

Q. 10 Have you any other documents to produce?

R. 10 Yes. I produce M.F.M. 216, Certificate of Apprehension by or Surrender to Service authorities, in which it is stated that D. 620302, Cpl. Decoste, Aime surrendered to D-117560, A/Cpl. Shirley, S. No. 4 District Depot Police, at Montreal South, Que., at 0045 hours on the 11th day of January 1944.

Q. 11 Who is the person referred to in this document?

R. 11 The accused, Sir.

M.F.M. 216, Certificate of Apprehension by or Surrender to Service authorities, in the case of D. 620302, Cpl. Decoste, Aime, is read, marked "J", signed by the president and attached to the proceedings.

L'officier défendeur ne désire pas transquestionner le témoin.

De l'avis de la Cour, il n'est pas nécessaire de se conformer à la R. de P. 83(B).

Le témoin se retire.

DEUXIEME TEMOIN  
POUR LA POURSUITE

D. 115037, Sergeant P.G. Hanson, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, attached to No. 4 District Depot, C.A. étant dûment assermenté est interrogé par le procureur.

Q. 12 Will you tell the Court, your number, name, unit and attachment?

R. 12 D. 115037, P.G. Hanson, Sergeant, Army Service Corps.

Q. 13 Where are you attached?

R. 13 No. 4 District Depot, C.A.

Q. 14 Do you know the accused?

R. 14 (pointing to the accused) I Do, Sir.

Q. 15 Can you describe him?

R. 15 I recognize the accused as D. 620302, Corporal Aime Decoste, Fusiliers Mont Royal, C.A., attached to No. 4 District Depot, C.A.

Q. 16 What evidence have you to offer to the Court, in connection with a charge of absence without leave against the accused?

R. 16 I am the N.C.O. in charge of drafts in "D" Wing of No. 4 District Depot, C.A., Montreal South, Que. On the morning of the 16th of December, 1943, at 0730 hours, I called the roll. The accused, whose name appeared on the roll failed to answer his name on this roll-call.

Q. 17 What action did you take then?