

Q.189 How many times have you been across the border?  
 A.189 Quite a number of times, sir.

Q.190 Is there any formality about going across the border?  
 A.190 No sir, just a pass.

Q.191 You don't know of any place where there are guards on the border, do you - down Meppen way?  
 A.191 I don't know sir.

Q.192 You have never been down there yourself?  
 A.192 No sir. I've never been down that way.

Q.193 This not taking your wedding presents down - that's what Captain Jessop said you could go for, wasn't it?  
 A.193 Yes, he said the next day I could take that stuff down.

Q.194 Did you ever mention this to anybody else before - the second trip?  
 A.194 Yes, we went down the following day on a 72-hour pass.

Q.195 But the purpose of this first vehicle was to take your wedding gifts down.  
 A.195 No sir, we took them down the next day.

Q.196 Yes, but you asked for a vehicle to take them down and he said to go and see Corporal Tengum about it.  
 A.196 I asked him about the gifts and he started to talk about the tires and I went over and got Tengum and brought him back.

Q.197 This jeep was arranged on the day you took the tires down?  
 A.197 Yes sir.

Q.198 Now, Corporal Tengum states it was after you were in Captain Jessop's room that he said he had missed out on a weekend and he would like a car to take him down. He states that is the reason for the trip - the second trip - to get him down on his weekend.

President: Just a minute. I don't think that was introduced in evidence.

Def Offr: Yes sir it was.

JA: Yes, but not in the way you put it.

Def Offr: I'm sorry if I've offended.

President: Would you just read that part back please?

Question and Answer 34 are read back by the shorthand writer.

The Defending Officer continues with the cross-examination of the witness:

Q.199 Now you have just heard that evidence read back. The reason Captain Jessop gave him permission to take the jeep was because he had missed his weekend. Now, was there any talk at that time about your wedding gifts?

A.199 Only it was an understood matter that I would take them. I thought it was understood that the jeep would go again the next day.

Q.200 Did Captain Jessop say this; that - "Tengum, you've got to take De Bartok down to take his wedding gifts so you might as well take the jeep"?

A.200 I don't believe so.

Q.201 But when you went down the next day, you went down together?  
 A.201 Yes sir.

Q.202 Captain Jessop didn't give you any tires to take down to