

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE

in the case of

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PRES. D.C.M.

B-139102, Private A.J. Gosleigh, A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A. Camp Borden, Ontario, a General Service soldier of the Canadian Army placed on Active Service, charged with:-

(I) ABSENCE WITHOUT LEAVE

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The accused's rights in respect to a Summary of Evidence are explained to him.

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

FIRST WITNESS

B-81255 Private (L/Cpl) M. Lococo, of No. 2 Company, A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A., having been duly sworn states:-

"I am a Private acting L/Cpl. for No. 2 Company, A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A., Camp Borden, Ontario. On 27th September 1943 I was an acting N.C.O. of No. 5 Company A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A. to which the accused belongs. I identify the accused to be the person who was absent without leave from 0530 hours, 27th September 1943 until apprehended by No. 31 Company, Canadian Provost Corps at 1115 hours, 23rd February 1944 at Oshawa, Ontario, and referred to in the following documents now shown to me".

- (a) M.F.B. 375 dated 19 October 43
- (b) M.F.M. 216 dated 23 February 44
- (c) M.F.B. 1481 dated 24 February 44

The above mentioned documents are read over to the accused and marked Exhibits "A", "B", and "C" respectively.

The accused declines to cross examine the witness.

*M. Lococo*  
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B-81255 M. Lococo, L/Cpl.  
A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A.

QUESTION TO THE ACCUSED

"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".

ANSWER BY THE ACCUSED

"I have nothing to say".

*A.J. Gosleigh*  
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B-139102 A.J. Gosleigh, Private  
A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A.

The accused declines to call any witnesses on his own behalf.

Rules of Procedure 4(c) (d) (e) and (f) have been complied with.

Taken down by me in the presence of the accused at Camp Borden, Ontario, this 24th day of February 1944.

*W. Bird*  
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(W.K. Bird) Lieut.,  
A-19 C.A.S.C. T.C., G.A.,  
Officer detailed to take  
the Summary of Evidence.