

He found two local men in a room off the bar. There was no drink.

THEY WERE FRIENDS.

The defendant, in reply to Mr. Cussen, her solicitor, stated that the men on the premises were friends who used to visit the house frequently. They had no drink.

The Justice dismissed the case.

Mrs. Hannon, Maiden Street, Newcastle West was summoned for a breach of the licensing laws on the 25th June.

Sergeant Daly stated that about 4.10 p.m. he entered the defendant's premises from the back and found a local man in the kitchen who said he had business there, and he found two non-bona-fide travellers in the bar.

Cross-examined by Mr. R. J. Cussen, solicitor for defendant—The man in the kitchen had no drink and he said he was there on some business.

The Justice imposed a fine of £2, and the men on the premises were fined 5s. and 2s. 6d.

PEACE MOVE

URGED ON PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

In a radio address at Milwaukee yesterday, Mr. John Cudahy, former United States Ambassador to Eire and Belgium, urged President Roosevelt to propose a peace programme based on a new association of nations with the power to enforce its decrees.

"Behind this new world movement," said Mr. Cudahy, "let us place the sanction of all moral prestige and the force of America. If we enter the war without making this effort, the American people will be more confused and disunited than they are to-day."

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK

The British destroyer, "Defender," has been sunk, but without loss of life, it is officially reported by the British Admiralty. The "Defender" (1,375 tons) had a normal complement of 145. Completed in 1932, she carried four 4.7 inch and six smaller guns and eight torpedo tubes.

CIRCUIT COURT

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LIKELY APPOINTMENT

It is stated that Mr. Thomas O'Donnell, K.C., referee to the Pensions Advisory Committee, is likely to succeed Judge E. J. McElligott, K.C., as Circuit Judge for Limerick, Clare and Kerry. No official announcement regarding the appointment, however, has yet been made.

Judge McElligott is to retire shortly through ill-health.

Before his appointment as Pensions Referee, Mr. O'Donnell was appointed a Circuit Judge without being attached to any particular area. He deputised for Judge J. K. O'Connor, K.C., in the Cork Circuit when the latter was Pensions Referee.

Judge O'Donnell, who is a native of Kerry, began life as a National Teacher. He represented one of the divisions of his native county in the British Parliament as a member of the Irish Party under John Redmond's leadership. He figured prominently in a memorable scene in the House of Commons and on that occasion lambasted the British Government in a speech in the Irish language. This was said to be the first time the House was addressed in Irish. During his membership of the Irish Party Mr. O'Donnell studied for the Bar and after his call built up an extensive practice, later becoming a K.C. and figuring in several important cases. Some years ago he wrote and spoke much in favour of strong protection for Irish industries and in support of the demand for reform in our monetary system.

DEATH.

Campbell (Limerick)—On August 11th, 1941, at her residence, "San Antonia," South Circular Road, Limerick, Mary, relict of the late James Campbell, Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Michael's Church on to-morrow (Tuesday) at 7.30 p.m. Requiem High Mass on Wednesday at 10.30. Burial immediately afterwards to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery.