

Sworn Statement by H26451 Sgt. Nyslop J.

I, H26451 Sgt. Nyslop J. 10th Cdn. Arm. Regt. am employed as Sgt. Major of "B" Coy.

On the 4th Dec 1944 at 1300 hrs. having no pressing duties in our immediate area I decided to go to Lumbout and take care of some incidental business which I had previously been unable to attend to. On the way down I stopped off at No. 3 C.C.S. to visit Sgt.

Hogan C.K. a former member of our Coy. I brought him some cigarettes and some of his belongings. From there I proceeded to Fort Lumbout to see if there was a chance of getting back the "B" Coy. trailer which S.E.M. Miller had taken with him to 2 C.A.B. Battle Study Group. I had agreed while in the Lumbout area to purchase some liquor

for various members of the Coy. ^{arranged that some Christmas presents through Post Channels} ^{and had not time to go to the arrangements for buying}

On arriving at Lumbout I saw ~~Simon~~ ^{Simon} ~~to the 10th Cdn. General Hospital~~ ^{who had come along with me from Balgoin, to the 10th Cdn. General Hospital} where Nursing Sister Pantin, an acquaintance of his, invited us in to the Officers Mess for a drink.

My second driver Sgt. Guzman ^{and I} accepted one drink each and then and then left to attend to our business. We bought three bottles of Cognac, but the price was too high

so I decided to go in to Antwerp where prices were more reasonable. I visited S.E.M. Miller at the Battle School. He suggested that I come back later to look things over so I delayed not "making stop." We went to the hospital where Pantin invited us to stay