

Manx Notes 127 (2011)

“FIRST LIST OF MEMBERS.”

THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE MANX LANGUAGE SOCIETY (1899)

First List of Members.

Manx language Society
April 29th 1899

Fees received from members

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29	Rev C H Leece	2	6
	A. W. Moore	2	6
	Canon Savage	2	6
	Mr W. Kneen	2	6
	Croit-e-Caley		
	Mr Hy Kelly	2	6
	Ballaqueeny		
	Mr W. Cubbon	2	6
	Mr W Quayle	2	6
	Laxey		
	Mr John Cubbon	2	6
	Castletown		
	Mr W. Radcli e	2	6
	Andreas		
	M ^{rs} Laughton	2	6
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Nov 25	Miss Corrin	2	6
	Castletown		
	Rev. J.N. [—?]	2	6
	Ballaugh		
	Dr Clague		
	C'town	2	6
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	Sales to Nov 19th 1899	3	5

Source: Red notebook, unlabelled, containing subscription lists for *Yn Cheshaght Ghailckagh*, 1899–1900, MNHL, William Cubbon Papers, MS 11170.



The Manx Language Society was formed in 1899, but as seen here with few members: ten joined at the 29 April meeting and another three later on the in year at the 25 November gathering. Whilst many of the names are known, more surprising are the omissions—no Sophia Morrison, no Edmund Goodwin, no J.J. Kneen being the most obvious omissions.

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