

*A Map of Connaught, Ireland published in London Magazine, May 1766 (following pg. 224).*

*Accompanying text on pg. 224:*

“Description of the Province of Connaught, one of the four\* into which Ireland is divided, with an accurate Map of that Province.

The province of Connaught has the sea only on the western side; and contains the counties of Mayo, Galway, and Sligo, bordering on the ocean, and Roscommon and Leitrim, inland counties. The form of it is long, and towards the north and south ends thin and narrow; but towards the middle gets bigger, and its circumference is about four hundred miles. The principal town is Galway, and it has but six others, being the most uncultivated and desart of the four provinces of Ireland. It has the see of an archbishop, Tuam, and the bishopricks of Clonfert, Elphin and Killala. It has ten boroughs which send members to parliament, and contains three hundred and thirty parishes. However, even this province is replenished with corn and cattle, and has many advantages which might be much increased by its bays and navigable rivers, with which it abounds.”

*\* The four Provinces are: Connaught, Leinster, Ulster and Munster*