

the ground and other members of the fraternity were preparing to put her on a cart. Everybody was pretty drunk the same day.

Cross-examined, witness said she never had trouble with Fitzgerald previous to that occasion. She could not remember saying in the publichouse: "I will be in jail in the morning," and describing deceased as a "greyheaded informer."

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty and the accused was discharged.

### LIGHTNING STRIKES

Writing us in reference to the above subject, a correspondent signing himself "An Impartial Citizen" says that the trouble leading to lightning strikes should always be referred to some responsible body before such action is taken. If an employer, he says, became dissatisfied with an employee and suddenly ordered a lock-out he would be the talk of the whole city. Such an employer would have just as much right to act in this way as the worker. "In unofficial strikes," goes on "An Impartial Citizen," "you take the law into your own hands without recourse to your own Union first and then to a superior board for their judgment. It is unfortunate that wiser counsels do not prevail. My advice to workers is to think and learn for themselves and not be led away by false prophets."

Don't let them have to say to anxious parents who come pleading to the Brothers: "We are sorry but we have no room for your boy." I make a special appeal to those parents whom God has blessed with happy, healthy children around them in their homes to-night. Please make up your mind now to send something, large or small, to: The Reverend Brother Prior, Oliver Plunket Colony, Mulhuddart, Co. Dublin.

### CHILDREN OF MARY

Approximately twenty aspirants were received into the Sodality of the Children of Mary at St. Andrew's Church, Kilfinane, on last Sunday evening (writes our Kilfinane correspondent). The ceremony, which was most impressive, was performed by Rev. D. Crowley, C.C., who subsequently congratulated and welcomed the new members and also delivered a short instruction on the various rules of the Sodality.

### DEATH.

**O'Leary**—May 16th, 1944, at his residence, 7 Glenview Terrace, Farranshane, Limerick, Daniel O'Leary (late Messrs. Stephen Tubridy, Ltd., Bakers, Limerick); deeply regretted. R.I.P. Requiem Mass to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 8 o'clock. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 p.m. from St. Munchin's Church to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. (17c)

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