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Nazi Crimes on Trial

'Dachau Trials'
*Trials by U.S. Army Courts in Europe 1945 - 1948*¹

File Number: US187
Review Date: 460430
Case Number: 12-2074 (US vs. Nikolaus [Nickolaus] H)
Crime Category: War Crimes

Accused:

H., Nikolaus [Nickolaus]² - 25 Years (R&R: 15 Years)

Court:

General Military Government Court at Ludwigsburg, Germany 460320

Country where the crime had been committed:

Germany

Crime Location:

Dillingen

Crime Date:

440511

Victim:

Calvin C. Ferrari, POW³

Nationality: American



Office:

Civilian

Subject of the proceeding:

After parachuting from a disabled plane an American airman landed in a tree. The accused along with a group of civilians proceeded towards the injured airman. Once the accused was close enough to the airman he fired a shot from his rifle that struck the flier in the arm. After cutting the airman loose from his parachute it was discovered that the airman had received

¹ <http://www1.jur.uva.nl/junsv/JuNSVEng/DTRR/Dachau%20Trials%20start.htm>
<http://www1.jur.uva.nl/junsv/JuNSVEng/DTRR/DTRRlocfr.htm>

² Family name abbreviated by author of crash website (Klaus Zimmer)

³ Name and photo added by author of crash website (Klaus Zimmer)

severe injuries from anti-aircraft fire. The airman was taken to the nearby hospital and operated, but died the following morning as a result of his injuries