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Japan Trouble Recalled

TOKYO, Dec. 9 (UPI)—Lee H. Oswald, President Kennedy's accused slayer, got in trouble for unauthorized possession of a pistol while serving in Japan with the Marines, a lawyer recalled today.

Franklin E. Warren of Tulsa, Okla., said the fact that Oswald had the pistol was discovered when he dropped it on the floor of his barracks and it went off, narrowly missing another marine.

Mr. Warren came to Japan in 1945 with the Air Force and stayed on to become a member of the Japanese bar.

Mr. Warren said he had been talking with Oswald for about 40 minutes when Oswald remarked that dropping the gun "was no accident."

"This alerted me to the man as a possible psychotic, probably with the true type of paranoia," the lawyer said. "I replied, 'That's one way to warn people to leave you alone.'"  
"He answered, 'You bet.'"