of R.) Opened in 1820.		

*III. 183. Glabe Return*

Donoughmore. 10 Schools.

<i>III. 187.</i>	(1) Parish School	40.	R. £2. Schs. fees.
	(2) Castlecaulfield. 9 (not finished.)		A.P.C.K.

9 2 Teachers paid £7 between them for teaching 3. Sch.

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<u>Parish.</u>		<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Donoughmore (cont.)			
<i>III 187.</i>	(3) Stackeragh.	52.	L.H.S. & fees.
	(4) Achentober (not finished)		S. P. Ed. Poor.
	(5) Dermisur. x	67.	L.H.S. & fees.
	(6) Kilnaslee. x	69.	S. P. Ed. Poor.
	(7) Tullearn. x	50.	L.H.S. & fees.
	(8) Feroy. x	56.	L.H.S. & fees.
	(9) Gortnaglush.	25.	S. P. Ed. Poor.
	(10) Donoughmore x	29.	L.H.S. & fees.

x The Masters are paid £1.10. p. an. for teaching S. Sch. Salaries of S. S. T. paid from a fund made up of £4. 11. 0 from Vestry & £14 beq<sup>d</sup> by Rev. Mr. Evans & Mr. Verner.

(Signed) Ambrose Smith, Curate.

*III 184* *Slake Return*

Drogheda. (1) A Charity School estab<sup>d</sup> 12 years

*III 188*

40 girls supported by Charitable Subscriptions taught to read and work and supplied with clothes.

(2) Boys' School in Ch. yard, 20 supported by subscriptions and live in it, and are clothed and apprenticed. 20 others pay about £2 a year.

This School is at least 100 years old.

These are the only Schools limited to Protestants.

(3) A large School house built by Subscription on ground given by the Corporation, in hope that Gov<sup>ts</sup> Br. Smith will pay a Master and Mistress.

Dromiskin. (1) Par. Clk. had 48. Sgs.  
been School Master, but kept no school 1814-21  
*III 189*  
opened again June last.

(2) In May, 1821, a Prot. Master opened School under a neighbouring Cent. but

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Parish. No. on Roll. How supported.

Dromiskin. (2)(cont.)

*III 189*

subject to Rector's visits - helped by Kildare Place. Had 154 last year but only 24 now, as Priest disapproved of the reading of Scriptures - read every day.

*III 190*  
Drumglass  
*III 191*  
Dundalk. (1)

*Globe Return*  
E. Smith & Inc. vchks.  
Charter School.  
Incorp<sup>d</sup> Society.

80. free  
100.

} E. Smith £100  
Incumbent 20  
" (Cupans) 60  
Subscribers 20

*III 191*

(2) United Par. & Eras. Smith School. 220.

Eras. Smith £60.  
General Subs. £37.

Master £40.  
Asst. £30.  
Mistress £30.

Vicar expended £200 on repairs, etc.

(3) Castletown - Vicar £10.  
Subs. £10.

*III 192*

*Globe Return*

Dunleer. (1) A School, in the Union evidently at Drumcar, built by Mr. John McClintock of Drumcar 4 years ago (i.e. 1820) very commodious, to which the Soc. for Educ. the Poor contributed £40. School Master gets £20 a year from him and Scholars' fees (62 pay 3/- a quarter), Rector £5 a year.

*III 193*

70 males, 54 females.

School "much impeded in its progress by the hostility of popish priests, it now begins to flourish.

Mr. McC. supplies the other expenses.

(2) A School in Dunleer under patronage of Count de Salis.

*III 195*

*Globe Return*

Eglisk. (1) School. 50.

Endowed with Ho. & 6 acres.

*III 200* (2) School. 40.

Endowed with Ho. & 1 acre by Rev. Dr. Woodward reward ag. to merit.

(3) & (4) 2 Private Schools. 56.

Erriglekeerogue. Par. School. 50.

Inc. £2.  
L.H.S. £7.  
Schs. fees £5.

*III 198*

*Globe Return.*

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<u>Parish.</u>		<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Faughart.	Parish School built 1817. Parish raised £110 (by 4 Instal <sup>ts</sup> ) Sec. for Ed. Poor gave £50. 2 good houses in front of Churchyard = School and residence.	50 attend.	3. for E. P. £15. (as Sexton he also gets £5) Rector £5.
<i>III. 202</i>			
<i>III. 201</i>	<i>Give Return</i>		
Forkill.	Under Forkill Trustees.		
<i>III. 203.</i>	(1) Church Hill. <sup>Salaries.</sup> £40. (2) Mullabawn. £40. (3) Aghadanove. £40. (4) <del>Vallymacreevy</del> £30. <i>Tu</i>	157. 146. 135. 170.	Supported by Trustees, incidental expenses are £70, all free. Also Sewing Schools in 1st 3 for which each mistress gets £20.
	(5) Lisnalee £2.	100.	2 acres Glebe from Inct. £35 Subac <sup>d</sup> & £40 L. L. Sube. for building in progress.
	(6) Carriff. £10.	40.	Built by Cap. Turner Wacen & endowed with 2 ac. 2r. 32p. Cost £300 to build cost defrayed by Cap. W. his bro. & sister.
	(7) Aghanduff. £3.	110.	Endowed by Walter McGeough with 2 ac. Cost £110 (subac. & L. L.'s Fund).
<i>III. 201</i>	<i>Give Return</i>		
<i>III. 205</i>			
Grange (1) Parish School.	Average 60		A.P.C.K. £12. Inct. £2.5.6. District £2. 8/- per q <sup>r</sup> from scholars.
<i>III. 206</i>			
(2) Female School.	30.		Inct. £4.11.0. Dean £3.8.3. & other Vol. Subscriptions.
Heynestown.	Parish School.	38.	Rector £8. Scholars £10.
<i>III. 207</i>			
<i>III. 204</i>	<i>Give Return</i>		
Jonesborough.	No Endowed School, nor Funds to support. Par. Clk. keeps a school in his house, 10 children at 3 <sup>d</sup> per week each.		
<i>III. 209</i>			

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<u>Parish.</u>	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Kildress.	No Return for School.	
<i>III. 211</i>	<i>Slabe Return</i>	
Killeshil.	An Eras. Smith School 95.	E. Smith £30.
<i>III 212-3</i>	Free.	
	Also a School built 1823, by Col. Verner: supported by Kildare St. Assoc., flourishing.	
<i>III 214</i>	<i>Glenn Return</i>	
Killevy. (Drumbanagher District)	long return by Jas. McCreight, Curate of Drumbanagher.	
<i>III 216-19</i>	(1) Par. Sch. at Drumban- agher. Robt. Gambell, Master.	15. Rector, £2. Curate £1. Schs. £6.10. Kept in repair by parish.
	(2) Mullaglass. Wm. Wilson, Master.	60. Roger Hall Esq. £6.16. Curate £1. Schs. Fees £24. Mr. Hall keeps it in repair.
	(3) Millvale. John Carroll, Master.	52. Curate £1. Schs. fees £25. Kept in repair by subsc <sup>rs</sup>
<i>r/</i>	(4) Black <sup>o</sup> 's Barn, Wm. Gorman, Master.	30. Lord Mandeville £2. 5. 6. Cur- ate £1. Schs. £7. Parish, Prop <sup>r</sup> & subsc. repair it.
	(5) Tuskin Pass.	30. Fees £10.
	(6) Cloghog. Felix McDonnell, Master.	25. Fees £6.
	(7) Killian. Denis Fyan, Master.	20. Fees £5.
	See also Lord Mandeville's Return of Tullyhappy School, 1840. <i>p. 07</i>	
<i>III. 215</i>	<i>Slabe Return</i>	
Killinecole.	Parish School.	29. Inct. £8. Fees £2. Ho. & gar. £3.
<i>III 220</i>	<i>Slabe Return</i>	
<i>III 222</i>	<i>Slabe Return</i>	
Kilmore.	(1) Kilmore Village, built 1798.	86, Inct. £7, to also 18 master & wife, girls. & Fees.
<i>III. 224-7.</i>	(2) Bottle Hill Estab. 1823.	76. Inct. £2 & Fees
	(3) Rich Hill. Estab. 1820.	£10, Separate male & female.
	Master £30 ) From Eras. Smith, Mistress £30 ) & an acre from late Mr. Rich- ardson.	

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	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Kilmore, (cont.)		
<i>III. 225-7</i> (4) Tullamore.	58.	Fees.
(5) Mullavilly Estab. 1818.	339.	Separate male & female. Master £20 ) Mistress £20 )
		from Eras. Smith, & 1 acre.
(6) Brackey.	64.	Fees.
(7) Ballyloghin.	44.	Miss Richardson <u>Richill, £8.</u>
(8) Dobbin Bridge, Estab. 1823.	30.	Fees.
(9) Derryhale.	39.	Fees.
(10) Lisavogue, Estab. 1823.	16.	Fees.
(11) Venecash, Estab. 1823.	40.	Fees.
(12) Mullahend, Estab. 1823.	13.	Fees.

In above cases Incumbent gave £2 to Masters  
for teaching on Sundays in the S. School.

There were 1736 in the S. Schools in 1824.

Killyman. <i>III 228-9</i> (1) <u>Parish School</u> at Killyman.	70.	Inst. £2. Schs. fees £25.
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Being too small & inconveniently  
situated - on the very verge of  
parish - £112 have been raised by  
subscription to build new School (&  
Lord Lieut. promises a similar  
sum) near the Par. Ch. which it  
is hoped will be erected this  
summer.

(2) Wyroe. Opened 1st Nov. 1819, Kildare St. Soc. gave £10 to fit it out.	56.	Kildare St. £3. do. Books £3.
(3) Corr. Opened 1st May, 1821.	20.	Fees, £20.
(4) Mullahatogue. Opened 1st May, 1822.	40.	Fees, £16.
(5) Derryhack. Opened 1st Nov. 1822.	40.	Fees, £8. Kil- dare St. £5.

Kilsaran. A Sch. MF during last 10 years except year  
preceding 15 Sep., 1821, when a competent  
*III 231-2* Sch. Master could not be procured.

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	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
<u>Kilsaran (cont.)</u>		
(1) New Parish School <i>III. 231-2.</i>	45. (20 Prots. 25 R.C.s)	Sch. Mr. now (from Santry School). £30. vis. ( Rector £2.5.6. Fees £10.13.1 Subs. £7.19.3.
	1821-2	
	60. (22 P. 38 R.C.)	(R. £2. 5. 6. Fees £16. 1. 3. Sub. £7. 19. 3.
	1822-3.	
	46. (17 P. 29 R.C)	(R. £2. 5. 6. Fees £8. 7. 7. Sub. 7. 19. 3.
	1823-4	
	½ year	
	to Mar. 15, 1824.	
		A.P.C.K. granted £10 a year. No free Scholars.

## (2) Another School under R. C. Clergyman.

A School house is now building in this parish  
on which the sum of £223 is to be expended.

Mar. 24, 1824. Thos. Plunket, Curate.

*III. 230. Glebe Return.*

<u>Lisnedill. Parish School.</u> <i>III. 233-4.</i>	50.	"The Assoc <sup>d</sup> £12" & Fees.
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Lisnas. (1) Parish School, built  
*III. 235-6.* by Rev. J. M. Staples  
at his expense, he  
paid the Master £30 a  
year for several years.

Now	Boys 101.; Girls 84.)	Eras. Smith pay £45 Fees £15.
	Present Master app <sup>d</sup> May 1822.	

(2) Another. 238. Eras. Smith £45.  
House & land given Fees £3.  
by Saml Wright Esq.  
in 1816.  
An Eras. Smith Sch.  
Master app<sup>d</sup> May 1822.

(3) Tintegh 240. L.H.S. £21.  
Estab. Jan. 1, 1821. Fees £20.

(4) Creivagh. 198. L.H.S. £10.  
Estab. Jan. 1, 1821. Fees £3.



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	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Louth. (1) Louth. <i>III. 237</i>	189.	Inct. £20. Subsc <sup>d</sup> £30. Inct. & Soc. Ed. Poor supplied books. No fees.
(2) Glyde Farm. Estab. 1822.	157.	Mras. Smith £30. Subsc. £5.
(3) Ballykelly, just estab.		
Ch. children lectured twice a week in Ch. Cat. & Scrips. in Louth Ch., exclusive of Sunday, and those in Ballykelly on Saturday.		
<i>III. 238</i> <i>Glebe Return</i> Loughgilly.		
(1) Par. Sch. Loughgilly <i>III. 240-1</i> opened June 1, 1814. Erected at cost of £300 by Trustees of Mras. Smith.	Average 150.	On acre of Glebe land. Mr. Smith £30. Fees £12.
(2) Balock. Est. 1820. Ld. Gosford supplies books & keeps house in repair.	130 on Roll.	Assoc <sup>d</sup> P.C.K. £15. Fees £10. Ho. & gar. 1 acre
(3) Liadrumcher. Very good no. finished. like sum Lond. L. to be opened 1st April, 1824. 1 acre. No End <sup>d</sup>	Subsc <sup>d</sup> £20 (parish)	
Glebe Return 20 Mar. 1824 - 520 Statute acres of Glebe land.		
Henry Stewart, Rector.		

## Magherafelt Town.

<i>III. 242</i> (1) John Davlin, Lic. Par. S.M.	45.	Marq. London- Gerry & Sir Rob. Bateson ) St. ) £11.7.6 Rector £2. Fees. £18.12. 6.
(2) Jas. McCracken, S.M.	45.	Fees. £50.
(3) Mrs. Boyle, S.M.	40.	Fees. £20.
(4) Miss Ash, S.M.	14.	£175.
Fed, clothed & taught 3 yrs. & apprenticed.		
(Founded a century ago by a Mr. Rensy.)		
Castledawson. George Henry, S.M. --		£100.

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	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
<b>Newtownhamilton.</b>		
(1) "Free School". <i>III 243</i> (W. Kyle, Master)	167.	Eras. Smith £50. Fees 24. 10.
(2) Parish School. <i>III 245</i> (Joseph Warrington, Master)	29.	Inct. 25. Fees 215.
<i>III 246</i> <i>Glebe Return</i> Pomeroy. Parish School. <i>III 247</i> <i>Glebe Return</i>	30.	Inct. 22. Fees 28. 5 Irish acres; house built by Master.
<b>Portadown.</b> See Lord Wandeville's Return of Schools, <i>III 249</i> 1840. p. 60		
<b>Rathfrumin &amp; Port &amp; Carrick.</b>		
(1) There was no School house when Incumbent (A. <i>III 250</i> Lindsay) came in 1811. He fitted up a School- room at his own expense near the Church.	40 pupils.	Gives 22 to Master, & Fees.
(2) Sir Edw <sup>d</sup> Bellew, Bt., fitted up a School in Port parish & superintends it.	About 40.	Gets help from Kildare St.
<i>also Glebe Return</i>		
<b>Stabannon.</b>		
<i>III 253</i> Long report from Rev. E. Parkinson. No School house. Landed Proprietors won't subscribe. Can't be built without Govt. aid. He teaches at his Glebe house Prot. Children in reading & spelling & principles of the Christian Religion. Mr. P. paid £12 for institution to V. Richardstown (episcopally united) but gets no tithes as Lord Oriel claims them all, except the tithes of lambs or wool, but these are evaded by driving the sheep when yearning to lands tithes free and shearing them there! <i>Glebe Return</i>		
<b>Tamlaght.</b>		
Long return from I. Ashe - summary of Vestry Minutes, <i>III 252.</i> hard to read.		
(1) Parish School. Good School house. (Sch. M. is also Par. Clk.)	40.	Inct. 22. Mr. Conyngham of Spring Hill £20.

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	No. on Roll.	How supported.
Famlaght, (cont.)		
<i>III 252</i> (2) Another School in Village of Cogh. (?)	20.	
(3) Another kept by an R. C. trained in Eild. St. Model Sch., helped by that Soc.		
(4) Another R. C. School.		
(5) A School for Females in the Village under Mrs. Conyngham.		
Termoneekin, No Parish School, but Sunday School, 27.		
<i>III 255</i>		T. Fielding Martin Curate in Charge.
<i>III 255 Glebe Return</i>		
Termomagnirke.		
<i>III 256-7</i> (1) Loughmacrory School	80	Free. L.H.S. 27.
(2) Clogfin School.	144.	S. 26. Poor 27.10. Inct. 22. & 27 from Mr. Verner who built Sch. at his own expense. Fees 210.
<i>III 258-9</i>		
(3) Tyrooney School.	115.	L.H.S. 27. Inct. 22. Fees, 27.
<i>III 260-1</i>		
(4) Parish School.	20.	Inct. 22. Fees 23.
<i>III 262-3</i>		Schoolmaster very old, superannuated. Children attend other Schools. New School being built, ready in 2 months, to accommodate 150, one room for males, another for females. Cost defrayed, vis. grant 2100 L. Lieut.'s Fund. 20. Primate. 25. Sir John Stewart. 13. 9. 10. other Subs. Balance 140. 0 0 from Inct., who has given a portion of land & a good house for master & guarantees a salary of 230 for new Master in consideration of his charging no fees.
(5) Drumuff.	Average 100.	L.H.S. 27. Fees 210.
<i>III 264-5</i>		
<i>III 266 Glebe Return</i>		
Tullaniskin. In 1819 School in a bad state, thatched cabin. New School built 1821. Cost 2140, 2 raised by	62.	Inct. 22.10. A.P.C.K. 210 & fees 25. An acre glebe.
<i>III 267-8</i>		
		Subs. in parish. 2 from L. L.'s Fund

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	<u>No. on Roll.</u>	<u>How supported.</u>
Tullyallen. Parish School. <i>III 269</i>	55 free.	£40 from B. T. Salfour.
Tynan. Long & full Return.		
(1) Tynan. Founded 1815 <i>III 270-1</i> at expense of Parish.	140.	Mr. Smith £30. Landed Proprs. £6. Fees £14.
(2) Middletown Male estab. before 1814. Enlarged by 2 rooms at expense of Sterne's Charity, £350 grant.	220.	Sterne Trust £30, Fees £1.
(3) Palmagh. Estab. before 1815 "Scha. then few & the Master ignorant" Enlarged by grants from Educ. Soc., Inct., & Subscr <sup>s</sup> , accommodation for Master.	132.	Ed. Soc. £7.10. Inct. £2.5.6. L. Proprietors £12.5.6. Fees £3.15.
(4) Killilea, founded 1819. Ho. granted rent free by Proprietor but rep <sup>d</sup> at expense of 270 (£20 from College rest by Inct.)	149.	A.P.O.K. £15. Proprs. £12. Fees 27.
(5) Drumhillary, founded 1820. Built by Inct., cost £55 (£25 Ed. Soc. & £5.13.9 Earl of Caledon)	115.	Ed. Soc. £5. Proprs. £13.
(6) Middletown Female Estab. 1821.	137.	Sterne Trust £30. Fees 5/-
(7) Crosscaul. Built at expense of £145 (£80 L. L. Fund £25 Ed. Soc. £40 Inct.)	154.	Ed. Soc. £5. Inct. £2. Fees 10/-
(8) Tynan Female estab. Jan. 1823.	30.	Inct. £14.10. Fees £3.9.

*See p 70 re Armagh Schools*

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Ardara. <i>III 384</i>	60 - 70.	E. Hincks.	
Ballylog <i>III 340</i>	25.	Wm. Smith.	Parish mostly Presbyterian.
Ballymasculan. <i>III 341</i>	26.	C. Ormsby.	
Ballymore. <i>III 342</i>	200.	Thos. Carter.	"The defaulting Ch. warden has promised to pay the instalment due in June."
Ballymakenny & Dromhallin. <i>III 380</i>	11.	(Ellis is Curate).	
Baronstown ) <i>III 343</i> )	1 pos- )		
Roche ) <i>III 343</i> )	sibly 3. )	Thos. Forster.	
Beaulieu. ) <i>III 380-1</i> )	2. )		
Ardee. <i>III 378-9</i>	16. )		
Caledon. <i>III 345</i>	35. )		
Clonkeen. <i>III 378-9</i>	180.	Chas. Alexander.	
Clonmore. <i>III 378-9: 380</i>	15.		
Collon. <i>III 347-8</i> <i>+ III 380-1</i>	3.		
	69 (above 15), )		
	19 " " who )	W. H. Foster.	
	have already rec. )		
	the Sac <sup>t</sup> )		
	others under 15 )		
	eligible. )		
Creggan. <i>III 349</i>	80.	Chas. Atkinson.	
Derrygortreevy. <i>III 350</i>	25.	Geo. Evans.	
Desertcreight. <i>III 352.</i>	50.	John Buck.	
Drogheda. <i>III 380-1</i>	70.		
Dromiskin. <i>III 378-9,</i>	15, later 25.		
Drumree. <i>III 353</i>	700.	--- Blacke	
Drumglass. <i>III 357-60-1</i>	189.	R. B. Horner.	
			This return is on a tabulated printed form, giving list of surnames with no. in each family (36), but incomplete, as some pages seem missing. There were 216 Ch. families in Parish. 1057 individuals. 666 above 15. 389 under 15.
Dunany. <i>III 356</i>	5.	John Jones.	

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Dundalk.	170.	E. Thackeray.
<i>III 363</i>		
Dunleer.	20.	W. Coddington, curate.
<i>III 358; 378-9</i>		
Haggardstown.	4.	
<i>III 391-2</i>		
Kerriglesrogue.	47.	J. Graham.
<i>III 362</i>		
Faughart.	2 )	Frances Buchanan rest of children
<i>III 364</i>	)	Joseph McCormack 21 besides these
		too young.
		Ger. Tinley.
Heynestown.	0.	
<i>III 366</i>		
Kilmore.	200.	Ed <sup>rd</sup> Chichester.
<i>III 353</i>		
Forkill.	50.	Jan. Campbell.
<i>III 367</i>		
Killinocle.	4.	Jos. Wright.
<i>III 366</i>		
Killeshill.	45 to 50.	John Young.
<i>III 370-2</i>		
Kilsaran.	( 7 above 15 - 4 of these already rec.	
<i>III 368</i>	8 (1 over 14. the Sact.	
		T. Plunket, C.
Lienadill.	100.	
<i>III 378</i>		
Louth.	55.	E. Thackeray.
<i>III 355 &amp; 378</i>		
Manfieldstown.	1.	
<i>III 378-9</i>		
Moylary.	1.	
<i>III 376-9</i>		
Philipstown.	25.	
<i>III 378-9</i>		
Ponsroy.	40 to 50.	J. Graham.
<i>III 362</i>		
Rathdrum.	0.	
<i>III 380-1</i>		
Stabanan.	6.	
<i>III 378-9</i>		
Tamlught.	20. (mostly dissenters in parish)	
<i>III 374</i>		
		Isaac Ashe.
		will accompany them to Conf <sup>n</sup>
		or commission the Churchwarden
		to do so.
Termonfechin.	6.	Thos. F. Martin. C. in Charge.
<i>III 375</i>		
Tullaniskin.	190 )	3 - 14 to 15 )
<i>III 376</i>	)	4 - not 14 ) Robt. Kingamore.
	)	2 - 13 yrs. )
Tullyallen & Mellifont.	14.	( --- Fosbery, Cur. )
<i>III 380</i>		

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Bundle of Correspondence, and Printed Circulars relating to Proposed New Church in Dungannon. 1861.

*I. 450-68.* Major Stuart Knox, representing Lord Ranfurly offered Castle Hill site & £1,300 sub. but Architect of Ecclesiastical Commissioners condemned site & project was abandoned for time being. The Church Committee published Circulars returning subscriptions, and blaming Major Knox for refusing another site. He defended himself by printed Circulars and by letters to the Primate.

Copy of Monition issued by Archbishop of Dublin against Rev.

*IV. 32-3* Fowler Comings V. of Swords, read in Swords Parish Church by Rev. John Flood, M.A., Curate, 2 July, 1780.

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H. C. Emancipation Bill 1829. (a) Draft of Petition of

*I. 469-78* Archbishop & Clergy of Armagh to Parliament against it.

*I. 479-88* (b) Observations on it by Dean Jackson & Archdeacon  
*4 18 493* Stopford & "Charles Collins".

Charges against Rev. Hugh Lefroy Baker by Churchwardens of

*IV. 30-1* Ballygawley (Richd Falls & Stewart Simpson) Oct. 12, 1841; for neglect to visit, preaching Puseyitiam, saying he could forgive sins, using low & mean & offensive language re late Rev. Thomas Murray, Minister, refusing to celebrate a marriage on production of licence.

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Petition signed by 970 Parishioners of Loughgilly dated 18 Dec.

*Separate* 1861, headed by Churchwardens (William Griffith & Thos. McPherson) in favour of Rev. Jas. Silcock - then Curate for 11 years - being appointed Rector

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instead of their late Rector, Rev. W. H. Foeter, of whom they speak highly. Names on Roll, signed for most part by Townlands.

Map of Brantry new District. c. 1843.

*TV. 29*

Alphabetical (Printed) List of Churches & Chpels in Diocese Armagh for Returns to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners re Church Requisites 1847-8. It includes St. Patrick's & St. Mary's Newry.

*TV. 42-6.*

Joseph Murphy's (Agent's) Rental Account of Rent due & Collected for Geo. Dunbar, Esq., Rathfriland. Townlands of Cullinrough, Ballydoherty, Leish & Lienagree & Ballybrick, Co. Armagh.

*TV. 38-9*

Giving names of Tenants and yearly Rents, Rent due May, 1862. Dated 23 March, 1863.

c. 1810-12. Commission to ascertain value of R. of Jonesborough.

*TV. 40*

Commissioners:- Rev<sup>d</sup> Thos. Carter & Joseph Henry.  
Rector:- Walter Riky. Value of R. £77. 10. 0.

Copy of Commission appointing Thos. McCann, Esq., Seneschal of the Primate's Manors & Liberties, during his natural life, with power to appoint deputies, 15 July, 1757. Confirmed by Dean & Chapter 26 Aug., 1757. He was to receive usual fees, emoluments, etc.

*TV. 47-8*

Copy of same with erasures appointing Geo. Perry during pleasure, n. d.

*TV. 49-50*

Privy Council's Acknowledgment of Episcopal Union of Vicarages of Shenlis, Snamore & Stickillen with V. Ardee & R. Kildemock. Feb., 1862.

*TV. 51.*



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## Acton.

*II. 4, 6.* (a) Letter of Rev. J. H. King, that after enlargement he wished the old square pews removed, etc. Primate had given £25 & £15 for enlargement, reseating will now cost £40. Sep. 1, 1860.

*II. 3.* (b) Rev. J. H. King acknowledges Primate's subscription £20 towards same. Sep. 6, 1860.

*II. 4.* (c) Application for Faculty for reseating of portion of Acton Church by Rev. John H. King, Oct. 1, 1860.

Ardee. Copy of Letter of Primate nominating Rev. Geo. Studdert to Ardee, Jan. 31, 1861, in which he states

*II. 8-9-10-11* "The parish is an important one including not only a considerable number of inhabitants of the humbler class . . . . & schools . . . . but some Gentlemen's families towards whom the Minister of the Parish will have to act as becomes a faithful spiritual Pastor, while joining in their Society as belonging to his own rank - a difficult but a most useful part to fulfil". Encloses 2 letters from Lord Clermont ("no nobleman or landed proprietor in Ireland has acted a more generous part towards the Church than Lord Clermont") asking for exchange of some Glebe lands in Ardee which his brother Mr. Fortescue (after. Ld. Carlingford) desires to effect and on behalf of Mr. Young the Curate.

*II. 12-13-15* Dr. Studdert replied accepting, stating Mr. Young was to continue as Curate, and his willingness to make the exchange of Glebe lands.

Armagh. A note about the Advowson, 1841.

*II. 16-17*

Armagh Constituency. Letters from Mr. T. E. Webber requesting

*II. 18-25.*

Primate's support as a Candidate for Armagh Constituency, and letter of Primate refusing him

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## Armagh Constituency, cont.

that support. Nov. 18, 1823.

II. 26

" Letters of Mr. Kelly, Agent, to Primate re Mr. Colbourne's return as M. P. 1830, and referring to a Memorial to the Primate by some Armagh people against his nomination.

" Letter from Mr. Ross Moore, July 13, 1852, to the Primate on his return as M. P. for Armagh.

II 28-9

" Printed Letter to Chairman of Mr. Miller's Committee - Election of 1855, signed "W. Paton" (Primate's Agent).

Drogheda,  
St. Peter's.

II. 30-39

Letter of Archbishop Whately to Primate re building of a House "to be let or refused to be let at pleasure of parishioners", to Incumbent, instead of the then unfit Glebe house, with copy of Letter he addressed to the Churchwardens of St. Peter's against the proposal and stating a different plan which he thought might be pursued. The parishioners proposed to take a house of Mr. St. Geo. Smith and to let it to the new Incumbent if his "views and conduct" were "approved". This the Archbishop did not approve, and a letter of the Primate to him, in bundle also states a strong objection to "the Churchwardens' proposal as "Mr. Peed's successor might have to undergo an examination & pass muster with the subscribers before he could call the house his own. Party feeling ran very high in Drogheda not many years ago when a son of the late Abp. Magee was Vicar, and a narrow-minded clique was formed who if they were empowered to sit in judgment on their Minister would place him in a painful state of bondage". Aug., 1859.

Drumcar. Feb. 2, 1861. Letter of John McClintock of Drumcar  
(1)

II. 40-42 Drumcar. "I hope we may get a gentleman & one who has some little independence"! Does not know anyone suitable! is "acquainted with Mr. Finlay Curate of Collon . . . a very excellent man & his wife is a ladylike person".

(2) Letter of Rev. Jerome Alley, 11 Feb., 1826, with ref. to Income of Parish. There are £146 ac. & 3 roods, in parish survey, of which 155 ac. are tithe free. The lay tithes of the remainder go to the V. of Dunleer. The Rectorial tithe of last 7 years have not averaged £270 p. an. - 100 acres pay tithe of Meadow to the Vicar. . The Rectorial tithes average about  $\frac{8}{3}$  per ac. The Rector has to pay £40 a year to the Perp. C. of Moylary.

Jonesborough. Several letters of Rev. Robert Henry, R. of  
(a)

II. 46-83 Jonesborough, claiming compensation from Rev. A. Irwin, Precentor, for surrendering part of Killeavy Glebe - a mountain and bog - which he had leased from Rev. Precentor Allott and held for several years. He claimed for tenant right and improvements. Submitted to Arbitration (1) of Hugh Boyle, W. Paton & Henry Thornton, who awarded him nothing. (2) to Lord Clermont, on whose suggestion Pres. Irwin gave him £12. ( $1\frac{1}{2}$  year's Rent) as Compensation. the Primate also sent Henry a cheque for £20. Lord Clermont's letter states Henry had no legal claim but resented the manner in which Irwin demanded possession on short notice.

(b) Several Townlands severed from Ballymascellan and added to Jonesborough. Lord Clermont is desirous of  
II. 84-85

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Jonesborough, (b), cont.

endowing Jonesborough with £1,700 to remunerate the Rector for taking charge of the parishioners in these additional Townlands, which are tithe free. But Primate wants to be able to assure him that the Boulter fund will not be withdrawn in consequence and writes to Secretary of the Board to bring matter before them. Evidently result was favourable.

Feb. 19, 186(2).

*II. 867*  
✓  
Eady. Letter of Rev. R. Oulton, Rector, to Primate, with reference to the Census of 1861. He had some objection, not stated, to the form in which it was taken.  
26 April, 1861.

*II. 88-92*  
Killylea. Letter of Rev. Thos. Ellis re building of a new School. Mr. Armstrong proposes to repair the old one and put under National Board if a new one cannot be built. Mr. Ellis objects to the National Board, and wishes to have a new one with residence, built. The plans of the School are sent by him to the Primate, estimated cost £400. Mr. Ellis states Mr. Armstrong would give a subscription of £150 - getting the old School in exchange and advance another £50. T. C. D. £50, Sir Jas. Stronge £25, and about £25 from other parishioners. Mr. Ellis has spent over £400 on repairs of Glebe house and Church and cannot himself contribute anything. Primate in reply thinks estimate too high and says he will send Mr. Jones to report.

*II. 93 1/4*  
Lissan. Rev. Wm. J. Irvine writes on Feb. 17, 1853, to the Primate from Muff Glebe soliciting an appointment in

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Lissan, cont.

Armagh Diocese. He was Lic. as C. Ardrea and Kildress on April 13, 1820, and was appointed C. Lissan 1824, and Lic. to it Jan. 17, 1826, and was in Charge, the Rector - Staples - being non-resident. Got a testimonial from the Rector and Sir Thos. Staples when he proposed sending his youngest son to Christ's Hospital. Under Sir Thos.' superintendence "I have discharged the duties of my office for the last 29 years;" also he encloses a letter from late Col. Stewart of Killymoon: Endorsed "I sent him back his papers. . . but hoped at this season of the year it would be convenient to accept the £25 cheq. which I enclosed".

Loughgall. Letter from Rev. Silver Oliver March 2, 1825, *II 95-6* proposing certain improvements at the Glebe, which would cost £550.

The value of the living was then as follows:-

Tithes, 424. 15. 5.

Glebe rents, 137. 0. 0.

561. 15. 5.

with Glebe house and 52 acres of land. The charge on benefice when he succeeded was £119. 12. 10, being a sum of £69. 14. 7½ to be paid by his successor.

Magherafelt. Receipt from Rev. C. K. Irwin for £200, the *II 97.* Primate's subscription towards the intended new Church. April 21, 1855.

Portadown. Letter from J. C. Woodhouse, 2 April, 1842, (prob-  
(a) ably to Primate's Chaplain "My dear Sir") stating that *II 99. ✓ 100.* the Presbyterians are "bringing the Marriage Question before the Queen's Bench and House of Lords in a case

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Portadown. (a), cont.

Raised at Carrickfergus, and have allocated £1,000 to fight the case. The object is to affirm that the Marr. Contract is a civil contract . . . & does not require a Clk. to make it binding. He suggests a subscription should be raised by Churchpeople, etc.

(b) Letter of Mr. Bushe, Sec., Ecol. Com., re new pewing for enlarged Church, Portadown, towards which His Grace lodged £200. The estimate, however, was less, and the Com<sup>d</sup> now returned a balance of £115.

*II. 101*

Philipstown (Ardee). Letter from Rev. B. Olpherts, Oct. 31,

1825, re Composition of Tithe = 2345 for 21 yrs.

(*on Tithe  
Composition  
Collection*)  
*IV. 173.*  
Bryan Carragher of Cloghenmoyle, Parishioners' Com<sup>d</sup>  
Wm. Olpherts (his brother) of Dartrey Lodge, Armagh,  
his Com<sup>d</sup>

✓ Tartaraghan. Copy of Letter to the Bishop of Durham from the Primate giving a high character and testimonial to Hon. & Rev. Francis Clements of Tartaraghan, who has been appointed to a living in the Dio. of Durham.

*II. 103-4*

✓ Tynan. Receipt from Ecol. Com<sup>d</sup> (Thos. Bushe) for £30 contributed by Primate towards building a Vestry for Tynan Church. July 5, 1860.

*II. 105-6*

Tullyallen. Receipt for £100 from Ecc. Com. (Wm. C. Quin) for Tullyallen Church contributed by Primate.

*II. 107-8*

Woods Chapel. Letter from Ecc. Com<sup>d</sup> offering to grant £2,700 towards building a Church for £4,700 (there are 2,400 Church people there) if the Salters' Co. will increase

*II. 109-110-2*

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Woods Chapel, cont.

their Subscription from £1,000 to £2,000. Fullerton's estimate was for £2,700. they considered a larger Church necessary. Dec. 15, 1860.

Enclosure from Rev. Geo. S. Greer re same.

Charlestown Union. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, Sep. 9, 1858,

II 113-4 giving Primate the Law Governing Episcopal Unions, with  
115 reference to this parish.

Donoughmore Parish. Composition of Tithes. Special Vestry.

IV 118-20  
(See also p. 8)  
Oct. 9, 1826. Wm. Stewart Chairman. Wm. Macconchy Parishioners' Com<sup>r</sup> Rev. W. Maulverer, Rector.  
Composition £550.

Lissan.  
~~Muff Glebe,~~

Letter of Rev. A. Irwin re repairs. A Contractor should be got nearer than Mr. Sharpe of Raven. Sep. 7, 1858.

Armagh & Brack-ville. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, Sep. 1, 1859. A "good Meeting at Armagh for Bishop of Columbia. Collection £38.

II 117  
Says Mr. Young has engaged as his substitute at Coalisland, "Rev. Josiah Heron a wretched begging clergyman who was in the Dio. of Tuam." and who within the last 2 years solicited alms from His Grace.

Portadown. Printed Letter of Rev. H. de Laval Willis of Port-

II 118 adown to Freeman's Journal, 10 June, 1848 re the Legislative Union.

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Mullabrack & Kilclooney. Draft of Memorial, March, 1849, to Lord Lieut. asking for Order in Council to disunite Kilclooney from the Preb. of Mullabrack. They were united in

*IV. 53-7*

1627 and made the corps of Preb. about 1637.

Mullabrack contains 11557 ac. & 6 per. & 3 miles x 4 miles.

Kilclooney " 12833 ac. 2 rd. 19 per. & 3½ miles x 2½ miles.

Glebe house in Mullabrack built in 1829, by Rev. S. Blacker, for which his successors were to be charged 24,654. 8. 0. = 2 years' value of entire Union.

Mullabrack now value as follows:-

Tithe Rent Charge	2512. 6. 6.
Rents of Glebe lands	662. 6. 2.
Value of Glebe in R.'s hands	117. 5. 3.
Tithe Rent Charge of T. L. of Edenkenny in Kilclooney Parish.	12. 14. 5.
	<u>£1304. 12. 4.</u>

Less

Part of Salary of Cur. of Kildarton,	224.	
Part of Salary of District C. of Clare,	24.	
Two Assistant Curates,	200.	
Poor Rates for 1847.	119. 8. 5.	367. 8. 5.
		<u>£937. 3. 11.</u>

The Income of Kilclooney was:-

Tithe Rent Charge	£126. 10. 1½.
Rents of Glebe lands	572. 17. 4.
Glebe in poss <sup>n</sup> of Inct.	25. 11. 4.
	<u>725. 18. 9½</u>
Less Rent Charge of Edenkenny (above)	12. 14. 5.
	<u>£713. 4. 4½.</u>

Deductions:-

Loan instalment for Glebe house,	9. 6.	
Assistant Curate,	75. 0. 0.	
Poor Rates, 1847.	57. 12. 11.	133. 2. 5.
		<u>£580. 1. 11.</u>

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Mulla-brack & Killooney, cont. *IV. 53-7.* There were 2 streets of Markethill in Edenkenny which was proposed to be severed from Killooney: Glebe house <sup>built</sup> by a gift and loan from Board of First Fruits, 1816 - now nearly paid off.

Rev. Leonard Robinson was P. C. of Killooney and got £50 per ann. and £35. 9. 2. augmentation from Eocl. Com<sup>rs</sup>

The Preb. Rev. S. Blacker d. on or about 3 Jan. 1849 & it is now vacant.

The new Preb. Should be charged with and liable to £2,872. 3. 3.

The R. of Killooney should be charged with and liable to 1,782. 4. 9.

but we advise the P. C. on becoming R. should be charged only £1,426. 8. 9. - 2 yrs.

Income of the parish & the new Preb. £3,227. 19. 4.

Killylea. part of letter of Rev. A. Irwin refers to vacancy

*II. 119-120* in Killylea, - if Mr. Hearn declines it he suggests

✓ Mr. Costello. Stewart, temporary Asst. at Coalisland has applied for it, but "he is married & has children & is poor" could not get a cheap house there.

*147<sup>E</sup>* Do. 1858. *Irwin's letter to H. B. Armstrong inquiring as to the latter's willingness to build a house for the new incumbent of Killylea*

Armagh Infirmary. Printed Report, Jan. 1858 - Jan. 1859.

*II. 121(2 p<sup>ts</sup>)*

Ballygasley. Letter of Rev. H. Lefroy Baker, June 6, 1851,

*II. 122-3* saying on account of ill-health his doctor advised him to go to England, and as he could not afford to pay a substitute he is asking neighbours to take his duty.

Private endorsee letter "I would pay his Assistant at the usual rate during his absence".

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Portadown. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, re dispute between  
*II. 134-5* Porter and Semple (Vaughan Charity) and mentioning  
 that Mr. Carter Asst. Cur. of Portadown, has sent the  
 names of 7 adults wishing to be baptized. Carter is to  
 go to assist Mr. Christie of Sixmilecross when Mr.  
 Fitzgerald is settled in Portadown.

Kilsaran. Copy of Report of Mr. Joseph Welland, Architect,  
*IV. 58-9* on the condition of Kilsaran Church, Castlebellingham,  
 Oct. 27, 1843.

Walls - of poor material built on insufficient founda-  
 tion - have been forced out of perpendicular by weight  
 of the roof and an opening caused between the wall and  
 the gallery stuffed with mortar, but this stopping is  
 falling out, showing the evil is still continuing.  
 Timbers of roof in state of decay. To put on a new  
 roof wall should be raised 6 feet, but they could not  
 carry weight. Joists, window frames, Tower, Louvre,  
 decayed and ruinous. Does not recommend repair, but  
 Church may be used for some time.

Faughart. Letter from Rev. Henry Kennedy, Armagh, 27 Sep.,  
*II. 126.* 1841. Evidently a candidate for "Foghard".

Co. Armagh. Prospectus of County and Baronial Maps of Co.  
*IV. 61.* Armagh. Printed. n. d.

Precentor Allott. Letter from Wm. Warren, Sculptor, Belfast,  
*II. 127.8* stating he has finished Bust of Mr. Allott. May 11,  
 1853.

Drogheda Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, Sep. 1, 1858, suggesting  
 School,  
 etc. Mr. Eccles, Curate, as Surrogate vice Mr. Lacey,  
*II. 129*

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Drogheda School, etc., cont.

Master of Drogheda School; and referring to the

Collon Monument to Mrs. North in Collon and its unsuitability

*II. 129*

- ugly - inscription clumsy, too long, etc.

*II. 130*  
Pre-  
sent-  
or.

Precentor's House, alterations in,

Collon. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, Sep. 7, 1858.

*II. 131-*

(a) Enclosing a draft letter for Primate to send to parties who got Mrs. North's monument carved without permission.

Charles-  
town

(b) re Charlestown Union.

*II. 131-2*

(c) Repairs to Lissan Glebe.

(d) "Hearne has accepted Killylea" (Query, and withdrew).

Armagh. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, Oct. 5, 1858.

*II. 133-5*

(a) Primate pays tuition fees for 2 boys, Heritage and Kenny, in Royal School, £3. each.

(b) Referring to Primate's rooms in T. C. D. Mr. McIlwaine wants them for his nephew. Primate's letter enclosed re

(c) the "troublesome young attorney in Armagh, Jenkinson, who made a fight about the old houses of Vicars Choral in Market St." died suddenly 2 days ago" so "we shall live the more harmoniously".

Killylea. Vacancy there, Aug. 22, 1858. Irwin suggests

*II. 136-7*

Hearne, Curate to Mr. Jones previously C. to Jas.

Disney and before that C. to Archd. Stokes.

R. King engaged in assisting other clergy.

Killylea Vacancy. Oct. 1, 1858. Irwin suggests E. Power

*II. 138*

Curate of Dungannon. He lost his wife lately and has £50 a year private means "is a respectable, attentive but not clever clergyman" well conducted and "has done hard work at Dungannon".

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Dundalk. J. G. Bainesford to be lic. to Dundalk.  
*II 138.*

Armagh. Rev. A. Irwin reminds Primate of certain calls on  
*II 40-1* his purse -

- (1) £5 towards fees of David Macartney, Forkill, at Royal School.
- T.C.D. (2) £10 towards P. Hastings, an Irish Scholar in T. C. D.
- Grange. (3) £10 Annual Subscription for Grange Schools.
- Cathedral (4) Suggests £15 be sent for Cathedral poor, as the Collections have suffered on account of His Grace's absence!

Forkill. Rev. A. Irwin re Forkill Schools without a  
*II 142-3* teacher.

Rev. R. Law of Carlow, his residence a couple of hundred yards outside parish!

Lord Mandeville's Return of Schools, 1840.

Tandragee Estates.

<u>Parish.</u>		<u>On Roll.</u>	
<i>III 249</i> Ballymore	Tandragee Infant	140.	Average attendance is given for 4 quarters and was about 50 per cent.
	" Male	148.	
	" Female	140.	
	Cargans Male	86.	
	" Female	60.	
	Commegh School,	70.	
<i>III 249</i> Carlow	Cornishoge Male	102.	
	" Female	100.	
<i>III 249</i> Killesvy	Tullyhappy	150.	
<i>III 249</i> Mullavilly	Mullabed Male	90.	
	" Female	91.	

*Bound up with School Returns  
see p 41*

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Lord Mandeville's Return of Schools, 1840, cont.

<u>Parish.</u>	<u>Endowed Estates.</u>	<u>On Roll.</u>	
Portadown.	Portadown Infant	220.	Average attendance is given for 4 quarters and was about 50 per cent.
<i>III. 249.</i>	" Male	108.	
	" Female	66.	

*Handed up to the School Committee 1874, vol. 6 p. 41*

No Classification of Religions, but Romans bear same proportion, as they do in the Population

Returns of the Estate. Feb. 4, 1841.

(signed) Henry John Porter.

Moral Agent.

Clonfeacle. Dr. Griffin having been appointed Bishop of

*II. 144-8* Limerick, and the Crown having next presentation,

Primate writes to Lord Lieutenant (Lord St. Germaine) pointing out that the new Incumbent should understand he must give £40 (not £10 as heretofore) towards P. C.

Caledon.

of Caledon (where the Dowager Lady Caledon has built a very beautiful Church & Parsonage House) and also must contribute £20 to £40 towards a District Cure to be formed out of Moy, Loughgall & Clonfeacle (viz., Annaghmore). He expresses "the great pleasure it gave me to hear of Mr. Griffin's elevation to the Episcopal Bench. He has always shown himself "a person of high principles, independence of character & quiet attention to the duties of his profession & very respectful in his demeanour to me". Nov. 18, 1853.

*a! II. 148-9* Lord St. Germaine replied saying he would consult

Mr. Griffin. He was presenting Rev. Joseph Stevenson to C.

*III. 171. Return given in Glebe, Caledon 1824*

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Drogheda, Letters from Rev. A. E. Ormsby inter alia refer-  
St. Peter's

*II. 150-7* ring to dismissal of Sexton of St. Peter's, as required  
by the Primate. April 24, 1856.

*II. 152.* A Letter of John Shaw, 20 years Clerk of St. Peter's,  
asking for a permanent tenancy of a house in the Alleys  
while Mr. Heran, Organist, occupies his house in  
Churchyard is refused. He only gets loan of a house.

Inniskeen. Lord Clermont to Primate, April 27, 1859, says  
(Clogher)

*II. 154-9.* Rev. G. H. Meade wishes an exchange of livings, as last  
autumn one of his sons narrowly escaped being shot, etc.  
. . . hostility excited by his zealous discharge of his  
duties.

Primate in reply is quite willing if some one can  
be found to exchange with him, though he thinks exchanges  
a mistake, as one or both of the parties are ultimately  
dissatisfied.

Brackaville. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 16, 1858. "Mr.

*II. 160-1* Stewart whose father wrote to Your Grace from Bushmills  
is in charge of Coalisland for Mr. Young . . . a  
humble attentive clergyman - wretchedly poor". Young  
will return soon and Stewart will be out of employment.

Forkill. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 8, 1858. Henry desir-  
Ardee,  
etc. ed Forkill, also Logan, but Quin has got it. Irwin

*II. 162-3.* wants him to examine carefully state of alleged converts  
from Rome there so as to judge work of Irish Church  
Missions. Dr. Campbell has not left much money. Chas.  
Maclean undecided whether to leave Drumhanagher for  
Beyonne or Malaga. Logan 32 years C. of Ardee to get  
Charlestown.

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McClelland) Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 17, 1859. Says he  
 & Holmes. ) has written Rev. Mr. McClelland that he is excused  
 II. 164-5 from attending adjourned visitation. "He is said to  
 be half mad".

Also says Rev. H. H. Holmes (whose father was a  
 very respectable Clk. in the Dio. of Cashel) has  
 applied for Asst. C. of Belleek in the place of Mr.  
 Brown. Mr. Young also wants him for Tydavnet.

Rev. J. M. H. Strangways. Testimonial on his application for  
 II. 166 a Minor Canonry of St. Paul's & Westminster. Oct., 1856.

Drogheda, St. Mark's. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 15,  
 II. 168-9 1857. H. E. Brooks - Curate - is now settled in a  
 Curacy in Shropshire.

Mentions a subscription of His Grace, of £100 to  
 some object.

Ballybay. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 27, 1856, encloses  
 II. 170 Bene Decessit of Rev. H. C. Tuthill signed by Rev.  
 J. Dunbar, W. of Ballybay:

Col- and writes re the North Monument in Collon "The more  
 lon. difficulty that is put in the way of erecting large  
 II. 170-1 Italian monuments in the Churches the better."

Ballymore. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Oct. 8, 1857.  
 & Clare. "Dr. O'Sullivan has returned, greatly broken down by  
 II. 172-3 grief at loss of his son - himself had a wonderful  
 escape from death, having stepped out of train at  
 Holyhead while in motion fell between carriage &  
 platform & was dragged along by his coat caught in  
 carriage door. He is nominating Rev. F. T. Hankin  
 to D. C. of Clare. Some unpleasant business re Han-

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Ballymore & Clars, cont.

kin is likely to be brought before Primate by Churchwardens.

Eillesher (Kilmore). Rev. J. Crompton solicits (probably through Pres. Irwin) a subscription to building the Church. The Primate had subscribed originally, but as sum was not sufficient, and Church was only then partially built, he asks another subscription.

II. 174-5

April 19, 1869.

Endorsed "Sent him £20".

Rev. Moore O'Connor, (of Dio. Kerry). Rev. A. Irwin to Primate referring to this Case, Oct. 20, 1857. Hearing

II. 176-7

fixed on Tuesday next. Reporters may ask to be admitted. "Dr. Radcliff thinks it would be as well that they should attend, for Mr. O'Connor having gone over to the Church of Rome it is desirable that it should be known that they have gained no prize by his accession".

(N.B. The papers about the case of this notorious Clerk are in the Registry. He was ord. in England on forged Letters Testimonial, Degree, etc., and subsequently obtained a benefice in Kerry)

Drumgoiland. Letter of Lord Townshere to Primate, 30 July, 1833, recommending a loan from the Committee for

II. 178-9

Relief of the Clergy to Rev. John Dubordieu, R. of Drumgoiland, till his tithes be paid.

Forkill. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 3, 1858.

II. 180-1

Dr. Campbell of Forkill buried Sep. 3, 1858. Irwin proposes Quin of Charlestown for it, and suggests Logan for Charlestown.



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*II, 182-4* ✓  
 Sterne's Charities. Rev. Josiah Heron of Newport, Mayo, applies for a grant from Charity for his brother, son of a Clk., who is grown up. It is refused, as he is grown up and not fit to go to School.

*II 185* ✓  
 Primate's Rooms. Letter to Dr. Hart, F.T.C.D., requesting him to see that No. 24 (Primate's Room) is given to a student named McIlwaine whose tutor is Mr. Dickson. (see above).

*II 186-7* ✓  
 Precentor's House. Letter of Sep. 21, 1858. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, inter alia re improvements to Precentor's house.

*II 188-9* ✓  
 Killeavy. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 17, 1857. Primate pays £100 a year for a Curate for Killeavy.

*II 190-1* ✓  
 Moy. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 14, 1858, re Sale of half a pew in Moy Church. "the purchase conveys no legal right to it". He suggests Lord Charlemont should get half of it from Mr. Joyce.

*II 193-4* ✓  
 Rev. J. E. Costello. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 26, 1858, re J. E. Costello had been C. Castleblaney, then C. to a Mr. McCall at Bermondsey who gave him a "good & satisfactory character". Also re Mr. Deering, C. of Muckno. Also referring to a letter from a Mrs. Baylor.

*II 196-8* ✓  
 Observatory. Letter of J. M. Gray, V. of Leamington, asking Primate's assistance towards erecting a Telescope, Aug. 17, 1857, with Dr. Romney Robinson's observations, who suggests Primate should tell him he had

Observatory, cont.

his own Observatory to consider.

*II. 199* Mr. Higginson, Jun<sup>r</sup> Letter of Primate to Judge Keatinge recommending Mr. Higginson, Jun<sup>r</sup> to be retained as Reg<sup>r</sup> of Down, Connor & Dromore, enclosing a letter from Rev. Mr. McIlwaine "Mr. H. bears a very good character in the town of Belfast." Aug. 25, 1857.

*II 200-1* Dean Disney. Letter to Primate from Rev. A. Irwin, Aug. 18, 1857, saying he had recommended the Clergy to use "Prayer for War & Tumults" but "it would be well if Your Grace would write to Dean Disney directing that it be used in the Cathedral. Unless Your Grace gives directions it will not be used."

*II 202-3* And again, Aug. 31, 1857, he had arranged a preacher for S.P.C., but "it is requisite that Your Grace sho<sup>d</sup> write to the Dean & notify him that Y<sup>r</sup> Grace wishes that Dr. Caldwell the Deputation sh<sup>d</sup> preach in the Cathedral on 13th."

"An express train now runs from Armagh to Dublin in 3 hours & 40 minutes."

*II 204-5* Brantry. Lady Caledon is going to endow parish. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 25, 1857.

*II 206-7* Ballyclog. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 18, 1857, stating that Primate is paying £100 a year to Rev. Oteay Herbert as C. to Mr. Greene at Ballyclog.

*II 208-211* Probate Courts. Portion of letter of Rev. A. Irwin (1857) to Primate re new Probate arrangements.  
"Mr. Hawkins retires with a pension of £1,000 a year.  
"A young Maurice Keatinge has managed to get his own

## Probate Courts, cont.

"salary made of the same amount. There has evidently  
 "been a sharp look out for the loaves & fishes and the  
 "recent change in the Bill as to the Registrars has  
 "probably proceeded from some hungry attorney anxious  
 "to provide for himself. . . . Markets gorged with  
 "potatoes, which farmers seem to be selling in a  
 "fright finding that many of them are diseased".

A Mr. Keatings suggests he should get the promise  
 of Registrar of the Court of Faculties and that he  
 would get Mr. Stuart to resign! Rev. A. Irwin thinks  
 this an impudent proceeding and says Primate should  
 write saying he never appointed to a position till it  
 was vacant.

Milltown. Rev. Leslie M. Carter began duty as C. here  
*II. 212* 10 Sep., 1857. Primate paid his salary. (Rev. A.  
 Irwin to Primate, Oct. 1, 1857).

Rev. Josiah Heron Newport, Mayo. Application to Sterne  
*see* Charities to assist a grown up brother - to be  
*II. 182-4.* refused. *see top of p 64*

Drumcree. Consent for Tithes Composition, 2650. n.d.  
*IV. 123-8* (*Bound with Tithes Law (5) p 8*)

Dungannon. Printed List of Subscribers for a new Church  
 to 9 Nov. 1860.

*see I. 450-68.* Primate gave £200.  
 Hanfurly family £1,300 provided an equal sum  
 be got from parishioners.  
 Eccl. Com<sup>o</sup> expected to help.  
*see Bundle p 46*

Dungannon School. Letter to Primate from John McArthur, Ran-  
*III. 274-6* dalstown, saying he had not been sufficiently paid by  
 School Board for Survey of School lands, abusing Mr.  
 Blacker and Mr. Kyle, etc. 25 March, 1837.

*Bound in School Bundle*

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Non-Residence. Printed Copy of Primate's letter to Clergy  
 II. 214. to make return of residence after 1 Jan., under the  
 Clergy Residence Act. 182-.

Vestry. Order for a Vestry for Repairs of a Church under  
 II. 216. Act of Vestry. 1827.

Drogheda, St. Mark's. Draft of letter to Mr. Smyth (in  
 II. 218-220 Archdeacon Stopford's hand) re erection of Chapel of  
 Ease. Corporation think they can only give a lease,  
 but it is pointed out a Church can only be built on  
 land given in perpetuity, free of rent & under  
 33 Geo. 2. c. II. bodies corporate can grant up to an  
 acre free for ever for such purpose.

The Chapel may be built with consent of majority of  
 Protestant Parishioners, but query: it must be 2 miles  
 from Parish Church. Pew Rents may be charged for sup-  
 port and repair of Chapel.

Clogher (Lowtherstown). Letter Aug. 25, 1858, from Ecc. Com<sup>n</sup>  
 II. 221-2 re enlargement of Lowtherstown Church. Faculty neces-  
 sary to remove pulpit "from its present objectionable  
 position".

Tithes Composition,  
 1827.  
 Armagh & Grange.

(with Leonard  
 Dobbin's obser-  
 vations.)

IV 72-6

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 Bundle  
 sec p 9

Certificate by Stephen Madcliff and  
 Henry Leslie Prentice Com<sup>rs</sup>, 27 Oct., 1827.  
 "Grange & Armagh" in Union of Armagh,  
 tithes Comp. £250. A Townland "Mullagh-  
 loughian which hitherto has not paid  
 tithe but will under the Composition Act  
 be liable."

"There are about 1000 acres of land in the  
 Corporation which never contributed a

Tithes Composition, 1827. Armagh & Grange. cont. farthing to the Rector and about 400 acres of glebe similarly circumstanced" . . . the lands subject to tithe include the best part of the parish.

Ballyclog. Receipt for £25 from Rev. Otway Herbert to the  
*II. 223* Primate, 24 June 1861. Endorsed "resigning the Curacy, he has no further claim on me."

Diocese Armagh. List of Parishes 1856, with number of Clergy in each before and at 1856, viz. 106 before, 132 at 1856, with observations as to their efficiency, etc. No names.  
*II. 224-33.*

Charlemont. Letter of Rev. A. A. Rickson acknowledging £40  
*II. 232-3.* from the Primate towards erection of a gallery in the Church. May 28, 1861.

Library. Dr. Madeliff's opinion that Governors and Guardians  
*II. 234-5* cannot prevent entrance of persons decently habited, and conducting themselves peaceably, not being mere children: - unless library is overcrowded - .  
Jan. 21, 1826.

Dio. Armagh & Clogher. List of Curates paid by Primate from 21 Dec., 1857  
Curates. to 1 July, 1858, with amount totalling £1,011.8.4.  
*IV. 62-3* This included  $\frac{1}{2}$  year's salary of Dio. Inspector £100 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  year's salary for Secretary (A. Irwin) £250, and Jail Chaplain, Armagh, (B. Wade). £25.

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Derry Visitation & Proposal to tax benefices for repairs of Churches. ) Letter of Rev. J. T. Knox, Meghara, to Primate, Oct. 21, 1821, telling Primate of a proposal at the recent Visitation in Derry to petition Parliament that a new Valuation of parishes be made and a tax levied on them instead of parochial rate, by which Churches are built or repaired. The Bishop approved, but evidently Mr. Knox did not.

*II. 236-7.*

Balleek. P. C. formed out of Loughgilly. Memo. by Archdeacon Stopford as to necessary legal instruments. n. d.

*II. 238-9*

Heynestown. Re Proposal of Mrs. Balfour to give a Glebe to Heynestown. Memo. by Archdeacon Stopford. Oct. 22, 1825.

*II. 240*

First Fruits Debate. Letter of Archdeacon Stopford, May 24, 1830, about First Fruits Debate in Parliament; showing fallacy of Sir John (Newport's) argument.

*II. 241-2*

Rural Deans. Form of Commission appointing Rural Deans.

*IV. 64-5*

Armagh Mall Premises. Memorial from Town Commissioners and Inhabitants of Armagh (signatures numbering 16 Town Commissioners and 122 inhabitants) claiming that a lease made in 1840 by the Primate, 8 Oct., 1840, of about 6 ac. Mall Premises to the Dean Jackson, Rev. Jas. Jones, Rev. J. F. Flavell and W. Paton was not valid, as Primate Stuart had leased same in 1820 for 61 years to the Sovereign and Burgesses of Armagh.

Date 10 Jan., 1859.

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Killeeshil. Letter of Rev. E. O. Disney re proposed enlargement  
 II. 243.  
 of Killeeshil Church, 23 Ap., 1861.

Armagh Vouchers for Cost of Schools in Armagh evidently  
 Schools.  
 III 272-3.  
 defrayed by Primate; account made up by Rev. Benj.  
 Wade for year 1861:

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 in School  
 Bundle  
 see p 43.*

via. Mall Schools,	284.	7.	4.)
		1.	4. 6.)
Mall Infant School.	46.	3	3½.
Callan St. Infant School,	39.	3.	5½.
Male Night School,	10.	3	0.
	£181.	1.	7.

Includes gratuities to Teachers, Mr. Kendrick,  
 Letitia McSherry,

salaries to Mrs. Edgerton, Sarah A. Doug,  
 Miss Watson, Miss E. Watson.

and Clothing for scholars, and repairs.

Armagh Cathedral. Letter from Dean Jackson, 21 July, 1838, (at  
 (Orange Flags)

II. 245-7.

Killiney) that Mr. Disney told him that 5  
 Flags were put on Cathedral Tower and bells rung from  
 12 at night till 8 in evening of 12th July, against  
 wishes of Messrs. Paton, Jones, and others. The Dean  
 had prevented this last year and says it "manifests  
 the intemperate & ungovernable spirit of the Protestant  
 party". Crowe (the sexton) he thinks is responsible.

He adds that he hopes the Tithe Bill will be passed.  
 Dickinson, Chap<sup>l</sup> to Archbishop of Dublin has visited  
 him and supports Archbishop of Dublin in opposing it.  
 "Dickinson seems clever & shrewd & professes himself  
 moderate in his views".

Middletown Dispensary. Letter of Dean Jackson, 30 June, 1838,

II. 248-9

from Killiney, sending a copy of letter of Dr. Euston  
 asking that his brother practising in Tynan be appointed.

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Armagh Cathedral  
Restoration.

V. 137-9

Letter from Dean Jackson, from Ravenswell,

Bray, saying Lord Caledon suggests Chapter

should approach the Government through Mr. S. Rice

for a loan of £17,000 from the Board of Works, to

cover balance due for respiration and that a Bill

should be introduced charging the members of the

Chapter and their successors and Economy Surplus Fund

a portion of the cost. 15 Aug., and 23 Aug., 1837.

Letter of Lord Caledon re same.

A letter of the Dean of 20 Sep., 1837, refers to

same and to positions of Mr. Kelly's monument; "a

good situation should be reserved for the late Primate's

monument, and for Dean Urelincourt's which are both of

inferior execution."

Another long-winded letter from Dean Jackson re same.

(above bound with cathedral papers)

Dublin, }

Letter from Rev. Robert Daly, Powerscourt Glebe.

Deanery  
of St.

to Primate, Nov. 2, 1840, stating that he was a

Patrick's. }

Candidate for the Deanery "with the sole view of

II. 250-58

keeping the post from being filled by "a friend

of the National Education System . . . & "ready in the

spirit of the petition presented to Parliament by the

Archbishop to change the formularies of our Church to

meet the latitudinarian spirit of the day", and hopes

for His Grace's approval. He encloses copy of a letter

of Sir Robert Peel to his brother, wishing Dr. Daly

success and stating that many years since he desired on

public grounds of using his services in a more prominent

position but Dr. Daly himself had scruples about leaving

his post at the time. (Nov. 1, 1840). The Primate wrote

Dr. Daly a dignified reply, Nov. 5, 1840, declining to

give any expression of good wishes to either party "as

being no longer in connection with the Dio. of Dublin



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Dublin, Deanery of St.  
Patrick's, cont.

it might not be proper for me to exercise influence in such a question. . . . I have only the good of the Church at heart & I shall rejoice in the appointment of the person who shall under God's guidance most effectually promote her welfare".

Ballymascanlan. Letter of Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson, Ravensdale, *II. 256-9* complaining that as guardian of her children she owned a square pew erected by her father-in-law 50 years ago in the Church, but recently it was divided into three by the Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> and Incumbent without her permission. She has now got two of the 3, but wants it restored to original condition.

Primate replies, Nov. 17, 1840, says no grant of a pew to her family would be valid unless confirmed by Deed, sealed by Diocesan & registered; no such deed can be found. She has therefore no legal title and the Church is too recent to give her a title by prescription, and as she has got two he suggests she should reconcile herself to facts. The Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> would prevent her by law from interfering with the present condition of the pews.

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Armagh Cathedral. Dec. 20, 1840. Copy of Primate's letter *II. 260-1* to Dean refusing permission to Mr. Dobbin to erect a monument over the vault of his family. Seeing that all other monuments had to be removed, at the restoration, he could not make an exception in this case and permit a new one to be erected by Mr. Dobbin.

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Dean Jackson. Letters of

*II 266-5* (1) Remarks on Lord Mansfield's Bill, May, 1836.*II 262-3* (2) May 23, 1848, about debate in Parliament re position of Irish clergy: is opposed to a tithe rent charge as it depends on the value of the precious metals.*II 266-7* (3) On School question: Scrip<sup>9</sup> in the Schools, June, 1838.*II 268-70* (4) June, 1848. Remarks on Tithe Bill. Recommends Huston for Middletown dispensary.*II 271-3* (5) 26 July, 1838; long letter on the Tithe Bill.

Public Records. Important letter of Rev. Dr. Henry Cotton to

*II 274-5* Primate, on the condition of Parochial Registers,Lismore, 10 Jan., 1841; saying how owing to changes among Incumbents and parish clerks Registers have been lost; entries have been added to or cut out: some registers are merely loose leaves, etc. . . Suggests an Act should pass appointing a Commission of 2 or 3 able to read ancient writings, with power to examine and copy all Registers and such copies - literatim - be signed page by page, and all such copies deposited in some Public Repository.*II 276-7* The Primate sought Archdeacon Stopford's advice, which was against any reference to Parliament, as it might mean change in the Marriage laws; and replied to Dr. Cotton to that effect. (What a pity!. Stopford was again a bad adviser! J. B. L.)

Armagh Cathedral Restoration. Long letter. 7 June, 1838, to

*V 168* Primate from Dean Jackson, re Cottingham's delay in sending drawings of West Front. Cottingham is angry because Potts, contractor, was allowed to substitute  
*I 65*

Armagh Cathedral Restoration, cont.

Plaster pillars in the windows for solid stone.

Refers to the Precentor advertising in the Mail the old organ (given by Primate Robinson) for sale. It was valued at £400.

A reference to Schools, whether Scriptures and Church Catechism should be obligatory on all.

*(in Cathedral Bundle)*

Archbishop Croly. Letter from Mr. Paton, May 30, 1848,

*II 279-80*

saying he had seen Archbishop Croly re some Address or "Declaration of Thanks" who agreed with the sentiments expressed, but would defer asking his people to sign in the present excited time on account "of the recent conviction of Mitchell" but would take charge of it later on.

Commutation of Tithes. Letter of Primate to George Dawson (M.P.)

*II 281-2*

June 10, 1828, thanking him for his defence of the Church's interest: The Primate speaks hardly of the landlords, and says "I perceive the members of the Co. & City of Limerick with the Earl of Limerick at their head are most active in framing resolutions & in procuring signatures to those resolutions which have in view the depriving of the Clergy of their property I do not know that these gentlemen have entered into any resolutions or have taken any steps whatever either in this country (he is writing in London) or in Ireland to put down private distillation in Limerick. It is carrying on, to as great an extent as ever (as my letters inform me) in that County. The private distiller pays them more than the miller can afford to do, & therefore no matter whether the laws are violated, the revenue defrauded, the morals of the people corrupted, the poor starved, or the people of England obliged

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## Commutation of Tithes, cont.

to support the wretched peasantry of Ireland, who ought to be supported by these landlords . . . Broad self interest is at the bottom of their proposal of commutation . . . they are totally wanting in patriotism, if ever there was a time in which they were called on to exert themselves to put down private distillation it is the present".

*II 283-4* Tithe Agitation, 1822. Letter of Primate when Archbishop of Dublin, to Lord Liverpool, March 23, 1822, promising co-operation in any wise legislation for the Irish Church. He does not plead guilty, he says, on the part of the Church. "to the charge brought against us that tithes are the cause of the present disturbance in the South of Ireland - than which nothing can be more untrue."

Dr. Phelan. Some comments of Dr. Phelan on:-

- II 285-6*
- (1) The Athanasian Creed;
  - (2) The Absolutions;
  - (3) The 18th Article;
  - (4) Nature of the Church.

1827.

Faculties. Circular to the Bishops about Faculties.

*II 287-8* Primate Robinson's rule was to give a faculty only to hold 2 benefices, i.e. those holding a single benefice (or Episcopal or Perpetual Union) could be granted another benefice or Union by Act of Parliament or Council, - a certain exception was made in some cases to unite an Episcopal Union: the Primate now says he will not grant faculties for such exceptions. May, 1823.

Unlike the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Arch-

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Faculties, cont.

bishop of Armagh always had a discretionary power to refuse a faculty.

*II 289-90* Tynan. Letter from Rev. J. E. Jackson, 27 Feb., 1827, re best method of controversy with Roman Catholics; approves a pamphlet by Hartwell Horne & Mr. Townsend's "Review of the Declaration of the Roman Catholic Bishops".

*II 291-4* Tithes, 1822. Heads of Commutation of Tithe Bill, 1822, with notes of speech by Primate.

*II 295* "Catholic Layman". Receipt for £500 to Primate 28 July, 1858, from A. E. Gayer.

*II 297-8* Co. Louth Parishes. Observations respecting Unions, 1825.

*II 299* Ordination, 1854. List of Fees showing names of Ordinands 1854.  
April, 1854. Henry Edward Brooke, Thos. D. Barlow, Chas. S. Maclean, Edward J. Gausson.  
Dec., 1854. Robt. Hamilton, Edward Power, John P. Bushe, John R. Greer, T. D. Barlow, Wm. Fletcher.

*II 301-6* Armagh Infirmary. Letters re repairs etc., to Armagh Infirmary. Dr. Robinson and L. Dobbin, January, 1845.

*II 307-8-9* Mr. McWatters. Draft of testimonial for his son about to enter Civil Service, 1858.

*II 310-1* Charities. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Oct. 4, 1858, re some of the Charities he supported.

Killylea. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Oct. 3, 1858,  
*II 312-3* re interview with Mr. Walpole, visiting Armagh, on  
Education, suggesting Mr. Ellis be appointed to  
Killylea.

Vicar Choral. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Oct. 19, 1857.  
*II 314-5* Dean suspended Mr. Allen for not attending Service on  
Day of Humiliation, etc.  
Tells of Mr. Turle's son wounded in India.

Scripture Readers. Qualifications and Duties of, (Printed).  
*II 316.*

Bust of Mr. Allott. Letter from W. Warren, Sculptor, Belfast.  
*II 318* May 31, 1858, tells of sending Cast of same, and also  
of the Primate.

Palace. Mr. Farrell's estimate of Dilapidations at Palace,  
*II 320-1* Armagh, £1,123. 16. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ . - letter to Rev. C. C.  
Beresford. 2 Sep., 1822.

Church Temp<sup>l</sup> Act. Bundle of letters of Rev. A. Irwin re this  
etc.  
*II 322-37* 1858; and also Endowed Sch. report.

Henry Coulburn. Letter, March 16, 1825, of Primate to,  
*II 338-9*  
*II 340-1* Letter from Dr. Thos. Cuming, Oct. 28, 1858.

Record Room. Correspondence with reference to Dean Disney's  
*II 342-51* claim to examine the Records in the Record Room, con-  
cerning Lawsuit about Armagh Rectory. August, 1858.  
Primate referred it to his Solicitor, and Mr. F. Fitz-  
gerald was of opinion that the Dean had a right of  
access to the Record Room as being a Governor of the  
Library.

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## Record Room, cont.

From a letter of Mr. Irwin's it appears that at Mr. Allott's decease the room was in a dirty ill-kept condition, Manuscripts scattered about and that Allott had removed certain books from it, which his Exor. found in his house, and sent to the Palace.

The Bundle includes a memo. of the Primate on a visit to the Room with the Librarian and Governors, and found it in a state of utter disorder and neglect. He proposed to have it cleaned and Mr. King or Dr. Reeves to put aside the documents mentioned in Primate Robinson's Will, etc.

## Royal Supremacy.

Letters of Dr. Geo. Miller to Primate,

"J. K. L."

March 30 and April 3, 1825, re Royal

*II. 352-4*

Supremacy, pointing out that Mary seemed

to have claimed it, at first but only because John Knox and others maintained that a female could not exercise sovereign power but the later Acts of her reign made it clear that she did not consider Supremacy a part of the royal power. The second letter refers to a book of "J. K. L.'s which he had noted as if preparing to answer it.

Drogheda Widows. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 21,

*II 356-7*

1857. Mrs. Turner wants a pension instead of house,

but would retain house at a rent. Irwin recommends refusal "it would be very hard to get any rent out of Mrs. T.": Miss Mee is an applicant. Irwin recommends her to get a grant of £10 as she cannot be admitted.

Indian Famine. Fund for Sufferers raised by Lord Mayor of

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Indian Famine, cont.

V 371. <sup>a. 16</sup> London. Letters of Rev. A. Irwin. Primate subscribed £100. April, 1857.

Diocese of Clogher.

II. 358-63. Inniskeen. Long letter from Rev. G. H. Reade to Primate, 31 March, 1856, defending himself against slanders by a former butler, Francis Lee, discharged by him. Reade had replied to gentlemen asking for his character unfavourably. Lee personating a gentleman named Armstrong got such a letter giving his "character" and threatened legal action. Failing this he now writes to Primate making accusation about the burial of a child named Cooke without a service, that his son performed his duties in the Church, and that he neglected his duties. He points out the real facts, and stated that there were now in Inniskeen 70 Protestants and 18 converts from Popery, Average attendance at Church 70; at Sacrament on Christmas Day 40, Easter 44, other times 25; 30 catechized on Sunday including some adults. 20 children in Ch. Edu. Soc. ( a room above the National School.) When appointed to the parish, he was informed there was frequently no congregation, 12 was counted a good attendance, and no parochial School. His zeal for his Church roused persecution. He was denounced from the altar by R. C. Priests, and he and his family insulted, cursed, pelted and spat at; his son was fired at; and a man hired by ribbon men to shoot himself; as sworn testimony before the R. M. could prove; etc., etc.



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Clones. Letter of Rev. Thos. Hand, Rector, April 9, 1858,  
*II 364-8-7.* applying for faculty to enlarge Clones Church - cost  
 £300 lodged - writes from Dublin re Church Bd. Sec.  
 meeting "certainly Mortimer O'Sullivan's was a splendid  
 and telling speech"; a copy of letter to Dr. Radcliff  
 says that the Presbyterians and Methodists opposed the  
 enlargement.

Wickno. Letter from Rev. W. S. Burnside to Primate, 4 Nov.,  
*II 368-9* 1856, (with a Memorial sent to Sec. Com<sup>n</sup>) suggesting  
 what Mr. Hope said that if the Com<sup>n</sup> did not build a  
 new Church as handsome as the new Roman Catholic Chapel  
 beside it they would prefer to remain as they were.  
 Mr. Hope had expended £200 in enclosing the Churchyard  
 with a wall.

Carrickmacross. Letter from Dr. Romney Robinson, who has been  
*II 370-1* ordered to build a set of offices at the Glebe by Dr.  
 Radcliff, setting forth reasons why he should not be  
 asked to do so. They were unnecessary; he was non-  
 resident, and the Curate did not need them, etc.  
 Endorsed "Not answered".

Templecarne. Letter, April 25, 1860, from Rev. C. Maude,  
*II 372-3.* about a confirmation to be held in his Church by the  
 Bishop of Ossory.

Rockcorry. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 16, 1858,  
*II 374-5* referring to "young Mr. Farleton" to be appointed to  
 Rockcorry, "a well educated man", "not a person of  
 energy, but the duty at Rockcorry is light", "he never  
 manifested any tendency towards Tractarianism".

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Other matters; a Townland in Forkill, visited by Curate of Loughgilly; votes for 3 vacancies women's pension (? Clergy Widows).

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 II 386-7 Another letter of Sep. 17 says "It would appear that Rockcorry was better looked after by poor Robinson singlehanded than Tyholland by the two Farletons father & son. . . son . . . is better at his books than visiting the poor".

Drumully & Donoughmore, Armagh). Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 29, 1857. Refers to a memorial sent against Rev. V. D. Christian for dismissing his Parish Clerk and Schoolmaster without permission or cause shown.

II 376-7

Rev. T. Carpendale wants to "take down an old dilapidated Schoolhouse in the Chureyard of Donoghmore & to build a new one on a site to be given by Mrs. Lyle". He wants £8 to complete the work. Irwin suggests Primate gives cheque for it.

Donaghmoine. Rev. R. Tottenham to get i/c. for non-residence Parish seems to be sequestered for debt.

II. 380-1

Letter of Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Feb. 24, 1858.

II. 382-3. Letter of Primate to W. R. Anketell re Robert Tottenham's pecuniary difficulties, declining to write to his brothers.

Donagh. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Oct. 19, 1857, suggesting

II 384-5

Coll. of Rev. A. Williamson at once, as some trouble re dilapidations was brewing with W. H. Pratt's Exors. (He was coll. Oct. 27).

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Kiltern. Letter of Rev. A. Irwin, Sep. 17, 1858, to Primate  
 II 387d. (see under Rockcorry) suggests the Primate should  
 continue his subscription towards a "Curate for Kilter-  
 nan in Fivemiletown which he used to give when Mr.  
 Davis had charge of that district . . . it is a great  
 distance from parish Church & the Methodists have  
 settled there".

Magheraculmney. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 20, 1858, re  
 Rural Dean's return. Animadverts on population being  
 II 388-9 1500 and attendance five days 450 in morning and 30 in  
 evening and only 50 children catechised, and says  
 "Perhaps it would be best to give Lord Adam (Loftus  
 the Rector) leave (of absence) his absence will be no  
 loss to the parish"!

Inismacssaint. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Aug. 28, 1858. Mr.  
 II 390-1 Burnside wants H. U. Kilbride, now C. of Inismacssaint,  
 as his C. at Muckno. A. Irwin does not recommend  
 this. He is a deacon, married; has no degree, an  
 excellent parish clergyman but poor and only offered  
 £75.

Kilmore. Rev. A. Irwin to Primate, Sep. 29, 1858, to approve  
 II 392-3 of Memorial of Rev. Mr. Kennedy to improve Glebe house  
 at Kilmore.  
 Says of Rev. H. C. Irvine, C. to Lord Adam Loftus (see  
 above), he is brother of Rev. Gorges Irvine and is a  
 very worthy man. The parish has improved.  
 Also refers to a Lease of Rev. J. R. Phillott, R. of  
 Ballymoney (Connor).

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(From T. G. F. Paterson, Esq.)

*V. 26 St-Jog* Bundle concerning Restoration 1834 to 1842.

Containing Estimates, Accounts, Receipts,

Letters from Mr. Cottingham, Architect, etc.

Bundle containing receipts 1814-15 from Verger, Sextons,  
Beadle, Ringers.Beresford Correspondence, continued.

(From Dean Carnody)

Bundle relating to the Restoration of the Cathedral.

viz. Letters, 1837, from Dean Jackson,

Archdeacon Stopford,

Rev. Jas. Jones,

Mr. Cottingham, Architect,

Lord Caledon.

Primate's original Subscription £8,000.

" second " £5,000.

Up to 1837 about £20,000 expended. Cottingham's  
estimate for rest (excluding pewing, heating, etc)  
£4,354.

An application for a Loan to the Government talked of.

(This bundle ~~should~~<sup>is</sup> be connected with that of  
Mr. Paterson's above, as they dovetail into  
each other).

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## CENSUS OF WOODS CHAPEL PARISH,

1829.

*This is a copy of Census ref'd to on Page 1.*

## TOWNLAND OF BALLYRONAN.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations. 1829.
Mr. Gausсен.	1.	2.	2.	This townland belongs to the Company of Salters; it is at present held under Lease by the Marquis of Londonderry and Sir Robert Bateson which expires in the year 1852 or about 17. The other townlands in the parish similarly held, are similarly circumstanced.
Mr. David Gausсен.	4.	5.		
Joseph Simpson.		1.	2.	
William Crawford.		2.		
James Daly	4.	4.	2.	
Samuel Macilroy.	5.	3.		
John Simpson.	4.	1.		
John Melaniff.				
Elisa Steenson.		3.		
Ellen Lennox.	2.	3.		
Sarah Dogherty.	2.			
Elisa Hull.	2.	1.	1.	
Robert Dogherty.	2.	3.		
Robert Hull.	1.	2.		
Robert Marks.	2.	2.	1.	
Thomas Murray.	1.	3.		
John Mackappen.	1.	2.		
Mary McCartney.	1.			
Margaret Keehan.				
George Rogers.	3.	2.		
Edward Scott.	3.	2.		
Robert Hammon.	3.	3.		
Robert Hurl.	2.	4.		
Robert Gilmour.		3.		
Totals 24.	43.	48.	8.	

## CENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.

## TOWNLAND of BALLYRONAN.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations. 1829.
Henry Kyle		3.		The Census of this Townland is continued from preceding page. There is a village of the same name as the Townland, in which is a School for persons of all Religious denominations; at present not under any Society, but entirely supported by private subscription, visited weekly, and the protestant children catechised, etc. Persons attached to the body of Wesleyan Methodists preach in this School-house on stated occasions; they are dissenters from the primitive Society, and administer the ordinances of the Established Church.
Margaret Gilmour		1.		
George Osborne.	2.	3.		
John Keightly.	2.	2.	1.	
Benjamin McWilliams.		3.		
John Graham.	4.	3.		
John Rogers.	5.	3.		
Robert Rogers.	4.	3.		
Samuel Keightly.	1.	4.	1.	
James Hamilton.		3.	1.	
Thomas Rogers.	2.	3.		
John Lennox.		4.		
John Rogers.	1.	3.		
James Sarsfeild.	1.	1.		
William Rice.	3.	2.	1.	
Benjamin Scott.	4.	3.		
James Wright.				
Thomas Wright.	2.	4.		
Robert Hull.	1.	3.		
Rachel Rice.				
Joseph Souden.			1.	
Eliza Rogers.		3.		
Eliza Mackeanland.				
Mr. William Gausse.	3.	2.	1.	
Robert Murphy.	2.	7.		
William Townshend.		2.		
<b>Totals</b>	<b>50.</b>	<b>75.</b>	<b>14.</b>	

## CENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.

## TOWNLAND of BALLYMILLIGAB.

Hheads of Families	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations.	1829.
John Berryman.	1.	2.		The remaining Church- of-England families are included in the Census of the Upper district.	
Archibald Grier.	2.	4.			
John McWilliams.		4.			
John McCinnell.	2.	1.			
Totals	4.	5.	11.		

## TOWNLAND of BALLYRIFF.

Gabriel Clarke	2.	4.		This townland belongs to the Company of Salters.
Ann Boothe.	5.	4.		
Henry Boothe.	3.	2.		
Mary Boothe.	1.	2.		
Benjamin Boothe.		4.		
William Boothe.	1.	4.		
James Boothe.	1.	1.		
George Scott.	2.	2.	1.	
James Henry.	2.	4.		
Andrew Watson.		3.		
Simpson Shepherd.	1.	1.	1.	
William Evans.				
Samuel Evans.				
Sarah Murray.	2.	3.		
Robert Thomson.	1.	2.		
Ann Berryman.		2.		
Jane Brooks.	1.			
Totals	17.	21.	39.	2.

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## TOWNLAND of BALLYMULDERG.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations.	1829.
Joseph Waterson.	6.	6.		This townland belongs to the Selters' Company.	
Joseph Clarke.	2.	4.			
James Miller.	1.	2.			
George Waterson.	2.	6.			
Joseph Waterson.	2.	4.			
James Farley.	1.	2.			
John Wilson.	2.	5.			
Antony Clarke.					
William Clarke.					
Benjamin Booth.					
John Wilson.	1.	2.	1.		
Robert Dowdle.	3.	5.			
James Clarke.	2.	3.			
George Mackenell.	2.	6.			
Joseph Mackilroy.	5.	3.			
Richey Waterson.	2.	4.	1.		
Antony Mackilroy.		3.	1.		
John Mackilroy.	2.	5.			
James Waterson.		2.			
Thomas Collins.	2.	4.			
John Young.	3.	4.			
Thomas Wilson.		3.			
George Wilson.		1.			
John Wilson.		2.			
Robert Purdy.	2.	1.			
Robert Young.	2.	4.			
Totals	26.	42.	3.		



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## TOWNLAND of DRUMBACH.

Hheads of Families.	Males.	Fa- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations. 1829.
Isaac Scott.	2.	4.	2.	This townland belongs to the Company of Salters.
Thomas Scott.	1.	2.	2.	
Robert Wilson.	2.	2.		
Joseph Scott.	5.	3.		
William Scott.		2.		
John Samey.	2.	2.	2.	
Edward Loudon.	3.	4.	1.	
William Badger.	2.	3.		
Eliza Badger.		1.		
John Badger.	3.		1.	
William Simpson.		1.		
William Loudon.	3.	4.		
Robin Wilson.	2.	3.		
John Scott.	1.	5.		
Benjamin Scott.	1.	5.		
John Scott.		6.		
George Scott.	2.	4.		
Joseph Scott.	2.	3.		
Thomas Badger.	3.	4.		
James Wilson.			1.	
William Mackollum	1.	2.	1.	
William Wilson.	1.			
Joseph Mackgowan.		3.		
James Morrow.	2.	2.	1	
Totals	24.	38.	65.	11.

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TOWRLAND of DRUMKEAGE.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Sex- vants.	Observations. 1829.	
Samuel Mackilroy.	1.	5.	1.	Census of this Town-land here continued from preceding page.	
Sarah Wilson.		1.			
Ann Simpson.	1.	1.		The parish containing 1000 acres the year 1829, this parish also visited every few Saturdays they the Corporation also have one schoolmaster and instructed in Book-keeping. There is a school-master for the parish's children at present and in this parish.	
Daniel Newcombe.					
Sarah Baxter.	4.	2.			
William Hull.	3.	5.			
David Cowen.	1.	2.	1.		
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31.</b>	<b>50.</b>	<b>13.</b>		
Robert Simpson.	2.	2.			One of the parish's parsons for this year 1829.
William Marshall.	2.	2.			
John Baker.		2.			
Mary Baker.	2.	2.			
Mary Brownlee.	2.	1.			
John Clark.	1.	4.			
Robert Clark.		1.			
William Clark.	1.	1.			
George Clark.	2.	2.			
Sarah Lister.	1.	2.	1.		
John Lister.		2.	2.		
John Lister.		2.		The "Chapel of the People" is in this town-land.	
John Mackilroy.	1.	2.			
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31.</b>	<b>48.</b>	<b>10.</b>		

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TOWNLAND of LISNAMORROW.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vents.	Observations. 1829.
Mr. Dawson.	1.	3.	4.	One of these servants, a native of Africa, baptized A.D. 1828, & named William; also confirmed same year.
Thomas Cook	2.	1.		
Robert Orr, Senr	3.	5.		
Samuel Orr.	2.	5.		
Gabriel Morrow.	5.	3.		The parish Schoolmaster, since the year 1802; this School is also visited weekly, (on Saturdays) when the Protestant children are catechized, and instructed in Scripture. There is no School-room, the Master's kitchen is at present applied to this purpose.
Joseph Waterson.	8.	3.		
Francis Loudon.	1.	2.		
George Loudon.		3.		
Samuel Miller.	2.	3.		
James Barber.		2.		
Robert Simpson.	3.	6.	3.	
Hamilton Marshall.	3.	3.		
Hugh McKee.		4.		
Henry Hudson.	2.	3.		
Mary Brown-Lee.	2.	1.		
John Clark.	1.	4.		
Robert Lennox.		1.		
Eliza Orr.	1.	1.		
George Clark.	4.	3.		
Sarah Loudon.	1.	3.	1.	
John Waterson.		2.	2.	
John Waterson.		3.		The "Chapel of the Woods" is in this Town-land.
John Mackgonigal.	1.	4.		
Totals	23.	42.	10.	

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TOWNLAND of CARALOOK.

<u>Heads of Families.</u>	<u>Males.</u>	<u>Fe- males,</u>	<u>Ser- vants.</u>	<u>Observations, 1829.</u>
George Waterson.	2.	3.		This Townland forms a part of Magherafelt Glebe - it belongs to the Company of Salters
William Waterson.	4.	2.		
George Kevin, Sen <sup>r</sup>	3.	4.	1.	
George Kevin, Jun <sup>r</sup>	1.	7.		
Samuel Bryan.	5.	3.		
Samuel Simpson.	1.	2.		
Daniel Harri.	2.	2.	1.	
John Little.	1.	1.		
William Mackginnell.	3.	2.	2.	
James Crawford.	5.	3.		
Hamilton Mackallan.				
James Kevin.	1.	1.		
Thomas Kevin.				
Sarah Kevin.				
<b>Totals 14.</b>	<b>28.</b>	<b>30.</b>	<b>4.</b>	

Thomas Bryan			
John Bryan			
Robert Walker.	1.	1.	
Mary Walker.		1.	
George Walker.	1.	1.	
Mary Walker.		1.	
George Walker.	1.	1.	
John Walker.	1.	1.	
James Walker.	1.	1.	

These two persons live in the same house.

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## TOWNLAND of AGHRIME.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations.	1829.
James Lennox.	4.	4.		This townland belongs to the Company of Salters.	
Daniel Mackellan.	3.	3.			
John Lennox.	5.	4.		A School-house has been erected lately in this townland, for the use of persons of every religious denomination, it will be finished, it is expected, before winter. It is on the borders of Ardrea & Magherafelt parishes; under the Kildare St. Society.	
John Lennox, Jun <sup>r</sup>		1.			
John Ellis.	1.	1.			
Sarah Lennox }				These two persons reside in the same house.	
Mary Lennox }					
Richard Boyd.	1.	2.		This townland is the property of George Lennox, Esq., &c. &c. It is separated from the townland of Aghria by the river Boyla.	
Edward Lennox.	3.				
Robin Simpson.	4.	4.		The Roman-Catholic Religion is professed by the majority here.	
Richard Lennox.	5.	2.	2.		
Gerard Derby.	2.	2.		There is a school for children of all religious persuasions, in this townland. The teacher is a Roman-Catholic; visited regularly, at stated intervals.	
John Derby.		1.	2.		
Henry Lennox.	4.	1.	1.		
Thomas Lennox.	3.	3.	1.		
Jane Lennox.	3.	1.			
Richard Lennox.	3.	2.			
Andrew Lennox.	3.	1.			
Thomas Lennox }				These two persons reside in the same house.	
Sarah Lennox }					
Robert Walker.	2.	2.			
Mary Mackay.		1.			
George Wright.	4.	2.			
Mary Cudden.	1.	2.			
Andrew Lennox.	3.	2.			
John Pickering.	2.				
James Pickering.	1.	4.			
Totals	27.	57.	45.	6.	

## CENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.

## TOWNLAND of AGHRIME CREAGH.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fa- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations.	1829.
Gerard Irvine.	4.	3.		This townland belongs to George Dawson, Esq., M. P.; it extends as far as Toom-Bridge.	
George Fullan.	1.	2.			
				The majority of the parishioners in this townland profess the Roman-Catholic faith.	
Totals	2.	5.	5.		0.

## TOWNLAND of AGHRIME MEYOLA.

Mrs. Rachel O'Neill.	2.	4.	1.	This townland is the property of George Dawson, Esq., M. P.; it is separated from the townland of Aghrim by the river Meyola.
James Rice.	1.	2.		
William Bates.	1.	4.		
Thomas Bates.	2.	3.	1	The Roman-Catholic Religion is professed by the Majority here.
John Bates.	1.	2.		
Hugh Bates.	2.	2.		There is a School for children of all Religious persuasions, in this Townland. The Master is a Roman-Catholic; visited regularly, at stated times.
James Donnelly.	2.	6.		
John Donnelly.	5.	3.		
James Donnelly, Junr	2.	3.	2.	
Arthur Evans.	2.	4.	1.	
Thomas Evans.	1.	5.		
John Baxter.	2.	5.		
James Johnston.	2.	3.		
Robert Ellis.	3.	1.		
Thomas Ellis.	2.			
Totals	15.	30.	47.	5.

GENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.TOWNLAND of BALLYNAGARVE.

Hheads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations. 1829.
William Brown.		1.	1.	This townland belongs to the Company of Salters.
James Brown.	3.	2.	2.	
Henry Laycock.	3.	4.		
Elisa Ferguson.	2.			
Elisa Burnett.	1.	2.		
John Burnett.	1.	2.		
James Burnett.	2.	3.		
Mary Burnett.				
John Burnett.		2.	3.	
Elisa Ferguson.		1.		
William Ferguson.	2.	2.	2.	
Alexander Meckaleses	2.	2.		
Andrew Laycock.		2.		
Jane Gray.	2.	2.	1.	
William Brown.		1.		
Leonard Brown.	2.	1.		
William Brown.	3.	2.		
Ann Brown.		1.		
Alexander Richardson.	3.	4.		
Ralph Dittay.	4.	4.		
<b>Totals</b> 20.	30.	38.	9.	

## CENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.

## TOWNLAND of DERRYGARVE.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations. 1829.
Edward Davis	1.			This Townland is the property of George Dawson, Esq., M.P. The property of George Dawson, Esq., M.P. is held in severalty by Mr. John's family. There is a village of the name of the townland, which is a separate parish, bounded to the east by the River, to the west by the Duke's Canal, and to the north and south by the Chapel and the River. The name of the townland is Derrygarve.
Thomas Patterson.		1.		
John Davis.	2.	3.		
Mary Marshall.	1.	1.		
Charles Mackellan	1.	2.		
Robin Macklerson.	3.	4.		
William Mackellan.	2.	5.		
William Derby.	7.	1.	1.	
Alexander Derby.	2.	1.	2.	
Thomas Derby.	1.	3.		
William Hammeraly.	4.	2.		
William Church.	1.	1.		
Thomas Church.		2.		
Margaret Sarsfeild.	1.	4.	1.	
Thomas Sarsfeild.	4.	3.		
Francis Sarsfeild.	4.	3.		
Robert Hendron.	3.	6.		
Joseph Shaw.	1.	1.		
Andrew Thomson.	1.	5.	1.	
Alexander Yorek.		2.	1.	
Darrington Boyle.	1.	2.		
William Henry.		2.		
William Berryman.	4.	4.		
Joseph Hoos.	2.	4.		
John Hammersley.				
Thomas Hammersley.				
Henry Hudson.	2.	2.		
Thomas Boyle.	4.	3.	1.	
Totals	28.	52.	67.	7.



CEENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.

TOWNLAND of BALLYMACKQIGGAN.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vents.	Observations.
Captain Hagen, R.N.		4.	5.	This townland the property of George Dawson, Esq., M.P., is held in perpetuity by Mr. Bell's family.
James Pickering.	3.	1.		
George Pickering.	2.	1.	2.	
Hugh Lennox.		2.		There is a village of the same name as the Townland, wherein is a Moravian Settlement founded in the year 1769. September 13. The Rev <sup>d</sup> Binian Steel, Curate of the Wood's Chapel resides here; distance from the Chapel - about two miles.
Mrs. Hyndman.		1.		
James Young.		1.	1.	
Samuel Young.	3.	4.	1.	
Archibald Young.	2.	3.		
William Young.				
John Wilson.	2.	4.		
John Rodwell.	2.	4.		
Edward Berryman.	4.	4.	1.	
Thomas Berryman.				
Archibald Williams.	2.	1.		
Robert Dixon.	2.	2.		
Totals 15.	22.	32.	10.	

Christopher Rodwell.	2.	2.	
Alexander Rodwell.	2.	2.	
John Rodwell.	1.	1.	
Robert Rodwell.	1.	1.	
William Rodwell.	1.	1.	
James Rodwell.	1.	1.	
Thomas Rodwell.	1.	1.	
John Rodwell.	1.	1.	

Totals 15. 22. 32. 10.

## CENSUS of WOODS CHAPEL PARISH, 1829.

## TOWNLAND of BALLYBELL.

Heads of Families.	Males.	Fe- males.	Ser- vants.	Observations.
Humphrey Tracy.		1.	1.	This townland belongs to the Company of Salters.
Francis Dunn.	1.	1.		
James Dunn.	3.	4.		The Assistant Curate of the Wood's Chapel resides in this Townland, distant from the Chapel - one mile.
Robert Mitchell.	4.	4.		
James Tracy.	1.	2.		
James Sans.	1.	5.		
William Clemens.	1.	2.		
Francis Tracy.	4.	4.		This person is one of the Church-Wardens for this year.
Jonathan Hatchinson.	2.	4.		
Ann Wilson.	1.	2.		
John Hamilton.	2.	2.		
Thomas Sans.		1.		
Robert Waterson.	3.	1.		
George Waterson.	2.	3.		
Frederick Macollum.	3.	4.		This person's wife originally a Roman-Catholic.
Christopher Macollum.	2.	2.		
Alexander Woods.	2.	2.		
John Hunter.		1.		
Robert Blair.	1.	3.		
William Blair.	1.	7.		
William Mallon.		1.		
Thomas Tomlinson.	2.	3.		
John Herbertson.	4.	6.		
Totals	23.	40.	66.	1.

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Jonathan Allen.		1.			Census of this town- land continued from the preceding page.
Robert Hunter.	1.	3.			
John Blair.	1.	2.			
Rachel Davis.	2.	1.			
Mary Banks.	6.				Divine Service com- mences at half-past Eleven O'clock in the fore-noon, and at half-past five in the afternoon; the even- ing-service is dis- continued during the Winter Season. (A Sermon.) The chil- dren are catechized and instructed in Scripture (on Sundays the Junior Classes before - the Senior Classes after Church; they are catechized in the Chapel - aver- age number this year 90 to 100.
Daniel Ellis.	5.	3.			
Robert Ellis.	5.				
William Brown.	1.	2.			
Samuel Wright.	1.	4.	3.		
Josiah Mackeon.	1.	3.			
William Allen.		1.	2.		
William Mackeon.	4.	1.			
Sarah Bennett.					
David Bennett.	1.	1.			
William Tracy.			2.		
Totals	39.	69.	91.	6.	

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CHARLEMONT CORRESPONDENCE.

(From T. G. F. Peterson, Esq.)

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CALENDAR OF CORRESPONDENCE  
OF

PRIMATE LORD JOHN GEORGE BERESFORD.

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VOL. II.

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NOTE.

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It is arranged not exactly in Calendar order but grouped under parishes and places, for facility of reference. Some of the more important documents are copied in full; and some of the matters referred to, are also mentioned in Vol. I. of this Calendar.

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VOL. II.

Acton. Rev. J. H. King, accepting Acton. Mar. 16, 1858.

*VII 1*

Altedesert. 1827. Draper's Co. have promised to build a  
new Church at Moneymore.

*VII 2*

18 April, 1860. Rev. Richard Oulton writes  
telling of his induction to Keady,  
and sending list of Subscriptions he and Mr. Lowry had  
collected for enlargement of Altedesert Church.

*VII 3-4*

His Grace gave £100

The Lowry family £85.

Total was £228. 7. 0.

Ardee. Nov., 1825, and July, 1826.

*VII 5-6-7*

Rev. F. Hall, and the Churchwardens John Purvis  
Richard Robson.

Tithe Comp. agreed £550 Irish.

Comrs Rev. Wm., Smith, John Whiteside of Kilcolpy.

Ardee. Repairs of Church, 1840.

*VII 8-17*

Long correspondence between the V., Rev. A. Ellis, the  
Primate, and Ecc. Comrs. Windows needed plastering.

Mr. Ellis wishes enlargement but the Comrs. want a  
subsc. made and have postponed it. Mr. Ellis says  
parishioners ("some intractable dispositions" among them)  
will not subscribe as Comrs. unfairly treated them about  
a stove. Church is to be closed 30 Sundays. Mr.  
Ellis says one of the minarets was blown off the tower in  
the storm of Jan., 1839.

Ardee, cont.

VII. 18

Letter of Mr. J. Lee Norman, Corbally, objecting to some proposed alteration of pews in the Church of Ardee. Sep. 8, 1841.

" 19 6 25

1842. Long correspondence regarding some objections by Mr. Hatch to the Churchwardens' (Robert Munkittrick and Arch<sup>d</sup>. Doran) allocation of same. Hatch was a "single man, had been engaged in the malt trade, now leading an idle life. On the downfall of the Ruxtons' influence" he courted the lower class hoping he would become head of a new Corporation; was a Conservative, and recently app<sup>d</sup> a Magistrate but left them and voted for Mr. Bellew. Persons mentioned

35

- Mr. Milling,
- Mr. Tho. Brunker,
- Thomas Hargrove who for Hatch had held the door of pew 22 and prevented Henry Alex. Lewer and his sisters entering it,
- A Mr. Robinson a Revenue officer to whom Hatch had leased pew 22 with a stamped agreement.

The letter of Mr. Ellis 21 Nov., and his dealings with both Robinson and Hatch is delightful reading.

" 26 6 30

Rev. T. D. Logan, Curate, replies to charges made against him by Mr. Hatch whom he describes as "so well known as being opposed to all of my profession and having so little respect for truth".

The charges seem to have been neglect of pastoral visits. One case that of Mrs. Concannon mother-in-law of a Dr. McArdle is shown to be untrue by Rev. Wm. H. Ellison Curate of Charlestown. Also it is charged that he had "a workshop with a forge & lathe" ! which he admits as a hobby. Mrs. Ruxton writes denying Hatch's charges. Dr. Richard Montgomery and Mr. Milling also write to the same effect. 1842.

Ardee, cont.

Vol III.

31-37

Rev. Arthur Ellis, 19 Nov., 1845, re some money he got from Grand Jury for losses.

States that he gets £135 more rent from tenants of glebes than when he was app<sup>d</sup> to parish.

Primate answers that the money he got from the Co. was not for himself alone, part ought go to his successor.

33-37

Correspondence between Rev. A. Ellis and his Rural Dean (Mr. Olpherts) in the third person.

Ellis refused to reply to R. D.'s Queries, charged him with misrepresentation. Sent answers to queries direct to Primate who asked Mr. O. for the correspondence.

Primate wrote 2 stinging replies to Ellis, which he seems to have fully deserved.

38

Oct. and Nov., 1845. Mr. Olpherts thanks the Primate for his letter to Mr. Ellis

Ardree. Tithe Comp., 1824.

39-40

Rev. E. Hincks, sum agreed not given; nominates Rev. Wm. Smith, Ballyclog, his Com<sup>r</sup>

H1

Letter of Dr. Phelan, 1829, re a poor woman who got £2. 2. 0. for teaching S. Sch. at Woods. Also re School house proposed to be built.

H2-3

Ardree new Church. Letters of Dr. Phelan re its Consecration. 1829.

W4

Ardree and Woods. Dr. Phelan, 1829, re some complaint of Mr. Dawson as to neglect of duty by him and Curates.

Discusses work and character of:- Mr. Steele, Mr. Usher.

Ardree, cont.

VII. 45

Letter from Rev. J. K. Baillie, 1840, re dispute about a pew. Lawsuit. Mr. Gausson, Junior, involved.

46

Dr. Kennedy Baillie, asking to be allowed to expend £1000 on glebe - more than already granted as he wishes to build a wall around it.

Granted, provided only £750 be a charge on his successor.

2 April, 1840.

47

Mr. Robert Evans, resigning the Office of Seneschal of the Manor of Ardree (which he held since 1840), and recommending Mr. John McCormick of Cookstown, at one time Registrar of the Court. Sep. 20, 1853.

Armagh.

48-52

5 Aug., 1822. Application by Mr. Monck Mason who says he is compiling a topographical History of the Ch. of Ireland, to examine the See Mss. in the Registry. He says in a 2nd letter he has already seen these Mss.

Mr. Allott says that in Primate Stuart's time no one was all<sup>d</sup> to examine them, several having been refused, that there is not any distinction between Primate Robinson's Mss. and others, and that some time ago those Mss. relating to Clonfeacle were lent to Mr. Gervais who must have shown them to Mr. Mason.

Refused; Mss. only there for the Primate's own use and if he (the P.) takes one out he must restore it.

53

Cathedral. May 30, 1827. Mr. Allott wishes to go to Lausanne to see his father, whom he has not seen for 3 years.

Refers to younger Mr. Scott's debts. He owes £65 and his father whom he supports about £70, proposes instead of paying creditors a compos<sup>n</sup>, to go to prison. Asks if he would be continued a member of the Choir. Allott attributes debts to fondness for extravagant dress, etc.

54

1827. Rev. Wm. Maclean, re some Conversions from Romanism. Names given.

55

List of Subscribers to Armagh Clerical Provident Fund, (in full).

Return of the sums paid into the ARMAGH Branch of the Provincial Bank of Ireland for the use of the "Armagh Clerical Provident Society."

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Rev. Thos. Carpendale	10 - -	Dr. Wm. Phelan	10 - -
" And <sup>w</sup> Christie	1 - -	Rev. James Phelan	2 - -
" Jas. McCreight	2 - -	" Cha. <sup>s</sup> Alexander	10 - -

Armagh, cont.

RETURN, Continued.

55 Rev <sup>d</sup> Corn <sup>s</sup> Marshall	1 - -	Rev <sup>d</sup> James Tisdall	5 - -
" J. E. Jackson	10 - -	" C. C. Beresford	15 - -
" Sam. Twigg	1 - -	" Dr. Vesey	5 - -
" Colin Ivers	1 - -	" A. Ellis	5 - -
Lady Anne Beresford	50 - -	" R. Olpherts	5 - -
" Catherine Beresford	50 - -	" A. Garstin	1 - -
His Grace the Lord Primate	50 - -	" Cha <sup>s</sup> Smith	1 - -
Rev <sup>d</sup> Mr. McLean	2 - -	" A. Nicholson	1 - -
" T. S. Blacker	5 - -	" Henry Green	1 - -
" Rob <sup>t</sup> Miller	1 - -	" Edmund Knox	1 - -
" Mr. Mangin	2 - -	" Tho <sup>s</sup> Murray	1 - -
" W. J. Knox	2 - -	" Tho <sup>s</sup> Parkinson	1 - -
" Henry Stewart	1 - -	" Wm. Smith	5 - -
" Cha <sup>s</sup> K. Irwin	1 - -	" Jonathan L. Darby	2 - -
" Stephen Radcliff	2 - -	" Alex <sup>r</sup> Lindsay	2 - -
" M. J. Mee	2 - -	" Jerome Alley	5 - -
" Mr. Jones	1 - -	" Wm. Brownlow Forde	5 - -
" Fitzgibbon Stewart.	1 - -	" A. Adams	2 - -
" Rob <sup>t</sup> Henry	2 - -	" T. Fosbury	1 - -
" Arch <sup>d</sup> Kidd	2 - -	" J. Smith	1 - -
" Tho <sup>s</sup> Twigg	1 - -	" W. H. Foster	5 - -
" Maxwell Carpendale	2 - -	" Dr. Blacker	15 - -
" - Wilson	1 - -	" W <sup>m</sup> Barker	10 - -
" W <sup>m</sup> Mauleverer	10 - -	" W <sup>m</sup> H. Gunning	1 - -
" Ja <sup>s</sup> Mauleverer	1 - -	" Jn <sup>o</sup> Cleland	15 - -
" Gregg Fortescue	1 - -	" Dr. Buck	5 - -
" Tho <sup>s</sup> Agnew Vesey	5 - -	" Jn <sup>o</sup> Young	5 - -
" W <sup>m</sup> Vesey	1 - -	" J. Graham	10 - -
" Tho <sup>s</sup> Lindsay	1 - -	" Rob <sup>t</sup> Wood Kyle	2 - -
" David Donaldson	1 - -	" T. K. Farney	1 - -
" Dean Carter	10 - -	" A. G. Stewart	1 - -
" Mr. Chichester	15 - -	" C. Bardin	1 - -

Armagh, cont.

RETURN, Continued.

55	Lord Lifford	20 - -	Rev <sup>d</sup> W. J. Irvine	1 - -
	Rev <sup>d</sup> James Clarke	2 - -	" W. Barlow	2 - -
	" Jn <sup>o</sup> Groves	1 - -	" Fra <sup>s</sup> Gervais	2 - -
	" Jn. Mee	2 - -	" Henry Usher	1 - -
	" Savage Hall	2 - -	" Mr. McCausland	2 - -
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	" J. Molesworth Staples	5 - -		
	" James Lowry	15 - -		
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	Rev <sup>d</sup> Elias Thackery	15 - -		
	" Gervais Tinley	5 - -		
	" -- Martin	1 - -		
	" Art <sup>f</sup> Young	1 - -		
	" Jn <sup>o</sup> Darley	1 - -		
	" Jn <sup>o</sup> Brownlow	5 - -		
	" Jn <sup>o</sup> Kerr	1 - -		
	" George Evans	1 - -		
	" Isaac Ash Sen <sup>r</sup>	5 - -		
	" d <sup>o</sup> J <sup>f</sup>	1 - -		
	" W. H. Ashe	1 - -		
	" Ju <sup>s</sup> Forde	1 - -		
	" F. L. Gore	5 - -		
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Provincial Bank of Ireland.

Armagh May 5, 1827.

W. Paton Manager.

Armagh Cathedral. Chantry's Monument to Primate Stuart.

vii 56-7

2 letters of Mr. Kelly to Primate saying it has arrived; question where it shall be erected.

Some of the subscribers defaulted but there is enough money to pay Chantry. June, 1827.

" Vicars Choral and Library. Sep. 17, 1827.

58

Mr. Thos. M. Evans resigns the Agency (evidently in consequence of a disagreement with Mr. Allott).

" Cathedral. 1829.

59

Vestry held to arrange for sale of seats in Gallery of Chapel of Ease (St. Mark's) when built, proceeds to be used "in lengthening and improving the present plan".

" Cathedral Hill. 1830.

60

Observations on the Bill for its repair by the Archd<sup>n</sup> "Except the members of the Chapter the clergy see the Cathedral but once a year and take no pride in its appearance."

" The Deanery: Archd<sup>n</sup> Thos. Singleton writes from Dublin Castle thanking the Archdeacon for notifying the death of Lord Lifford, Dean. April 19, 1830.

61

" 1830. Jan.

62

Reference to Observatory Regulations made by Primate Robinson. Archd. could never find them anywhere.

Question re appointment of a Deputy Astronomer.

Primate objects to Mr. Lyne preaching extempore! but his congreg<sup>n</sup> had been used to Methodist preachers and to hold them he had to!

Also ref. to Mr. McCreight likewise!

77



Armagh Cathedral. April 2, 1836.

- VII 63-4 The Dean on Cottingham's Estimate for extras.
- " " 1836. Archd. Stopford, re an estimate of Cottingham's.  
65 Primate's fear of Organ being muzzled.
- " " April 10, 1836.  
66 Mr. Allott on new Organ by Walker.  
Thinks position of Organist too far from singers.
- " " April 16, 1836.  
67 Dr. Blacker on behalf of Chapter, re Mr. Cottingham's  
bill, etc. Says no estimate for repewing yet.
- " " April 22, 1836.  
68 Pres. Allott, re Vicars Chorals' Charter. Ecc. Comrs.  
evidently tried to get control of funds.  
Dr. Radcliff seems to think they could. Alex. Hamilton  
said No; intended to get the best legal opinion in the  
Kingdom, Mr. Edward Pennefather.
- " " Vicars Chorals' Estate.  
69 Leonard Dobbin wants a renewal of his lease of Lesbane  
70 and Kennedies.
- " " Mr. Allott objects as he has allowed a mill to become  
72 useless and diverted a water course etc. 1836.
- " " May 5, 1836.  
73 Vicars Choral Leases of "7 towns" and lands in Co.  
Down. Policy of Vicars and late P. to eliminate the  
middleman. Mr. Dobbin's lease of Lesbance.
- " " Mr. Allott, May 9, 1836, re Leases to Tenants (50) of  
74 Vicars Choral. Expects £5000.  
75
- " " 1839. Dean Jackson's 2 letters re Spandrills on the  
76 Tower of Cathedral and lowering level of the Hill.
- " " Mr. Allott. Letter April 22, 1839. Some missing  
77 Chapter Books. Cannot be found in Library.  
Mr. Allott is asking £300 for the old organ.  
Expects to sell it to Walker.

Armagh Cathedral. 1840.

78 Dean Jackson with respect to a lodge at Cathedral proposed by Cottingham.

" 79-80 " 1840. Estimates for erecting railings, gates, and Lodge, £1105.

" 81 " Re design of railing around Churchyard and its cost, April, 1840. Mr. Paton.

" 82 " 1840. Letter of Pres. R. Allott, stating he had arranged that 3 gentlemen and 4 choristers should attend daily the Services in turn, month about.

" 83 " A Mr. Edmondson, Assistant at Observatory and writing Master at Miss Henry's School was the only one not satisfied. He wanted entire exemption. Allott did not agree as this would not be fair to the rest of the Choir.

" 83-84 " Mr. Quin, 1840, says Ecc. Comrs. intend to repair Cathedral Churchyard wall.

" 85 " 1841. Aug. 30. Deanery of Armagh vacant. Henry Goulburn (who had been instrumental in appointing him Chapl. of Hib. Mil. Sch.) recommends Rev. Saml O'Sullivan.

" P.S. "The Queen has just sent for Sir Robert Peel".

" 86 " Sep. 14, 1841. Mrs. Jackson (wid. of the Dean) to Primate re his offer to pay her son John's expenses at Oxford, not definitely accepted.

" 87 " Deanery vacant. Mrs. Foster writes to Primate suggesting Mr. Foster ought have a claim to be app<sup>d</sup> Dean. Sep., 1841.

88 Letter of Rev. W. H. Foster, Sep. 24, 1841.

Armagh Cathedral, cont.

referring to his wife's letter which he had heard she sent, (and which he says he is sorry she sent !). He states the Deanery had been filled at the time, and that he is satisfied, but urges his long service, and and that being the son of a prelate he ought be considered for promotion.

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" " Dear Jackson. 1841.

Letter of his son J. E. Jackson thanking the Primate on behalf of the Family for his sympathy. His father d. suddenly and was bur. in St. Bride's, London.

" " The Deanery.

90

Mr. J. E. Jackson, son of late Dean, writes Nov. 26, 1841, Asks will the Exors. be at liberty to give possession to Mr. Hudson when the Com. of dilap<sup>ns</sup> has been held.

" " 1842. Mr. J. E. Jackson sends primate's letters to the Dean, his late father, in a packet to the Primate as he does not wish them preserved.

91

This wish is peculiar seeing he seems to have himself carefully preserved the letters he got and copies of the answers he wrote !

" Infirmary. Addition to, 1842.

91-92

" St. Mark's. Dr. Elrington, 1844, to Primate re some complaint about baptism not being administered on Sundays in St. Mark's. He refers to the anomaly of two Registers - one in the Cathedral, another in St. Mark's.

93

Also reference to T. C. D. Fellows who wish to be ordained. The Abp. Dublin claims jurisdiction over the College which they deny, so Fellows have been ord. by Bps. of Oss., Down, Kilmore, etc.

Armagh Cathedral, cont.

(in full).

A list of Parchments, Papers, and other articles found among the Effects of the late Very Rev<sup>d</sup> J. E. Jackson; delivered to W<sup>m</sup> Paton Esq. for His Grace the Lord Primate. -

1. Copy of Charter of the Dean & Chapter of Armagh dated 23 Jan<sup>y</sup> year 13<sup>th</sup> of Charles 1<sup>st</sup> (in Latin).
2. Copy of Letters patent, to the Rectors, Vicars Choral & organist of Cathedral of St. Patrick, Armagh dated 23 May year 10<sup>th</sup> of Charles 1<sup>st</sup> English.
3. Deed of Exchange. Parties Earl Harcourt, Lord Lieut<sup>t</sup>, Richard Archbishop of Armagh, & Dr. Hugh Hamilton Dean of Armagh - date 1776.
4. Lease of land in Ternascobe, Earl of Charlemont to McCartney & Blakely Churchwardens of Armagh - date 29 June, 1769.
5. Map of five Towns, belonging to the Dean of Armagh.
6. Map of part of Mullinure.
7. Map. of part of the Primate's demesne, subject to pay tithe to Lord Farnham. date 1771.
8. Map. of Demesne of Dr. Hamilton, Dean of Armagh - 1779.
9. Lease of Outlacken School House - 1823.

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List continued.

11. (?) Drelinecourt's Charity - bundle of papers containing  
Acco<sup>t</sup> of the founding & conducting of school.  
Copy of Master Henn's report in the matter  
4 Feb., 1836.  
Copy of Order confirming Master Henn's report  
19 Feb., 1836.

Armagh Cathedral, cont.

List of Parchments, etc. found among effects of late Dean Jackson, cont.

11. re Drelinecourt's Charity, cont.  
(in full). Copy of Serjeant Pennefather's opinion, with Mr. Dobbin's letters.  
Specification of Repairs.  
Rental of Lesmorin.
12. Certificate of Consecration - new church of Armagh  
15 April, 1832.
13. Package of Engravings of the interior of the Cathedral.
14. Plans & Drawings of new throne for Cathedral (delivered some days ago).
15. Keys - two large Keys one a double one, supposed to belong to the Cathedral; one small Key labeled Cathedral plate.

Armagh 25 October 1841.

James Eyre Jackson

Exor. of late very Rev<sup>d</sup> J. E. Jackson.

I acknowledge to have received from  
His Grace the Lord Primate the papers  
contained in the foregoing list except  
the Engravings of the interior of the Cathedral  
and the plans & drawings of the new Throne  
marked N<sup>os</sup> 13 & 14 in the list  
these I have not received.

21 December 1841.

Reg. Armagh.

Armagh  
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Resoln. of thanks from Armagh Nat. Hist. & Philos. Soc. to his Grace for providing for the Society a Building formerly Charlemont Place Nat<sup>l</sup> Sch. 7 June, 1852.

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96-97

1853. Dean Disney wishes the Primate to become Patron of the G. of England Assurance Assoc<sup>n</sup>. Bp. Dickinson had been insured in it for £3000; while paying that they gave a handsome subscr. to collection for his widow. Primate refused on advice of Mr. Paton.

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98-9

Mr. George Allen, Vicars Hill wishes to know if he can wear his M.D. hood (Oxon) in Cathedral. Primate says Yes. 1853.

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100

Armagh Lunatic Asylum. 1853. Letter of Primate on behalf of the Governors of Armagh Lunatic Asylum to Sir John Young recommending the Govt. to increase salary to Mr. & Mrs. Jackson. "This Institution was the first that was established in Ireland & the system adopted in it served as a model for all similar inst<sup>ns</sup> in this country".

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101

May 12, 1858. Letter of Primate to Mr. Wade offering him the Rectory of Armagh.

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102

Cathedral. Precentor Allott.

Letter of Primate to Mr. Guillemard re erection of a painted window to memory of Mr. Allott in Cathedral.

Does not object if design is all right and if Dean and Chapter concur. 1860.

Armaghbreaque. 1830. Archd. Stopford, re formation of  
 VII-103  
 104 Armaghbreaque District.

" Primate sends Rev. D. Donaldson 18£ annual augmentation.

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Ballinderry. John George of Cough app<sup>d</sup> Comr. of Ballinderry  
 106 for Comp. 13 July, 1827.

Ballygawley. 1827.

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Memorial of Parishioners in District of Ballygawley  
 (Errigal-keerogue Parish) asking for a new Church to  
 be built at Ballygawley.

Signed by:-

- |                           |                              |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Rh. Armstrong.            | G. N. Sallery.               |
| Wm. Cole.                 | Geo. Mayne.                  |
| W. Mann.                  | James Johnston.              |
| Lewis Davis.              | Rich. Johnson.               |
| Robert Beatty.            | Simon Hazelton.              |
| William Stewart.          | Alex <sup>r</sup> Warnock.   |
| Andrew Little.            | John Crookes.                |
| Patrick Hughes.           | John Heatly.                 |
| William Beatty.           | Richard Hughes.              |
| Edward Hull.              | Alex <sup>r</sup> F. Hughes. |
| Alex <sup>r</sup> Morton. | Wm. Gilmore.                 |
| George FitzGibbon.        | Rob <sup>t</sup> Morrow.     |
| Tho. Harvey.              | Arch <sup>d</sup> Hadden.    |
| John Kinsely.             | John Mitchell.               |
| Wm. Jonston.              | W <sup>m</sup> McDowell.     |
| John Ashfield.            | W <sup>m</sup> Bell.         |
| Robert Ewin.              | Adam Ashfield.               |
| James Ewin.               | George Mitchell.             |

Ballygawley, cont.

Signatures of Memorial of Parishioners, 1827, cont.

Samuel Montgomery.	Cha <sup>s</sup> McLean
Joseph Wilson.	Robert Hamilton.
David Macartney.	Andrew Crawford.
Rich <sup>d</sup> Neely.	David Crooke.
Thomas Harvey.	William Williamson.
Ephraim Irvine.	William Robinson.
James Montgomery	The foregoing are the names
Wm. Neely.	of the Protestant Inhabitants
Stewart Simpson.	and Householders of the Town
Henry Smyth.	of Ballygawley.
Georgina Cull.	William Campbell.
Wm. Montgomery.	William Stewart. JUN.
William Dunbar.	Samuel Happer.
Samuel Crookes.	Robert Lockhart.
William McDowell.	Robert Johnston.
John Anderson.	Robert Godfrey.
Tho <sup>s</sup> Gardiner.	Andrew Lockhart.
Arthur Wilkin.	William Beatty.
Tho <sup>s</sup> Dunbar.	John Miller.
Thomas Johnston.	John Millar Sen <sup>r</sup> .
Richard Bell.	James Moses.
Rob <sup>t</sup> Simpson.	Thomas Campble.
John Samson.	73. Total N <sup>o</sup> of Prot-
Robert McConnell.	estant Inhabitants
W <sup>m</sup> Hayes.	& Householders in
Hugh Corry.	the <u>Town of Bally-</u>
James Mabinson	<u>gawley.</u>
John McConnell.	71. N <sup>o</sup> of Protestant
James M <sup>c</sup> Collom.	Inhabitants and
James Neely.	Householders in the
Richard Coulter.	immediate Vicinity
	of Ballygawley.
	144. Total.
	John Moses.
	Archibald Turner.
	Robert Miller.
	W <sup>m</sup> Miller



Ballygawley, cont.

Signatures of Memorial of Parishioners, 1827, cont.

Archibald M <sup>o</sup> Collum.	Owen Gregory.
John Lockard.	John Patterson.
Francis Lockard.	James Clark.
Thomas Hacket.	William M <sup>o</sup> Gaugey.
Robert M <sup>o</sup> Collum.	Joseph Hacket.
Robert Anderson.	Sam <sup>l</sup> Anderson.
George Patterson.	And <sup>d</sup> Hacket.
John Clarke.	Mathew Lockhart.
William Walker.	Hamilton Patterson.
James Garner.	Joseph Hackett Jun <sup>r</sup>
George Bell.	John Gregory.
James Mills.	William Moore.
William Lockard.	John Hackett.
Thomas Gilkison.	John Lockhart Jun <sup>r</sup>
Stuart Moore.	Andrew Lockhart Jun <sup>r</sup>
William Gregory.	Patrick Smyton.
Joseph Beatty.	Rob <sup>t</sup> Kyles.
James M <sup>o</sup> Enery. (?)	William Robinson Jun <sup>r</sup>
John Murray.	Hugh Robinson.
John Murray.	William Johnston.
William Stewart Junr.	William Morton Sen <sup>r</sup>
Arthur Stewart.	his
John Robinson.	John x Doherty.
Ephraim Irwin.	mark
Robert Campble.	James Doherty.
Charles Nimmo.	his
James Robinson.	Tho <sup>s</sup> x Doherty.
James Simpson.	mark.
James Paisly.	71. N <sup>o</sup> of protestants & Householders in the immediate Vicinity of Ballygawley.
William M <sup>o</sup> Claran.	
And <sup>w</sup> Adams.	
Jacob M <sup>o</sup> Fadden.	

## Ballygawley, cont.

This is accompanied by a Map of Errigal Keerogue parish and observations on the Memorial by Rev. J. C. Moutray who is evidently opposed to it. Mentions Mr. Murray,

Curate, and Thos. Simpson and Alex. Moutray, Churchwardens.

Also letter of Archd<sup>n</sup> Stopford on same.

Date at foundation of P. C. 1829.  
(in full).

The names of the Protestant householders in Ballygawley, Parish Errigal Keerogue.

## Belonging to the established Church.

Samuel Smith.	W <sup>m</sup> Cole.	Adam Ashfield.
Simon Hazelton.	Widow Anderson.	Peggy Gilkisson.
John McDowel.	John Kinsley.	Patrick Hughes.
M <sup>f</sup> Johnston.	Robert Ewings.	W <sup>m</sup> Beaty.
Alex <sup>f</sup> Falls.	James Ewings.	W <sup>m</sup> Montgomery.
Edward Hull.	Arthur Wilkin.	Alex <sup>f</sup> Warnock.
Stuart Simpson.	W <sup>m</sup> Johnston.	W <sup>m</sup> Neely.
W <sup>m</sup> McDowel	W <sup>m</sup> Williamson	D <sup>f</sup> Harvey.
Archy Hadden.	R. Graham.	Alex <sup>f</sup> Morton.
James McDowel.	John Ashfield	W <sup>m</sup> Stuart.
Andrew Little.	Sam. Montgomery.	Widow Harvey.
D <sup>f</sup> Haise.	James Montgomery.	Tho <sup>s</sup> Harvey.
James Robertson.	Frank Bloomer	David Crooks.
Robert Morrow.	W <sup>m</sup> Gilmore.	W <sup>m</sup> Mann.
Rich <sup>d</sup> Armstrong.	Andrew Crawford.	John Heatly.
John Murray.	Lewis Davis.	

Ballygawley, cont.

List of Protestant householders, cont.

Presbyterians and Sectariees.

Robert Beaty.	Tho <sup>s</sup> Mitchell.	Widow Dunbar.
John Mitchel.	Hugh Cory.	James Johnston.
David McCartney.	John Simpson.	Alex <sup>r</sup> Hughes.
--- Bell.	R. Simpson.	W. Rogers.
W <sup>m</sup> Coulter.	Tho <sup>s</sup> Gardner.	Rich <sup>d</sup> Coulter.
Rich <sup>d</sup> Bell.	Ephraim Irvin.	Widow Coulter.
W <sup>m</sup> Robertson.	Tho <sup>s</sup> Dunbar.	George Maynes.
John Anderson.	James Robertson.	Widow Walker.
John M <sup>c</sup> Connel.	Rob <sup>t</sup> M <sup>c</sup> Connel.	

A List of the Townlands in the Parish of Errigal Keeroge with the number of Protestant Householders in each these under C. belong to the Church, those under P. Presbyterians etc.

	C.	P.		C.	P.
Altnagore.	3.	6.	Findrum	-.	10.
Alcloghfin.	1.	-.	Peddin.	10.	2.
Altamuckin.	1.	5.	Fernamenagh.	-.	1.
Annahilla.	3.	-.	Grange.	3.	7.
Ballygawley.	47.	26.	Gort.	"	"
Brachay.	-.	6.	Garvaghy.	5.	8.
Ballymackelray.	2.	-.	Glencul.	4.	4.
Ballylaggen.	3.	2.	Killymorgan.	-.	12.
Balnasaygart.	4.	-.	Knockonany.	3.	8.
Ballynanny.	5.	1.	Keady.	5.	5.
Colagery.	-.	1.	Killgrun.	2.	1.
Churchland.	-.	5.	Keavy.	-.	6.
Cesekilgrun.	-.	-.	Lisegonnel.	-.	-.
Cleanally.	3.	1.	Lurganbuoy.	-.	-.

Ballygawley, cont.

List of Townlands and number of Protestant Householders, cont.

Ref.	C.	P.	Townland	C.	P.
		4.	Lissnawirry.	11.	3.
	18.	2.	Littery.	1.	6.
	2.	6.	Lismore.	18.	3.
	1.	3.	Millex.	6.	12.
	6.	-.	Roughan.	11.	3.
	1.	-.	Shantavney.	-.	-.
	2.	2.	Less.	3.	-.
	12.	1.	Tullyglisk.	2.	-.
	8.	2.	Turneskey.	-	3.
	1.	2.	Tullybrine.	4.	1.
	3.	-.	Tullylenton.	4.	1.
	13.	1.	Richmount.	1.	2.

232.174.

Roman Catholic Householders about, 1513.

Protestants 406.

Total in Parish about 1919.

July 30, 1826. to each other's place of worship, and that

Archd. S. bathing at Bushmills for his rheumatism.

Ref. to work among Roman Catholics in the dio.;

to Armagh Widows' Fund;

and to site of Chapel of Ease of Ballygawley.

1829. Nov. 17.

Mr. Graham offers an English acre for site of Chapel of Ease.

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Ballygawley, cont.

114. 1829. Nov. 21.  
Ref. Districts of Armaghbreague and Grange;  
and site of Ballygawley Church.
115. 1829.  
Re formation of Ballygawley district.
116. 1830.  
Vestry for Ballygawley to elect Churchwardens etc.  
to be held.
117. 1829.  
Archd. Stopford on the formation of the parishes of  
Killylea and Ballygawley, and the deeds to be drawn up.
118. Letter of Rev. H. L. Baker to Bp. Stopford of Meath,  
who had been instrumental in getting him the parish,  
dated Jan. 6, 1844, - re the unpleasantness in his  
parish and the charges made against him especially by  
a man named Thomas Hughes who had said he prohibited  
them from reading the Bible. The real Cause of Hughes's  
hostility (he was a small farmer) was that Baker had  
rebuked him for interfering with some dependents of  
Lady Stewart. Bp. of Meath to Primate, Jan. 11,  
119. sends this letter, says Baker's predecessor Murray and  
the Presby. Minister used bring their respective flocks  
alternately to each other's place of worship, and that  
the parish was full of dissent. Even Sir Hugh Stewart  
was against Baker, chiefly because Rev. Howard B. St.  
George his father-in-law said he was destitute of  
Christianity. The Bp. describes St. George "if he may  
be called a Churchman is of the lowest grade & mad into  
the bargain & impatient of contradiction".  
120. A Letter of Thos. Hughes to the Primate is here  
transcribed as a study of the human psychology of a

Ballygawley, cont.

disgruntled parishioner;-

(in full).

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To his Grace the Lord Archbishop of Armagh  
Primate and Metropolitan of Ireland.  
May it please your Grace the Parishioners of the Parish  
of Ballygawly were greatly Surprised at the Lecture  
delivered on your visit with us, wherein your Grace  
Blamed the Persons who Separated from Mr. Baker's  
communion Alledging that it is through the Gentleman's  
influence that the poor have left the Church, but it can  
be proved that it was the Middleclass and neither the  
rich or poor that found fault with Mr. Baker's conduct  
first; and your Grace further Stated that Mr. Baker is  
our authorized ambassador from Christ and that we ought  
to obey him as Such, but I do not know any part of  
Scripture which authorizes us to think that a Minister  
after Ordination becomes infallible for St. Peter Denied  
his Master after being called by Christ himself, and  
Judas tho' Numbered with the Eleven Sold his Master  
afterwards and I presume Dr. Pusey was Lawfully Ordained  
altho. tis allowed on all hands that his Doctrine is  
dangerous so that I think we are Justified in Separat-  
ing from a Minister who teaches that he can forgive us  
our Sins, and that he must offer up our prayers to God  
for us and produces our Prayer Book in Support of that  
Doctrine Whereas we as Protestants hold that it is  
Jesus Christ that pardoneth and absolveth all them that  
truly repent and unfeignedly believe the Gospel, and  
not Mr. Baker, and St. Paul tells us that in the latter  
times there would arise false teachers who would attempt  
to pervert the Gospel of Christ but tho' He or an Angel  
from Heaven would preach any other Gospel unto us, let  
him be accursed and St. Paul also enjoins the reading

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of the Scriptures, and Mr. Baker forbids us to read them. So that we are only following the Injunction of St. Paul by Separating from him, We know that it is in your Grace's power to continue Mr. Baker with us, and it is also in our power to let him continue to preach to empty walls altho' it is painful to our feelings to be Separated from the Church which your Grace was Instrumental in Building for us and for which we are Grateful, and also for the three former Ministers which if either of them had continued with us we would have Still a flourishing Congregation not as it is now trusting to a few, as your Grace might understand by the Number of Candidates which attended for Confirmation, that I think there was not more than the one third of the Children of the Parish present, When I asked a Man what was the reason that he did not offer his children he said he could not Conscientiously present them through Mr. Baker, and that he was Informed that Mr. Baker had threatened to have any of the neighbouring Clergymen Censured if they would offer any Children of his parish So the Man thought it more prudent to refrain offering them this time than to bring any of the Ministers whom he respected under Censure So that we are awkwardly Situated in this parish at the present time and we thought your Grace would not have allowed of Such doctrine as it is a means of making Dissenters of a great number of our Congregation.

Ballymore.

I remain your Grace's Humble Serv<sup>t</sup> &c.

Thomas Hughes

Dated December 27<sup>th</sup> 1843.

Ballygawley, cont.

VII. 121 Jan. 9, 1844. Letter, to Bp. of Meath, of Rev. Hugh L. Baker referring to opposition to him in the parish (see Vol. I.) giving lists of congregations in 1839 and 1843, showing that he is gaining his parishioners but complaining that his neighbour Mr. Graham is drawing some of them to Killeshil and interfering with his parochial rights.

122 " Dec. 14, 1844. Rev. H. L. Baker asks His Grace whether he should use the hypothetical form of Baptism for a Protestant Schismatic woman who wishes to join the Ch. and states that he believes "that neither Popish nor Protestant Schismatics in these countries are members of the Church".

124 His Grace replies that the hypoth<sup>l</sup> form shd. not be used unless the woman is not assured she was bap. with water in the Name of the Father Son & Holy Ghost", that he should prepare her for Confirmation and if she is fit and desirous of it give her Holy Com<sup>n</sup>

" 125 Mrs. Sybilla Baker, wife of the P. C. of Ballygawley, reminds Primate that he gave her £15 towards fees of educating her son in T. C. D. last year. Hopes he will give same again.

He sent £15 to young Baker's tutor, Rev. Wm. Lee.  
June, 1853.

Ballymors. Nov. 9, 1822. Lord Mandeville to Primate re improvements in sittings, etc., in the Par. Ch. rebuilt 20 years ago at a cost of £2000 subscribed by only a few individuals. Parishioners subsequently provided an organ, etc.

" 127 E. L. Elwood 2nd Curate writes, Mar. 16, 1840,



Ballymore, cont.

to the Primate that Dean Carter proposes to dispense with his services and asked him to accept another Curacy with less income. He is married and has a family and does not wish to leave.

He points out that a 2nd Curate is still necessary as the district of Clare is mostly Presbyterian.

Primate endorses "wrote Dean Carter to retain him as he will not have to pay the Curate of Clare".

1842. Mr. Pennefather mentioned as a Curate - ? not appointed.

1842. Lord Mandeville thanks the Primate for his interest in and subscription for improvement in Tandragee Ch.

Copy of letter of Rev. Mortimer O'Sullivan accepting Rev. Richd. Johnston's resignation made by J. "as a protest against the doctrine" Mr. O'S. preached yesterday i.e. that there may be some who for a while believe but in time of temptation fall away.  
May 10, 1858.

Brackaville. Rev. Isaac Ashe, March 10, 1840, about Leases for site of Church.

Com<sup>rs</sup> had granted £74 for last enlargement.

Brantry. 1843, May 15.

H. L. Prentiss to Primate saying Church is being built. Lady Caledon would not accept his Grace's kind offer to help, and Lord Caledon is giving 4 acres rent free for ever for glebe.

Countess of Caledon endows P. Curate, Brantry, with £1069. 10. 5. 3 p.c. Consols. 9 Sep., 1857.

Beaulieu. April, 1827.

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Beaulieu Tithe Composition. Com<sup>rs</sup> app<sup>d</sup>  
Rev. Alex. Johnston,  
Francis Donagh of Newtown.

" Rev. Alex. Johnston Montgomery applying for Beaulieu.  
May 23, 1827.

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" June 5, 1827.

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Rev. John Smyth P. C. of St. Mark's Chapel of Ease,  
app<sup>d</sup> to Beaulieu declines it as income (Compos<sup>d</sup>) is  
only £105 and no residence. has 8 children.

" Letters of Mr. Smyth June 12, ) 1827.  
June 23, )

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1st, telling of Mr. Johnston Montgomery's disappointment  
at not getting the parish (he is away getting married  
to Miss Forster) and his endeavour to make Rector reside.  
End, accepting parish.

" c. June 18, 1827.

141

A Rev. Mr. Derby (evidently J. L. Darby) who says he  
was nearly 4 years in Dio. Armagh (? as G. Collon) and  
previously in charge of a Church Dio. of Down,  
applies for Beaulieu as he heard Smyth had declined it,  
- its advantages to him were its seabathing and he  
had money to build a house.

End of letter wanting.

" Mr. Thackeray writes that Mr. Alley's Exor. (Mr. J.  
Haddock) tells him that there is a house in Beaulieu  
purchased by Alley from the Com<sup>rs</sup> of Customs that would  
suit as a residence for Smyth.

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June 20, 1827.

House was at "Queensboro" now occupied by Major Edwards.  
A letter of Mr. Smyth same date telling Primate

Beaulieu, cont.

would now accept the parish and buy the house - there was also an extra £40 income he had not been aware of.

VII. 143

Caledon.

1830. Letters of Mr. McCreight, P. C. of Caledon, and the Archdeacon, re the expenses of a lawsuit McCreight v. Mulligan concerning a portion of the glebe, in which Mr. McC. was successful. The Primate evidently wishes to pay some of the costs but McCreight thankfully refuses the kind offer and makes himself responsible.

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1842. Rev. M. Kearney, 6½ years Asst. C. of Aghelow (salary paid by Primate) asks His Grace to recommend him to Archd<sup>n</sup> as P. C. Caledon.

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Carlough.

1829. Re new district of Carlough, endowment of Grange, etc.

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Carlingford. 1836.

(in full).

Schools Scriptural and National in this R. Deanery.

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Carlingford.

The School House was fraudulently set by the Master some time back - Another House has been opened but not long enough to report upon.

The Protestant Clergymen anxiously desire two acres of land from the estate of the Observatory in order to make a permanent establishment connected with the Protestant Church.

No account of a National School in this Parish.

Ballymascanlan.

In the Scriptural Schools there are eighty Protestants

Carlingford, cont.

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Report on Schools, cont.

Ballymascanlan, cont,

- and four R. Catholics.

No National School at present, but the priest is represented as endeavoring to have his Old Chappel engaged as one.

Feughart.

In the Scriptural School 2 protestants 35 R. Catholics.

The National School is held in the Chapel - pretty fully attended but no protestants.

Philipstown.

Neither Scriptural nor National School but a National School is building under the auspices of the Priest of the Parish.

Dundalk Return already forwarded.

Killineoole.

the Scriptural School has ceased - the Children were all R. Catholics and are gone to the School at the Chappel of Darver hand by.

Heynstown.

No Scriptural School. The few Protestants attend at the Scriptural Schools of Dromiskin or Stephenstown in the Parish of Louth.

No National Schools - the Roman Catholic Children attend at the Chapel School of Haggardstown - held at present in the Chapel - until the Old Chapel is fully prepared as a School National.

VII. 149  
The National School

Carlisleford, cont.

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John Graves describes his career to

Report on Schools, cont.

... "two were left as by their mother."  
Dromiskin.

... as a private school in several families; one of ...  
A Scriptural School, well kept and likely to become  
more valuable by an Infant Department, which is always  
found to increase the numbers in the Education and  
Needle Departments and to make their attendance more  
steady and permanent.

The National School is I believe very large and  
numerously attended one side of it rests upon the wall  
of the Chapel yard - A few Protestants attended here  
for a time - but have I believe left it - I have no  
accurate statement on this point.

Derver.

No Scriptural School, the Rector and Mr. Booth are  
looking out for a Person who can fill the united  
offices of Clerk and Schoolmaster - to fill each  
profitably.

The National School built on the wall of the  
Chapel yard - no Protestants attend.

E. Thackeray, R.D.

Memorial to improve Derver & offices at Inghamsey  
with specification \_\_\_\_\_ Jan., 1830.

The Archbishop remarks that Mr. Graves's age is not as  
1842.

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Rev. W. Barlow writes suggesting a new district (Bush)  
where service might be in a schoolhouse, if the Curates  
Aid Soc. granted salary.

A 2nd letter shows it was granted.

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and vol VIII.

1830. Mar. 7. Letter from Archd. Stopford, a ref.  
to the extensive preaching of Rev. C. P. Lyne, which

Carnteel.

Rev. John Groves describes his career to Primate, June 11, 1827.

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Had to educate "two sons left me by their mother." lived as a private tutor in several families; one of my pupils materially assisted me in editing the Greek & English Dictionary; yet while tutor he did duty in Killyman & Ballynasaggard but got no remuneration except during 2 short intervals; wrote Surveys of these parishes for Shaw Mason. Wrote a tract on Tithes; sent Copy to 3 or 4 Govt. Ministers it was evidently used in the Act for Comp<sup>d</sup> of Tithes but they got the credit. Archd. Knox then made him Tutor to his children & C. of Carnteel - An agitation agst. tithes took place in Carnteel; The Archd<sup>n</sup>'s steward was beaten & one of his tithe-viewers murdered, another badly beaten - this was 8 years before Primate was transl. to Armagh, it was then Groves came to Carnteel (3 mos. after above events). In Nov., 1821, he visited the Ch. people to get them to Church - which they had neglected owing to dislike of the Archd; result 117 Comts. at Xmas. Gives a Testimonium to his character & work by Archd. Knox shortly before he died and asks Primate to bear him in mind for preferment.

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Memorial to improve House & offices at Aughnacloy with specification. Jan., 1830.

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The Archdeacon remarks that His Grace's ink is not as good as his own and sends samples of the latter!

Charlemont. 1830. Archd. Stopford on the formation of

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Charlemont district, and necessity of a Church there.

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1830. Mar. 7. Letter from Archd. Stopford, a ref. to the extempore preaching of Rev. C. W. Lyne, which

Charlemont, cont.

the Primate & Archdeacon discouraged!

" 3 June, 1836.

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Rev. Silver Oliver writes that Rev. H. W. Stewart, P. C. of Charlemont, had resigned at his wish, (though he speaks highly of him) and that he had app<sup>d</sup> Mr. Disney, but Mr. Stewart having got no other situation proposed to keep on the Chaplaincy to the Garrison at Charlemont which placed Mr. Disney at a disadvantage.

" 8 Letter of Mr. H. Jackson about the suggested removal of a Datestone off Church. 1836.

" 9 Jas. Smyth Clk. & Sch. master resigns on account of some words with Mr. Dickson, had been Clk. 14 years. 1850.

Charlestown. Tithes Comp. Comrs., 1826.

10 Wm. Hatch, Ardee, Rector's

his husband had Jas. Kelly of Annaheen, People's

" 11 1827. Rev. R. Olpherts applies for leave to build a barn.

5 R. C.s have conformed.

" Oct. 5, 1837. Letter from Sec., Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup>

12 (1) About Charlestown Church repairs.

(2) About Kilsaran Ch. repairs. The parishioners have represented nothing shd. be done to it till it is enlarged, so case is postponed.

Clare. Rev. E. Bruce resigns P. C. on account of ill-health.

13 Rev. Jas. Wilson accepts.

16 Letter of Dr. Blacker.

17 Primate is forming a new P. C. partly from his parish

Clare, cont.

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Clare District. Letters of Dr. Blacker re some difficulties with Dean Carter of Ballymore concerning the formation of Clare district and appt. of a Curate - Mr. Bruce. 1840.

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Also long letter from Rev. Edward Bruce, Carrickfergus, (to Dr. Blacker), who has been appointed P. C. of Clare, detailing an interview with Dean Carter who was opposed to his appointment. The Dean found he had no fool to deal with - although he intimated that he thought Bruce a fool for accepting the position.

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Bruce states that the Primate had given a sum not stated but clearly £100 or so, for the building of the Ch. 7. 1844. Primate writes to Rev. F. S. Atwell.

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Also letter of Dean Carter saying he wished to appoint Mr. Elwood as P. C. as of his had treatment of the

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Mary, wid. of Rev. Jas. Wilson, P. C. of Clare, petitions for a Drogheda Widows' House. Oct. 1, 1857.

Her husband had a severe illness 6 years ago and his Grace alld. him a Curate. 3 years ago he met with an accident fractured limbs and was unable to walk and confined to bed, and d. Aug. 6, 1857.

Her means of support small. have treated liberally have

anything to do with it. He thinks Robert King, a

Clonfeacle. Nov., 1829. Ref. to Clonfeacle Sequestration

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(? during vacancy). and to see, may have, as he had

Archd. advocates full publicity as to state of Church. All Parliamentary Returns hitherto drawn up in accord with wish of the Church's enemies. A Royal Com<sup>n</sup> in which Govt. and Ch. are represented would bring out the truth.

" 25

1853. Letter to Rev. Jas. Disney telling him the Primate is forming a new P. C. partly from his parish



Clonfessle, cont.

and that he will be liable for  $\frac{1}{3}$ <sup>rd</sup> of his income.

Clonkeen. 1826. Tithe Compos<sup>d</sup> agreed on by Vestry and Rev. Mr.

*viii 26* Lee. £300. Aug. 1, 1826. Dixie Clement,  
Churchwarden.

Clonoe. 1826. Letter of Dr. Buck. Tithe Comp: £350.

*27* Glebe 100 acres value c. £100.

" 25 Feb., 1836.

*28* Dr. Buck having scalded his leg severely writes that  
he needs a temporary Curate for 3 months.

" Jan. 7, 1844. Primate writes to Rev. W. E. Attwell,

*29* R. of Clonoe, to know if it is true that he has twice  
been fired at, because of his bad treatment of the  
tenants of his Glebe. Questions may be asked in parl.

*30* He answers that the firing took place but evidently  
was not aimed at his life: first he was fired at only  
with a powder charge from behind the priest's hedge,  
next a charge of shot was fired from a distance at a  
shuttered window of the Glebe. He does not think the  
tenants whom he claims to have treated liberally have  
anything to do with it. He thinks Robert King, a  
balliff on the Annesley Estate, who owed him money on  
a bond and whom he had to sue, may have, as he had  
desperate characters in his employ. Since the Party  
Fight on the Black Bridge, the country has been dis-  
turbed, a Mr. Cranston's house has been burned, etc.

" *31* 1844. Rev. W. Attwell reports another outrage upon  
him. Over 1000 trees he had planted being destroyed.

*32* Primate advises him to apply to nearest Resident  
Magistrate.

Clonoe, cont.

Memorial to the Primate in favour of Rev. W. Attwell,  
 R. of Clonoe, testifying to his zealous pastoral care  
 and protesting against a letter sent by some of the Glebe  
 tenants about him. Signed by all the male Protestants  
 of the parish (including 3 Glebe tenants) to number of  
 79. Dec. 5, 1844.

Collon.

(in full). A Copy of the names of all persons Christened  
 married or buried in the United Parishes of  
 Collon & Dromyn from March 25th, 1826, to  
 March 25th, 1827.

Christened.

Name.	Date.	Name.	Date.
	1826.		
Mary Kenny	Ap.10th.	Jas. M'Clure	Dec <sup>r</sup> 18th.
John Bingham	Ap.16.	Marianne Nott	Dec <sup>r</sup> 30th 1827.
Sam <sup>l</sup> Rich <sup>d</sup> Pallet.	May 14th.	Margaret Mackin	Jan <sup>y</sup> 9th.
Sarah Crawford.	Do.	Mary Shekleton	Jan <sup>y</sup> 10th
Margaret Lithgow.	May 21 <sup>st</sup>	James Rowland	Jan <sup>y</sup> 14th.
Eliza Jane Crawford	Do.	Robert Wiggins	Do.
Mary Hughes	June 9th.	Catherine Maywood	Feb <sup>y</sup> 18th.
James Lake.	June 11th.	Alexander Jas <sup>g</sup> Wil- son	Feb <sup>y</sup> 25th.
Mary Jane Green	June 25th.	James M <sup>o</sup> Gara	March 18th.
John Lord	July 2nd.	Rachel Boyd	March 24th.
Thomas Maxwell	Do.		
Richard M <sup>o</sup> Keever	Do.	W. H. Foster	Vicar
Richard Downes	Do.		
Elizabeth Henry	July 11th.	R. Hunter	) Churchwardens.
Eliza Walker	July 28th.	J. Smith	
Margaret Williamson.	Sept. 17th.		
William Abram	Oct. 15th.		
John Foster Swin- burn	Do.		
Jacob Finegan.	Oct. 29th.		

Collon, cont. List of Christenings, Marriages, and Burials, cont. (in full).

Marriages.

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Names.	Date.
	1826.
James Connor to Adelaide O'Brien	March 27th.
Bartholemew Hughes to Jane Maxwell	Ap <sup>l</sup> 30th.
John Smyth to Sarah Palmer	Sept <sup>r</sup> 22nd.
Ross Read to Eliza Vickers	Oct <sup>r</sup> 7th.
John Pierce to Catherine Miles	Dec <sup>r</sup> 4th.
Mary Leary	Feb <sup>r</sup> 25th.
W. H. Foster Vicar.	March 2nd.
R. Hunter } J. Smith } Churchwardens.	
W. H. Foster Rector.	

Burials.

Name	Date
	1826.
Hannah Emerson	Ap <sup>l</sup> 13th.
John Read	Ap <sup>l</sup> 16.
John Lee	May 6th.
Sophia Stewart	May 27th.
Elizabeth Lambert	June 8th.
Hamilton Senior	July 11th.
Moses Starr	July 29th.
Margaret McGivney	July 29th.
Mary Kenny	August 27th.
George McGarry	Sept <sup>r</sup> 11th.
Margaret Maxwell	Sept <sup>r</sup> 12th.
Anne Cushin	Sept <sup>r</sup> 19th.
Eleanor Holmes	Nov <sup>r</sup> 15th.

Collon, cont. List of Christenings, Marriages, and Burials, cont.  
(in full).

Burials (cont.)

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Name.	Date. 1826.
Elisabeth Gray	Nov <sup>r</sup> 30th.
Marianne Goodlow	Dec <sup>r</sup> 21st.
William Lamb	1827. Jan <sup>r</sup> 8th.
Dorothea Lusk	Jan <sup>r</sup> 22nd.
Eleanor Gamble	Jan <sup>r</sup> 26th.
Mary Leary	Feb <sup>r</sup> 26th.
Anne Thompson	March 2nd.

W. H. Foster Vicar.

R. Hunter  
Churchwardens.  
J. Smith.

" 1844.

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Rev. W. M. Beresford, C. Drogheda, asks His Grace's advice whether he shd. apply for the C. of Collon, Mar. 7, 1844.

It does not appear what answer the Primate gave, evidently it was No.

" 30 Sep., 1844. Rev. A. Adams, R.

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writes to Primate that Mr. Stephens whom his Grace had ord. last Dec. for C. Collon has res<sup>d</sup> for C. Monkstown where some of his family reside, and wishes Rev. Joseph W. Higginbotham who had been C. Wicklow to Mr. Chamley - licensed.

Collon, cont.

1859. Aug. 12.

VIII. 37

Letter of Rev. Geo. Finlay, Curate, concerning the destitute family of a converted Jew who went about taking photographs and giving dramatic representations, and died in Collon.

They had raised £30 - sent widow to hospital and a son to Kildare St. Training Sch., required further help.

Primate endorses letter "I sent him £10".

1842.

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Rev. W. H. Foster's objections agst. Dilapidations Report on leaving for Loughgilly.

Greggan. Feb. 6, 1830. Letter of Arch. Stopford,

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mentions:- Kenny, Curate of Greggan, and site new Ch. of Meigh.

Darver. Petition of Darver parishioners, signed by Joseph

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Booth, to Ecc. Com. for repairs to Ch. (Endorsed grant £12. 10. on work being done).

Dec. 1853.

Primate it says gave £50 towards building the new Church.

Derrygortreavy. Jan. 9, 1843. Rev. A. Major applying

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for Ch. Expenses, viz.	Sexton	£6.
	Elements	3.
	Fuel	4.

Derryloran. Rev. Arthur Molony accepting Derryloran,

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Oct. 14, 1844.

Derryloran, cont.

VIII. 43 Rev. A. Molony requests that an Appl<sup>n</sup> be made to Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> for Enlargement of Derryloran Ch., much needed, - will cost £1000.

" HA Primate offers to subscribe £100 for enlarging Church. 1858.

Derrynoose. May and June, 1840.

46-48 Rev. Robert Miller and his father Rev. Geo. M. thank the Primate for giving him Derrynoose.

He however seems to have died before he was collated.

Desertcreat. 1829. Letter of Archd. Stopford.

49 Refers to non-residence of Rector (Dr. Buick) and Curate (Mr. Stewart) in Desertcreat. Also to the difficulty of getting a map of the townlands of Erriglekeerogue.

" 50 1830. Letter of Dr. Buick, Rector, stating his Curate Mr. Anketell suggested an additional service in a temporary building nearer the parishioners, Parish Ch. being so distant, his colleague Mr. Al. Stuart could officiate in it.

Archd. Stopford's remarks on the proposal.

Desertlyn. 1842. Rev. J. P. Hewitt - his Curate Richard Johnston has left unexpectedly and he wishes Francis Crawford, son of the V. G. of Ardagh, ord<sup>d</sup>. Was he?

" 55 1853. Rev. J. P. Hewitt going to S. of France, his Curate (Mr. FitzGerald, of whom he speaks highly) will

Desertlyn, cont.

get help from his neighbours during Rector's absence.

(in full)

Pop<sup>n</sup> 2200, of which half are Church people.

Donaghmore.

VIII. 56

Rev. M. J. Mee thanks his Grace for appointing

(evidently at Primate's expense) Mr. Quin as his Curate.

"Your Grace has on various other occasions expended very considerable sums of money on my comfort" etc.

Feb. 21, 1842.

Donoughmore. Rev. Thos. Carpendale declines to accept Mr. Kearney

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(bro.-in-law to Mr. Major) as his Curate as he is

married. He wants a single man to live in the Glebe

and tutor his son. Mar. 11, 1843.

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1844. Application to Queen Dowager to contribute to

the infant school there. Primate recommends it. Says

he himself has contributed.

Drogheda.

St. Mark's Chapel of Ease. 1825.

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Copy of Corporation Acts,

with Primate's remarks, and also Dr. Radcliff's upon

the endowment.

(in full)

Corporation of Drogheda - General Assembly

14 Jan<sup>ry</sup> 1825.

Upon the Petition of the Protestant Inhabitants of the Parish of S<sup>t</sup> Peter relative to a Chapel of Ease &c.

It was Resolved.

That the Tithes of Banismoth being out of lease at Easter 1825, and that Right of renewal having been relinquished by the Representatives of the late William Meade Ogle, be granted for the purpose of creating a Fund for the maintenance of the Clergyman, Sexton, and

Drogheda, cont.

Re St. Mark's Chapel of Ease, 1825, cont.

(in full)

VIII 60

Clerk to be appointed to the Free Church intended to be built in Drogheda.

Resolved

That a Lease shall be granted for 999 years of the Tithes of Ennismoth at the yearly rent of one Shilling, to such Clergyman as may be appointed to the said free Church and his Successors thereto.

Resolved

That the Corporation provide an eligible Site for said intended free Church; and that the Auditors and Viewers be directed to fix on a Site, and to agree with such of their Tenants as may have such in their Possession.

Compared with original entry

William Oliver Fairtlough Town Clerk.

Armagh Janry 1 1825.

Rev<sup>d</sup> Sir.

I have received your letter on the subject of building of a Chapel of Ease at Drogheda - and if the Corporation provide a Salary for the Clergyman I will sanction an application to the Board of First Fruits for a grant of money. Whether the money can be (granted ) or not must be determined by the Board.

I am not sufficiently acquainted with the circumstances of the grant from the Corporation to the Vicar to say whether I have any power over it or not.

I wish to know whether it is proposed that a district should be out off to form a new parish for the support



Drogheda, cont.

Re St. Mark's Chapel of Ease, 1825, cont.

VIII 60

of the Chapel or to provide for it by any other means - as the repairs of the Chapel, Clerk's & Sexton's Salary & other expenses are to be provided for as well as the Salary of the Clergyman - It will be necessary also as soon as the site is decided on to ascertain whether & by whom a grant can be made - Ground already appropriated to the use of a School cannot afterwards be employed for any other purpose.

31 March 30.

My Lord,

VIII 61

I have not been able as yet to find a remedy for the Drogheda case - I believe the recent misfortune of Mr. Magee will render haste less material.

The Archbishop of Dublin had a relapse of his complaint & is not able to travel yet for England where he is advised to go to get rid of all business - I think he will never be what he was.

We have prevailed on the Archbishop of Cashel to attend the Board of Education the Provost being still disabled

I am, your Grace's very faithful & grateful Ser<sup>t</sup>

J. Radcliff

The Faculty return has been sent in.

His Grace

The Primate.

Drogheda, cont.

Re St. Mark's Chapel of Ease, cont.

(in full)

2 April, 1830

My Lord,

VIII. 62  
I agree with your Grace that the Chapel repairs being made by Parish assessment & also the finding all things necessary for Divine Service cannot affect the question of Patronage - The 11 & 12<sup>th</sup> Geo. 3 which enables a Builder & Endower to have the Patronage (sections 18 & 19) that the Chapel shall be kept in repair (at the charge of the Parish by rates) as the Parish Chapels of Ease by the 1 Geo. 2 c. 22, see section 4 of this last act - or by rents on the Pews - I see by the resolutions coupled with the order to the Town Clerk to draw the deed that y<sup>e</sup> trust was intended not only to pay the Curate but the Sexton & Clerk & the order of 13<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> 1825 was to draw the deed to your Grace to provide for the Duty of the Chapel of Ease not to pay all to the Curate -

I see no way of making this a Perpetual Cure even in appearance but by surrendering the Lease & having a grant in fee for the Curate (with a provision for the Clerk & Sexton) reciting the acts & the building of the Church partly with the tithes as resolved on the 13<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> - but then the tithes coming to the Curate may be above the yearly value of 50<sup>l</sup> in which case the endowment would not come within the Acts - other proper recitals so as to as far as possible secure the patronage will be made - This is an experiment merely which if it does no good cannot so far as I can see do any harm - I cannot however answer for its ultimate success.

The reason I suggest that the Board of First fruits

Drogheda, cont.

Re St. Mark's Chapel of Ease, cont.

(in full)

VIII 62

consent should be had is that the 11<sup>th</sup> & 12 Geo. 3. c.16 & 20 provides that the Cures & patronage shall be subject to the same provisions & limitations as Curacies endowed by virtue of the 1<sup>st</sup> Geo. 2. c. 18 the 4<sup>th</sup> section whereof relates to the endowment & Patronage of Cures at a distance from the Mother Church - other sections of it refer also to the augmentations & endowment in certain descriptions of Parishes only - after enacting respecting all such the 7<sup>th</sup> section provides that all Churches Curacies or Chapels "augmented erected & endowed" by virtue of the act shall be perpetual Cures thus joining augmented & otherwise endowed Cures together.

Section 9 also joins them "for the augmentation erection & endowment" tho there is doubt on that section - then comes section 10 with proviso that no deed of grant for any augmentation erection or endowment to be made in pursuance of this act shall be good &c without the consent under Seal of the Trustees of the First fruits - this would seem to refer only to the Cures &c in Patronage of Bishops &c but the words of section 10 are so general as to raise a doubt - & that doubt would serve us as an additional ground for the new grant with consent & so be an impediment in the way of the Rector of Drogheda's claim - Perhaps under his new circumstances he may not persist - The Archbishop is much better but always in danger of new attacks.

I am your Grace's very faithful & grateful

Ser<sup>t</sup>

J. Radcliff

The Lord Primate.

Drogheda, cont.

VIII-63

St. Mark's, Drogheda, July 1, 1827.

John Smyth who was evidently P. C. writes to say he has accepted £65 as Comp<sup>d</sup> for tithes of Ennismoth.

" Drogheda Widows' Trust & Charities.

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Newcomen & Co., Bankers, giving state of Account, Dec. 8, 1823.

" Receipt from Rev. Jerome Alley for £25, Dec. 29, 1824, from the Primate. Farrell, Architect, certifies that (£ Salary for Sec. Drogheda Widows. ).

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" Sep. 29, 1829.

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Rev. John Magee denies that he has dismissed Rev. T. B. Owens.

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Owens writes to the Primate Sep. 30, that in consequence of differences in the teaching of Mr. Magee and himself he had a conversation with Mr. Magee who asked him to show him his sermons beforehand that he might strike out what he conceived to clash with his opinions and refused, and felt from the conversation (he was told that his doctrine of Salvation being conditional was popery) he was virtually dismissed.

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Magee encloses copies of correspondence.

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Primate tells Owens he may consider himself no longer Curate.

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Owens thinks Magee's doctrines contrary to God's Word.

" Nov. 22, 1829.

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Rev. John Magee to visit Armagh to discuss parochial matters.

Drogheda, cont.

VIII. 75

1826. Aug. 4. Drogheda Clergy Widows Fund.  
Letter of Rev. Jerome Alley giving receipts (Brit.) 507. 2. 5. and disbursements (Brit.) 429. 9. 3. to the Letter included Annuities to 16 widows £416 who now requested they should get their 1/2 year's Annuity of £13 in British not Irish Currency.

VIII. 76

1830. Ref. to St. Mark's Chapel of Ease, Drogheda, and or matters.

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St. Mark's. Wm. Farrell, Architect, certifies that Ch. is now built. 13 Jan., 1829.

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Louisa Hartley writes that she has got married to a Mr. Smith (in St. Peter's, Drogheda) and hopes His Grace's allowance will be continued. July 29, 1830. She writes from 55 Harcourt St.

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Drogheda Widows' Houses. 1830.  
Letter from Rev. J. Smyth, re necessity for slating, and annuities to Mrs. Smith, and Mrs. Ferguson.

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Sep. 1829. Rev. John Magee on appointment to the V. informs Rev. T. W. Dixon that he does not require his services.

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Jan., 1830. Letters from Rev. John Magee, Drogheda, asking the Primate to ordain Edward Verdon for his Curacy.

85 889

St. Peter's, Drogheda, 1830.  
A question seems to have arisen whether the nomination

Drogheda, cont.

to the Perp. Curacy of St. Mark's, Drogheda, is in the Incumbent of St. Peter's.

Dr. Radcliff's opinion and also Archd. Stopford's here given that it is unless special agreement to the contrary. It seems to have been intended to give the nom<sup>n</sup> to the Corporation who evidently endowed the Ch. with the tithes of Ennismoth.

1829. Letter of Arch. Stopford re inter alia

Claim of Rev. J. Magee, V. of St. Peter's, to nominate P. C. St. Mark's, Drogheda. The Corp. of Drogheda endowed it and might have had the Patronage but they gave it to your Grace !!

If Mr. Magee had endowed it he would have the app<sup>t</sup>

April 1, 1830. Letter of John Smyth, Westgate, Drogheda,

re endowment of St. Mark's Ennismoth parish rectorial tithes (Rev. Geo. Brabazon Vicar) compounded for 65<sup>2</sup> refers to Mr. Magee's claim to appt. P. C.

"the respectable portion of his congreg<sup>n</sup> are fast leaving him for the Chapel" (of Ease) on account of his doctrine of limited atonement.

St. Mark's, Drogheda.

Rev. John Magee, V. of St. Peter's, writes to Rev. Hugh Usher Tighe, P. C., to say he wishes as "Vicar to preach on Sunday next in St. Mark's. Could you take my place in St<sup>t</sup> Peter's". Dec. 29, 1830.

Mr. Tighe replied "Under existing circumstances I cannot admit of yr. officiating in any way in my Ch."

Dec. 30. and on same day tells the Primate, "The

acceding to Mr. M.'s demand would be an admission of

Drogheda, cont.

his jurisdiction as Vicar over my Ch. & a surrender of your Grace's rights as well as my own.

Drogheda Widows.

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Rev. John Magee, V., wishes his Curate (Richard) George to be licensed. Nov. 27, 1830.

and which they are leaving to Mr. Dally a Vicar.

March and August, 1836.

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Letters of Dr. G. Miller re some charges concerning

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doctrine brought against Rev. John Magee of Drogheda.

250 inhabitants of Drogheda have addressed to him a resolution of sympathy.

St. Peter's, Drogheda.

Drogheda Widows.

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Q. of liability for poor rate on houses.

Only those let shd. be rated. Chas. Collins appd.

Supervisor.

Drumcar. Lady Eliz. McClintock anxious to begin

building Drumcar Ch., wants to copy a Ch. built by Mr.

Shirley. Mr. McClintock had collected £350.

Dec. 27, 1841.

1842. Mr. Wynne encloses a letter from Rev. Mr.

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Benson of Roscrea asking help for his Church.

Says Mr. Durham is res. his Curacy and he has offered

it to Rev. Wm. Beresford, Curate of Forkill.

101  
Rev. Geo. Needham, Mar. 4, 1843, writes soliciting preferment. Has a large family, small income, life insured for 27 years: "30 years in the Church".

No answer. 1843. of Leonard Dobbin

to the Primate. (2) to Rev. A. Wynne.

102  
Leigh Charity, 1843. the trust applied only to those

Letter of Leonard Dobbin, Junr re accounts and appren-

tices; refers to holding of Collins and a lease of Mr.

Drogheda, cont.

Leland of premises in Drogheda.

" Drogheda Widows.

103 Rev. Mr. Tighe. Re a Lease of a garden in William St., which the Trustees took from Rev. Jas. Crawford and which they are letting to Mr. Reilly a builder. He is to build on it. 28 Dec., 1843.

104-6 Drogheda Widows. Lease of garden from Rev. James Crawford. Oct., 1843. 999 years at £20 per ann.

106 St. Peter's, Drogheda.

107 Rev. A. Wynne writes to know whether he is bound to publish the Banns of a R. C. man and woman and marry them. Jan. 14, 1843.

Primate answers. Yes.

108-9 Leonard Dobbin. 2 letters re Leigh Charity, 1843.

110 Rev. W<sup>m</sup> Beresford. He will remain C. at Drogheda. April 5, 1844.

111 Dec. 28, 1844. Drogheda Widows Charity.

Letter from Mr. Tighe re Charity. He has obtained exemption (in court) from poor Rates for those houses occupied by widows.

Wants those on Primate Marsh's foundation separate from Primate Boulter's.

112-3 Leigh's Charity - Drogheda.

Letters 28 June, 1845, of Leonard Dobbin (1) to the Primate, (2) to Rev. A. Wynne, giving his opinion that the trust applies only to those resident in or apprenticed in Drogheda.



Drogheda, cont.,

VIII. 114  
St. Mark's. Letter of Rev. Geo. Needham. Says he has got a residence in St. Peter's Parish.  
Refers to Primate's generosity to him. Aug. 19, 1853.

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March, 1853. Affecting farewell letter to the primate thanking him for his kindnesses, written on her deathbed by Mrs. M. Crawford, St. Peter's, (7 Widows' Houses) Drogheda.

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1857. Letter of Wm. Cairnes, Drogheda, thanking his Grace for his interest and support of the Blue School. He had presented to Mr. Martin the Master the £5 his Grace sent him.  
Letter of thanks to the Primate from John Martin, Master.

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St. Mark's.  
Stamped Receipt from Rev. H. E. Brooke, P. C., when leaving May 15, 1857, for £14. 10. 0. the portion of his salary paid by Primate, dated Sep. 19, 1857.

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W. E. Ormsby writes, 1858, to Primate to say he is living at Watson Lodge 1 mile from Glebe ho. (which he left because of illhealth of his wife who has died) but attends regularly in Drogheda for his duty and pastoral visitation and intends to live in Glebe.

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1838. (where he is in consequence of Mrs. S.'s illness) concerning some complaints about his non-residence and the performance of parish duties. States that if next year he cannot return, he will resign.  
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He did not res. till 1840.

Dromiskin, cont.

VIII. 121  
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Com. of Dilapidations, Dromiskin Glebe, on resig. of  
Rev. John Smythe. Rev. J. U. Tighe acted for him;  
dispute as to his liability for decayed roof.

Comrs Rev. R. Olpherts,

Rev. R. P. McClintock,

Wm. Farrell.

Dec., 1841.

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Rev. J. H. Stubbs writing Nov. 28, 1843, says New Church  
of this parish has never been enclosed, and stands on  
the side of the road. The late Col. Fortescue who gave  
ground for the Ch. intended to enclose it with a low  
wall at his own expense, about 10 feet from the Ch.  
leaving the road as it is. The present proprietor in  
accordance with Mr. Stubbs' wishes has made a new road  
to the S. of the old Church and Churchyard so that the  
old Ch.yard and new Ch.yard shall be enclosed with one  
wall. At the last Assizes permission was given to stop  
up the old road which ran between the old and new Church.  
It cost Mr. Fortescue about £100 and therefore he could  
not be asked to build wall round new Church. Mr. Stubbs  
sends a plan showing old and new roads and proposed  
wall which he intends to build by subscription. Primate  
promised him £10.

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Oct. 1, 1844. Rev. J. H. Stubbs reminds Primate of his  
promise to contribute £10 towards enclosing Churchyard  
with a wall which has been completed.

Had an Evening Service in Lurgan Green during summer.

Primate sent him the £10.

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Rev. J. H. Stubbs, wishes to go to South of France for  
3 months and to appoint Rev. Wm. Stevenson (late C. to

Dromiskin, cont.

Dr. Martin of Killeshandra) his locum tenens.

Granted. Nov. 1, 1853.

Drumcar. Rev. J. Alley, 1826, forwards Award of John McClintock and Robert Thompson of Tithe Comp: for R. - £280 Brit. Average price for seven years in County.

VIII-131

Wheat <sup>s d</sup> 38/8½ per Barrel.

Oats 15/2½ "

" May 24, 1827. Lady Eliz. McClintock solicits Primate to appoint Rev. J. C. H. Finny (C. of Dunleer) to imp<sup>ts</sup> R. of Drumcar. - Refused -

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" June 4, 1827. Rev. R. Allott - thanks for getting Imp<sup>r</sup> R. of Drumcar. Choir matters. Mrs. McCloud's children.

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" June 16, 1827. Rev. W. H. Foster very naively suggests that the Impte. R. of Drumcar should be annexed to Collon instead of Dromin. Acknowledges he would be the gainer by £50.

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" Rev. R. Allott, on history of Improprate R. of Drumcar. 1827.

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" Letter from Rev. Edward Groome, who is willing to sign Deed giving V. of Drumcar £39. 5. 0. a year. He used to pay Mr. Nicholson £50. Feb. 21, 1840.

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" Sep. 18, 1840. Viscount Ebrington, promises to present Mr. Ellister to Drumcar. (? Should it be Ellison).

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Drumcar, cont.

VIII. 139

Moylary. Rev. Rich. Allott, app<sup>d</sup> Imp. R. of Drumcar, agrees to allocation of a larger sum to P. C. of Moylary. Cathedral. Primate Stuart's Monument has been erected exactly opposite Chapter Room door as Chantry wished; very much admired. Only criticism made "the stiffness of the arm or rather shoulder which adjoins the wall". June 23, 1827.

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Rev. R. Allott re some papers missing re Endowment of Drumcar. He says Alley was app. March, 1793. Query, 1789. June 21, 1827.

" 141

Letter from Mr. Scott (Reg<sup>r</sup> ?) re Deed appropriating Annuity 239. 5. 0. to Vicar of Drumcar between Rev. Edward Groome and the Primate, 7 Mar., 1837.

Also re change of site of Ballywillan Ch. (Connor). Letter of Rev. Wm. Guais accepting Drunglass.

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Mr. John McClintock, Drumcar, writes the Primate, July 14, 1834, stating that he had sent petitions signed by every Protestant in the parish to the King and parliament for the maintenance of the Church. He states that on account of intimidation some Protestants in other districts had not signed it.

" 143

Dr. Stopford on the impropriate tithes of Drumcar, purchased by Primate Marsh for building of a Church at Moylary and the payment of a Curate there. Some difficulty about ascertaining who was heir to the last Trustee. Aug. 30, 1834.

Drunglass. 1829. Nov. 30. J. Ussher, Sharon, Raphoe, writes to Archd. Stopford sending a copy of Rev. Wm. Phelan's letter complaining of his nephew Rev. Henry Ussher,

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Drumglass, cont. List of Absentees, cont.

his Curate, and suggesting he should seek another sphere of labour. Phelan had told H. U. that his sermons were too spiritual!

VIII. 145  
" 1840. Aug. 8. Rev. John Brownlow suffering from asthma resigns the Curacy of Drumglass.

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" Rev. Geo. Evans. Memorial about Puseyism.  
Jan. 21, 1842.

" 1844. Oct. 3. Letter of Primate to Rev. R. N. Horner, offering him Killeshil in exchange for Drumglass, and his reply.

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" Oct. 12, 1844. Rev. R. N. Horner has permitted Lord Ranfurly to change his seat in Church, and to make an entrance to it through the N. Transept.

150  
" Letter of Rev. Wm. Quain accepting Drumglass.  
Oct. 6, 1844.

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155  
" Mr. Quain, the new R., writes to Primate that he thinks the continuance of Mr. Hogan in the Curacy of Drumglass will interfere with his own usefulness as Rector, etc.  
Oct. 18, 1844.

His Grace in reply points out that the app<sup>t</sup> of the Curate is in his own hands, but gives a very high character of Mr. Hogan and his work.

Mr. Horner the late R. (to whom evidently the Primate had written) on Nov. 2, 1844, speaks highly of Hogan and his work in the parish, admits a few important families have ceased to attend Drumglass Church - some not because of Hogan:-

(in full) List.

Absentees.	Cause of Absence.
G. E. Stuart, Esqr. and Wife.	Because I requested the people to stand up when

Drumglass, cont.

List of Absentees, cont.

(in full)

Absentees.

Cause of absence.

(G.E. &amp; Mrs. Stuart)

the psalms were singing, and privately reproved Mrs. Stuart for her non-compliance.

Mr. W. Douglas  
Wife and family.

Because Douglas has a quarrel with the Parish Clerk.

A. Newton Esqr.  
Wife son and  
daughters.

Because of an unfounded suspicion that Mr. Hogan is a Tractarian or Puseyite.

Rich<sup>d</sup> Murray Esqr.  
and his Sister.

Same.

Mrs. Monck.

Same.

Dr. Dickson  
& children.

Because not accommodated as he wished with a Pew - but his absence is of many years standing - and Mr. Hogan has no concern with it.

Mr. Wm. Holmes.

I think Holmes disliked the change made in the Psalmody, but he never gave me his reason.

Primate writes to Mr. Hogan on Nov. 5, saying that Mr. Quain does not wish him to remain as Curate, that he has been unsuccessful in getting Mr. Molony to take him as C., but offers to pay his salary till he gets another Curacy.

Mr. Hogan writes a letter of thanks. Nov. 7.

" 1844. Primate pays Rev. Jas. Hogan's Arrears of Salary due as Curate. £112. 10. 0.

" Dec. 8, 1844. Mr. Quain writes to Primate that in consequence of agitation against him references to his monetary position - and also considering the bad state of Glebe house and the heavy charges on it, he wishes his Grace to ask Mr. Molony to take it and he

Drumglass, cont.

will resign if he is all<sup>d</sup> go back to Cookstown.

Primate induces him to withdraw, and offers to lend him money to pay charges.

Primate evidently had written to Mr. Molony.

VIII. 160 Mr. Quain, intimating that his engagement to be married (? to Miss Bond) is off. Sep. 1845.

161 Ditto, accepting His Grace's offer of money for repairs to Glebe house. Dec., 1845.

162 Ditto, sending a cheque to the Primate of £127. 6. 6.

163 rec<sup>d</sup> from Mr. Molony for dilapidations as he understood the Primate had paid for his dilap<sup>ns</sup> to Mr. Molony.

Dec., 1845. Letters of Mr. Quain to Primate, re cost of Glebe repairs £1600. He has no means to pay instalment to Architect. Had to borrow £1200 at 7 p. c. when he got the parish on security of his life insurance.

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Primate sends him £500

Dunany.

(in full) A true Copy of the Names of all Persons Christened, Married, or Buried in the Parish of Dunany, Diocese of Armagh in the Year ending the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1827.

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This Marriage was solemnized: Christened.

When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents' Name. Christian. Sur-name.	Abode.	Quality, Trade or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
1826. March 26th	Alicia	John and Susan Jones	Glebe House	Clergyman.	Rev <sup>d</sup> John Jones.
1826. Novem-ber 26th.	Catherine	James and Anne Eagle-son.	Draugh-ans-town.	Carpen-ter.	Rev <sup>d</sup> John Jones.

Dunany, cont.  
 List of Christenings, etc.  
 Christenings, cont.

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When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents' Christian Name.	Sur-name.	Abode.	Quality, Trade or profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
1827. January 15th	Charles James	David and Sarah	Alex- ander.	Dunany.	Steward.	Rev. <sup>d</sup> John Jones.

Married.

George Davis of this Parish, Bachelor and Elizabeth Waller of this Parish Spinster were married in this Church by Banns, with Consent of Parents this Thirtyfirst day of July in the year one Thousand eight Hundred and Twenty Six

By me John Jones Vicar

This Marriage was Solemnized between us ( George Davis.  
 ( Elizabeth Waller.

In the Presence of ( George Wilson.  
 ( John Beatty.

James Lubin of the Parish of Saint Mary in the County of the Town of Drogheda, Bachelor, and Mary Anne Spence of the Parish of Marlinstown Spinster, were married in this Church by license this twenty ninth day of November in the Year One Thousand eight Hundred and Twenty Six

By me John Jones Vicar

This Marriage was Solemnized between us ( James Lubin.  
 ( M Anne Spence.

In the Presence of ( Susanna Bassiere.  
 ( David Alexander.

Buried. none.

25th April, 1827. John Jones Vicar Union of Dunany  
 his Parsonstown Salters-  
 Peter x Murphy ) town & Marlinstown.  
 mark )  
 James Eagleson ) Church Wardens.



Dunany, cont.

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Rev. John Jones thanks the Primate for £25 received.  
10 Jan., 1829.

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Rev. John Jones thanks the Primate for £25 received.  
17 Dec., 1830.

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Application for assistance from Mrs. Susan Jones, (wife  
of Rev. J. Jones), her eldest son is a sailor.  
24 Mar., 1843.

"No answer".

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Petition of Mrs. Susan Jones, wife of Rev. John Jones  
late R. of Dunany, residing in Wexford since Aug., 1837,  
her husband being deranged was induced to resign by Rev.  
Wm. Foster in 1841, who gave him £70. She avers he was  
then insane and got no provision; her husband committed  
bigamy by marrying Ellenor Kelly in 1842 at Kirkbradden,  
I. of Man; and she was dependent on the husband of her  
daug. who was in business and became bankrupt in 1843.  
Claims similar treatment to Drogheda Widows.

Her memorial is witnessed by

R. W. Elgee R. of Wexford,

Thos. White C. of Wexford,

Jas. White C. of Wexford and R. of Ballybrenan,

who say she is in distressed circumstances. 1846.

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1846. Letter of Rev. W. H. Foster of Loughgilly re  
Rev. John Jones, late R. of Dunany. His wife now denied  
that he was compos mentis when he had signed his resigna-  
tion. He had been insane and in an asylum, but Mr.  
Foster states he was perfectly sane when he resigned,  
resignation was witnessed by him and his bro.-in-law  
Mr. Hamilton. Rev. Mr. Egan brother of Mrs. Jones,  
wrote approving of what had been done. Jones eloped  
with a woman, and afterwards tried to get restored to  
the Ministry in England

Dunbin. Mr. John Jas. Biggar writes re applotment books of parish. May 14, 1827.

VIII 173

Mr. Thackeray writing Jan. 20, 1832, announces the death of Rev. Chas. Crawford, R. of Dunbin.

VIII 174

Mr. Tinley thought of applying for it to hold with Faughart but Thackeray put him off it.

Refers to the agitation against tithes, tithe collector told he'd better get his coffin if he tried to collect, etc.

Dundalk Grammar School. 1826, July 10. Rev. J. H. Stubbs

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intimating his resignation of head Mastership. Lord Roden has appointed on his recommendation Rev. John Darley, ed. by him, and afterwards an Asst. in his school.

Erasmus Smith's School. Rev. E. Thackeray asks his Grace's approval of the appointment of Wm. Reilly as Master and Anne Montgomery as Mistress.

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vice -- Wadeson Master )  
Comyng Mistress ) resd  
Master was trained in Jas. St. Training Sch., Dub.,  
Mistress has been in Chas. St. School, Dundalk.

Rev. E. Thackeray. Letters re adjournment of vestry sine die re tithes;

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Also re Controversial Lectures,  
Conversion of R. Catholics,  
Poverty.  
Encloses printed address to Landlords and others concerning collection for the poor.  
May, 1827.

Dundalk, cont.

VIII. 180

Rev. E. Thackeray to Primate, March, 1836.

Inter alia says

"Dr. Smith the Organist of St. Patrick's is a candidate for the vacant Musical Professor's Chair in Cambridge and is seeking recommendation - from your Grace etc. I brought him over here".

" 181  
Rev. Elias Thackeray writes May 9, 1836. "By a letter from my brother at Hadley near New Barnet. He says he had a Collection for us (the distressed Irish Clergy) last Sunday, the receipts were £23. 12. 0. in that village No one left without placing something in the Plate. He says the sympathy in England seems universal!"

" 182  
24 Sep., 1841. Rev. Elias Thackeray writes to primate that his bro. Dr. Fred. T. of Cambridge is likely to get the vacant Prof. of Medicine connected with Downing College, Cambridge. Mentions "the Erection of a new Church in the Parish in which our parents lived & died (Great St. Andrew's Cambridge)".

" 183  
1842. Elias Thackeray says his income for Dundalk and Castletown is £236, and he pays 2 curates there £200!

" 184  
1842. Letters from Rev. Elias Thackeray about schools etc., to a large extent undecipherable.

" 185  
Dundalk. 1843. Rev. Elias Thackeray writes whether a Petition should not be presented against Nat. System of Education. 559 on roll in his school this month, of which 425 Romanists.

Mentions a Mr. Downham of Drogheda who had to go to

Dundalk, cont.

Meath to get priested: regretted it could not be his Grace as he was going to a distant Colony.

Interesting Correspondence re Vacancy in V. of Dundalk Union, 1854.

1. Letter of Lord Roden to the Primate, dated 28 April, 1854, telling the Primate that Rev. Elias Thackeray was dying and requesting him to consider the appointment of Rev. Marcus Rainsford who had been C. Hiltown, (Down) and was Sec. of the Jews' Society. The Primate had the app. to R. Castletown, Lord Roden to Dundalk. Castletown was worth £140 to £150, Dundalk Vicarial tithe worth £16, Glebeland (20 acres) £50. (Lord Clermont owned the Rectorial Tithe). A charge of £236 on Glebe house. Lord R. would appt. the V. his Chaplain at £50.

2. Letter of J. Pidgeon giving particulars of values.

3. Letter of Lord Roden making out income of Dundalk as follows:-

Rent Charge	£16.
Glebeland	50.
Glebe House & Gar.	65.

£131, while he

valued Castletown £140.

4. Letter of Rev. Marcus Rainsford, April 28, 1854, stating that Lord Roden had offered him the V. of D. on the decease of Mr. Thackeray and that as his private income was only £40 he could not accept it unless the Primate also collated him R. of Castletown, asking if he would.

Dundalk, cont.

Letters re Vacancy in Parish, 1854, cont.

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5. & 6. & 7. Letters from Rev. J. H. Stubbs, Rev. John H. Allpress, and Lord Roden, acquainting the primate with the death of Mr. Thackeray at 5 o'clock on the morning of April 29, 1854.

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8. May 1, 1854. Letter of the Primate to Lord Roden, expressing regret at Mr. Thackeray's death.

As to appointing Mr. Rainsford to R. Castletown he says "If you were to propose to me the name of any respectable & well qualified Clergyman who had been serving as a Curate in my Diocese I should without hesitation come into your views but . . . as, the Curates under my charge naturally look to me for advancement in their profession it seems hard toward them that when a Benefice in my gift falls vacant I should bestow it on a person who is a stranger to the Diocese". However as he does not wish the V. of Dundalk to be left dependent on the miserable endowment belonging to it, he proposes that through the Privy Council a permanent Union of D. & C. be made, the Primate to have two turns presentation to 1.<sup>d</sup> Roden's one in accordance with their values. "The Primates who will succeed me are I suppose as likely to make a good selection of Vicars as the Earls who will succeed you in your title".

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9. Lord Roden replies May 2, 1854, saying he would have app. Mr. Pollock (the Clk. agreed upon) but he had now a good appt. in Dublin: He would not approve of the Union on the condition of the Primate getting 2 turns to Lord Roden's one, as he had a duty to his family and to the chief parishioners of Dundalk who wished

Dundalk, cont.

Letters re Vacancy in Parish, 1854, cont.

VIII. 186

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him to appoint Rainsford. He pointed out that his father had appd. Thackeray - an Englishman and a stranger and that Primate Stuart had agreed to appoint him R. of Castletown; and with all due respect to His Grace he would assert his right and appoint Mr. Rainsford and make up out of his own private income sufficient to induce him to accept.

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10. The Primate replied on May 3, giving him full credit for the best motives and hoping he would find Mr. Rainsford an efficient parish minister, but definitely saying that he would feel it his duty to consider the claims of the Clergy of his diocese in appointing to Castletown.

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11. Lord Roden replies on May 12 that having consulted Lord Jocelyn his son, he is willing to get the parishes united, the Primate to have the next presentation provided he is allowed to nominate Mr. Rainsford and that the presentations be alternate, not two to one.

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12. Primate writes on May 13, that the question of turns of Presentation can best be settled by Lord Lieut. & Council when a full state of the case is laid before them.

Mr. Rainsford was subsequently appointed.

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13. A letter of the Primate May 24, refers to a portion of Castletown in Ballymascanlan parish which the R. of the latter parish wished to get.

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14. Letter of Lord Roden re agreement about application to Privy Council.

Dundalk, cont.

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Feb., 1836. Rev. Elias Thackeray, receipt of £500 sent to him by Primate.

Refers to opposition of tithe payers; sends printed Letter of his offering to compound Louth tithes.

Refers to the priests' endeavours to keep R. C. children from attending Louth Schools.

Attached are Resolutions adopted by the Local Committee of Dundalk Educational Institute which was estab<sup>d</sup> a year before (1835). Mr. Wm. Haslam is Assistant Master.

Dunleer.

VIII 190

Mar., 1840. Letters of Rev. T. H. C. Finny, C. of Dunleer, who has been offered Free Church, Cork.

Thinks he might get Drumcar.

Evidently did not.

Refers to opening of Schoolhouse in Dunleer.

Erriglekeerogue. 1853.

IX 1

April 19. Rev<sup>d</sup> Gardner Young, relative to Rev<sup>d</sup> -- Anketell, who withdraws his resignation of the Curacy.

Faughart.

IX 2

Letter of Mr. Thackeray enclosing a notice given him by Mr. Gervais Tinlay, R. of Faughart, which states that at a meeting of landholders at Kilaurry Chapel on Sunday, 17th inst. (year not given) to resist the collection of tithes the following determined not to pay under any consideration whatever :-

Faughart, cont.

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Peter Rice.	Daniel O'Heere.
Lau <sup>g</sup> Grant.	Patrick Rice.
Patrick Kelly.	Edw <sup>d</sup> Rice.
Owen Kelly.	Mich <sup>l</sup> Maher.
John M <sup>o</sup> Keown.	John Eaton.
Peter Carron (?)	Nich <sup>s</sup> Kelly.
Patrick Grant.	John Murphy.

Mr. T. adds "Mr. Tinlay seems half disposed to leave his preferment & return to his own country, England, though he has been connected with the Ch. of Ireland for more than 50 years & all that time within 2 miles of his present residence. He built a house at his own expense purchasing ground to do so that he might be amonget his people. He built a Church & bought the ground on which it stands & Primate Stuart repaid him the money out of his own purse & now at the age of about 80 without a Personal Enemy on earth" desires to go.

Thackeray advised him sell his house & live in Dundalk.

Forkill.

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20 June, 1827. Letter of M. W. Reddy stating that the Vestry on 12 June agreed with Mr. Campbell to composition of £650 for tithes.

John O'Neill & )  
J. Carlisle ) Churchwardens.

John Ogle, John Sheare, R. Balmar, Hugh O'Neill, Jas. Dick, and others, landholders.

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June 25, 1827. Dr. Campbell writes, Forkill.  
(1) accepting tithe Comp.;



Forkhill, cont.

- (2) asking Primate to licence as C. at £75 James Forde who has acted as his Asst. Curate for many years (previously C. Greggan) and given general satisfaction;
- (3) appt. of John Ogle as Com<sup>r</sup> for Comp<sup>d</sup>

ix. 8

Wm. Smith, C. Forkhill, wishes to be Priested with A. R. Kenny. 1829.

(in full)

Forkhill National School, Return, 1839.

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Forkhill National School.

Felix Hanratty - a Roman Catholic - Master

Total number of Scholars on the Books of	
The School	252.
Number present Feb <sup>ry</sup> 4 1839	68.
Average N <sup>o</sup> during last Quarter	94.

The accounts of the attendance of the the Scholars appear to be kept in a neat & accurate manner

Books used in the School are those approved of by The National Board of Education

The number of Children who read, occasionally, The Scripture Extracts varies from 40 to 88

The Teacher derives £8 p. Annum from the The Board besides some small gratuity from the Children

The School House has suffered a good deal of Injury from the late Storm but in other respects I would consider it to have been in very tolerable good repair It is not celled - which from its being so very capacious - 72 feet by 18 in the clear must render it very Cold. The floor is an earthen one and not in very good order. The School House seems amply supplied with good desks & forms.

W. Smith A.M. Curate of Forkhill.

Forkhill Feb<sup>ry</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1839.

Forkhill, cont.

Forkhill Trust.

14.10.11 Mr. H. Alexander (? Agent to the Trust) writes about repairs of houses on Estate and necessity of giving premiums for encouragement of agriculture. 1842.

Forkhill Trust. Schools.

12 Increase in attendance 1852-3.  
Returns.

13 Letter of Rev. Jas. Campbell, refers to opposition of R. C. priesthood to children's attending.

Forkhill Trust.

14.15.16 Minutes of Meeting held 1st May, 1856, with resolutions passed.

Also letter of Rev. J. Campbell, 1857, saying Board had refused £100 towards mitigating distress of Missionaries S.P.G.

17 1857. Forkhill Charity. Question of applying to Lord Chancellor as to application of Funds.  
Letter to Mr. Dobbin.

Forkhill Trust.

18 Letter of Lord Clermont apologising for his absence to Meeting of Trustees, and agreeing that Mr. Murdock be app. Clerk at £50 p. an. if he resigns School Master-ship and gives security.

Also agreeing to a grant of £50 for Lime for tenants. Feb. 18, 1857.

Forkhill Trust.

19 Mr. Foster tells of Mr. Napier's opinion that Fund is for the benefit of Protestants.

Forkhill, cont. Forkhill Trust, 1858.

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Dr. Campbell pointing out that a notice issued for a quarterly meeting at Armagh was illegal. It must be held at Forkhill.

Notice Cancelled.

Grange. 1829. Nov.

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Opinions of Dr. Radcliff and Archdeacon Stopford on a case in Mr. Twigg's parish where a woman forbade the Banns of Marriage on the ground that she was married to the prospective bridegroom. Method of procedure detailed, names not given.

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Dr. Stopford, 1833, on the claim of the Caulfield family to a pew in Grange Church.

A pew is granted to an inhabitant only as long as he lives in a parish. It is not connected with and cannot pass with an Estate. Pews were only granted in connection with a house, and an inhabitant can only prove his right to it by faculty, or by prescription time out of mind. A pew cannot pass by will and a man erecting one cannot remove it.

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Rev. W. Pennefather re position of Clerk's desk in new Church to be opened on Dec. 24, 1843.

Heynestown. 1827.

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Mrs. Balfour has executed a deed for Conveyance of Glebe for H.

Heynestown, cont., Rev. A. R. Miller.

78. 28 Optimistic view of Conversions from Romanism. Adduces some cases in Co. Louth. Oct., 1853.

" 29 Rev. A. R. Miller, thanks to Primate for a cheque on account of illness. 1857.

Jonesborough. Mr. Henry wants Church enlarged as congregation has increased. Oct. 11, 1842.

" 31 Rev. R. Henry writes to Primate, July 31, 1857, of his disappointment at not being promoted as he is so long "in this howling wilderness" which is inadequate to support him and his large family.

However "I still live under the fascinating influence of hope".

" 32-3 Sep. 19, 1863. Letter of Rev. Robt. Henry, Rector, to Primate M.G. Beresford, asking that as the Church is rebuilding, their temporary place of worship be licensed for marriages.

License granted.

Keady. 34 Mr. Mangan, to recommend the building of a Wall round Keady Church. March, 1840.

Kildarton. Aug. 1, 1865. Primate M. G. Beresford orders 35 Monition to be served on Rev. J. R. Greer to celebrate Morning and Evening Service in his Church.

36 Sep. 21, 1865. Letter of his father J. R. Greer

Kildarton, cont.

of Monkstown Lodge, protesting against Visitation Fees being charged his son who was only a Perp. C. of the parish.

" 37 1857. Rev. Archibald Harden applies for Kildarton, 38 but it is filled. Gives particulars about his family.

Killeavy. Rev. Jan. 1829. Robt. Torrens Boyle, Temp. C. wishes to be licensed. Self-wisely Against a Mr. Johnson who had injured him.

1830. Jan. 23. Archdeacon Stopford, with ref. 40 to Site of new Church of Killeavy. 1840, proposing that the Primate suggests there be no processions on 12th

Killeshill. Rev. Thos. Carpendale, gives particulars of Income

41 of Killeshill. Tithes £200.

1843. June 26. Rents 335.  
Farm 70.  
2605.  
From Rev. H. O'Sullivan.  
Charge on Glebe £1175.

Aug. 28, 1844.

" 42 13 Oct., 1844. Rev. Walter Young, on behalf of his Mother wishes to know if Primate made any arrangement with Mr. Horner re Charges on Glebe. Horner refuses to pay for a greenhouse or allow its removal.

Primate answers he had no power in the matter.

Primate's reply.

" 43-51 Complaint of Rev. R. H. Horner against his Curate, Rev. Jas. Murray, 1852, presents to the V. C. of the Rev. Francis H. Allen. Dec., 1852.

Killylea. Ref. new districts of Killylea, Erxigle, etc.

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" Killylea School.

54 Memorial of Parishioners of Killylea that the Master

Killylea, cont. School, cont. and Mistress app<sup>d</sup> by the P. O. Mr. McCausland, be all<sup>d</sup> to open the School and saying Mr. McClean, R. of Tynan, ought not object.

Killylea V. Mr. Maclean's letter on the subject. 19 Nov., 1857.

Killyman. Rev. M. O'Sullivan Sep. 20, 1842, about a petition of a Mr. Bradley. Evidently against a Mr. Johnston who had injured him.

" 56 Rev. M. O'Sullivan writes June 24, 1845, proposing that the Primate suggests there be no Processions on 12th July!

" 57 1845. June 24. Re an Address the Orange Body intend presenting to the Queen. From Rev. M. O'Sullivan.

" 58 June, 1848. Rev. M. O'Sullivan re a proposed address of Loyalty etc. by the Orangemen on 12 July to the Queen - refers to a letter of Mr. Willis ( P. O. of Portadown) printed in Dub. Evg. Herald ? (which he now regrets).

" 59 Primate's reply.

" 60 Rev. Jas. Disney, 1853, consents to the T. L. of Derry-corry and Derryhubbert being taken for a new district.

Thanks the Primate for his monetary assistance, enabling him to get free of debt.

John Stark.

Churchwardens James Magill,

St. David.

July 1, 1853.

Kilmore. 1829. Dec. Grange Oneiland Chapel of Ease.  
 ix.61 Settlement of district attached. Question is it a  
 part of Newry Parish?

Kilsaran U. 9 Sep., 1825. Letter of John Woolsey (who has been  
 62 assigned the tithes by his father Rev. Wm. W. "a very  
 old man and who has been for several years past in  
 precarious health") saying he and his father wish  
 Vestry to be held to make Comp. for tithe. He nomin-  
 ates John McClintock his Com<sup>r</sup>

" 63. Letter of thanks of W. C. Plunket, Atty. General, for  
 Primate's kindness to his son (Rev. Thos. P., C. Kil-  
 saran, after Bp. Tuam). Jan. 7, 1826.

" 64 John Woolsey writes, 17 Oct., 1842, to Primate, asking  
 him to sign Bene decessit of his son-in-law Rev. Chas.  
 Thornhill, who has got a Curacy in Limerick and wants  
 to be priested.

" 65 Mr. Quin, Oct. 4, 1843. applies for the parish

Re repairs to

Kilsaran,

Moy,

Caledon,

Loughgall.

Mr. Johnston's Ch.

73 Also re augmentation for Mr. Henry.

Lissan. Tithe Comp<sup>d</sup> £500.

66 Com<sup>r</sup>s John George,  
 67 John Clark.

Churchwardens James Magill,  
 Wm. Davin.

July 1, 1826.

Lissan, cont.

1x.68 Rev. J. M. Staples agrees to Tithe Comp. of £500 Brit.  
Nominates John George his Comf 1836.

69 Letter of Rev. W. J. Irvine, Mar. 19, 1840, saying that  
Lissan Church is closed for repairs, that he fears the  
floor of Sch. house would not bear up Congregation; but  
vast majority can attend Cookstown or Moneymore; but a  
district in the mountains 5 miles from Cookstown could  
attend at Erasms Smith School, Grouse Lodge, the most  
convenient place for them, where he would hold Services  
subject to His Grace's permission. Church to be  
finished after Easter.

70 Oct., 1842.

71 Rev. W. J. Irvine sends Primate a printed List of  
Subscriptions towards building a new Church, includes  
Primate £100, Sir Thos. Staples £100.

72 Rev. R. Verschoyle, Carlingford, applies for the parish  
of Lissan. 1858.

"Not answered".

Loughgall. 1832.

73 Return of the Protestant families in 27 Townlands of  
the Parish of Loughgall, Diocess of Armagh, within  
the district attached to the Church of Loughgall.

Families.	Males.	Females.	Total number of Individuals.
544.	1311.	1345.	2656.

Silver Oliver  
Rector of  
Loughgall.



Loughgilly. cont. Mr. Flavel wants a second Curate, got promises of support from Mrs. Balfour and Mrs. Cope. 1853.

1857  
Loughgilly. Erasmus Smith School. Sidney Russell app. Sch. master by Rev. HV Stewart. May 20, 1827.

1830. Nov. 1.

76 Letter of Rev. C. R. Blington about the parish to which he has just been app. by the Primate.

77 (in full) The following is a comparative view of the state of some matters in the Parish of Loughgilly from the 1<sup>st</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> to the 18<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> in the years 1843 & 1841, my appointment having taken place in Dec<sup>r</sup> 1841.

	In the Years	1841.	1843.
Number of Children examined for the Premiums of the Soc <sup>y</sup> from (sic = for) Prom <sup>s</sup> Christ <sup>y</sup> Knowledge.		180.	257.
Average number of Attendants at Morning Service on Sunday.		155.	206.
Average number of Attendants at Morning and Evening Service.		172.	310.
Total number of Attendants from January 1 <sup>st</sup> to Dec. 18 <sup>th</sup>		8807.	15856.

This is exclusive of the attendance at Morning Service on all Church Holydays - or at the Evening Service on each Wednesday at which last not less that 80 attend.

In 1841. There was Evening service only during the Summer months - It is now continued throughout the year and the attendance is greater during the Winter months.

Ex. gr. Dec. 3<sup>d</sup> 189. Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 151. Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 166.

& with regard to these attendants very close on 100 of them are Presbyterians It was supposed by some that

Loughgilly, cont. State of Parish in 1841 and 1843, cont.

1X. 77 they would not come within the walls of a Church - and such persons think that for this reason the Service is better to be held in a School house - but I have endeavored to exhibit Our Church as she is & as she ought to be without compromise & the result is as I had anticipated.

78 The Service for Churching women was altogether unknown to the Parishioners, it is now as regularly performed as the Baptismal office.

79 The Rubric respecting Baptism is now attended to Children are baptised during Divine Service & Sponsors invariably required And the result (especially in this Parish which has been so marked by the prevalence of Dissent) is curious in 1841 under the system then acted on there were 40 Baptisms - in 1843 there were 61.

80 The rite of Confirmation was administered in 1843 to 54 persons who had formerly been Presbyterians And to one who had been educated as an Independent And in this same year 1843 - 61 Presbyterians 1 Jew, 1 Independent & 1 Roman Catholic have joined themselves to our Church.

81 In reviewing the Population of this Parish I find that no less than 359 persons, including the 61 above spoken of, who were formerly Presbyterians have declared themselves Members of our Church within the 12 years which have elapsed since the appointment of Rev. R. Verschoyle as Curate, he has had many & great difficulties to contend with but his unwearied exertions have been signally blessed not merely in thus leading

Loughgilly, cont. State of Parish in 1841 and 1843, cont.

18-77 many to join our Scriptural Church but also through God's blessing in leading them to the reception of the truth as it is in Jesus.

W. H. Foster.

78 Rev. W. H. Foster, asking for leave of absence on account of his daughter's health.

Says the attacks of Dissenting teachers have no effect, as 150 Presbyterians attended Loughgilly Church last Sun. Evg.

Church needs enlargement, supposed to hold 225 - he had 271 Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1843.

79 Mar. 13, 1843. Marked "Mr. Foster Conclusion of 'James Dixon' Question".

80 81 Mrs. Foster's story of the Conversion of a Jew Monsieur Cohen de la Haye (uncle to wife of Bp. of Jerusalem) who desired to be bap<sup>d</sup> & conf<sup>d</sup> by His Grace in Loughgilly or Armagh.

She also refers to Mr. Comming (Presbyterian Minister) at Kingscourt who was about to be ord. D.

Sep., 1843.

82 Rev. W. H. Foster of Loughgilly writes to primate complaining that Dr. Miller, V.G. has a spite against him because his brother opposed Miller getting the Provostship and is therefore endeavouring to cause difficulties over improvements necessary at Loughgilly Glebe. Ap. 12, 1844.

83-5 Case of Lynar v. Foster. Letter of Chief Justice Jeffrey, 1853.

Loughgilly, cont.

1x 86 Case of Lynar v. Foster. 1863.

" 7x.87 Some dispute re payment for vacancy charges Loughgilly Glebe. 1863.

Louth Parish, 1833. Award of Philip O'Dwyer Greene Commis-

88 sioner fixing the Composition for Tithes of Louth Parish as £2155. 2. 4.

viz. to Rector, Rev. E. Thackeray, £1988. 1. 9.

to Edward Bolton Clive, one to Gabriel Clive or  
improp. of certain lands in it  
£167. 0. 7.

Dated Sep. 23, 1833.

" 89 1859. Receipt for £50 given by Primate for improvements in Louth Church.

Magherafelt. Estimate of repairs to be done on the tower.

90-91 Glebe House Magherafelt in 1844.

£ 2 s. 6.  
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" Rainey's Charity.

92 Letter of Leonard Dobbin sending case & Mr. Warren's opinion, 17 April, 1848, and suggesting his Grace should take action that the trusts of the Charity should be safeguarded. Mr. Campbell Gausson, son of eldest dau. of Mr. Rainey is willing to give every aid.

" Rainey's Charity.

93 Copy of Case for Counsel, April, 1848. Recites that

Magherafelt, cont.

*TX 93* Rainey's Charity, cont.

Hugh Rainey of Magherafelt by his Will April 11, 1707, app. his son Ashe & his nephew John Rainey, Belfast, as Exors, & James Berkly & Jas. Johnston their Assistants in case either of exors. should die before Will was proved;

directed lay out effects on a small Freehold Estate until Masvilly alias Maywollen (£400 per ann.) could be purchased,

One moiety of £400 p.ann. to go to John Ashe or John Ashe Rainey failing him or his issue to Gabriel Ashe or issue, failing him to Hugh Ashe or issue, then to James Ashe & Wm. Thos. & Luke Ashe etc. (evidently sons of his only dau.), if these fail to eldest s. of William Rainey;

The other moiety after 1 Nov., 1713, to the following: to build a house to put 8 boys in it, clothed & fed; in Nov. 1714 8 more, Nov. 1715 8 more, Nov. 1716 1st eight to be then bound to trades & another 8 added, if money not enough number to be reduced, if more to be increased.

2 women to wash clothes etc. & 2 grave old men to instruct etc. the boys.

Act of Parlt. 11 Geo. 2 recited that the assets amount to £4393. 15. 3, an Estate was purchased (L<sup>r</sup> Bally mote, Co. Down) for £6545 (part with Thos. Ashe's money); & that £175 was paid for the Charity out of them & Primate Robinson always audited the accounts, but the present Primate did not get any proceeds. Members of the Gausseu Family now administered the Charity & only 4 or 5 boys were in it.

Counsel gave opinion that the Primate should get the £175 and manage the Charity.

## Magherafelt, cont.

Rainey School, Magherafelt.

94. 95 Letter of Rev. C. K. Irwin with respect to its re-opening (?) and Primate's sanction. 1849.

" July 16, 1849.

96 Letter of Rev. C. K. Irwin suggesting that as the Burial ground of Magherafelt is overcrowded he would consent to consecrate the Paupers' Burying ground attached to the Workhouse for the burial of those dying in it.

Manfieldstown. Letter March 29, 1824, from Rev. Geo. Vesey, R.,

97 98 re Returns for Glebe, Schools, etc., which he says had to be made in Triplicate - one for the Lords one for the Commons and the other for the Irish Sec. (see Calendar, Vol. I. pp. 28 et seq.)

He says that his agent spends £400 a year of the rents on improving his property in Co. Tyrone.

Parish.	Incumbent.	Residence.	Glebe.	School.
Manfields-town. County of Louth. Upper Diocese of Armagh.	The Rev <sup>d</sup> Doctor George Vesey.	The Incumbent is one of the Two Clergymen on the establishment of the Royal Hospital Kilmainham, & as such is exempted from Residence in his parish by a particular statute. However he divides the year between his attendance at the Hospital, &	The only glebe, which belonged to this parish was about two acres, divided into three distinct tenements, on each of which there was a poor cabin, in separate parts of the small Village of Manfieldstown. The greatest exertions	As almost the entire of the population of this parish is Roman Catholic, there are not any Protestant Children to form a school. There is a small Parochial school house in the parish, in which a former Parish Clerk kept a school, but previous to his death almost all the Roman Catholics withdrew their Children from their aversion of having them under

Manfieldstown, cont.

Returns for Glebe, Schools, etc., cont.

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Parish. Incumbent. Residence. Glebe. School.

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 tant Master,  
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Manfieldstown, cont.

Returns for Glebe, Schools, etc., cont.

17.97-8

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		erally six	times past, to	lished one of
		months in	procure the	their own per-
		each, & has	purchase of	suasion. The
		a Curate	Glebe ground,	Incumbent allows
		resident	to enable the	the school to be
		within 100	Incumbent to	kept in this
		yards of his	build there	house, under the
		Church; when	not being any	superintendence
		in attend-	residence for	of his Parish
		ance he res-	him in the	Clerk, & endeav-
		ides himself	parish. It	ours himself as
		within about	has been at	far as he can
		two miles of	length provid-	consistent with
		his parish,	ed, in exchange	their prejudices,
		it not being	for the above	to promote the
		possible to	tenements; and	education of the
		procure any	a grant of	children, allow-
		residence	£350 from the	ing the Master
		in the par-	Board of First	40 <sup>s</sup> a year, &
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				engage a protes-
				tant Master,
				whose superior
				qualifications
				(he hopes) may
				possibly over-
				come the aver-
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				Romanists have
				evinced on al-
				most every
				occasion to have
				their children
				instructed by
				Protestant Master



Manfieldstown, cont.

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Order for Vestry to settle Composition of Tithes, addressed to Geo. Bell, } Churchwardens, Wm. Elliott } 22 May, 1827.

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Sep. 22, 1842. Rev. A. Garstin is anxious to build a new Church in his parish.

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Letter of thanks of Rev. Anthony Garstin on being appd to Parish. Mar. 18, 1843.

Meigh.

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Mr. John Foxhall, Killeavy Castle, writes about the inconvenient position of Pulpit and Reading Desk - unsuitable for being heard. Mentions Mr. Chambre. Jan., 1853.

Mellifont.

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Letter from Mrs. Balfour of Townley Hall re Restoration and enlargement of the Church. Estimates.

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Letter of Rev. Alfred Hamilton thanking the Primate for his contributions and interest in the Church and School. 1857.

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Jan., 1857. Letter of Rev. Alfred Hamilton giving Resolution of Vestry and details re enlargement of Church.

B. T. Balfour } Ch. Wardens. W. D. Delap } Jas. Simpson, R. P. Delap, Archibald Malcolm

Vestrymen.

Mellifont, cont.

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Rev. W. Pennefather (whose income is £100) gets £25  
from Primate. Dec. 20, 1844.

110-111

Mrs. Balfour, with Estimate of cost of new Chancel  
to Church, £45. Sep. 1857.

Middletown.

1829. Dispute about Cert. of Dilapidations,

112-113

Middletown (Chantilly) Glebe on death of Rev. John Mee.  
Archdeacon explains the law as to fixtures.

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1829. May 11. Middletown P. C.

Case between Revs. John Mee, late P. C., and his  
Successor, latter to pay £50 to former, improvements  
on Glebe house, not including fixtures = "those  
articles which though they may be de facto fixed, may  
de jure be removed." Mrs. Mee can sell these.  
Mr. Mee expended £1200, got gift of £450 F. F. and  
only got a Cert. for £50 & Fixtures.

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Jan. 17, 1844. Letter of Rev. Jas. Mauleverer re  
same. Also telling Primate he is paying off his  
father's debts. Your Grace will  
Reply of Primate.

118-120

Dec. 1, 1846. Rev. J. M. Trew, formerly P. C. of  
Middletown, writes from Sidmouth for a testimonial  
from His Grace. He wishes to leave the Bahamas for  
a less trying Climate and seems to be a candidate  
for a Colonial Bprie.

Primate replies that he already had given  
him a test<sup>l</sup> on leaving Middletown and was not cognisant  
of his life since then, besides being a large sub-  
scriber to Colonial Bprie. Fund a test<sup>l</sup> would look

Middletown, cont.

as if he tried to seek a voice in the Nomination.

Milltown. Rev. Chas. Crossle asks Primate to let Mr. Free remain  
17. 121-122 C. of Milltown 3 or 4 months longer. The Primate seems  
to have paid Free - but he offers to defray the ex-  
penses for the 3 or 4 months himself. 11 Nov., 1843.

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May 15, 1827. Dr. George Miller on a Vestry  
re building of Church. Churchwardens Jas. Sloan,  
Geo. Dobson,

As to politics,

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"As it is believed that the Charter of the E. I.  
Company will not be renewed, such a patronage will be  
transferred to the Crown, as must render any minister  
irresistible - In this case the Constitution of Eng-  
land would be sacrificed to the improvement of India  
- a grand object doubtless, but not ours. I really  
believe that the best event for us would be to lose  
the whole continent of India, retaining only Ceylon  
for maintaining our communication with China, the  
trade of which country is allowed to be the only  
profitable part of the whole concern. Your Grace will  
pardon these speculations from one who now speculates  
by habit, having passed much of his life in revolving  
such considerations."

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1853. Rev. Richd. Wrightson, thanks for money rec<sup>d</sup>  
from Primate. 27. 18. 10. a quarter.

Moylary. Rev. A. Nicholson thanks the Primate for £25.

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Dec. 10, 1830.

" 1836-42. Letters, Rev. A. A. Nicholson stressing his poverty, his parish sequestered. Thanks Primate for

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(1) £10.

(2) £30.

(3) Another sum not stated.

" Dunleer & Moylary.

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Accounts of Sequestrator (Rev. H. U. Tighe) 1840, giving Landlords' names, Tithe Composition, Rent Charges, etc.

" Rev. A. Nicholson. Thanks for £25, and £2. 9. 6 received. Sep. 4, 1843.

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" Sep. 25, 1843. Rev. A. Nicholson again telling of his distresses, and asking for preferment.

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Primate sends him another £25.

" 1843. Copy of Primate's letter to Rev. A. Nicholson (who thought he was the subject of misrepresentation) that the only thing he knew about him was from his own letters!

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" 1844. Nov. 21.

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Rev. A. A. Nicholson, P. C. writes that an exchange with Rev. John Kerr, R. of Kilkerrin, Tuam, is proposed to him, asking if his Grace has any objection. Writes of the smallness of his income at Moylary.

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His Grace endorsed the letter "No objection".

On Nov. 26 Mr. Nicholson writes that Mr. Kerr has withdrawn from the agreement, and stresses his disappointment and the difficulty he found in making ends

Moylary, cont.

meet and providing for his family.

Primate sent him £25.

Mullabrack, 1827.

138 Rev. Sam<sup>l</sup> Blacker, Mullabrack, sends copy of circular he is issuing to landed proprietors to subscribe to a fund to relieve distress on account of the great depression in the Linen manufacture, etc.

Mullavilly. Rev. Maxwell Carpendale begs for temporary assistance. Suggests Mr. Jeffrey Lefroy, who "would be the most active & efficient in this neighbourhood from his being so zealous so influential at the Castle with Lady M. so independent in his circumstances".

Assistance granted. May 12, 1834.

" 1848. Copy of letter of Primate to Rev. R. J. L. McGhee, incumbent of Mullavilly, who wished to exchange. The Primate says he did not think exchanges were successful, as he found one or both of the parties subsequently dissatisfied.

Newtownhamilton. Rev. W. Maclean thanks primate for his liberal donation for repair of School. 10 Dec., 1830.

" 143 1840. The licence of Rev. Geo. Thompson is withdrawn on request of the R., Wm. Maclean. He is given the

Newtownhamilton, cont.

opportunity of facing an investigation. 3 Clks. have however signed his Lett. Test.

Partial copy. May 4. - 1834 - 1835 - 1836 - 1837 - 1838 - 1839 - 1840 - 1841 - 1842 - 1843 - 1844 - 1845 - 1846 - 1847 - 1848 - 1849 - 1850 - 1851 - 1852 - 1853 - 1854 - 1855 - 1856 - 1857 - 1858 - 1859 - 1860 - 1861 - 1862 - 1863 - 1864 - 1865 - 1866 - 1867 - 1868 - 1869 - 1870 - 1871 - 1872 - 1873 - 1874 - 1875 - 1876 - 1877 - 1878 - 1879 - 1880 - 1881 - 1882 - 1883 - 1884 - 1885 - 1886 - 1887 - 1888 - 1889 - 1890 - 1891 - 1892 - 1893 - 1894 - 1895 - 1896 - 1897 - 1898 - 1899 - 1900 - 1901 - 1902 - 1903 - 1904 - 1905 - 1906 - 1907 - 1908 - 1909 - 1910 - 1911 - 1912 - 1913 - 1914 - 1915 - 1916 - 1917 - 1918 - 1919 - 1920 - 1921 - 1922 - 1923 - 1924 - 1925 - 1926 - 1927 - 1928 - 1929 - 1930 - 1931 - 1932 - 1933 - 1934 - 1935 - 1936 - 1937 - 1938 - 1939 - 1940 - 1941 - 1942 - 1943 - 1944 - 1945 - 1946 - 1947 - 1948 - 1949 - 1950 - 1951 - 1952 - 1953 - 1954 - 1955 - 1956 - 1957 - 1958 - 1959 - 1960 - 1961 - 1962 - 1963 - 1964 - 1965 - 1966 - 1967 - 1968 - 1969 - 1970 - 1971 - 1972 - 1973 - 1974 - 1975 - 1976 - 1977 - 1978 - 1979 - 1980 - 1981 - 1982 - 1983 - 1984 - 1985 - 1986 - 1987 - 1988 - 1989 - 1990 - 1991 - 1992 - 1993 - 1994 - 1995 - 1996 - 1997 - 1998 - 1999 - 2000

Memorial to Primate, signed by John McGerry, Sch. master, Omeath, for 23 years (dismissed as incompetent being a

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cripple & got a pension of £5 ) and some relations with allegations agst. Rev. H. Cunningham. Report by Mr. Barlow, V. of Carlingford, shows its untruth; and Address to Primate by Geo. Browne & Wm. Moreton, Ch. wardens, and several parishioners in support of Mr. Cunningham.

Letter from Millinagh, Holy Cross, Oct., 1843.

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Rev. H. Cunningham writes re a Memorial sent Primate complaining of severity of teacher of Sch. towards Children. Not true. 10 Oct., 1843.

Pomeroy. Rev. W. Quain writes to Primate, May 5, 1834, explaining that the reason he had resigned the Curacy of Pomeroy was because he did not consider it a suitable field for his labour. He had an active habit of mind, had read for Fellowship and been a Tutor in Lord Rosse's family, and did not evidently consider the congreg<sup>n</sup> of Pomeroy respectable or intelligent enough to appreciate his work.

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Rev. Thos. Twigg, May 13, 1845, suggesting that as the Congreg<sup>n</sup> has increased and is increasing, a Gallery be

Pomeroy, cont.

built in the Church capable of holding 50, at a cost of £80.

Portadown. May 4, 1838. Letter of Rev. C. K. Irwin re Rev. Mr.

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Kelly of Tandragee who relinquishes any claim to act in some spiritual capacity (probably Moral Agent of Lord Mandeville) evidently in Portadown parish.

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Dec. 1842.

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Rev. Arthur Molony proposes enlargement of the Church as Church-people have increased. Methodists now attending Church, etc.

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Letter from Millicent, Lady Mandeville, Oct. 7, 1842, to Primate, re Rev. Mr. Malone's refusal to visit Portadown Schools because the Church Catechism was not taught in them during regular School hours. She had arranged with their Moral Agent Mr. Porter to give the Sch. Master £1 per quarter extra to teach it to Ch. of England (sic) children after School hours.

They had made it a rule that no Catechism (but Script<sup>l</sup> Education) should be taught in their School during School hours.

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Letters Testimonial of Rev. Patrick Moore, B.A., appointed Curate of Portadown (then a Deacon) signed by,

A. G. Macartney, V. of Belfast,

G. W. Tyrrell, R. of Drumbeg,

Chas. S. Courtenay, I. of Ballymacarrett,

and Countersigned by the Bp., who sends a letter of recommendation and offers to ordain him Priest on Letters Dimissory if the Primate wishes, May 11, 1843.

Poyntspass. Mrs. Anne C. Darby writes re Collections to improve accommodation in Church by removing old square pews. Collected £30. Jan. 8. (? 1858).

IX. 156

Coach School, opened April 14, 1853.  
Master, George Field. Churchman.  
Misses, Sarah, Dorothea, - Churchwomen.  
20 boys and 20 girls.  
Got 250 each from Wm. Lewis Cunningham who app<sup>d</sup> them.

Richhill. Correspondence re Erection of a District Ch.

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The Richardson family wish to convert the Market House into one. Rev. Edw<sup>d</sup> Chichester wishes to build a new Ch. He has collected £480 and will add £100 on the condition that it is a new Ch. Townlands proposed to be made into it,

Legacorry, Maynooth, Rockmcraney, Anarea,  
Ballylaney, Mulladry, Mullaleish, Drummahuncheon,  
Crewest, Liskeyborough, Corkreevy, Shuesh,  
Ballynahinch, Ballyloghan, Ahorey, Ballybreagh,  
inhabited by 2375 Ch. people, (given by T.L.s ) and  
1703 dissenters.

Jan<sup>y</sup> 1826.

Stabannon. Order for a Vestry to be summoned in Stabannon Parish to arrange Composition for tithe. 22 July, 1826

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His ass subsequently accepted.

" 1828. Archdeacon, enclosing letter from John Cooke Rogers asking for time re payment of some instalment from Stabannon. He would not compound without His Grace's consent.

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Memorial of Rev. Wm. Smith...  
to be expended on it. Income 2500 and 40 acres at 20/-  
1829.

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Tamlaght. Return of Schools c. 1825 by Rev. Isaac Ashe, with fuller particulars than those in Calendar Vol. I. p. 41.

IX. 153

Coagh School, opened April 14, 1823,  
Master, George Field, Churchman.  
Mistress, Sarah Downing, Churchwoman.  
50 boys and 50 girls.  
Get £20 each from Wm. Lenox Cunningham who app<sup>d</sup> them.  
Built by M. C. for £264.

Aughavey School, opened MAR. 1, 1824.  
Master, Wm. McEvey,  
39 boys, 17 girls, viz. 3 Prot., 8 Baptists,  
3 Cath., 37 Presb.  
Master paid by scholars. School held in an old barn.

Ballymoyle School, opened April 28, 1824.  
Master, Daniel Rice, R. C.  
18 boys, 12 girls, viz. 16 Presb. 14 R. C.  
Held in old barn 12 feet sq.

2 Sunday Schools, 1 in Ballymoyle held by George Rooney, Dissenter, & D<sup>r</sup>. Rice, R.C. attended by Prots. & R. C.  
& Coagh Church, attended by Church, Presb., R. C. all Ch. teachers.

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Tithe Comp. 1826.  
Comrs. Rev. Wm. Smith,  
Wm. Megaw, of Eary.  
Vestry offered Rev. Isaac Ashe £200 British, he refused.  
His son subsequently accepted.  
"Average of 7 years to 1821" = 216 Irish.  
Primate advised him not to accept.  
He replied he would not compound without His Grace's consent.

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Memorial of Rev. Isaac Ashe re Glebe house, £160 to be expended on it. Income £200 and 40 acres at 30/- 1829.

Tamlaght, cont.

1x. 159 Rev. Maxwell Carpendale writes for assistance, needs £200 for pressing liabilities. Dec. 27, 1845.

" 160 Rev. S. Twigg accepting it, 1856.

Tartaraghan. 1829. Sep. 27.

161 R. T. Boyle writes from Bushmills where he has been ordered by his doctor for rheumatism requesting that the Curacy of Tartaraghan be kept open for him, if he appoints a substitute.

162 Observations of the Archdeacon on the pleasant relations between Presbyterians and Churchpeople in Ballygawley and elsewhere.

" 163 Rev. D. Donaldson reports, Dec. 26, 1830, that he has held Evg. Services using the Liturgy in Derrylie Methodist Meetinghouse and has large congregations.

" 164 Mar. 28, 1840. Letter from Rev. David Donaldson, Curate, stating that as the new Church of Milltown is now built and his Rector has appd. Mr. Crossle its P. C. he does not think his services will be any longer required.

Mr. Clements' manner to him recently has not been as pleasant as heretofore, probably because he has not

agreed with the Rector's Millenarian views. He is ill, and the Primate grants him 3 months leave.

Termonfechin Union. Letters, dated 1825 and 1830, of Rev. John Kerr, giving information to settle Tithe Composition

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Termonfechin, cont.

to Rev. Jas. Jones, Chaplain. States that in 1825 there were 137 protestants in Termonfechin, 4 in Killogher, none in Mayne.

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Extract

from the Register Book of the Parish of

Termonfechin

for the year ending the 25th day of March,

1827.

Marriages.

1826. July 26th. By License. James Patterson, of the parish of Collon, and Mary Blackwood, of the Parish of Termonfechin.

1827. Jan<sup>ry</sup> 22. By License. George Henry Pentland, Esq<sup>re</sup> and Rebecca Brabazon, Spinster, both of the Parish of Termonfechin.

Baptisms.

1826. Aug. 11th. Samuel, son of Samuel and Margaret Kelly of Termonfechin.

1827. Jan<sup>ry</sup> 23. Jane, daughter of Thomas and Margaret Holmes of Clogher.

1827. Feb<sup>ry</sup> 18th. Edward, son of Charles and Mary Kelly of Tullyard.

1827. March 6. Mary, daughter of George and Harriet Hoey, of Termonfechin.

Termonfechin, cont. Extract from Register, cont.

Burials.

1826. Oct<sup>r</sup> 9th. Elizabeth Lee, of St. Peter's parish,  
Drogheda, aged

1826. Nov<sup>r</sup> 24th. Susan Roddy, of Ballyfadcock, aged 5 years.

1827. Feb<sup>r</sup> 15th. Hutchinson Hoey, of Termonfechin, 3 years  
& 9 months.

1827. March 2<sup>d</sup> Anne Lee, of the Parish of Colpe, aged 56  
years.

John Kerr - Curate of the Parish of  
Termonfechin.

Wallop Brabazon. Churchwarden.

ix. 169 Feb. 6, 1830. Arch<sup>d</sup>. on the dispute between Mr. Kerr,  
R. of Termonfechin & Killelogher and his Vestry, re  
Composition of tithe.

" 170 Rev. J. Kerr proposes to exchange with Rev. R. Maunsell  
of Inisloneagh, Lismore. Nov. 22, 1843.  
Seems not to have been effected.

Termonmaguirke. Schools (1824 ?).

171 Letter from Rev. Wm. Maclean.  
"I have just received a letter from Mr. Charles Beres-  
ford with a return of the Lay contributions in the  
Parish of Termon.

Sir Hugh Stewart contributes £2. per annum & Col.  
Verner £14. Col. Verner has also recently built two

Termonmaguirke, cont. Schools, cont.

school Houses at a cost of £120 each & given to each  
Master an acre & a half of land".

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Tithe Comp. 3 Dec., 1824. C. C. Beresford, R.  
Comrs nominated  
Rector's, Rev. Thos. Radcliff of Clonmethan,  
Vestry's, John Buchanan, of Bonerbar, near Omagh.

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1842. Letter of Rev. C. C. Beresford re site for new  
Church on lands of Mr. McCausland.

Tullaniskin. 1857. Letter from Rev. E. J. Causen, says he  
wishes to resign his Curacy (of Tullaniskin).

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Tullyallen. 1828. Archdeacon, re Union of Tullyallen &  
Mellifont, etc.

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1857. Rev. W. M. Beresford re costs of a Deed of  
Annuity from Col. Coddington to I. Mellifont.

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Tynan. Mr. Maclean thanks Primate for £100 sent by him for  
repairs of the School House and other expenses on the  
Middletown Estate. 9 June, 1840.

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1857. Cheque of £50 sent as Wedding Present to Emily  
F., 2nd dan. of Rev. Wm. Maclean, on her marriage to  
Rev. Geo. Tottenham; her letter of thanks, also her  
father's, and letter of R. L. Tottenham, bro. of George.

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Killylea. Rev. M. Maclean writes about the Stearne's  
Charity Bill.  
Speaks highly of Geo. Tottenham (his son-in-law)

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Tynan, cont.

17-187 Letter of Rev. G. J. O'Connell, 1851, enclosing a  
who declined Killylea. 26 July, 1858.

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Woods Chapel. Dr. Phelan says Rev. Ninian Steele wishes a Mr.

18-189 Miller to be ord. as his Curate. 1827.

? Does not seem to have been ord.

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" 2 letters of Rev. Launcelot Dowdall, (1) Sep. 14, 1842,  
wishes to go to England to visit his bro. for benefit  
of his health, broken down through opposition of a  
faction who objected to allocation of pews in the  
Gallery.

His father had been Hd. Master, Dungannon Roy. Sch.  
for 21 yrs. "when unmerited & unexpected disappointments  
preyed upon his spirits & unsettled his mind so that a  
premature death just after he had come into possession  
of the school estate" left him without provision for  
his family - viz. he & bro. (? John D., B.A.) now serv-  
ing a chapelry in the Dio. of Bath & Wells, & 2 sisters.

(2) Dec. 29, 1842, acquainting the Primate that just  
as he was leaving home & his substitute (? a Mr. Masga )  
had come to the hotel to take up duty, latter died from  
"an overdose of Laudanum".

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" Rev. L. Dowdall, explaining how there was no service on  
a Sunday, he had arranged for the duty and it was not  
taken. He encloses a cert. of Dr. Stokes that his  
brother, Rev. John Dowdall, was in an advanced state of  
disease, and prayed for leave of absence to be with him  
in Dublin. Jan. 17, 1844.

Woods Chapel. Letter of Rev. G. S. Green, 1861, enclosing a resolution of the Salters' Co. to which they adhere that when the Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> carry out their plan and build a Church costing £2700, they will pay £1000 towards the cost.

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In the County of South, no sensible com-  
position for tithes is made, either by the  
Incumbent, or the lay proprietor. In the  
Parish of Stone, the same course is pursued  
by both, & the same principle of valuation  
adopted. A view is annually taken both for  
the Rectorial & vicarial tithes. The Vicar  
estimates the quantity of arable & sown

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Lord Castlestuart, writes Nov. 6, 1840, that he has fitted up a Chapel at Stuart Hall for his tenantry and wishes to app<sup>t</sup> a Ch. Chaplain, but as most of them are Presbyterians he wishes to know if the Evg. Service could be conducted without a liturgy: extempore prayer, etc. Could his Grace license it?

Primate answers by sending him extracts from Acts of Uniformity in force showing he could not do so.

... a considerable one, before a bargain is struck between the Occupier & the Tithe owner. A preliminary note is then given for the amount finally agreed on, of which payment is not demanded until the ensuing harvest, & frequently does not take place, until the end of two years. The people seem to think that if tithes were abolished, a greater sum in proportion would be paid in lieu of it, in the shape of Rent. In the Parish of Bilsborrow, the great & small tithes amount to 1/2 or 2/3 of Irish Acre. There is, however, much pasture in the district, & the land under tillage is of an inferior kind. From the best information I can procure, the average of which, however, seems not from the variation in the reports, to be worth of being implicitly valued as) the average of tithes of Irish acre in the County of South is 1/2 or 2/3 - the average best of land of Irish Acre - Rectorial at 2/- tithes of acre are supposed to be highly rated. Where the land is prime, & chiefly under tillage, the tithes amount to 1/- & more. The instances may be regarded as very rare.

Tithe Composition 1824 Returns.

Parish.	Composition in lieu of tithes $\bar{p}$ . Acre.			Grand Jury Cess.
	1st quality.	2nd quality.	3rd quality.	
Ardee.	<p>In the County of Louth, no acreable composition for tithe is made, either by the Incumbent, or the Lay Impropiator. In the Parish of Ardee, the same course is pursued by both, &amp; the same principle of valuation adopted. A view is annually taken both for the Rectorial &amp; Vicarial tithes. The Viewer estimates the quantity of produce <math>\bar{p}</math> acre generally at a very low calculation &amp; then values the tithe, at the market price <math>\bar{p}</math> barrel. At the time of viewing the market price of corn is generally at the lowest rate during the year; &amp; a great advantage is usually allowed even on that price to the land occupier. Thus, if the market price of Wheat be 25/- <math>\bar{p}</math> barrel, the Viewer charges only 20/-; &amp; in the same proportion for other odd sums. In the parish of Kildemock, part of the Union of Ardee. Wheat was valued in 1823 at 20/- <math>\bar{p}</math> barr; &amp; computed at only 6, 7, &amp; seldom at 8 barr. <math>\bar{p}</math> acre. It rose in the course of the year to 38/ &amp; 40/- <math>\bar{p}</math> barr; &amp; was at the time of the view from 25/- to 27/- <math>\bar{p}</math> barrel. A further deduction is generally made from the Valuation, &amp; in some cases a considerable one, before a bargain is struck between the Occupier &amp; the Tithe proctor. A promissory note is then given for the amount finally agreed on, of which payment is not demanded until the ensuing harvest, &amp; frequently does not take place, until the end of two years. The people seem aware that if tithe were abolished, a greater sum in proportion would be paid in lieu of it, in the shape of Rent.</p> <p>In the Parish of Kildemock, the great &amp; small tithes amount to <math>\frac{2}{2}</math> or <math>\frac{2}{4}</math> <math>\bar{p}</math> Irish Acre. There is, however, much pasturage in the district, &amp; the land under tillage is of an inferior kind. From the best information I can procure, (the accuracy of which, however, seems not from the variation in the reports, to be worthy of being implicitly relied on) the average of <math>\frac{1}{4}</math> tithe <math>\bar{p}</math> Irish Acre in the County of Louth is <math>\frac{3}{6}</math> or <math>\frac{3}{9}</math> - the average Rent of land <math>\frac{2}{2}</math> <math>\bar{p}</math> Irish Acre - Parishes at 5/- tithe <math>\bar{p}</math> acre are supposed to be highly rated. Where the land is prime, &amp; chiefly under tillage, the tithe amounts to 7/- <math>\bar{p}</math> acre. The instances may be regarded as very rare.</p>			From 2/6 to 3/- $\bar{p}$ Irish Acre.



Tithe Composition 1824 Returns, cont.

Ardee Parish, cont.

Rent of land p Irish Acre.	1st Quality.	2nd Quality.	3rd Quality.	Average Rent of lands, tithe free.
3. 8. 3 to 4:11. 0 in small farms. In a large farm of generally good land, I am informed that 3½ p Irish acre wd., at the present prices, be considered as a losing bargain to the tenant. In an adjoining parish, the demesne of Louth Hall was lately taken, in small parcels at 7½ & 8½ p Irish Acre, for 7 years. It is supposed capable of producing 7 successive Crops to the tenants; an exhaustion which is permitted to them by their bargain. The usual rent of potatoe land manured, or of old Lea, is 8½ or 8 guineas p Irish acre.	£ 1. 15. 0 to	s. 10. 0 p Irish Acre.	25/- p acre.	From what I can collect from very discrepant testimony, 7 <sup>9</sup> or 8 <sup>7</sup> -extra at the least, wd <sup>d</sup> be demanded for land tithe free; the acreable tithe of which wd <sup>d</sup> average from 3/6 to 4 <sup>8</sup> /- p Irish acre, accord <sup>g</sup> to the established mode of valuation.

J. E. Jackson.

Glebe House, Ardee.

Tithe Composition 1824 Returns, cont.

Parish.	Tithe Comp. Irish Acres.	Grand Jury Cess. Do.	Rent per Acre State Irish or Eng.	Average Rent of land tithe free.
	s. d.	s. d.	1st qual- ity. 2nd. Do. 3rd Do.	
x. 2 Ardrea includ- ing Woods Chapel.	No.1. 2. 6. No.2. 1. 8. No.3. 2. 0. No.4. 3. 0.	4. 4. 2. 3. 2. 8. 2. 8.	£2. 5. 6. 22. 0. 0. 21. 14. 12. 1. 6. 0. 1. 2. 9. 15. 0. 2. 0. 0. 1. 14. 12. 3. 10. 0. 3. 0. 0. (Irish acres).	-
3 Ballin- derry.	2. 4.	From 2. 6. to 2. 8.	1. 6. 0. 1. 2. 9. 1. 0. 0. (Irish acres).	1. 10. 0. per acre.
A Beau- lieu.	About 3. 6.	Spring 1823 1: 10. Summer 1: 3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> . Spring 1824 2: 0 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> .	3. 8. 3. 2. 5. 6. 1. 14. - (Irish acres). (Irish acres).	No lands tithe free.
5 Bally- more.	2. 0.	4. 2. and 3. 0.	4. 0. 0. 2. 2. 0. 1. 10. 0. to to to 3. 3. 0. 1. 11. 6. 1. 5. 0. (English Measure).	1. 10. 0.
6 Castle- town.	May be about 2. 6.	3. 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> .	4. 0. 0. 3. 0. 0. 2. 0. 0. (Irish acres)	Mostly mountain- ous. Landlords charge about 3/- p. acre more than they would otherwise do.
7 Charles- town.	No Compos- ition yet. May be 3. 6. Average last 7 years 5. 0.	From 1. 3. to 1. 6. half yearly.	3. 3. 0. 2. 10. 0. 2. 0. 0. but if in very small farms averages £1 an acre higher than above.	No land tithe free.

Tithe Composition 1824 Returns, cont.

Parish.	Tithe Comp. Irish Acres.	Grand Jury Cess, do.	Rent per Acre State Irish or Eng.			Average Rent of land tithe free.
			1st quality.	2nd Do.	3rd Do.	
8 Clon- keen.	s. d. No Compos- ition.  About 3. 6. p. acre.	s. d. 2. 8½.	2. s. d. 3. 0. 0. to 5. 0. 0.	2. s. d. 2. 10. 0. to 3. 0. 0.	2. s. d. 1. 5. 0. to 2. 10. 0.	£. s. d. No land tithe free.
			(Irish acres).			
9 Derry- loran.	Less than 1. 6.	4. 3½.	3. 8. 3. to 3. 0. 0.	1. 14. 1½. and 1. 10. 0.	1. 2. 9. and 1. 0. 0.	1. 14. 1½. and some 2. 0. 0.
			near town  other places 2. 0. 0.			
10 Dysert- lyn.	2. 0½.	2. 4½.	2. 6. 0.	1. 12. 0.	0. 10. 0.	No land tithe free.
			(Irish acres).			
11 Donagh- endry.	2. 0. to 1. 7½.	3. 4. to 3. 8.	2. 10. 0.	1. 10. 0.	1. 2. 9.	No Grange land in this par- ish.
12 Drum- glass.	1. 4 per acre English.	3. 4. per acre English.	Estate No. 1. 2. 10. 0. No. 2. 1. 10. 0. No. 3. 1. 15. 0.	Do. Do. Do. 1. 5. 0. Do. 1. 8. 0.	Do. Do. Do. 15. 0. 2. 9. 0. Do. 1. 5. 0.	No land free unless bog late- ly re- claimed.
			No. 4. 1. 14. 0.	Do. 1. 5. 0.	Do. 1. 0. 0.	
			(English measure).			

Tithe Composition 1824 Returns, cont.

Parish.	Tithe Comp. Irish Acres.	Grand Jury Cess. do.	Rent per Acre State Irish or Eng.			Average Rent of land tithe free.
			1st quality.	2nd Do.	3rd Do.	
Errigle-keerogue & Pomeroy.	No Composition.	8 <sup>d</sup> per acre Irish measure.	12: 6 p. acre English measure.			No land tithe free.
			Pomeroy Parish.			

No Composition. 3. 8. average. £1: 10. pr. acre. £1: 16: 0. Errigle Parish.

144 Faughart. 1. 6. to 4. 0. 1. 9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. to 2. 0<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. From £2. to 4. 11. 0.

15 The amount of the Tithes of the Parish of Faughart in the Diocese of Armagh recd. by the Rector In the year 1821 was £193. 8. 5.

Do. 1822 do. 117. 19. 1.

Do. 1823 do. 208. 13. 10.

520. 3. 4.

County Cess paid by said Parish

In 1821 was 113. 1. 6 )  
 In 1821 do. 132. 15. 6 )  
 In 1823 do. 140. 6. 1 ) 406: 3. 1.  
 114. 0. 3.

The Rector for the three last years has received for the Whole Tithe of his Parish only one fifth more than his said Parish has paid County Cess.

The amount of Tithes per acre in 1821 was 0. 2. 9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>.

Do of County Cess in 1821 was 0. 2. 1.  
 Tithe do. 1822 0. 1. 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.  
 County Cess in 1822 0. 1. 9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>.  
 Tithe in 1823 0. 2. 11.  
 County Cess in 1823 0. 1. 11<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

Tithe Composition 1824 Returns, cont.

Parish.	Tithe Comp. Irish Acres.	Grand Jury Cess. do.	Rent per Acre State Irish or Eng.			Average Rent of land tithe free.
			1st quality.	2nd Do.	3rd Do.	
16 Fork- ill.	s. d. 1. 3.	s. d. 1. 8.	£. s. d. 1. 0. 0.	£. s. d. 0. 14. 0.	£. s. d. 0. 7. 6.	No Land Tithe free.
	Eng- lish acres.	Eng- lish acres.	(English acres).			
17 Heins- town.	Half of parish at 7. 3. the rest at 2. 6. per barr. Wheat 1. 6 do. Barley, 1. 0 do. Oats.	3. 11. 4. 11.	5. 0. 0.	3. 10. 0.	2. 10. 0.	No Land tithe free.
19 Killis- hill.	1. 0. per Eng. acre.	1. 5. per Irish acre.	1. 0. 0.	0. 17. 0.	0. 14. 0.	No Land tithe free.
			(English acres).			
20 Killin- coole.	$\frac{1}{3}$ of parish let at 7. 3. remain- der at 2. 6 per Barr <sup>l</sup> Wheat. 1. 6 per do. Barley. 1. 0. per do. Oats.	3. 9.	4. 11. 0.	3. 10. 0.	2. 10. 0.	No Land tithe free.
21 Lough- gall.	1. 8 to 9 <sup>d</sup> per Eng. acre.	3. 2. Eng. acres.	1. 10. 0 to 2. 0. 0.	1. 0. 0. to 1. 8. 0.	0. 16. 0. to 1. 6. 0.	No land tithe free.
			(English acres).			

Tithe Composition 1824 Returns, cont.

Parish.	Tithe Comp. Irish Acres.	Grand Jury Cess. do.	Rent per Acre			Average Rent of land tithe free.
			State	Irish or Eng.		
			1st quality.	2nd Do.	3rd Do.	

s. d.                      s. d.                      2. s. d.                      2. s. d.                      2. s. d.                      2. s. d.

*X. 22* Louth. No Compo-  
sition but  
4. 0 p  
acre  
average  
income.

Barony of Louth  
do. Ardee  
do. Dun-  
calk

3. 3. 0.    2. 15. 0.    2. 2. 0

3. 3 1/2.  
2. 8 1/4.  
4. 11.

(Irish acres).

3. 0. 0.  
2. 2. 0.  
2. 10. 0.

*23* Magherafelt. From 1. 0. to 2. 2.

About 0. 17. 0.

About 1. 5. 0.

About 1. 15. 0.

No lands tithe free.

(Irish acres).

*24* Tullyniskin. About 1. 3. per English acre.

2. 7. or 2. 8. per English acre.

Average about £1. 1. 0 per English acre.

No land tithe free.

Letters of Rev. J. Kennedy Bailie, 1844, pp. 5

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Rev. Mr. Esolish, a previous Minister of Greenfield, who owing to some private affairs does not affect his usual character desires to take ministerial service in Ireland.

The Primate suggests that he ought to try England where he has friends.

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Letter, Feb. 3, 1844, from Rev. J. K. Bailie, enclosing one from Rev. G. H. English who had been a

Acton & Clare. Rev. M. O'Sullivan re Townland of Shansgligh  
x 25 (which he wished to be annexed to Acton) and Corresarnagh  
(which he wished to be annexed to Clare). No legal way  
of doing it now, but the Curates could take charge of  
them. 1858.

Archdeaconry. May 26, 1843.

26 Letter of Primate to Duke of Wellington re a demand by  
27 Lord Monteagle in the Lords for the production of papers  
28 concerning the Archdeaconry and its union of parishes:  
its object being to blame Lord de Grey for not severing  
the parishes in the Union when Dr. Stokes was app'd at  
the last vacancy.

Primate defends Lord de Grey and says he himself  
was a party to the matter and offered to state the cir-  
cumstances.

Ballymore. The Duke in an autograph letter asked for particu-  
lars which the Primate sent.

Ballymore parish, stating that a sum was levied on the  
parish to pay the Taxes, of First Fruits the Annual

Ardree, etc. Letters of Rev. J. Kennedy Baillie, 1844, re a

29 Rev. Mr. Rudolph, a Moravian Minister of Gracefield,  
6 who owing to some dispute which does not affect his  
32 moral character desires to take Ministerial Service  
in Ireland.

The Primate suggests that he ought to try England  
Ballymore where he has friends.

33 Letter, Feb. 2, 1844, from Rev. J. K. Baillie,  
34 enclosing one from Rev. G. H. Rudolph who had been a  
Year Grace had been presented to me a sum exceeding

Ardree, cont.

Moravian Minister at Gracefield in Ardree parish but owing to some dispute had left it and is desirous of entering the Estab. Ch. as a Minister. He had been educated at the Moravian College in Germany.

Armaghbreague. Rev. D. Donaldson thanks Primate for £18

X. 35 received, April 29, 1848.

His congregation at midday last Easter was 231, Communicants 126. Is thinking of buying a seraphine to help the psalmody. Mr. Douglas of Mountainlodge will give £5 and himself £5.

Not answered.

Ballymore. Letter, 4 Sep., 1829, signed by David Hutcheon and P. McConnell, Tanderagee, on behalf of Landholders in Ballymore parish, stating that a sum was levied on the parish to pay the Treas. of First Fruits the Annual Instalment of £1500 advanced in 1812 to build the Church and this collected sum was embezzled. Asking for a return of the sums actually received by the Board of F. F.

Ballymoyer. 1840.

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Rev. Gilbert Percy writes to the Primate for a loan of £40 to pay demands made upon him which he cannot meet "Your Grace had once presented to me a sum exceeding



Ballymoyer, cont.

this" - offers to repay it at £10 per time.

Primate sent him £40 for which he returns thanks.

- no note of repayment found!

Mr. Prentice to Primate, April 7, 1843, re Lady Caledon.

X-39. Caledon's plans for building the Church, and townlands to be included in Perp. Cure.

44 Lord Caledon writes that he wishes his Schools to be put under Ch. Educ. Society and will subscribe £5 annually to the Society. 1843.

Clergy Widows. July, 1849.

40-41 2 letters of Edward Stopford, Bp. of Meath, re Widows A vacancy in Drogheda. Recommends Mrs. Burton "a very respectable person" whose son he helped through College and intended ordaining in Sept<sup>r</sup>, and a dau. educ. in Clergy Daughters' School.

1843. Letter of Rev. J. S. Jackson thanking the Primate on behalf of his family for the memorial window erected by Primate to his father the Dean.

- Dr. Vissell, A. of Ballymoyer, is seriously ill, his family and his Curate Mr. Busher down with typhus fever.

Letter to Primate from Leonard Dobbin on behalf of the citizens

Rev. Wm. Phelan, Jan., 1825. Controverts Messrs. Jackson and  
X 42 Allott's theories that subscription of the 39 Articles  
should be required for lay Communion. He holds that  
the Creeds are sufficient, and thinks Jackson is too  
much inclined to the Romish view of Tradition

Dr. Radcliff, resigning the office of Vicar General. Dec. 7,  
43 1842.

Prerogative Court. 19 July, 1843.

44 John Hawkins, Reg<sup>r</sup>, and Anthony John Hawkins, Dep. Reg<sup>r</sup>  
acquaint the Primate with the death of Dr. Radcliff,  
Judge of the Court, "which took place yesterday" (18  
July), and requesting him to give a Com<sup>o</sup> to carry on  
during the vacancy as was done by Primate Stuart on  
the death of Dr. Duigenan.

Granted.

Armagh. Printed Obituary of Very Rev. J. E. Jackson, Dean,  
45  
46 from Gent.'s Mag., Nov., 1841, sent to the Primate by  
his son J. E. Jackson.

1843. Letter of Rev. J. E. Jackson thanking the Primate on behalf  
47 of his family for the Memorial Window erected by Primate  
to his father the Dean.

Mr. Tisdall, R. of Ballinderry, is seriously ill,  
his family and his Curate Mr. Ussher down with typhus  
fever.

Letter to Primate from Leonard Dobbin on behalf of the citizens  
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of Armagh, asking him to use his influence to prevent the Army Headquarters Staff (after being 40 yrs. in Armagh) being removed to Belfast, and the Headquarters of the Line being removed to Newry. States the Barracks were built in 1774 by Primate Robinson and presented to the King Geo. III. who said they should never want a Regiment of the Head Quarters. 1843. 16 Oct., 1843.

1845. July 3. Mr. Paton to Primate re domestic matters. Mentions Baxter at work on the Library "doing his work uncommonly well so far, the front next the Cathedral will be very handsome".

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Incorporated Society Schools.  
The Railway Newry to Armagh is to be commenced 1845. Letter of Rev. Miss Fochter, advising me at once.  
From Rev. I. Michl April, Dec. of 1845, saying Rev. Moffatt, Cathedral, Armagh, has been licensed, and the

June, 1852. Letter from George Lestrangle, Dublin Castle, re Elections in Cavan and Leitrim. "The general opinion is that the tenants will not desert their landlords".

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be killed for those from the other schools who are Natural Hist. Soc. Armagh.

Letter of Mr. Paton, 1852, sending a vote of thanks passed for His Grace's Liberality in Expending from £200 to £300 on the building.

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R. C. Controversy.

1852. Printed List of Questions addressed to the Roman Catholics of Co. Louth, issued by Rev. Chas. Miller, R. of Ballymakenny.

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Cutting of Trees on Glebes. Opinion of Mr. Ferguson, K.C., that

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an Incumbent who plants (and registers) trees on his

Glebe has a right to out them.

Case of Rev. J. Staples. 1857.

Primate Robinson's Fund. Copy of Opinion of Counsel (Mr. Martley)

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advising the Board to add the dividends of this Fund to Boulter's Fund, and use it with Boulter's for Augmentation of poor livings. 1858.

SCHOOLS.

Incorporated Society Schools. 1843. Letter of Rev. Elias Thackeray, enclosing one from (Rev.) Michl Ardill, Sec. of Soc., saying Rev. -- Moffatt, Catechist, Athlone, has been dismissed; and the Inc. of St. Peter's in which parish Ranelagh is, was app<sup>d</sup> Catechist at £20 p. an. Mr. Thackeray suggests that Santry (which has sent forth many excellent teachers) be utilised for those from the other Schools that are re-elected to train them for teachers.

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Also it seems the system of election of pupils by exam<sup>n</sup> not by favour or affection was his suggestion.

58 University at Armagh proposed.

59 Copy of letter to Mr. Goulburn.

(in full).

My dear Sir,

I think it right that you should be made acquainted with the views of the Orthodox party of the Synod of Ulster with regard to the education of Candidates for

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(in full) their Ministry. I therefore enclose you a letter from  
a Mr. Cook the leading member of that party. It was  
addressed to Dr. Miller of this place in answer to an  
enquiry he made, whether the Synod would connect itself  
with a College supposing one was established in Armagh,  
under the Government of the established Church, but  
having a Professor of theology for the education of  
Candidates for the Presbyterian Ministry.

It appears to me that Mr. Cook's concluding  
observations are deserving of your attention, and that  
unless some means are taken to provide the means of  
home education for the Presbyterian Youth they will be  
sent to the Belfast Institution notwithstanding the  
objections which lie against the religious principles  
of its Professors - I have got a prospectus for a  
University of Armagh, and an estimate of the necessary  
expenditure, but though this has been a favorite object  
with many of my predecessors I am unwilling to trouble  
you with details until I know in what manner a proposal  
of the kind would be met by his Majesty's Gov<sup>t</sup>

I request you to consider Mr. Cook's letter as strictly  
confidential as the avowal of such sentiments as he has  
expressed would be injurious to him with many persons  
among the Presbyterians.

Private.

Dublin Castle,  
July 18th, 1826.

My dear Lord,

I return to Your Grace Mr. Cooke's letter which of  
course I shall consider to have been communicated to me

(in  
full)

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(in full)

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quite confidentially. It involves two important questions - what means of domestic education shall be provided for the Presbyterian Ministers of Ireland - & whether it be possible to combine in one establishment the education of the Clergy of the Church of Ireland and that of the Presbyterian. The first question has been to a degree referred to the Commissioners of education. I know they have had much examination unto the state of the Belfast Institution & the possibility of rendering it adequate to the political & religious education of Presbyterians & it would as it appears to me be premature to give any decided opinion as to the possibility of correcting the former vices of that Establishment until we are aware of what the result of that examination may be. - As far as regards my own wishes & feelings I should be most anxious to unite by every possible means the members of the Church & those of the Presbyterian body & if the latter generally approved of a joint system of education it would be with me a strong argument for adopting it. But if the desire of such a system was only entertained by a limited number of the Presbyterian body, its advantage would appear to me more questionable. It might tend to divide instead of uniting the two bodies & by increasing disunion expose them more to the attacks of their common enemies. What might be the feelings of the Government on such a question I have no means at present of knowing the subject of a College at Armagh not having been as far as I am aware ever under discussion - I should say that

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at the present moment of financial difficulty a proposition for a new College would meet with little encouragement. It would be said that a small grant to the Belfast Institution with some controul over its government might be equally effectual for the purposes of education & must of course be less expensive than the creation of an entirely new establishment - and I think moreover that there would be an unwillingness to encourage a College which might in some degree be considered as detracting from Trinity College in Dublin - I mention this however merely as my own idea of what the feeling of the Government in England might be. When I return I will privately mention the subject to Lord Liverpool and as we shall by that time probably be in possession of the report of the Commissioners of education we shall be better able to discuss the comparative advantages of the proposed College of Armagh.

Believe me

My dear Lord

Ever most truly yours

Henry Goulburn.

1836. Royal School, Armagh.

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Dr. Miller's Annual Report. 19 Mar., 1836.

13 boarders

21 day scholars.

Assistants. - Mason Mulligan, at £150 and board.

Wm. Smith, Jun<sup>r</sup> Classical Asst., £40.

Edward Parkinson, Writing Master, £40.

Charge for boarders reduced from 45 guineas to 35.

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Annual Contributions, etc.

No date, c. 1840.

(in full)

Annual Contributions in support of Scriptural Education by landed proprietors in the Diocese of Armagh, as returned by the Parochial Clergy.

Colonel Verner,	56.	-	-
Alex <sup>r</sup> Hamilton, Esqr.	8.	-	-
John Reed, Esqr.	4.	-	-
Doctor Ryan	3.	-	-
Earl of Ranfurley & Lord Northland	11.	-	-
Earl of Charlemont	39.	3.	-
Joseph Goff, Esqr.	24.	-	-
Major Villias Blackhall	15.	-	-
J. King, Esqr.	2.	-	-
A. McKenzie, Esqr.	5.	-	-
Mess <sup>rs</sup> Brown	3.	-	-
A. Colhoun, Esqr.	2.	-	-
W. Filgate, Esqr.	6.	3.	-
Rev <sup>d</sup> A. Montgomery	3.	-	-
Fortescue, Esqr.	2.	10.	-
Boothe, Esqr.	2.	10.	-
Marquis of Londonderry & Sir R. Bateson	71.	-	-
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	257.	6.	-



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Annual Contributions, etc. cont.

(in full).

Amount brought over	257.	6.	-.
Sir James Strong	2.	-.	-.
Thomas Fortescue, Esqr.	53.	-.	-.
Mrs. McClelland	6.	-.	-.
Lord Castlestewart	42.	9.	-.
Lord Gosford	45.	10.	-.
A. Cope, Esqr.	5.	-.	-.
Mr. J. Greer	4.	-.	-.
A. McCreight, Esqr., as Trustee	47.	3.	-.
Colonel Close	75.	-.	-.
Lord Powerscourt	109.	-.	-.
Lord Cremorne	10.	-.	-.
W. S. Magee, Esqr.	13.	-.	-.
Trustees of Bishop Stearn's Charities	88.	-.	-.
Lord Ferrard Esqr.	20.	-.	-.
Baron Foster Esqr.	10.	-.	-.
E. Singleton, Esqr. Esqr.	2.	-.	-.
Lady Bellingham Esqr.	5.	-.	-.
Hunt Chambre, Esqr.	2.	-.	-.
Sir Hugh Stewart	28.	6.	-.
Miss French	2.	-.	-.
Lady Hazard	2.	2.	-.
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	836.	16.	-.

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(in full).			
Annual Contributions, etc. cont.			
(in full).			
Amount brought over	836.	16.	--
Annesley, Esqr.	6.	6.	--
Lowry, Esqr.	3.	12.	--
W. M. Bond, Esqr.	5.	--	--
Miss Thompson	10.	--	--
Miss Reynell	3.	--	--
Lord Roden	5.	--	--
Mr. Shekleton	7.	--	--
Mrs. Reed	2.	--	--
Mr. Johnstone	4.	--	--
Mr. Murphy	8.	--	--
James Eastwood, Esqr.	6.	--	--
M. Fortescue, Esqr.	27.	--	--
Bolton Clive, Esqr.	5.	--	--
Faithful Fortescue, Esqr.	14.	4.	--
Charles Douglas, Esqr.	4.	--	--
Jackson Lloyd, Esqr.	2.	--	--
John Cupbage, Esqr.	2.	2.	--
Sir Thomas Staples	3.	--	--
Edw <sup>d</sup> J. C. Caulfield, Esqr.	5.	--	--
Rev <sup>d</sup> George Stewart	4.	--	--
J. Little, Esqr.	2.	10.	--
The Misses Richardson	28.	--	--
	993.	10.	--

Schools, cont.

Schools, cont. Annual Contributions, etc. cont.

(in full).

Amount brought over	993. 10. -.
(in full)	
Archbishop of Armagh	45. -. -.
Marcus Synnott, Esqr.	23. 11. 10.
G. P. Mathewson, Esqr.	2. -. -.
Mrs. Kelly	5. -. -.
Lord Mandeville	641. 13. 10.
The Drapers' Company	15. 5. 0.
Tho <sup>s</sup> Wilson, Esqr.	20. -. -.
Henry Prentice, Esqr.	5. -. -.
Roger Hall, Esqr.	21. -. -.
Charles Fox, Esqr.	10. -. -.
John Irwin, Esqr.	10. -. -.
Sir Thomas Molyneux, Bart., Francis Molyneux, Esqr.	25. 5. -.
Mrs. & Miss Cope	26. -. -.
Mrs. Hardy	8. -. -.
Rowley Miller, Esqr.	10. -. -.
John McClintock, Esqr.	40. -. -.
-- Thompson, Esqr.	30. -. -.
Trinity College	5. -. -.
Parish of Armagh	36. 3. 0.
Mrs. Young	6. -. -.
J. C. Mourtray, Esqr.	5. -. -.
Mrs. Leslie	4. 11. 0.
Corporation of Drogheda	63. -. -.
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	2048. 16. 10.

Schools, cont.

Annual Contributions, etc. cont.

(in full).

Amount brought over	2048. 16. 10.
St. G. Smith, Esq <sup>re</sup>	7. 7. -.
T. B. Hardman, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	4. 4. -.
H. B. Coddington, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	3. 3. -.
John Godley, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	2. 2. -.
T. B. Balfour, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	43. 16. 11.
J. Singleton, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	9. 4. 7.
Ralph Smith, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	3. 3. -.
Henry Smith, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	5. 5. -.
Francis Donagh, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	3. 3. -.
Wm. Meade Smith, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	4. 12. 3.
The Earl of Caledon	33. - . -.
The Misses Hall	4. - . -.
Sundry Contributions from 1. 10. to 10/-	54. 15. 1.
F. W. Leland, Esq <sup>r</sup> .	2. 2. 0.
Mess <sup>rs</sup> Wolsley & Co.	3. 3. 0.
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J. Barr	10. - . -.
G. S. Manges	14. - . -.
Wm. Maclean	8. - . -.
Hamilton Middel	2. - . -.
Robt. Miller	2. - . -.
Miss Miller	20. - . -.
Miss Miller	10. - . -.

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(in full). Annual Contributions, etc. cont.  
 Clerical Contributions.

His Grace the Archbishop of Armagh	200.	..	..
Rev <sup>d</sup> Charles Alexander	30.	..	..
Robt. Atkinson	1.	..	..
Doctor Atkinson	7.	..	..
Doctor Bardin	5.	..	..
Wm. Barlow	22.	..	..
Doctor Buck	5.	..	..
Doctor Blacker	100.	..	..
Hon <sup>ble</sup> & Rev. Francis Clements	10.	4.	..
Rev <sup>d</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Carpendale	10.	..	..
Edw <sup>d</sup> Chichester	20.	..	..
James Disney	5.	..	..
David Donaldson	1.	..	..
Launcelot Dowdall	1.	..	..
Arthur Ellis	25.	..	..
M. Enraght	1.	..	..
Wm. Foster	10.	..	..
Edw <sup>d</sup> Grooms	5.	..	..
Henry Griffen	5.	..	..
F. L. Gore	6.	..	..
R. H. Horner	5.	..	..
James Jones	38.	..	..
Royal School, Armagh. June 19, 1850.	2.	..	..
C. K. Irwin	1.	..	..
W. J. Irwin	5.	10.	..
R. Kingsmore	1.	..	..
Wm. Knox	10.	..	..
J. Kerr	14.	..	..
G. S. Mangan	8.	..	..
Wm. Maclean	2.	..	..
Hamilton Madden	2.	..	..
Robt. Miller	30.	..	..
Silver Oliver	10.	..	..
Rich <sup>d</sup> Olpherts			

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Clerical Contributions, cont.

(in full)

Amount brought over	597.	14.	--
Rev <sup>d</sup> L. H. Robinson	2.	--	--
Stephen Radcliff	3.	--	--
Doctor Stewart	12.	--	--
Henry Stewart	2.	--	--
Sam <sup>l</sup> Simpson	3.	--	--
A. G. Stewart	2.	--	--
Edw <sup>d</sup> Taylor	2.	--	--
Sam <sup>l</sup> Twigg	1.	1.	--
Tho <sup>s</sup> Twigg	6.	3.	--
H. U. Tighe	12.	--	--
Elias Thackeray	73.	9.	2.
W. Williams	1.	--	--
Rich <sup>d</sup> Verschoyle	4.	--	--
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	721.	7.	2.

Royal School, Armagh. June 15, 1850.

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Letter of W. H. Guillemard, Head Master, thanking Primate for his interest in the school, and his offer to repair Corridor.

Mentions 2 pupils that got prizes, Carson - of Armagh,

Rutherford - of Carlingford.

Also Letter of Aug. 19, 1856,

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47 boys entered on list, of whom 44 are Boarders, including "Lord Gough's grandson young Supple".

Schools, cont.

x. 64 1836. Jan., 27.

Long letter from Rev. Elias Thackeray, re National Schools in his Rural Deanery.

Refers to the "1st Anniversary of Dundalk Institution having been held to-day" and to its usefulness.

Had a visit from Mrs. Jones wife of Rector of Dunany, wishing her husband to be allowed again undertake duty,

pointed out that if he came back an investigation would have to be held. She was not held in more respect than

her husband at Castlebellingham. Lady Bellingham was educating one of her boys at Dundalk Institution.

Agitation against payment of tithes.

65 1844. Rev. Elias Thackeray about Dr. Moffatt and Ranelagh School.  
1856. Jan.

66 Letter from Rev. Elias Thackeray re Rev. Mr. Browne from whose National Schools two boys won foundation Scholarships in Farra School.

73 Incorporated Society Schools.

67 Rev. J. H. Stubbs to the Primate, 26 April, 1855.

Speaks of the great advance in Mathematical Scholarship especially in the boarding schools of the Society. The

masters had a good Classical education and teach Greek and Latin. Pupils are prepared direct from them for

T. C. D. He instances the man app<sup>d</sup> Head Master Poccocke Sch. in 1853, 17 years ago he was adm. to Dundalk Inst.

as a founder, when his time expired was retained as Asst. Master, later made Senior Master, had entered

T. C. D. and got his degree from that school.

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Schools, cont.

Incorporated Society, 1858.

X. 68 Rev. Richard Ardill, Sec., having died, a meeting of the Society was called to consider remuneration. Primate wrote that the Soc. should review its scale of expenditure which seems disproportionate to its income.

The following applications for Sec. came to the Primate.

69 Rev. Thos. Rooke, M.A., Curate of Monkstown and  
Chapl. to E. of Donoughmore.

70 Rev. Wm. de Burgh, B.D., 30 yrs. in Orders (all in  
Dub. except 1½ yrs.) P. C. St. John's, Sandymount.

71 Rev. Chas. Sleater, Chapl. to Killiney since 1828,  
also Chapl. Rathdown Workhouse for ten years past.

" March, 1840. Rev. W. Maclean (who seems to have been Dio.  
72 Inspector) says the schools under the Armagh Dio. Educ.  
Soc. number 171. On Rolls, 13970, viz. prots. 9055,  
R. C. 4915.

" Rev. Wm. McClean, Tynan, writes, 1843, saying he had  
73 suggested to Lord Mandeville to put his schools under  
Ch. Educ. Soc.

Also re rooms in College which the Primate  
promised to Dr. Bardin's sons.

" The Primate to the Secs. Ch. Educ. Soc., deprecates the  
74 passing of any resolution - as proposed - declining  
75 to receive any aid from Government were it offered.  
Jan. 21, 1842.

" Dunleer. C. Le P. Trench, R. of Dunleer, writes Primate  
76 objecting to the new system of Nat. Education and  
offering to give up yearly such portion of his income



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as His Grace needed to carry on Scriptural Education.  
Dec. 31, 1831.

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Primate replies on Jan. 3, 1832, and refers to his offer being published in the D. E. Mail and a par. evidently written by Trench saying the Primate "has fully determined that the Clergy of the Est. Ch. would be wanting in faithfulness if they administered directly or indirectly" the new system of Nat. Ed., which the Primate warmly denies.

He says Mr. Trench's offer is very generous, but he alone not the Primate could charge his income, and suggests that the Parish of Dunleer should be considered first in the matter of Education. A keen hit.

Trench apologises and does not intend to proceed further!

Church Education Society.

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Feb. 9, 1860. Long letter (20 sheets of notepaper closely written) of the Bp. of Ossory remonstrating with the Primate because he has changed his policy of 40 years and advised that the Ch. Educ. Soc. give up its small and inefficient schools and allow them connect with the National Board, and only retain its larger Schools.

Primate in reply, says he has weighed the question carefully and from reports of his own Inspector, whom he has paid £100 a year, sees that the schools are deteriorating and that the Schoolhouses are not generally kept in a proper state. Nothing but additional funds could help them out of this discreditable state, and the Govt. will give nothing. He has himself spent about a £1000 a year;

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but the leading landed proprietors have failed to contribute. So he sees no other way but the course he proposes.

X-80 Rev. H. J. Newman, Cork, requests the Primate to present an Education Petition signed by 180 Clergy of Cork dio. 1842.

81 Lord St. Germans to Primate on the Schools Commission. 1854.

82 Endowed Schools Report. Mr. Irwin at work revising it. 1857.

83 June, 1859. Letter of Bp. of Down to Primate, re Losses of Clergy Sons School, Lucan, (and Printed Prospectus of same).

86 Primate does not think it advisable to go on maintaining such an inst<sup>n</sup>. It cannot compete with Royal and Endowed Schools, which give Exhibitions, etc.

Better to aid the Clergy in sending their sons to such.

87 Rev. Rob. Hogg, Head Master, Carrickmacross Gram. Sch., writes to the Primate, Oct. 26, 1842, reporting the success of his School after being 2. yrs. there; has now 21 boarders, 20 day Scholars.

88 Enclosed Printed Prospectus, which states he had been 2nd Master of Dungannon Sch. before 1840, and previously taught at the Feinaiglian Inst<sup>n</sup>, Luxembourg.

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His Grace sends £20 for some object to Dr. Elrington.

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Dr. Elrington refers to Mr. Prior's School, (Royal School, Cavan). A new master there. The Dean of Ardagh seemed to have taken upon himself absolute power, which the other Trustees now objected to as injurious to the school.

Ecc. Comrs. wanted to take See House of Cashel for 5 years. Nov. 19, 1842.

" Royal School, Cavan.

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Notification by E. Littleton, Dublin Castle, 15 Dec., 1833, to R. Henry Southwell, Esq., of the App<sup>t</sup> of Rev. Wm. Prior Moore as Head Master in room of his father, old and infirm. As there was no power to superannuate the father objected to resign till they agreed to appoint the son who was well recommended, but before his patent was made out there was a rumour that he had headed an Orange procession - the sin of sins to the Govt. of the day! It was found however that he was not an Orangeman; but last 12th July he while walking out fell in with an Orange Procession and walked to town with some friends in it, but was instrumental in getting them to play the National Anthem instead of party tunes.

Mr. Fowell Buxton a friend of the family recommended him.

" March 21, 1834. George Bp. of Eilmore to primate re Cavan School.

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(in full).

Eilmore, March 21, 1834.

My Dear Lord Primate, I inclose you a copy of a Letter received from Mr. Secretary Littleton by Mr. Southwell in answer to a representation he made on Mr. Moore's

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Schools, cont.

appointment to Cavan School. Mr. Buxton was educated in Ireland & I suppose at Mr. Moore's school at Donebrook. I don't suppose Mr. Buxton would have dared to have made such a recommendation in England, but any thing is good enough for us. Mr. Moore Jun. said his Patent was stopped because he refused to vote for Crampton at the College Election, & I am told that he said so on oath before the Commissioners of inquiry into the Corporations, which he or the Secretary tells truth I can't tell but I am affraid that the School which has suffered thirty years under the Father, is likely to suffer as many under the son.

I understand your Grace goes to Dublin after Easter. I intend being there about that time would it not be a good time to settle the accounts of Wilson's Hospital. Before I got your last, I was conducting myself in the manner you mention to me what I ought to do. I have nothing more on the subject I am yours faithfully

George Kilmore.

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" Rev. Mortimer O'Sullivan writes from the College (? Roy. Sch.), Dungannon, July 24, 1830, says he has adventured re-opening of the school and would like to keep it till May as his Curate can do duty at Killyman. Says there is a Fund from a Legacy of Rev. Richard Daniel from which by a certif. of the Diocesan Mrs. Phelan (as a clergyman's widow) can get £20 a year. The trustees are the Lord Chancellor and Lord Chief Justice.

- " Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite, July 18, 1842,

93 refers to his brother-in-law Mr. Ringwood who was app<sup>d</sup>

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to Dungannon School. He had been Asst. to C. when he kept a boarding School several years, and had been in a School in London. C. speaks highly of his attainments and character.

" Royal School, Dungannon. Jan. 5, 1831.

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Letter of Dr. Elrington, stating that he thought His Grace's selection of Mr. Darley as Head Master a good one, seeing he could not get an Englishman of high qualifications, which might have prevented so many going to English schools. He says Darley's "great hesitation of speech under wh. he labours" has not prevented the public from sending their children to him at Dundalk where he was successful.

Mentions Dr. Gwynne (too old) and Mr. Grahame of Waterford who were probably candidates.

" Royal School, Dungannon.

95 Mr. Darley thanks the Primate for appointing him Head Master. Jan. 8, 1831.

" Royal School, Dungannon. Jan. 17, 1831.

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Allocating £400 for a Master as Locum tenens to Dr. Dowdall now a lunatic.

Rev. Mr. O'Sullivan was evidently a Locum tenens and handed over sch. residence for Mr. Darley in 1831.

His bro (Rev. ?) John Dowdall acted as Committee for Rev. L. D. during his lunacy.

letter's scholarship

Dowdall had suggested the exchange,

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Royal School, Dungannon. 1831.

Letters of Mr. W. G. Quin and Dr. Radcliff re Mr. Murray  
(bro. of Dean of Ardagh), Agent to the school Estate.  
Tenants in arrears.

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" 1842. Dr. Todd writes the Primate that Dr. Sidney Smith,  
R. of Aghalurcher, late Fell. T.C.D., has been approached  
by Mr. Darley to exchange his living for Dungannon School.  
Todd says he was an old schoolfellow and recommends him.  
Says however his opinions are "Evangelical" and inclined  
to Calvinism.

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Dr. Smith however writes to the Primate that he  
has changed his mind and would not take Dungannon Sch.

" Royal School, Dungannon, 1841.

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Rev. John Hayden, Killaloe Glebe, Derry, proposes to  
exchange with Mr. Darley.

Primate refuses to appoint anyone to the School but one  
of high classical attainments and who has taught a  
school and managed Assistants, etc.

" Royal School, Dungannon. 1844.

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Rev. J. R. Darley is anxious to resign and get a living,  
has been offered exchanges but Primate is against them.

" Royal School, Dungannon. 1846. Oct. 1.

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Letter of Rev. J. R. Darley, Head Master, proposing an  
exchange with Rev. Henry Kingsmill, ex-F.T.C.D., R. of  
Conwall, (Raphoe), and giving a high character of the  
latter's scholarship etc.

Kingsmill had suggested the exchange,

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Primate replied agreeing on the condition that if at end of three years School was not successful under Kingsmill he should return to his parish.

Mr. Darley replies that K. could not accept under the condition.

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" Royal School, Dungannon.

Letter to Mr. Darley accepting his resignation speaking highly of his successful tenure of his office as Headmaster and regretting the rules preclude giving him a retiring Annuity. May 15, 1850.

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Mr. Darley mentions in his letter that he is resigning for the Curacy of Cootehill. He says "Dr. Grueber on resigning Armagh Sch. was paid £200 a year by Dr. Carpendale, Dr. Murray on res. Dungannon was all<sup>d</sup> £500 a year for life & Dr. Dowdall on res. it got £400 for life".

" Royal School, Dungannon. Repairs, 1850.

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Primate suggests to Board to borrow the money, as he will not advance it as he has done in case of Armagh.

" Royal School, Dungannon. May, 1848.

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Rev. J. R. Darley forwards to the Primate copy of Correspondence with the Comrs. of Education where they order him that no System of religious Instruction shall be compulsory on Roman Catholics and Dissenters. Up to this he was accustomed to open School - at which presbyterians attended - with a portion of the Ch. Service, etc. Now Hon. Mrs. Caulfield of Hookley desires a

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R. C. boy to be entered and not to be subject to attend Religious Instruction.

" Royal School, Dungannon.

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120 Letter June 15, 1849, of Rev. John R. Darley, stating that the Com.<sup>rs</sup> of Education have agreed that religious instruction may be given to day pupils - but that Roman Catholics and dissenters should be allowed to withdraw.

" Royal School, Dungannon.

121 Letter of Rev. F. H. Ringwood - a candidate - telling of some necessary improvements required, 6 July, 1850.

" Royal School, Dungannon. Concerning the founding of a

122 Rev. F. H. Ringwood to Primate re repairs - some money spent on the pews in Church. 30 Oct., 1850.

" Royal School, Dungannon. 1850-1.

123 Rev. F. H. Ringwood about some repairs executed.

124 Primate had given him £200, Sc. Board £400.

" Royal School, Armagh. R.S.S.D.

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126 Letter of Rev. Jas. Hewetson telling Primate Dr. Allott used pay £5 a year towards educ<sup>n</sup> of David Macartney in Royal Sch. but he found on going to Armagh that Dr. A. had d. suddenly on April 19, 1858.

Primate pays the £5.



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Royal School, Raphoe.

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Primate to L. L., Oct., 1850,

suggesting that Rev. Mr. Balfour, an English Schoolmaster of good Classical attainments holding a living in Worcestershire be all<sup>d</sup> to exchange with Head Master Royal School, Raphoe. As it would be an exchange "Your Excellency would probably escape the reproach which fell upon me for bringing an Englishman over here to instruct the Irish . . . it appears to me to be a matter of great importance to introduce into our schools in Ireland some of the good habits & gentlemanlike notions which have been so long traditional in the English Classical Schools".

" Printed Circular, 1841. Concerning the founding of a Collegiate School (the origin of St. Columba's College).

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Founders & Governors:-

Lord Dunraven, (? subsequently verted)

Viscount Adare,

Wm. Monsell, Limerick,

Augustus O'Brien, Limerick,

Ven. J. E. Jackson, Dean of Armagh,

Ven. H. Cotton, Dean of Lismore,

Rev. J. H. Todd, F.T.C.D.,

Rev. Wm. Sewell, F. Exeter Coll., Oxon.,

Visitor, Lord Primate.

Glebes. Return of Rents payable on Glebes in the Dioceses of Armagh and Clogher, as follows:- 1855.

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List of Benefices in the Dioceses of Armagh and Clogher, the Incumbents of which are liable to Glebe Rents.

1st - Diocese of Armagh:

Benefices.	Annual Rents.		
	£	s.	d.
Ballymaseanlon,	14.	15.	4½.
Barronstown,	10.	0.	0.
Caledon,	21.	3.	8.
Carlingford,	6.	6.	0.
Charlestown,	11.	10.	9.
Derryloran,	1.	19.	8.
Dromiskin,	2.	7.	3.
Dunleer,	61.	8.	6.
Killyman (for Passage Way),	0.	10.	0.
Kilsaran,	36.	10.	0.
Louth,	55.	7.	8½.
Moylary,	27.	13.	10.
Mullavilly,	10.	6.	6.
St. Peter's, Drogheda (for Garden)	0.	18.	2.
Termonfecken,	30.	18.	4.

2nd - Diocese of Clogher.

Aghabog,	3.	17.	6½.
Aghavea,	3.	17.	6.
Aughnamullen,	3.	17.	6½.
Clontibret,	1.	18.	9½.
Derrybrusk,	1.	18.	9½.
Devnish,	10.	0.	0.
Donagh,	3.	17.	6.
Donoghmore,	7.	15.	1.
Drumsat,	4.	16.	11.
Ematris,	27.	13.	4.
Errigletrough,	3.	17.	6½.
Galloon,	3.	17.	6½.
Inniskeen,	3.	13.	6.
Kilmore,	3.	17.	6½.
Magheracloney,	3.	17.	0.
Mucknoe,	38.	15.	4½.
St. Michael's Trory,	4.	0.	0.
Tedavnet,	3.	17.	6½.
Templecarne,	3.	17.	6½.
Tullycorbet,	3.	17.	6½.
Tyhallon,	3.	17.	6½.

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Dr. Miller, 1840.

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Inter alia, About Assizes, etc.

"The Bp. of Clogher has given a pension of £50 to an old Curate suddenly disabled by an affection of the heart & has done it liberally by sending a first year's payment in advance".

He encloses a letter from Kildare Place Society which states that His Grace had withdrawn his subscription of £100 a year since the establishment of the Ch. Educ. Soc. and asking Dr. M. to ask His Grace for use of his name & a subsc. - marked "refused".

" Vaughan Charity, Tubrid.

131

Long letter, 1852, from Dr. Romney Robinson re a Nomination of an illegitimate child (brought up as R. C. daughter of a shopkeeper) by Col. Archdall. The neighbours and Protestants object to this; but Robinson makes pointed references to the influence of the Maude and Archdall families and asks His Grace to support Mr. Semple by demanding marriage certificate, etc.

" Adderly Campbell, C. of Donaghmoine (to J. G. Porter) for  
132 over 13 years at £100 a year and the Glebe writes that Mr. Tottenham the new Rector will only require him till Nov. and offers him the charge of Broomfield. He asks his Grace to make Broomfield a Perp. Cur. so that his position will be secure, finds it hard to get a residence in it. 1842,

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Dean Robert Maude writes to Primate, 1842, explaining how he presided at a Clerical Meeting in Dublin 1836 at which some Resolutions were passed not pleasing (evidently) to the Primate.

134

" Bp. of Ologher writes to Primate, June 28, 1842, saying Rev. John Grey Porter offers to resign Donaghmoine if he appoints his brother to Aughnamullen; wants Primate's advice.

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On July 5, he says he had a conversation with Mr. Porter respecting repairs of his Glebe, he stated he had entered into a contract for them "but that gentleman's statements and acts are so much at variance that I cannot place much reliance upon them".

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On July 22, he writes that he had very strong testimonials in favour of Rev. Chas. Porter from the Master and Fellows of Caius Coll., Camb., and from the Archdeacons of Nottingham, Leicester, and Northampton and his Bishop of Peterboro and was therefore presenting him to Aughnamullen and Robert L. Tottenham to Donaghmoine.

137

" J. G. Porter, Preb. Kilskeery, writes to the Primate hoping he will recommend him for the vacant Deanery of Dromore and for the seat in the Board of Erasmus Smith held by late Judge Porter. 1842.

Primate does not give his answer.

138

" Belleek. Rev. Robt. Browne thanks Primate for £20 sent for the new School. 1853.

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141  
Complaint of Rev. C. Maginnis that Rev. V. D. Christian  
- somewhat of a wag - said at a meeting at Deanery,  
Clogher, that Primate considered him a man of unsound  
mind. Aug., 1853.

Primate tells him story so absurd that it was  
beneath his notice.

He gives a sketch of his ministerial career in England.

142  
Tydavnet. of Cummins, C. to J. R. Young, ord. P. at  
last ordination left July, 1853. Gets Bene decessit.

143  
Killeevan. Letter of Rev. Butler Brooks, app<sup>d</sup> Rector,  
speaks well of his Curate Ralph Dawson Welsh. 1853.

144  
Robt. Maude, Dean of Clogher, requests a subscription from  
the Primate towards painting and improving interior  
of Clogher Cathedral. Costing £120. Jan. 18, 1853.

145  
1853. Primate offers to pay a Curate for Rev. J. B. Tuthill.

146  
147  
Mr. Porter claims the Bp.'s pew in Clogher Cathedral.  
Dr. Radcliff thinks he must go through a process of law  
to prove his right.

It may belong to the Primate as Bp. of Clogher.

27 Sep., 1853.

It seems Porter having purchased the Palace claimed the  
pew, locked the door, which also leads to body of Ch.  
and gallery!

148  
Rev. John Wilson, Derrybrusk, writes re re-opening of

Clogher  
Diocese.

Derryharney Ch. March 13, 1857.

Also letter from Dr. Willock.

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Down  
Diocese.

Newry Reformation Society.

Some names in it, Gordon, Vernon, Pope.

Letter of Dr. Phelan, 1827.

Down &  
Connor.

Bp. of Down & Connor about Final Report of Eccl. Com<sup>n</sup>.

Feb. 18, 1831.

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Down  
Diocese.

Rev. John Campbell Quin wishes to succeed his uncle in

(St. Patrick's ) Newry.

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His Grace seems to have already recommended another.

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Newry. Rev. Chas. W. Maude wishes to appoint Rev.

Joshua Free from Dio. Dublin as his Curate.

March 27, 1843.

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Carrowdare. Letters of Rev. Henry Stewart with regard to lease of

Glebe house and land from Mr. George Dunbar, with

abstract of lease to be signed and his objections.

Also a note saying Mr. Dunbar intended to give

half an acre of ground for a Churchyard.

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Address from Co. Down to the Primate, Feb. 1845.

18500 signatures

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including 3 Nobles, 50 Magistrates,

220 Gentlemen, 140 Clergy.

Dromore  
Diocese. Donaghmore.

XI. 11. 12  
Letter of the Primate informing the Vicar, Rev. J. Campbell Quinn, that by Deed of Conveyance he had made over to the Vicar the Rectorial tithes of the Parish £176. 11. 6, for the purpose of a Curate to be employed to hold Divine Service in the school at a remote district in the parish, Dec. 22, 1858.

13

Loughguile. Archd. Trail, Rector. n. d.  
Report of conversation of a Mr. Macartney with Rev. Jas. Jones - neglected - Curate in bad health.  
Parish sometimes for 5 Sundays no Service. Good congregation of Protestants; and a split amongst Presbyterians who might come if there were a resident clergyman.

Meath  
Diocese. Jan., 1830.

14  
A lapsed living in Meath. Primate entitled to Collate.

"  
1822. Case of Rev. James Paul Holmes, a deacon, who was app<sup>d</sup> C. Lemanaghan, (Meath), by Rev. H. Mahon, and was subsequently ord. p. by Bp. Down on Lett. Dim. from Bp. Meath (T. L. Beirne) but was never licensed. For some reason - evidently his Calvinistic opinions; the Bp. inhibited him. He appealed to Primate and maintained Letters Dimissory = a licence.

Opinions of Dr. Stopford (who thought the Primate had no right to hear appeal as there was no licence), Sir Henry Meredyth, and Dr. Radcliff.

Also letters of Dr. S., Bp. Meath, etc.

There is a letter from the father of Holmes, (vis.

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John Holmes, 11 Charlemont St.).

Case postponed, result not shown, but Holmes 20 years later was an Incumbent in Meath.

Dr. S., writing from Dub., Dec. 7, 1822, says

"The storm of Thurs. night was most violent here, almost every house in Dublin has suffered, innumerable windows broken, many houses unroofed, some trees blown down in Rutland Sq. & the railing thrown down by their fall 23 trees blown down in the College Park, 170 in the Phoenix Park & the Phoenix itself & its Pillar. Such a storm never has been known here."

21-24

Athboy. Primate sends Bp. Meath (Bath<sup>l</sup> Alex<sup>F</sup>) £50 for Mrs. Tronson wid. of late V. of A. (formerly of N.T. Hamilton), the Bp. adds 302 from himself. 1831.

25-26

1840. See of Meath being vacant Primate requests L. L. & Council to disappropriate certain rectories from it.  
Reply of Lord Morpeth.

27

July 14, 1842. Letter of Dr. J. H. Todd, F.T.C.D., to Rev. Jas. Jones, marked "Private", which Jones sent the Primate.

Tells of the death of Bp. of Meath, (Dickinson) "the favour Singer enjoys with Lady de Grey" may help him to get it, warns Jones to tell Primate his character, "the diocese in which Singer is Bp. will have every irregularity every approach there could be within the pale of the Church to dissent would be not only tolerated but encouraged". He would preside as Bp. at prayer



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Meetings & make speeches on every platform . . . & the Episcopal office dragged through the mire in pursuit of every clap-trap for popularity". He suggests Elrington, but Primate evidently recom<sup>d</sup> Stopford.

Singer became Bp. of Meath later !

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X1. 28  
Dec. 9, 1842. Letter from Edward (Stopford) Bp. of Meath, telling Primate he has attended his first Privy Council. No question re dissolution of his Union of Carnteel and Aghalow. Dispute re Dean of St. Patrick's. "Daly is Dean".

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29  
Dec. 12, 1842. Dr. J. H. Todd, to Primate, acknowledging £100 for the fund for the family of late Bp. of Meath. The family had asked him to give his name to their Committee and he could not refuse.

Ardfert  
Diocese. Refers to some accusations against Mr. Gayer re a Presbyt. Minister McManus.

see 91-

Meath  
Diocese. Appeal for distressed (? Clergy), 1846.

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Letter of Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite suggesting an English Clk. for Stackallen.

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Kilmoon, etc.  
Primate informs Rev. W. J. Irvine that the Crown is presenting him to R. of Piercetownlandy which he can hold with Kilmoon to which His Grace is presenting him. Primate offers to pay cost of his Patent.  
May 31, 1858.

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Diocese. 2 Dec., 1842. Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite to Mr. Jones,

x1 32 refers to Christian Examiner copying without acknowledgment the Ir. Ecc. Jour.

Lady de Grey has got service in the Castle Chapel at 5 o'clock in the afternoon in order that Mr. Fleury may preach before her every other Sunday.

" 33  
Delgany. Letter from Rev. Wm. Cleaver recommending a Mr. Enraght for ordination. He has been resident in Delgany for some years and was most diligent in teaching the Scriptures to the poor and Lord Mandeville wished him to be ord. as his Chaplain. The Dean of Tuam however offered him a nomination. July, 1834.

" 34  
Christ Church. Dec. 27, 1842. Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite to Primate, refers to rumours of Dr. Elrington having applied for Cashel.  
"On Sunday we had the Lord Mayor with great & unusual state at Christ Ch. It was a strange sight to see all the City officers after they had deposited the sword, mace, etc., on the cushion of his pew in the Choir, walk out of the Ch. . . . "go to Mass in one of his carriages" . . . "& after the Sacrament, walk in again, take up the mace, etc."

" 35  
Rev. J. F. Lloyd thanks the Primate for £100 towards expenses of publication of his "Parochial Psalmody". April, 1843.

" 36  
37  
Mrs. Burgess appealed to the Queen Dowager for help. Primate is unable to say anything about her case; only

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remembers her husband writing to him concerning a  
dispute with the Abp. of Dublin, in which he was careful  
not to interfere, and that afterwards when in distress  
owing to the death of one of his sons he helped him.  
1845.

April 12, 1845.

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1846. Dec. 9. Letter of R. W. Kyle to the Primate,  
and his letter to R. W. Kyle, who had been deprived of  
his Curacy by the Abp. of Dublin for joining the Evan-  
gelical Alliance, and had gone to a benefice in Guernsey,  
saying that he agreed with the Abp. that the Society was  
not likely to do good, as the dissenters not less bitter  
nor their hostility to the Church less malignant since  
the speeches on Christian Charity were made by their  
leaders, but regretting that the Abp. had recourse to  
so strong a measure as to deprive him of his Curacy,  
and saying "I still have a great respect for your char-  
acter as an exemplary laborious & efficient minister  
when placed under my charge".

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Letters of Provost S. Kyle recommending R. T. Boyle as  
Curate in succession to R. W. Kyle.

Letter from Rev. Wm. Ashley as Vicar of the Quost  
Droghda, asking his Grace's advice as to propriety of

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Letter from Mr. John Barlow, 9 April, 1860, enclosing  
Printed Circular asking subscriptions to build a Church  
at Clontarf, and also a Glebe house.

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Estimate required £2500.

List of subscribers include

B. Lee Guinness,	£500.
Exors. late	
Arthur Guinness	£200.
Archdn. Gregg	
(from a fund)	£500.
Abp. Dublin	£10
etc.	

Primate sent £60.

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Rev. H. Newland writes that the death of the Bp. Ossory makes it now possible for him (as Dean) to get the rectorial tithes of Ferns and hopes for his Grace's help in the matter. Jan. 6, 1842.

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Letters of Rev. J. W. Stokes giving some particulars about the family of Mr. Richardson, Secy. of Rev. Robt. F. April 18, 1842.

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Rev. John Carey writes to the Primate explaining that not understanding the Colonial Ch. Discip. Act he was offered a Curacy in New Brunswick and was ord. by Lett. Dim. by Bp. London, for a Curacy at St. John's in the early part of 1839; after 14 months harassing duty his chest was affected from the climate and he had to return; took a Curacy of St. James's, Ferns, but found that he could not be licensed, until he got the permission of the Bp. of London who wrote to Bp. of N.B. From the letter of the latter, he refused; so had to return to the Colonies and was without money. His Rector at St. James's owed him several pounds. Archd<sup>n</sup> Irwin will tell Your Grace what sort of person he is.

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Diocese. Oct. 30, 1843.

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Letter from Hon. Wm. Ashley on behalf of the Queen Dowager, asking his Grace's advice as to propriety of contributing to the Restoration of St. Canice's Cathedral, Kilkenny, having received a memorial from the Dean and Chapter.

Primate replies that it is a very ancient building and altho greatly decayed, a remarkably fine specimen of Eccl. Architecture, if restored would be a very noble Cathedral. If the Queen contributes her Majesty's

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liberality wd. be well applied; but the nobility and gentlemen of property in the district ought also to help.

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Letters of Rev. J. W. Stokes giving some particulars about the family of Wm. Fishbourne, bro. of Rev. Robt. F. 1853.

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June 10, 1824.  
Bp. of Elphin sending his returns for 1824. Says few of his Clergy have yet been able to effect a Composition.

"Ground prepared for planting potatoes" is not subject to tithe in this province.

My returns include many absentees, but this is unavoidable. Many sinecures.

Leave of absence has often been a benefit "for active useful Curates supply the place of comparatively inefficient incumbents".

A Non-Cure is vacant for 2 months in pres<sup>ty</sup> of Lord Kingsland, dead. There is a law-suit pending, so he has not Coll. to it.

" 50  
(in full)

Return of Tenants, Elphin Diocese, 1824.

Registry Office, 3 June, 1824.

According to Old Leases Renewed & in Office

	A.D.
Lord Lorton's family have been tenants under the See of Elphin since the year	) 1748.
Lord M <sup>r</sup> . Sandford's family since	1749.
Lord Hartland	do. 1750.
Hon <sup>ble</sup> Gen <sup>l</sup> Mahon	do. 1811.
Sir Ross Mahon	do. 1744.

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Diocese. Return of Tenants, 1824, cont.

		A.D.
	Arthur French, Esq. 's family since	1750
	Edward S. Cooper, do.	1744.
	Col. Neynes, do.	1812.*
	J. D. Nesbit, do.	1743.
	Gilbert King, Esq., do.	1750.
	Binton Scott, Esq., do.	1809.*
	Rich <sup>d</sup> Gethin, Esq., do.	1751.
	Repres. Rob <sup>t</sup> French, deceased, do.	1743.
	Rob <sup>t</sup> Goff, Esq., do.	1812.*
	Simpson's Hospital, do.	1808.
	A. St. George, Esq. do.	1795.*

Those Years marked thus (\*) specify the time when the families of the present Occupiers became tenants, for which lands there are older Leases, but to tenants of other names. Chas. Smith.

Returns re Composition, Elphin Dio., 1824.

Parish and Incumbent.	Tithe Comp. per acre.	Grand Jury Cess.	Rent per Acre.			Average Rent of land tithe free.
			1st quality.	2nd quality.	3rd quality.	
	s. d.	s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	
<i>N-51</i> Kilmore. Robert Jones.	1. 4.	1. 9.	2. 0. 0.	1. 10. 0.	1. 0. 0.	3 <sup>8</sup> to 6 <sup>8</sup> an acre.
<i>03</i> Aughrim. Wm. Smith.	No Composition as yet. Tithes about 1 <sup>s</sup> an Irish acre.		1. 10 <sup>s</sup> . 2. 2. 0.	1. 10. 0.	1. 0. 0.	£1. 5. 0. Irish acre. 26. 6. 0 an acre for potato soil.

Elphin Diocese. Returns re Tithe Composition, 1824, cont.

Parish and Incumbent.	Tithe Comp. per acre.	Grand Jury Cess.	Rent per Acre.			Average Rent of land tithe free.
			1st quality	2nd quality.	3rd quality.	
	s. d.	s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	
53 Termonbarry. Edw. B. Ayres.	1.11 $\frac{1}{4}$ .	1.10.	Average from £1. 6. 0 to £1. 7. 0			No Tithe free land except the Glebe.
54 Killglass. Thomas Lloyd.	1.11 $\frac{3}{4}$ .	1. 1.	2. 0. 0.	1. 5. 0.	0.18. 6.	Average 1. 6. 0. ( Irish Acres )
55 Union of St. John Sligo. Cha. Hamilton.	2. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ .	2. 6.	5.13. 9.	2.18. 2.	1. 0. 0.	24. 5. 0.
	Killaspiobrona	2. 2.	2.10. 0.	2. 0. 0.	1. 0. 0.	2.10. 0.
	Kilmacowen.	2. 6.	2. 5. 6.	1.14. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	1. 0. 0.	No land tithe free.
	Calry.	2. 6.	5. 0. 0.	2.10. 0.	1. 0. 0.	Very little tithe free. ( Irish Acres )
56 Kilgriffin. Ch <sup>r</sup> Cary.	1. 4. or 1. 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	Average 2. 1.	1.11. 0.	1. 2. 9.	0.12. 6.	No land tithe free.

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57 Tibohine Wm. French	Parish has not compounded but average value	1.11 $\frac{3}{4}$ .	2. 5. 6.	1.14. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	1. 2. 9.	£1. 2. 0.
58 Ahascragh. Peter Browne.		0.11 $\frac{3}{4}$ .	2. 0.	2. 0. 0.	1.10. 0.	1. 0. 0. None.

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Returns re Tithe Composition, 1824, cont.

Parish and Incumbent.	Tithe Comp. per	Grand Jury Cess.	Rent per Acre			Average Rent of land tithe free.	
			1st quality.	2nd. quality.	3rd quality.		
Kiltoom. Henry Hunt. <i>59</i>	Vicar's offer not agreed to would have been about 6 <sup>d</sup>	1. 8.	1. 5. 0.	1. 0. 0.	0.15. 0.	£1.10. 0.	
Tegsar-agh. Henry Marcus Crofton. <i>60</i>		0. 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> .	1. 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> .	1. 8. 0.	1. 1. 0.	0.17. 0.	£1. 2. 9. £1. 8. 0.
Taughboy.		0. 8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> .	1. 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> .	1. 2. 9.	0.17. 0.	0.14. 0.	None.
Disert.		0. 4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> .	1. 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> .	0.17. 0.	0.11. 0.	0. 8. 0.	£0.12. 6.
Boyle. T. Hackett. <i>61</i>		1. 0	2. 0.	From £0.15. 0 to £1.10. 0.			No lands tithe free.
Roscom- mon. Tho <sup>s</sup> Blakeney. <i>62</i>	Vicar's portion.	0. 5.	2. 0.	2. 0. 0.	1.15. 0.	1.10. 0.	£2. 2. 0.

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Letter of Bp. Elphin enclosing one from Rev. T. Hackett, Boyle, which says that as regards consacre a cottier paid £2. an ac. for one crop and £2. an ac. for grazing, but now £3, payment for labour used to be 5<sup>d</sup> a day now 8. a day; had to work 180 days to pay rent of his garden.

Manured ground for potatoes £8. 8. 0. an ac.

Unmanured " " " £7. 7. 0.

if he manured it, £3. 3. 0. for 1st & for 2nd year

Ground for oats or flax £5. 5. 0.

Composition tithe = 12<sup>d</sup> an acre.



Ardagh  
Diocese.

Ardagh Clergy Widows Fund.

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Printed Audited Accounts for 1827, 1828, 1829,

giving list of Subscribers for 1829, as follows:-

	Yearly Subscriptions.	Arrears now due.
Ld. Archbishop of Tuam,	21. 0. 0.	2. 8. 8.
Dean of Ardagh, (Dead, owing large arrears).	6. 9. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	25.16.11.
Rev. William Digby,	3.13.10.	
Rev. George Keatinge,	1. 1. 0.	
Rev. James Farrell,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
Rev. Doctor Smith,	6. 6. 0.	12.12. 0.
Rev. R. Jessop,	4.13. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Honourable and Reverend William Beresford,	5.10. 9.	22. 3. 0.
Honourable and Reverend George Beresford,	4.13. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	9. 6. 7.
Rev. R. T. Hearn,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. George Irwin,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
Rev. Patrick Gaffry,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Nicholas Goslin,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Peter Langly,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. George Crawford	6. 0. 0.	
Rev. Morgan Crofton	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
Rev. James Moffatt,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Michael Boland,	2.15. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. William Elliott,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Prince Crawford,	1. 1. 0.	2. 2. 0.
Rev. Clement Wolessley,	1. 0. 0.*	
Rev. Wm. Alex. Percy,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. John S. Russell,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	1.16.11.
Rev. John William Moor,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
Rev. Thomas Furlong,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Benjamin Cronyn,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Hartley Sinclair,	1. 1. 0.	1. 1. 0.
Rev. Charles Seymour,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. George Mansfield,	4. 0. 0.	4. 0. 0.
Rev. William Armstrong,	4. 0. 0.	4. 0. 0.
Rev. John Trench,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
Rev. George Shaw,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	
Rev. Joseph Leathley,	18. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	

\* Donation.

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Sep. 8, 1836.

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Bp. of Elphin re distribution of Clerical Relief Fund in  
in his dio. Shall send Mr. Mahon £50. Says he must  
enquire the amount of his debts, "I would place no  
reliance on his own statements for he never told me  
truth." Shall send his Curate £30 in addition to the

sums I have already advanced him.

Sent Mr. Doyle £30, shall send him more soon,  
"think it more prudent not to send him a large sum at  
once for he would assuredly lavish it all away on wax  
candles & other luxuries altho' he has scarcely a bed  
to lie on or a chair to sit upon."

Mahon's & Doyle's Glebes are in a sad state of  
dilapidation.

" 1837. Archd. Stopford on some claim of Bp. of Elphin  
re Palace or Residence.

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" Ballysadare. Two letters from Rev. George Trulock,  
Vicar General, re intention of Mr. Edward Cooper of  
Markree Castle endowing the Chapel of Ease at Ballysa-  
dare with £50 a year late Currency. "The Clergyman  
app<sup>d</sup> cannot interfere with any of the parochial duties."

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The parishioners are inconveniently situated from  
attending their parish church.

Also a letter from Mr. Cooper re same. April, 1842.

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Diocese.

Dec. 20, 1841. John (Leslie), Bp. of Elphin, on  
obtaining in addition the See of Kilmore, asks for a  
Com<sup>n</sup> of Dilapidation on the See and Farm premises  
which latter seem completely dilapidated; nominates Mr.

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Welland his Com<sup>r</sup>

Has remitted to Arch, Stopford the amount of

Kilmore  
Diocese.

Bonnel's Charity for Kilmore to be added to Widows' Fund.

Retains for a year that of Ardagh as the widow in receipt of it should get a year's notice.

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1842. J., Bp. of Kilmore, about the Com<sup>d</sup> of Dilap<sup>ns</sup> on See House.

Thanks Primate for his generous donation to Mrs. Smith.

As regards the See House says "In addition to the want of every convenience for farm affairs there is not a decent gate to a field, nor any kind of walk that a lady could venture upon after a shower of rain, in short it is the most slovenly place I ever saw even in Connaught

Says he will send £50 to "the Scotch Institution"

& Elphin.

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John, Bp. Kilmore, June 2, 1842. Tells Primate

arrangement made with Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> re repairs to See House.

- (1) Is to raise the money to pay off the charges and Com<sup>rs</sup> pay all expenses incurred in so doing.
- (2) The Com<sup>rs</sup> to pay him the interest on this sum during his incumbency and 2 years after.
- (3) His Successor is to pay him the entire sum of £13800.
- (4) Ecc. Com<sup>d</sup> is to repay him his charge of £2400 on Elphin See House,
- (5) And to give him £100 a year to make up for the deficit of his income in leaving Elphin for Kilmore.

Adds P.S. "Rev. Mr. Douglas has succumbed, and read the Athanasian Creed."

Kilmore  
Diocese.

Carrigallen. Letter from Rev. Arch<sup>d</sup> St. George,

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Kilmore  
Diocese.

Curate, re Building of new Church, Newtowngore, solicit-  
ing help. Estimate £400. Collected, £650, as follows:-

	£	s.	d.
Her Majesty the Queen Dowager,	20.	0.	0.
The Lord Bishop of Kilmore,	50.	0.	0.
The Earl of Leitrim,	100.	0.	0.
Rev. Henry O'Brien,	50.	0.	0.
John Robert Godley, Esq.,	50.	0.	0.
The Lord Bishop of Cashel,	20.	0.	0.
Rev. Charles Cobb Beresford,	10.	0.	0.
Rev. Charles Leslie,	10.	0.	0.
James Godley, Esq.,	10.	0.	0.
Robert Gore, Esq.,	5.	5.	0.
Viscount Clements,	5.	0.	0.
The Dowager Lady O'Brien,	5.	0.	0.
Hon. Mr. Justice Torrens,	5.	0.	0.
Hon. and Rev. Charles A. Harris,	5.	0.	0.
Hon. Mrs. C. A. Harris,	5.	0.	0.
Miss O'Brien,	5.	0.	0.
Denis Godley, Esq.,	5.	0.	0.
Sir Walter James,	2.	0.	0.
Rev. Arthur Martinean,	2.	0.	0.
Contributed through the medium of Roundell Palmer, Esq.,	160.	0.	0.
The Countess of Erne,	1.	0.	0.
Small Contributions from the neighbourhood,	15.	15.	0.
Anonymous,	1.	10.	0.
The Very Rev. The Dean of Cork,	1.	0.	0.
Mrs. Vernon,	1.	0.	0.
Sir Lucie O'Brien,	1.	0.	0.
Lady O'Brien,	1.	0.	0.
Rev. John Taylor,	1.	0.	0.
R. H. Pollen, Esq.,	1.	0.	0.
Rev. A. St. George,	1.	0.	0.

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Diocese.

Letters of the Bp. of Kilmore, 1862, and 1863.

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- (1). With ref. to his Patents and the Registrar's (R. Riddall's) reply:
- (2). With ref. to Consecration charges. He thinks he ought not be charged fees for Enthronement in Elphin & Ardagh, as the Enthronement in Kilmore covered all. Registrar's reply that such was necessary; but Registrar says yes, he must pay;
- (3). With ref. to building Papers See House, Kilmore.

Killaloe Union of Inniscatha and Clonrush.  
Diocese.

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Letter, Jan., 1842, from Mr. Philip Reade, Wood Park, Scariff, to the Primate, stating that the parishioners are all poor, scattered among the mountains, himself being the only resident proprietor, doing his best to help the Ch. Within the memory of the oldest inhabitant the parishioners until the present Bishop came, had not seen the face of their Bp. though the See house was only 10 miles off. The Ch. is not habitable, cold & damp on the banks of the Shannon; no bell. Vicar poor burthened with too large a family; money could not be raised to pay a Curate. Some busy trying to pervert & the authorities don't trouble themselves. He offered to pay half the expenses of a stove & bell if the Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> paid the other half; the answer was they would pay the carriage (5/- by water!) if they were procured. protests that the £10000 spent on Salaries etc. in connection with Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> would pay for all the bells in Ireland. Asks His Grace to consider the case as "one who has done more for the promotion of the Ch. of Ireland both by precept & example than any living individual."

Killaloe  
Diocese

Primate replies that V. ought apply to Add<sup>d</sup> Curates  
Society for help for a Curate.

He is endeavouring to reduce expenses of Ecc. Com., etc.  
2 May, 1842.

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Rev. W. Higgin, R. of Roscrea, V.G. of Killaloe, wishes  
for promotion and asks the Primate for whom he has  
administered the Tithe Relief Fund in Killaloe for a  
testimonial.

Marked "refused".

He replies in a dignified manner, stating he would not  
have troubled his Grace but that he thought the Primate  
had some knowledge of his general character.

N.B. he afterwards was Bp. of Derry !

Clonfert

Diocese. Letter of Mr. Groome, Kiltomer Glebe, Clonfert,

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re some accusation made against him by the Ecc. Com<sup>d</sup>  
concerning a wrong account. Jan. 7, 1842.

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Copy of

Petition to Ho. of Lords from the Clergy of Clonfert &  
Kilmacduagh praying the restoration of the quarta pars  
Ecclesiae which the Ecc. Com<sup>rs</sup> had made a part of the  
Episcopal Income. Aug., 1842.

Derry

Diocese.

Sep. 13, 1838.

Letter from a Mr. Hamilton,

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Beltrim, drawing His Grace's attention, before his

Trien. Vis. to the sad state of the parish of Badoney,

Derry.

Ardfert  
Diocese.

Dec. 3, 1842. Letter of Rev. Chas. Gayer, (to

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Rev. Geo. Miller ?), relates what happened. Rev. Mr. MacManus, a Presbyterian Minister, came to Dingle and Gayer showed him some attention, he accompanied him to his Parish in Dunurlin to Service on Sunday, which was held in the parlour of his Glebe house. As McM. knew Irish he asked him to speak a few words in Irish to the people.

So the story got out he gave him his Pulpit !

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Dec. 14, 1842. Dr. Geo. Miller refers to Dr. Elrington's antipathy to Mr. Gayer, . . . he is a man zealous

in the work of reformation and ought not be treated as an alien, he is anxious to work in connection with the Church.

Refers to the Primate's app<sup>t</sup> of himself as Vicar-General.

Limerick  
Diocese.

1823, Jan. 24. Dr. Stopford, inter alia,

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says, "I asked the Bp. of Limerick (Jebb) about Cousins - he is in distressed circumstances owing to his having been cast in a lawsuit for breach of promise of Marriage! I suppose the young priest when released from the trammels of Popery was in too great a hurry to get married & asked on a short acquaintance and repented on a long one."

Refers to Dublin Female Penitentiary, and state of Dublin streets.

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Bp. of Limerick, to Primate, 1834.

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Assuring him he will not ordain any Candidate without a regular Nomination - or Letters Dimissory.

Cashel  
Diocese. June 13, 1842.

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Archdeacon H. Cotton writes to Primate suggesting that the Palace of Cashel standing in the midst of a poor town, environed and overlooked by poor cabins and vacant for some time as the Ecol. Com<sup>rs</sup> cannot let it for £50 (with a fine of 1000f) would be utilised as a residence for the Dean who is Rector of Cashel. There has been no resident Dean for 40 years and the Chapter think he ought be resident and would agree if Palace were divided and part let to Dean (fine to be reduced to £500) and part to a Schoolmaster. Sends plan of same.

He adds that the Bp. of Cashel is in bad health and his memory impaired, and "How sad is the sudden death of the poor Bp. of Meath (Dickinson) which took place yesterday at Ardbracon of malignant fever. He leaves ten children! - one arrow indeed is somewhat blunted. His life was insured for £14000."

" Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite, 24 Dec., 1842.

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Says Fresman had a par that Dr. Elrington had applied for the Bprio. of Cashel, which was not true.

Mr. Heathcote, Editor of British Critic was an English Clergyman not a Romanist as rumoured.

Cloyne  
Diocese. 10 Mar., 1834.

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Bp. of Cloyne to Primate re distribution of Relief Fund in his diocese. Thinks Mr. Graves's circumstances not so bad. Last year he got part of the Relief Fund and since then by agreement with his parishioners he has



Gloynce  
Diocese.

XI. 99 rec<sup>d</sup>. part of his tithes ( Ightamarragh is compounded for £500) and on death of his uncle last Dec. came in for £900.

XI " 99 Feb. 2, 1835. Bp. of Gloynce writes to Primate as to state of Church in the s. and the bad impression the Royal Com<sup>n</sup> ("the fatal Commission") will have when people see large incomes attached to parishes where Protestants are few - especially as they will not know the extent of the parish. In any Proposal of Church Reform for the equalisation of incomes: 2 things shd. be taken into account, not only the numbers of Protestants in but the extent of the parish. If pluralities are abolished and residence enforced there will be fewer Curates, except where incumbents are in bad health. He thinks the present income of £75 for a Curate adequate; a higher income would overcrowd the Church as too many now are out of employment.

Trinity College,  
Dublin.

100 Letter from Rev. J. Kennedy Baillie requesting the Primate to say if he has any objection to him signing a petition to be presented by the Junior Fellows T.C.D. protesting against the rule of Celibacy which Baillie thinks dangerous to morality. Feb., 1840.

101 " 18 May, 1840.

101 Letter of Thos. Jones to the Primate re publication of some Remonstrance the Primate had made with regard to discipline etc. in T. C. D. Primate did not wish its

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Dublin.

XI 102 publication, and Mr. Jones interviewed Dr. Elrington and Todd who at first wished it published. "Dr. Elrington says the discipline becomes more & more relaxed every day; the Provost himself walks the Courts without his cap & gown" . . . attendance at Chapel very thin . . . yesterday only 87 . . . when Dr. Todd fined those who were absent, the Board took off the fines."

1843. Jan. 10. Dr. Carpenter writes about his brother.  
X1 102 Nov. 23, 1843. Dr. Elrington to Primate re new Statute. He thinks the Tutors ought lecture their own pupils, etc.

" 103 Feb. 23, 1858. Rev. A. Irwin tells the primate his father has got an attack of paralysis. And re a Sermon which Dr. Foley preached in the College Chapel and for which he had to apologise.

104 Letter of Dr. Elrington re an impertinent letter of a Mr. Browne. July 21, . . .

105 106 Foxford Union. Petns. concerning the conduct of Rev. John O'Rourke, Vicar - to be printed. Prot. Parishioners of Foxford, Killaser, Toomore, etc. Commons Journals, 1830, 5 Mar. p. 161.

107 108 Rev. Geo. Miller, D.D. Observations on the Athanasian Creed, with letter from him.

109 110 Minutes of Meeting of Co. Louth Branch Assoc<sup>n</sup> for selling Bibles, etc. March, 1827.

Ferns  
Diocese. 1828. Dec.

XV 111-2 2 letters of Thos. Elrington, Bp. of Ferns, re Lord  
Lieut.'s refusal to sanction continuance of an Episcopal  
Union (Parishes not stated), and letters of Archd. Stop-  
ford explaining the law.

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Several parishes in Louth thus united to secure  
Divine Service for their Parishioners.

115 1829. Jan. 10. Dr. Carpendale writes about his brother,  
Rev. Wm. C., who had served in Bristol and Lincoln  
diocese. Could his Grace take him into Dio. of Armagh?

116 1829. Archd. Stopford on the question of reconsecration of  
a Church built on the old site. He thinks it necessary,  
and explains that the Canons are subject to the Common  
Law, which is in favour of reconsecration.

117 1829. July 5. Letter of Archd<sup>r</sup> Stopford re Primate's  
proposal to have a longer interval between conferring of  
Deacon's and Priest's orders.

118 June, 1829. Archd<sup>r</sup> Stopford says Mr. Kenny (A. R. K.)  
wishes to be exam<sup>d</sup> for Priest's orders. He has been  
ord. D. in another diocese, and is "related to old  
Lady Farnham."

119 The examiners are the Archdeacon, Dr. Bardin, and  
Mr. Jackson.

1829. Archdeacon Stopford.

119 Refers to fact that the Churchyard beside it is above

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the level of the floor of Kilmore See house;

also to the abuse of Episcopal visitations held on the same day and immediately after the Triennial Visitations by the Abp. and hurried through as fast as the Registrar can read; for the sole purpose of earning fees.

He refers to the many errors in the printed issue of the Prayer Book - upwards of 150 in last edition.

The Crown and their printers had a monopoly of printing Bible and Prayer Book. Suggest Crown ought issue an Edition corrected by the copy attached to the Act of Uniformity - the Irish copy being superior to the English.

Refers to Dean Roper of Clones, he employs 3 Curates in the parish of Clones, 1 at £100, 2 at £75, and 2 Curates at £75 each in the parish in which he does not reside.

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1839. May 18. Letter from Archdn. Stopford complaining

that R. C. priests have celebrated burial services in Ardee, Collon, Loughgall, Kilmore and Armagh Cathedral, which was illegal - but was not prevented.

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1829. Faculty wanted by Ld. Ormond. Bp. Ossory ? refuses to unite.

in a question submitted to him to arbitrate in faculties by the Primate and Bp. of Cashel.

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1830. 2 letters and a long dissertation from Archdn. Stopford re Unions of Parishes and the state of the Church generally and complaints against it.

1830. Letters of Mr. T. E. Hubbert re some astronomical instruments at Greenwich.

Divinity School,  
T. C. D.

x1-126 Copy of letter of Dr. Blrington, Reg. Prof. Div., explaining his modus operandi in his Divinity Lectures, suggesting the course should be 2 years not one. Archdn. Stopford writes agreeing and suggests that the Primate should speak to the Provost on the matter. Wants his son Thos. Adderly Stopford in the Artillery.

128 1830. Refers to Ho. of Commons debates; a Commission to be app<sup>d</sup> concerning the Church.

125 Also had attendance at Armagh Clerical Meetings

"In Louth the members are held together by a dinner in a private house."

129 1830. Archdn. Stopford re books from "the Association" for sale.

Lady Caledon gave Mr. McCreight £20 as a fund to buy them (for his parish) for ready money.

130 10 Aug., 1833. W. C. Quin thanks Primate for being the means of getting him some position, (? Sec. Ecc. Com.).

Jan., 1834. Archdeacon Stopford. Contradiction of Ld.

131 Mt. Cashel's statement as to a "decision" of the Lord Chancellor in a question submitted to him to arbitrate re faculties by the Primate and Abp. of Cashel.

1834. A Mr. Curry wishes to be examined for priest's orders.

132 A Mr. Bunbury, Clk., unemployed in Armagh.

Armagh Observatory. Letters of Dr. T. R. Robinson re some

133-H spare instruments at Greenwich. 1839.



Schedule of Repairs, Armagh Diocese, 1839, cont.

Churches.				Nature of works required.
(in full)				
Desertoreight.	120.	3.	3.	New Slating Roof Plastering Ceiling Roof porch.
Killilleagh.	23.	15.	-.	Repairs of composition of Tower & pointing cut stone.
Keady.	138.	19.	3.	Dashing, floors & platform to Tower & new metal sashes to replace lead ones.
Kilmore.	64.	5.	-.	New metal Sashes to replace lead ones.
Mullavilly.	10.	15.	-.	New barge Stone.
Newtown Hamilton.	46.	1.	-.	Dashing plastering with cut stone to Tower.
St. Peter's, Drogheda.	23.	2.	-.	Plastering, Staircases.
Tynan.	4.	6.	-.	Ventilators in Sashes.
Termonmaguirk.	24.	18.	11.	New doors to Tower, &c.
Tulliniskin.	17.	-.	-.	Exterior painting & Repairs of Slating.
Termonfeckin.	17.	13.	10.	Repairing Dashing, colouring exterior Walls, &c.
Drumbanagher.	15.	16.	-.	Repairs to Slating & Windows.
St. Patrick's, Newry.	246.	7.	10.	Sashes & Frames Barge Stone dashing and wall colouring & painting.

1840. Marriage. Letter of Rev. Geo. Miller, V. G., thanking Primate for giving his son Rev. Robert M. the parish of Newtownhamilton; and referring to his view of what constitutes a Marriage Contract.

8 Oct., 1843. Rev. Geo. Miller to Primate on some point of Law in which the Abp. of Dublin agreed with him against Bp. Stopford of Meath, of the latter he says "I am sure

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that he does not intend to be offensive but his self-complacency leads him to become so."

1843. Rev. Geo. Miller, V. G., on Dilapidations; and on Laymen appearing in cases in Eocl. Courts.

1853. Rev. Jas. Hogan thanking the Primate for donations to the Library, including Rees Encyclopedia.

1853. July 20. First Fruits. A Return (with a table annexed not extant) showing parishes liable to First Fruits. History of them, etc., in handwriting of Archd. Stopford, 1826.

"The whole number chargeable is 488. The number discharged 1172, and the total number 1660.

The number of benefices in Ireland is about 1200.

Of the above total of 1660 some are unions one member of those of which the union consisted & which gave its name to the whole being charged & the others not.

Opinion of Archdeacon Stopford on "Whether it be obligatory on a Clergyman to celebrate Divine Service in the Church Chapel or other appointed place of public worship, & whether it be illegal for him to celebrate it any where else without consent of the Ordinary?"

1857. Dr. J. K. Sullivan, sending private copies of his

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Ordinations.

XI. 145 Lett. Dimissory to Bp. Kilmore, 1856,  
to ordain

- Rev. Henry E. Brooke, )
- Rev. J. E. Costelloe, ) as priests
- Rev. Ed. Shortt, )
- and
- Robert Law, )
- J. G. Rainsford, ) as Deacons.

1839. July 28.

146 Rev. Mortimer O'Sullivan writes on evidence before the  
Lords' Committee on the Ribbon Conspiracy and its oath  
"to wade deep in protestant blood."

June 16, 1849. Rev. Mr. O'Sullivan was to preach in Belfast for  
147-8 Ch. Educ. Society, but the Bishop evidently objected to  
him and he did not preach.

Ardtree. 1840. Clergy including Perpetual Curates. 1408.

- 149 Long letter from Rev. J. K. Baillie.
- (1) ref. Statute of Celibacy T. C. D. In deference to  
his Grace he did not affix his signature to the  
petition to abolish it;
  - (2) and chiefly regarding his expenditure on improve-  
ments, in which he resents the tone of some letters  
of His Grace's Agent, Mr. Evans;
  - (3) states that profits of 200 copies of his new book  
are his subs. to Cathedral restoration.

150 March, 1840. Dr. J. K. Baillie, sending Primate copies of his

157 Poem on the Restoration of Armagh Cathedral.

1840. Rev. J. K. Baillie writes about his poem and his intended  
*XI-152* tour through Europe, "which in consequence of Your  
 Grace's liberality I am able to undertake".

He hopes to collect materials during his tour "towards  
 infusing a wholesome tincturing into the Chalice of  
 public thought".

Rev. J. K. Baillie writes to the Primate from (Buda) Pesth,  
*153* 29 June, 1840, describing his travels through Belgium,  
 Germany, the Tyrol, etc., for the benefit of his health.  
 He intends to visit Constantinople and Asia Minor.

(In Archbishop Stepford's handwriting: probable date  
 (in full). 1838).

*154* Abstract of the State of the Church in Ireland.  
 Parochial Clergy

Number of benefices and beneficed	
Clergy including Perpetual Curates.	1402.
Number of Stipendiary Curates	846.

The amount of the above composition	Total	2248.
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The above mentioned parochial Clergy is	
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Deduct	Number of Churches	1293.
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Income.

Gross Amount of income of the above from all  
 sources. £610,653. 8. 5.

In this Am<sup>t</sup> several sums are reckoned  
 twice, for instance the Salaries of  
 Perpetual Curates are first included  
 in the gross income of the Incumbents  
 and again in the incomes of the Per-  
 petual Curates, but the twice charged  
 sums are included in the deductions

Episcopal Orders cannot be formed without the con-  
 sent of the Lord Lieutenant in Council.

Abstract of the State of the Church in Ireland, cont.

(in full). ( Gross Amount of income £610,653. 8. 5.)

Amount of deductions from income, not including Salaries of Stipendary Curates or tax laid on by the Church Temp. Act. 90,590. 12. 10.

Net amount of income 520,062. 15. 7.

Deduct 25 per Cent. on Comp<sup>d</sup> £121,696.

Also Salaries of Stipendary Curates. 56,812. 178,508; 0. 0.

Future income 341,554; 15; 7.

Which would give an income of £243. 18. 0 to each beneficed Clergyman.

And the Amount of £398,366. Divided among 2248 Clergymen both Incumbents and Curates would give each £177.

The Various Sources from which the incomes arise are stated in the 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Reports of "the Commissioners of Enquiry into Ecclesiastical Revenues and Patronage". As are also the various Particulars of the Deductions.

The Amount of Tithe Composition payable to the above mentioned Parochial Clergy is 2486,784.  
Deduct 25 per Cent. 121,696.  
Payable by Incumbents Balance 365,088.

By the Church Temporalities Acts. All Parishes or benefices in which Divine Service has not been celebrated for 3 years are to be suppressed on the next vacancy - As are also all Sinecure Dignities, benefices or Rectories.

Episcopal Unions cannot be formed without the consent of the Lord Lieutenant in Council.

Abstract of the State of the Church in Ireland, cont.  
(in full).

Unions by Act of Council or prescription, are on the next avoidance to be dissolved so far as may be practicable.

The Primate has not granted faculties for the last ten years so that the principle of pluralities is given up, and in practice the number which previously existed is every year diminishing.

Comparison between the liabilities of Landlords in 1835 & 1838.

In 1835 in Spring, We ascertained by returns from 987 benefices the gross amount of whose Composition was £430,478

that Landlords had undertaken £102,088.

and that there had devolved on Landlords

	<u>75,613.</u>	
leaving payable by Occupiers	<u>252,777.</u>	<u>430,478.</u>

And supposing the Amount of clerical tithe in 1835 We should have had undertaken by

Landlords	£118,040.	
Devolved on Landlords	<u>88,056.</u>	
Total by Landlords	206,096.	
Payable by Occupiers	<u>293,904.</u>	<u>500,000.</u>

Since the year 1834 No landlords have undertaken on several accounts. We may therefore take the amount payable by Undertaking Landlords the same. And then by the returns received this year the State of liabilities at present stands thus.

Abstract of the State of the Church in Ireland, cont.  
(in full).

1838. Amt undertaken by Landlords	£118,040.	
Devolved upon D <sup>o</sup>	140,005.	
Total by Landlords	£258,045.	
Payable by Occupiers	241,955.	500,000.

Amt devolved on Landlords in 1838.	140,005
" " " " 1835.	88,056.
Increase	51,949.

Hitherto Clerical income both individually & Collectively has been Calculated by the gross amount. The following scale is calculated on net income - But the deduction of 25 per Cent. is not made, neither are Stipendiary Curates' Salaries deducted or the tax imposed by the Ch. Temp. Act.

Number of benefices under £100		237.
" " " which exceed 100 and are less than 200.		251.
" " " 200 " 300.		216.
" " " 300 " 400.		174.
" " " 400 " 500.		152.
" " " 500 " 600.		126.
" " " 600 " 700.		80.
" " " 700. " 800.		37.
" " " 800 " 900.		36.
" " " 900. " 1000.		26.
" " " 1000. " 1100.		11.
" " " 1100 " 1200.		10.
" " " 1200 " 1300.		11.
" " " 1300 " 1400.		7.
" " " 1400 " 1500.		6.
" " " 1500 " 1600.		6.
" " " 1600 " 1700.		2.
" " " 1700. " 1800.		1.
" " " 1800 " 1900.		2.
" " " 1900 " 2000.		1.
" " " 2000 and upwards		3.
Total		1395.

Abstract of the State of the Church in Ireland, cont.  
(in full).

This number is 7 less than the number given in the first page, because some Chapelries are there included which are not properly benefices. Perpetual Curacies are included in both places.

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Drapers' Co. Grants, 1839.

X1, 155 20£ p. an. Add<sup>l</sup> Curates Fund, Derry.  
20£ " " " " Armagh.  
30£ to help building Cappagh Ch.  
155<sup>a</sup> 10£ p. an. to Ch. of E. Readers Soc.  
50£ to Clergy Sons Sch., Lucan.

Letter, 1839, from Arthur Perceval, East Horsley, seeking know-  
156-7 ledge of the Records of Consecration of Irish Bps. &  
Abps. from Reformation times.

Dean Jackson says they are not at Armagh, and may  
be at Record Office.

Perceval is publishing a book on the subject.

Dean Jackson refers to the Oxford Movement, with  
which he is in sympathy.

1841. Letter from Admiral J. P. Beresford about the advancement  
158 of a Mr. Cherry in the Navy;  
159 and also one from Admiral Burgoyne.

Letter from Bishop of Norwich, Mar. 24, 1842,

*Xs. 160* that Rev. Edward Curtis,  
and Rev. Christopher Crofts,  
deacons, are not to be priested.

Rev. R. T. Pope, Bangor, Wales, writes to the Primate with ref.

*161-3* to the book he has published, and which has not covered  
expenses.

Subsequently he thanks him for a gift of £20 (? 90 )  
May, 1842.

July 7, 1842. Rev. R. J. McGhee tells the Primate he has purchas-

*165* ed in Dub. a new Edition of Maldonatus and Dens.

*165 a b c* These were text books in Maynooth, and advocated  
destruction of heretics and the temporal power).

June and July, 1842. Rev. R. J. McGhee writes to the Primate

*165 a b c* re report that the Government were going to increase  
the Grant to Maynooth. Lord Eliot has the Roman Bps.  
constantly dining with him.

McGhee has pub: 2 petitions:-

(1) Asking for investigation into Maynooth.

(2) Asking for No investigation.

Wants Primate to present the first (600 sigs.)  
from his congregation. Refers to his book "The Laws  
of the Papacy."

Primate replies that he thinks the course proposed  
would be inopportune, there is too much apathy on the  
subject, but he agrees that it should be agitated in  
the Press.

7 Oct., 1842. Letter from Bp. of London (Bloomfield), thanking Primate for a copy of his Charge.

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Refers to "the Derry Question."

Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite, Dec. 30, 1842.

Jan. 30, 1840. Long letter of Dr. J. H. Todd, respecting a proposed newspaper to represent what was then the High Church party in Ireland, as Todd says the other papers were in the hands of Low Church parties. Todd does not conceal his hostility to this party.

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He says the Irish Clergy are not a reading body of men and need to be reminded of their duty to study, and the Low Church party have not put before the Laity proper motives to induce them to help the Church.

Rev. Geo. Miller, 7. 3., 17 Nov., 1843, to Primate.

The paper was evidently to be the Ir. Ecc. Jour.

The following were to carry it on:- Dr. Elrington,

- Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite,
- Rev. -- Woodward,
- Rev. -- Maturin,
- Prof. Butler.

The primate approved and would assist.

1842. Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite to Primate.

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Refers to Newman having left Oriel and set up a low sort of shed that had been a stables at Littlemore and there lives with 3 young men in a monastic state.

Also refers to correspondence in his paper between Dr. Daly and Dr. Miller. He hopes now that Daly is Bp. of Cashel, Miller will refrain from attacking him.

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Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite, Dec. 6, 1842.

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Mr. Gladstone has written desiring his name to be put



down as a subscriber to the Irish Ecc. Journal, of which C. was Editor.

Rev. J. C. Crosthwaite, Dec. 30, 1842,

XI-172 on a par. in Ch. Intelligence, taken from the Times which say Irish Ecc. Journal is under the control of Dr. Daly !

March 8, 1843. Rev. W. M. Wade writes from Paisley thanking

173 the Primate for £10 sent for distribution to those in distress among his congregation.

Rev. Geo. Miller, V. G., 17 Nov., 1843, to Primate.

174 Speaks of a letter of the Bp. of Calcutta to the Primate with favour. "As he has remarked you are in the front as opposed to Popery and he on the other hand on the front as opposed to Paganism."

Orange Processions, etc.

176 Letter of Rev. R. J. McGhee re His Grace's desire to discourage Orange Processions. McGhee is not an Orange-man but sympathises with His Grace's objects.

177 Criticises the Duke of Wellington for a speech in which he lectured the Bps. and clergy "totally forgetting that there is any higher authority than the Legislature on Religion". 1845.

14 Dec., 1850. Rev. J. West for Abp. Dublin sends Primate a

178 copy of a Letter of Protest sent by Abp. Dublin to Abp. Canterbury concerning some declaration of English Bps. re the Irish Ch.

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1847. Mr. Ireland's letter  
 Also Abp. of Dublin's letter to Primate on same  
 subject.

The Bishops were rebuked for speaking of "the  
 Church of England" when they ought to have said "the  
 United Church of England & Ireland.

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Boulter Fund. 1850.

Benefice.	Income.	Sources.		
Omeath.	50. 0.0.	From Sub- scriptions & Interest on £600 invested.	50. 0.0.	A Church. A Gl. House no Glebe.
Drumcar.	79.15.0.	Vicarial Rent Charge Augment <sup>n</sup> under 3 & 4 Vict.	39.15.0. 40. 0.0. 79.15.0.	A Church. No Glebe; no House.
Meigh.	75. 0.0.	From Rect. of Killery	75. 0.0.	A Church. No Glebe; no House.
Armagh- braig.	80. 0.0.	From Rector of Armagh From Rector of Keady	60. 0.0. 20. 0.0.	A Church. No Glebe no House.
Miltown.	52. 7.9.	From L <sup>d</sup> Charlemont From L <sup>d</sup> Lurgan From Boulter's Fund	20. 0.0. 9. 5.9. 23. 2.0. 52. 7.9.	A Church. No Glebe no House.

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 extensive fear and thanks the Primate for getting Lord  
 Waterford's vote.

1857. Mr. Irwin's letter.  
 £11. 16. 0 p<sup>d</sup> for Mr. Bellett's Sermon.  
 £10. 0. 0 sent to Mr. King's School in Newry.  
 £5. sub. to Armagh Nat. Hist. Soc.  
 £10. to Grange School.  
 Letter of Primate thanking him for some genealogy sent  
 etc.

Primate to members of the Chapter as to an address to the Bp. of  
 London, visiting and preaching in Armagh Cathedral,  
 Aug., 1852.

9 Aug., 1856. Long letter from Dr. Radcliff reporting what  
 occurred at Trien. Visitation.

1. Killala & Tuam. Attendance good.

Clergy active & zealous.

Rev. Thos. Townsend of Mayo directed to attend

adj<sup>d</sup> visit. at Armagh. He has never been resident  
 in his parish for 9 years past, has lic. for non-resid.  
 on med. cert. Suffers from bronchitis. "It looks very  
 like an imposition to say he could not live in his Glebe  
 ho. for even 3 summer months. He sh<sup>d</sup> not be permitted to  
 turn his benefice into a sinecure; is always going - but  
 does not - resign.

2. Clonfert & Kilmacduagh. Clergy attended.

Priests active at Ballinasloe.

3. Meath. Very good attendance; complains of non-  
 att<sup>ce</sup> of Mr. Druitt of Colpe, & of Rev. B. Bryan,  
 "they should both be pulled up."

Nov. 14, 1855. Lord Lifford is a Candidate for an Irish Repres-  
 entative Peer and thanks the Primate for getting Lord  
 Waterford's vote.

1856. Bp. Oxford thanks the Primate for £50 for the Bp. of  
1888 Jamestown's family.  
Primate's reply to former.

1856 ? Rev. Charles Forster, Stisted Rectory.

1848. Rev. M. O'Sullivan on State of the Church.  
189 Letter of Primate thanking him for some genealogy sent  
him. Speaks of the great extent of emigration of prot-  
estants from Co. Tyrone.

African Mission. Letter dated Oct. 6, 1860, from "S. Oxon."

190 (Samuel, Bp. of Oxford), re Board to approve of Arch-  
deacon Mackenzie's Coadjutor.

Speech of the Primate in reply to toast of Church of Ireland at  
191 some function. n.d.

Amount of proxies and Synodals etc. paid by Primate M. G. Beres-  
ford. Return by Registrar.

192 Annual proportion of Salary to  
the Master of the Diocesan School  
of Armagh & Connor . . . . . £26. 5. 0.

Amount of Proxies and Exhibits  
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Apparitor . . . . . 66. 17. 9.  
Like at Triennial Visitations. 408. 14. 4.

1846. Dr. Geo. Miller's remarks on the Church Discipline Bill.

193 June 18, 1848. Rev. Mortimer O'Sullivan to Primate,

194 (1) Ref. to Dublin Evg. Herald;

(2) Orange Processions, 12th July.

Primate's reply re former.

1849. Rev. M. O'Sullivan on State of the Church.

195 Speaks of the great amount of emigration of prot-  
estants from Co. Tyrone.

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