Margaret Penn (Jasper) (d.1682) wife of Admiral Sir William Penn and mother of Quaker, William Penn
Admiral Sir William Penn (1621-70)

1643:
Aged 22, Penn was appointed as a Captain in the Royal Navy

The same year, married Margaret Van der Schure (Jasper), at St Mary Redcliffe, Church, Bristol, England.
Margaret Penn (Jasper) (b. in England - d.1682)

She married Admiral Sir William Penn in 1643.

• Married at St Martin-within-Ludgate, London.

• The entry reads; ‘1643. June 6th. Williame Penne and Margaret van der Schuren, by Dr Dyke, Lecturer...witness Mr Roch, churchwarden then.’

• There is a second certificate of marriage which may have been for the return of his wife’s estates in Ireland.
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- Daughter of John Jasper, a wealthy protestant merchant in County Clare, Ireland, and Alet Pletjes, whose family was from Kempen, Prussia. (see next slide)
- Originally married to a Dutchman, Nicasius Van der Schure and lived at Kilconry, Kilrush, County Clare, Ireland. Der Schure ~ one of a number of Rhine Valley Protestants who relocated to Ireland during the Thirty Years War (1618 - 1648)
- She inherited Irish estates on her husband’s death.
County Clare
Where Margaret Penn inherited estates from her first husband

The loss of land ownership by the Catholic Irish, as a result of C17th plantations and wars, spawned rural secret societies (e.g. 'Tories' and 'Rapparies') ~ dispossessed outlaw landowners waging wars in the hills against the new landed gentry before being gradually hunted into oblivion.
Margaret Penn (Jasper)

She abandoned her estates and fled to England during the Irish Confederate Wars, c1653.

She and Admiral Penn, petitioned Cromwell for a return of the estates worth an enormous £7,436.19s.6d

Died in Ireland, 1682.