

corner of the street and they walked away. I think I said something like "Did you get your claim?" and E said "That wasn't for that." That was it. It was never discussed one to one what the row was about; the split just came between both families.

- 7. I was aggrieved by D's claim because I assumed that it was for mental issues and I did not believe that there was anything mentally wrong with him because he had been knocked out during the fight. I thought maybe the girls could have been distressed as a result of the assault but not D. I accept now that as a victim of an assault he was probably entitled to make his claim; but at the time I was questioning whether he was making it for stress or mental injury following the incident.
- 8. The rift between us led to blows at one point. I was outside in the garden and D pulled up in a car, got out and stared at me. I think he had drink on him. I do not remember what exactly was said but there was a fight in the street between me and D. Neither of us was badly injured, it was just a bust up.
- 9. There was no police involvement as a result of this fight and neither of us sought legal advice or action. We have never reconciled since; if I see him now I do not speak to him.
- 10. The feud between us was never related to any suggestion that D may have been the cause of the fight or that he did not support Robert at the scene after the fighting had started. There has never been a thought in my head that D started the fight; I have always believed what they have told us.

SIGNED:

MARTIN CLEMENT HAMILL

Dated: