

Where were our Gillespie's??

Earliest record is probably 1796 Flax Growers. Note I need to look a little closer at that document – like the Griffith's Valuation, I don't think we are looking at land owners, just occupiers.

1796 flax growers

third col = parish – I take to mean civil parish

Donaldson	Andrew	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Donaldson	Elizabeth	Armagh	Armagh
Donaldson	James	Armagh	Armagh
Donaldson	John	Armagh	Armagh
Donaldson	Joseph	Creggan	Armagh
Donaldson	Randal	Creggan	Armagh
Donaldson	Robert	Tynan	Armagh
Donaldson	Samuel	Creggan	Armagh
Donaldson	William	Loughgall	Armagh
Donaldson	William	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Donaldson	William	Tynan	Armagh
Gillespey	George	Tynan	Armagh
Gillespey	Hugh	Tynan	Armagh
Gillespey	John	Armagh	Armagh
Gillespie	Anne	Tynan	Armagh
Gillespie	John	Armagh	Armagh
Gillespie	John	Loughgall	Armagh
Gillespie	John	Loughgilly	Armagh
Gillespy	John	Tynan	Armagh
Greer	Henry	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Greer	Isabella	Loughgilly	Armagh
Greer	James	Ballymore	Armagh
Greer	James	Loughgilly	Armagh
Greer	John	Ballymore	Armagh
Greer	John	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Greer	Robert	Armagh	Armagh
Greer	Robert	Derrynoose	Armagh
Greer	Robert	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Greer	Thomas	Loughgall	Armagh
Greer	Thomas	Loughgilly	Armagh
Greer	William	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Orr	James	Tynan	Armagh
Orr	Joseph	Armagh	Armagh
Orr	Robert	Drumcree	Armagh
Orr	William	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Rainey	George	Armagh	Armagh
Rainey	Margaret	Armagh	Armagh
Rainey	William	Loughgilly	Armagh
Woods	Bryan	Tynan	Armagh
Woods	Daniel	Derrynoose	Armagh

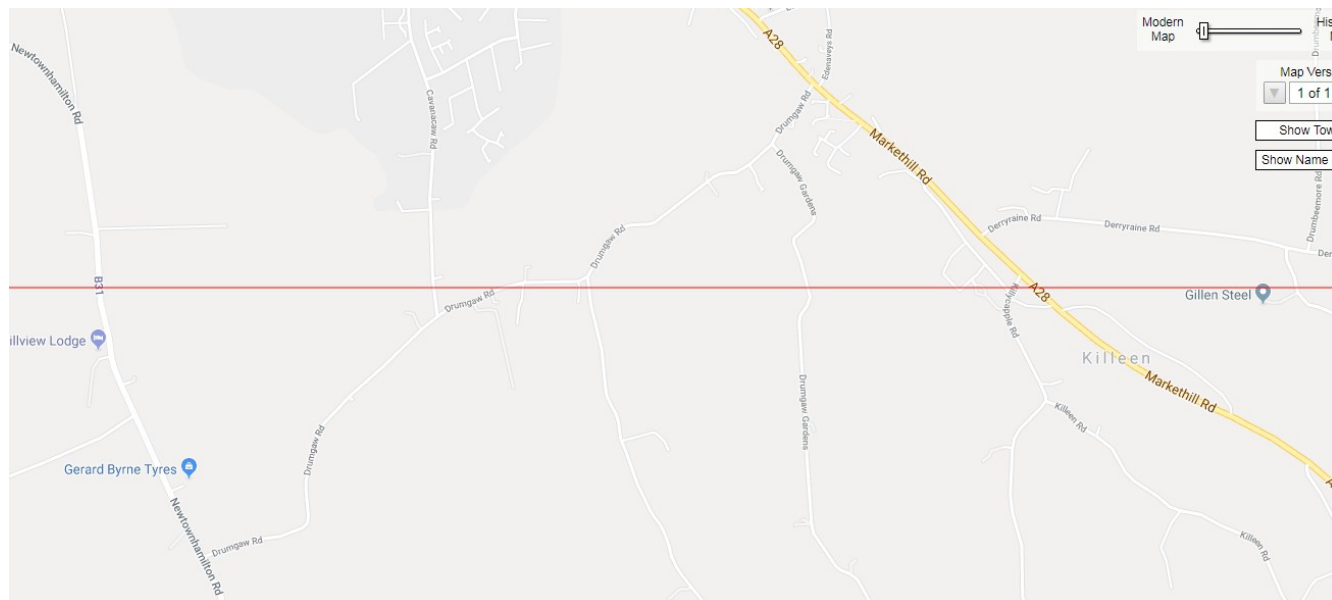
Woods	Francis	Tynan	Armagh
Woods	James	Keady	Armagh
Woods	James	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Woods	James	Tynan	Armagh
Woods	John	Kilmore	Armagh
Woods	John	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Woods	John	Tynan	Armagh
Woods	Laurence	Derrynoose	Armagh
Woods	Patrick	Tynan	Armagh
Woods	Robert	Armagh	Armagh
Woods	Robert	Mullaghbrack	Armagh
Woods	William	Kilmore	Armagh

[I drew out a great map today showing these various parishes, will scan it and insert here]

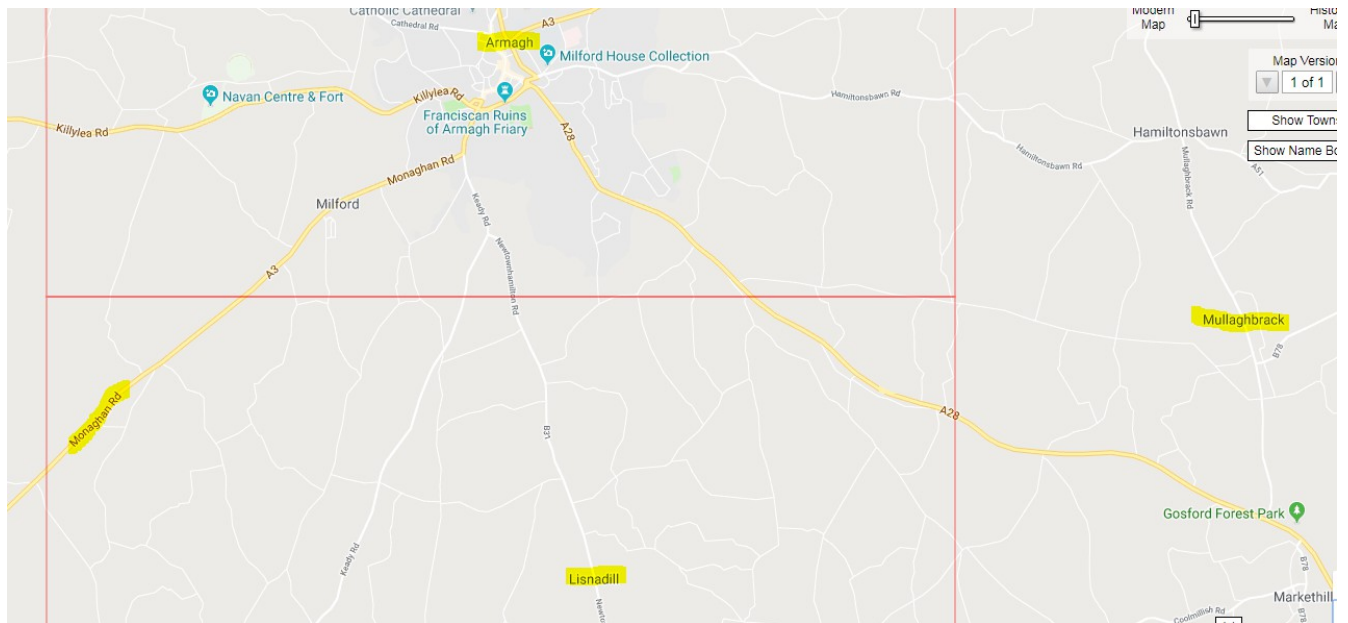
Here is Drumgaw and Cavanacaw on historical map:



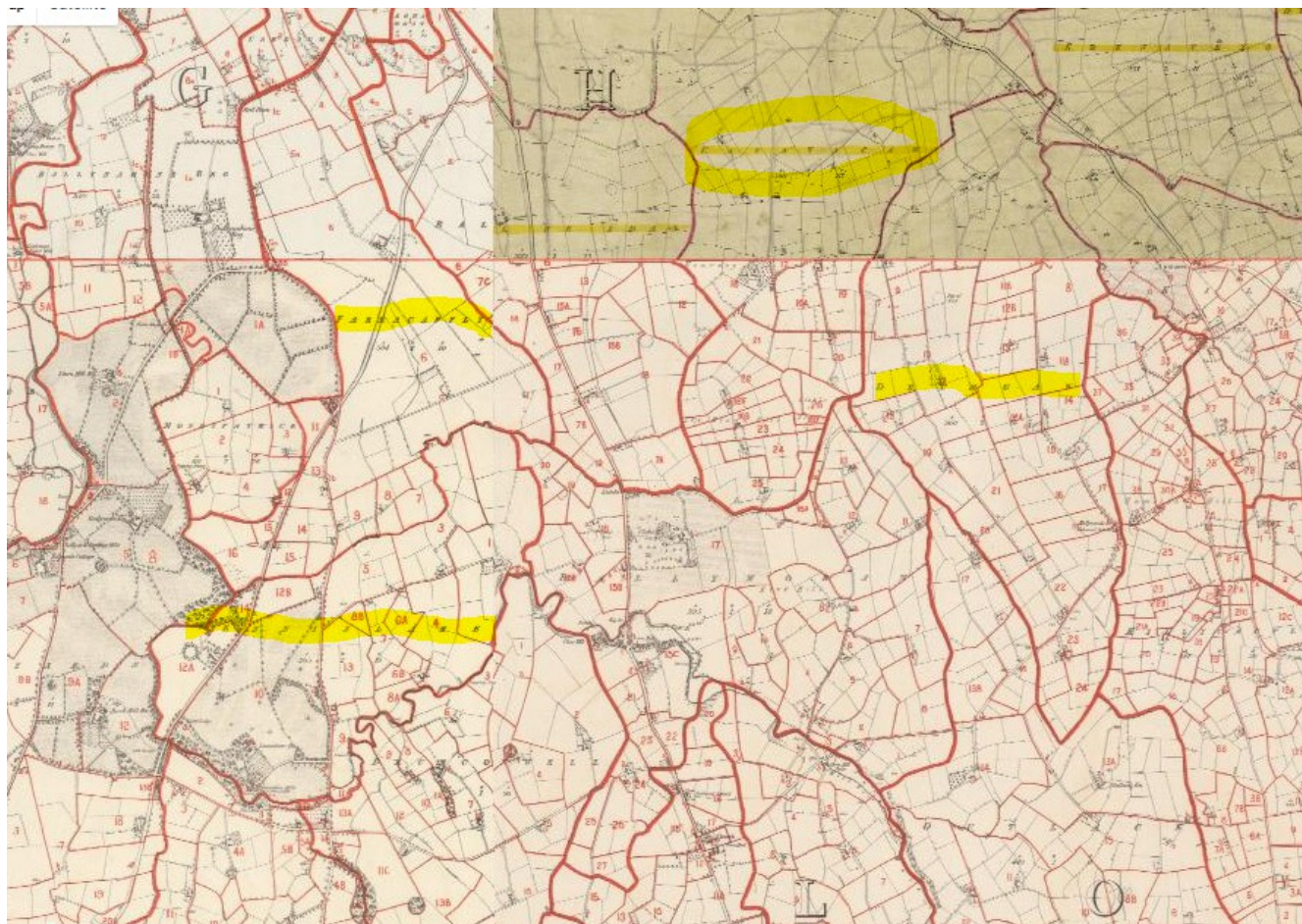
Here is the modern map of that same area:



Zooming out a little:



Top circled area is Cavanacaw. Unfortunately the upper older part of the map doesn't show the sections, so we can't see where Thomas Gillespie lived. But you can see Drumgaw next door where John Gillespie lived; he could probably walk to Thomas's place from wherever he lived. Also you see Farmacaffly which is another place associated with Thomas Gillespie; I think it was just additional growing land he leased. Ennislare is the highlight bottom left, and many thanks to Diane for finding that 5 years ago – I could NOT spot that, so good job on your part! In any case, Ennislare obviously also close to Farmacaffly, so maybe that pasture land was used by Thomas-Ennislare.



zooming out a little more, bottom right is Outlack where Jane Woods was from when she married John Gillespie, and lower central is Lisnadill.

