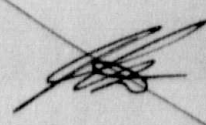


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Finding*

*To be struck except in cases where trial has taken place on a plea of "Not Guilty."

The Court is closed for the consideration of the finding.
The Court find that the accused



*When the Court is already open this sentence will be struck out.

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~~The Court being re-opened, the accused is again brought before it.~~

Evidence of character, etc.

Lieut. T.T. Ahearn,
A.21 C.O.C.T.C., C.A., is duly sworn.

Question by the President.

Q.8 Have you any evidence to produce as to the character and particulars of service of the accused? *Answer by the Witness.* Yes, I produce MFB.355 and MFM.6

The above statements [with the schedule of convictions and of cases in which trial has been dispensed with] ^{are} read, marked Y & Z, signed by the President, and annexed to the proceedings.

Question by the President.

Q.9 Is the accused the person named in the statements which you have heard read? *Answer by the Witness.* Yes, sir.

Question.

Q.10 Have you compared the contents of the above statements with the regimental books? *Answer.* Yes, sir.

Question.

Q.11 Are they true extracts from the regimental books, and is the statement of entries in the conduct sheets a fair and true summary of those entries? *Answer.* Yes, sir.

[Instruction.—If by reason of the nature of the service of the accused in a departmental corps, or otherwise, the finding of the Court renders him liable to any exceptional punishment in addition to that to be awarded by the Court the prosecutor must call the attention of the Court to the fact, and the Court must inquire into the nature and amount of that additional punishment.]

~~Cross-examined by the Defending Officer (accused) (Counsel for the accused).~~

~~The Defending Officer declines to cross-examine.~~

In the opinion of the Court it is not necessary to comply with R.P.83(B).

The witness resumes his seat.

Question to the accused.

Q.12 Do you wish to address the Court? Yes, sir.

(see document marked "U")

Answer.

The Court is closed for the consideration of the sentence.