Inventory No. 1504

Name of memorial: War of Independence Memorial

Place: Commons West.

Address and map reference: Commons West, Ardfert, Co. Kerry.

Map reference: Q 784 208 (Sheet 71). Co-ordinates: N 52.3263°; W 9.7835°.

Access: at all times. Parking: adjacent. Disabled access: yes.

Position: within a walled enclosure at the roadside, almost opposite the Catholic church.

Description and dimensions: Headstone on three steps, surrounded by a wall, with a flagpole.

Height: appx. 150cms. Width: appx. 50cms.

Recorded by: Edward Bourke 24 June 2020.

Text:

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bealcaine 1920

Miceál Mażuidir Ozlać dunmarbuiżće

az Arm na zCoróineać i zClocan

Samain 1920

Sean De Canncalun Ózlac a cuic az Croid in ażaid Saizdiuiri Sasana az Ard-Fearca Samain 1920

Míceal O brosnacain Oglac a cuic ag Croid ag Ard-Fearca Samain 1920

Oómnall O Oriscoil Fianna Ó5 a cuic fe lámaib na Sasanac i lios-Cazain Abrean 1920

[In memory of those killed by the black and tans in this area

In faithful memory of the brave warriors who died for the Republic of Ireland

Michael Nolan, vice captain who died fighting against foreigners in May 1920.

Michael Maguire murdered by Crown forces at Causeway November 1920

Michael Brosnan who fell fighting at Ardfert November 1920

John Cantillon who fell fighting soldiers at Ardfert November 1920

Donal O'Driscoll a young Fianna who fell at the hands of English at Liscatain in April 1920]