

I also produce M.F.B. 1482, Certificate of Incidental Expenses incurred by the escort while apprehending the accused.

M.F.B. 1482, is read, marked Exhibit "I", signed by the President and attached to the proceedings.

I also produce, M.F.B./375, Record of the Declaration of a Court of Inquiry assembled at Fredericton, N.B. to investigate the illegal absence of the accused.

M.F.B. 375, is read, marked Exhibit "J", signed by the President and attached to the proceedings.

THE DEFENDING OFFICER DECLINES TO CROSS-EXAMINE THIS WITNESS.

IN THE OPINION OF THE COURT IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO COMPLY WITH RULE OF PROCEDURE 83 (B).

WITNESS WITHDRAWS.

Second Witness
for
the prosecution

G-23412 Sergeant H. K. CRAIK, No. 70 Canadian Army (Basic) Training Centre, C.A. being duly sworn, is examined by the prosecutor.

- Q.8 Will you tell the Members of the Court, in your own words, just who you are?
A.8 G-23412 Sergeant H. K. Craik of No. 1 Platoon, "A" Company, No. 70 Canadian Army (Basic) Training Centre.
- Q.9 In your own words do you know the accused?
A.9 I do.
- Q.10 Will you just tell the Court who the accused is?
A.10 Barrio, J.
- Q.11 Would you give your evidence as to just what you know about this affair of Barrio, J.?
A.11 Approximately 1315 hours on the 9-2-42 the accused, Barrio, J., was reported to me as being absent on the afternoon parade of that date. He was absent as long as I was with that platoon. I was transferred to No. 3 Platoon, "A" Company and he was still absent until he was reported to me of being absent 24-4-42.

BY THE COURT.

- Q.12 Did you say Sergeant Craik it was reported to you that Barrio was absent?
A.12 Yes, Sir. I also did not see him on that afternoon parade.