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drunk. I do not think that it was because Woodhouse Street was a Catholic area. If you go to the top bit of town that's a Catholic area but I was at the mouth of Woodhouse Street.

11. There is now produced and shown to me the statement of Reserve Constable Cornett dated 27 April 1997 containing page **9678**. She says that she had to shout at Dean and myself to prevent a fight. I cannot remember the officer shouting at us.
12. RC Cornett in her statement page **9678** refers to me having a green glass bottle in my hand. I was asked when interviewed, page **7196**, whether I was carrying a bottle whilst standing at the Land Rover and I replied, *"I can't remember if I had a bottle I don't think I did."*
13. When I was standing at the passenger's door of the police vehicle another man came and pulled open the driver's door and he was shouting at the driver Constable Neill. The man was saying, "Are you going to be sitting around." He was giving them a real bad time but I didn't know what he was talking about because I couldn't see anything from my side of the Land Rover. I thought this man was Catholic. I don't know why I thought he just looked like one, or it may have been something he said. He was 30 to 40 in a blue suit and a shirt and tie. It was nine years ago but at that time I assumed that's what they wore.
14. I let on that I was a Catholic too because he was a big lad and I thought he was going to cause an incident. I got the impression that he was going to punch me because he was in hysterics. He was shouting and running at the police officers.
15. I think that's when the fight started straight afterwards. There was then a confrontation at the back of the Land Rover with a different man. I cannot now recall if I thought he was Catholic or Protestant. I can't recall where this man came from. All I recall is going to the back of the Land Rover and getting my nose busted, I do not remember any conversation between me and this man.