

*Arthur J. Pittman* B2  
*May 1942*

CHARGE SHEET

The accused, Number D-63456, Private Francis Vachon, Regiment de la Chaudiere, Reinforcement on the strength of 3 Canadian Divisional Infantry Reinforcement Unit, a soldier of the Canadian Army (Overseas), is charged with

FIRST CHARGE  
SEC. 9(2) A.A.

When on Active Service, Disobeying a lawful command given by his superior officer

in that he

at Haig Lines, Church Crookham, Hants, on 29 July 1942, when ordered by his superior officer, Cpl Racine, to "join in the drill" refused to do so.

SECOND CHARGE  
SEC. 18(1) A.A.

When on Active Service, Malingering

in that he

at Haig Lines, Church Crookham, Hants, on the 29th day of July 1942, with intention of evading duty as a soldier, claimed physical incapacity.

THIRD CHARGE  
ALTERNATIVE  
SEC. 18(1) A.A.

When on Active Service, Feigning infirmity

in that he

at Haig Lines, Church Crookham, Hants, between the 23rd and 31st of July 1942, pretended to the Medical Officer in charge of troops, that he was suffering articulatory and muscular troubles in the right leg and lower dorsal region bringing about a pronounced limp and considerable reduction of movement in the lower limbs.

*J. Morgan* Lieut.-Col.  
(W.E. MORGAN) R. 22e R.  
Officer Commanding,  
8th Brigade Wing, 3 C.D.I.R.U.

Dated at Haig Lines,  
Church Crookham, Hants,  
England, this 5th day  
of August 1942.

To be tried by Field General Court Martial

Ewshot, Hants.  
7th August 1942

*H. Lefevre*  
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(H. Lefevre) Brigadier  
Commander  
"D" Group, Cdn. Reinf. Units