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Are you familiar with the account of Major Mitchell?
A. I am.

Q. Have you the original of his account with you and a certified copy of that account?
A. Yes.

Certified copy of the account produced, marked "L" signed by the President and attached to the proceedings.

Q. You swear that is a correct true copy of the account?
A. Yes.

Q. When was his account opened?
A. On 29 Apr 42.

Q. What is the original entry?
A. April pay amounting to £19.4.9.

Q. The account then shows debits and credits until when?
A. The last entry was on 27 Aug 42 which is interest on overdraft.

Q. Will you tell the Court what his account discloses on 6 Jun 42?
A. On 6 Jun 42 there was a credit balance of £14.8.7.

Q. What did the next entry disclose?
A. After payment of sundry cheques the account ran down on 18 Jun to a credit balance of £0.18.7. Between that date and 30 Jun no entries were charged or credited until receipt of his Jun pay on 30 Jun.

Q. How much?
A. £13.6.9.

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Q. Then what does the account disclose?
A. Sundry cheques were paid and on 3 Jul the balance ran down to £0.15.4 On 6 Jul we allowed it to be overdrawn to the extent of £4.4.8.

Q. Was that done by way of agreement or as courtesy?
A. Courtesy.

Q. Did the bank at any time make any agreement providing for overdrafts?
A. It was discussed on the 6 Jul with our Manager. We agreed to allow the account to become overdrawn to the extent of £30 that month, that is Jul 42 and £15 during the month of August.

Q. How much was the account overdrawn at that time?
A. The account was overdrawn in Jul on 14 Jul to the extent of £31.1.2. That is the maximum overdraft.

Q. When did the overdraft reach that?
A. 14 July.

Q. When did that begin to accumulate?
A. On 6 Jul we allowed it to become £4.4.8 overdrawn. Later that day under agreement it was increased to £19.4.8. Further cheques were paid on 7 Jul 42 which increased it to £29.1.2 and on 14 Jul 42 to £31.1.2 which was the maximum.

Q. Does it remain in that position today?
A. On 31 Jul we received pay amounting to £19.8.2 thereby reducing it to £11.13.0.

Q. As that continued as an overdraft until the present?
A. £14.15.6 is the present balance.