

## Index of Place Names in Girthon (G) & Anwoth (A) : initial letter S

| Name                                 | P | Also known as                | Earliest | Comments   |                                 |
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| Saladyow                             |   | Syllodioch                   |          | Baeu's map 1654. See Syllodioch  |                                 |
| Salamanca Cottage                    | G |                              |          | In 1881 census.  | Woodside Terrace                |
| Salthouse                            | G |                              |          | Owned by Alexander Mitchell in 1901. <i>(Russell)</i>  | Digby Street                    |
| Sandgreen                            | G |                              |          | Beach & caravan park.  | NX5752                          |
| Saughengie                           | G |                              |          | Mentioned in James Murray's will of 1799. <i>(Russell)</i>   |                                 |
| Sawmill                              | G | On edge of old Burgh Park    |          | Owned by David Gray Limited in 1940. <i>(Russell)</i>  | Carnies Corner, Castramont Road |
| Sawmill House                        | G | Scott's Mill, Cally Sawmill  |          | Flats in former mill buildings. <i>(Russell)</i>   | Ann Street                      |
| Sawpit Field                         | G | Bleachfield                  |          |  | Field below Swan Street.        |
| Saw-pit House                        | G | Fleet View Cottage           |          |  | Digby Street                    |
| Scar Hill                            | A |                              |          | Middle English scarre, or Icelandic skerry = a rock or cliff. <i>(Maxwell)</i>   |                                 |
| School House                         |   |                              |          |  | Skyreburn                       |
| School Road                          | G | Castramont Road              |          | Road from High Street to Girthon Parish School   |                                 |
| Schoolhouse Park                     |   |                              |          | Rented by Mr McGaw builder in 1901 <i>(Russell)</i>  |                                 |
| Schools, Private                     |   |                              |          | Pigot's Directory in 1837 mentions Eliza Watson's School and Alexander McAdam's School. (See McAdam's School)..  |                                 |
| Scott's Mill                         | G | Saw Mill                     |          | Originally a cotton mill run by Thomas Scott c.1790 – 1800. <i>(Russell)</i><br>Later became Cally Estate sawmill. Shown as such on 1854 O.S. Map.<br>Part of the building was used from 1860 by the the 4 <sup>th</sup> Kirkcudbright Rifle Volunteers ,Gatehouse of Fleet section – (later a section of 'A' Company, Kirkcudbright) – as a headquarters and Armoury. At the time it was known locally as The Barracks. It was used until 1908 when the Volunteers ceased to exist. | Ann Street<br>NX603564          |
| Scottish Episcopal Church of St Mary | A | Episcopal Church<br>Wee Kirk |          | Built as United Secession Church in 1840. <i>(Russell)</i>   |                                 |
| Scout Hall                           | G |                              |          | In 1920's the Boys Scouts met at Fleetvale, in the 1930's in the Rutherford Hall and in 1940's in Old Cally School by Garries Park.<br>The Scout Hall in Digby Street was opened in 1857 and upgraded in 1994.<br>Also see Kirkdale Port Camp. <i>(Russell)</i>  | Digby Street                    |

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| Scrogs of Drumruck     | G |                             |          | Steep hillside on east bank of Little Water of Fleet  | NX5758            |
| Sea Spray              | G |                             |          | Hut at Carrick (2003 owners map)  |                   |
| Secondary School       | A |                             |          |   |                   |
| Senwick                | B |                             |          |   |                   |
| Sewage Plant           | A |                             |          |   | Fleet Street      |
| Shamba                 | T |                             |          |   |                   |
| Shannon's              |   |                             |          | Pub run by Peter Shannon c. 1850 ( <i>Russell</i> ).  |                   |
| Shaw Hill              | G |                             |          | Middle English schawe = a wood. ( <i>Maxwell</i> )  |                   |
| Sheil Rig              | G |                             |          | Sheal or sheil = a hut for those who take care of livestock. ( <i>Maxwell</i> )   |                   |
| Sheiling               |   |                             |          |   |                   |
| Shekinah               | G | Aikiehill                   |          | Renamed c. 2005. Means 'to the Glory of God'  |                   |
| Shepherd's Cottage     |   |                             |          |   |                   |
| Shifla                 | G |                             |          | Hut at Carrick (2003 owners map)  |                   |
| Ship Inn               | A |                             |          | Name in 1914  |                   |
| Ship Inn, The          |   | Anwoth Hotel                |          | Built in 1794. Name still used in 1914. Called Anwoth Hotel between ?? & 2005.<br>Carpet bowling took place in a shed behind the hotel after World War 11 until the hotel built an extension. ( <i>Russell</i> )<br>Hotel garden across Dromore Road belongs to Episcopal Church. | Fleet Street      |
| Shit Hill              |   | Nickname for Planetree Park |          | The tip where the butchers dumped their rubbish. ( <i>James Murray Usher</i> )  |                   |
| Shoe shop              | G | David Trainer (1948)        |          |   | High Street       |
| Shoe shop              | G | James Riddick (1948)        |          |   | 12/14 High Street |
| Shoulder of Mutton Inn |   |                             |          | ( <i>Russell</i> )  |                   |
| Show Ground            |   | Burgh Park                  |          | See Burgh Park  |                   |
| Shuttle Island         |   |                             |          | Small island in Cally lake, shown on 1854 O.S. Map.   |                   |
| Silver Trees           | G |                             |          | House   | Beechwood         |
| Sinerins, The          | G |                             |          | Junction on road to Castramont and Laurieston where the routes went 'asunder'.  | NX603578          |
| <i>Sionnach</i>        |   | Shinnoch                    |          | Means fox ( <i>SWRI</i> )   |                   |
| Skewstone              | G |                             |          | Skewstone are the heavy stones along the gable end of a building to hold  | Girthon Kirk      |

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| Cottage             |   |                  |          | the slates in place.  |                               |
| Skyre Burn          | A |                  |          | Small river. See Skyreburn  | NX5556                        |
| Skyreburn           | A |                  | 1664     | Icelandic sker = a cliff. ( <i>Maxwell</i> )<br>Burn of the cliff. Shown on 1664 Pont's map as <i>Skyir</i>   | NX570549                      |
| Skyreburn Bay       | A |                  |          | Tidal area where Skyre Burn reaches Fleet Bay   | NX5754                        |
| Skyreburn Bridge    | A |                  |          | Old bridge over Skyre Burn ,built in 1772, now disused. Widened 1833.<br>New bridge on A75 in 1974. ( <i>Russell</i> ).   | NX572545                      |
| Skyreburn bypass    | A |                  |          | Opened in 1974. ( <i>Russell</i> ).   |                               |
| Skyreburn Cottage   | A |                  |          |   |                               |
| Skyreburn Ford      | A |                  |          | At Mill Mark. A dangerous ford due to sudden spates.<br>Local saying: 'A Skyreburn Warning' – something happening suddenly and unexpectedly. ( <i>Russell</i> ).                                    | NX566553                      |
| Skyreburn Lint Mill | A |                  |          | Mill used to prepare flax for spinning into linen. ( <i>Donnachie</i> ) Marked on Ainslie's map of 1797. Marked as 'old' lint mill on 1854 O.S. map<br>Skyreburn School built of site of lint mill. | NX572548                      |
| Skyreburn Mill      | A |                  |          | Corn Mill marked on 1854 O. S. map as Lagganmullen Mill.  | NX56                          |
| Skyreburn School    | A |                  |          | See Skyreburn Built on site of lint mill. No longer in use  | NX572548                      |
| Skyreburn Smithy    | A | Skyreburn Forge  |          | In 1851 census.   |                               |
| Skyreburn Teapot    | A |                  |          | Caravan selling snacks at layby, opposite Lanefoot Cottage.   | Skyreburn road end.           |
| Skyreburn Waulkmill | A |                  |          | On 1854 O.S. map  | NX572548                      |
| Slaights            | A |                  |          | Part of Barony of Cardoness. Inherited by John Gordon II in 1640.<br>( <i>Russell</i> )   | Skyreburn                     |
| Slate Quarry        |   | Doon of Culreoch |          | ( <i>Russell</i> )  |                               |
| Slauchtes           |   |                  |          | Sold by Mary McCulloch of Cardoness to Sir John Lochinvar in 1583.<br>( <i>Russell</i> )  |                               |
| Slaughter House     |   |                  |          |   |                               |
| Slimmons            | G |                  |          | Pub on site of Frullani's café in the High Street c. 1850 ( <i>Russell</i> ).   | Corner of Digby St & High St. |
| Smith's Croft       | G |                  |          | See Clachan of Girthon Smithy. Part of Barony of Laik in James Murray's will of 1799. ( <i>Russell</i> )  |                               |
| Smithy 1            | G |                  |          | McDonald Brothers (1948)  | Digby Street                  |
| Smithy 2            | G |                  |          | Corrie (1948)   | 4 Victoria Street             |
| Smithy House        |   |                  |          | In 1861 census. Possibly Clachan of Girthon ?   | NX606535 ?                    |

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| Smithy, Clachan                 | A |                  |          |  | NX5856                             |
| Smithy, Clachan                 | G |                  |          |  | NX606535                           |
| Smithy, Skyreburn               | A |                  |          | Called Lagganmullan Smithy on 1854 O.S. map.   | NX565553                           |
| Smugglers Bay                   |   |                  |          | Bay on seaward side of Ardwall Island  |                                    |
| Smugglers Pub                   |   |                  |          | Pub on Ardwall Island  |                                    |
| Soap Works                      | A |                  |          |  | Behind Bridge House                |
| Solway Firth                    |   | Sulwath          |          | Formerly written as Sulway or Sullwa. Celts called it Tracht-Romra<br>Ptolomy called it Ituncæ Æstuarium. ( <i>Maxwell</i> )   |                                    |
| Solway Spray                    | G |                  |          | Hut at Carrick (2003 owners map)   |                                    |
| Southerton                      | A |                  |          | Built in part of garden of Planetree Park house in 1970's.   | Planetree Park                     |
| Spittal                         | K |                  |          | Site of hospital of Crithe owned by monks for pilgrims crossing the River Cree to St Ninian's shrine at Whithorn. ( <i>MacLeod</i> )   | NX4760                             |
| Sprott's Pool                   |   |                  |          | Pool on River Fleet. Shown on 1854 O.S. Map.   | NX595570                           |
| Square Hut                      | G |                  |          | Hut at Carrick (2003 owners map)   |                                    |
| St Mary's Cottage               | G | Bengray          |          | See Bengray. Janet Porter living there in 1900 Valuation Roll  | Woodside Terrace                   |
| St Mary's Episcopal Church      | A | The Wee Kirk     |          | 1904 Known as the Wee Kirk when it was built for the Church in ????  | Dromore Road                       |
| St Mary's Roman Catholic Chapel | G | R.C. Chapel      |          | Early 20 <sup>th</sup> century until 1971  | 10 Catherine Street – first floor. |
| St Stephen's Masonic Hall       | G | See Masonic Arms |          |  | Ann Street                         |
| Stables, The                    | A |                  |          | House. See Cardoness Stables.  | Cardoness                          |
| Stalker                         | G |                  |          | Hut at Carrick (2003 owners map)   |                                    |
| Standing Stone Field            | G |                  |          | Field beyond Girthon Cemetery (on EMU Walk) which has a standing stone. The Fleet Cricket Club held its first match here in 1875. The Vale of Fleet Football Club also played here from 1875.                | End of Memory Lane                 |
| Standing Stone Pool             | G |                  |          | Pool on River Fleet by Standing Stone Field. Shown on 1854 O.S. map.   | NX595574                           |
| Standingstone                   | G |                  |          | Probably a small farm. Lands of Standingstone mentioned in James Murray's will (1797) as part of Burgh of Barony of Fleet. ( <i>Russell</i> )<br>The 'Standing Stone' may only be a rubbing post for cattle. |                                    |
| Station Road                    | A |                  |          | See Dromore Road   |                                    |
| Stellage Court                  | G |                  |          | Modern development of small houses on site of Fleet Farm on Castramont Road. (See Stellage Hill)   |                                    |
| Stellage Hill                   | G |                  |          | Market Hill. The hill between houses along Castramont Road and the Laurieston Road.  |                                    |

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|                          |   |               |          | Lower Latin 'stallagium' = the money paid for a stall.<br>Stellage = ground where a market or fair was held (from Earl of Galloway's Title-Deeds). ( <i>Maxwell</i> )  |   |
| Stellage Hill Plantation | G |               |          | Wood on Stellage Hill.   | NX603567  |
| Stepping Stones          | A |               |          | Cottage  | NX566554  |
| Stey Fell                | A |               |          | Steep Hill.<br>Stay = steep ( <i>Jamieson, Dictionary of Scottish Language 1877</i> )  |   |
| Stey Green of Kitterick  | A |               |          | Steep green hill.  |   |
| Strathnaver              | G |               |          | Forestry Manager's House built ??  | Off Cally Avenue beside Cricket Ground NX604556                       |
| Stronquhan's Pool        |   |               |          | On River Fleet. Shown on 1854 O.S. Map.  | Nx595684  |
| Sulwath                  | A |               |          | From the old name for Solway Firth. 9 Meadowside, Gatehouse  | Meadowside  |
| Swan Cottage             | G |               |          |  | Swan Street   |
| Swan Street              | G |               |          | Terrace of houses. In 1881 census.   | Leading from Birtwhistle Street via Rosebery Terrace to Digby Street. |
| Swing Bridge             |   | Drawbridge.   |          | Built by James Faed in 1825. Closed 1930's.<br>Originally built to keep local people away from Cally House when going to Sandgreen beach. ( <i>Russell</i> ).  | Estate bridge over River Fleet opposite Cardoness castle. NX593554    |
| Syllodioch               | G | Sillendoch    | 1610     | Pronounced Silogy. Shown in a 1610 Charter as <i>Solodzeoche</i><br>Marked on 1664 Pont's map as <i>Saladyow</i> ( <i>Maxwell</i> ).<br>Marked on General Roy's Map, surveyed 1747-55 as ????<br>Mentioned in James Murray's will (1797) as part of Barony of Laik. ( <i>Russell</i> ) In 1881 census as <i>Solodgac</i> . | NX594531  |