

By the Justices assigned to keep the Peace in and  
for the County of Cork, at a General Quarter  
Sessions of the Peace holden at Cork, and for the  
Division of Cork in Cork County, East Riding  
on the twenty third day of September One thousand  
eight hundred and fifty four

Whereas due notice of application having been first affixed  
at the times and in the manner directed by the Statutes in such Case made  
and provided, by Edward Matthews, Daniel Lombard and Robert O'Leary  
Esquires three owners of Land in the Parish of Ballinaboy, Diocese  
of Cork Division of Cork, and Cork County, East Riding, each charged  
with the annual payment of the Sum of Three pounds and upwards in  
respect of the Rent Charges payable in lieu of the Composition for Tithes  
within said Parish made by the Certificate of Valentine Browne bearing  
date the thirtieth day of December One thousand eight hundred and  
thirty three, and in pursuance of the Statute in such Case made and provided  
and whereby the gross amount of Composition for all Tithes what ever in  
the said Parish was Certified to be the annual Sum of Five hundred  
pounds, the said three Owners of Land, made application in Writing to the  
Justices of the Peace at the Quarter Sessions above mentioned, to have the  
average price of wheat, being the Grain in the Certificate mentioned for  
the preceding Seven years in the Statute in that behalf mentioned  
inquired of and ascertained, in order that the said Composition for  
Tithes, and the Rent Charges in lieu of such Composition might be diminished  
according to such average price as compared with the price of One pound  
twelve Shillings and One half penny being the price of wheat as set forth  
in the said Certificate. And whereas the said applicants, and the Reverend  
Robert Polk Hartopp being the person entitled to the title Rent Charge of said  
Parish having appeared before the said Justices at Quarter Sessions by their  
Counsel or Agents, and the said Notice of application, Certificate and the average  
price of wheat as advertised in the Dublin Gazette for the said period  
of Seven years having been proved. Now the said Justices do  
ascertain from the said Gazette that the average price of wheat for the  
said period of Seven years is One pound Seven Shillings and  
one penny for each Barrell of twenty Stones. And the said  
Justices do accordingly Order and adjudge that the amount of said  
Composition for Tithes in said Parish, and the Rent charges payable in  
lieu thereof shall be diminished in proportion to the difference between  
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