

In 1862 the Valuation was carried out in County Antrim.

This excerpt from the valuation listings for Carnaughliss townland in the civil parish of Killead shows Edward and his neighbour Philip Dean(e). The lessor (owner) was Isabella Johnson.

Edward had sub-let dwellings to two of his sons. Edward jun. had the blacksmith's 'forge' while 16-y-o John had a house with a small garden within the property.

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VALUATION OF TENEMENTS.

PARISH OF KILLEAD.

No. and Letters of Reference to Map.	Names.		Description of Tenement.	Area.	Rateable Annual Valuation.		Total Annual Valuation of Rateable Property.
	Townlands and Occupiers.	Immediate Lessors.			Land.	Buildings.	
				A. B. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	CARNAGHLISS. (Ord. S. 56, 59 & 60.)						
1	Arthur M'Keown,	Isabella Johnson,	House, offices, and land,	24 0 10	14 5 0	2 10 0	16 15 0
2	John Bell,	Same,	House, offices, and land,	40 2 0	24 0 0	8 0 0	32 0 0
3	Alexander Bell,	Same,	House, offices, and land,	82 3 5	47 5 0	1 0 0	51 5 0
4	Philip Deane,	Same,	House, offices, and land,	33 0 15	20 15 0	1 10 0	22 5 0
5	Edward M'Gee, sen.,	Same,	House, offices, and land,	27 1 30	17 0 0	2 10 0	19 10 0
a	Edward M'Gee, jun.,	Edward M'Gee, sen.,	House, offices, and forge,	—	—	2 10 0	2 10 0
b	John M'Gee,	Same,	House, off., & sm. garden,	—	—	0 15 0	0 15 0
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And below is the section of the map corresponding to this listing. 5a,b and are the labels as drawn by the mappers at the time...

Philip Dean's property was adjacent to Edward's to the north. Both had frontage on the Clady Water.

Philip Dean's daughter and young Edward grew up together and would one day join the two families by their marriage.

John and Alexander Bell had their properties further north, off the map. John was an executor in Edward's Will.

