

RATHDRUM

IS a small market town and parish, in the barony of Ballinacor, county of Wicklow, 38 miles s. from Dublin, 46 n. from Wexford, 11 n.w. from Arklow, and about 8 w. from Ballynacarrig (a village on the shore of the Irish sea); situated on the main road from Dublin to Arklow. The spacious woollen-hall, erected in 1793, by the late Earl Fitzwilliam, for the sale of flannels, is now appropriated to places of worship and school-rooms, the flannel manufacture having become extinct. Petty sessions for the barony are also held in the same building on alternate Thursdays. Earl Fitzwilliam is the proprietor of the greater part of the town, and a large portion of the county of Wicklow. The public buildings and institutions are a dispensary, the free schools, constabulary barracks, and a union workhouse.

The parish church is a handsome stone edifice, with a tower containing a bell, bearing an ancient inscription, informing us that it once belonged to a church at Glendalough. The Rev. Richard Powell, formerly rector of

this parish, was the introducer of Sunday schools into Ireland. From funds arising out of a bequest of Mr. John Tate, of Fanningueiren, the sum of £250. is appropriated to loans of small sums, without interest, to the industrious poor of Rathdrum. The romantic scenery in the vale of Ovoca, including the far-famed 'meeting of the waters,' being within a few miles of Rathdrum, attracts numerous visitants hither during the summer months. It was on a rustic seat, in the lawn attached to the neat ornamental cottage of N. Kempston, Esq. that the poet Moore is said to have composed the beautiful melody that bears this name. The neighbouring mountains abound with mineral ores, which are extensively worked, and on Drumkitt hill is a fine chalybeate spring. The market is held on Thursday. Fairs, January 2nd, February 20th, March 12th, April 5th, May 29th, June 18th, July 5th, August 28th, October 10th, November 11th, and December 11th. Population 1,232.

POST OFFICE, Upper street, Joseph Walker, *Post Master*.—Letters from DUBLIN arrive at thirty-seven minutes past twelve night, and are despatched thereto at eleven at night.—Letters from WEXFORD arrive at eleven at night, and are despatched at thirty-seven minutes past twelve night.

GENTRY AND CLERGY.

Acton Lieut.-Col. A. M.P. Westaston
Barton Thomas Johnston, Esq. J.P.
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Bookey William Trulock, Esq. J.P.
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Crozier Rev. Jas. Alex. Upper Town
Ellis Mr. Matthew, Upper Town
Guinness Rev. Wm. Smith, Rectory
Featherstone H. Francis, Esq. Casino
Kemmiss Wm. Esq. J.P. D.L. Ballinacor
Kempston N. Esq. the Meeting
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Ballintegart
Tate John, Esq. Cool Ballintegart
Woodroffe Rev. John, Upper Town

Morton's Hotel (posting), Johnson
W. Moreton, Upper st

PUBLIC HOUSES.

Browne Ann, Upper st
Peirce Thomas, Fair green
Saul Thomas, Lower town
Sutton John, Upper st
Woodburne John, Back lane
SHOPKEEPERS & TRADERS.
Arthurs William, tailor
Byrne Jas. provision dealer, Back lane
Byrne Patrick, tailor, Upper st
Byrne Thomas, butcher, Upper st
Christian Joseph, saddler, Upper st
Comerford Jas. miller, Glassneyet
Cosgrave Thomas, grocer, Back lane
Crowley Hugh, shopkeeper, Upper st
Ellis John, provision dealer, Upper st
Ellis John, grocer, Upper st
Farrell Daniel, draper & grocer, Upper street [Back lane
Franklin Robert, provision dealer.

Rochfort Jas. carpenter, Ballygannon
Ryly Patrick, saddler
Saul Thos. spirit dealer, Lower town
Shaw William, baker, Upper st
Smith Elizabeth, straw bonnet maker, Upper street
Sutton Lucy, linen draper, Upper st
Walker Joseph, baker, Upper st
Wingrove Jas. farmer, Lower town
Wingrove John, farmer, Lower town

PLACES OF WORSHIP,

And their Ministers.

ESTABLISHED CHURCH—Rev. William Smyth Guinness, rector; Rev. James Alexander Crozier and Rev. John Woodroffe, curates.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPEL—Rev. Jas. M'Kenna, parish priest; Rev. Michael Callagan & Rev. Jas. Malony, curates.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHAPEL, Flannel hall—ministers various.

Public Institutions, &c.

CONSTABULARY BARRACKS—John

REPRESENTATIVES,

LIEUT.-COL. WILLIAM ACTON, West Aston, in this county; Carlton Club, and 36 Jermyn-street, St. James's, London.

SIR RALPH HOWARD, bart. cousin to the Earl of Wicklow, Colonel of the Wicklow militia. Athenæum Club, and 17 Belgrave-square, London; and Bushy park, Bray, in this county.

LIEUTENANT—RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF WICKLOW, Shelton abbey, in this county; Castle Forward, co. Donegal; Stanmore villa; and 2 Cavendish square, London.

HIGH SHERIFF—FRANCIS SYNGE, esq. Glenmore Castle, Ashford.

CUSTOS ROTULORUM—THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE EARL OF MEATH, Kiltruddery, in this county; Eaton court, Herefordshire; and 18 Upper Brooke street, London.

DEPUTY-LIEUTENANTS,

The Earl of Rathdown, Charleville, Bray
The Viscount Amiens
The Hon. Grenville Levison Proby, Glenart castle
Sir George F. Hodson, bart. Hollybrook house
Colonel Sir Ralph Howard, bart. m.p. Bushy park
Robert Gun Cuninghame, esq. Mount-Kennedy h.
William Jones Westby, esq. High park
Lieutenant-Col. William Acton, m.p. West Aston

Daniel Tighe, esq. Rossana, Ashford
John Syngé, esq. Glenmore castle
William Wentworth F. Hume, esq. Humewood
James Wall, esq. Knockrigg
John Parnell, esq. Avondale
Edward Symes Bayly, esq. Ballyarthur
Henry Carroll, esq. Ballinure
William Kemmis, esq. Ballinacror

ASSISTANT BARRISTER—GEORGE TOMB, esq. 21 Temple street, Upper.

MAGISTRATES,

Arthur, Marquess of Downshire
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Thomas S. Dennis, esq. Fortgranite, Baltinglass
William Truelock Bookey, esq. Derrybawn, Rathdrum
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Lieutenant-Col. William Acton, m.p. West Aston, Rathdrum
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John Hornidge, esq. Russelstown, Blessington
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John Finnamore, esq. Ballyward, Blessington
Arthur Jones, esq. Killincarrick, Delgany
Thomas DeRenzy, esq. Cronyhorn, Carnew
John Whelan, esq. Rath, Tullow
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Jn. Nuttall, esq. Tiltower, Newtn.-Mt.-Kennedy
Arthur Rowley Symes, esq. Ballybeg, Rathdrum
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James Grattan, esq. Tinnelinch, Bray
Hibbert Newtown, esq. Ballinglen, Tinahely
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John Dudley Oliver, esq. Cherrymount, Arklow
Michael Hudson, esq. Woodmount, Arklow
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James Magee, esq. 39 Leeson street
William Owen, esq. Blessington
H. O'Reilly, esq. Kilquailie house, Delgany
John Tate, esq. Ballytaggart, Rathdrum
Robert Challoner, esq. Coolattin park, Tinahely

Richard Hornidge, esq. Tulferris, Blessington
 Isaac Ambrose Eccles, esq. Cromoe, Wicklow
 George Meares John Drought, esq.
 James Wall, esq. Knockrig, Baltinglass
 George Audouin Lambe, esq. East Hill, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 Robert Sandys, esq. Dargle cottage, Enniskerry
 Abraham Augustus Nixon, esq. Munny, Tullow
 Major Hugh Eccles, Kiltimon, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 John Synge, esq. Glenmore Castle, Ashford
 Robert Gun Cunningham, esq. Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 Thomas S. Dennis, esq. Fortgranite, Baltinglass
 William Brownrigg, esq. Ardenode, Blessington
 General Sir George Cockburn, G.C.H. Shanganagh, Bray
 John Humphreys, esq.
 John Cathcart Lees, esq.
 William Truelock Bookey, esq. Derrybane, Rathdrum
 George Cummin, esq. Ballyronan, Baltinglass
 Robert Francis Saunders, esq. Saunders'-grove Baltinglass
 Francis William Greene, esq. Kilranalagh, Baltinglass
 John Murray, esq. Blessington
 Rev. Moore Morgan, Dunlavin
 Lieutenant-Colonel Wm. Acton, West Aston, Rathdrum
 James Tandy, esq. Milbank, Naas
 Lieutenant-General John S. Saunders, Goldenfort, Baltinglass
 Robert Holt Truell, esq. Clonmanon, Wicklow
 James L. Audouin, esq. East Hill, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 Captain Samuel Hoare, Lambarton, Arklow
 John Dick, esq. Belfield, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 Daniel Tighè, esq. Rosanna, Wicklow
 John Hornidge, esq. Russellstown, Blessington
 George Bury, esq. Mount Avon, Rathdrum

Thomas Mills King, esq. Kingston, Rathdrum
 St. George Knudson, esq. Glendaragh, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 William W. Fitzwilliam Hume, esq. Hume-wood, Baltinglass
 Thomas Cannon, esq. Milbank, Naas
 John Finemore, esq. Ballyward, Blessington
 Robert Chaloner, esq. Coolattin Park, Tinahely
 Arthur Jones, esq. Killincarrick, Delgany
 Thomas De Renzy, esq. Carnew
 John Whelan, esq. Rath, Tullow
 Richard Hornidge, jun. esq. Tulferris, Blessington
 Joseph Sparrow, esq. Hollymount, Wicklow
 James Browne, esq. Blessington
 Joseph Connery Salkeld, esq. Connery, Rathdrum
 William Jones Westby, esq. High-park, Hacketstown
 Joseph Dickson, esq. Ballyfree, Wicklow
 Colonel Ralph Howard, M.P. Bushy Park, Bray
 Henry Thompson Redmond, esq. Killoughter Wicklow
 Rev. Ogle William Moore, Blessington
 Richard Hudson, esq. Springfarm, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 John Aylmer, esq.
 Joseph Symes, esq. Coolbay, Tinahely
 Ralph James Hope, esq. Carnew
 Francis Henry Morton, esq. Fortown, Tinahely
 Anthony Richard Blake, esq. Stillorgan
 Gerald Fitzgerald, esq. (Police Magistrate)
 Charles John Tottenham, esq. Woodstock, Newtown-Mount-Kennedy
 Edward Blake, esq. Ross Lodge, Wicklow
 Thomas Keoghoe, esq. Ballinclare, Rathdrum
 John A. Leonard, esq. Claremount, Ashford
 William Grogan, esq. Slaney Park, Baltinglass
 William Colthurst, esq. (Police Magistrate) Baltinglass
 Michael M'Donald, esq. Buckrony House, Arklow
 Henry Wall, Knockrigg, Baltinglass

MILITIA, STAFF STATIONED AT ARKLOW.

Colonel, Ralph Howard. M.P. Bushy Park, in this county
Lieutenant-Colonel, William Acton, West Aston, Rathdrum
Major, William Parsons Hoey, Leeson-street, Dublin
Adjutant, Captain R. Butler
Agents, Cane and Co.

Clerk of the Crown, A. H. C. Pollock, esq.
Deputy William Curtis, esq. 3 Harcourt-street
Clerk of the Peace, John Mills, esq. Wicklow, and 16 Middle Gardiner-street
Deputy Samuel Fenton, esq. Wicklow
Treasurer, John Revell, jun. esq. Sea-park, Wicklow
Secretary to Grand Jury, Benjamin D. Derinzi, esq. Baltinglass

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J. Manifold, E. Arklow
 John Mills, CH. K. C. E. and N. P. Wicklow
 Chas. Sterne, K. C. and special B. K. C. Arklow

County Surveyor, William Hampton, esq.
Sub-Sheriff, Robert Courtenay, esq. Wicklow
Returning Officer, William Page, esq. 81 Lower Gardiner-street
Coroners, Matthew Hudson, esq. Arklow ;
 J. B. M'Clatchy, esq. Wicklow ; Alexander Moore, esq. Rathdrum

COUNTY GAOL, WICKLOW.

Inspector, William Nolan, esq.
Chaplain, Rev. Robert Porter
Roman Catholic Chaplain, Rev. John Grant
Physician, William Hamilton, M.D.
Governor, Mr. John Hill

Distributor of Stamps, J. C. Hill, esq. Wicklow

COUNTY INFIRMARY, WICKLOW.

Surgeon, William Hamilton. M.D.
 Ralph A. Taylor, K. F. Kilcavan, Carnew
 Henry Wilson, K. C. E. Saunders'-grove