

*Exhibit A*

*D. J. M.*

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE

Summary of evidence in the case of:

P-17117 Pte GYNES, W.A., Cdn Pro Corps  
12 C.B.R.Bn - 2 C.B.R.Gp.

A soldier of the Canadian Army Overseas.

The Commanding Officer directs that the evidence be taken under oath.

First witness - Capt L.B. Skinner, Adjt 12 CBRBn, 2 CBRGp  
for the having been duly sworn states:-

Prosecution:-

I am Capt L.B. Skinner, Adjt 12 CBRBn, 2 CBRGp and present - EXHIBIT "A" - a Copy of Part II Order No 29A dated 18 Aug 44, X List Canadian Provost Corps showing P-17117 Pte GYNES, W.A. as AWL from 1130 hrs 9 Jun 44 until his return at 1830 hrs 27 Jul 44.

*L.B. Skinner*  
.....Capt  
(L. B. SKINNER)

THE ACCUSED DECLINES TO CROSS- EXAMINE THE WITNESS.

The accused was cautioned as follows:-

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.

The accused declines to give evidence or make a statement and reserves his defence.

I certify that the foregoing Summary of evidence consisting of 2 pages was taken down by me in the presence of the accused and that R.P. 4 (C) (D) (E) & (F) have been complied with.

*G. H. McManus*

(G. H. McMANUS) Capt  
Officer taking summary of  
evidence.  
12 CBRBn - 2 CBRGp.

In the Field  
22 Aug 44