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Waterford Jan^y 8 1851

My dear Sir

I cannot very well tell you what I want not having the Appointment Book before me or whether any certificate of yours would not rather damage me as it will have to be produced in one of the Master's Offices but I will tell my story & you can judge whether your certificate will assist me

Richard Aylward held about 200 acres of the Lands of Derrilacky for which his chief Rent was about £18. late currency & he died in 1822

Either his Widow Mary Aylward alone or his Son in law Patrick Walsh alone or the Widow and Walsh jointly held these Lands until 1844 when William Gaule became entitled to the one moiety of them and at present they are held by William Gaule and the Widow of Walsh jointly