of the church. Divine service is celebrated twice on Sundays during the greater part of the year, and once during the rest of it, and on the principal festivals; and a lecture is delivered every Wednesday. The sacrament is administered twelve times in the year, and on the great festivals. The benefices constituting this union are rectories.

William Lewis Beaufort, A.M. and LL.D. of T.C.D. was ordained Deacon on 29th Sept. 1796, and Priest on 25th July, 1797, both at Cork. In 1797 he was Curate of St. Nicholas; from 1803 to 1814 he was R. Ardnegihy; and from 1814 to 1849 P. Cahirlag. He was also, from 1810 to 1836 V. Brinny; and from 1810 to 1849 R. Knockavilly. He lived on 11th December, 1849. He married, in 1805, Emma-Anne, dau. of Thomas St. Lawrance, Bishop of Cork, and by her had issue, William-Augustus (Rector of Ballydelogher, q.v.); Francis, Thomas St. Lawrance, and William-Daniel, sons; besides five daughters, of whom Frances-Mary-Anne was the eldest.


1860. The church, &c., in good order. No glebe-house. The glebe is set. Divine service twice on Sundays, and once on all Thursdays and on chief feasts. Sacrament monthly; average of communicants, 66; and at Christmas and Easter, average, 114. The children are catechised on Sundays and two other days in the week. There are three schools, maintained partly by Church Education Society, at which 8 boys, 14 girls, and 35 infants attend. The Protestant population is 483. The rentcharge of Rathcony is £375; of Cahirlag, £225; and of Little Island, £135. Total rentcharge, £735. The glebe is worth £25 per annum. Total value of benefice, £760, without residence.

J. N. Woodrooffe was ordained Priest at Cloyne on 13th of April, 1834, and on 29th of November, 1834, was licensed to the Curacy of Rathcony. From 1846 to 1850 he was Chancellor of Cork.

CANNAWAY.

1318. 11. Edward II. John Wogan disputes, with William de Wellesley, the right of presentation to Cannaway Church, dioec. Cork. [Pat. Rot.]


1618. July 7. George Stuke was instituted to V. Clondroyd et Macrome, Cloysie, et V. Cannawey, Cork, on letters patent of May 27. [Registe of Court of Prerogative, Dublin.] Stuke seems to have held these parishes until 1632 or 1634.

1634. James Tredennick appears as V. Cannaway. "R. de Keanwy spectat ad Abb. de Mora. Cornack Dougharty est firmarius. Val. 5 l. per an. Vicarius Jacobus Tredenniek, sed sub lite. Val. 5 l." [R.V. 1634.] Tredennick was also R. Shandon, q.v.

1635. Thomas Haines was admitted V. Cannaway. [F.F.] He was also V. Holy Trinity, q.v.


1643. May 1. Peter Manby, P. Lisclery, R. Ardnagighe, and V. Cannaway. [F.F.] In V. B. of 1656, the name of Peter Manby is struck out, and the vicarage is marked "vacant." [D.R.]

For Manby, vide Lisclery.


1667 and 1668. Dr. Bernard Packington appears as V. Cannaway. [V.B. D.R.] Packington was also Archdeacon of Cork, q.v.

1669 to 1675. Peter Hewett appears as R. V. Cannaway. [V.B.] In the V. B. of 1670, "Rectoria impriopriata de Cannaway spectat ad Vicarium ratione confiscationis ejusdem." Hewett in 1675 became Chancellor, and in 1710 Precentor of Cork, q.v.

1675. Feb. 25. Huoo JENKINS, R. Ardnegihy, V. Ballymodan, Rathclarin, and Cannaway. [F.F.] In 1681 Jenkins was again admitted V. Ballymodan, q.v. In 1861 Jenkins became R. Ardnegihy, and in 1693 was P. Desertmore, q.v.


James Murphy does not appear elsewhere.


On 9 July, 1683, Fortune appoints James Weckes his Proctor in a suit for tithes. [D.R.] He appears as V. Cannaway 1683 to 1688. [V.B.]

1689. John Harrison appears as V. Cannaway, although in another Visitatioa Book, of same year, the vicarage is marked "vacant." [V.B.] In 1691 (the rest of the date is torn), "Johns Harrison, cleric, Divini Verbi predicator, adm. ad V. Cannaway per cessionem Johannis Fortunii ultimis incumbenti vacante." [D.R.]

1699. "No church; no Protestants. Mr. Harrison to converse with the peasants." [V.B. D.D. 1699.]

"1700. October 16. I saw Cannaway Church, which lies to the north-west of Moviddy Church, at about . . . . distance; the way to the church is steep, a gap is opened when . . . . Cannaway Church built with stone and lime, half the walls are standing . . . . bounds of the church-yard uncertain, whether an inward or out (ward) ditch. Counsellor Long's lands bound upon it. There are the ruins of a house in the church-yard. There is a vault whole; the Priest built an altar in it about a year ago, when some person of note was buried. About three English acres of glebe near the church belong to the Vicar. They lie on the east of the church. There are ten plowlands and a half in this parish; they are pretty good. The Earl of Corke has half the tithes of two other plowlands and half of Cannaway, and also of the mill. John Harrison, in 1669 to 1680, was Curate of Ballinaboy, in the parish of Aghabullog, in the diocese of Cloyne." [Downes' Tour.]

No Protestants in this parish. I left with Mr. Harrison four testaments. Mr. Harrison preaches once a fortnight and six small pr. books. All this parish lies on the south of the river Lee. He pays £10 for the occasional duties of Cannaway. [Rep.] He was author of "A History of Ireland," and also of "A History of the late Rebellion." He married Rebecca, niece to the wife of Dr. B. Packington, Archdeacon of Cork.

1715. Mr. Walter Hewett appears as V. Cannaway. [V.B.] In 1710 he was Curate of Shandon. He was son of another Rev. Walter Hewett, and was born at Ringrone, county Cork, in 1688, and entered T.C.D. on 24 May, 1703.

1717. Nicholas Skofield appears as V. Cannaway. [V.B.] He was, in 1718 to 1744. Thomas Russell appears as V. Cannaway. [V.B.] He was, in 1724. Archdeacon of Cork, q. v.

1729. May 26. Derby Connellan recants in parish church of Cannaway, before the congregation and Randol Roberts, the Curate. [D.R.]

1745. April 9. George Wilson, A.M., is admitted "ad unam R. Cannaway et ad V. Cannaway, vacant, per mortem naturalem Thome Russell." [D.R.]

George Wilson was, in 1747. Oct. 16, licensed to the curacy of Brinny. In 1743 he was V. Killaconenagh, Ross, whence he was promoted to Cannaway in 1745. He died in 1754.


In 1762 he was Precentor of Cork, q. v.


In 1779 he became P. Timoleague, Ross, q. v.

1784. December 7. Charles Smith, A.B., R. V. Cannaway, per cession of John Smith. [D.R.]

In 1796 he became V. Kilmoremoge, q. v.


By resignation of Charles Smith. [D.R.]

1807. Mr. Gordon is also R. Killegny, Ferns, where he resides. He pays £10 for the occasional duties of Cannaway. [Rep.]

He was author of "A History of Ireland," and also of "A History of the late Rebellion."

Rev. J. B. Gordon, held, along with Cannaway, the R. Killegny, Ferns, until his death, on 10 April, 1819. He left only surviving son, Rev. Richard Gordon : and three daughters, Ellen, wife of Samuel Robinson, of Clonmore, county Wexford; Catherine, and Harriett, wife of Thomas Jones, of Nutgrove, Rathfarnham, are mentioned in his will, which was dated and proved in 1819.

and Kilkaterne, in Ross, which he resigned that year. From 1671 to 1699 he was Curate of Kilnarry. On 26 Feb. 1683, he was licensed to the curacy of Moviddy and Aglish. He married Rebecca, niece to the wife of Dr. B. Packington, Archdeacon of Cork.
CARRIGALINE.

1291. Ecclesia de Beannier, with its appurtenances, viz.:-Kylieghlreath and Anglasse; £33 9s. 6d. [Tax P. Nic.]

12—Ralph de Killanoy was inducted into the vicarage of Beannier, co. Cork, on the presentation of Philip de Prendergast.

12—Maurice de Prendergast was Vicar of Beannier.

12—Stephen de Isscomere, Clk., was admitted in succession to Maurice de Prendergast, on the presentation of Gerald de Prendergast, son and heir of above Philip de Prendergast.

12—Iver was admitted V. Beannier, on the presentation of Maurice de Rupeford, who married Prendergast, daughter and heir of above Gerald de Prendergast; and Maurice de Rupeford (son and heir of said Maurice and Matilda de Prendergast) established his right to the advowson in 1311.

[Placita Conn. Bani. Hib.]

1337. The prebend of Beannah, in St. Finbarr’s Cathedral, is in the gift of the heir of Peter de Cogan, a minor. [Placita Conn. Bani. Hib.]

1386. Oct. 9. Thomas Harberg is appointed P. Beavor in ecclesia cathedrali St. Finbarr. [Rot. Can. Hiber.] On 16th Dec., 1386, he was appointed Archdeacon of Osseary ; and on 24th June, 1388, the King ratified his estate in that archdeaconry, and in the prebend of Beavor. [Tuckey’s Cork Remem. p. 32.]

Harberg died in 1405.


1414. Feb. 3. John Tanner was presented by Crown to P. Beavor als Carrigaline. [Rot. Can. Hiber.] In 1399 he was Parson of Youghal, and on 17th August, 1408, he was admitted P. Swords, St. Patrick’s, Dublin.

1591. Edmund M’Brine is Curate. “E. de Bever spectat ad Collig, de Youghal. Edmundus M’Bre, Cur.” [MS. T.C.D. E 3. 14.] He was also Curate of Ballinamore.
1673. May 5. ARTHUR POMEROY, A.M., is admitted R. Carrigaline.

1667. November 4. JOHN VEASIE, R. Carrigaline als Bever, vacat. V.B.

1660. Feb. 19. ROGER BOYLE is presented to R. Carrigaline. [Lib. Mun.]


1634. ROBERT BECK is Curate of Carrigaline. 

Val. 60 li per an. Robertus Beck est Curatus. He bath re-

ceived, for serving the rectory and vicarage those eighteen

years, only 40s." [R.V. 1634.] In 1634 Beck is also Curate

of Clontead.

Beck was, in 1639, Curate of Carrigaline, Tracton, and of

Kilcully als Bride als Templebrady, &c.

1689, Nov. 4._I He is admonished not to neglect

him. "Ecclesia bene, deest calix." I V.B. -:

1700. Thursday, Sept. 27. I saw Carickoline Church : it

is above 70 foot long, built with stone and clay, but the walls

are pretty good ; well slated, and well furnished with seats.

In the church hangs the King's Arms and Table of Marriage.

A good vestry built on the north side of the church, at the

charge of the Dean of Cork. In the vestry is a chest, where

they have a vestry-book and registry for christenings, and

book of canons, acts against swearing, and Common Prayer

books, and Bible. There is linen for the Communion-table,

a pewter flagon, chalice, paten, and basin of silver, and a

pewter font. The school is kept in the church, by Rich.

Codner, the clerk of the parish. A large church-yard, at least

an English acre, well fenced, and set round with yew-trees.

There are five small parcels of glebe belonging to the Incumbent of this parish.

Not far from the church is the old Castle of Caricko-

line, its almost ruinous; it formerly belonged to the family of

the Coghans, now it is the estate of the Ld. Shannon.

"Near Douglass, in this parish, is a burying-place, in an open

field ; there is still remaining the foundation of a church, but

they were carrying away the stones of the foundation. I

charged them to carry away no more. The field is part of Sir

John Mead's, set to the Potter at Douglass. This was, about

100 years ago, the church of Carickoline parish, before the new

church was built, where it now is, in the centre of ye parish.

In this parish also there is another burying-place, near a village

call'd Ballaran, about four miles distant from Corke, on the

left hand of the road from Cork to Carickoline; it is in an

open field. There does not appear any foundation of a church,

but the ground seems higher about the middle of the burying-

place. The Irish bury in this place sometimes. It is thought

that there was a church here." [Downes' Tour.]

1709. April. ROWLAND DAVIES, R. Carrigaline, per mortem Pome-

roy. Davies was also Dean of Cork, q. v.

He resigned on 10th September, 1717. [Lib. Mun.]

1717. Nov. 6. Carrigaline is vacant. [V.B.] On 4th August and

on 14th Oct., 1717, Boyle Davies had letters patent from the

Crown to this rectory, but Lord Shannon disputed the presen-

tation. [Lib. Mun. and D.R.]

1717. January 15. SAMUEL WEBBER, A.M., is admitted R. Carrigaline,

now vacant by death of Pomeroy, or by resignation of Dr.

Rowland Davies, and on the presentation of Earl of Shannon,
dated 17th Oct., 1717. He is inducted by the Archdeacon on

16th January. [D.R.] Webber appears 1718 to 1721.

[V.B.]

Samuel, son of Edward Webber, "senatoris," entered T.C.D.
as a Pensioner on 16th May, 1701, being then twenty-six years
of age. In 1718 he was V. Killacoonenagh in Ross ; in 1717,
R. Carrigaline, and in 1723 he became F. Howth, Dublin. He
died in 1742.

1721/2. March 3. BOYLE DAVIES, R. Carrigaline. [F.F.]

He appears in V.B. of 1722. [D.R.] In 1725 he became

P. Lisclery, q. v.

1723. The Vestry assigns the seat No. 13 in Carrigaline

Church to William Hodder, who paid for it £3 10s. [D.R.]
1784. Feb. 6. THOMAS BREVITIOR, A.M., is admitted R. Carrigaline.

1780. April 14. WILLIAM DICKSON, A.B., R. Carrigaline. [F.F.]

1779. April 15. LOWTHER YEATES, an., R. and V. Carrigaline.

1763. May 16. JOAN OLIVER, A.M., is presented to the R. Carrigaline.

J ohn Oliver was third son of Robert Oliver, of Clonodfoy, co. Limerick. He held the Archdeaconry of Ardford from 1762 along with Carrigaline. He married, in 1781, Elizabeth Ryder, dau. of the Abp. of Tuam. For his issue, vide Burke, under Olivers of Cherycaount.

Yeates does not appear on letters patent from the Crown, dated 31st December, the line consent to setting out the boundaries of the cure of the parish church of Douglas. [Chancery Enrolments.]


1807. Townsend lives at Courtmacsherry, near the P. Island, which he holds by faculty. [Rep.]

1824. January 31. Carrigaline new Church, built near site of old church, is finished, and on 7th Feb., 1824, is licensed for divine service. [D.R.]

1830. Protestant population, 642. Carrigaline, alias Beaver, a rectory, with cure; also Douglas, a chapelry, is attached to this benefice; five miles long by four broad, containing 14,000a. Gross population, 7,378. Three Curates employed at stipends to each of £55 per annum. Tithe composition, £1,080; 6A. of demised glebe, in two parcels, £13 10s. Subject to visitation fees, £1 10s. Diocesan schoolmaster, £2 2s. No glebe-house. Incumbent is non-resident; he is permitted by the Diocesan to reside at his own house at Rosscarberry, being eighty-two years of age, and very infirm. One church and a chapel in this benefice, distant 51 miles from each other, the former capable of accommodating 220, and the latter 280 persons. Carrigaline Church built in 1827, at the cost of £1,816 3s. 1d. Brit., whereof £1,550 15s. 1/2d. was granted in way of loan by the late Board of First Fruits, and the residue of £265 7s. 8d. was raised by subscription. Of the loan aforesaid, there remained £946 9s. 42d. chargeable on the parish in 1832, repayable by annual instalments of £62 9s. 7/1d. Douglas Chapel built in 1785, at an expense of £265 1s. 6d. Brit., of which sum £209 4s. 7/1d. was a gift granted by the late Board of First Fruits, and £55 1s. 6d. was raised by private subscriptions. No charge on the parish in 1832, on account of the chapelry. Divine service is celebrated twice on Sundays in the church and chapel, and on the principal festivals, as also on all Wednesdays in the church. The Sacrament is administered monthly, and on the great festivals, in the church and chapel. The benefice is a rectory.

1784. Feb. 6. THOMAS BREVITIOR, A.M., is admitted R. Carrigaline, on letters patent from the Crown, dated 31st December, the last Incumbent, William Dickson, having been promoted to the bishoprick of Down and Connor. [F.F. and Lib. Mun.] Thomas Brevitor, son of Rev. Thomas Brevitor, P. Templebryan, in Ross, became a Pensioner T.C.D. on 29th June, 1744, and graduated B.A. in 1748, and A.M. 1753. He was ordained Deacon on 21st April, 1751, and Priest on 2nd June same year, both at Cork.

In 1751 he was Curate to his father at Templebryan, and in 1753 was Curate of Finabally, Ross. He was, from 1770 to 1780, Curate of Abbeystrewry, Ross; and from 1780 to 1803, P. St Michael's Cork, and Curate of Carrigaline; from 1785 to 1786, he was R. Dungourney, Cloyne, and from 1786 to 1837, V. Iilkerranmore and Desert, in Cork. He was also Sovereign of the Borough of Charleville, and agent to the Earl of Shannon.

H. Townsend wrote, besides other fugitive pieces, "A Statistical Survey of the County of Cork," published by Edwards...
CARRIGALINE. [CORK.]


The Rev. Horatio Townsend was the third surviving son of Captain Philip Townsend, who was the eighth son of Bryan, who was the second son and heir of Colonel Richard Townsend, of Castle Townsend: (see Christ Church, or Holy Trinity, Cork, the Rev. Philip Townsend.) Horatio's mother (Philip Townsend's wife) was Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Hungerford, of Inchydoney, co. Cork. Horatio Townsend purchased the interest which belonged to his eldest brother, Richard Townsend, m.d., in the paternal estate of Derry, near Rosscarberry, and built a new mansion-house. He married, first, Helena, daughter of the Rev. Robert Mesale, of Ballintober, near Kinsealy; and, secondly, Catherine, daughter of Archdeacon Corker, Rector of Glanmire, near Cork. By his first wife he had one daughter, by his second wife he had five sons and nine daughters. He died March 26, 1837, aged eighty-seven years. A monument is erected to his memory in the cathedral of Ross. His eldest son, Horatio, succeeded him in this rectory. His surviving son, Horace, succeeded him in this rectory.


The Rev. Horace Townsend was the second surviving son of the Rev. Horatio Townsend, of Derry, Rosscarberry, as above. In 1829, January 8, he married Anna, daughter of the Rev. Edward Kenny (see Kilmaclenine, Cloyne, q. v.). His parishioners erected a monument over his remains in the church-yard of Douglas. A monument is also erected to the united memory of himself and two of his brothers, in Ross Cathedral. (See Chambre C. Townsend).

1582. JOHN GOLDE is Precentor. [D.R.] He is called Drumgoulde also, "Observations on Dr. Coppinger's Letter to the Royal Dublin Society," 8vo., Cork, 1811; also, "Observations on Dr. Coppinger's Letter to the Royal Dublin Society," Svo., Cork, 1811; also, "Observations on Criminal and Civil Judicature in County Cork," published at Cork, in 1817.

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in Cork Registry. In it he is described as Israel Taylor, Chantry of St. Finbarr's. He mentions his brother Thomas, and his wife Peris, and says he is "ready to go to sea."

1651. PHILEMON FITZSYMOWS appears as Precentor. [V.B. D.R.] He graduated in T.C.D. as A.M. in 1638, and as M.A. in 1640.

He resigned Carrigrohanebeg in Clonmel, about 1630. From 1618 to 1619 he was V. Templebegan. He became P. Inniscarra in 1640, and held it and this Precentorship together from 1651 to his death in 1666. He appears as Curate of Youngah in 1659.

1654. June 10. RICHARD CLERKE, jun., Precentor et V. de Athnowen, per naturalem mortem Philemii Fitzsimons. Institutione fuit 15 Juni. [V.B. 1669, and F.F.]

Carrigrohane R. spectat ad Precentor. Carrikippane similiter. Quatuor vicarii sunt rectores de Corbally, Rectoria ecclesiae de Kinneagh est particula precentoriiatius. [V.B. 1669.]

Richard Clerke graduated A.M. in T.C.D. in 1664. From 1661 to 1685, P. Ballymount-Elligott, from 1685 to 1689, P. Tullaghorton, Lismore; from 1684 to 1686, R. V. Rathcooney; from 1686 to 1688, Precentor of Cork, and F. Donoughmore, Clonmel; from 1697 to 1688, V. Carrigrohanebeg, Clonmel; from 1668 to 1767, V. Rathcooney; and from 1668 to 1685, R. Rathcooney. He died in 1685.

1668. WALTER NEALE appears as Precentor, and V. Athnowen. [V.B. D.R.]

He appears 1686 to 1706, Nov. 3. [V.B. D.R.] In the margin of V.B. 1686, he is marked as "non instit." [D.R.] From 1687 to 1699, V. Rathclarin; and from 1668 to 1685, V. Carrigrohanebeg, Clonmel; from 1668 to 1767, V. Rathcooney; and from 1668 to 1685, R. Rathcooney. He died in 1685.

Neale was Vicar-General of Cork and Ross. His name disappears from the Cork Records in 1706. I find among the Clonmel marriage bonds one dated 1681, between Rev. Walter Neale and Elisabeth Raymond, of Whitechurch; and another between Walter Neale and Frances Charde, of Coolinie, in the year 1692. I think the Vicar-General was the son of Constantine Neale, of county Wexford. and a relative of Neale and Elisabeth Raymond, of Whitechurch; and another marriage bond one dated 1684, between Rev. Walter Neale, gent. of Shandon, and Frances Charde, of Coolinie.
CARRIGROHANE, PRECENTORS. [CORK.

1710. June 2. PETER HEWET, Precentor. [F.F.] Peter Hewet was from 1666 to 1672, R. Ardgithy, V. Ballymohan and Canna. From 1672 to 1675, V. Ballythe-clarin; from 1675 to 1676, R. V. Ringrone; from 1676 to 1710, Chancellor of Cork. In 1693 he was Curate of Templetrine. He was from 1710 to 1720, Precentor of Cork ; and from 1714 to 1720, R. Templetrine.

He married Alice Wilshire, or Wilson, in 1672. [Cloyne M.B.] And in his will (dated 17 March, 1719/20, and proved 3 Sept. 1720, at Cork) he mentions his wife, Alice, as executrix, and his son, Arthur, and Arthur's son, Peter. He left to the poor of the Alms-house at the Docke 20s. ; and wishes to be buried "close to my son, at about eight a clock at night," in the chancel of Ringrone Church.

1720. June 29. THOMAS RUSSELL, A.M., Precentor. [F.F.] In 1724 he became Archdeacon of Cork, q. v. He was from 1662 to 1675, R. Ardnegihy, V. Ballymodan and Cannaway. From 1671 to 1675, V. Rathclarin; from 1675 to 1676, R. V. Ringrone; from 1675 to 1710, Precentor of Cork; and from 1714 to 1720, R. Templetrine.

1724. Feb. 13. JEMMET BROWNE, A.B., Precentor of Cork, and R. V. Athnowen, vacant by resignation of Russell. Browne was again admitted on 11 Dec. 1730. [D.R.] In 1727 he was made Chancellor of Ross, q. v.

He was from 1720 to 1724, Precentor of Cork; and from 1714 to 1720, R. Templetrine. He married Alice Wilshire, or Wilson, in 1672. [Cloyne M.B.] And in his will (dated 17 March, 1719/20, and proved 3 Sept. 1720, at Cork) he mentions his wife, Alice, as executrix, and his son, Arthur, and Arthur's son, Peter. He left to the poor of the Alms-house at the Docke 20s. ; and wishes to be buried "close to my son, at about eight a clock at night," in the chancel of Ringrone Church.


1733. May 19. Daniel O'Hea recants before the Bishop, and is admitted Precentor. [F.F.] He was from 1666 to 1675, R. Ardnegihy, V. Ballymodan and Cannaway. From 1671 to 1675, V. Rathclarin; from 1675 to 1676, R. V. Ringrone; from 1675 to 1710, Precentor of Cork; and from 1714 to 1720, R. Templetrine.

1739. May 1. PETER WATERHOUSE, M.A., of Christ Church, Cork :-“Mary, the daughter of Thomas Waterhouse and Rachel, his wife, was born the 21 of March, and baptised the 25 of the same, 1659.” Peter Waterhouse entered T.C.D. as Pensioner on 27 Feb. 1720. In 1727 he was made Chancellor of Ross, Vicar Choral of Cork, and R. V. Kilmichael and Inchigeelah. In 1732 he was admitted Precentor. [F.F.] He became Precentor of Cork. He also held, from 1746 to 1780, R. Ballymoney and Kilineen from 1741 to 1746. He was P. of Dromdaleague and R. Caheragh from 1746 to 1762. He was also R. V. Mackloneigh, and Archdeacon of Ross, q. v.

1750. March 28. EDWARD BROWNE, A.B., Precentor. [F.F.] He was also R. V. Mackloneigh, and Archdeacon of Ross, q. v.

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1752. May 15. HONOURABLE JOHN CHETWYND, M.A., of Corpus Christi Coll. Oxon., is admitted Precentor, the corps of which consists of R. Currikippane, Corbally, Carrigrohane, and one R. Kirnein. [D.R.] He was second son of the 3rd Viscount Chetwynd. He died 1757, and was buried in Cork Cathedral. For his marriage and issue, see Burke’s Peerage.

1757. Nov. 5. THOMAS BROWNE, A.M., Precentor. [F.F.] Thomas Browne, second son of Jemmett, Bishop of Cork, was born in that city in 1729, and entered T.C.D. as Pensioner on 24th Oct. 1746. He was ordained Deacon on 21st April, 1751, and Priest on 2nd June, 1751 ; both at Cork.

From 1751 to 1757 he was Vic. Chor. Cork ; and from 1757 to 1762 Precentor of Cork and R. V. Canna. He held also, from 1752 to 1762, the R. V. Little Island. On 23rd Sept. 1754 he was licensed to the Curacy of Killaspeghumulane. From 1760 to 1762 he held also the R. V. Kilmichael.

He married (Feb. 1750), Anne, dau. of Rev. David Waterhouse, and by her (who died in Feb. 1756), had two daughters, Alice; and Lydia, wife of Caleb Falkiner, esq.; and one son, Jemmett, who died in 1765.

He died on 9th May, 1762, and was buried in Cork Cathedral.

1762. May 10. THOMAS WATERHOUSE, A.M., Precentor. [F.F.] He was Curate of St. Nicholas, Cork, in 1753. He became R. V. Canna in 1754, R. V. Kilmichael in 1757, and in 1762 Precentor of Cork. He died on 25th Nov. 1762. He was son of Rev. David Waterhouse, and a cousin of the Rev. Peter Waterhouse. His will was proved in Cork in 1765, and in it several relatives are named, but no wife or children ; so, I presume, he died unmarried.

1762. Dec. 2. SAMUEL WOODROOFFE, A.M., Precentor. [F.F.] A Scholar of T.C.D. in 1730. 1758. March 4. A commission issues to value the improvements made by Waterhouse on the glebe-house of Currikippane; on 12th March the return to the commission find £20 7s. 6d. to be the amount expended. [D.R.] Samuel Woodrooffe was V. Kilmalone from 1736 to 1741, and R. Ballymonecy and Kilmeen from 1741 to 1746. He was P. Drumcliffague and R. Caheragh from 1746 to 1762, when he became Precentor of Cork. He also held, from 1746 to 1760, the Precentorship of Ross. He was Vicar-General of Cork and Ross from 1770 to 1772.

He made his will on 29th June, 1760, "being to leave ye kingdom for the recovery of my health." He mentions his wife, Dorotha, (who survived him), and his daughter, Mrs. Catherine Mosse ; and his nephew, John, son of James Woodrooffe; also his brother, John. The will was proved in Cork,
20 years afterwards, and administration was granted to his widow, Dorothea Woodrooffe.


In 1790 he became P. Cahirlag, q. v.

Henry Sandiford, A.B., was ordained Deacon on 22nd January, 1790, and Priest on 8th October the same year; both at Cork. In 1795 he was Curate of St. Peter's, and from 1802 to 1846 served as Curate of the Holy Trinity. In 1784 he was made P. Donoughmore, in Ross, and also R. V. Kilcully, but resigned both those prebendaries in 1785, when he became Chancellor of Cork. In 1786 he resigned the Chancellorship, and became Precentor of Cork. He held along with this Precentorship, from 1805 to 1806, the Vicarage of Castlelyons; from 1806 to 1807 the P. Bircwone; and from 1801 to 1825 the Prebend of Ballyhun, in Cloyne. He had been Thresher's Lecturer in Cork from 1773 to 1785. He died in January, 1826, and left issue (besides a daughter, Harriett, wife of Patrick Nugent Savage, esq. then deceased), a daughter, Maria, and a son, Rev. James Sandiford, P. Killenemer, Cloyne, q. v.

1826. March 11. Henry Theophilus Moore Hodder, A.B., Precentor; certified under £800 per annum, the corps being the same as in 1752. [D.R.]

1830. Protestant population of Carrigrohane, 163; of Carrikippane, 57.

1837. Carrigrohane union, with cure, consisting of—1. Carrigrohane rectory, 3 miles long by 1½ broad. 2. Carrikippane rectory, 2 miles long by 1½ broad. 3. Cerylly vicarage, not stated. Extent of union not stated, but containing 5,310 acres. Gross population of union, 2,961. Two Curates employed, at stipends, to one of £75 per annum and the surplice fees, and to the other of £40 per annum, for occasional duties in part of the union. Tithe composition of Carrigrohane parish, £330; 14 acres of glebe in said parish let for £36. Tithe composition of Carrikippane parish, £280; 3 acres of glebe in said parish let for £7. Composition for the vicarial tithes of Carrigrohane parish, £23 6s. 8d. Surplice fees, £6 10s. Subject to visitation fees, 15s. Diocesan schoolmaster, £1. No glebe-house. Incumbent resides in the adjoining benefice, and £40 is considered a reasonable sum to be allowed in way of house-rent. One church, capable of accommodating 70 persons, built about the year 1828. No charge on the parish in 1826 on account of it. A military chapel, capable of accommodating 330 persons, situate in good order. A new glebe-house and offices, and eighteen acres of land in Curate's occupation. Divine service once on Sundays, and in summer there is also an evening

in the church and chapel twice on Sundays in summer, and once in winter, and on the principal festivals. The sacrament is administered monthly, and on the great festivals, in the church and chapel. [Parl. Rep.]

1846. July 27. Thomas Oden was licensed to be Curate of Cullen by the Incumbent, the Dean of Cork. [D.R.]

1847. May 6. Cullen is erected into a perpetual cure, under 11 and 12 G. III., chapter 16. The endowment is the entire glebe of nineteen acres, save one acre set apart for a school-house, and tithes to amount of £55 and three farthings Brit. N.B.—In act of Council, Cullen is said to be endowed with all the tithes, great and small, arising within the parish.

1848. Sept. 8. Cullen new church was consecrated under the name of Christ Church. [D.R.]

Oden is now V. Tulliche, Cloyne, q. v.


1860. The Dean is Incumbent; Thomas Dorman, Curate. The church in good order. A new glebe-house and offices, and eighteen acres of land in Curate's occupation. Divine service once on Sundays, and in summer there is also an evening
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service. Sacrament monthly; average of communicants, 4; and on chief festivals average 14. Eighteen children attend a Church Education School. The Protestant population is 43.

T. Dorman (son of John Dorman, esq.) was born at Kinsale, in 1821, and graduated A.B., T.C.D., in 1847. He was ordained Deacon in July, 1847, by Bp. of Tuam, and Priest in 1848, by Bp. of Killaloe, both on letters dimissory from Cork.

He was Curate of Holy Trinity in July 1847, of Garrycloyne in 1848, and of St. Anne's, Shandon, in September, 1855.

He is married, and has five children.

DESSERTMORE.

1591 Preb. de Desertmore. ROBERT STURTON. [MS. T.C.D. E. 3. 14.] He was also Dean of Ross, q.v.


In 1619, Wilson resigned his livings in Cork. He was also Dean of Ross, q.v.


1634. P. Desertmore, Thomas Holford, Predicator. Val. £14 per an. [R.V. 1634.]

In 1637, Holford became Treasurer of Cloyne, q.v.

1637. MICHAEL BOYLE (son of Bp. Richd. Boyle) was collated by his father; and this, with other appointments, is complained of by Bp. Watenshall, a letter, dated 16th March, 1633, addressed to Bp. T. Tennison, of Lincoln, who was then offered the Archbishoprie of Dublin, which, however, he declined to accept. [Lambeth, MSS. 929, p. 14, quoted by Cotton.] Boyle was, in 1640, Dean of Cloyne, q.v.

1639. HOLFORD appears as P. Desertmore, the name Boyle being crossed out. "Curate, NATHANIEL WISEMORE, or NISSEMORE." Navis ecclesiae ruinata, desunt singula." [V.B., D.R.]

1661. Vacant. [V.B. D.R.]

1663. Bishop Michael Boyle holds this Preb. by grant from Crown, dated Nov. 17. [Rot. Can. and V.B.] And he retained it for his sons to the see of Dublin, until he became Primate.

1678. Feb. 28. JOHN PARKER, Archbishop of Dublin, has a grant of this Prebend in commendam, and retains it until his death in 1681. [Ware.]

He appears, 1681, November 3. [V.B. D.R.]

1681/2. January 4. JOHN TOWNEY, a.f. Desertmore. [F.F.] He does not appear in the visitation books for this prebend. In 1683 he was P. Donoughmore, Cloyne, q.v.


1689. PAUL DUCLOS, a.m., appears as P. Desertmore. "Nullus curatus, guardianus, nec clericus parochialis." [V.B.] But in another visitation book of same year the Abp. of Dublin appears, and in 1690 the Archbishop's name is crossed out, and that of Duclos written over it.

Duclos was also P. Lislane, Ross, q.v.

1691. DOMINUS ARCHIEPUS DUB. appears as P. Desertmore in the years 1691, 1692, and 1693. [V.B.]

1694. Dec. 6. JOHN TOM, a.m., P. Desertmore, per mortem Archiepi Dub. [F.F. and D.R.]

1699. No church; one Protestant family, who go to Moviddy. Mr. Tom preaches six or eight times in a year in Desertmore, at Kilener. Six or seven plowlands. Some Papists, married to Protestants, breed their children Papists. [V.B. D.D. 1699.]

John Tom, a.m., of Peter House, Cambridge [Cotton], was, from 1680 to 1681, V. Ballymodan, Rathclarin, and Canaway. In 1681 he was licensed to the curacy of Ballydehogy, and became B. Ardencrygh, which he held until 1686. From 1682 to 1683 he was P. Elen, Linich, by favour of the Earl of Kildare. From 1684 to 1685 he held the P. Templebryan, &c., in Ross. In 1686 he became V. Kinsale, which he retired until his death, holding along with that vicarage the P. Inskenny from 1688 to 1693, and the P. Desertmore from 1693 to his death. From 1692 to 1698 he held again the P. Templebryan, in Ross, being for that period the holder of three prebends.

He married, firstly, Mary —— and by her (who was buried 19th June, 1692, in Kinsale), he had issue, Susannah, born 1686; Winifred, born in 1687; William, born in 1688; and Francis, born in 1690. He married, secondly, on 18th Sept., 1692, Deborah Burrows, widow, and by her had issue, St. John, born 1695; Jane, born in 1698; Robert, born 1702, died 1704; and Henry, born in 1703. He died 17th Nov., 1717, and was buried in Kinsale Church; the inscription on
his tombstone is still to be seen. His widow, Deborah, married, in 1719, George Coates, esq. [Kinsale Register and Cork M.B.]


He was a native of county Cork, and son of Rev. Thomas Goodman, Precentor of Ross, q. v. He entered T.C.D. as Pensioner on 27th March, 1723, being then aged eighteen. He became a Scholar in 1727.

From 1682 to 1691 he was Vicar Choral, Cork; in 1687 he was licensed to the curacy of St. Michael's; from 1689 to 1693 he was R. V. Kilcluily; from 1692 to 1694 he was V. Rathclarin, and from 1694 to 1703, V. Ballymena; from 1703 to 1718 he was P. Kilcluily, and from 1696 to 1737, R. Knockavilly and V. Brinny. From 1703 to 1737 he was R. Kilcluily. Besides the Cork livings he held, from 1695 to 1733, the Prebend of Rath, in Killaloe. He died in 1737.

He married Hannah —— but had no issue; at least, in his will (dated 1736, and proved 1737) he mentions none. He wished to be buried near his mother, in the church of Ballymodan, and bequeathed £20 to the poor of that parish.

1736. August 1. The Bishop leases to Archdeacon Crofton 6A. 3R. 1P., part of which land was formerly held by Archdeacon Thomas Russell, and three acres formerly held by Rev. John Herbert, and the field called "ye Rock," containing 2A. 2P. 18R., all in St. Finbarry's parish, for twenty-one years, at £8 per annum; and on 10th April, 1741, the Bishop renews Crofton's lease of tenements, &c., in Rossearbery. [D.R.]

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1742. P. Desertmore, retaining his Archdeaconry until his death in 1768.

He was ordained Deacon at Dromore, on May 14, 1727. In 1736 he was made Archdeacon of Aghadoe, and in 1737 became R. Knockavilly and V. Brinny.

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1794. June 17. John William Bennett, A.B., P. Desertmore, whose being under £200 per annum in value, is now episcopally united to R. V. Kilkenny, now held by Bennett. [D.R.]

He was, in 1799, Treasurer of Cloyne, q. v.

1807. J. W. Bennett lives at Middleton, in Cloyne, which he holds by faculty. [Rep.]


He was ordained Priest at Cork, on 21st January, 1755, and on the same year was V. Killaconenagh, in Ross. He resigned that living in 1756, and held, from 1756 to 1768, the V. Durrus-Kilcronane. He was P. Kilmadelenine, Cloyne, and P. Desertmore, from 1768 to 1794; and also, from 1778 to 1794, was Dean of Elphin.

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1856. March 18. JOHN QUARRY, A.M., P. Desertmore; certified to
1859. August 23. HENRY CONSTABLE, A.M., P. Desertmore. The
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land, £51; rent of house in St. Finbarry’s parish, belonging to
5s. 4d. benefice, £316.
duated A.B. in 1838, and A.M. in 1842.
sixteen years old was entered a Pensioner of T.C.D. He gra-
4d. the Prebendary of Desertmore, £2 15s.
Protestant population, 22. Rentcharge, £262 10s.; value of
the Prebendary of Desertmore, £2 15s.
St. Finbarry’s parish. The
8c1.
From 1839 to 1848 he was Curate of Athownen. In 1859 he
became P. Desertmore.
He has published one of the essays in “Gold and the Gos-
pel” (London, 1853); also “Parochial Sermons” (London,
1857); also “Essays, Critical and Theological” (London,
1859); and two pamphlets on National Education (Dublin,
1860).
Mr. Constable is married, and has issue.

DESSERTSERGES.
[MS. T.C.D. E. 3. 14.] Long was Treasurer of Cork, q. v.
1615. ROBERT SUTTON, A.M., appears as Vicar of Desertserges, and
V. Kilbrogan and Ballindale. The Rectory of Desertserges
belongs to Vies. Choral. Robert Sutton, Minister and Predi-
cator, is Vicar. Val. 6 li. per annum. Church and chancel
in good order. 
1632/3. R. Kilnagross, q. v.), and Robert (afterwards Colonel of 23rd
Carrigrenane, co. Cork), and a daughter, Elizabeth. Rev.
Robert Pratt died on 7th February, 1856.
1856. March 18. JOHN QUARRY, A.M., P. Desertmore; certified to
be of the net yearly value of £279 13s. lid. [D.R.] He
became in 1859 R. Castrachore, Cloyne, q. v.
1839. August 23. HENRY CONSTABLE, A.M., P. Desertmore. The
yearly value is certified to be £273 14s. 6d. In another certi-
ficate of 12th Nov. 1859, the value is given as £293 14s. 6d.
[D.R.] Long was Treasurer of Cork, q. v.
1666. May 5. BARNABAS HONEYCHURCH, V. Desertserges, per mor-
tem Hugouis Dunsterville. Rectoria de Desertserges spectat
1704/15. January 12. JOHN HUNGERFORD, V. Desertserges. [F.F.]
He became also P. Kilbrogan, q. v.
1723. Feb. 26. JENKINS BROWNE, a.m., V. Desertserges, per mortem
Hugouis Dunsterville. Rectoria de Desertserges spectat
1733 he became Treasurer of Ross, q. v.
1750. August 4. The Bishop certifies that Hartt Smith, in
1747, built from the ground a fit parsonage house and out-
offices on Desertserges Glebe, at an expenditure of £213 0s. 11d.
1761. May 6. WILLIAM PRATT, A.B., V. Desertserges, per mortem

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and keeps the house aired. Incumbent is resident in the benefice. One church, capable of accommodating over 200 persons, is 45. The Protestant population is 437. The rentcharge is £447 10s., and the land is worth £625. Total value of benefice, £602 10s. per annum, with residence.

James Gollock graduated as a.B., T.C.D. in 1822, and was afterwards a.M.

He was ordained Deacon in 1823, and received Priest's Orders at Cloyne on 1st August, 1824.

In 1825 he was Curate of Ballymoolan, and in 1827 of Inniscarra. From 1837 to 1842 he was R. V. Carrigahone ; from 1842 to 1850 R. V. Bryan ; and in 1850 became V. Desertserges. He is married, and has issue.

I give an extract from the old registry of Christchurch, Cork, which gives a curious way of spelling Gollock:—

1696. August 13. Sarah, daughter of Robert Gollage, and Margaret, his wife [was baptised].
DOUGLAS.

Douglas is a chapelry in the parish of Carrigaline, and the instrument was dated 2 June, 1783, which assigns to the new district or chapel of Douglas, "by name of the parish or chapelry of Douglas," the following townlands, viz.:—Monrag, Moanfieldstown, Rocehstown, Knocknamullogh, Oldcourt, Barryarbin, Hilltown, Ballinre, Ballinmore, Castletreasure, Maryborough, Menus, Ballineguillig, Ardslang, Ardmulleagh, Glebe, Ballinemore, Ballymoneagh, Ballygarvan, and Ballyduibig. In this instrument is a clause, "saving to William Dickson and his successors all his and their rights as Rectors of Carrigaline."

1786. Sept. 17. The minister and churchwardens and parishioners of Carrigaline petition the Bishop to consecrate the new Chapel of Ease. And on the 25th October following, it is consecrated under the name of St. Luke, by the Bishop of Cloyne, who acts on behalf of the Bishop of Cork, who was absent in England, and sick.

1788. Sept. 5. Thomas Breviter, writing from Douglas, memorial to build on the glebe of Douglas, which has been hitherto without a house. On 6 July, 1789, he also memorial to build a barn and haggard on one of the glebes of Carrigaline. On 26 April, 1799, a commission finds that Breviter expended £73 13s. 9d. for enclosing the glebe of Douglas, and £104 8s. for erecting a barn and haggard on one of the glebes of Carrigaline. The Bishop, on 19 July, 1799, certifies for £178 Is. 9d., being the amount of both these sums. [D.R.]

1791. Nov. 12. ARTHUR KEILY, A.B., was licensed to be Curate of Douglas, at £50 per annum, on the nomination of Breviter. [D. R.]

A. Keily was ordained Deacon in May, 1779, at Cloyne, and Priest at Cork, on 26 Sept. 1790. He married Dorothea, d. of Edward-Mansel Townsend, esq. by Helena Becher.

1797. Dec. 26. JAMES SANDIFORD, A.B., is licensed to be Curate, at £50 per annum. [V.B. 1634.]

1692. Sept. 23. SOLOMON FOLEY, V. Drinagh, R. Kilmeen, and P. Kilnaglory, vacant per cessionem Nicholai Brady. [D.R.] In 1704 Foley was P. Kilhrogan, q. v. He appears 1692 to 1694, Nov. 3. [V. B.]

1699. No church; seven or eight Protestant families go to Drumdaleige and Kilnivne, in Ross. [V.B. 1699.]

1700. Drinagh parish contains 32 plowlands or thereabouts. The church is ruinous. The western part of this parish repairs for divine service to Dromaleague, and the eastern part to Kilmine. 'Tis said there is a Popish schoolmaster in this parish. Ten acres of glebe adjoin to the west side of the church-yard. The Vicar of Drinagh has half of all the tythes and the Vickers Choral of Cork have the other half. Drinagh lies more convenient to be joined to Drumaleague or Fanlobbish.
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than to Ballinmarey. Drinagh is worth, to the Vicar, about £25 per an. Mr. Tonson and Mr. Scott resided, in this parish." [Downes' Tour].

1718. NICHOLAS SKOLFIELD appears as V. Drinagh and Fanlobbus. [V.B.]

He appears 1718 to 1746. [V.B.]. He was again collated on 2 January, 1737, on his becoming V. Kilkeaskin, Ross, q. v. 1747. January 27. THOMAS BLENNERSHASSETT, V. Drinagh and Fanlobbus, vacant by death of Skolfield. [D.R.]

Thomas, son of John Blennerhassett, was born in Kerry, and entered T.C.D. when eighteen years old, on 6 May, 1718. He obtained Scholarship in 1721. In 1720 he was Curate of Shandon, and from 1739 to 1746 held " unam" R. de Aglish. From 1747 to 1767 he was V. Drinagh and Fanlobbus. In 1742 he was licensed Lecturer of St. Anne, Shandon.

He married Mary Frankland, of Christchurch, Cork, spinster. [Cork M.B. 8 March, 1735.] He mentions in his will (dated 18 Dec. 1760, and proved 18 September, 1767) his daughter, Anne, wife of Thomas Alleyne, and a grandson, Thomas Alleyne. [Cork Wills.]


He died in April, 1818. He mentions in his will (dated 22 October, 1806), his sons, Thomas and William and Henry, besides his daughters, Martha, Jane, and Mary. His wife, Martha, was executrix. He was buried at Christ Church, Cork, on 30 April, 1818.

1718. May 13. CHARLETON BROWNE, a.b., V. Drinagh, certified to be under £200, in annual value. [D.R.]

In 1826 he became V. Kilmacavee and Killoughnabog, Ross, q. v.

1826. July 13. EDMUND STERVELLY, a.b., V. Drinagh. [P.F.]

1830. Protestant population, 321.

1837. Drinagh, a vicarage, with cure, 7 miles long by 3/4 broad, containing 12,910 A. 2 R. Gross population, 4,231. No Curate employed. Tithes composition, £220; 7a. 2r. of demised glebe, valued at 20a. per acre, £7 10s.; subject to visitation fees, 96. 6d.; diocesan schoolmaster, 8s. No glebe-house. Incumbent is resident, and pays the sum of £20 per annum as rent for a small cottage, exclusive of some land attached to it. One church, capable of accommodating 120 persons, built in 1819, by means of a gift of £830 15s. 4d. Brit., granted by the late Board of First Fruits. No charge on the parish in 1832 on account of the church. Divine service is celebrated once on all Sundays, and on Christmas Day and Good Friday. The sacrament is administered monthly, and on the three great festivals. The rectorial, consisting of a moiety of the tithes, compound for £220, are inappropriate, and belong to the Vicars Choral of the Cathedral Church of St. Finbarr's, Cork. [Part. Rep.]

Stervelly was ordained Deacon on 27 July, 1817, and Priest on 1 Feb. 1818; both at Cork. In 1817 he was Curate of Templemichael de Duagh, and in 1819 was Curate of St. Nicholas. He held Drinagh from 1826, until his death, on 4 June, 1841. He was buried at St. Peter's, Cork, on 8 June, 1841, aged sixty-eight. He married Isabella, dau. of Newbold Russell, esq. and had by her, two sons, George and Newbold.


1817. May 3. ROBERT WILLIAM MOLLEWORTH, a.m., V. Drinagh. [F.F.] In 1855 he became V. Fanlobbus, q. v.

1855. July 23. WILLIAM MORPHY, a.b., V. Drinagh, certified to be of the annual value of £154 7s. 6d. [D.R.]

In 1861 he became V. Castervientia, Ross, q. v.

1860. The church in good order. No glebe-house; seven acres of glebe, set. Divine service twice on all Sundays, &c. In winter the evening service is held in the school-house; 75 children are on the rolls of two Church Education Schools. The Protestant population is 290.
W. M. Woolsey was a Scholar T.C.D. in 1851, and graduated a.m. as Third Senior Moderator and Gold Medallist in Classics, in 1852; and took the degree of a.m. in 1856.

He was ordained Deacon on 11 March, and Priest on 21 Dec. 1855; both at Cork. In 1855 he was Curate of St. Mary, Shandon, and in 1858 was Curate of St. Anne, Shandon. He married Miss Frances A. Berton, and has issue.

DROMDALEAGUE.

1591. Dromdaleague is vacant. [MS. T.C.D. E. 3. 14.]


1620. April 24. THOMAS WAY is presented to this Prebend. [Lib. Mun.] Way was also V. Scull, q. v.

1630. Dec. 9. EDWARD GOODWIN is presented by Crown to P. Seskinan, and V. Mothel, Lismore, cum clausula unionis ad P. Dromdaleague, Cork, pro Lac vice, &c. [Lib. Mun.]


E. Godwin was ordained Priest by "Bernard Limeric. et fenebor," on 10th March, 1610.

In 1615 he appears as V. Aghadowne, Ross. He appears for this Prebend in 1619.

1662. July 28. HENRY RUGG, P. Dromdaleague. [F.F.] He was also Dean of Cloyne, q. v.

1666 to 1671. JOHN RUGG appears as P. Dromdaleague. He has a dispensation in 1666 " studendi gratia." [V.B.]

He was also P. Kilmaclough, Cloyne, q. v.

1669. July 15. JOHN GODFERRY is admitted " V. de Drumahal, per resignacionem Henrici Rugg." [V.B. 1669.]

1672. Aug. 20. NICHOLAS WINTERBONE, P. Dromdaleague. [F.F.] He was also Treasurer of Ross, q. v.
All this parish, with that part of the rectory in Fableoish which belongs to the Prebend of Drommaleague, is worth to the Prebendary about £50 per annum. Colonel Sandford, Colonel Freake, Mr. Butler, Mr. Jo. Jarvys, are proprietors of land in this parish. A Bible and one Common Prayer-book. No registry. Mr. Hungerford promised to speak to Mr. Hignett to get one. Felix McCarthy is Priest of this parish. He was here before the late troubles. Mr. Anthony Butler, and Captain Carlthy, a Protestant, live in this parish. It would be very convenient that a minister should reside somewhere in Drommaleague parish, to serve that cure and the cure of Caharagh; divine service to be only at Drommaleague. No glebe in this parish; no houses near the church. In West Carbery the clergy pay the tenth part of the land tax; in East Carbery they pay the sixteenth; and in Barriroe, the fifteenth; and the fifteenth in Ibaun. 

"A Protestant schoolmaster complains that Papists teach publick school in this parish. The holy sacrament administered four times in the year. No vessel for the communion. Caharagh Church, about two miles distant from Drommaleague Church to the S.W. lies close to the Island stream, on the west side of the river; 354 plowlands in this parish, of which 29 lie on the west side of the river, and 69 lie on the east of the said river. There are but 12 Protestant families in this parish. It is thought that there are 40 Papists for 1 Protestant in this parish. No glebe. Parish.

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He appears 1727 to 1746, May 7. [D.B. V.B.] Michael Philpott (grandson of Nicholas, who married Anne, sister of Sir Richard Aldworth), was son of Gregory Philpott, by Bridget, dau. of John Evans, Dean of Elyhoon.

He was born in county Cork, and when sixteen years old became a Sizar, T.C.D. on 10th May, 1685; and a Scholar in 1689.

From 1715 to 1718 he appears as Vice of Kilmore and Scull; and from 1720 to 1746 was R. Caheragh. He held also, from 1727, the P. Dromdaleague; and from 1736 the P. Donoughmore, Ross, until his death in 1746.

He married, firstly, Mary Murray, of Scull, widow [Cork M. B. of 14th Nov. 1700]; and secondly, Katherine Beamish, of Desertserges. [Cork M. B. of 14th May, 1726.] He had a son, Michael, A.M., T.C.D. Curate of Dromdaleague in 1732, who died without issue, and whose relict, Mary Philpott, bequeathed her property to the children of Mr. Andrew Eymes, who died in 1775.


In 1762 he became Precentor of Cork, q. v.


Richard (son of Robert Farmer, esq. by Grace Howell), was born in Cork, and when sixteen years old entered T.C.D. on 3rd March, 1735. He was afterwards A.M.

He was ordained Priest at Cork on 1st Feb. 1746, and in 1747 was licensed to Kilinaghour curacy. From 1755 to 1762 he was V. Kinsole.

He seems to have been married three times-first, to Frances Henderson, spinster, of St. Mary's, Cork [M. B. 13th Dec. 1748]; secondly, to Elisabeth, dau. of Robert Freeman, esq. of Ballingale [Cloyne M. B. 1757]; and thirdly, to Ethelbeth Stirling [M.S. 15th July, 1771]. In his will (dated 3rd Oct. 1777, and proved 1st March, 1781), he mentions his wife, Ethelbeth Farmer, otherwise Stirling, and three children by a former wife, named Robert, Mildred, and Mary Anne. He also mentions his brother, Captain Edward Farmer, and a kinsman, Jasper Farmer, lately married to his niece, Grace Farmer.


He was Archdeacon of Ross, q. v.


1807. Webb resides in Kinsale, within a mile of Ringrone, which he holds by faculty. [Rep.]

He resigned on 10th May, 1818, retaining Ringrone, q. v.

1818. May 13. Thomas Tooke, A.B., P. Dromdaleague; certified under £380 per annum in value. [D.R.]

1830. Protestant population, 557.

1837. Dromdaleague, a rectory, with cure, 64 miles long by 4½ broad, containing 17,370 acres. Gross population, 4,870.
One Curate employed, at a stipend of £75 per annum. Tithe composition, £430. Subject to visitation fees, 11s. Diocesan schoolmaster, 19s. No glebe-house. Incumbent is resident, and pays £40 per annum for house-rent. One church, capable of accommodating 180 persons, built about 50 years, by parochial assessment, but at what cost not stated, further than that the sum of £109 12s. 3d. British, was levied for that purpose, from 1782 to 1790. No charge on the parish in 1832 on account of the church. Divine service is celebrated twice on all Sundays, and on the principal festivals. The sacrament is administered monthly, and at Easter, Christmas, and Whitsun-tide. The benefice is a rectory. The Incumbent has, as Prebendary, a revenue (exclusive of the benefice) of £85 14s. 6d. composition for rectorial tithes of Fanlobbus; and also £21 3s. 3d. being the rent of a house in city of Cork. [Part. Rep.]

Thomas Tuckey (son of Rev. Charles Tuckey, Treasurer of Lismore), was a Scholar of T.C.D. in 1758, and Priest at Cloyne on 6th July, 1806. He was a Vicar Choral of Lismore from 1812 to 1823; and was P. Dromdaleague from 1818 to his death, on 5th July, 1852. He left issue, inter alios, Rev. Frederick, V. Kilboman; Rev. Abraham John, M.D.; and John, youngest son, who married, in 1862, Mary-Elisabeth, youngest daughter of Rev. William R. Townsend, R. Aghada.

1852. August 17. WILLIAM MOORE CROSTHWAIT, A.M., P. Dromdaleague, from 1812 to 1823; and was P. Dromdaleague from 1818 to his death, on 5th July, 1852. He left issue, inter alios, Rev. Frederick, V. Kilboman; Rev. Abraham John, M.D.; and John, youngest son, who married, in 1862, Mary-Elisabeth, youngest daughter of Rev. William R. Townsend, R. Aghada.

1858. Sept. 10. A new church, built by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, is consecrated under the name of St. Matthew. 1860. The church new. No glebe or glebe-house. Divine service twice on all Sundays, and once on festivals, &c. Sacrament monthly; average of communicants, 25; and at festivals, average 62. 72 children are on the rolls of a Church Education school. The Protestant population is 414. The rentcharge is £357 10s. for Dromdaleague parish, and £61 6s. 6d. for the rectorial tithes of Fanlobbus in right of the Prebend. There is also a house in Cork, belonging to the P. Dromdaleague, set for £2 18s. 6d. Total value of the benefice, £104 5s. 5d., without residence.

Rev. Mountiford Longfield Connor was, in 1848, Curate of Fanlobbus. He married a daughter of Rev. Godfrey Smith, of Kinsgave, and has issue.

DUNDERROW.

1291. Ecclesia de Dundirrow is rated at four marks. [Tax. P. Nic.]

1301. EDMUND CORBALLY is Rector ecclesiae de Dunderrow. [MS. T.C.D. E. 3. 14.]


1630. MARS. PAGETT, Rector de Dunderrow als Dundervie. [F.F.]

1662. May 5. WILLIAM PORTMAN, D.D., R. Dundurrow, per mortem Portman, from 1661 to 1670, was P. Killaraght, Achonry. He appears 1666 to 1675. [V.B. D.R.]

1666. May 5. WILLIAM PORTMAN, D.D., R. Dunderrow, per mortem Portman, from 1661 to 1670, was P. Killaraght, Achonry. He appears 1666 to 1675. [V.B. D.R.]


In 1693 he became also P. Inskenny, q. v.
DUNDURROW.


In 1736 William Meade became also Dean of Cork, q. v.


In 1754 (Feb. 12) a writ of removal is issued from King's Bench against Robert Meade (Francis Kearney, of Garretstown, having established his right to the presentation); whereupon Robert Meade resigns, but is re-appointed on the presentation of Kearney, on April 20, 1754. [D.R.]

Robert Meade was also P. St. Michael's, q. v.


By death of Robert Meade. [D.R.]

He was also, from 1796, P. Kilbrogan, q. v.


On letters patent of 14th January, the appointment being in His Majesty's disposal, by the incapacity of Thomas Rochfort, now a Papist. [Lib.]

He appears as Curate of Carrigaline in 1795, of St. Peter's in 1797; and in 1815 he became R. Dundurrow, which he held until his death, on 18th October, 1830. He married, in 1793, Alicia, dau. of William Jones, esq., of Cork, and by her had issue, Morgan William, now Chief, and several other children, for whom vide Burke's L. G.


By presentation (dated 3rd Feb., 1853) of the Trustees of the late John Cutibert Kearney, esq., Patron. The presentation is dated 10th December, 1839. [D.R.]

On 1st Sept., 1841, Webb memorials for liberty to improve; and on 1st August, 1843, obtains the Bishop's certificate for an oulay of £600. [D.R.]

John Beavor Webb (son of Rev. Richard Webb, R. Ringrone) was born in 1803.

He was ordained Deacon on 23rd December, 1827, and Priest on 19th December, 1830, both at Cloyne.

In 1829 he was licensed to the curacy of Ringrone. In 1838 he became R. Templetrine, which he held until his death, on 25th October, 1852.

He married, on 5th September, 1843, Maria, dau. of Robert Maxwell, esq., of Charleville. [Burke's L. G., WEBB of CORK.]


1860. The church in good repair; the glebe-house is in good repair; a school-house is about to be opened, if funds can be procured; the Protestant population is 28; the rentcharge is £35 10s. 6d.; the land is worth £20, total value, £375 10s. 6d., with residence.

Richard Francis Webb (eldest son of Rev. Richard Webb, R. Ringrone) was born in 1794.
DUNDRINAN.

1591. E. de Drundrinay als Downdreenat et E. de demarchtan als E. de marchtan spectat ad Ab. de Antro. nullus curatus. [MS. T.C.D. E. 3. 14.]


1634. E. de Dundrinan spectat ad Abb. de Morn. Cormack Donough Carty est firmarius. Valet 8 li. per an. [R.V. 1634.]

1639. E. de Dundrinane als Kilmanurtry Morgan Mundyn in Cloine dioc. [Cork V.B. 1639.]

Dundrinan disappears from the Cork Visitation Books after this date.

DURRUS.


"Rectoria de Kilcrohan spectat ad Ab. Sexu Catherine Waterford. Vicaria ibm. vacat et sequturat." [Ib.]


1615. Rectoria de Kilerooghane spectat ad Ecclesiastam Sex Katherine de Waterford. Vicarius Tadeus M'Donnell O'Sullivan, Minister legens et inserviens Cure. Val. 3 li. per an. [R.V. R.I.A.]. O'Sullivan was also V. Cashel. [V.B. 1639.]


1634. R. de Durrus spectat ad Monasterium Sex Katherine Waterford. Val. 20 li. per an. Dominus Baro de Esmond est firmarius. ("NB. This is not in my Lord Esmond's—so if it be not it—speak with John Sharpe.") Vicarius ibm. Thomas Barham. Val. 20 li. per an. [R.V. 1634.]


1639. Thomas Barham appears as R. V. Durrus. "Ecclesia bene, desunt ornamenti." [V.B. 1639.]

But he is not Vicar of Kilcroghane in 1639.

Thomas Barham, a.m., was ordained Deacon by Richard, Bishop of Cork (probably in 1625); and Priest by Malcom, Archbishop Cashel, on 21st December, 1626.

In 1625 he became V. Durres, Kilcroghane, and Kiltegau, Lismore, and also P. Donoghmore, Cloyne, and Kilmanowe and Kilmane, which he held until his death, in or before 1663. In 1625, July 10, he was admitted to be one of the Chaplains of Richard, Earl of Cork, and was also made P. Donoghmore and Kiltegan, Lismore, and also P. Donoghmore, Cloyne, and R. V. Riercean.

1639. March 29. Solomon Clarke, Vicar de Kilcroghane, taxat. 50a. [F.F.] He appears also in V.B. 1639, with Barham's name crossed out, and the remark, "Ecclesia ruinata, desunt omnia." [V.B. 1639.]


1704. "Durrus Church stands about a mile distant from the head of Dunmanus bay, N.E. of the bay. The church is uncovered, the walls are standing, built with good, large, square stones, and clay. The land betwixt the head of Dunmanus bay and the church is indiffident good. The church-yard is about an acre of land. There seem to be ruins of a house at the N. end of the church.

The little hill on which the church stands is glebe; 'tis good land. St. Faugham is the Patron Saint of this parish. In the parish of Durrus, not far from Bantry, by the sea-side, are the ruins of an abbey, which belonged to the Franciscans. I don't hear that there were any other religious houses besides this in ye barony of Beere and Bantry."

"In the parish of Durrus, viz. about 4 mile water, and at about Blackrock, near Bantry, live above 30 Protestant families. Lord Anglesey, Mr. Bernard, Colonel Freake, and the
Earl of Cork have [land in this parish] Mr. Evans, Mr. Hutchins. Mr. Holmes preaches once a month at Mr. Evans's house, in this parish. The Earl of Cork has half the tythes of 12 plowlands in this parish, in the barony of West Carbery. The Vicar has half the tythes of the said plowlands, and all the tythes of the rest of the parish, worth to the Vicar about £26 per ann. In this parish are 30 plowlands. Humphrey Sullevane is Popish Priest of this parish and of Kiloconaman; he has been here about 12 years. In that part of Bantry which is in this parish there are 2 English schools kept by women.

Kilocroghan parish. Major Eyres, of Waterford, Mr. Hull, of Lincon, have the lands of this parish of Kilocroghan. All the inhabitants of this parish are Papists. Earl of Cork has half the tythes of the 3 plowlands of Kilocroghan. Mr. Gideon Delane has half the tythes of all the rest of the parish; he has the same title that he has to the tythes of Kilmacomogue. Mr. Holmes has half of the tythes of the whole parish; the Vicar's tythes of Kilocroghan, with the glebe and book-money, are worth £16 per ann. About 30 plowlands in this parish; all these lands are very coarse, except the Bishop of Cork's lands of Kilocroghan. The ruins of the church are surrounded by the lands of Kilocroghan; the walls are standing. "Tis about 8 miles in length from the point of Sheeshead to Durrus parish; 'tis about 3 or 4 in breadth. About 12 acres of glebe are round the church." [Downes' Tour.]

Holmes, in 1672, became also V. Kiloconaman and Kilocaskeen, in Ross. He disappears from the visitation books in 1714.

1714 to 1734. Richard Davies appears as V. Kilocroghan, Durrus, and Kilmacomoge, and V. Kilocaskeen, in Ross. [V.B.]


Richard Davies (eldest son of Dean Rowland Davies) was born at Blarney Castle, 24th Nov., 1682, and when fifteen years old, entered T.C.D. as Pensioner, on 24th April, 1696/7. He married Mary (dau. of Colonel Digby Foulke, by Angel, dau. of Sir Boyle Maynard, Baronet, of Carryglass, co. Waterford), and by her had issue, Rowland (son and heir) of Dawseytown, and two daughters. Letitia, wife of Henry White, esq., and Martha, wife of Richard White, esq., the grandfather of the first Earl of Bantry.

Rev. Richard Davies died on 29th April, 1738.

1736. June 28. George Lloyd, A.M., V. Kilocroghan, V. Durrus, and V. Kilmacomoge, and same day to V. Kilcaskeen, in Ross. [D.R.]

This was, probably, George, son of William Lloyd (Bishop of Killala) who was born at Killala, and entered T.C.D. as Pensioner, on 9th July, 1716, aged fifteen.

He was P. Drew, Killala, from 1731 to 1735, and from 1736 to 1737, held Durrus, &c. He died in 1737.


In 1745 he took a second collation on 4th Oct. [D.R.]

In 1751 he became P. Kilbrittain, q. v.


1735. The flagon, now in use (1861) in Bantry church, bears this legend, "Deo sacrum. The gift of Richard White, esq., to the parish church in Bantry, An. 1735." The chalice and paten have each the following inscription, "Deo sacrum. The gift of the Rev. Thomas Millerd, Vicar of Kilmacomoge, Durrus, and Kilocroghan, to the parish church in Bantry, An. 1735." Thomas Millerd (son of Hugh Millerd, Mayor of Cork) was, from 1750 to 1751, Vic. Chor. of Cork, and from 1751 to his death, in July 1756, V. Kilocroghan, &c., &c. He was buried at St. Mary, Shandon, on 21st July. He left a son, James, born in 1754, who married Rose Tenser, widow of Lord Riversdale.


John Kenney was afterwards P. Kilbrogan, q. v.

1722. 27th November. Order of Lord Lieutenant in Council, on petition of Rev. John Kenney, Vicar of Durrus, Kilcroghan, and Kilmacomoge, stating, that in these three vicarages, contiguous and episcopally united, and in length about 24 miles, there is but one church, at Bantry; in consequence of which the inhabitants of Kilcroghan, and of these denominations of Kilmacomoge, and of these denominations of plowlands, (viz., Ardgounia, Ballina, Brahalish, Ballycomane, Curravandula, Coolmaharn, Clasloke, Curranabla, Mr. Hyde's Close, Coomea, Clonie, Croom, Curragh, Dromenu, Dromadesta, Easkevane, Kilmocamoge, Lower Gurtean, Geramenee, Keelvomeenee, Kealute, Liarenig, Maurick, Roseare, Rossmore, Ruiskinamice, Tedock, and Uortaing) can't, without great inconvenience, resort to it, being from 3 to 8 miles away, but will be within 3 miles at farthest from the new church intended to be built at Carrigue, in Durrus parish; therefore the above townlands will be separated from Kilcroghan, and united to Durrus; and per
contra, the following townlands of Durrus will be united to Kilmacoomooge, viz., Letterlicky, Agagaseen, Arda, Advedelahane, Beach, Blackrock, Bergarum, Canapaphagh Cloonee, Dromelagh, Donibterna, Derrigrinagh, Dromacasouna, Dromleigh, Gurtieleona, Glaneagh, Knoekilkillen, Maukavard, Pauncana, and the Scratts. As the vicarages are now worth Kilmacoomooge, £200; Durrus, £220, and Kiloheran, £50, £500 in all—so, when the separation aforesaid takes place, Kilcrohane will be worth £250, and Kilmacoomooge also £250, saving to present Vicar his rights, &c., for his incumbency.


1805. In 1805 he became V. Lislee and R. V. Kilsillagh, q. v.

1807. Mason Alcock, from 1778 to 1805, was V. Lislee and R. Kilsillagh, and from 1805 to his death in 1829, was V. Durrus. It appears by his will (dated 6th May, 1816, and proved 1st Dec. 1829) in which he is stiled Rev. Mason Alcock, of Cork, that he left issue by his wife, Judith, three sons, Alexander-Man Alcock, m. Martha Jane Morris; Edward Jones, Rector of Kilmeen, Ross, q. v.; and Henry; besides a daughter, Ann.


1830. Oct. 10. The Bishop certifies that Alcock expended, since 1st April, 1830, £880 in building a glebe-house, and that £180 is the annual value of the benefice. [D.R.]

1832. Edward Alcock became R. Kilmeen, Ross, q. v. Protestant population of Durrus-Kilcroghan, 1832, 819. The Bishop certifies that Alcock expended, since 1st April, 1830, £880 in building a glebe-house, and that £180 is the annual value of the benefice. [D.R.]

1833. Durrus-Kilcrohan, a vicarage, with cure, 19 miles distant from Durrus, the greater part whereof falling a few years after, in consequence of its being badly built, the body of the church was rebuilt by the Rev. Henry Jones, Incumbent, at his own expense; the former chancel and tower still standing. In 1832 the church was enlarged, by means of a loan of £188 Br., granted by the Board aforesaid; the whole of which loan remained chargeable on the parish in 1832, repayable by annual instalments of £7 10s. 5d. Divine service is celebrated twice on all Sundays, and once on the principal festivals, and on several other stated times; during each month, meetings and lectures are held by Incumbent in different and distant parts of the parish, in the dwelling-houses of the Protestants, and in the school-houses. The sacrament is administered monthly, and on the three great festivals. The rectorial tithes of this parish, compounded for £230, are inappropriate, and belong, to the amount of £60, to Robert Warren Gumbleton, of Cork, esq.; and demised by lease renewable for ever to Nathaniel Evanston, of Friendly Cove, esq., the residue of the inappropriate tithes, amounting to £170, belong to the Earl of Donoughmore, and his lessee, Alexander O'Driscoll, of Shipton, near Skibbereen, esq. [Parl. Rep.]


He obtained a certificate of diocesan against his predecessor for £50 4s. 5d., on 3 Sept. 1853. [D.R.]

1860. James Freke, Incumbent; John Harding Cole, Curate. The church, &c., and glebe-house in good order; 50a. of glebe in Vicar's occupation, and a small glebe in Killeshane, set to a tenant. Divine service twice on all Sundays in the church, and once at two licensed places of worship at Glenlough and Rosska, at the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. on Sundays. Sacrament monthly and at festivals; average of communicants, 250. 12 children are on the rolls of three Church Education schools. The Protestant population is 530. The rentcharge is £567 10s., and the land is worth £50. Total value, £417 16s., with residence. James Freke was ordained Deacon on 13 Oct. 1833, and Priest on 5 July, 1834, both at Cork.

In 1840 he was licensed to the cure of Ardfi. From 1841 to 1842 he was Vicar of Ardfi; and from 1842 to 1852 he was V. Kilcoe and Cleere. He married Theodosia Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Richard St. George, baronet, and has issue.