

Q.21 Can you identify these?

A.21 Yes sir, they are my socks.

2 prs of Khaki and one pr of Gray socks marked Exhibit E and signed by the President.

Q.22 Can you identify this?

A.22 Yes sir, that is my dress shirt.

Khaki dress shirt marked Exhibit F and signed by the President.

Q.23 Are these the complete contents of the pack at the time it was stolen?

A.23 No sir,

Q.24 What is missing?

A.24 A Handkerchief, one towels, pair of shoe trees, 200 cigarettes and Holdall complete. That is what they let me have for my leave.

Q.25 Who let you have them?

A.25 The Sgt from the S.I.B. I forget his name.

Q.26 Why did he give you these?

A.26 They were the most essential things I needed for my leave.

Q.27 What is this?

A.27 It is a parcel containing 675 cigarettes.

Parcel containing 675 cigarettes is marked Exhibit G and signed by the President.

Q.28 Were there cigarettes in your pack which was stolen?

A.28 Yes sir.

Q.29 How many?

A.29 Approximately 1300 sir.

Q.30 You can positively identify these articles with the exception of the cigarettes as your property?

A.30 Yes sir.

Q.31 What time and date would it be when you missed your pack?

A.31 It was about 10 or 11 on the Monday night.

Q.32 Do you recall the date?

A.32 It would be about the 16th or 17th. 1943, I think.

Q.33 Were you present when this pack was opened by the Provost?

A.33 Yes sir, I was there.

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Cross examined by the Defence

Q.34 Is it not true that Norland took you up to the room to look for the missing pack after you had called at the locker room and prior to your going to the station to get the M.P.s?

A.34 We looked by his bed but we did not look through the room.

Q.35 You went to his room?

A.35 We went up to the room and you could see part of his bed from the hallway, I was never right in the room.

Q.36 When you met him in the canteen and inquired about the pack did he not say there was an extra pack in his room and he was not sure who it belonged to?

A.36 He said that he woke up in the morning with a pack, most of the things he did say were kind of mumbled and you could hardly understand it.

Q.37 Did he mention your name in connection with the pack?

A.37 He did not know my name then sir.

Q.38 Can you prove that the pack and articles in it were in your possession when you went on leave?

A.38 Well a couple of dozen went on leave with me sir, and they say it

Q.39 Have you any means of proving you had that quantity of cigarettes when you went on leave?

A.39 Yes sir, I have.

Q.40 How?

A.40 You have to sign your name and I had received a thousand that morning and I had 500 in the pack previous.

In the opinion of the court and the judge advocate it is not necessary to comply with the provisions of R.P. 63(b)

THE WITNESS WITHDRAWS

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