

# Mulcahy Papers

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**Introduction**

The Mulcahy papers contain mainly receipts for the payment of rent on a landholding at Ballykeefe, Co. Limerick, for the payment of rent on a labourer's cottage and the payment of poor rate on the landholding. These receipts represent the typical outgoings of a small farmer in late nineteenth century Ireland.

**1.           Receipts (1848- 1916)**

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| 1.    4 November 1848- 10 [January] 1879<br><br>James Mulcahy, Ballykeefe, Limerick   | File of receipts for the payment of rent ,issued by George Gough Esquire to<br><br>c.26 items           |
| 2.    10 August 1889-25 November 1889   | Receipts issued to Edward Mulcahy for the payment of weekly rent on a labourers cottage.<br><br>3 items |
| 3.    27 September 1899- 8 September 1914   | Receipts issued to Edmund Mulcahy for the payment of Poor Rate.<br><br>4 items                          |
| 4.    24 January 1901-27 September<br><br>District, District Council of Limerick No.1, to Edward Mulcahy, Ballykeefe.; includes a letter from H.J. Guinane to each cottage tenant, Clarina Dispensary District informing them of the appointment of Jeremiah Doolan as a new rate collector. (1891) | Receipts for the payment of rent for a labourer's cottage, issued by Clarina Dispensary<br><br>27 items |
| 5.    21 September 1927-25 January 1941<br><br>and Public Assistance) to Michael Mulcahy, Ballykeefe for the payment of rent on a Labourer's Cottage.   | Receipts issued by Limerick County Board of Health (from 1940- Board of Health<br><br>13 items.         |
| 6.    18 March 1916   | Receipt issued by Limerick Corn Market.<br><br>1 item   |

7. 4 May 1915 Receipt issued by Limerick County Infirmary to Michael Mulcahy , Ballykeefe.
- 1 item.
8. 4 April 1884 File of unsigned and undated notes on an eviction dispute and subsequent settlement, between Edmond Mulcahy/James Mulcahy and 'Mr. Dowling.' 'I was evicted on 4th April 1884. Mr. Hobson was sheriff at the time. My father and mother having their own department were evicted likewise. ....In two years and two months after he met a neighbour of mine Mr. Punch and said that he would like to make a settlement with me'.

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