

CROFTING TOWNSHIP RECORD FORM

District	Old County	Parish	Modern Name
LOCHABER		MORVERN	ULLINE

Grid Ref	SMR Number
NM 748506	

Former Spelling:	Date:	Source:
ULLINE	1635	OPS ii, pt 1, 188-93
ULLIN	1781	R. S. A.
ULIN	1801	Langlands' Argyll 1801.
UILEANN	1872	OS 1872, OS 1872 NB

Ownership:			
Estate Name:	Estate Owner:	Date:	Source:
ACHRANICH	CAMERON OF GLENDESSARY	1750	GASKELL, P. 1968: MORVERN
ACHRANICH	MACDONALD OF BORRODALE	1800	" " " "
ACHRANICH	OCTAVIUS SMITH	1850	" " " "
ARDTORNISH	VALENTINE SMITH	1900	" " " "

Population

1841 - 3/13.

1851 - 1/6

1861 - 1/5

1871 - 1/9

1881 - 1/7

1891 - 1/4

Statistics:					
Total Area (township)	Arable	Pasture	Wood	Hill	
Farm AREA - 1815 - 2,355 acres	40 acres				
OS MAP	- 2,706 acres				

Valuations:

5 Marklands - D° and Borrodle - Stone and Ullin £5 11s 1d.

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Communications:

Opposite Uileann - $\frac{1}{2}$ mile loop - original road - built c 1860,
abandoned shortly before WW1 in favour of lower route which
was under for motor traffic.

Conveyances:

At the bankrupt sale of Charles Maclean of Drimmin in 1799-1800,
John MacDonald of Binnedale secured the Achnaich group for
£5,806 (without any of the Kintochaline fishings. Uileann was
included but, because of a legal technicality, had to be redispensed
to MacDonald in 1802. His son Angus sold the group to a stranger →

Boundaries: SEE MAP 10, GASKELL, P. 1968: MORVERN TRANSFORMED.

The area on the Kingairloch side of the parish boundary
marked A, was exchanged with Forbes of Kingairloch,
perhaps c. 1850, for the area on the Morvern side of the
boundary marked B' and B".

Evictions, Emigration (where from/to):

Other relevant information:

1850's - 9 houses (Gaskell: 1968: Morvern: p 18)

1855 - salmon pass cut round Uileann falls
(30 fish killed - 1863, 52 killed - 1864)
(Gaskell p 65)

1857-8 - head shepherd's house + byre built
(Gaskell p 75)

1882-3 - sheep fence built from Uileann to Eigraing
(Gaskell p 83)

1860 - 600 sheep at Ullin (Gaskell p. 236)

"Agreement between Patrick Sellar, ... and Octavius Henry
Smith", Signed 23 Sep., 9 Oct. 1850; AP."

"Sellar agrees to allow Smith right of
way across Teanait to Glensanda and
across Clonlaid from the Uileann lord to
the public road." (Gaskell p. 180).

1892 - Ardornish Estate, belonging to Thomas Valentine Smith
was scheduled as suitable for new holdings with corresponding
pasture by the Royal Commission. They noted 367 acres of old
arable and 3,660 acres of pasture (2)

CONVEYANCES (cont)

acting as trustee for Charles Campbell for £11,000 in 1838; Graham (the solicitor) and Campbell sold it to Octavius Smith in 1845 for £12,000. 1860; Smith renamed the whole estate Ardornish after buying Sellar's lands.

1800 - John MacDonald of Brodale buys "Claggen, Ullin, Auchranish and Dugharry" from the trustees of Charles Maclean of Inverin, decret of sale dated 26 June 1800, price £5,806. 9s. 0 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. which was still mostly unpaid at Whitsunday 1804, and which was by then increased to £7,115 13s 7d by interest charges from Martinmas 1799. (AP Inventory 1872; GRs 2332, 23.)

1802 Disposition of Uileann by Charles Grant to John MacDonald, on account of a disposition of the same made to Grant's father by Allan Maclean in 1775 but never, enrolled; disp dated ~~28 Oct 1826~~ 28 June 1802.

1826 John MacDonald wills the same to his son Angus, disp. dated 28 Oct. 1826.

1838 Humphrey Graham w.s. acquires the same as trustee for Charles Campbell of Cornbie from Angus MacDonald, disp. dated 10 July 1838; price, £11,000.

1845 Octavius Henry Smith of Thames Bank buys the same from Humphrey Graham and Charles Campbell; term of sale Martinmas 1845; price £12,000.

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CENSUS RETURNS:

Morvern - 1841

Settlement Name: VILLIN

Family Name: No. in house Occupation/s

CAMERON

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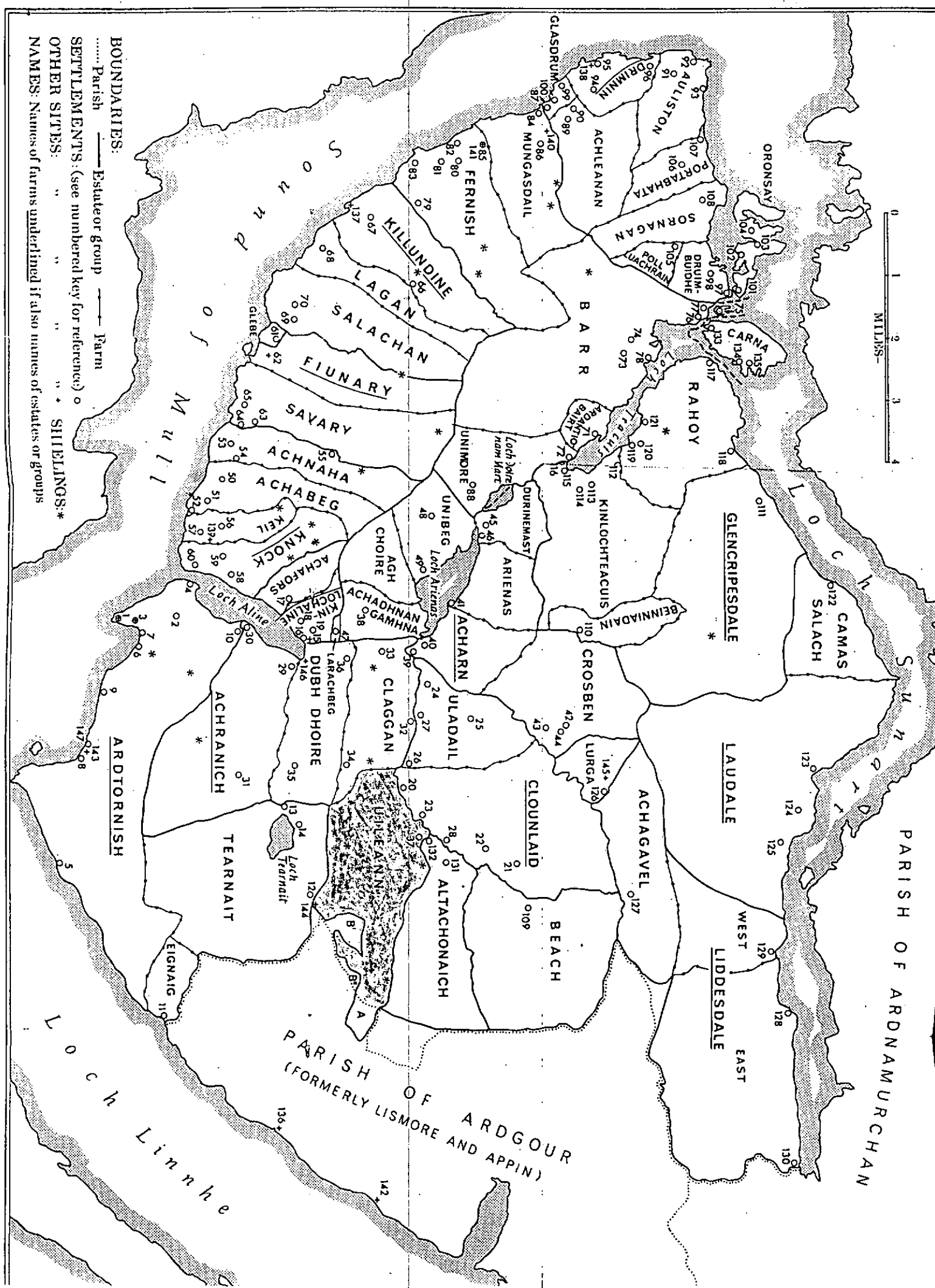
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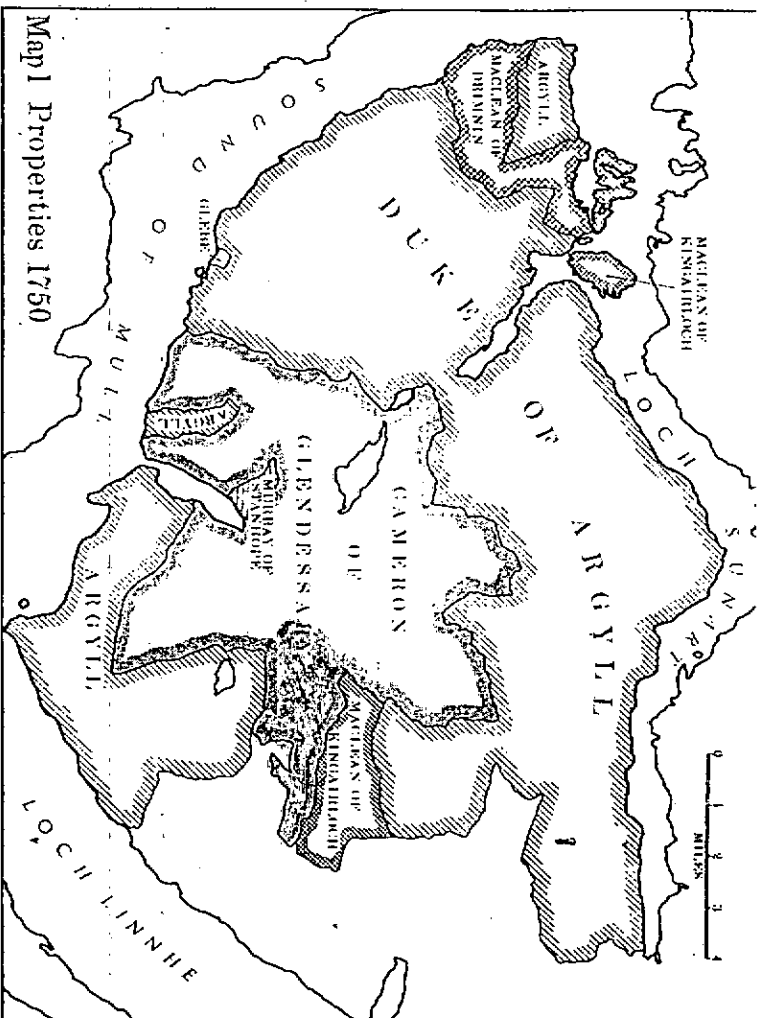
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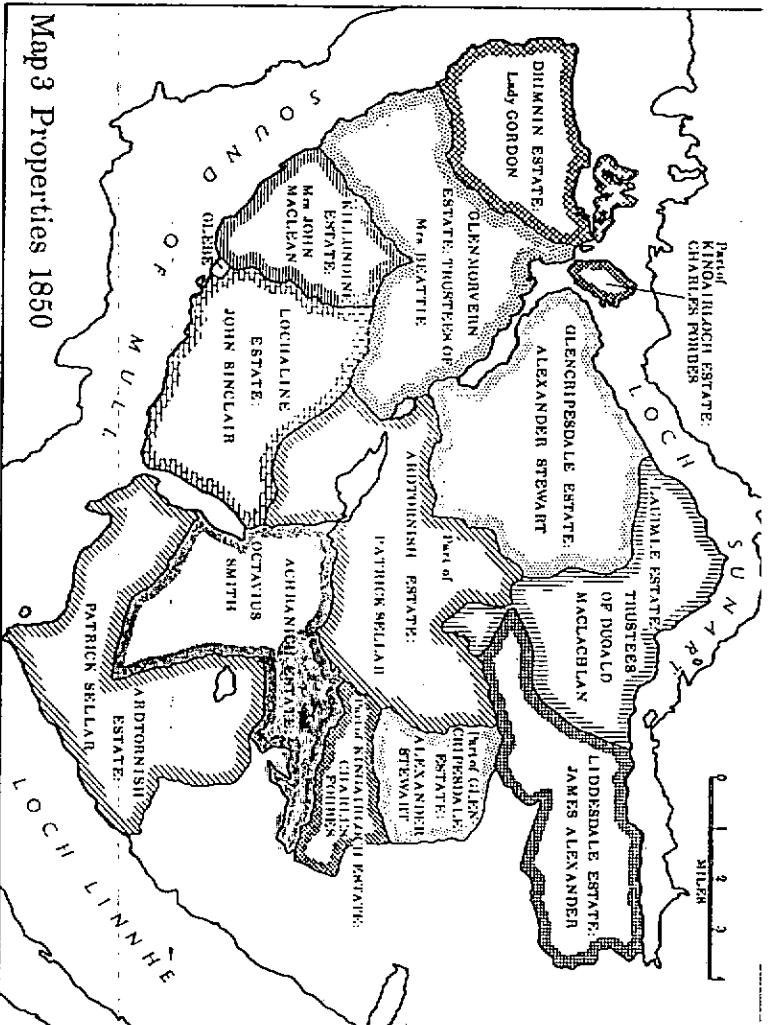
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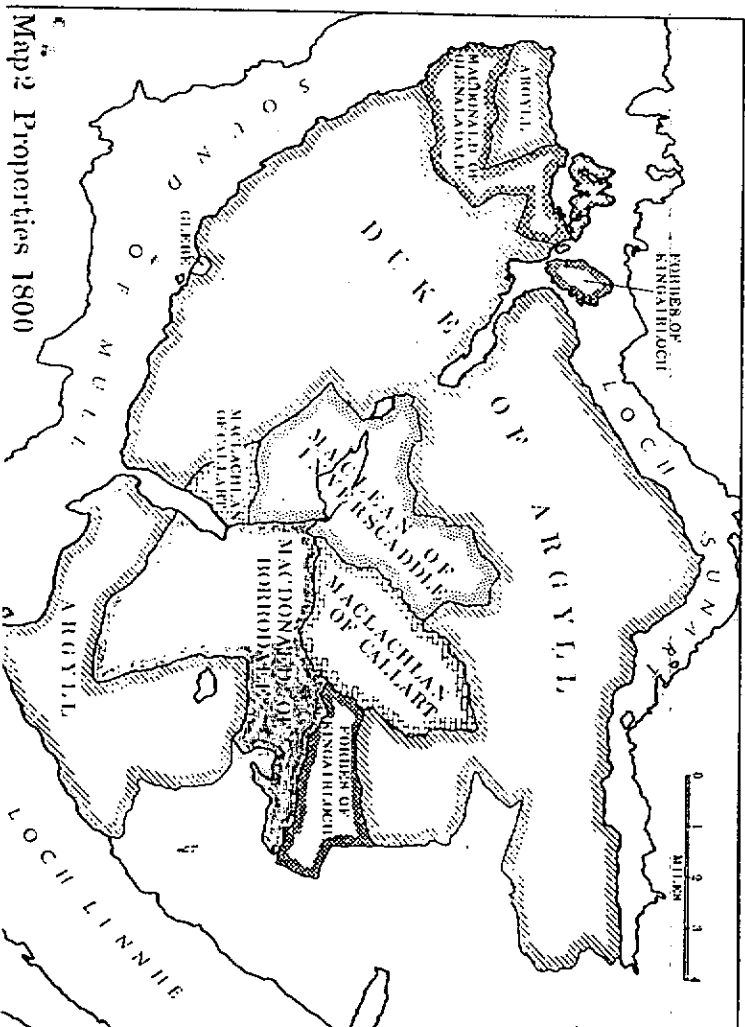
Map 1 Properties 1750



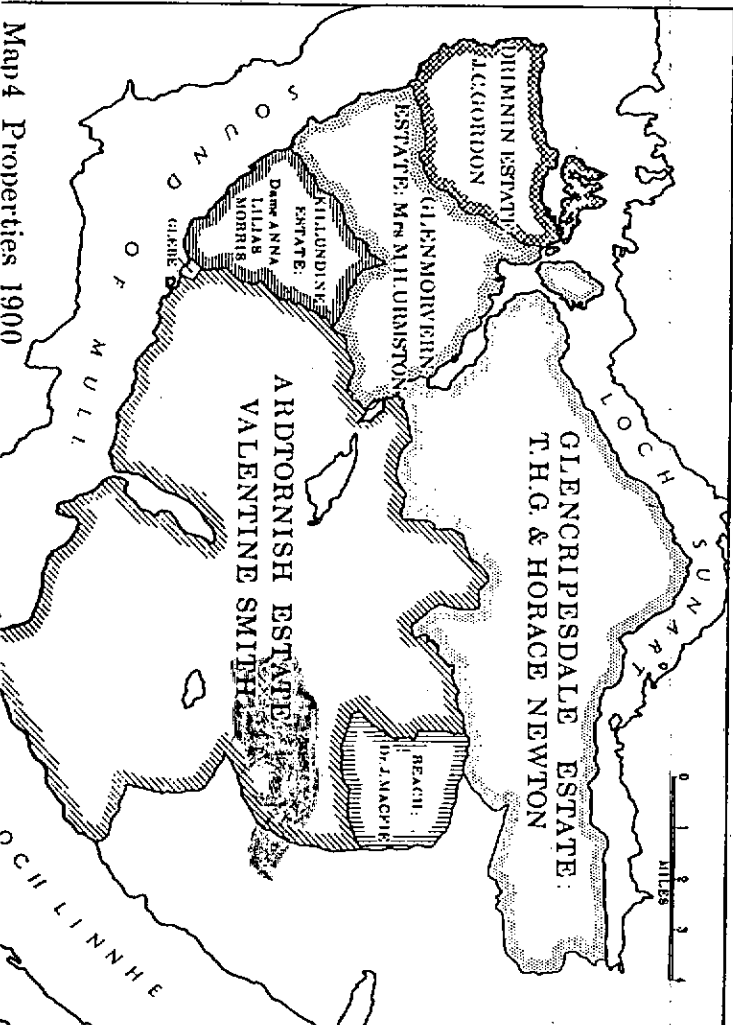
Map3 Properties 1850

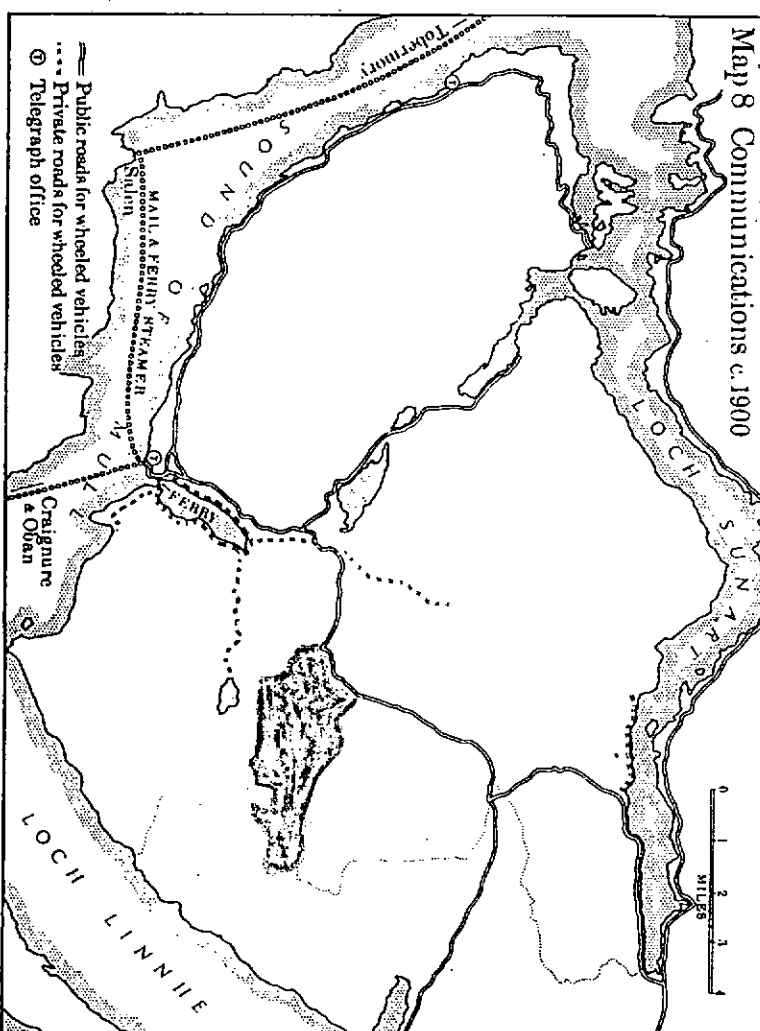
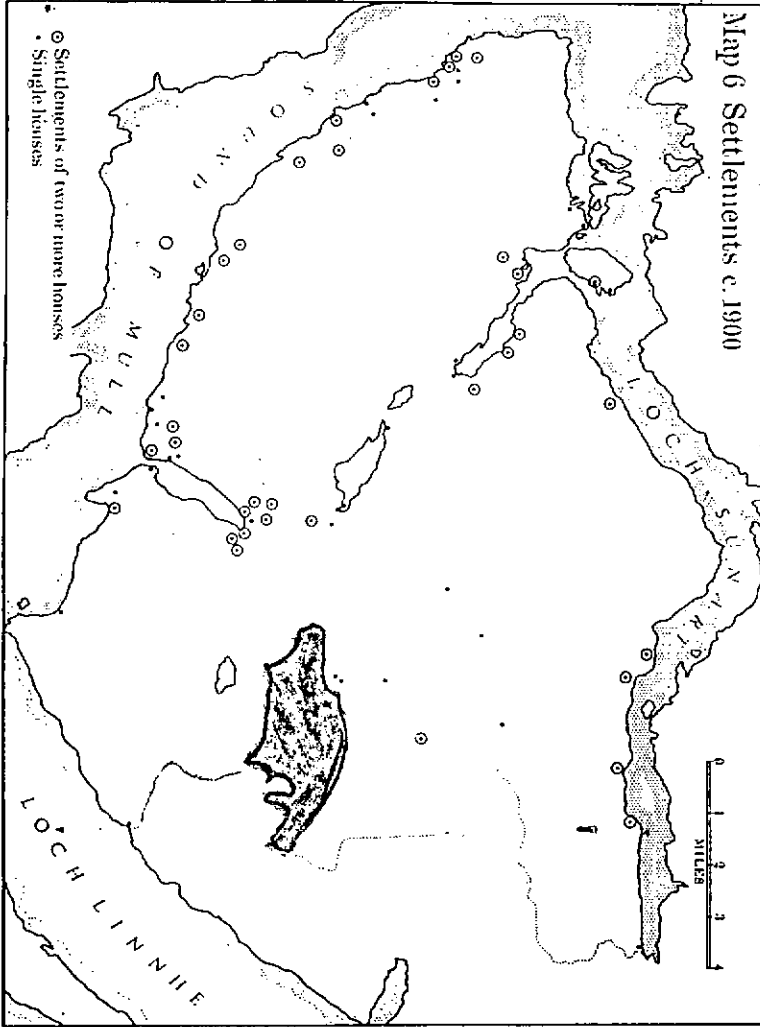
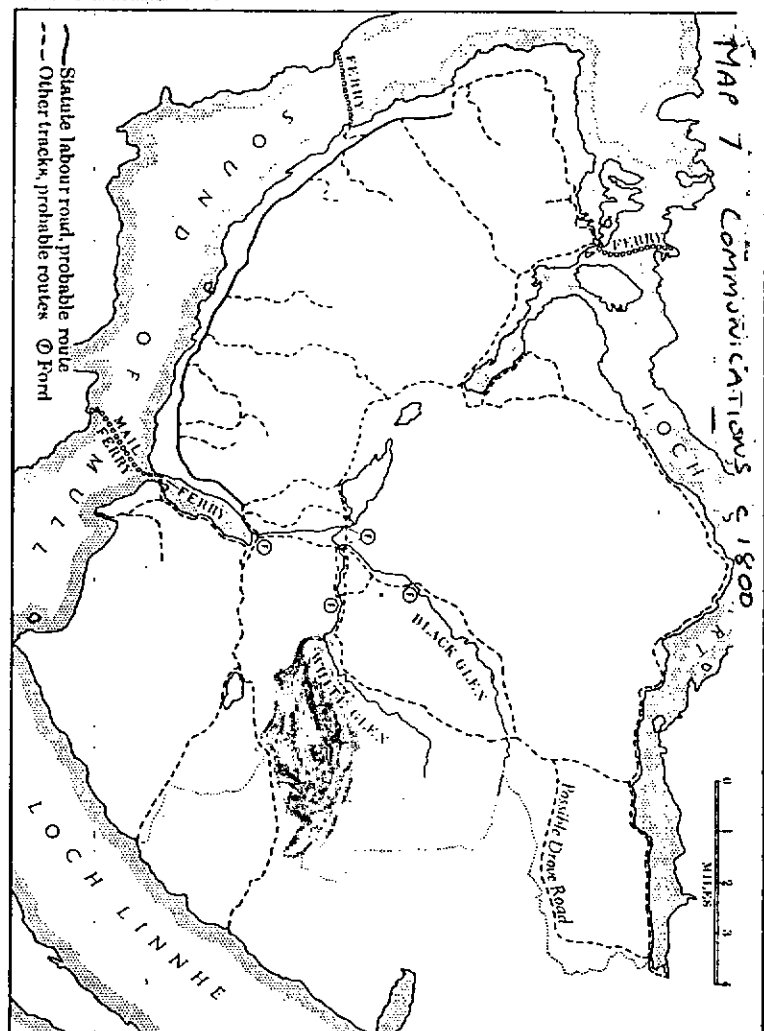
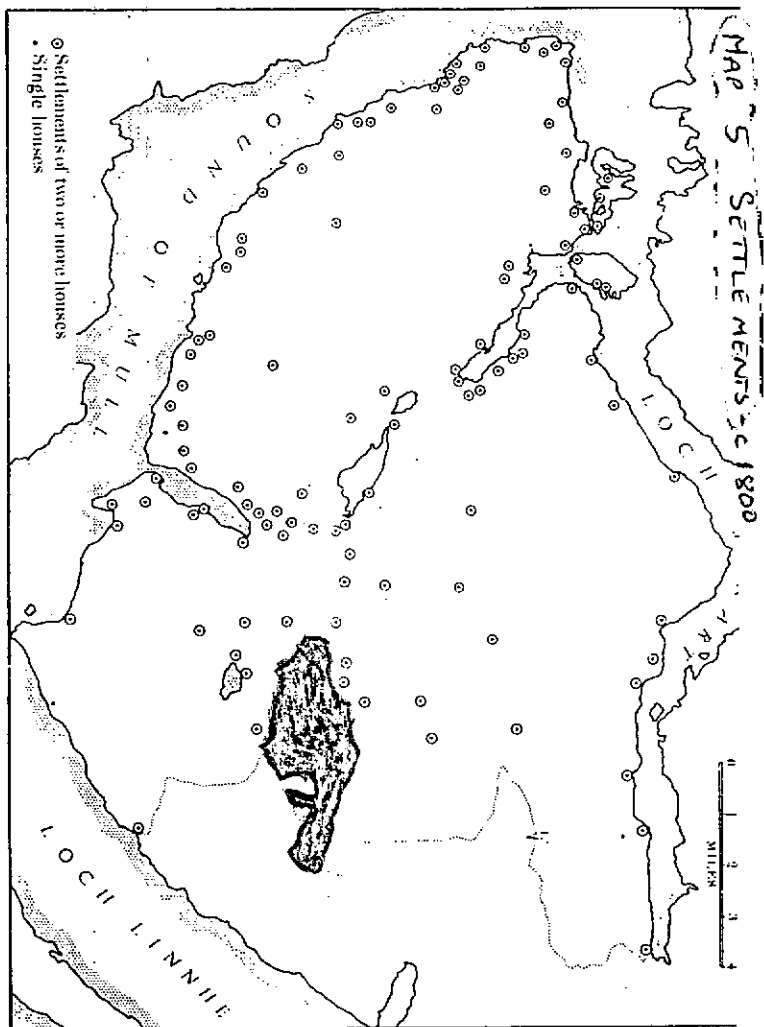


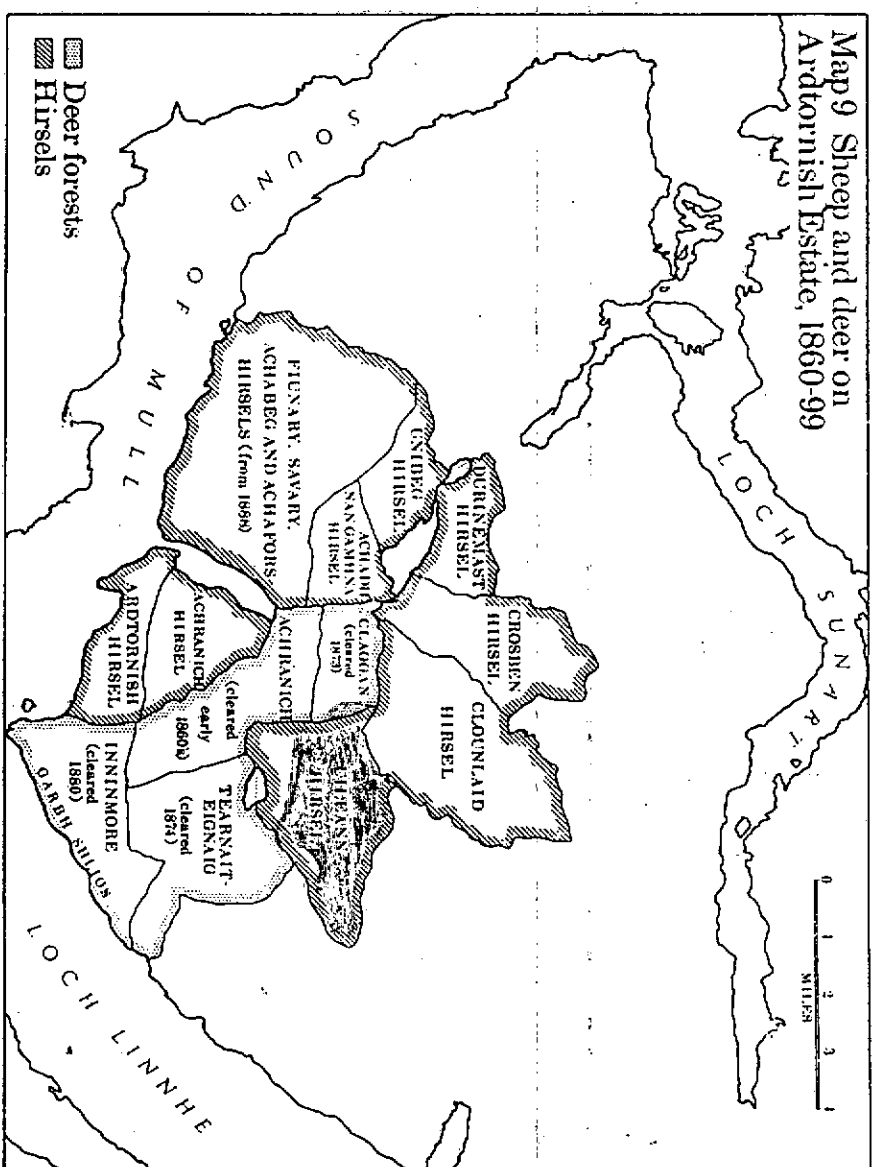
Map 2 Properties 1800



Map4 Properties 1900







Map 9. The boundaries between the hirsels, and between the areas cleared for deer-forest are approximate. The boundaries of the Lochnaline hirsels are not known even approximately.

For Map 10 please turn to the back of the book.

Explain the various sections, some of