

had been apprenticed to his father's business. During his apprenticeship he had no satisfaction. This income as a great surprise to him. It was difficult for him to press his Worship for where such a sum was. However, he would like to see a hearing. If memory serves him right, a case had recently in which a Circuit Judge cited that no case should be committed to a school unless the evidence was convincing that the defendant had been mixing in bad company and that he was incorrigible. These requirements were necessary. Unfortunately he (Mr. O'Malley) had no actual case with him that he could show it at a later date.

Surely this procedure is not correct and does not apply in this case. Mr. O'Malley said that he would like to see if the Justice would remand him in custody for a week.

HANDED FOR A WEEK.
The Justice said that in the circumstances, where such a case was involved, the case should come before the Circuit Judge. There were at the time a lot of cases of this kind being put down. If he were to uphold the idea that they should be shown leniency when they come in the District Court before, this thing would never be done. It was never one to go to solicitors to a great extent, but fairness, if Mr. O'Malley so desired, he would remand him in custody for a further week before making any decision.

O'Malley—Thank you, your Honor. I am very much obliged. The defendant—In the meantime the money can be handed back?
—Yes.

DECREES GIVEN

VARIOUS INJURY CLAIMS

Decrees for compensation for damage to property were given by the Circuit Court yesterday by Judge Barra O Briain. A claim for £19 by Patrick O'Malley, publican, 11 Wickham Street, for the breaking of a plate-glass window in his premises and for damage, a decree for £12 was

claim by Thomas Stewart, Upper William St. for £15

Mr. O'Donnell said he represented the only defendant to appear—John Fitzgerald.

Mr. Kenny said all the defendants had been served with notice of motions of the application for judgment. He asked that John Fitzgerald be determined by his Lordship as representing all members of the club.

His Lordship agreed to do this, and also made the orders sought by the plaintiffs, mentioned at the outset.

FATALLY INJURED

LIMERICK MAN'S DEATH ABROAD

The parents of Thomas Patrick Wilmoth, aged 19 years, whose home was at 71, Lenihan Avenue, Prospect, Limerick, have received the sad news from the Casualty Branch of the British Government Air Ministry, London, that their son, who was serving as an air-craftsman in the R.A.F., Middle East Command, was fatally wounded on the 10th inst.

It appears that he lost his life as a result of an accidental gun-shot wound, sustained whilst he was endeavouring to rectify a jammed Sten gun belonging to another airman.

The news of this young man's untimely passing has evoked the deepest sympathy with his bereaved parents and family. Eldest member of the family, he had distinguished himself in the spheres of boxing and soccer, having won a trophy for his feats in the former sport, organised by the R.A.F. He also played for the local soccer teams, Janesboro and Prospect. In the 1943-44 season he won a juvenile cup medal with the former.

LORRY AND MOTOR CAR IN COLLISION

A lorry belonging to Messrs. James McMahan, Ltd., and a small motor car came into collision today near Raheen. In the impact the small car was badly damaged and the driver, Mr. James Purcell, Ballynoe, Mungret, sustained injuries to the hip and face. He was removed to the County Infirmary in the City Fire Brigade Ambulance and is making satisfactory progress.

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men coming out the back. They immediately knocked and shouted "Guards on duty," but got no reply.

HAD TO CLIMB A WALL.

Eventually they had to gain access to the premises by climbing a wall at the rear. There was one man in the bar and the licensee said that he obliged him with a drink as he had been working all day. He explained that he had not heard the knocking, otherwise he would have opened the door immediately.

Mr. O'Malley said that there was no previous conviction.

A fine of 10/- was imposed and the men were fined 2/6 each.

LARCENY CHARGES.

Thomas Lewis, no fixed abode, was charged with a number of larcenies involving robberies in the county and city.

Sergeant Farren said Garda inquiries were not yet completed and he would ask for a further remand for a week.

The Justice granted the application.

BLOW OF A FIST

DECREE ON APPEAL

At Limerick Circuit Court to-day, before Judge Barra O Briain, S.C.

Michael Dillon, Sixmilebridge, Co. Clare, appealed against an order of the Deputy District Justice at Limerick on May 6th last, dismissing his claim for £10 damages for alleged assault on March 16th last, against Michael O'Grady, Cloontra, Sixmilebridge.

Mr. D. J. O'Malley, solr., appeared for the plaintiff and appellant, and Mr. Sean Kenny, B.L. (instructed by Mr. D. G. O'Doovan, solr.), appeared for O'Grady.

After hearing evidence by Dillon that O'Grady had struck him with a stick on the date in question, and by O'Grady to the effect that the blow was by his fist and in self-defence, the Judge gave a decree for £5 with costs.

SOLICITOR WELCOMED

Judge Barra O Briain, this morning, at Limerick Circuit Court, extended a welcome to Mr. C. G. McCutcheon, solr., on his first appearance before him. He expressed the hope that he would see him often in the Court and the wish that his practice would be a successful and a long one.

Mr. McCutcheon returned appropriate thanks to his Lordship.

SHIPPING AT THE PORT