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Army Form A.3. *John P. Pettapiece*
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**Form for Assembly and Proceedings of Field
General Court Martial on Active Service.**

PROCEEDINGS.

A.

On Active Service, this seventh day ^{Order convening the Court.}
of August, 1942

Whereas it appears to me, the undersigned, an officer in Command of "D" Group, Canadian Reinforcement Units, Canadian Army (Overseas), on active service, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, being subject to Military Law, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned.

And whereas I am of opinion that it is not practicable that such offences should be tried by an ordinary General Court Martial; ~~and that it is not practicable to delay the trial for reference to a superior qualified officer;~~

*Omit where Convening Officer is a Commanding Officer or is of Field Rank.

I hereby convene a Field General Court Martial to try the said persons, and to consist of the Officers appointed or detailed hereunder.

- ~~I am unable to appoint:—~~
~~(1) Three Officers to form the Court.)~~
~~(2) A Field Officer as President.)~~

~~for the following reasons, namely:—]~~

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John P. Pettapiece
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Note.—The President must be named. The members and waiting members (if any) may be mentioned by name, or the number and ranks and the unit to which they belong may alone be named. In the latter event, the ranks, names, &c., of the members of the court, as constituted, will be recorded on the proceedings.

* Must be signed personally by the Officer actually in command at the time, and all alterations in the composition of the Court to be initialed by him.

Rank.	Name.	Regiment.
Major	A.S. Pettapiece	CHOF(MG) 1 CMBW

Rank.	Name.	Regiment.
A Captain	From	1 C.M.G.S.U.
A Lieutenant	From	1 C.M.G.S.U.
A Lieutenant	From	1 C.M.G.S.U.

*Signed *[Signature]* Brigadier
Commanding 7th Group, Cdn Rein Units
Convening Officer.