Second Witness L. 27404. Pte Dean. W.
2 Bn 1 CBRD after being duly sworn,
is examined by Defending Officer.-
On 14 Jul 43. the accused and I
arrived in Town 5.30 p.m. We had
nothing to eat before we went to Town.
We went to a wine shop. We drank
vin blanc, vin rouge, and then
muscatelle and vermouth. We drank
muscatelle and vermouth in different
places. We were 20-30 minutes in
first shop and approximately 1 hr
in second. I left the accused at
approx 7 p.m. We had been in three
wine shops together. When I left I went
to NAAFI to order lunch for 4 of us.
The two of us and two English sgts.
I left the accused because I was
getting hungry. I went on ahead to
get the lunch. The accused was still
drinking. I saw accused at
NAAFI about 8 p.m. He was
pretty drunk, knocked against a
Table and 2 MPs took him out.

Cross-examination by Prosecutor.

I've known accused 6 weeks.
We are in same unit, same platoon
slept in same Tent at Crookham.
Never been out with him before. I
didn't see accused after he left
NAAFI shop. I had had quite a few
drinks. About 6 in first shop.
Accused had same. I don't know
how many we had in second
shop approx same number. We
drank more in the third shop. I
left the third shop to order the lunch.
Wine shop was 4 blocks from
NAAFI. ~~[illegible]~~ Accused was fairly
drunk at third shop. I wasn't worried