

Q. Did he get them? A. Yes.

Q. Did he pay for them? A. No.

Q. Were they charged? A. Yes.

Q. Who was it charged them? A. My father, I think.

Q. Do you make entries in this book? A. Yes.

Q. Look on the 4th of December and see if you see any entry? A. This is my writing with the indelible pencil.

Q. Is there any person else in the store but you and your father? A. There is my mother and my sister, but they very seldom charge anything. The first two entries on this page are by me, and then the entries down to Christie are by my father. Then the next entries are made by me down to the last entry, which is made by my father.

Q. Do you ever post into the book? A. No.

Q. Who does the posting? A. My father.

*Cross-examined by Mr. Cassels:—*

Q. Where is this shop of yours? A. In King Street, opposite the Opera House.

Q. What sized store is it? A. It used to be a double store; it is single now.

Q. Was it double in December? A. Yes, we had it all in one.

Q. With counters on each side? A. A counter in the centre reaching across, and two small counters along the sides.

Q. And where was your trying-on place? A. On the left hand side in the front of the shop behind the show window.

Q. What was there behind these counters? A. There were very short counters.

Q. What was there beyond the counter? A. Nothing but shoes on the side of the wall.

Q. Who attended the shop generally? A. I did, and my father.

Q. Who attended to your books? A. My father.

Q. How old are you? A. 18.

Q. 18 now? A. 19 in January.

Q. You recollect O'Neill coming in, do you? A. Yes.

Q. Anyone with him? A. No.

Q. Quite sure? A. Yes.

Q. Is your recollection on that as good as on what you have been telling us?  
A. Yes.

Q. Nobody else came in with Mr. O'Neill when he came into the store? A. Not that I remember of.

Q. Not a lady, at all events? A. No.

Q. Did not take his sister with him on that occasion? No.

Q. His sister was not there on that occasion? A. No.

Q. You would remember it if his sister was there on that occasion? A. I think he came in alone.

Q. You are quite positive she was not there? A. Yes.

Q. If you are mistaken on that you may have been dreaming about the conversation? A. I do not think so.

Q. You say O'Neill came in to get shoes for himself? A. It was not shoes, it was overshoes.

Q. Did he tell you he wanted overshoes when he went in? A. Yes.

Q. You or your father? A. It was me.

Q. What did he say to you? A. I forget the exact words. He asked for a pair of overshoes.

Q. For himself? A. Yes.

Q. Did he ask the price of them? A. I think so, I am not positive about it.

Q. You set him down to try them on, did you? A. Yes.

Q. Were you helping him to try them on? No.

Q. Who was? A. I do not know. I was not. I never saw anybody helping him.