

Ex. A

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE
in the Case of
B-32258 Sigm. White, S.
3rd Cdn Medium Regt Sig Sect
taken under oath, by order of
Lt.-Col. W. J. Brigger,
Commanding Officer.

FIRST WITNESS: D-116338 Sgt. Jaffee, M., 3 Cdn Med Regt Sig Sec, states:

I, Morris Jaffee, do solemnly promise and declare that the evidence which I shall give shall be the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth.

On 26 Dec 43 at approximately 2200 hrs I returned to my billets when I discovered that the exchange operator had not been relieved since 0800 hrs that morning. I ordered Sigm White, who was to go on duty at the exchange at 2400 hrs, to relieve the operator immediately. Sigm White replied that he was due to go on at 2400 hrs and "would go on when he bloody well pleased" or words to that effect. I ordered Sigm White to go twice more saying that if he refused to go he would be placed under arrest. Sigm White still refused to go and I placed him under open arrest. Sigm White then used profane, threatening and insubordinate language saying "You go and fuck yourself", "I ought to punch you", "If you were big enough, you'd take it", "I'm going to punch you on the nose". I then told him that if he persisted in his language I would place him under close arrest. He replied, "I would like to see you do it" or words to that effect. I then left the room and fell in two men, Sigm Eagles and Sigm Chamberlain, took them upstairs and ordered them to take White into custody. White refused to go saying, "I'd like to see you try and take me". Cpl. Clark spoke to the accused and told him to go quietly; White still refused, saying to Cpl. Clark, "Don't touch me". I then fell in two more men, Sigm Brousseau and Sigm Anheliger, and ordered them to assist the other two to take White away. White still refused to go, upon which, I gave him one minute to either go with them or be carried by force. At the expiration of the minute I told White that he would either walk or be carried away. White replied, "You God damn bloody Kid, it'll be the day I'll take orders from you", and further abusive and insubordinate statements. He then went, escorted by the guards, to the guardroom. Sigm White did not appear to be drunk and in my opinion was not drunk.

D-116338 Sgt. Jaffee, M.
(D-116338 Sgt. Jaffee, M.)

The accused declines to cross examine this witness.

SECOND WITNESS: B-32253 Cpl. Clark, F., 3 Cdn Med Regt Sig Sec, having been duly sworn states:

On 26 Dec 43, at approximately 2230 hrs I was in the room with White. Sgt. Jaffee came into the room and ordered White to get ready to go to the exchange. White refused to go. Sgt. Jaffee told him to go again. White replied that he would go when he was fucking well supposed to go. Sgt. Jaffee told him that if he did not go he would place him under close arrest. I then left the room. I came back about two minutes later and saw that Sigm Eagles and Sigm Chamberlain were there as escorts to take White to the guardroom. White was refusing to go. I tried to persuade him to go quietly - he told me "Keep your hands off me". I then left the room. I know White had been drinking that night, but in my opinion he was not drunk.

B-32253 Cpl. Clark, F.
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The accused declines to cross examine this witness.