

I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY.

Natural Features, Antiquities,
Historic Associations, etc.

Barony of Half Rathdown

Town or Village Greystones Parish Greystones County Wicklow

TOPOGRAPHY

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The main road to Greystones from Bray is through lovely country comprising hill and valley and pretty wooded grounds with attractive gardens. On the right clear-cut outlines of the giant coves, the Great and Little Sugarloaf mountains, are a conspicuous and attractive feature of the scenery from whatever viewpoint they may be observed. The road in the vicinity of Windgates, passes between the great bulk of Bray Head on the one side and on the other the lesser Sugar Loaf which is close at hand. A network of roads links the town of Greystones with many places of interest, including the Glen of the Downs, Delgany and Newcastle.

To ascend the Sugar Loaf Mountains is an ambition of many visitors to Wicklow and Greystones is one of the most suitable bases from which to do so. The coast comprises miles of sand and pebble beaches, gently shelving towards the sea and affording opportunities for excellent and safe bathing.

Dublin $17\frac{1}{4}$ miles; Bray 5 miles; Wicklow $13\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

GEOLOGY

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The surrounding hills have resisted decay, because they are actually composed of quartzite - sand cemented under heat and pressure - though fireformed they are non-volcanic.

The geological formation is of the Cambrian order. Quartzite predominates in the hills and mountains, the Sugar Loaf Mountains owing their sharp well-defined outlines to this durable composition. In the hollows and level tracts the soil is productive and cultivated with success.

MANSIONS, CASTLES, AND ESTATES

OF IMPOSING CHARACTER

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Description of town:

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ANTIQUITIES

Abbeys, Castles, Fortresses, Round Towers, Early Churches, Sculptured Crosses, Stone Circles, Ogham Stones, Cairns, Souterrams, Pillar Stones, Cromlechs, Forts, Rathes, Moats, Tumuli or ancient monuments of any kind. Exact location of each with short description, noting condition, etc. Relate local legend or tradition associated with building or object. State if in charge of Office of Public Works. Right of way to public? Admission charge (if any). Name and address of caretaker, or where key is kept.

Quarter of a mile to the north of Greystones was Rathdown, or Rath Dinin - erected by Herenon, one of the first Milesian Kings, there are now no remains.

In St. Killian's Church - Blacklion, - which has been recently renovated by Mons. Curran (late Rector of Irish Colleges Rooms) is a life-size statue of St. Killian, bearing the following inscription:-

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Pray for the Donor."

HISTORIC HOUSES; BURIAL PLACES

- (a) Birth places or one-time residences of distinguished Irishmen or other personalities. Location and description. Present owner or occupant.
(b) Burial places of distinguished personalities.

Connected with the Burnaby Estate were:

1. Admiral Sir James Hawkins-Whitshed, son of the Bishop of Raphoe, born 1762. d. 1849. Intimate friend of Lords Vincent and Nelson, he took part in the Battle of Cape St. Vincent, and arranged for the defence of the Irish coast during the war of 1807 - 10. He was created Baron of Hanover in 1843. The Hawkins-Whitshed family were owners of the property for a period.

2. Colonel Fred Burnaby, son of the Rector of St. Peters, Bedford, born in 1842, and killed at the Battle of Abon Klea in 1885. A man of immense strength, he was an accomplished linguist, a pioneer in ballooning, a wide traveller. He went as "Times" correspondent to the Soudan where he met General Goroon. He wrote a dozen books, notably "A Ride to Khiva", which was a record of his visit to that forbidden city. At one time contested Birmingham in the Conservative interest with Lord Randolph Churchill.

Killincarrig Castle: In no sense a castle, a plain stone building - now a ruin, is reputed to have sheltered Cromwell according to a letter from him to the Speaker of Commons Wm. Lenthill, 14th October 1649, states that he marched on 23rd September from Dublin on his way to Wexford.

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Sports and Games

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

No Fresh-Water Fishing.SEA ANGLING

Brief notes on fishing grounds:

No organised sea-angling in this parish. "Knights of the Silver Hook" and
Dublin Sea Anglers Association hold competitions at various times.

Kinds of fish to be caught:

Plaice, Pallock, codling, conger eel.

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

Geo. Archer. Open pleasure boats) £1 - 0 - 0 per dayD. Daly. Skiff and Row boats) with linesJohn Wiston)Joe Ryan) Skiff and Row BoatsMr. Fields) By hour or dayJoe Kinsella) by arrangementJhos. Kevley)P. Salmon)

Bait available locally? Shell Fishing Tackle? Supplied by
boatmen.

GOLFINGName of Club Greystones Golf Club No. of holes 18

Situation and brief description of course:

Within 5 minutes walk of Railway Station. Delightfully situated between sea and
County Wicklow Mountains, providing a continuous panorama of fine scenery. The
long player finds plenty of scope, and the short holes are adroitly bunkered to
test nerve and accuracy.

Name of Professional E, Martin.

Is there a clubhouse on course? Yes. Recently redecorated. Large ready room
searoom, ladie's and men's cloakrooms, bath, stet luncheons server, bar.

Licensed? Yes.

Green fees (Visitors): Per day 2/= Monday to Friday, 2/6 Saturday, 3/= Sunday

Bank Holiday 3/6. Per week Temporary members Gents 10/= weekly, ladies 7/6.

HUNTING

Hounds which hunt in the district:

Harriers Bray Harriers.

Beagles Master - M.J. O'Brien, Bellvue, Delgany.

Sect. Capt. T.J. Wilson, Kingston, Kiltarnan, Co. Dublin.

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 Greystones Gaels (Ref John Green, Mill Rd. Killarearny)

St. Killians - (Ben Campion c/o Davis, Ben Campion)

Camogie Joint field on Delgany rd, $\frac{3}{4}$ mile from town. (Kathleen Martin

Wymss, Eden rd.)

Soccer Greystones A.F.C., Archfield. (Sec. J. Gunning, Grove Cottages,

Greystones.)

Rugby Greystones Rugby Club, Mill Road. (Sec. Mr. W. Richie, Capherfilly

Greystones)

Hockey St. David's Holy Faith Convent.

Lawn Tennis Greystones L.T. Club ($\frac{3}{4}$ mile on Delgany rd.) (10/= month,

5/= week, 1/= day) See T. Larkin, Railway Hotel.

Kind of courts 6 Grass.

Grand Hotel Tennis Club.

Billiards St. Killian's Hall also Grand Hotel.

Badminton Church of Ireland Parish Club (Sec. Mr. Walker-Sarape)

Table Tennis Grand Hotel. Church of Ireland Parish Club.

Bridge Club Greystones Golf Club.

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

Name of Club Greystones Athletic Club Events held under rules of N.A.C.A.I.

Hon. Sec. Liam J. Murphy. Knockauln, Harrington St. Dublin

ANNUAL EVENTS

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

Greystones Athletic Club.

(Recently founded)

Propose annual athletic events.

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Holiday Amenities And General Information

Seaside Resorts

Barony of Half Rathdown.Resprt Greystones Parish Greystones County WicklowLocation and brief description of town or village. Population 1535

17 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles from Dublin - 5 miles south of Bray. Nestling on the sea shore at the foot of Bray Head and the two Sugarloaf Mountains. The town is built on the La Touche and Burnaby Estates. The latter portion is occupied by exclusive residential villas occupied by returned colonial administrators etc. The former part is the business centre with numerous furnished houses to let.

Greystones is an improving resort on the east coast, 17 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles south of Dublin, 5 miles south of Bray and 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Wicklow. During recent years it has grown in popularity both as a holiday place and as a select residential district. The atmosphere of the former quiet fishing village is retained in the white-washed cottages of the harbour and its environs whilst the Burnaby Estate with its modern residences, wide tree-lined roads and neatly trimmed hedges, exemplifies admirable planning and ordered taste. The La Touche Estate now constitutes the business quarter of the little town and contains numerous furnished houses available for letting during the holiday season.

Good accommodation is provided for visitors who, according to taste or means, are adequately and satisfactorily catered for at excellent hotels, guest houses and other houses, ranging to tiny cottages. Greystones has a well planned 18 hole golf course and tennis and bathing and offers several other forms of outdoor recreation, not least of which are walking and hill-climbing in the vicinity.

Description of beach (? Length, sandy, shingle, safe, currents, &c)

Shelving, tough sand and shingle. Safe for bathing. This beach runs approximately 11 miles to link up with the town of Wicklow.

From Greystones to Wicklow the seashore is a continuous narrow stretch of sandy and shingle beach, sloping gradually towards the sea and offering unlimited opportunities for safe bathing.

Public right of way to beach or swimming places? Yes.

Bathing, swimming and diving facilities. State if mixed bathing allowed, and quote bye-laws (if any) relating to bathing places. Include swimming pools, bathing boxes, surf-riding, &c.

Mixed bathing allowed off rocky promenade special gentleman's bathing place, provided with spring boards. During the season about 100 bathing boxes - most of which are privately owned. Geo. Archer & W. Sperly rent boxes to visitors @ £1 - 10 - 0 per month and pay royalty of 2/6 per box to Burnaby Estate.

Shelters? Two Lavatories? Two (L. & G.) Seats? At various pts.

Parking place for cars? (unofficial) on Front Charge? ---

Life-saving corps? --- Beach attendant? ---

Swimming Club? Greystones S. C. Secretary Mr. Howard Ferns

Sea water baths? ---- Proprietor ----

Boats (type) available for pleasure trips? Sec. Form B.

Dance Halls and names of Proprietors:

St. Killians Parochial Hall Proprietor R.C. Clergy

Grand Hotel do. Grand Hotel

Parks, Gardens and Recreation Grounds. Brief description:

Leaving station, on left, is a four acre park, with pathway through centre, containing wooden seats. No attempt has been made to beautify scene.

Brief comments on water supply and sewerage:

Vartry. Very good (Dublin city supply).

Sewerage - B. O. H. Modern drainage system.

PUBLIC SERVICES

Nearest station Greystones Distance In town. Bus Service? Yes
Special city service

Public Lighting by - Electricity? Yes Gas? ----

CINEMAS AND THEATRES

Cinemas St. Killians Hall Pictures shown (nights) Nightly
(arrangements are being made to build a
new cinema) on site facing Church of
Ireland. (meeting with opposition)

Theatre St. Killians Hall Kind of shows Occasional drama and
(Drama, Comedy comedy by local talent
&c.) & travelling shows.

LIBRARIES

Public Libraries Carnegie.

Private Lending Libraries Argosy at O'Malleys, Stationers, Church Rd.

Lens Library. Radio Gram Stores. Church Rd.

CHURCHES AND SERVICES

Church R. C. Greystones Services (Sundays) 8am. 9.30am. 11am.

R.C. St. Killians Black Lion 9am.

C. of I. Church Rd. (Ph. 77 Greystones) 8am. 10. 11.30am

_____ 3.30pm. 6.30pm.

Presbyterian. Trafalgar Rd. 11.30am 7pm.

Plymouth Brethern Hillside Rd. 11.30am 8pm (June to

Sept. Open air service

POSTAL FACILITIES

Location of Post Office La Touche Rd. Next to R.C. Church (between sea & rail)

Business (? M.O. Telegraph, Telephone) Telephone, T. grams. M.O. General 24hr.

Telephone Exchange.

BANKING

Banks Royal Bank Weekdays.

Northern Bank) Tuesdays and Fridays Winter.

Hibernian) Mondays, Wednesdays, and Friday Summer.

SPORTS AND PHOTO SUPPLIES, &c.

Sports Dealers A.C. Evans. La Touche Place.

Photographic Stores Scott's Pharmacy. Handy's Pharmacy.

SOCIAL CLUBS, CULTURAL SOCIETIES, &c.

Social Clubs R.C. St. Killians Hall.

C. of I. Activities - held in Protestant N.S. (Church soon about to build Hall)?

Cultural Societies Greystones Study Circle. (Hon. Sec. A.M. Reith O.B.E. Lindin, Greystones)

IMPORTANT PUBLIC BUILDINGS

(Give brief notes on architectural features)

See page 2 Form A.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Convent Holy Faith. National and Secondary (St. David's).

Church of Ireland National School (Mixed).

Mrs. W. McCormick - Kindergarten and Private.

Recently the Irish Christian Bros. propose building a secondary school in the district when supplies permit (as soon as hostilities cease) - meanwhile are operating N.S. at Black Lion.

FAIRS AND MARKETS: HALF-HOLIDAY

Monthly fairs and markets --- Weekly market day ---

Half-holiday Wednesday.

GARAGES AND PETROL STATIONS

Walkers, Church Rd. (Ph. 21).

Watson and Johnson. (Ph. 104) Beside station.

CONVEYANCES FOR HIRE (OWNERS):

Taxis Walker's Garage.

Watson and Johnson.

Motors (Touring) Walkers.

Watson and Johnson.

Boats (State type) See Form B under "Owners of Boats"

Bicycles Allen C. Evans. La Touche Place (Ph. 103) 2/6 per day.

Horses John Doyle, Black Lion, operates Horse-drawn vis - a - vis

CAMPING SITES

Location Overlooking Harbour

Landowner Geo. Archer

5/= weekly.

Caravans 8/= weekly.

Local Improvements Committee Greystones Ratepayers Association.

Secretary Dr. J.J. Hickey M.C.C.

Barony Half RathdownCounty WicklowTown or Village Greystones

GUEST OR BOARDING HOUSES	NO. GUEST BEDROOMS	NO. OF BATHS	NO. OF LAVS.	NO. PUBLIC ROOMS	LICENSED	REMARKS
Mrs. McMahon	8	1	2	2	No	La Touche Rd. Appears good type.
Christian Endeavour Hol. Homes Ltd.	45	7	22	3	No	(Phone 12) On Sea Front.
Mrs. Dan	6	1	2	1	Yes	Harbour Place. (Ph. 23) Not run as Boarding Hse. Takes overflow from Htl
Mrs. R. Scuffil	6	1	1(1 out)	1	No	Helena Church Rd.
Mrs. Breda Devereaux	2	-	1	2	No	(Ph. 148)
Mrs. Hanna Devereaux	4	1	1	1	No	Bridge Hse. Redford. (To let furnished or unfurnished).
Miss H. Massey	3	1	1(1 out)	1	No	Redford Hse. 1 mile from G'stones
The Misses Robertson	5	1	1(1 out)	2	No	St. Stephens, Victoria Rd. (Bus route)
Mrs. M.J. Ludlow	5	1	1(1 out)	2	No	"Yarra Yarra" Harbour. (2 cottages to let).
Mrs. Emily Fox	4	1	1	2	No	"Alberta"
Miss Jane Willoughby	5	1	2	2	No	"Dunkerin Hse" Trafalgar Rd. (Overlooking Harbour)
Mrs. Annie Dillon	6	1	2	2	No	"Ardrigh" Trafalgar Rd. (over-looking Harbour).

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Mrs. J. Doyle	4	-	1	2	No	3, Bethel Tce. Trafalgar Rd. (overlooking Harbour)
Mrs. Kezia O. Sathings	5	1	1	1	No	2, Bethel Tce. Trafalgar Rd. (overlooking Harbour)
W.C.A. Coolnagreina & Cooleen	19	2	20	2	No	Just off Trafalgar Rd.
Mrs. Eliz. Heelan	4	-	1	2	No	"Glengarriff" Sympton Rd. (Let furnished house only)
Miss Francis Fogarty	3	1	1	-	No	"Valera" Trafalgar Rd.
Mrs. Alice Butler	4	1	1(1 out)	2	No	"Balmoral" Trafalgar Rd.
Mrs. Agnes Fanning	4	1	1	3	No	"Victoria Hse" Trafalgar Rd.
Mrs. Ferns	2	1	1	1	No	Trafalgar Rd.
Mrs. Nora Fingley	3	-	1 (out)	1	No	"Laburru" Trafalgar Rd. (house to let).
Mrs. H.J. Evans	3	-	1	1	No)
" "	3	1	1	1	No) Eden Cottage
" "	3	-	1	1	No) Eden Rd.
" "	2	-	1 (out)	1	No)
Miss Harriet Walker	6	1	1	3	No	"Ripley" Church Rd. (furnished apt)
Mrs. E. Dunne	5	1	1	2	No	"Montrose" Church Rd.

Barony Half Rathdown

County Wicklow

Town or Village Greystones

GUEST OR BOARDING HOUSES	NO. GUEST BEDROOMS	NO. OF BATHS	NO. OF LAVS.	NO. PUBLIC ROOMS	LICENSED	REMARKS
Mr. P. Keedy	7	1	2	1	No	"Virgo" Hillside Rd. overlooking golfcourse. Also 2 small bungalows to let.

N.B. Mr. Rockford Doyle (Auctioneer) has 60 furnished houses to let for the summer months.

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Copy for
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May 21/1943

[Signature]

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SPAS OR MINERAL SPRINGS

Spas formerly in use. Location and present condition. Access. Right of way to public?
Mineral content and curative properties so far as known locally.

A letter from him to the Speaker of Commons Wm. Lenthall, 14th Oct. 1649, ^{states} that he marched on 23rd Sept from Dublin on his way to Wexford.

CURIOSITIES

Curious objects, structures, monuments, landmarks, sights, etc. For example, Wishing stones or "chairs," freaks of nature (i.e. grotesque rock formations)—in fact, any scene or object which may be regarded as queer, quaint or mirth-provoking. Location and description. Any story or legend to be related.

CUSTOMS, PATTERNS, ETC.

Brief account of old customs, traditional cures, etc., still practised in the district. Pilgrimages to Holy Wells, Shrines, etc. Patterns.

(Signed)



Surveyor.

DATE

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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 Nearest point to town (distance)

KINDS OF FISH HELD :

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AVERAGE WEIGHT OF :

Salmon Sea trout Brown trout

BEST SEASONS FOR :

Salmon Sea trout Brown trout

SUITABLE FLIES :

Salmon

Sea trout

Brown trout

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

Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors :

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Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day :

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Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available) :

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Local Angling Club Membership Fee

Secretary (and Address)

SEA ANGLING

Brief notes on fishing grounds :

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~~usually~~ hold competitions at various times.

Kinds of fish to be caught :

Plaice, Pollock - bodling, bonga & fish

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

Geo. Archer.	Open pleasure boats	} £1-0-0 per day with lines
D. Daly.	Skiff & Row Boats.	
John. Wilson	} Skiff & Row Boats. By Hour or Day by arrangement.	
Joe Ryan.		
Mr. Fields		
Joe Kinnella		
Shos Kedley		
P. Salmon		

Bait available locally? Shell. Fishing tackle? Supplied by boatmen.

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

GOLFING

Name of Club Greystones G. Club. No. of holes 18.

Situation and brief description of course :

Within 5 mins. walk of Railway Station. Delightfully situated between sea & Co. Wicklow Mts, providing a continuous panorama of fine scenery. The long player finds plenty of scope, & the short holes are admirably bunkered to test nerve & accuracy.

Name of Professional G. Martin.

Is there a clubhouse on course? Yes. Licensed? Yes.

Green fees (Visitors) : Per day (2/- Mon to Fri) Per week Temporary Members.
 2/- Sat. 3/- Sun) 5/-
 Ladies 3/6, Ladies 7/6

Recently remodelled. Large Reading Room, Sea Room, Ladies & Mens cloakrooms. Bar. Bath. Hot Luncheon served.

RACING

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

No. of meetings normally held during the year.....

Under which rules?.....

Situation of course.....

HUNTING

Hounds which hunt in the district :

Foxhounds.....

Harriers.....

Beagles.....

*Bray Harriers. Grand Hotel.
Master - Dan Hartung, Headonbank.
M. J. O'BRIEN, BELLONE, DELGANY.
Sect. Capt T. J. Wilson, Killernan Co Dublin
COURSING Kingston, ^*

Name of Club..... Meeting held annually?.....

GREYHOUND RACING

Name of Company.....

Races on (nights).....

SHOOTING

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

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

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Shooting Club..... Secy.....

CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING

Name of Club..... Competitions held?.....

ROWING AND SAILING

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

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GAMES AND RECREATIONS

(Green?)

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

- Gaelic Football *Greystones Gaelic Club (Ref John Egan, Hill Rd, Killeacornig)*
- Banogie* } *St Killian's* } *Joint field on Delgan Rd (Kathleen Martin, Wymas, Eden Rd.)*
- Hurling *3/4 mile from Town*
- Handball _____ Handball alley? _____
- Soccer *G.A.F.C. Archfield (Sec. J. Sunning)*
- Rugby *Greystones R. C. Hill Road (Sec. Mr W. Richie, Greystones)*
- Cricket _____
- Hockey *St. David's, H. Faith Bowring*
- Bowls _____
- Bowling (on public roads) _____
- Lawn Tennis *Greystones A.T. Club (3/4 mile on Delgan Rd.)* Kinds of courts *6 Grass (10/12 Mts, 5/12 Wks, 1/12 day)*
- Croquet *See T. Larkin, Railway Hotel*
- Billiards *St. Killian's Hall (Snooker Table also)*
- Badminton *B. of S. Parish Club (See Mr Walker, Garage)*
- Table Tennis *Grand Hotel, B. of S. Parish Club*
- Bridge Club _____
- Other games or recreations (inc. "Cross Roads" dancing) _____
- Bridge Club - Greystones Golf Club*

Greystones Hotel also Tennis bowls

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

Name of Club *Greystones Athletic Club* Events held under rules of *N.A.C.A.I.*
do. _____ Hon. Sec. *Liam J. Murphy*
Knockraun, Darnley St, Dublin.

ANNUAL EVENTS

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

Greystones Athletic Club. Promoters _____
(Recently founded)
Propose annual athletic events.
Table Tennis

DATE *May 31 1943* (Signed) _____ Surveyor.

I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY

HOLIDAY AMENITIES AND GENERAL INFORMATION.

SEASIDE RESORTS.

BARONY OF Grey Half Rathdown.

RESORT Greystones PARISH Greystones COUNTY Wicklow.

Location and brief description of town or village. Population 1535.

Seventeen miles from Dublin - Two miles south of Bray.
Nestling on the sea shore at the foot of Bray Head and the
two Sugarloaf Mts. The town is built on the Le Douche
and Barnaby points. The latter portion is occupied by
exclusive residential villas, occupied by returned colonial
Administrators etc. The former part is the business centre
with numerous furnished houses to let.

Description of beach (? Length, sandy, shingle, safe, currents, &c.):

Shelving, tough sand & shingle. Safe for
bathing. This beach runs approximately 11
miles to link up with the town of Wicklow.

Public right of way to beach or swimming places? Yes.

Bathing, swimming and diving facilities. State if mixed bathing allowed, and quote bye-laws (if any) relating to bathing places. Include swimming pools, bathing boxes, surf-riding, &c.

Mixed bathing allowed. off rocky promenade.
special gentlemen's bathing place, provided
with spring board, & during the season
about 100 bathing boxes - most of which
are privately owned. Geo. Archer, & W. Sperry rent 10
boxes to visitors @ £1-10-0 p. month. & pay royalty of 2/6 per box.

Large bathing street

Shelters? Two. Lavatories? Two. (L & G.) Seats? at various points

Parking place for cars (Note ^{un} official) on Front Charge? —

Life-saving corps? — Beach attendant? —

Swimming Club? Greystones S. C. Secretary Mr Howard Frost.

Sea water baths? — Proprietor —

Boats (type) available for pleasure trips? See Form B

Amusements Park and games provided:

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Dance Halls and names of Proprietors:

St. Killians Parochial Hall. Proprietor Local R. C. Clergy.
Grand Hotel. do. Grand Hotel Ltd
 do. —

Skating Rink? Proprietor

Is there a Town Hall? Location

Parks, Gardens and Recreation Grounds. Brief description:

Leaving station, on left, is a four acre park, with pathway through centre, containing wooden seats. No attempt has been made to beautify same.

Brief comments on water supply and sewerage:

Water - V. Good (Dublin City supply).
Sewerage - B. O. H. modern drainage system.

PUBLIC SERVICES

Nearest station Greystones S.R. Distance In Town. Bus Service? None

Public lighting by—Electricity? E. S. B. Yes Gas?

Yes City Special Service

CINEMAS AND THEATRES

Cinemas St. Killian's Hall. Pictures shown Nightly
(Arrangements are being made to build a regular new Cinema) on site facing C. of D. (meeting with opposition)

Theatre St Killian's Hall. Kind of shows occasional Drama, Comedy by local talent and Travelling Shows.
(Drama, Comedy &c.)

LIBRARIES

Public Libraries Carnegie

Private Lending Libraries Argosy, at O'Malleys, Stationers Ch. Rd.
Lens Library, Radio Gram. Stores, Church Rd.

CHURCHES AND SERVICES

Church R. C. Greystones. Services (Sundays) 8 am, 9.30 am, 11 am.
R.C. St Killian's Black Lion. 9 a.m.
b. of D. Church Road (Ph 77 Greystones). 8 am, 10, 11.30, 3.30 pm
Presbyterian, Inalagar Road. 11.30 am, 7. pm, 6.30 pm.
Plymouth Brethern Hillside Rd. 11.30 am, 8. pm.
(June to Sept. Open Air Service)

POSTAL FACILITIES

Location of Post Office La Touche Rd. Next R.C. Church.
(between sea & Rail).

Business (? M.O. Telegraph, Telephone) General 24 hr. Del. Box.
Telephone, Telegrams, M.O.

BANKING

Banks Royal Bank Weekdays
Northern Bank Tuesdays & Fridays Winters
Hibernian Mondays, Wed. & Fri. Summers.

SPORTS AND PHOTO SUPPLIES, &c.

Sports Dealers A. B. Evans La Touche Place.

Photographic Stores Scotts Pharmacy
Handy's Pharmacy

SOCIAL CLUBS, CULTURAL SOCIETIES, &c.

Social Clubs R. C. St. Killians Hall.
C. of I. activities - held in Protestant N.S.
(Church body about 15 build Hall)

Cultural Societies Greystones Study Circle.
(Hon. Sec. A. M. Reith O.B.E.
London, Greystones)

INDUSTRIES AND HANDCRAFTS

Industries

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)

See page 2 John A.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Convent. Holy Faith. National & Secondary. (St. David's)
C. of I. National School (mixed)
Mrs. W. McCormick - Kindergarten & Primary.
Recently the Irish Mission Bros. propose building
a secondary school in the district as soon as when
hostilities cease - meanwhile are operating N.S. at Blacklion

HOSPITALS

FAIRS AND MARKETS ; HALF-HOLIDAY

Monthly fairs and markets /

Weekly market day / Half-holiday *Wednesday.*

GARAGES AND PETROL STATIONS

Walkers. Church Rd. (Ph. 21.)
Watson & Johnson. (Phone 104) Beside Station.

CONVEYANCES FOR HIRE (Owners) :

Taxis *Walkers' Garage.*
Watson & Johnson.

Motors (Touring) *Walkers.*
Watson & Johnson.

Boats (State type) *See FORM B. under*
"Owners of Boats"

Bicycles *Allen G. Evans. LaTouche Place (Ph. 103)*
2/6 per day.

Caravans
Horses *John Doyle, Black Lion, Operates Horse-*
drawn Vis-a-Vis.

CAMPING SITES

Location *Brookings Harbour.* Landowner *Geo. Archer.*
5/- weekly.
Caravans. 8/- weekly.

Local Improvements Committee *Greystones Ratspæris Ass.*
Secretary *Dr. J. J. Hickey. M.C.C.*

DATE *July 31 1943* (Signed) *[Signature]* Surveyor.

BARRONY: Malindi

COUNTY: Wicklow

TOWN OR VILLAGE: Greystown

Guest or Boarding Houses

Guest or Boarding Houses	No. Guest Bedrooms	No. of Baths	No. of Lavs.	No. of Public Rooms	Licensed	Remarks
Mrs. He Haven.	8	1	2	2	No	La Touche Rd. Appears Good Type.
Bluelian & Biscoe Hotel, Malindi.	45	7	22	3	No	(Phone 12) On Sea Front
Mrs. Dain.	6	1	2	1	Yes	Station Place. (Ph. 23) <small>Not run as boarding house. Taken over from hotel.</small>
Mrs. R. Scuffil	6	1	1	1	No	Helena, Church Rd
Mrs. Breda Deaneau.	2	-	1	2	No	(Ph. 148)
Mrs. Hanna Bureau.	4	1	1	1	No	Bridge House Redford. (Toilet furnished or unfurnished.)
Mrs. H. Haary	3	1	1	1	No	Redford Road, 1/2 mile from Redford.
The. Haas Redford	5	1	1	2	No	St. Stephens. Victoria Rd. (On 'Bus route).
Guest or Boarding Houses						
Mrs. H. J. Audron.	5	1	1	2	No	"Yare Yare" Harbour. (Two cottages 5 Lk.)
Mrs. Emily Fox.	4	1	1	2	No	"Albena"
Mrs. Jane Willoughby.	5	1	2	2	No	"Dunkevin" Bay "Dajalgar Rd. (on road to)
Mrs. Annie Dillon	6	1	2	2	No	"Arbega" "Dajalgar Rd. (on looking to)
Mrs. J. Doyle	4	0	1	2	No	3 "Delal Tea. Trelagar Rd. "
Mrs. Regia. D. Selings	5	1	1	1	No	2 " " " "
M. W. C. A. Boehnagrenia & boaters.	19	2	20	2	No.	Just off Dajalgar Road.

Date: May 31 1943

(Additional forms to be used if necessary)

Signed: [Signature]

J. T. A. Survey. E

Barony - Staff Restaurant

Guest or Boarding House.

ACCOMMODATION.

Co. Wicklow.

PARISH. GREYSTONES.

TOWN. GREYSTONES.

No. Beds
B. Rooms. No Baths. No. Fees. No. Pub. Rooms.

Remarks.

Mrs. Aug. O'Sullivan.	4	-	1	2	No.	"Blunparish" Dangan Rd. (let houses to the
Mrs. Frances Fogarty.	3	1	1	-	No.	"Valera" Drapalgar Rd. (let houses only.)
Mrs. Alice Butler.	4	1	1 out.	2	No.	"Belmorel." "
Mrs. Agnes Fanning.	4	1	1	3	No.	"Victoria Hos" "
Mrs. Fina.	2	1	1	1	No.	Drapalgar Rd.
Mrs. Nora Fungley.	3	-	1 out.	1	No.	"Laburnum" Drapalgar Rd. (houses to let.)
Mrs. H. J. Givane.	3	-	1	1	No.	Boyer Cottage. 25m Rd.
" "	3	-	1	1	No.	"Ripley" Blunra Road (turning off)
" "	2	-	1 out	1	No.	
" "	6	1	1	3	No.	
Mrs. E. Dunne.	5	1	1	2	No.	"Mushes" Church Road.
Mr. P. Keady.	7	1	2	1	No.	"Vingo" Stilliso Rd. (see back of page). also. Two small blunra to let.

N. B. Mr. Rochford Boyle (see elsewhere) has 60 furnished houses

to let for the summer months.

May 2/1911.

John J. [Signature]

