Q How did you detail personnel for that duty?

A I got a list of the personnel for the parade from the R.S.M. I phoned some Departments, I got in touch personally with the rest of the men who were in the Canteen or around the Hospital.

Q According to Orders, it was a coincidence that you happened to be the Orderly Sergeant as well as the Orderly N.C.O. on the 17th day of May, 1945?

A That is right, Sir.

Q So you were carrying out a dual job? I mean, you were a little busier than usual because you had to do two jobs?

A That is right, Sir.

Q Now, how did you advise Private Advent, if you advised him at all, that he was to be on parade during the afternoon of the 17th May?

A Through Private Hayhurst. He works at the Officers' Mess. I warned him for parade the following day. I also told him to warn Private Advent to be on parade at the same time.

Q What was Private Hayhurst doing at the time you warned him for this parade?

A Having a cup of coffee, Sir.

Q Was it during Canteen hours?

A Yes, Sir; between three and three-fifteen, Sir.

Q It was during a break?

A Yes, Sir.

Q Will you tell the Court exactly the instructions you gave Private Hayhurst concerning Private Advent?

A The best way I put it, Sir, I told Private Hayhurst to be on parade the following day at 1315 hours and also to tell Private Advent to be on parade at the same time, Sir.

Q Did you tell him what for?

A I couldn't really answer that truthfully what it was for. I just said he had to be on parade at 1315 hours outside the Q.M. Stores.

Q And you say you didn't state the reason for the parade?

A Just a parade outside the Q.M. Stores, Sir.

Q Would it usual, Sergeant Flynn, that when we have these parades they are for the purpose of training?

A Yes, Sir.

Q Were you under the assumption that this particular parade was also one for training?

A No, Sir; I knew the parade was for a clean-up parade around the Hospital.

Q But you told no one else about that? That is, you did not tell Private Hayhurst?

A I can't remember, Sir.