

## Residents of Herbert Street to John Vernon

To John Edward Vernon, Esq:

We the undersigned beg to call your attention to the great inconvenience caused to the inhabitants of Herbert Street and the vicinity of the practise {sic} recently introduced in the convent in Baggot Street of ringing or tolling a bell every morning at the early hour of 6 o'clock, followed by another shortly before 7 o'clock a.m. Whereby not only are members of our family aroused at an hour to them inconveniently early, but the value of property in the neighbourhood is likely to be seriously depreciated from the unwillingness of persons to become or remain tenants of houses where they would be liable to be disturbed.

We feel most unwilling to interfere with the arrangement of any institution more especially a religious one, but regard both to the comfort of our families and the value of our property compel us to request that you will as agent to the Right Honorable Sidney Herbert represent the matter to authorities of the convent, who we trust will see the reasonableness of the request.

Herbert Street

No 1	John Burrowes	No 2	John J Hanford
No 3	T. Kincaid	No 4	John Francis Waller
No 5	J.T. McGann	No 6	Louisa Coote
No 7	Frances Hubard	No 8	Vacant
No 9	Joss. Boyer	No 10	
No 11	J Robinson	No 12	
No 13	Joshua Clarke	No 14	George McDowell
No 15	Henry Barry	No 16	William Roberts
No 17	Richard Henn	No 18	Emily Boyce
No 19	Fredrick J Sidney	No 20	

Mount St Crescent

No 2 William Colthurst

Baggot Street Lower

No 60 John Finlayson Jr No 65 Thomas Wheeler

No name is inserted again Nos 10, 12 or 20

## John Vernon to MM Vincent Whitty

Fitzwilliam Estate Office  
1 Wilton Square  
Dublin  
24 April 1855

Madam,

I have the honour to transmit herewith a copy of a memorial addressed to me as agent to Rt Honorable s Herbert by the inhabitants of Herbert Street.

I earnestly hope that you will give this matter your consideration and I trust that it may be in your power without any undue interference with the rule of a religious establishment to make such alterations as may tend to mitigate the inconvenience complained of by the inhabitants of Herbert St.

I have the honour to be, Madam,

Your obedient servant,

John E Vernon.