

Q Who spoke?

A R.S.M. Lloyd.

Q And what did he say?

A I believe his words were - 'I am instructing you, Private Advent, to report for duty', or words to that effect.

Q Do you think that the occupant of the room, if any, could hear the order?

A I would say Yes, Sir.

Q Well, was the order spoken in a tone of voice that could be heard?

A Yes, Sir.

Q Did you hear any reply?

A No, Sir.

Q What did you do then?

A I went to the outside of the Building, to the window of the Steward's room.

Q When you say the Steward's, are you referring to the accused.

A I am calling it the Steward's room -- I don't know whether it is called the Steward's room or not. It is the room where R.S.M. Lloyd was outside the door.

Q Well now, who occupied that room? Do you know who occupied that room?

A Well, normally I would say the Steward of the Mess, Sir.

Q How long did it take you to go from your position at the door to the window?

A Oh, I would say about a minute.

Q Did you look in the window?

A Yes, Sir.

Q Did you see anyone in the room?

A Yes, Sir; Private Advent.

Q That is the accused, is it?

A Yes, Sir.

Q What was the accused doing in the room?

A When I looked in the window he was coming towards the window, Sir.

Q Did you see anyone else in the room?

A No, Sir.

Q Was the window open or closed?

A The window was open a little, Sir.

Q How many windows were there?

A Just the one that I was at, that I know of.