

THE VILLAGES

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New Web sites

- How to use the LDS Library films
- NAI - Soldiers Wills 1914-1917
- DIPPPAM - Documenting Ireland: Parliament, People and Migration
- Alumni Dublinenses
- Eneclann

Registry of Deeds

- See Feb 2014 ISIG Presentation for Information on Reg. of Deeds and Reg. of Deeds Index Project
- Approx 60,000 Memorials (Record of deeds, wills, marriage settlements) in the Registry of deeds.
- So far, 16,634 have been abstracted (< 30%), See Reg. of Deeds Index Project
<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~registryofdeeds/>

How to use LDS Library films when searching for Deeds not yet abstracted

- Read article by Kae Lewis, Webmaster, corkrecords.com
- <http://www.corkrecords.com/rod.htm>
- 2 Categories:
 - GRANTOR (Landowner/Landlord) alphabetical order
 - LAND by county then townland, gives names of both grantor and grantee (i.e. renter)
- If you rent a film to search a deed **PAY IT FORWARDS**. Abstract a few more deeds while you have the film (about \$8 for 8 weeks). Go to <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~registryofdeeds/>
Scan down to “how to help” on Home Page

National Archives:

- <http://www.genealogy.nationalarchives.ie/>
- Census of Ireland 1901-1911
- Tithe Applotment Books 1823-1837
- **Soldiers Wills 1914-1917**
- Calendar of Wills and Administrations 1958-1922

Irish Soldiers Wills 1914-1917

- 9,000 wills of enlisted and non-commissioned soldiers from Ireland who fought in the British Army in WWI & South African war 1899-1902
- Types:
 - Informal will, in page of soldier's pocket service book. Not witnessed
 - Formal will, on a separate form with 2 witnesses
- Approximately 35,000 Irishmen died in WW I

DIPPAM

Documenting Ireland: Parliament, People and Migration

<http://www.dippam.ac.uk/>

- EPPI – Enhanced British Parliamentary Papers on Ireland
- IED - Irish Emigration Database
- VMR – Voices of migration and Return

DIPPAM -Irish Emigration Database

Information Sources

- Wills Diaries and Journals 163
- Folklore, Song, Music 30
- Letters (Emigrants) 3165
- Newspapers (Births, Deaths, Marriages) 3801
- Newspapers (Extracts) 3365
- Newspapers (Shipping Advertisements) 8979
- Newspapers (Shipping News) 4674
- Official Documents 533
- Periodical Extracts 166
- Family Papers 772
- Hansard 184
- Letters (Other) 841
- Statistics 386

Irish Emigration Database

- Search by name
- Browse by type of information:
 - “Uncheck All” then select type of information preferred e.g. Wills (21 pages/12 per page).

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VMR – Voices of Migration and Return

- Interviews with migrants (audio)
- Search: by name, demographic, place and/or decade
- Browse: (7 pages/12 per page)

ALUMNI DUBLINENSES

- Register of the students, graduates, professors and provosts of Trinity college in the Univ. of Dublin (1593-1860), 35,000 entries.
- Although TCD was Protestant students of other religions were admitted.
- 1669-1770 Academic year started on 9th July

ALUMNI DUBLINENSES (Cont.)

- Demographics:
 - Full name, age (at next birthday), birthplace/residence
 - Schoolmaster or school (including location)*
 - Date of Admission (Age at admission)
 - Father's name and profession (Use Google Translate for Latin to English)
 - Religion*
 - Type of Student*
- Qualifications: Degree earned + year and term (Hiem -Winter; Æst -Summer and Vern – Spring).

ALUMNI DUBLINENSES (Cont.)

- *Type of Student:
 - Pensioner – paid a fixed annual fee for education. Middle or upper class family
 - Sizar - son of a poor family who shows promise. Received free or subsidized education in return for menial duties. Often sons of clergy.
 - Fellow Commoner – paid double tuition fees for special privileges (e.g complete degree in 3 years rather than 4). Usually wealthy upper class.

Example

Vern. 1825.

O'MALLEY, GEORGE ORME, Pen. (Mr M'Call), July 3, 1837, aged 16; s. of John, Generosus, Rusticus; b. Co. Mayo. B.A. Vern. 1843. M.A. Hiem. 1878. [Irish Bar 1843; Q.C.; altered his name to Malley.] See Boase (*Supp.*).

O'MALLEY, HENRY, S.C. (Luxemburgh

ALUMNI DUBLINENSES (Cont.)

- Available for purchase from Find-my-past, Eneclann, etc.
- Check Trinity_College_Extracts.xls (Excel spreadsheet) to see if your ancestor is there.
- Information not provided in spreadsheet:
 - *Schoolmaster or school (including location)
 - *Religion

ENECLANN

<http://www.eneclann.ie/>

- Select “Publications”, then click on “browse the Eneclann Shop”:
- ***All Publications***
 - ***Eneclann***: primary source material for Irish history and genealogy
 - ***Archive CD Books Ireland***: digitised versions of rare and essential reference books on CD, in partnership with Trinity College Dublin Library

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- **“Special Offers”** recommend:
 - Fiona Fitzsimons (Co-principal) - Irish Family History research online - FREE DOWNLOAD
- **Research Services** (Private commissions – standard search about \$1,000);

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- **Newsletter** (return to Home Page, under “Media Centre”, bottom of page, click on Newsletter) Subscribe (no charge)

31st March 2014

"It's possible to trace almost every Irish family back to the 1830s." . Fiona Fitzsimons

Newsletter 27/3/2014 “How to trace your Irish Family History back to the 1830s or earlier”.

<http://www.eneclann.ie/2014/03/tracing-your-roots-back-to-the-1830s/>