

the other preliminaries provided for by the Statutes in such Case having been proved the said Justices presiding as aforesaid in the presence of the Counsel and Attorneys for the said Applicants and the Counsel and Attorney of The Reverend Charles Butler Stevenson Rector of said Parish and it having appeared to us the Justices aforesaid presiding at this Court of Quarter Sessions held at Graces old Castle aforesaid in and for the County of Kilkenny aforesaid on the said twenty third day of October One thousand eight hundred and fifty four by the Certificate bearing date the thirty first day of October One thousand eight hundred and thirty three as well as by the original Assessment and appointment of the Commissioner appointed under the act in that behalf made and provided produced to us by the Register of the said Diocese of Ossory in which said Parish is situate and given in evidence before us by and on behalf of the said Applicants that the average price of Wheat per Barrell for the seven years preceding the first day of November One thousand eight hundred and thirty was one pound twelve Shillings British Currency and that in consequence thereof the said Commissioner had fixed the amount of the Composition for tithes in said Parish of Tullaroan at Five hundred and thirteen pounds annually present Currency due and payable as in said Certificate mentioned and it further appearing to us the said Justices that the annual Rent charge payable in lieu thereof amounts to the sum of Three hundred and eighty four pounds fifteen Shillings present Currency and it further appearing to us the said Justices assembled at the quarter sessions of the peace for the County of Kilkenny held at Graces old Castle in said County on the twenty third day of October one thousand eight hundred and fifty four that the said William Francis Finn, Michael Sullivan, Martin Kelly, Jeremiah Kelly and Patrick Bonan have supported by evidence their application and we having enquired into the same, and it appearing to us that the Commissioner appointed in the said Parish of Tullaroan had fixed the tithe Composition for the said Parish at Five hundred and thirteen pounds British Currency yearly to commence from the first day of November one thousand eight hundred and thirty three and that Wheat was the measure of Composition for tithes of said Parish of Tullaroan as appeared to us by said Certificate and that Wheat was one pound twelve Shillings British Currency per Barrell for the seven years preceding the first day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty and it appearing to us that the average price of good marketable Wheat for the last seven years was one pound six Shillings and ten pence farthing present Currency per Barrell pursuant to the Returns in the Dublin Gazette produced and read in evidence before us for said years and the evidence of Luke Hughes Gentleman given