

I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY

AMENITIES AND GENERAL INFORMATION. TOWNS AND VILLAGES (Other than Seaside)

BARONY OF Villemore

TOWN OR VILLAGE Hollymount PARISH Rahew + Villanovan COUNTY Mayo

Location and brief description. Population 210

Situate 5 3/4 miles N.E. of Ballinalee and 7 1/2 miles S.W. of
Clonsilla on main road.

A single straggled village of some 40 houses mostly slated and
of one-story and two-story sizes. The houses are in some
cases in need of exterior repairs and cleaning. A few hundred
yards from the village is the Protestant church. A local ally is
situated just off the street which has at its east end a few detached
well residences and a small house, in repair, but unused.

Is there a Town Hall? no Location -

Parks, Gardens and Recreation Grounds. Brief description:

small sports field beside village. Plain field
with handball alley in one corner.

Brief comments on water supply and sewerage:

no public water system. Village pumps. Fair in quality.
no public sewage system.

PUBLIC SERVICES

Nearest station Hollymount Distance 1 1/2 M. Bus? 6 days weekly:
Ballinacorney, Galway, service.
Public lighting by—Electricity? no Gas? no

DANCING

Dance hall yes. (not a regular hall) Proprietor Proschel

CINEMAS AND THEATRES

Cinemas none Pictures shown -
(nights)

Theatre none Kind of shows -
(Drama, Comedy &c.)

LIBRARIES

Public Libraries *none*

Private Lending Libraries *none*

CHURCHES AND SERVICES

Church *Church of Ireland*

Services (Sundays) *1st + 3rd Sundays of*

month at 12 noon. At 3.30 p.m. other Sundays.

(Catholic services at Roundport)

POSTAL FACILITIES

Location of Post Office *End of village street.*

Business (? M.O., Telegraph, Telephone) *M.O. Telegraph, Telephone*

BANKING

Banks *none*

SPORTS AND PHOTO SUPPLIES

Sports Dealers *none*

Photographic Stores *none*

SWIMMING POOLS AND BATHS

Swimming Pool? *none*

Location

Public Baths?

Location

SOCIAL CLUBS, CULTURAL SOCIETIES, &c.

Social Clubs *none*

Cultural Societies *none*

INDUSTRIES AND HANDCRAFTS

Industries *none*

Handcrafts or Cottage Industries (Give names of craftsmen, employer, &c.):

PUBLIC MONUMENTS

(Brief description; inscription to be quoted)

IMPORTANT PUBLIC BUILDINGS

(Give brief notes on architectural features)

Protestant Church; nave with short transept and west gable tower. Erected 1816. Nave limestone. Tower is 10' square & has a good pointed-head, moulded doorway. usual upper pointed apse with moulds. Light bell-tower and has a cast-iron (Galloway) spire about 20' in height. nave apse pointed, with moulds. transept apse similar. nave gable has 3 light windows round-head with plain heavy sills. (Dial 10' x 25').

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

HOSPITALS

FAIRS AND MARKETS ; HALF-HOLIDAY

Monthly fairs and markets July 16th

Weekly market day none Half-holiday Wednesday

GARAGES AND PETROL STATIONS

none

CONVEYANCES FOR HIRE (Owners) :

Taxis W. Joyce (2 cars)

Edward Clarke

Motors (Touring)

Boats (State type)

Bicycles

Caravans

Horses

CAMPING SITES

(At principal holiday resorts)

Location Landowner

Local Improvements Committee none

Secretary

DATE June 22nd 1945

(Signed) Donald P. Goughan
Surveyor.