

By the Justices assigned to keep the
Peace in the County of Cork at a General Quarter
Sessions holden at Clonakilty in and for Cork
County West Riding on this third day of July one
thousand eight hundred and fifty four -

Whereas due notice was given by Sir Augustus Warren of Warrens Court in
the County of Cork Baronet Thomas Ware of Woodfort Francis Beames of
Millinac and Edward Foot of Gortmore all in said County Esquires being four
Owners of land in the Parish of Murragh in the Diocese of Cork and County of Cork each
Charged with the annual payment of Three pounds and upwards in respect of the Rent
Charge payable in lieu of the Composition for tithes within said parish made by the Certificate
of John Henry Agar bearing date the sixteenth day of August one thousand eight
hundred and thirty three in pursuance of the Statutes in such case made and provided whereby
the gross amount of composition for all tithes whatever in said parish was Certified
to be the annual sum of eight hundred and fifty one pounds sterling and payable to the
Reverend Robert St. Lawrence as Rector and Vicar of the said parish of Murragh

And Whereas the said four Owners of land duly made application in writing to us
the Justices of the Peace at these Quarter Sessions to have the average price of Wheat
(being the corn mentioned in the said Certificate) for the seven years now last preceding
enquired of and ascertained in order that the said Composition in lieu whereof the said
tithe rent charge was payable may be diminished and varied in proportion to such
average price as compared with the price of Wheat set forth in said Certificate **And**

Whereas said applicants and the said Reverend Robert St. Lawrence Rector and Vicar
of said parish of Murragh having appeared before us the Justices here presiding and the
said Certificate of Composition bearing date the sixteenth day of August one thousand
Eight hundred and thirty three being duly proved and it appearing that the average
price of Wheat stated therein was one pound twelve shillings and ten pence per barrel

And Whereas we the said Justices having ascertained the average price of good
marketable Wheat (as advertised in the Dublin Gazette) for the term of seven years
now last preceding to be one pound seven shillings for each barrel of twenty stones

It is therefore accordingly ordered and adjudged and we
do hereby order and adjudge that the amount of said Composition for tithes and the
rent Charge payable in lieu thereof shall be diminished to the extent that the amount
of the rent Charge payable for and during the next ensuing seven years (to be
Computed from the first day of November next) shall bear the like proportion to the
amount of the Composition set forth in said Original Certificate as the average price
of Wheat herein ascertained as aforesaid shall bear to the price thereof set forth in
said Original Certificate **And we do order and adjudge that the**