

Q. Was there sufficient room in that slit trench to clean a rifle?

A. There was room to clean it if I sat down.

Q. Why didn't you sit down.

A. I was sitting down.

Q. What was your first action in cleaning the rifle.

A. I took the mag off.

Q. Did you get the mag off.

A. No.

Q. Which hand was on the mag.

A. Left.

Q. Where was the right

A. In the trigger guard.

Re-exam Def

Q. How long had you had your rifle before the accident.

A. 4 or 5 days

Q. Had you fired it before going into action.

A. Yes sir

Q. Was the trigger pressure light

A. It was lighter than the rifle I was used to.

Q. When you were attempting to remove the mag, did you jerk the rifle down

A. I think I did

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Sheet II

Q. Have you ever been tried by FGCM before

A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of any charge in an Orderly Room

A. No.

Question by Court

Q. How long have you been on active service in the field in a fighting capacity.

A. About 3 weeks

Q. How much training had you before joining your unit.

A. 2 months.