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Ex 1: In the story “Night Life,” O’Brien describes how Rat Kiley “doped himself up, and put a round through his foot” (212).

Ex 2: In the story “Night Life,” Rat Kiley “doped himself up, and put a round through his foot” (O’Brien 212).

Ex 3: In a personal interview, my neighbor John Rambo says, “War was a fun and exciting experience, but the food was terrible.”

Ex 4: In a personal interview with my neighbor, he says: “War was a fun and exciting experience, but the food was terrible” (Rambo).

Ex 5: In an online newspaper article titled “Sergeant’s War Story: The Shame of the Whites,” Jane Perlez makes the point that “racism still exists in the military.”

Ex: 6: In an online newspaper article titled “Sergeant’s War Story: The Shame of the Whites,” the point was made that “racism still exists in the military” (Perlez).

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