Production of Documents

President :- "Certain documents will now be produced by the prosecuting officer under oath."

Prosecuting Officer having been duly sworn states :-
"I wish to produce the following documents which copies I have personally checked against the original documents

(a) Medical certificate as to physical fitness of accused
(b) Certified true copy of the M.F.M.6 belonging to accused.
(c) Statement as to character and particulars of service of the accused.

Statement by the Defending Officer in mitigation of punishment

"I wish to state that the accused is very young. He is at present only 20 years of age after having served for four years in the Canadian Active Army. He has been under the influence of several poor companions. In addition to this he was under the influence of liquor that evening and was not entirely responsible for anything he might have done. He was under a certain amount of strain due to present circumstances. The accused also wished me to say that if he was found guilty he wished to regain his unit as soon as possible so that he might fight for the cause on which it is now embarking."

Taken down by me, this 29th day of June 1943.

J. A. Wood Captain
2 Cdn R.A.A. Regt.