## 1901 CENSUS FOR BALLYNAHINCH PAROCHIAL HOUSE. P.P is JOHN DOYLE

## CENSUS OF IRELAND, 1901.

FORM A. No on Form B. 23 RETURN of the MEMBERS of this PAMILY and their VISITORS, BOARDERS, SERVANTS, &c., who slept or abode in this House on the night of SUNDAY, the 21st of MARCH, 1991. NAME and SURSAME. BELIEVED POLICEMENT. EBUCATION. BANK, PROPERSION, OR OCCUPATION. Poplanily Roman Gallertal Reas and write Moharing to Enon Domirtel Sewant 11 12 13 14 I hereby certify, as required by the Act 63 Vic., esp. 6, s. 6 (1), that the foregoing Return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I believe the foregoing to be a true Return.

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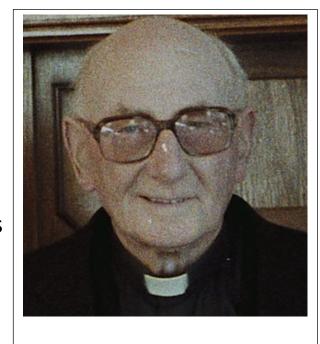
Signature of Head of Family).



**Census Taker = Constable Hugh Esler** 

(Father of Archdeacon Hugh Esler)

It would seem back in 1901 and 1910 it was customary that local police officers were the people who conducted the Census. The Hugh Esler above was a police officer and resident of Ballynahinch. He was also the father of the late **Archdeacon Hugh Esler** who was a priest in the Diocese of Dromore and died in Warrenpoint in 1983. Canon Esler also served as administrator in Newry and it was while there that he and others set about creating what is now called "**Páirc Esler**" as the home for Down GAA matches.



| Residents o | f a house 23           | in Chu | rch Stre | et (Ballynahinch, | Down)             |            |                     |                   |                |                |                    |
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|             | ✓ Show all information |        |          |                   |                   |            |                     |                   |                |                |                    |
| Surname     | Forename               | Age    | Sex      | Relation to head  | Religion          | Birthplace | Occupation          | Literacy          | Irish Language | Marital Status | Specified Illnesse |
| Doyle       | John                   | 48     | Male     | Head of Family    | Roman<br>Catholic | Co Down    | Parish Priest       | Read and<br>write | ı-             | Not Married    | -                  |
| Fitzpatrick | Daniel                 | 57     | Male     | Servant           | Roman<br>Catholic | Co Down    | Domestic<br>Servant | Read and<br>write | -              | Not Married    | -                  |
| Kain        | Elizabeth              | 34     | Female   | Servant           | Roman<br>Catholic | Co Down    | Domestic<br>Servant | Read and<br>write | -              | Married        | -                  |