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OLD DOOR LINTEL INSCRIBED:

‘Content in a Cottage And Envy to no One B.D.M. 1771’.

Located on the junction of Kilgobbin Road and Ballyogan Road, Sandyford. Co. Dublin

At the corner of the Ballyogan Road, and not easy to spot by motorist, there is an inscribed stone set into a high wall. It appears to have been the head of a window or doorway and reads as follows “Content in a Cottage and envy to no one B.D.M 1771”

According to local tradition it was placed there by a lady of a titled family who married her coachman.

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