

- witnessed Clayton involved in any disorder, but I do recollect seeing her wiping blood from the face of Stacey Bridgett.
27. I could not identify the males whom I had witnessed involved in the stamping actions around the head of the late Mr Hamill. As I have stated, my initial sighting was by way of a glance and once I detached myself from my attacker and started to run across the road, three offenders disappeared into the crowd. There were a number of males and females at the scene who were not actively involved in disorder but were either spectating or offering support by way of shouting and encouragement. At any given time, there were a number of fights ongoing across the junction.
 28. I would estimate from the time that the disorder commenced until the loyalist faction was dispersed was approximately one hour.
 29. I believe, in the circumstances, that I did everything that could reasonably be expected of me as a Police office in assisting to quell the general disorder. My colleagues and myself were heavily outnumbered and it was impossible to contain the situation. Trouble broke out unexpectedly, indeed almost spontaneously as the rival factions confronted each other. As stated, Protestants heavily outnumbered Catholics.
 30. I cannot be specific what action Constable **P40** took in attempting to quell the disorder as I was mostly involved with Constable Neill. Constable **P40** was the only member of the crew with a long armed firearm, namely a rifle, and I assume that he was somewhat restricted in what he could do as I would have expected him to remain close to the Land Rover to give cover for Constable Cornett. This Officer had to stay with the vehicle and it was she who radioed for the emergency services and Police reinforcements. I recall, at one point, shouting over to her to urgently request same but I think, at this time, she shouted that she had already done so.
 31. Once the disorder had been quelled, I was detailed to return to Portadown Police Station. I do not recall being debriefed before I left the Station to go home in and around 4.00 a.m.
 32. Later, under instruction, by way of telephone call, I returned to Portadown Police Station and it was at that time I was asked to provide a statement outlining what I had witnessed earlier in the town centre. I believe that this