

Mulranny, Co Mayo

Fr. Killeen CC gave them the use of his house and contents, pending the construction of the New Convent. He lodged instead in the Railway Hotel until 1928. On reflection it was decided to enlarge the curate's house, and a new house was built for the residing curate. The day after their arrival the Sisters took up duty in the school, which was cold and draughty. They had to walk a mile to the school in all sorts of weather. Visitation of the sick and poor was also undertaken. In 1939, a new school was built close to the Convent, and the Sisters taught there until 1986. Sisters Perpetuo Waldron and Vincent Walsh moved to the convent in Westport. While the convent was vacated in August 1986, it was used as a holiday house for several years until it was sold in 1997.