

Summary of EVIDENCE in the case of B.72552 Pte. Craig, D.

By direction of the Commanding Officer, the Summary of Evidence is taken on oath:

1st Witness
for Prosecution

B.73384 Cpl. SPROULE, K.R., 48th Highlanders of Canada, having been duly sworn, states:

"I raffled a men's toilet set off in my platoon, that is No.7 Pl. "A" Company, at LOWER KINGSWOOD, Surrey, on 31 Dec 40. B.73887 Pte. Davie of "A" Company won it. He sold the case to B.73999 Pte. Little, also of "A" Company. Pte. Little reported the set missing next day.

K.R. Sproule . . . Cpl.
(B.73384 Cpl. K. Sproule)

The Accused declines to cross-examine the witness.

2nd Witness
for Prosecution

B.73887 Pte. DAVIE, G., 48th Highlanders of Canada, having been duly sworn, states:

"I won a toilet set, which was raffled off by Cpl. Sproule of our platoon, on 31 Dec 40 at about 1400 hrs. About half an hour afterwards I sold it to Pte. Little."

G. Davie . . . Pte.
(B.73887 Pte. G. Davie)

The Accused declines to cross-examine the witness.

3rd Witness
for Prosecution

B.73999 Pte. LITTLE, G.G., 48th Highlanders of Canada, having been duly sworn, states:

"I bought a toilet set from Pte. Davie at about 1400 hrs on 31 Dec 40. I left it on my bed that evening and went out. When I arrived back on the following evening the toilet case was missing from my bed."

G.G. Little . . . Pte.
(B.73999 Pte. G.G. Little)

4th Witness
for Prosecution

B.72663 Cpl. PEDDLE, W.M., 48th Highlanders of Canada, having been duly sworn, states:

"Pte. Relf of No.7 Platoon told me that his brother L/Cpl. Relf of "HQ" Coy wanted to see me in connection with a toilet set which had been missing from "A" Company, and possibly stolen. Lieut. Parker and myself interviewed L/Cpl. Relf, and Pte. D. Bain at R.Q.M. Stores, in this matter on 8 Jan 41. L/Cpl. Relf stated that the Accused had been around the Q.M. Stores trying to raffle off a toilet set, the description of which, fitted the set stolen from Pte. Little of "A" Company. Pte. Bain, driver in Q.M. Stores, reported the case as found in the back of his truck, and that Pte. Craig had tried to claim it as being his own. L/Cpl. Relf said that Pte. Craig stated that a man in "A" Company had won it in a raffle. When questioned in front of the men of No.7 Platoon, "A" Company, the Accused admitted raffling the toilet set.

W. Peddle . . . Cpl.
(72663 Cpl. W. Peddle)