Two nights later at approx 2000 hours the male civilian came to the Sgts Quarters and told the Sgt Interpreter that the two men who were in their house at midnight of May 8th were at present in the area of their home and wanted us to accompany him back.
When myself, Sgt Foulds and the SgtInterpreter arrived there we found F-51171 Pte Hogan C.B. and a few moments later H- 42331 Pte Dwinski appeared. The civilians were quite definite in their identification of Pte Hogan as being the man who had entered the houseand that Pte Dwinski had not entered the house but had stayed outside. Among things we were told had been taken from the house were three typewriters, one had been returned, one was a black Erica, one a small red or maroon one. One Lieca camera, a man's wedding ring and a chain bracelet. After hearing the story I placed both men under arrest.

The accused declined to question the witness.

H45505 C.S.M. McLean, W.P.

The accused was warned as follows.

Q. Do you wish to make any statement or to give evidence upon oath? You are not obliged to say anything or give evidence unless you wish to do so,but whatever you say or any evidence you give will be taken down in writing and may be given in evidence.

A. I wish to make a statement on oath.

STATEMENT BY THE ACCUSED

F-51171 Pte Hogan C.B. having been duly sworn states.

"I was not out of my quarters on the evening of 8th May 45 and wish to call L-107996 Cpl Halverson as a witness on my behalf.

C.B. Hogan

FIRST WITNESS DEFENCE

L-107996 Cpl Halverson, H.G.S. having been duly sworn states.

I am L- 107996 Cpl Halverson H.G.S. Section Comdr No 1 section No 4 Platoon. Pte Hogan C.B. is a member of my section. At approx 2200 hours8th May 45 Pte Hogan was in his quarters pressing his clothes.After he pressed his clothes he went to bed. He was in bed when I retired at approx 2400 hours.

The accused declined to question the witness.

A.E.L. Halverson
L- 107996 Cpl Halverson H.G.S

I certify that the foregoing summary of evidence consisting of three pages, was taken down by me in the presence of the accused and that R.P. 4 (C),(D),(E) and (F) have been complied with.

(A.E. Ferguson) A/Capt.
B.Coy Lake Sup. H.P.