

Q-52 Do I understand you to say that he has been connected with the transport?

A Since he joined the unit.

Q-53 Do you recall the date of 17 June 1943?

A I do.

Q-54 What was your duty that date?

A Transport Officer.

Q-55 What was your rank at that time?

A Lieutenant.

Q-56 What was the accused on that date?

A He was transport sgt. on that date.

Q-57 Will you tell the court the personnel of that section on that date?

A There were approximately 15 at that time.

Q-58 And who, if any person, was next to you in command?

A The accused was second in command of the transport.

Q-59 Who had authority to sign the necessary forms to allow a vehicle to be used on duty?

A Myself as Transport Officer, the accused, and the Cpl. Despatcher who was then Cpl. Junk; in the absence of these three, the Orderly Officer.

Q-60 So therefore you tell us the accused had the right to sign for vehicles to be used?

A At that time he did.

Q-61 Have you any documents to produce to this court?

A I have an extract here from our Regl Part II Orders No. 210, sheet No. 1, dated 6 September 1943, Sec. "B" para 1, under heading "Qualifications" referring to the accused. This is signed by D.B. Saul, Capt. and Adjutant, 1st Bn., Edmonton Fusiliers.

PROSECUTOR:--Will you offer that to the court as an exhibit?

PRESIDENT OF DEFENDING OFFICER:--Have you any objection?

DEFENDING OFFICER:--No objection.

Part II Orders, No. 210, Edmonton Fusiliers, 6 September 1943, is read, marked Exhibit "J" signed by the President, and attached to the proceedings.