

PARISH OF RATHKEALE – BARONY OF CONNELLO LOWER

## PARISH OF RATHKEALE

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#### PARISH OF RATHKEALE

Rathkeale Ph. -- B. S. Sketch Map

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Rath Chaela. Kealy's fort.

Rathkeale -- J. O'D.

> -- County Map -- Tithe Book

-- Revd. Thos. Hogan, P.P.

-- Down Survey

Rathkeyle -- Civil Survey 1654-56

This parish is situated about 14 miles S.W. of the City of Limerick. It is bounded on the N. by Mantenan and Cappagh phs.; E. by Croagh and Ballingarry phs.; S. by Cloncagh and Clonelty phs.; and W. by the phs. of Grange, Kilscannel and Doondonnell. It contains 12,095 acres, statute measure, including a detached portion of 3222 acres and 33 acres of water.

In this parish is situated the town of Rathkeale, from which the parish derives its name. This parish contains about 5,000 inhabitants, one church and one R. C. chapel, about 14 public houses and as many woollen drapers. &c. The parish for the most part is in a high state of cultivation, but has a scarcity of fuel. There is one extensive flour mill, the property of J. S. Browne, Esq., and there is an insignificant corn mill nearly in ruins.

## Townlands

-- B.S.S.M. Abbeylands

2

Abbeylands

-- J. O'D.

-- Barony Cess Book 1834 -- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Rathkeale Abbey) & West Gortroe)

-- Tithe Book

-- Co. Presentment Book 1839

Abbyland

-- Down Survey

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

On the S.E. side of the parish and contains part of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Wolfesburgess E.; W. by English Tenements; S. by Ballywilliam North; and E. by Beechmount Demesne. Contains 105 acres.

The property of George Lake, Esq. The whole is laid out as a demesne. A street leading from Rathkeale to Limerick, called Boherboy, forms its north boundary, and another. called Well Lane, forms part of its west boundary.

Ardnanean

-- B.S.S.M.

3

Ard na n-Ean, height of the birds.

Ardnanean

-- J. O'D.

Ardinane

-- Jury List 1840

Ardnian

-- J. S. Browne, Esq., Agent

1½ miles S.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. and E. by Courtmatrix; S. by Ballyallinan N. and Loghill; and W. by Ardbohil. Contains 115 acres.

The property of Lord Viscount Southwell. Under tillage and pasture, but the greater portion is subject to winter floods. The R. Deel forms its S. boundary, and on the West it is bounded by a bye road. There is an old fort situated close to its southern boundary. Acreable rent - £1.

#### Ardbouhil

-- B.S.S.M.

A

Ard Bhuachaill, the boy's hill.

Ardbohil Ardbohill -- J. O'D.

-- Tithe Book

Ardbouhill

-- Barony Cess Book 1834 -- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Ardboghlae -- House of Commons Report
-- Civil Survey 1654-56
-- Acts of Settlement &c.

1 mile S. of Rathkeale Town. Bounded on the W. by Kilscannel; N. by Doondonnel Ph.; E. by Courtmatrix, Ballyallinan N. and Ardnanean; and S. by Islandboy. Contains 266 acres.

The property of W. Butler, Esq., under Lord Southwell. All under tillage and pasture. The road from Newcastle to Rathkeale forms its N. boundary, and a bye road forms its E. boundary. About 40 acres of its southern end is subject to winter floods. Acreable rent - £1 10s.

## Blossomhill

-- B.S.S.M.

5

Cnoc Blaithe, hill of the blossom.

Blossomhill

-- J. O'D.

- County Map

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Is situated in the extreme N.E. of the parish, about 1½ miles N.E. of Rathkeale Town. Bounded on the N. by the ph. of Nantenan; W. by Kyletaun and Wolfesburgess E.; S. by Beechmount Demesne; and E. by the Commons of Rathkeale and Croagh Parish. Contains 297 acres, including 9 acres of water.

#### Blossomhill (contd.)

The property of Thos. Lloyd, Esq. Mostly under cultivation and pasture. A portion of its N. end is rocky. A large lake, called Doohyle Lough, forms part of its N.W. boundary, and another lies 20 chains S.E. on the boundary of Wolfesburgess East. A bye road runs through the centre of the td., and the Mail Coach road from Rathkeale to Limerick forms its south boundary. Acreable rent - £2 10s.

## Ballyallinan North

-- B.S.S.M.

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Baile Uí Aillionain, O'Hallinan's town.

Ballyallinan &c.

Ballyallenan

Ballyallinane

Ballyallynane

Ballyallinane

-- J. O'D.

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- Tithe Compn. Book 1834

-- Jury List 1840

-- J. S. Browne, Esq., Agent

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

-- Down Survey

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

(N.B. J. S. Browne, Esq., Agent, states that Bally-allinan N. and S. are only one townland, called Bally-allinan.)

Situated 1 mile S.S.W. of Rathkeale Town. Bounded on the N. and W. by Courtmatrix, Ardnanean and Loghill; S. by Ballyallinan South; and E. by Ballywinterrourke and Ballywinterrourke Wood. Contains 620 acres.

The property of Lord Viscount Southwell. All under tillage and pasture. It is bounded on the N.W. by the R. Deel. About four-fifths of it is subject to winter floods. Acreable rent - £2 4s.

## Ballyallinan South

-- B.S.S.M.

17

See above, page 6.

2 miles S. of Rathkeale Town. Bounded on the M. by Ballyallinan N.; W. by Loghill; S. by Clonelty Ph., and Ballybrown Td.; and E. by Kilcolman E., Kilcolman W. and Ballywinterrourke Wood. Contains 667 acres.

The property of Lord Viscount Southwell. All under tillage and pasture. A road forms a great portion of its north side, and a bye road passes through its centre from N. to S. A fort is situated in the S.E. angle of the td., and another stands 32 chains N.N.W. of the former. Acreable rent - £2 4s.

#### Ballywinterrourke

-- B.S.S.M.

3

Baile Mhuinntire Ruairc, town of the family of Rourke.

Ballywinterrourke

-- J. O'D. -- Tithe Book

Ballyvinterrourke

-- Julius Delmege, Esq.

Ballyvinterourke Ballyventarourke -- J. S. Brown, Esq., Agent
-- Revd. Thos. Hogan, P.P.

Ballyvinterrourke

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

1½ miles S. of Rathkeale Town. Bounded on the N. by Enniscoush Td. (Rathkeale Ph.) and Enniscoush Td. (Ph. of Nantenan; W. by Ballyallinan N.; S. by Ballywinterrourke Wood; and E. by Rathnaseer Td., Nantenan Ph., and Graigue Td. Contains 478 acres.

The property of Julius Delmege, Esq., under Lord Southwell. Nearly all under tillage and meadow, but a great portion is subject to winter floods. A road passes through the centre of the td. Acreable rent - £2. There are 2 forts; one, from which the td. has derived its name, is situated in the eastern extremity of the td.; the other is situated near its southern boundary.

#### Ballywinterrourke Vood

-- B.S.S.M.

9

See above, page 8.

 $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles S. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballywinterrourke and by Rathnaseer in Nantenan Ph.;

W. by Ballyallinan N. and S.; S. by Kilcolman E.; and

E. by Duckstown. Contains 349 acres.

The property of Julius Delmege, Esq., under Lord Southwell. All under tillage and pasture. A road forms part of its E. boundary, and a bye road crosses its N.W. angle and forms part of its western boundary. About 20 chains N.W. of the S.E. angle of the td. stands an old fort. Acreable rent - £2.

## Ballywilliam North

-- B.S.S.M.

10

Baile Uilliaim, William's town.

Ballywilliam

-- J. O'D.

-- County Map

-- Barony Map

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Balliwilliam

-- Down Survey

Ballywilliams

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

1 mile S. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by English Tenements and Abbeylands; W. by Enniscoush and Enniscoush in Nantenan Ph.; S. by Ballywinterrourke and

## Ballywilliam North (contd.)

Graigue; and E. by Ballywilliam South and Beechmount Demesne. Contains 151 acres.

The property of John Pigott, Esq. All under tillage and good meadow. A bye road passes through the td., and the R. Deel forms its western boundary. There is a large island formed by its west boundary, called White's Island. Acreable rent - £4.

#### Ballywilliam South

-- B.S.S.M.

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See above, page 10.

1 miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. and W. by Beechmount Demesne and Ballywilliam North; S. by Graigue and by Rathnaseer in Nantenan Ph.; and E. by Ballywilliam Demesne and Beechmount Demesne. Contains 260 acres.

The property of David Ferguson, Esq. All in a state of high cultivation with the exception of about 20 acres of bog. It is bounded on the N. by the road from Rathkeale to Ballingarry, and a bye road passes through the townland. A large portion of its west side is subject to floods in winter.

## Ballywilliam Demesne

-- B.S.S.M.

-- J. O'D.

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12 miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Beechmount Demesne and Ballywilliam Glebe; E. by Croagh Ph.; S. by Dromard Demesne; and W. by Ballywilliam South. Contains 212 acres.

The property of George M. Maunsell, Esq. This td. is handsomely laid out as a demesne by the proprietor. A portion of its S.E. side is subject to winter floods.

## Ballybrown

-- B.S.S.M.

13

Baile an Bhrúnaigh, Brown's town.

Ballybrown

-- J. O'D.

-- County Map

-- Tithe Book

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Ballybrowne

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

 $3\frac{3}{4}$  miles S.S.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballyallinan S.; and on the W., S. and E. by Clonelty Ph. Contains 138 acres.

The property of the Revd. Thos. Locke. All under tillage and pasture. A road passes through the td. It contains 4 old forts. Acreable rent - £1 12s.

Ballyea

-- B.S.S.M.

14

Baile Ui Aodha, O'Hea's town.

Ballyea

-- J. O'D.

-- Tithe Book

-- Revd. Thos. Hogan. P.P.

-- Barony Map

Bally Ea

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

3½ miles S.S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballyea Wood; W. by Duckstown; S. by Cloncagh Ph.; and E. by Doonbeirne and Ballynamucky tds. Contains 541 acres.

The property of Colonel White. About one-sixth of this td. is heathy pasture; the remainder is under tillage and pasture. A bye road passes through the centre of the td., and another forms a great part of its western boundary. There is an old fort near the S.W. angle of the td., and another is near its centre. Acreable rent-£1 5s.

## Ballyea Wood

-- B.S.S.M.

15

3 miles S.S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Moanwing and Dromard Demesne; E. by Ballynamucky; S. by Ballyea; and W. by Duckstown. Contains 246 acres.

The property of John Mahony, Esq., Limerick. All under tillage and pasture. There is an old fort near the centre of the td., and another is situated in its N.W. angle. Acreable rent - £1 8s.

#### Bealdavroga

-- B.S.S.M.

16

Béal Dubhróige, mouth of the Dubhrog (stream).

Bealduvroga

-- J. O'D.

Bealdivroggy

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

Bealdurogy

-- Co. Presentment Book 1839

Bealdarogy

-- Revd. Thos. Hogan, P.P.

Ballyderogye -- Down Survey

Byalladorogie Ballydorogie) -- Civil Survey 1654-56

Ballydorrogie)

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

4 miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. and E. by the phs. of Croagh and Ballingarry; S. by Rylanes td.; and W. by Dromard Demesne. Contains 477 acres.

The property of Captn. John Odell. All under tillage

Bealdavroga (contd.)
except a large portion of its N.W. side, which is called
Bealduroga Wood. The road from Rathkeale to Ballingarry
forms a great portion of its south boundary. Acreable
rent - £1 10s.

#### Ballynamucky

-- B.S.S.M.

17

Baile na Muicidhe, town of the swineherds.

Ballynamucky

Ballinamuckee

- J. O'D,
- Tithe Book
- Jury List 1840
- Barony Cess Book

Ballynamuckee -- Barony Cess Book 1834
-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.
-- Sur. & Val. Report 1824

Ballynemucky -- Civil Survey 1654-56

3½ miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Dromard Demesne; W. by Ballyea and Ballyea Wood; S. by Doonbeirne and Ballingarry Ph.; and E. by Rylanes td. Contains 389 acres.

The property of Richd. S. Croker, Esq., Ballylin. All under tillage and pasture. A bye road passes through its centre, and another on its east side. At 15 chains N. of its S.E. angle is an old fort, at 24 chains N.N.W. of which stands another. Acreable rent - £1 12s.

#### Beechmount Demesne

-- B.S.S.M.

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Beechmount Demesne

-- J. O'D.

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Beechmount

-- County Map -- Jury List 1840

-- Barony Map

The miles E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Parklewis and the Glebe of Ballywilliam; S. by Ballywilliam Demesne and Ballywilliam South; W. by Ballywilliam N. and Abbeylands; and N. by Blossomhill and Rathkeale Commons. Contains 250 acres, including almost 4 acres of water.

The property of Thomas Lloyd, Esq. The whole of this td. is laid out as a demesne, containing a small lake of about 9 acres with 5 islands, and a Deerpark of about 15 acres. The Mail Coach road from Rathkeale to Limerick forms its northern boundary, and a bye road passes through its southern extremity.

## Curraghnadeela

-- B.S.S.M.

19

Currach na Daoile, moor of the Deel.

## Curraghnadeela (contd.)

N.B. The proprietor states that there is no such td. as Curraghnadeela, which is only a small farm in Cloghatrida, the proper name for this td.

Cloghatrida

-- J. O'D.

Cloughatrida Cloghtreday

-- J. S. Browne, Esq., Agent.
-- Civil Survey 1654-56

1 mile N.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Nantenan Ph.; W. by Doondonnel; S. by Knockaun-avad and Kyletaun; and E. by Kyletaun and Stoneville Demesne. Contains 313 acres.

The property of John S. Brown, Esq. All under tillage and pasture. The road from Rathkeale to Glin passes through it and forms part of its eastern boundary, and the R. Deel forms its western boundary. The td. contains 5 old forts and a lead mine opposite Stoneville Demesne Gate. Acreable rent - £2.

#### Courtmatrix

-- B.S.S.M.

20

Bun Traisc. the mouth of the Trask (a stream).

Courtmatrix

-- J. 0'D.

-- County Map

-- Tithe Book

-- Barony Cess Book 1834 -- Civil Survey 1654-56

Courtematrix

1 mile S.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on

the N. by Castlematrix; W. by Ardbohil and Ardnanean; S. by Ballyallinan North; and E. by Enniscoush and Castlematrix. Contains 391 acres.

The property of Lord Viscount Southwell. All under tillage, pasture and meadow. The road from Rathkeale to Newcastle passes through and forms part of its N. boundary. A bye road forms its west boundary. A great portion of the S. end of the td. is subject to winter floods, and near its S.E. angle is a Palatine settlement. Acreable rent - £1.

## Castlematrix

-- B.S.S.M.

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Caislean Bhun Traisc.

Castlematrix

-- J. O'D.

-- Tithe Book

Castle Matrix

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P. -- J. S. Brown, Agent

Castlematrix

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

## Castlematrix (contd.)

mile S.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Wclfesburgess West; W. by Doondonnell Ph.; S. by Courtmatrix; and E. by Enniscoush and Castlematrix Glebe. Contains 228 acres.

The property of Lord Southwell. All under cultivation and meadow. The road from Rathkeale to Newcastle forms its eastern boundary. The old road from Askeaton to Rathkeale passes through the td. Acreable rent - £1.

#### Dromard Demesne

-- B.S.S.M.

22

Drom Árd, high ridge.

Dromard Demesne

-- J. C'D.

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Dromard

-- Tithe Book

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- J. S. Brown, Esq.

Drome Arde

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

2½ miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Groagh Ph.; E. by Croagh Ph. and Bealduvroga Td.; S. by Ballynamucky, Ballyea Wood and Moanwing; and W. by Rathnaseer (Nantenan Ph.), Ballywilliam S. and Ballywilliam Demesne. Contains 713 acres.

The property of John S. Brown, Esq. The whole of this td. with the exception of about 25 acres of bog is under tillage, and the greater part of it comprises the demesne of Mount Browne. The road from Rathkeale to Ballingarry passes through it, on its east side. Acreable rent - £1 10s.

## Dunburn

-- B.S.S.M.

23

Dun Birn, Beirne's fort.

Doonbeirne

-- J. O'D.

Doonburn

-- Co. Presentment Book 1839

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Dunburn Donberren -- Tythe Book

-- Down Survey

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

4½ miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballynamucky and Ballyea, and on the W., S. and E. by the phs. of Cloncagh and Ballingarry. Contains 217 acres.

The property of Richd. Greave, Esq., Woodstock Cottage. About 2 is rough pasture; the remainder is tillage and pasture land. A bye road passes through the centre of

## Dunburn (contd.)

the td. from E. to W. Near its N.E. angle is an old fort, 26 chains S. of which is another fort, and 14 chains S.W. of the former is a third fort. Acreable rent -£1 12s.

#### Duckstown

-- B.S.S.M.

24

Baile na Láthach, town of the puddles. Duckstown is a mistranslation. J. O'D.

Duckstown

-- J. O'D.

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

--- H. Cosgrave, Esq.

-- Jury List 1840

Duckstown or ) Ballyaghaha

-- Tithe Book

3 miles S.S. E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Rathnaseer and an isolated portion of Nantenan ph.; W. by Ballywinterrourke Wcod and Kilcolman: by Cloncagh Ph.; and E. by Ballyea, Ballyea Wood and Moanwing tds. Contains 788 acres.

The property of Colonel White. About 60 acres in the S. end of this td. is rough pasture; the remainder is tillage and pasture land. The road from Rathkeale to Charleville forms its western boundary, and another, branching off the former, crosses the td. near the S. Near its S.W. angle stands an old fort on the boundary of the parish, and S. of the latter road are 2 forts, and 29 chains S. of the N.E. angle of the td. is a fourth fort, and at about the same distance W.S.W. of the latter is another fort near the junction of 2 roads. Acreable rent - £1 14s.

## English Tenements

-- B.S.S.M.

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English Tenements

-- J. O'D.

-- Tithe Book

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

-- Down Survey English Interest ?

On the S. side of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the S. by Enniscoush and Ballywilliam N.; E. by Abbeylands: and N. and W. by Rathkeale td. Contains 81 acres.

The property of John Studdert and John Pigott, Esqrs. All under tillage and meadow. A great portion of the principal street of Rathkeale forms its N.W. boundary.

## English Tenements (contd.)

On the N.E. side it is bounded by Well Lane, and on the S. by the R. Deel, which is subject to winter floods. Acreable rent - £4.

## Glebe of Castlematrix

-- B.S.S.M. -- J. O'D. 26

At the S.W. end of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. and E. by Enniscoush, and on the W. and S. by Castlematrix td.

The property of Archdeacon Warburton. All under tillage. The west of this Glebe is subject to winter floods.

## Glebe of Ballywilliam

-- B.S.S.M.

27

1 mile E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Parklewis; W. by Beechmount Demesne; S. by Bally-william Demesne; and E. by the latter td.

The property of the Revd. Archdeacon Warburton. All under tillage and pasture. A bye road forms its E. boundary. The greater part is handsomely laid out as a demesne by the Incumbent.

#### Graig

-- B.S.S.N.

28

Gráig, a village.

Graigue

-- J. O'D.

-- Co. Presentment Book -- Revd. T. Hogan, P.F.

Graige Graige als. Grange -- Edwd. Lloyd, Esq., Agent
-- Civil Survey 1654-56
-- Acts of Settlement &c.

1½ miles S.S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballywilliam; E. by Rathnaseer in Nantenan Ph.; S. by the same; and W. by Ballywinterrourke and Ballywilliam North. Contains 119 acres.

The property of Edwd. Tierney, Dublin. All under tillage and pasture. A portion is handsomely laid out as a demesne. The road from Rathkeale to Charleville passes through it, and a bye road forms its S. boundary. A great portion of this td. is subject to winter floods. Acreable rent - £3.

## Inniscoush

-- B.S.S.M.

29

Inis Cuais, island of the cave.

#### Inniscoush (contd.)

-- J. O'D. Enniscoush -- Tithe Book Enniscouch -- Jury List 1840

Enniscoushe -- J. S. Brown, Esq., Agent -- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P. Inniscoush -- Civil Survey 1654-56 Inishgousse

Adjoins the town of Rathkeale on its S. side. Bounded on the N. by Rathkeale and English Tenements; E. by Ballywilliam N. and Enniscoush in Nantenan Ph.; S. by Ballywinterrourke and Ballyallinan N.; and E. by Court Matrix. Castle Matrix and Wolfe Burgess West. Contains 344 acres.

The property of Lord Viscount Southwell. All under cultivation and meadow. The road from Rathkeale to Newcastle forms its W. boundary, and a bye road passes through the td. from N.W. to S.E. The R. Deel forms part of its S. boundary. Mount Scuthwell House is situated near the northern end of the td.

#### Inniscoush, Ph. of Nantenan

30

See preceding name. J. C'D.

1 mile S. of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Enniscoush (Rathkeale Ph.); S. by Ballywinterrourke; E. by Ballywilliam N.; and W. by Enniscoush. Contains 57 acres.

The property of Lord Viscount Southwell. All under cultivation. It is bounded on the S. by the R. Deel, and a great portion of it is subject to winter floods. Acreable rent - £1 10s.

## Islandboy

Islandboy

-- B.S.S.M.

31

Oileán Buidhe, yellow island.

\_\_ J. O'D. -- Co. Presentment Book 1839 -- Revd. Thos. Hogan, P.P.

Islandbuoy -- Barony Map

-- Civil Survey 1654-56 Illaneboy

2½ miles S.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ardbohil; W. by Kilscannel Ph.; S. by Grange Ph.; and E. by Leghill td. Contains 104 acres.

The property of Lady O'Brien. All under pasture and meadow. Bounded on the E. by the R. Deel, it is all subject to winter floods and is useless for any kind of tillage. Acreable rent - £1.

Kilethaan

-- B.S.S.M.

32

Coillteán. little wood.

Kyletaun

-- J. O'D.

a mile N.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Cloghatrida td. and Nantenan Ph.; W. by Knockaunavad; S. by Wolfesburgess W. and Rathkeale tds.; and E. by Blossomhill and Rathkeale tds. Contains 468 acres, including 12% acres of water.

The property of J. Studdert Esq. About & is subject to winter floods, being flat marshy bog; the remainder is under tillage and pasture. The road from Rathkeale to Askeaton passes through it and contains several valuable limestone quarries. The Rathkeale Union Poor House stands near its S. side.

#### Knockaunavoad

-- B.S.S.M.

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Cnocán a' Mhad, hillock of the dog. (recté 'a Mhadaidh')

Knockaunavad

-- J. O'D.

Cnocbanevayde

-- Barony Map -- Civil Survey 1654-56 -- Acts of Settlement

Knockanvody

# mile N.W. of Rathkeale Town. Bounded on the N. by Cloghatrida; W. by Cloghanarold in Doondonnell Ph.: S. by Wolfesburgess West; and E. by Myletaun. Contains 156 acres.

The property of John Studdert, Esq. All under tillage and pasture. A bye road forms its S. boundary, and it contains 3 forts. There is a rocky glen on its west side, forming part of the east bank of the R. Deel. Acreable rent - £1 7s.

## Milcoleman Bast

-- B.S.S.M.

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Cill Cholmain, St. Colman's church.

Kilcolman &c.

Kilcoleman

-- J. O'D

-- Barony Map

-- Tithe Book

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P. -- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

Killcoulman ) Killcollman )

Killcollman

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

3 miles S. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballywinterrourke Wood; E. by Duckstown; S. by Clonelty Ph.; and W. by Kilcolman W. and Ballvallinan S. Contains 449 acres.

#### Kilcoleman East (contd.)

The property of Michael Keating, Fsq. About 60 acres is rough pasture; the remainder is tillage and good pasture land. The road from Rathkeale to Charleville forms its east boundary, and a bye road crosses the td. near its S. end. 24 chains W.S.W. of its N.E. angle stands an old fort, 45 chains S.S.W. of which is another, and a third is 29 chains E.N.E. of the latter. 27 chains N.N.W. of the S.E. angle of the td stand the ruins of Kilcolman Church in a burial ground. Acreable rent - £1 12s.

#### Kilcoleman West

-- B.S.S.M.

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See preceding name. J. O'D.

3 miles S. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballyallinan South; W. and S. by Clonelty Ph.; and E. by Kilcolman East. Contains 249 acres.

The property of Michael Keating, Esq. All under tillage and pasture. A bye road forms part of its west boundary. There are 5 forts of the smallest class in this td., and there is a draw well near its western boundary.

#### Loughel

-- B.S.S.M.

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Lochal, meaning brooklime (an aquatic herb).

Loghill

-- J. O'D.

Loughill

-- Tithe Book

-- Co. Presentment Book

Loughill

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P. -- Civil Survey 1654-56 -- Acts of Settlement &c.

2½ miles S.S.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ardnanean; W. by Islandboy and Grange Ph.; S. by Clonelty Ph.; and E. by Ballyallinan S. and N. Contains 646 acres.

The property of Lady O'Brien. All under tillage and meadow. Nearly half the td. is subject to winter floods from the R. Deel. A bye road passes through the td. Near the S.E. angle of the td. are 2 forts. Acreable rent - £1 16s.

#### Moanwaan

-- B.S.S.M.

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Muing is a soft marshy place.

Moin Mhuing.

Moanwing

-- J. O'D.

-- H. Cosgrave, Esq.

Moanwaan

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

## Moanwaan (contd.)

2½ miles S.S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Rathnaseer in Hantenan Ph. and by Dromard Demesne; S. and E. by Ballyea Wood; and W. by Duckstown. Contains 98 acres.

The property of Colonel White. All under tillage and pasture. There are no roads in the td. Situated near its N. boundary is an old fort. Acreable rent - £1 18s.

#### Parklewis

-- B.S.S.M.

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Parklewis

-- J. O'D.

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

Park Lewis

-- Jury List 1840

1 mile E. of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Rathkeale Commons and Croagh Ph.; E. by Croagh Ph.; S. by Ballywilliam Demesne and the Glebe of Ballywilliam; and W. by Beechmount Demesne. Contains 48 acres.

The property of Revd. C. Smith, Esq., of Ballylin, Ph. of Croagh. All under cultivation. This td. is bounded on its N. side by the road from Rathkeale to Limerick. Acreable rent - £1 3s.

## Ranaseer, Ph. of Wantenan -- B.S.S.M.

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Ráth na Saor, fort of the carpenters.

Rathnaseer

-- J. C'D.

Rathnasare

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- Edwd. Tierney, Esq., Agent

-- Barony Map

Rathnaseare

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P.

-- Co. Presentment Book 1839

Ratheneseare Rathnaseare -- Civil Survey 1654-56 -- Acts of Settlement &c.

1½ miles S. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Ballywilliam S.; E. by Dromard Demesne; S. by Duckstown and Ballywinterrourke Wood; and W. by Ballywinterrourke and Graigue. Contains 483 acres.

The property of Edmond Tierney, Esq., Dublin. All under tillage with the exception of about 40 acres of bog. The road from Rathkeale to Ballingarry passes through the td. A portion of its N.W. end is subject to floods in winter. Acreable rent - £1 15s.

#### Rathkeale

-- B.S.S.M.

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See name of parish.

The town of Rathkeale stands partly on the S. extremity

## Rathkeale (contd.)

of this td. Bounded on the N. and W. by Kyletaun and Wolfesburgess West; S. by Enniscoush; and E. by English Tenements, Abbeylands and Wolfesburgess East. Contains 302 acres.

The property of John Hewson, Esq., Abbey; Wm. Browne, Esq., Wilton; John Studdert, Esq., Elmhill; and John Pigott, Esq. The whoke of this td., with the exception of a portion subject to winter floods, is under tillage and meadow. Acreable rent - £4.

#### Rathkeale Commons

-- B.S.S.M.

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See parish name.

1 mile N.E. of the town of Rathkeals. Bounded on the E. by Croagh Ph.; S. by Parklewis and Beechmount Demesne; W. by Blossomhill; and N. by the same. Contains 47 acres.

The property of John S. Brown, Esq. About this td. is under tillage and pasture: the remainder is waste ground, rendered unprofitable by carrying away its surface. A bye road passes through its centre, and the road from Rathkeale to Limerick forms its S. boundary. Acreable rent - £1.

#### Rylaans

-- B.S.S.M.

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Roighleán, meaning unknown.

Rylanes

-- J. C'D.

-- Tithe Book

Rylans

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.F.

Reylane

-- Down Survey

Relane

-- Acts of Settlement &c.

4 miles S.E. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the W. by Bealduvroga; W. by Ballynamucky; and S. and E. by Ballingarry Ph. Contains 207 acres.

The property of Major Odell. All under tillage and pasture. A great portion of this td. is laid out as a demesne attached to Gore House, the residence of the proprietor. The road from Rathkeale to Ballingarry forms, partly, its N. boundary, and there is a large fort in the centre of the td. Acreable rent - £1 8s.

#### Stoneville Demesne

-- B.S.S.M.

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Stoneville

-- J. O'D.

-- Barony Cess Book 1834

Stoneville Demesne Stonville Demesne

-- Revd. T. Hogan, P.P. -- J. F. Massy, Esq.

## Stoneville Demesne (contd.)

12 miles N.N.W. of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the K. by Mantenan Ph.; W. and S. by Cloghatrida; and E. by Mantenan Ph. Contains 98 acres.

The property of J. F. Massy, Esq. The whole of this td. is laid out and forms part of the proprietor's demesne. The road from Rathkeale to Glin forms its west boundary.

#### Wolfe's Burgess East

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Wolfesburgess &c.

-- J. O'D.

Wolfsburgess

-- Tithe Eook -- Barony Cess Book 1834

Woulfsburges

Wolfe's Burgess East -- Revd. T. Hogan. P.P.

In the N.E. side of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the M. by Kyletaun: W. by Rathkeale; S. by Abbeylands: and E. by Blossomhill tds. Contains 131 acres.

The property of Maurice and Joseph Studdert, Esgrs. All under tillage with the exception of a portion of marshy bog near its N. end. Boherboy Street, or the road from Rathkeale to Limerick, forms its south boundary; and a lake lies on the boundary between it and Blossomhill, near its north end. Acreable rent - £4.

## End of Book I.

#### PARISH OF RATHKEALE

#### BOOK II

## Townlands (contd.)

#### Wolfe's Burgess West

-- B.S.S.M.

Wolfesburgess West -- J. O'D.

mile west of the town of Rathkeale. Bounded on the N. by Knockaunavad and Kyletaun; E. by Rathkeale and Enniscoush; S. by Castlematrix and Castlematrix Glebe; and W. by Doondonnell Ph. Contains 144 acres.

The property of John Pigott, Esq. All under tillage and meadow. Its north side is bounded by a bye road. Another bye road passes through its centre, and the R. Deel forms its south boundary. Acreable rent - £3.

#### Miscellaneous Features

#### Rathkeale Town

-- B.S.S.M.

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See parish name. J. O'D.

Rathkeyle with a Castle, several tenements standing on the high road, a bridge on the R. Deele and 2 mill-seates.

— Civil Survey 1654-56

In the tds. of Rathkeale, Wolfesburgess East, Abbeylands. English Tenements, Enniscoush and Castlematrix.

## Castlematrix Castle

-- Local

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See townland name.

In the td. of Castlematrix.

A large house 2 stories high, with a new castle 6 stories high adjoining it, with offices, a plantation and a garden. The residence of John S. Brown, Esq., J.F.

#### Castlematrix Mill

-- Local

In the td. of Castlematrix.

A large corn mill, 4 stories high, with a store. The property of John Southwell Brown, Esq., J.P.

#### Mount Brown

-- Local

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Mount Browne

-- J. O'D.

-- Barony Map

In Dromard Demesne.

#### Mount Brown (contd.)

A large plantation, with a house 3 stories high. The residence of John Walker, Esq.

Court Lodge

-- Local

Court Lodge

-- J. O'D.

-- Tobias Delmege, Esq.

In the td. of Castlematrix.

A small lodge, 2 stories high, with offices, a plantation and a garden. The residence of Tobias Delmege, Esq.

Brown Ville House

-- Local

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Brownville House Brown Ville -- J. O'D.

-- J. S. Brown, Esq., Agent

In the td. of Courtmatrix.

A large house, 2 stories high, with offices and a plantation. The residence of Pierce Brown, Esq.

Ormond School

-- Local

-- J. O'D.

In the td. of Ardbohil.

A large school house, 2 stories high, with some ground to the rear, which was given as a donation by Lady Ormond, from whom it takes its name. It was established in 1825.

River Lawn House, or ) Haryfield House

-- Local

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Riverlawn

-- J. O'D.

-- Samuel Leake, Esq.

In the td. of Wolfesburgess West.

A neat house, 2 stories high, with offices, a plantation and a garden. It was formerly called Maryfield House, but is now called Riverlawn House.

Rathkeale Silver Mines

-- Local

In the td. of Cloghatrida.

Silver Mines so called.

White Island

-- Local

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Cileán Bán, white island.

## White Island (contd.)

White Island

-- J. O'D.

In the td. of Ballywilliam North.

A large island on the R. Deel.

## Wilton Hill

-- Local -- J. O'D.

In the td. of Graigue.

A neat house, 2 stories high, with offices and a plantation. The residence of William Brown, Esq.

#### Danesfort House

Danes Fort

-- Local

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Deansfort House

-- Barony Map

-- Henry Brown, Esq.

In the td. of Ballywinterrourke.

A neat house, 1 story high, with offices. The residence of Hnery Brown, Esq.

#### Ranaseer Castle

-- Local

See td. J. O'D.

In the td. of Rathnaseer.

The ruins of an old castle so called.

## Castle Bridge

-- Local
-- J. O'D.

O

On the boundary between Rathnaseer and Graigue. An old bridge of one arch.

## Ranaseer Church

-- Local

See td. J. O'D.

In the td. of Rathnaseer.

An old church in ruins, with a burial ground.

## Ballywilliam House

-- Local

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-- G. M. Maunsell, Esq.

In the td. of Ballywilliam Demesne.

A large house, 2 stories high, with extensive offices and a plantation. The residence of George Wears Maunsell, Esq.

## Ballywilliam Glebe House

Rectory House

-- J. P. Bouchier, Gurate.

### Ballywilliam Glebe House (contd.)

Balliwilliam

-- Down Survey

See td. J. O'D.

In the Glebe of Ballywilliam.

A large house, 2 stories high, with offices. The residence of the Revd. Archdeacon Warburton.

#### Beechmount House

-- Local

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-- Barony Map

-- J. O'D.

In the td. of Beechmount Demesne.

A large house, 3 stories high, with offices, a plantation and a large fish pond. The residence of Thos. Lloyd, Esq.

#### Abbey House

-- Local

Rathkeale House Rathkeale Abbey -- Jury List 1840
-- Jas. Hewson, Esq.

In the td. of Abbeylands.

A large house, 2 stories high, with a plantation and offices. The residence of James Hewson, Esc.

## Stoneville

-- County Map
-- J. O'D.

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Stoneville House

-- J. F. Massy, Esq.

In the tds. of Stoneville Demesne and Stoneville in the ph. of Nantenan.

A large house, 2 stories high, with offices and a plantation. The residence of the Widow Massey.

## Holy Cross

-- Local

-- J. O'D.

On the boundary between Kyletaun and Rathkeale.

A cross road so called.

## Doohile Lough

-- B.S.S.M.

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Dubhchoill, black wood.

Doohyle Lough

-- J. O'D.

On the boundary between Kyletaun and Blossomhill in the ph. of Rathkeale and Doohylebeg and Ballingarrane in the ph. of Nantenan.

A large lake liable to flood its banks.

Ballyallinan Castle -- Local

See td. J. O'D.

In the td. of Ballyallinan North.

An old castle in ruins.

St. Bernard's Well -- Local -- J. O'D.

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In the td. of Ballyallinan North.

A holy well, celebrated for curing blindness, hameness and rheumatism.

<u>Liserin</u> — Local

Lissadin -- J. O'D.

Lios a' Dinn, fort of the mound.

In the td. of Ballywinterrourke.

A large fort so called, near the road from Rathkeale to Knockaderry.

Springmount House

- Local
- Wm. Brown, Esq.
- J. O'D.

In the td. of Ballynamucky.

A neat house, 2 stories high, with offices and a plantation. The residence of Wm. Brown, Esq.

The Grove - Local

Grove House -- Barony Map

In the tds. of Rylanes, ph. of Rathkeale, and Rylanes, ph. of Ballingarry.

A neat demesne, with a large house 4 stories high, with offices. The residence of Major Odell.

Thubbernagrowl -- Local

Tobar na gCreabhar, well of the woodcocks.

Tobernagrour -- J. O'D.

In the td. of Ballybrown.

A well so called.

Fortwilliam House - Local

Fort William House -- Wm. Brown, Esq.

In the td. of Bealduvroga.

#### Fortwilliam House (contd.)

A large house, 2 stories high, built on a fort, with offices and a plantation. Formerly the residence of William Brown, Esq., of Springmount. At present occupied by a herdsman.

#### Bealdavroga Wood

-- Local

17

Béal Dubhróige, mouth of the Dubhrog (a stream?).

Bealduvroga Wood

-- J. O'D.

In the td. of Bealduvroga.

A large wood so called.

#### Inniscoush House

-- Local

Enniscoush

-- John Hewson, Esc.

See td. J. O'D.

In the td. of Enniscoush, Ph. of Nantenan.

A large house, 2 stories high, with offices and a plantation. The residence of John Hewson, Ssq.

#### River Deel

-- B.S.S.M.

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River Deele

-- Barony Map

-- Civil Survey 1654-56

River Deel

-- J. O'D.

On the boundary between Cloghatrida and Kilcool in the ph. of Doondonnell.

A large river flowing into the Shannon.

## Palantine Bridge

-- Local

Falatine Bridge

-- J. O'D.

On the boundary between Courtmatrix and Ballyallinan North.

An old wooden bridge on the River Deel.

## Courtmatrix Village

-- Local

-- J. S. Brown, Agent

-- J. O'D.

In the td. of Courtmatrix.

A small hamlet of thatched houses.

### Borheen

-- Local

Bóithrín, a little road.

Bohereen

-- J. O'D.

## Borheen (contd.)

In the td. of Rathkeale.

A street in the town of Rathkeale so called.

## Chapel Lane

-- Local

In the td. of Rathkeale.

A street in the town of Rathkeale so called.

#### Pound Lane

-- Local

In the td. of Rathkeale.

A lane in the town of Rathkeale so called.

#### Well Lane

-- Local

In the tds. of Abbeylands and English Tenements.

A lane in the town of Rathkeale so called.

#### Boherbuie

-- Local

Bóthar Buidhe, yellow road.

Boherboy

-- J. O'D.

In the tds. of Abbeylands and Wolfesburgess East.

A street in the town of Rathkeale so called.

## New Road

-- Local -- J. O'D.

In the td. of Rathkeale.

A street in the town of Rathkeale so called.

## Roache's Road

-- Local

Roche's Road

-- J. O'D.

In the td. of Rathkeale.

A street in the town of Rathkeale so called.

# Peppard's Lane or ) -- Local

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In the td. of Rathkeale.

A lane in the town of Rathkeale so called.

### Borheen (contd.) In the ta. of Rathkeale. A street in the town of Rathkeale so called. 20 -- Local Chapel Lane -- J. O'D. In the td. of Rathkeale. A street in the town of Rathkeale so called. -- Local Pound Lane -- J. O'D. In the td. of Rathkeale. A lane in the town of Rathkeale so called. -- Local 21 Well Lane -- J. O'D. In the tds. of Abbeylands and English Tenements. A lane in the town of Rathkeale so called. -- Local Boherbuie Bothar Buidhe, yellow road. -- J. O'D. Boherboy In the tds. of Abbeylands and Wolfesburgess East. A street in the town of Rathkeale so called. -- Local 22 New Road -- J. O'D. In the td. of Rathkeale. A street in the town of Rathkeale so called. -- Local Roache's Road -- J. O'D. Roche's Road In the td. of Rathkeale. A street in the town of Rathkeale so called. Peppard's Lane or -- Local 23 Old Chapel Lane

In the td. of Rathkeale.

A lane in the town of Rathkeale so called.

Market Square Local	
In the td. of English Tenements.	
A part of the town of Rathkeale so called.	
Glebe Castle  - Local - County Map - Barony Map - J. O'D.	24
In the Glebe of Castlematrix.	
An old castle so called.	
Inniscoush (Ph. of B.S.S.M B.S.S.M.	25
Inis Cuais, island of the cave.	
Enniscoush J. O'D.	
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Cottage Local	26
Rathkeale Cottage Julius Delmege	
In the td. of Castlematrix.	
The residence of Captn. Delmege.	
Deerpark Local J. O'D.	27
In the td. of Beechmount Demesne.	
Containing about 15 acres in the S.W. angle of the townland.	
Beechmount Lake Local J. C'D.	
In the td. of Beechmount Demesne.	
A small lake, with 4 islands, in the centre of Beechmount Demesne.	
Desmond's Well Local J. O'D.	28
In the td. of Courtmatrix.	
A spring well so called.	
Eilcoleman Church Local	<b>2</b> 9
Cill Cholmáin, St. Colman's Church.	
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Kilcoleman Church (contd.)
In the td. of Kilcolman East.
An old church in ruins.
Kilcoleman Burial Ground Local
Lilcolman Burial Ground J. O'D.
In the td. of Kilcolman East.
An old burial ground.
Mount Southwell House Francis Brown, Bsq. 30
In the td. of Enniscoush, near the town of Eathkeale.
A large house, 2 stories high, with offices and a plantation. The residence of Francis Brown. Tag.

-- Plan

-- J. O'D.

Carrignamedina

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In the td. of Blossomhill.

A rock.

Corrignamedina

## End of the Parish of Rathkeale