

The market cross which stood at the place where the monument commemorative of General Nott stands today was removed in 1783 later to be found preserved a 1/4 STRAD (SN 398189). That portion of shaft is now in the County Museum.
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A careful search through the accession register of Llanmahan museum has shown that the cross moved from Ystrad is not the Market Cross but (as GEE believed) "the cross which stood in the ground of St Peter's church" with four figures depicted i.e. St Peter, St John, the shoulder of the church and a Bishop (pos. Bishop Beuno). (See Acc. 1618).

According to the Museum's first accession register (No. 961) the original stone shaft (Now in CM) is 3ft 4 in long, is plain and octagonal in shape. Apparently "for the last 50 yrs this shaft has lain neglected on the Mount some 25 yds E from its original position to which it was possibly removed in 1783". It was removed to the Museum in 1922 although it was given to the Carmarthen Soc in 1913. (Its removal being prevented by the Great War).

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Further confusion arises from the stake at which Ffarr was burned, but this appears to have been removed to Llanmahan Street and thence to the spire of Abergwili Church.

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