

ROYAL COURT
(Samedi Division)

29

9th February, 1990

Before: The Bailiff, and
Jurats Lucas and Vibert

The Attorney General

- v -

Andrew Philip Stopher

Sentencing on guilty plea to
breaking and entering (5 counts);
illegal entry and larceny (2 counts);
larceny (2 counts); malicious damage
(2 counts); taking vehicle without
consent (5 counts); using uninsured vehicle
(4 counts).

Advocate C.E. Whelan, Crown Advocate,
Advocate M. St. J. O'Connell for the accused.

JUDGMENT

BAILIFF: Stopher, we are going to take a calculated risk with you. We hope that you are going to turn over a new leaf. We realise, Mr. Whelan, that this is creating some disparity between Louis and Stopher, but we think we are justified in doing it because Stopher is, we hope, now making a real attempt to change and one should

endeavour as far as possible to keep young people out of prison; and he is for purposes of the law a young person in that sense. We take into account that he has served four months on remand and also the recommendations in the Probation Report. Therefore, Stopher, you are sentenced on Count 1A to probation for a period of two years and you know what that means: to live and work as directed by the Probation Officer and to be of good behaviour and so on during that time; and in respect of all the other counts to which you pleaded guilty, you are sentenced to 240 hours Community Service concurrent with each other. We hope you have changed.

No authorities.