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Proceedings on Plea of Guilty

*To be struck out
in case no plea of
"Not Guilty" has
been proceeded
with.

*[The Court having been re-opened, the accused is again brought
before it, and the charge to which he has pleaded "Guilty" read
to him again.]

The accused *D 62254 Pte Foucher A (7 M.R.)*
is found guilty of *all charges*

*The summary (or abstract) of evidence is read, marked
signed by the President, and attached to the proceedings.

Question to the
accused.

Do you wish to make any statement in mitigation of punishment?

Answer.

The accused in mitigation of punishment says:—

Defending officer on behalf of accused states.
[or hands in a written statement, which is read, marked , signed by
the President, and attached to the proceedings.]

*Accused has had considerable illness during
past year. Was returned to field from
Reinforcement unit, not completely cured.
Was then employed in transport but later
removed. Due to poor health and pain man
felt he could not stand parades. Under stress
of this he went A.W.O. While A.W.O. man
visited civilian doctor and was told he needed
an operation. Pleads with Court to consider
man's poor health in awarding sentence.*

Instruction.

* If there is no summary or abstract of evidence, sufficient evidence to enable the
Court to determine the sentence, and to enable the confirming officer to know all the
circumstances connected with the case, will be taken on a separate sheet in the same
manner as on a plea of "Not Guilty."

If from the statement of the accused, or from the summary or abstract of evidence,
or otherwise, it appears to the Court that the accused did not understand the effect of
his plea of "Guilty," the Court shall alter the record, and enter a plea of "Not Guilty,"
and proceed with the trial accordingly.