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Yeah - some of the "experts" are their worst enemy.

Once - while on station off the coast of Bosnia - my ship was doing at-sea inspections of ships heading in.

The away teams were armed with a .45 pistol and 12 gauge shotgun.

Standard practice was when you returned to the ship - you would clear your weapon and turn it in to the arm's locker.

Well - this dweeb J.O. - thinking he was the terminator - thought he would clear his .45 by racking back the slide - ejecting the loaded round in the pipe - then pop the catch - so it goes back into the battery position.

Once he did that - he made a big show of hitting the magazine release - dropping the fully loaded (minus the round he just loaded) mag into the hopper.

Well - he then proceeded to "pull" the trigger - dropping the hammer - you guess it - it went off... -- being shocked by the sudden unexpected discharge of the weapon - he drops it on the deck - lucky it didn't have anymore rounds loaded.

needless to say - no one wanted to board with him anymore -- wonder why...?

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