

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE IN THE CASE OF

No D62365 Cpl Albert Lagace, Fusiliers MONT ROYAL.

The Commanding Officer directs that the evidence be taken on oath.

First Witness for prosecution. D62359 Fusilier Alfred St Georges, Les Fusiliers Mont-Royal, Canadian Army Overseas, having been duly sworn, states :

At Hursley camp on Saturday or Sunday evening during Harlequin we went, Cpl Lagace, Ptes Rocheleau, Douaire & Nadan to Southampton. when we reached Southampton, Cpl Lagacé showed to Rocheleau & myself a wallet with a zipper. It was an old wallet. He said I have a pound to drink. We went to the Pub and drank.

Question : Was anything said when the wallet was showed by you or Rocheleau ?

Answer : No.

The accused declines to cross-examine this witness.

Second Witness for prosecution. D62037 Fusilier Claude Rocheleau, Les Fusiliers Mont-Royal, Canadian Army Overseas, having been duly sworn states :

At Hursley camp during Harlequin a Sunday we went to Southampton, Lagacé, St Georges, Douaire, Nadan and myself. On arrival there Douaire and Nadan left us. At 1900 hrs we went Lagacé, St Georges and myself to a Pub. Lagacé and myself had a pound each, St Georges was broke. After a few drinks Lagacé put his hand to his pocket and pulled out a wallet. He looked at it and said where is that from ? He opened it in my presence and what of St Georges. There were 2 ten shillings notes, an identity card of civilian life in Montreal, several papers of laundry. I recognized the photo that was on the identity card it was Prienere's photo. He said that is some more to drink. He then tore down one after the other the papers. St Georges and Lagacé then told me shut your mouth you are not supposed to have seen anything. We kept on drinking and came back to camp afterwards. The next morning he handed back the trousers to Prienere who asked him what he had done with his wallet. Lagacé answered I didn't see anything, there was nothing.

The accused declines to cross-examine this witness.