

eight days previous to the day of holding the Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Waterford in and for the said County of Waterford on the twenty fourth day of September One thousand eight hundred and eighty nine being the then ensuing Quarter Sessions of the Peace in the said County in which the said Parish is situate signifying that it was their intention to make an application to the Justices of the Peace at such Quarter Sessions to have the average price of Oats for the seven years preceding inquired of and ascertained in order that the Composition in lieu of which said Tithe Rent Charge was payable might be varied and diminished and the said Rent Charge payable in lieu thereof (other than such Rent Charges as became vested as aforesaid in the Commissioners of Church Temporalities in Ireland) varied and diminished in like proportion for the ensuing seven years, and also caused a copy of the said Notice to be served on William Kearney of Gracefield in the said County of Waterford -
the owner of the Improprate Tithes of said Parish.
And Whereas the said Lord Baron Carew, Carl Fortescue and Viscountess Doneraile having accordingly and in pursuance of said Notice made an application in writing in the terms of the said Notice to the Justices presiding at the Quarter Sessions aforesaid to ascertain the average price of Oats as advertised in the Dublin Gazette during the seven years preceding the said application and the posting of the said Notice and the other preliminaries required by the Statute in such Case having been proved and on hearing Mr Archibald S. McCoy Solicitor for the Applicants, the Justices presiding at said Court of Quarter Sessions with the consent of the said Applicants and of the said William Kearney appointed William

Gilbert of Waterford Accountant to be Arbitrator for ascertaining the average price of the barrel of good marketable oats as advertised in the Dublin Gazette during the seven years preceding said application and it appearing to the Justices presiding at the said Court of Quarter Sessions held at Waterford aforesaid on the twenty fourth day of September One thousand eight hundred and eighty nine by an Attested Office Copy of the Certificate of Composition dated the twenty first day of April One thousand eight hundred and twenty seven, and the Evidence produced before said Justices that the average price of Oats per Barrel for the seven years ending the first day of November One thousand eight hundred and twenty one was fourteen shillings and one farthing per barrel, and that in consequence thereof the Commissioner appointed pursuant to the Statute in such Case made and provided had fixed the amount of Composition for Tithe in the said Parish of Killea at Two hundred and seventy pounds Sterling by the year which Composition took effect from the first day of May One thousand eight hundred and twenty seven, of which sum of Two hundred and seventy pounds Mr James Aylward the owner of the Improprate Tithe of said Parish or his Lessee the Reverend Richard Fleury was entitled to One hundred and forty seven pounds thirteen shillings and ten pence for the Improprate Tithes claimable by him, and the said Reverend Richard Fleury was entitled to the sum of One hundred and twenty two pounds six shillings and two pence by the year for the Tithes claimable by him as Vicar of said Parish, and that Oats was the measure of Composition for the said Parish. And it further appearing by the Report in writing of the said William

