This Monument A.D. 1824 was by subscription erected to the memory of Thomas Sheridan Esq., who died in the neighbouring Parish of St. Peter Aug. 11th 1788 in the 69th year of his age, according to his own request was there buried. He was grandson to Judge Thomas Sheridan, the brother of Sir William, a conscientious judge who died in 1691, was deprived of the Bishoprick of Killmore. He was son of Sir Thomas Sheridan, a profound scholar eminent schoolmaster, intimately connected with Dean Swift and other illustrious writers in the Reign of Queen Anne. He was husband to the ingenious and learned Anne, the celebrated author of Sidney Biddulph; and great-great-grandfather of the celebrated Dr. Dorat and the Dramatist, Rich. Brindley, Sheridan. She had been the schoolfellow, and throughout life was the companion of the venerable Archbishop Warham. He was the friend of the learned Dr. Lomax, master of Harrow School, and the well-known Dr. Pan, he took his first academical degree in the University of Dublin about 1736. He was honoured by the University of Oxford with the degree of A.M. in 1758, and in 1759 he obtained the same distinction at Cambridge. He for many years presided over the Theatre of Dublin, and at Dublin hand in public
estimation stood next to David Hume. He was distinguished by numerous useful writings on the pronunciation of the English language. Amongst some of his opinions from a view of singularity combined with the value of one of genius—of his manner more than one dignified ease, in his spirit, available firmness, and in his habits of principles, concerned integrity.

April 24,

Dear Sir,

I have sent you a rough draft of the inscription. But, gentlemen, we understand that this we will put notice to the town from his Daughters that he had completed his 60th year. I have the honour to be your very respectful humble servant.

J. Renn
Dr. Carr
April 24, 1824
Daniel Sevier Esq.
Margate
Kent
Singh