

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.

None

CUSTOMS, PATTERNS, ETC.

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

At Aghagower there are two Holy Wells in the village and one other close by on the lands of Mr John O'Grady. The three wells are seldom visited now although one, that to the east of the Round Tower and the well in Mr O'Grady's land are named after St. Patrick. The two wells in the village as well as the little enclosure in the old burial ground, known as St. Patrick's Bed, were at one time included in the Stations of the Reek.

On Garland Sunday, local people still perform a Station at the Wells and St. Patrick's Bed.

(Signed)

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