

Group for the Study of Irish Historic Settlement

Annual Conference

Hyland's Hotel Ballyvaughan Co. Clare

4th-6th May 1990

THE SETTLEMENT HISTORY OF CO. CLARE

Programme

Friday 4th May

- 7.30p.m. Registration
- 8.00pm M. Gibbons (OPW), *Introduction to the region*

Saturday 5th May

- 9.15am L. Swan (Archaeologist), *Early christian settlement in Co. Clare*
- 10.15am K.W. Nicholls (UCC), *Late medieval settlement in Co. Clare*

Coffee

- 11.30am Prof. N. Canny (UCG), *The 1641 depositions as a source for the study of settlement and society*

Lunch

- 2.00pm - 6.00pm Field Trip. G. Cunningham
Poulnabrone portal tomb, Leamaneh Castle, Kilfenora cathedral and high crosses, Caherballykinvarga ring fort, Noughaval medieval church and market cross.

Sunday 6th May

- 9.30am A.G.M.
- 10.00am Forum: short presentations on the region by C. Doherty (UCD), M. Stout (TCD), D. Newman Johnson (Archaeologist), M. Hennessy (UCD), K. Whelan (UCD), P. Duffy (St.PCM).

Coffee

- 11.15am Open discussion
- 2.00pm - 4.00pm Field trip. D. Newman Johnson, *Newtown castle.*
R. Stalley (TCD), *Corcomroe Abbey.*

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