Bishop Rothe, "that the light streams in through painted glass, on which is most skilfully depicted the history of the entire life of Our Lord."

When the Papal Nuncio Rinucinni arrived here from the natal soil of the fine arts, he was so struck by the beauty of the window that he offered for its purchase the then large sum of £700, but Dr. Rothe would not sell it. He lived to see the Cromwellian soldiers demolish this beautiful specimen of medieval art, bury the fragments of its illuminated glass in a pit, which was long afterwards discovered, and sell its lead sashes to some broker in the town.

Alice Kyteler, sorceress, heretic and witch, finding the weight of public opinion too much to overcome, as she could not bewitch all the people, fled from Kilkenny with Basillia and was assisted to England by her friends, where she was heard of no more.

Kilkenny Day Coach

(From "Kilkenny Moderator" of 1819)

THE public are respectfully informed that the proprietors of the above long-established coach, with a view to the accommodation of the inhabitants of Kilkenny and its vicinity, have altered the hour of its departure from this city to 6.30 each morning during the winter months. The coach usually arrives in Dublin early to dinner. The proprietors beg leave to submit the following fares to general attention and to record the feelings of gratitude with which they have received so liberal a share of public patronage since the infancy of their establishment: Inside to Dublin, 15/10; outside, 8/4.