

Mary Carr Irish Transportation Records CRF 1843 C8

To the Right Honb^{le} Earl De Grey
Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland

The Humble Petition of Mary Carr

Shewth

That your Petitioner was sentenced on the 27th April 1840 to 7 years transportation at Kilmainham for Stealing Fowl.

In consequence of ill health Petitioner has hitherto been unable to undergo her sentence, and altho', through the mercy of providence and the Medical care and kindness she has received in the prison, she is now restored yet ventures to hope her long confinement and sufferings may plead with Your Excellency for a commutation of her sentence she most respectfully refers to the Medical Gentlemen of the Establishment,

and subscribes herself

Your Excellency's Ob^t Servant

I hereby certify that Mary Carr has conducted herself in the most exemplary manner during her imprisonment (upwards of two years) & when her own health would at all permit has been very useful in nursing the sick.

Marian Rawlins

Matron

Female Penitentiary

Grange Gorman

Feb 14th 1843

I certify that Mary Carr labourers under severe attacks of sickness during her residence in the Prison both attended with considerable [danger?] & that when not prevented by illness she has proved herself a most attentive & efficient nurse to the sick in Hos^t

William Harty

& Alexander Read

Surgeons in the Prison