

# I.T.A. TOPOGRAPHICAL AND GENERAL SURVEY

## SPORTS AND GAMES

Tirawley

BARONY OF.....

TOWN OR VILLAGE Ballina PARISH Kilmoremoy 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 Moy Nearest point to town (distance)..... Flows through town

#### KINDS OF FISH HELD:

salmon; brown and white trout

#### AVERAGE WEIGHT OF:

Salmon 14 lb. Sea trout 4 lb. Brown trout 4 lb.

#### BEST SEASONS FOR:

Salmon March, April, May Sea trout Mid-July to Mid-Sept. Brown trout May, June

Grilse: June to Sept.

#### SUITABLE FLIES:

Blue Goshawk; Black do; Yellow do; Silver or Black Doctor; Jock Scott; Salmon Dusty Miller; Skin the Goat; Fenian; Yellow Maggie (Studley).  
(Spring sizes 1-5; Summer 6-8)  
Sea trout usual flies, including Claret & Mallard; Butcher; Silver; Doctor;  
Brown trout Teal & Blue; Golden Olive; Orange & Grouse; Fiery Brown; Claret & Mallard;  
State if angling is entirely free; "free except on preserved stretches"; etc.

Preserved stretches, with names and addresses of Proprietors:

See B 2

Owners of boats for hire, and charges per day:

See B 2

Convenient angling centres (where accommodation is available):

Ballina town is a most convenient centre for fishing on the  
River Moy

Local Angling Club..... Membership Fee.....

Secretary (and Address).....

SEA ANGLING

Brief notes on fishing grounds :

Dotted lines for notes on fishing grounds.

Kinds of fish to be caught :

Dotted lines for notes on kinds of fish.

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

Dotted lines for notes on boat owners and charges.

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

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

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GOLFING

Name of Club Ballina Golf Club No. of holes 9

Situation and brief description of course :

The course is very pleasantly situated on the summit of Ardnaree, about one mile from Ballina. Laid out a few years ago, the course, if a little on the short side, does not contain any difficult bunkers, and is very well attended. Caddies are numerous.

Name of Professional No professional this year

Is there a clubhouse on course? Yes Licensed? Yes

Green fees (Visitors) : Per day 2/6 per day Per week 5/-

(6)

## RACING

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

No. of meetings normally held during the year One meeting annually the last week  
in March

Under which rules? Point to Point Rules

Situation of course The meeting is held annually at Dooneen, about 4 miles from Ballina. Dooneen is outside Kilmorremog Parish, but I mention the meeting as it is organized and mainly supported by Ballina townspeople.

## HUNTING

Hounds which hunt in the district:

Foxhounds

Harriers North Mayo Hunt Club. The Master is Mr. Frazer Rowlette, Netley Park, Crossmolina; and the Secretary is Mr. Frank Boland,

Beagles Courthill, Killala.

## COURSING

Name of Club Ballina Coursing Club Meeting held annually Yes; in November

## 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:

Within the Parish, free shooting is plentiful; and, probably owing to the proximity of Belleek Manor Preserves, pheasant, woodcock, snipe, grouse and partridge, are found hereabouts. Wild duck are very numerous along the River Moy.

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

The lands of Belleek Manor are strictly preserved. The Proprietor is Mr. J. Frank Beckett, Mill Street, Ballina; and the Agent is Mr. Patk. Doherty, Killala Rd., Ballina.

Certain rights are also vested in the Land Commission, the local Office of which is at Walsh Street, Ballina.

Shooting Club

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## CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING

Name of Club

Competitions held?

## ROWING AND SAILING

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

Ballina Boat Club. The Boat Club exists but may be almost termed defunct. It possesses a good-sized Boat house, and meetings are held at the Moy Club. The Boat House is in Arbuckle Row, and the Secretary is Mr. James Ryan, McDermott Street.

## 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 Ballina Stephenites Gaelic Football Club, James Stephens Park, Lord Edward Street, Ballina.

Hurling .....

Handball..... Handball alley? .....

Soccer .....

Rugby .....

Cricket .....

Hockey .....

Bowls .....

Bowling (on public roads).....

Lawn Tennis Ballina Tennis Club Kinds of courts 3 hard courts

Croquet Moy Club, Dillon Terrace; Commercial Club, Pearse Street;

Billiards A.O.H. Hall, Casement Street.

Badminton Ballina Badminton Club, Parochial Hall, Francis Street.

Table Tennis Ballina Tennis Club, Corcoran Terrace.

Bridge Club.....

Other games or recreations (inc. "Cross Roads" dancing).....

## ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

Name of Club Ballina Athletic & Cycling Club Events held under rules of N.A. & C.A. (12)

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.

Point to Point Meeting ..... Promoters North Mayo Hunt Club

Coursing Meeting ..... Ballina Coursing Club

Agricultural & Industrial Show ..... Ballina Agricultural & Industrial Society

Athletic & Cycling Competitions ..... Ballina Athletic & Cycling Club

DATE August 1<sup>st</sup> 1942.

(Signed)

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Surveyor.



FORM B

## A N G L I N G

Within the Parish of Kilmoremoy, angling for trout is almost entirely free. The Moy Fishery Company are proprietors of the tidal waters of the River Moy below the Salmon Weir, and of the left bank of the River for about 3 miles ~~Southwards~~ *above it.*

Permission for Salmon angling will be granted on application to Mr. G.T. Thornton, Local Manager, Moy Fishery Company, Pearse Street, Ballina, or to Mr. W.P. Stevens, Managing Director, 19, Upper Ormond Quay, Dublin. There is no charge for fishing these waters, but 2/3rd. of the salmon catch must be handed to the Moy Fishery Company.

Permits for trout fishing on the tidal waters will likewise be granted. There are 3 Salmon pools on which trout fishing is prohibited. In the case of free trout fishing, the angler may retain his catch.

Below the Salmon Weir, in the fresh water, trout fishing is barred, but Salmon angling is permitted.

On the right bank of the River Moy there is a preserve by Major R.B. Aldridge, Mount Falcon Guest House, Ballina.

Mr. Joseph McLean, Hollywood, Ballina, is Secretary to Ballina Board of Conservators, which body does not insist on licences for trout fishing in the district.

## OWNERS OF BOATS FOR HIRE AND CHARGES PER DAY

Patrick Wearn, Mill Street (3 boats - cots); Martin Melvin (1); Con Humbert (3); Anthony Shaw (1); Patrick Tighe (2); Thomas Cuffe (1); Owen McNulty (1); J.J. Melvin (1); P. Loughney (1); M. Hennigan (1); M. Lacken (1); Henry Hennigan (1); E. Melvin (2); James Munnelly (1); Thomas Walsh (1); Martin Killeen (1); A. Cowley (1); P. Gordon (2).

The general charge is 12/6 per day, including gillies, plus lunch allowance.

Motor boats, owned by the following, included in above list, are available for fishing at extra cost:

E. Melvin (2); Martin Killeen (1); A. Cowley (1); P. Gordon (1)

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1/8/42

