1832 Henry O'Grady, The Grange, 1833 Thomas Lloyd, Beechmount, 1834 G. M. Maunsell, Ballywilliam, 1835 Wm. Monsell, Tervoe, 1836 Vere Edmond De Vere, Curragh Chase, 1837 Stephen Edward Spring Rice, Mount Tren- 1855 Sir R. D. De Burgo, Island House, Castle chard, 1838 James Denis Lyons, Croom House, 1839 General Sir Richard Bourke, Thornfield, 1840 Richard Harte, Coolruss, 1841 James Kelly, Ballynanty, 1842 Michael Furnell, Caherilly Castle, 1843 Robert Maxwell, Islandmore, 1844 Richard Quin Sleeman, Cahara, 1845 Edward Crips Villiers, Kilpencon, 1846 Wm. H. Barrington, Glenstal Castle, 1847 Sir David Roche, Carass, 1848 Francis W. Goold, Dromadda,

1849 Samuel Frederick Dickson, of Vermont,

the Glebe House.

1850 Eyre Lloyd, Prospect, 1851 Henry Maunsell, Fanstown, 1852 John Low, Sunvale,

1853 Hugh Massy, Riversdale, 1854 F. C. F. Gascoigne, Castle Oliver,

Connell,

1856 John White, Belmont, 1857 George Gavin, Kilpeacon, 1858 Caleb Powell, Clonshavoy,

1859 Heffernan Considine, Derk House, 1860 Henry Lyons, Croom House,

1861 Helenus White, Mount Sion House, 1862 Edward Croker, Ballinagarde,

1863 Joseph Gubbins, Kilfrush, 1864 John Franks, Ballyscaddane,

1865 Sir David Vandeleur Koche, Bart., Carass Court,

1866 Henry Westropp, Esq. (M.P. for Bridgewater), of Greenpark.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Dunraven is Lord Lieutenant of the county and Custos Retulorum.

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#### CAHERIVAHALA.

Near this locality is "the Rock of the first (or the hundred) fires", Carrig an Ceud tinne, a bold and lofty rock; also remains of ancient fortifications, a large rath, and an old church. Near Ballinagarde is the Hill of Knockla, which appears to have been strongly fortified.

# FEDAMORE AND FRIARSTOWN.

In this neighbourhood is Cloch-na-Monach, or the "Monk's Stone", the remains of some ancient buildings; the fine remains of two uncient abbeys, founders unknown; also a large dun or fort.

HOSPITAL, a town four miles east of Bruff. In the church is the figure of a knight, said to be the founder, in the niche in the chancel. It was formerly a locality of the Knights Templars, and passed by gift of Queen Elizabeth to Sir Valentine Browne, who erected a fortress called Kenmare. The hospital is gone, and the castle very nearly so. The commandery of Knights Templars was founded by Geoffrey de Mariscis, about 1215.

## RALEIGHSTOWN

is near Hospital. In the church of the Recollects (Paris), was a monument erected to the memory of a scion of the house of Raleigh of Raleighstown, with the following inscription:-Messire Michel de Raleigh de la famille de Raleighstown, vivant captain commandant au regiment infanterie Irelandise de Berwick, Chevalier de l'ordre militaire de Saint Louis, qui e... l' honneur de servir 42 ans, sous les regnes de Louis XIV. et XV. et mourut 31st Decemr, 1732, age de 76 ans.

I am informed that Mr. Richard Raleigh, of Patrick Street, Limerick, Mr. Gibbon Raleigh, of Castlemahon, and Mr. John Raleigh, of Kyle, in the county of Limerick, are descendants of this ancient family.

SHANAGOLDEN. A post town, twenty miles w. of Limerick. Here is a curious circular compartmented most. The entrance was from the east, by which it is said the Irish forts were distinguished from those of the Danes. A little to the south is the ruin of Shanid Castle, whence the Desmonds, who deprived the MacSheehys of it, derived their war cry of "Shanid-a-boo". Between Shanagolden and Foynes is Knockpatrick Hill, on the slope of which a church is said to have been built by St. l'atrick, whose chair and well are shown in the adjoining field. The hill, which is 574 feet high, commands an extensive view of five counties. Seats.—Shanagolden House and

## PALLASKENRY.

A market and post town, twelve miles w. of Limerick. The Chapel Russell Loan Fund, established in 1823, gave a great stimulus to trade in this neighbourhood. Flax dressing, spinning,