

I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY

SPORTS AND GAMES

BARONY OF

Gallen

TOWN OR VILLAGE

Bannicrow
[Bunycannelan]

PARISH

Kilgarvan

COUNTY

Mayo

ANGLING (Fresh water)

If there is only one river or lake in the parish this form (B) will suffice. For additional waters Form Ba to be used.

RIVER OR LAKE

RIVER BROSNA

Nearest point to town (distance)

2 1/2

KINDS OF FISH HELD:

Brown Trout, Eels

AVERAGE WEIGHT OF:

Salmon

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Sea trout

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Brown trout

6 lbs.

BEST SEASONS FOR:

Salmon

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Sea trout

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Brown trout

March / July to Sept.

SUITABLE FLIES:

Salmon

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Sea trout

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Brown trout

Hare's ear, March Brown, Cut-throat, Greenwell's Glean, Purple Snipe, Wickham's Fancy, Hare's ear gold-edged, Claret, Orange Glean, Golden Wren, Shiner.

State if angling is "entirely free"; "free except on preserved stretches"; etc.

Entirely free.

[closed for April and May] / [closed for May & June]

Preserved stretches with names and addresses of Proprietors:

Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day:

None. / Rivers easily fished from banks.

Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available):

Ballina, Co. Mayo. / Enniscrone, Co. Sligo.

Local Angling Club *Pentown + Foxford Anglers Club* Membership Fee *5/-*

Secretary (and Address) *Mrs. Peter Keane, Dikehead Yc., Foxford, Co. Mayo.*

SEA ANGLING

Brief notes on fishing grounds :

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Kinds of fish to be caught :

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Owners of boats, type of boats, and charges per day :

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Bait available locally ?..... Fishing tackle ?.....

Representative of B.S.A.S. or other sea angling Assn.....

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GOLFING

Name of Club..... *none*..... No. of holes.....

[BALLINA CLUB, 4 MILES FROM BONHEDULOG]

Situation and brief description of course :

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Name of Professional..... *—*.....

Is there a clubhouse on course ?..... *—*..... Licensed ?..... *—*.....

Green fees (Visitors) : Per day..... *—*..... Per week..... *—*.....

RACING

(Including "Point-to-Point" and "Flapper" meetings)

No. of meetings normally held during the year none
Under which rules? —
Situation of course —

HUNTING

Hounds which hunt in the district:

Foxhounds —
Harriers North Mayo Harriers, [Sec. Mr. T. Boland, Court Hill, Killalea]
Beagles —

COURSING

Name of Club none Meeting held annually? no

GREYHOUND RACING

Name of Company none
Races on (nights) —

SHOOTING

Brief notes on shooting areas, stating kinds of wild fowl or game, and if free shooting is available:

The glenside area has grouse, woodcock, some pheasant and partridge. The mountain area around Lough Yonca has grouse and hares. Lough Yonca (and Lough Slaven beside it) is an excellent spot for wild-geese. They always settle here for a while.

Kilbride Bog has grouse, a few lakelets with wild-geese and ducks shooting and sand mips. The parish is a good shooting area as above.

If preserved, give names of landowners or lessees and addresses:

(I. L. C. vested lands to be sent on when obtained)

Shooting Club none Secy. —

CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING

Name of Club none Competitions held? no

ROWING AND SAILING

Rowing or yacht clubs, with address of club-house.

none

GAMES AND RECREATIONS

Name of Club or Committee concerned with the following :
(In each case give location of sports ground or recreation hall)

Gaelic Football G.A.A. Club. Field near Bonvicarlan
Hurling none
Handball none Handball alley? no
Soccer none
Rugby none
Cricket none
Hockey none
Bowls none
Bowling (on public roads) none
Lawn Tennis none Kinds of courts —
Croquet none
Billiards none
Badminton none
Table Tennis none
Bridge Club none
Other games or recreations (inc. "Cross Roads" dancing) none

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

Name of Club none Events held under rules of —
do. —

ANNUAL EVENTS

Give list of annual events held in the town or parish, naming promoters (Clubs, etc.)
in each case. Include pilgrimages and patterns.

Local football matches. Promoters Local G.A.A.
Midweek being held convent no Justice
his year. (Mrs. Quire Conally)

DATE May 2nd 1944

(Signed) Donald A. Laughan
Surveyor.

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ANGLING (Fresh water)

RIVER OR LAKE CARRA LAKE Nearest point to town (distance) 2 1/2 M.

KINDS OF FISH HELD:

Brown Trout

AVERAGE WEIGHT OF:

Salmon — Sea trout — Brown trout 1 lb.

BEST SEASONS FOR:

Salmon — Sea trout — Brown trout March / September.

SUITABLE FLIES:

Salmon —
Sea trout —
Brown trout Invicta, Genian, Watson's Ganey, Silver Doctor, Grey Plover.

State if angling is—"entirely free"; "free except on preserved stretches"; etc.
Entirely free.

Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors:

Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day:

None. Good fishing points from shore. This lake is only about 150 yds. square - the trout are very slow to take fly and the average weight given above is conservative. A most unusual lake. The trout are bottom-feeders.

Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available):

Ballina, Co. Mayo.
Binnisnash, Co. Sligo

Local Angling Club Binnisnash + Foxford Anglers' Membership Fee 5/-
Secretary Mrs. Peter Beane, Binnisnash, Co. Mayo

(Signed) Donal A. Faghnan
Surveyor.

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ANGLING (Fresh water)

RIVER OR LAKE LOUGH FOSSEA Nearest point to town (distance) 5 M.

KINDS OF FISH HELD:

Brown Trout, Eels.

AVERAGE WEIGHT OF:

Salmon — Sea trout — Brown trout 1 lb.

BEST SEASONS FOR:

Salmon — Sea trout — Brown trout April / Sept.

SUITABLE FLIES:

Salmon —

Sea trout —

Brown trout Fine Brown; Lunenburg Black; Thunder & Lightning; Tenian; Wicklan's; Wavy; Watson's Fancy; Silver Doctor; Alcega; Cutler; Claret & Mallard.

State if angling is—"entirely free"; "free except on preserved stretches"; etc.

Entirely free.

Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors:

Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day:

None. This is a mountain lake at altitude 1500 ft. It is exceedingly hard to get boat to rise to fly. Some suitable shore points.

NOTE: Beside this lake is another mountain lake - Lough Haven, in County Sligo. Both lakes can be fished. Lough Haven offers good fishing of 4 lb. average.

Lough Fossa is seldom fished and this given are possible:
Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available):

Ballina, Co. Mayo.

Enniscaul, Co. Sligo.

Tubbercurry, Co. Sligo.

Local Angling Club Pontoon + Foxford Anglers' Membership Fee 5/-

Secretary Mr. Peter Bourne, Wickhead Hill, Foxford, Co. Mayo.

(Signed) Donal A. Goughran

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