

The accused Sullivan was bulletted in the sigs building. I was in camp bulletted. I have known the accused Sullivan for approx 5 months and the accused Laplace about the same length of time. It is approx 150\* from the bullet of the accused Laplace to that of Sgt Lamborne. I do not know if Laplace left the sigs room from the time he entered as stated in my evidence until the time he left with the accused Sullivan. To my knowledge the accused Sullivan had not been drinking that night.

R.P. 13 (B) complied with.

Second Witness for Defence.

C 48832 Sgt Summons E. G. swears states.

On the evening of 14 Feb 45 I was on guard duty as a DR and my post was in the Sigs Room in the Colonial Barracks. I arrived at the post at approx 1800 hrs. I sat there for approx half an hr when Sgt Sullivan entered. I asked him to play crib but he stated he was going out that evening, he cleaned up and before he left he told me to tell the accused Laplace that he would be back at 2000 hrs to pick him up. The accused Laplace came in and I gave him the message and shortly later the accused Sullivan came in, I finished my duties at 2200 hrs and then retired to my billets. When the accused Sullivan entered the room at 1830 he had issue rum in a cup.