

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE in the case of E-6013 Bdr Romeo LACHANCE, on the strength of "F" Wing, No. 1 Canadian Artillery Reinforcement Unit, a soldier of the Canadian Army Overseas.

By direction of the Commanding Officer, the Summary of Evidence is taken on oath.

FIRST WITNESS  
for the  
prosecution

C-19669 Sjt Behan, J.W., on the strength of No. 1 Canadian Artillery Reinforcement Unit, having been duly sworn, states:

I am Sjt i/c Regimental Police at No. 1 C.A.R.U. On the morning of 16 Aug 44 at 0010 hrs, as a result of information received I proceeded to Block 7, St Lucia Barracks, in company with L/Bdr Alliban, R.W. and Gnr Latreille, J.B.A. On our arrival there we saw lights showing from this Block. Hearing voices we went into the Block. We went upstairs where we discovered a card game in progress. Several men were either seated or standing around a table in the washroom. There was money in front of a number of the players, and also a deck of cards on the table. I took the names of all present in this washroom. Bdr Lachance, whom I now recognize, was amongst those present. He had money on the table in front of him. I confiscated the deck of cards (marked Exhibit "A") and \$1/12/6 $\frac{1}{2}$  (marked Exhibit "B"), which sum of money was lying on the table.

"The above record is  
read to the witness"

The Accused declines to cross-examine this witness.

SECOND WITNESS  
for the  
prosecution

H-86560 L/Bdr Alliban, C.W., on the strength of No. 1 Canadian Artillery Reinforcement Unit, having been duly sworn, states:

I am a member of the Regimental Police at No. 1 C.A.R.U. At approximately 0010 hrs on 16 Aug 44, in company with Sjt Behan and Gnr Latreille, I went up to Block 7, St Lucia Barracks. We went upstairs and found a gambling game in progress in the washroom. There were a number of men around a table with cards and money on the table. We took the names of the men in this washroom. The men were ordered to their beds. Bdr Lachance, whom I now recognize, was one of those present in this washroom where the game was being held.

"The above record is  
read to the witness"

The Accused declines to cross-examine this witness.

THIRD WITNESS  
for the  
prosecution

C-19684 Gnr Latreille, J.B.A., on the strength of No. 1 Canadian Artillery Reinforcement Unit, having been duly sworn, states:

I am a member of the Regimental Police at No. 1 C.A.R.U. As a result of information received I went to Block 7, St Lucia Barracks, in company with Sjt Behan and L/Bdr Alliban. There were three lights not blacked out upstairs in this building. We went upstairs and entered the washroom, because we heard money rattling there. About eight men were either seated or standing around a table. Cards and money were on the table. Bdr Lachance, whom I now recognize, was seated at the table.

"The above record is  
read to the witness"

The Accused declines to cross-examine this witness.