

Question by the defense - 2

Q.- Was the night dark ?

A.- Yes sir.

Q.- How far away would you have to be to recognized anybody ?

A.- Two or three feet.

Q.- Were there many people along this road?

A.- Yes they were all making their way to the billets it was closing time of the pubs.

Q.- How many people were about at the scene of disturbance ?

A.- I would say about fourteen approximately.

Q.- How close to you was Pte. Morrison at the time of the fray ?

A.- I do not know.

Q.- Was he quite handy so that you could get your hand on him ?

A.- Yes sir.

Q.- You said you would have to be two or three feet from anybody to recognize him?

A.- Yes sir.

Q.-question by the court.

Q.- What place did you say you were when you saw these people ?

A.- I know only approximately.

EXAMINED Capt. J. S. Letourneau is sworn in.

The prosecutor reads the charge against the accused and proceeds to question the second witness.

Q.- Could you give the court your position in your regiment and tell the court what you know in this case ?

A.- I am Medical Officer of WEST HIGHLAND BATTALION. I examined Pte. Thibault and found he had sustained fracture of nasal bone, lacerations of both eyes, contusions of the face and minor abrasions all through the face. He was detained at the regimental aid post, his wounds dressed and returned to duty.

Q.- Could you tell the court as to what caused the injuries ?

A.- It could be caused by a blow, a blow by a solid object.

Q.- Could you tell by fists or foot ?

A.- Either one.

Q.- Will Pte. Thibault suffer any permanent injuries, ?

A.- No sir.

Defense declines to cross-examine the witness.