

Q.322 But he states that he never took the wedding presents down
that day. Can you give us any reason why he shouldn't?
A.322 No reason whatsoever.

Q.323 Can you give any reason why Tengum might want to go down?
A.323 No reason why he wanted to go down, no.

Q.324 Did you have any other drivers available in the company that
could have driven him down?
A.324 We had six vehicles in the squadron and I may have picked any
number of drivers but as I pointed out before the vehicles
are allotted to drivers and those drivers are who drove those
vehicles.

Def Offr: Since my friend has introduced what I judge - the judge
advocate advised that it be admissible - I would like to
find out now if my friend is going to call Colonel Paradis
as he indicated to me that he would and as Colonel Paradis
was here all day, to put in this evidence about the crossing
of the border - I mean we have new evidence of an order
pertinent to crossing the border and we have now heard evidence
about buckshee jeeps. There now, is what I was afraid off
from the beginning.

Pros: No, excuse me Mister President, the Prosecution is quite
agreeable to bringing the AQ, Colonel Paradis in as the
Defence hopes and as I imagine is correct, to prove that
practically throughout the Canadian Army Occupation Force
it was consistent throught to steal them and sell these
buckshee vehicles. The Prosecution is not trying to
show that Captain Jessop was guilty of holding buckshee
vehicles in access of his establishment and the - after the
Routine Order requiring buckshee vehicles to be turned in
was published.

Def Offr: That's all that I'm interested in; that in the early part
of March there was an order which required buckshee equipment
to be turned in and no questions would be asked.

JA: The Court accepts this order because it might be helpful to
prove a certain course of conduct in trying to go over the
border to sell the jeeps.

Def Offr: I am bowing to the ruling.

JA: That has been exhibited for that reason. There is no question
of buckshee jeeps.

Def Offr: Excuse me sir, my friend, I'm sure you will agree, he brought
it out when he asked what type of vehicle he sent Tengum in
to Holland.

JA: He can do that on cross-examination.

The Defending Officer declines to re-examine the witness:

The witness is questioned by the President:

Q.325 Can you give me any reason why both Corporal De Bartok and
Corporal Tengum reported to you in your room?
A.325 No, I can give you no reason other than probably Tengum drove
De Bartok over and they both came in.

The witness is questioned by the Court:

Q.326 What happened to the old tires in your squadron?
A.326 The old tires were put in the tire dump.

Q.327 Would it have been reported to you within a reasonable time
if four tires had been taken out and sold?
A.327 No, there was never any very close check on any tires or
equipment.