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1. In accordance with the provisions of reference (a), Enclosure (1) is submitted.

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PART I

Organizational Data

1. Designation Commander
 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines Lt Col M. M. HEWLETT, USMC

Executive Officer
 Major W. F. HOHMANN, USMC

Sergeant Major
 SgtMaj H. M. GIMORE

Subordinate Elements

H&S Company 1-28 Feb 67 Captain R. E. MURPHY, USMC
 Company "E" 1-28 Feb 67 Captain T. M. PRATT, USMC
 Company "F" 1-28 Feb 67 Captain G. A. DEEGAN, USMC
 Company "G" 1-28 Feb 67 Captain C. L. LYNCH, USMC
 Company "H" 1-28 Feb 67 Captain E. J. BANKS, USMC

Attached Units

None

2. Location, 1-28 February; DANANG, RVN

3. Staff Officers

S-1 1-28 Feb 67 WO J. L. THOMPSON, USMC
 S-2 1-28 Feb 67 2ndLt A. W. DODDY, USMCR
 S-3 1-28 Feb 67 Major C. F. PITCHFORD, USMC
 S-4 1-28 Feb 67 1stLt J. P. GLEASON, USMCR
 S-5 1-28 Feb 67 2ndLt J. R. HALLEY, USMCR

4. Average Monthly Strength

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>		<u>OTHER</u>	
<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. Personnel and Administration. Personnel strength of Co "F" (OpCom-First Marines) has continued to be reported on our Battalion OPSTAT, and PERSTAT section of the Command Chronology Report.

a. Number of personnel received as replacements:

- (1) Marine Enlisted - 57
- (2) Marine Officers - 2
- (3) Navy Officers - 1

b. Personnel received via Regiment and Division transfers:

- (1) Marine Enlisted - 15
- (2) Marine Officers - 2

c. Number of personnel rotated:

- (1) Marine Enlisted - 78
- (2) Marine Officers - 3
- (3) Navy Enlisted - 5

d. Casualties:

(1) Battle

- (a) KIA - Marine Enlisted - 2
- (b) WIA - Marine Enlisted - 47
Navy Enlisted - 1
- (c) DOW - Marine Enlisted - 1

(2) Non-Battle

- (a) Serious - Marine Enlisted - 1
- (b) Non-Serious - Marine Enlisted - 4

e. Number of personnel dropped while sick: Marine Enlisted - 31

Navy Enlisted - 2

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f. R&R Trips: 126

g. Special Services Activities - Special Services Activities for the month of February consisted of 28 movie showings. There was a limited amount of athletic clothing received and distributed.

h. Personnel: Accounting: There continues to be a shortage of personnel forms.

i. Awards

(1) The following awards were processed and recommended to higher headquarters for action:

- (a) Silver Star - 3
- (b) Bronze Star - 13
- (c) Navy Commendation Medal - 6

(2) The following awards were received:

- (a) Bronze Star - 3

j. Promotions

- (1) Lance Corporal to Corporal - 85
- (2) Privates First Class to Lance Corporal - 105
- (3) Privates to Privates First Class - 19

k. Postal: Air parcel post and letter mail are received twice daily.

l. Disbursing: Disbursing services are provided for by the 1st Marine Division. There was one pay period during February.

m. Post Exchange: A PX van is open 7 days a week, providing basic necessities. Luxury items are supplied in sufficient quantities.

n. Legal and Discipline: During the reported period, 11 Office Hours, 2 Special Courts Martials, and 10 Investigations were completed. There are 2 Special Courts Martials and 1 Investigation pending.

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o. Chaplain

(1) The Chaplain assigned to this battalion is Lt. James E. DOFFIN, Jr., CHC USN 632778/4100 (Protestant). Roman Catholic coverage for the various units of this battalion is provided by Chaplain J. S. JENNER, 1st Marinos. During this reporting period 3 Sunday Masses were conducted with a total attendance of 115. In addition, 8 daily Masses were celebrated with an attendance of 61.

(2) A total of 14 Protestant Divine Services were conducted in this battalion with an attendance of 310. The Chaplain assigned to this battalion is also responsible for providing Protestant coverage to 1st Marinos CP and Co "P", 1st Marinos. During this particular month, seven (7) Protestant Services were conducted at these units with a total attendance of 248.

(3) Personnel counseled during this period were 34 in addition to 24 hospital visits. Two (2) Memorial Services, with 230 personnel attending, were conducted.

(4) Facilities provided for the Chaplain is a single unit jungle hut which he utilizes for an office area as well as living quarters. Protestant Divine Services are conducted in a covered outdoor theater. Catholic Mass is celebrated in an indigenous recreational building.

2. Enemy

a. General. The month of February saw a decrease in the number of sightings of large enemy units over the month of January. Likewise there was a decrease in contacts with the enemy in our TAOR. This was largely due to operational commitments outside of our TAOR that greatly reduced our normal activity within our area. There was also a decrease from past months in the number of mine incidents, due to the same reasons, and also emphasis placed on mine detection. It is felt due to Operation STONE the enemy strength immediately south of our TAOR is considerably reduced.

b. Enemy units which operate near our TAOR:

(1) 402nd MF (Sapper Unit) AKA T-89. This unit is reported operating at AT 8478. This is considerably west of our TAOR but is felt elements of this unit are still operating in this area, probably in squad strength.

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(2) The Q-16 (LF) company with an estimated strength of 80 men, is reported operating at AT 953650. This unit is armed with one 81mm mortar, two 60mm mortars, one LMG, 7 AR's and 30 SMG of unknown type.

c. Weather and Terrain. The area is drying up well and is becoming more accessible to troop movement and vehicle movement. Movement is limited to troops in the lower areas of our TAC.

3. Organization and Operations

a. Operations conducted during the period continued to emphasize small unit tactics during periods of darkness.

b. During Operation STONE, a Regimental controlled operation, control of 3rd Battalion rear elements and sector of responsibility was assigned to 2nd Battalion. Co G was designated as Regimental Reserve and Co E participated in STONE II.

c. Supporting arms fired 1048 artillery rounds, 1168 81mm mortar rounds. During Operation STONE this battalion was supported by 1st Armored Amphibious Company which provided accurate and noteworthy fires. During the month there were seven (7) Counter Punch Drills with an average time of 2 1/2 minutes. The training of small unit leaders in the techniques of Artillery Observation continues to improve the employment of fire support.

d. Battalion Operations were supported by 21 Med. evac missions, 19 tactical troop or supply lift missions, 6 aerial reconnaissance missions, 2 close air support missions, 42 TAC (a) missions and 2 illumination missions, all flown by the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing. USAF provided one illumination mission.

4. Training. The major training emphasis continued to be on-the-job training. All newly joined personnel attended the Battalion troop indoctrination program and fired the M-14 rifle on the 900' range for proper battle zero. The Battalion continues maximum utilization of school quotas received from 1st Marine Division and III MAF Schools. The Battalion Motor Transport Officer conducted school on the M274 Mulo and M422A1 Mighty Mito for all the Battalion vehicle operators, over a two week period.

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the XM16E1 rifle has been completed for all members of the battalion. The NBC NCO conducted training for all company NBC teams in team duties, and in preparation for individual NBC training to be conducted next month.

5. Combined Action Company. CAO D-6 continued improving the defensive position during February. Integrated PF/USMC patrols, ambushes, LP's, OP's and security posts were conducted on a routine day and night basis. Overall military proficiency and PF/USMC relations were noticeably improved by the conduct of military classes, with specific emphasis on Vietnamese/English language. Marine "leadership by example" continues to instill confidence and enthusiasm in the Popular Force members.

6. Logistics and Supply. During the reporting period cantonment construction continued and the general mess improvements have been completed. Construction of 30 hard back huts by 7th Engineer Battalion is nearing completion. The access road and extension remain under repair by Company B, 7th Engineer Battalion. No problems were experienced in the areas of Food Services, Embarkation or Hospitalization and Evacuation.

a. Supply

(1) The status of supply remain adequate. However, there are significant problem areas of particular concern.

(a) Individual Equipment is arriving on a continuing basis but is not keeping pace with surveys and replacement issues.

(b) GP Tontago is in short supply with only 42 of the 105 rated by the battalion on hand. CO 1st Marine Division msg 250255Z Feb 67 indicated possible relief in this area.

(c) Sandbags have been on order for over 2 months and the Battalion requirements at this time are 150,000.

(2) Fiscal obligations during the month of February for Stock Fund Account items was \$23,310.18.

b. Equipment. 113 Tactical Equipment Repair Orders were submitted to 1st FSR during the reporting period and 42 were completed. Combat essential equipment maintenance remains satisfactory with only 5 on deadline.

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7. Civic Action. Civic Action was emphasized during February. Extensive MEDCAP's were conducted, as was one DENTCAP. A well was built, school supplies and clothing were distributed, and our good wishes for "Tot" were frequently conveyed. Future projects that were initiated are: the building of a dispensary for the civilians, building a refugee camp, and the hiring of a Vietnamese woman to work in our MEDCAP.

8. Psychological Operations. Emphasis was placed on hand distribution of leaflets during the month. The "Tot" theme was exploited as well as "CHIEU HOI" and Safe Conduct Return Thomas. Newspapers were extensively distributed in the TAOR. Several helicopter drops of "Tot" leaflets also took place.

9. Communications.

a. To retain the proficiency of the wire team in wood pole line construction, a 22 foot wood telephone pole was obtained and emplaced for training purposes. At present all members of the wire team have achieved a satisfactory state of proficiency in pole climbing. Training of this type is non-existent in Viet Nam as most of the poles are metal or bamboo.

b. Storage of charged BB451 batteries has proven especially difficult in this hot, humid climate. To combat this, an eight foot deep storage trench has been constructed and sand bagged covered. While the hot weather has not yet arrived, it is felt this innovation will save a substantial percentage of the charged BB451 batteries that would have otherwise deteriorated.

c. The AN/PRC-25 radio still provides a source of continuing amazement. For three weeks during February, strong, reliable communications was established from this CP to a security team twelve miles away. Between the two points there is an 180 foot hill mass. Over this same terrain, it is interesting to note, an AN/PRC-47 radio could provide only marginal communications.

10. Medical and Dental.

a. Four combat casualties and 342 sick call patients were treated at the Battalion aid station during the month of February.

b. During February, 148 dental patients were treated for a total of 505 restorations, placing 60 into Class I status.

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PART III
SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

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SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. Personnel and Administration

- 1 Feb 67 - Change of Command Ceremonies. LtCol. HEWLETT relieving LtCol. DONABEDIAN.
Reference: (a) S-1 Journal.
- 19 Feb 67 - Change of Combat Strength from C-1 to C-2.
Reference: (a) S-1 Journal.
- 26 Feb 67 - Change of Combat Strength from C-2 to C-1.
Reference: (a) S-1 Journal.

2. Intelligence

- 1 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from 1/31. 1 VC platoon spotted BT 059641 moved to BT 043622 today. During the hours of darkness the VC will move one 81mm mortar with possibility of mortaring one of your elements or this CP. 1 VC company V-25 Battalion is located at AT 994622.
Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 3 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from 1/31. VC unit V-25 Battalion is located at AT 999643 also BT 004656. Total strength approximately one company. 1 platoon of B-26 located at BT 051635. Mission of platoon is to hit one of our units. Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 7 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from HOA VANG. 1 VC company located at AT 985632 and is commanded by KULY VI. VC guerrilla platoon located at BT 032687, and is commanded by TRAN HUYNH. Platoon may infiltrate HOA DA on 7 Feb 67. 1 VC company with local guerrillas are operating at AT 958653 and AT 958645. Their destination is unknown.
Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 11 Feb 67 - Possible 2 Battalions of VC moving into THANH QUIT area in the next 3 days. VC may be trying to join families for TET.
Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 12 Feb 67 - Highly reliable source states that VC intend to attack USMC outposts between Hill 54 and Ferry (AT 926530). Scouting was done by women and children during TET holidays.
Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.

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- 17 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from BLD. Three company of VC armed with two 60mm mortars, one 30 Cal MG, 9 BAR's and 2 PRC-10 radios. Two companies operating BT 050635 and BT 052637. One company is to stay in DIEN BAN and may attack coords BT 028630 and BT 033623. Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 20 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from Regimental 2. HOA VANG reports 1 MF company in the province of DIA LOC (AT 957646) commanded by LE DIEU. They are armed with two 60mm mortars and small arms. They may attack friendly troops at HOA THAI and HOA LOI villages. Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 21 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from 1/51. 1st company of V-25 Battalion, at BT 001639. 2nd company of V-25 Battalion at AT 989601 with one 81mm mortar. 1 platoon of guerrillas located at AT 991636. One Battalion at DOG DUNG HAY BT 068669. Their mission is to attack DANANG Airbase. Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 23 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from Regimental 2. One company of VC at BT 011589. One company of VC at BT 011606. These 2 companies are working in cooperation with 2nd company of V-25 Battalion at coords AT 990602. All companies have one 81mm mortar and one 57RR. Also 1 platoon of MF and 2 platoons of guerrillas operating in GS 0064. The MF platoons are wearing ARVN uniforms with 1/51 patch on shirts. Reference: (a) S-2 Journal.
- 23 Feb 67 - Intelligence report from 3rd CIT - HOA VANG. 1st report. 1 Battalion designated and mission unknown. They are located vicinity BT 056638, BT 065635, BT 058648 and BT 047648. 2nd report. 2 VC platoons moved over 100 mines into HOA LAN Village. Unit and mission is unknown. 3rd report. Residents of KIM SON hamlet coord BT 068705 started moving secretly early this morning. Approximately 1 year ago the people of KIM SON hamlet moved out and shortly there after Marble Mountain was hit. Follow up from ROSE ANN. People have been moving for the last two days at GS BT 0472. Now located across the river at BT 0571. People claim to be getting away from the Marines. Reference: (a) S-2 Journal

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3. Organization and Operations

- 1 Feb 67 - LtCol HAIG DOMBEDIAN relieved by LtCol M.M. HEWLETT.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
(b) BnO 1301.7B
- 2 Feb 67 - Co G assumed BALD EAGLE. Commanding Officer visited CAC D-6.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 3 Feb 67 - CO visited Co E Outpost location at BT 9970 and Co F at NUI LAC SON (BT 0230) by helicopter.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 4 Feb 67 - Co H assigned BALD EAGLE. Co G commenced Co (Roin) search and destroy operation combined with ARVN forces of 1st Battalion, 51 Regt in vicinity of HA DONG-HA TAY (BT 009653).
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 5 Feb 67 - S&D of HA DONG-HA TAY terminated at 1330H.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 6 Feb 67 - Co G assigned BALD EAGLE and SPARROW HANK responsibility.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
(b) FRAG ORDER 113-67
- 8 Feb 67 - TET Standdown
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
(b) CG 1st MarDiv msg 0705145Z Feb 67.
- 10 Feb 67 - ROUGH RIDER (Company H) departed for CHU LAI.
Reference: (a) 1st Mar msg 080917Z Feb 67.
- 11 Feb 67 - Co G displaced to 3/1 TAOR. 3/1 TAOR and Companies M, H&S and CAC units OpCon to 2/1; Co G Regimental Reserve for Opn STONE.
Reference: (a) FRAG ORDER 115-67
(b) 1st Mar msg 110835Z Feb 67
- 14 Feb 67 - Co H ROUGH RIDER returned to Battalion CP.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 15 Feb 67 - CG, 1st MarDiv presented Purple Heart awards at CAC D-1 and D-6.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 16 Feb 67 - Co E & H exchange TAORS.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
(b) FRAG ORDER 109-67

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- 18 Feb 67 - Co E provide blocking force, participating in Phase II, Operation STONE. Co G returned to 2/1 CP. Opcon 3/1 TAOR released to 3/1.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
(b) 1st Mar msg 162130Z Feb 67
(c) FRAG ORDER 116467
- 20 Feb 67 - Co G relieved of BLD EAGLE. Technical inspection of S-3 by G-3, 1st MarDiv.
Reference: (a) 1st Mar msg 200130Z
(b) DivBul 5041 of 6 Jan 1967
- 22 Feb 67 - Co E returned to CP from Operation STONE. Co G S&D operation PHONG NHUT-DONG LIEN.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
(b) 1st Mar msg 220820Z
- 23 Feb 67 - Co G S&D Terminated; Company returned to CP.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.
- 27 Feb 67 - Co G SPARROW LINK launched.
Reference: (a) S-3 Staff Journal.

4. Logistics and Supply

- 4 Feb 67 - Engineers from 7th Engineer Battalion started construction of 35 strongbacks.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.
- 10 Feb 67 - Platoon Goch departed CP to act as security detail for convey going to CHU LAI.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.
- 13 Feb 67 - Men of Co C, 9 MCB completed construction of a new mess hall and departed area.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.
- 15 Feb 67 - Request and received from 1st Marines four rubber boats to support Operation STONE. 7th Engineer vehicle detonated mine. Notified 1st Marines and requested 7th Engineer Battalion be notified for salvage purposes.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.
- 17 Feb 67 - S-3 requested 4 assault craft for crossing river. Called 1st Marines and requested same. Received word from 1st Marines that 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines would give on temp loan, four assault craft. Dispatched truck to 3/1 for same. Rubber boats arrived this CP.
Reference SER #'s 2 & 4 this date.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.

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18 Feb 67 - Co C, 11th MT Bn truck hit mine on Anderson Trail. 11th MT Bn arrived and picked-up truck. Refer SER #'s 2 & 3 this date.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.

23 Feb 67 - Received report from Co H. Engineers on mine clearance suffered (1) KIA and (1) WIA. Notified squad leader and called 1st Marines requesting they notify Co A, 1st Engineer Battalion of casualties suffered. Refer SER #11 this date.
Reference: (a) S-4 Staff Journal.

5. Civic Action and Psychological Warfare

1 Feb 67 - Eighty CARE school kits were distributed at the primary school at THON CON DAU hamlet BT 03723. 2,000 newspapers and 1,000 leaflets were distributed.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

2 Feb 67 - A Vietnamese male was killed by a Co H ambush after he was mistaken for a Viet Cong at VIEM TAY (1) BT 045646.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

5 Feb 67 - Battalion Commander, Executive Officer, S-4 and Sgt Major attended "Tot" banquet at PHONG NGU (1) BT 043620. 200 leaflets were hand distributed in the TAOR.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

6 Feb 67 - Completed construction of wall for civilians at YEN NE (1) AT 988663. 300 leaflets were hand distributed in the TAOR.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

8 Feb 67 - A large amount of clothing, school supplies, and tooth brushes were distributed at THANH QUIT (2), BT 040625 and QUANG LCC TAY (1) BT 050601.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

10 Feb 67 - "Tot" gifts were exchanged with the civilians from BICH NAM (2) BT 000639 and PHONG LUC (1) BT 013638. 3,000 leaflets were hand distributed in the TAOR.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

13 Feb 67 - A DontCap was held at THON CON DAU hamlet BT 03723.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

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- 19 Feb 67 - 25,000 leaflets were dropped by plane in the TAOR.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.
- 21 Feb 67 - A large amount of clothing was distributed at several hamlets in the TAOR. Passed out 150 CARE school kits at MIEU DONG (1) school BT 016682. 3,000 newspapers were distributed.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.
- 23 Feb 67 - Three civilians were killed, and three others injured by a short mortar round at PHONG LUC (3) BT 015623.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.
- 24 Feb 67 - 1,500 newspapers were distributed within the TAOR.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.
- 25 Feb 67 - A house was destroyed by two ONTOS after receiving sniper fire from it at PHONG LUC (3) BT 015623.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.
- 27 Feb 67 - A Vietnamese woman was wounded by an air strike at PHONG NGU (2) BT 030614.
Reference: (a) S-5 Staff Journal.

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PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>	S-1	Staff Journal	1-28 February 1967
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>	S-2	Staff Journal	1-28 February 1967
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>	S-3	Staff Journal	1-28 February 1967
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>	S-4	Staff Journal	1-28 February 1967
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>	S-5	Staff Journal	1-28 February 1967
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>		Fragmentary Orders 111 to 119-67	
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>		Battalion Order 1301.7B	
<i>Filed w/ [unclear]</i>		Situation Reports, 1-28 February 1967	

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S-1 Journal
2d Battalion, 1st Marines

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>MESSAGES</u>
1Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 35 Mar. Off. 1089 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 58 Nav. "
	1030	Cng of Command Cerimohies fr. LtCol. DONABEDIAN to LtCol. HEWLETT
	1730	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 1 bg. of ltrs, & 2 bgs. of pkgs.
2Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 35 Mar. Off. 1106 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 58 Nav. "
	0805	1 Mar. Enl. to 30 day lv.
	1200	2 Mar. Enl. - MIA
	1700	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 1 bg. of ltr, & 11 bgs. of pkgs.
3Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 35 Mar. Off. 1106 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 58 Nav. "
	0805	6 Enl. Mar. to R&R
	1700	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 12 bgs. of pkgs.
4Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1098 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 59 Nav. "
	0805	4 Enl. Mar. to R&R
	1700	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 2 bgs. of ltrs. & 14 bgs. of pkgs.
5Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1096 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 55 Mar. "
	1700	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 9 bgs. of ltrs. & pkgs.
6Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1091 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 55 Nav. "
	0805	6 Mar. Enl. to PCSO
	0806	3 Mar. Enl. to R&R
	0807	1 Mar. Enl. to Emer. Lv.
7Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1092 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 55 Nav. "
	0805	5 Mar. Enl. to R&R
	1100	2 Mar. Enl. - MIA
	1730	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 5 bgs. of ltrs. & pkgs.
8Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1099 Mar. Enl. 2 Nav. " 55 Nav. "

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8Feb67	0805	1 Mar. Off. & 5 Mar. Enl. to R&R
	0806	6 Mar. Enl. Drop Tr. to CONUS
	0830	4 Mar. Enl. - JIA
	1700	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 2 bgs. of ltrs. & 9 bgs. of pkgs.
9Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1083 Mar. Enl. 3 Nav. " 55 Nav. "
	0805	6 Mar. Enl. Drop Tr. to CONUS
	1100	1 Mar. Enl. - JIA
	1730	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 4 bgs. of ltrs. & pkgs
10Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1073 Mar. Enl. 3 Nav. " 56 Nav. "
	0805	1 Mar. Off. R&R
	0945	2 Mar. Enl. - JIA
	1730	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 1 bg. of ltrs. & 3 bgs. of pkgs.
11Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1069 Mar. Enl. 3 Nav. " 56 Nav. "
	0805	1 Mar. Enl. & 1 Nav. Enl. to R&R
	1100	9 Mar. Enl. - JIA
	1730	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 6 bgs of pkgs. & 2 bgs of ltrs.
12Feb67	0800	Chg. str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1071 Mar. Enl. 3 Nav. " 55 Nav. "
	0805	7 Mar. Enl. to R&R 1 Nav. Enl. to R&R
	0810	6 Mar. Enl. to CONUS
	1730	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 8 bgs. of pkgs. & 1 bg. of ltrs.
13Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 37 Marine Off 1069 Enl Mar 3 Naval " 56 Enl Nav
	0805	2 Mar. Enl to R&R
	0810	3 Mar Off & 2 Mar. Enl. to CONUS
	1700	Mail fr. Regt. consisted of 2 bgs. ltrs. & 5 bgs. of pkgs.
14Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is 36 Mar. Off. 1062 Mar. Enl. 3 Nav. " 55 Nav. "
	0805	3 Mar. Enl. to R&R
	1730	Mail fr Regt. consisted of 2 bgs. of ltrs. & 3 bgs. of pkgs.
15Feb67	0800	Chg. Str. of Bn. is Mar. Off. 35 Mar. Enl. 1064 Nav. " 2 Nav. " 55
	0805	1 Mar. Off. 4 Mar. Enl. & 1 Nav. Enl. to R&R
	0810	5 Mar. Enl. to CONUS.

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15Feb67	1700	Mail from regt consisted of 7 bgs pkgs and 2 bgs ltrs
16Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn 34 Mar Off 1064 Mar enl 2 Nav Off 55 Nav enl
	0810	06 Mar enl to COMUS
	0830	1 Mar enl TAD 1 Mar off 22D
	1700	Mail fr Regt consisted of 12 bgs of pkgs and 2 bgs of ltrs
17Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn 35 Mar off 1074 Mar enl 2 Nav off 53 Nav enl
	0810	10 Mar Enl to COMUS
	0830	1 Mar enl WIA
	1700	Mail fr Regt consisted of 6 bgs of pkgs and 2 bgs of ltrs
	1730	1 Mar enl KIA
18Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn is 35 Mar off and 1053 Mar enl 2 Nav off and 53 Nav enl
	0305	2 Mar enl to R&R
	0810	6 Mar enl to COMUS
	0905	1 Mar enl WIA
	1700	Mail fr regt consisted of 8 bgs of pkgs and 2 bgs of ltrs
19Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn is 35 Mar off and 1030 Mar enl 2 Nav off and 51 Nav enl
	0305	6 Mar enl to COMUS
	1700	Mail fr Regt consisted of 10 bgs of pkgs and 3 bgs of ltrs
20Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn is 35 Mar off and 1026 Mar enl 2 Nav off and 50 Nav enl
	0805	4 Mar enl to COMUS
	1700	Mail fr Regt consisted of 5 bgs of pkgs and 3 bgs of ltrs
	1840	2 Mar enl WIA
21Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn is 35 Mar off and 1025 Mar enl 2 Nav off and 50 Nav enl
	0305	3 Mar enl to R&R
	0810	5 Mar enl to COMUS
	1700	Mail fr regt consisted of 5 bgs of pkgs and 4 bgs of ltrs
22Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn is 35 Mar off and 1029 Mar enl 2 Mar off and 50 Nav enl
	0305	1 Mar enl WIA
	0810	8 Mar enl to R&R
	0815	2 Mar enl to COMUS
	0820	1 Mar enl to special 30 day lv
	1730	Mail fr regt consisted of 17 bgs of pkgs and 2 bgs ltrs
	1900	1 Mar enl WIA

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20Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn 35 Mar off 1028 Mar enl 2 Nav off 50 Nav enl
	0810	4 Mar enl to R&R
	1700	Mail fr regt consisted of 12 bgs of pkgs and 2 bgs ltrs
	1900	3 Men jd
21Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn 35 Mar off 1031 Mar enl 2 Nav off 50 Nav enl
	0810	2 Mar enl to spec lv
	1900	Mail fr regt cons of 9 bgs of pkgs and 2 bgs of ltrs
25Feb67	0800	Chg str of bn 35 Mar off 1037 Mar enl 2 Nav off 50 Nav enl
	0805	1 Mar enl WIA
	0810	3 Mar enl to R&R
	1000	7 Mar enl jd
	1715	Mail fr regt cons of 9 bgs of pkgs and 2 ltrs
26Feb67	0800	Chg str of bn 35 Mar off 1047 Mar enl 2 Nav off 50 Nav enl
	0810	4 Mar enl to R&R
	0815	1 Nav enl to R&R
	1700	Mail fr regt cons of 8 pkgs and 2 ltrs
27Feb67	0300	Chg str of bn 34 Mar off 1020 Mar enl 2 Nav off 50 Nav enl
	1700	Mail fr regt cons of 7 bgs pkgs and 2 bgs ltrs
28Feb67	0800	Chg str of Bn 34 Mar off 1039 Mar enl 2 Nav off 50 Nav enl
	0810	5 Mar enl to R&R
	1700	Mail fr Regt cons of 9 bgs pkgs and 3 bgs ltrs
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S-2 Journal
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

FROM: 010001H February 1967
TO: 282400H February 1967

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
Manuscript Alpha	S-2	1 Feb 67	1 VC platoon spotted at BT 059641 moved to BT 043622 today. During the hours of darkness the VC will move 1 - 81mm mortar with possibility of mortaring one of your elements or this CP. 1 VC company of V-25 Bn. is located at AT 994622.
HP	S-2	1 Feb 67	1 VC company suspected to move to following coors. BT 052634. Suspected time of movement is at 0300 Feb 22.
Manuscript Alpha	S-2	2 Feb 67	1 VC company from V-25 Bn. is located at BT 001617 and BT 013617. Also know civilians came to KA ZA. Ref-
Manuscript Alpha	S-2	2 Feb 67	1st element coor 9967. Large number of people moving and dogs barking.
Manuscript Alpha	S-2	3 Feb 67	VC unit of V-25 Bn. is located at coor. AT 999643 and BT 004656. Total strength is approx 1 Company. 1 platoon of B-26 is located at BT 051635. Mission of platoon is to hit one of our units.
HOA VANG	S-2	4 Feb 67	1 Recon squad commanded by THANH is always located at NGUYEN NHON's house at AT 982656. Their weapons are SMG's.
Blade	S-2	7 Feb 67	V-25 elements moved from AT 998643 and AT 984614. 2 elements are at BT 085533. 1 platoon is at BT 0466. Another platoon is at BT 050635.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
HOA VANG	S-2	7 Feb	1 VC company located at AT 985632 and is commanded by LULI VI. VC guerrilla platoon is located at BT 032687 and is commanded by TRAN HUYNH. Platoon may infiltrate HOA DA on 7 Feb 67. 1 VC company with local guerrillas are operating at AT 958653 and AT 955645. Their destination is unknown.
Blade 2	S-2	7 Feb	Estimated 1 VC company located in 9971 grid sq. will attack CAU DAU bridge tonight. 1 VC company located at AT 956645 and AT 958652. 1 platoon of VC located at BT 031688.
Special Sector CG-8	S-2	9 Feb	A suicide squad commanded by PHAM TRUNG KIEN who wears an ARVN uniform with either captain or major's insignia's. This squad operates in vic. BT 064707 and BT 063857 will attempt to attack and seize ARVN or allied vehicles, kill occupants, load vehicles with explosives and attempt to gain entrance to radar station on Monkey Mountain after TET holidays.
Blade 2	S-2	11 Feb	1 VC company at DONG HOI pagoda with weapons brought by boat from sea-coast. Mission is to attack the Marble Mountain airstrip and POW camp I Corps.
DIEM BAN	S-2	11 Feb	VC will attack CAC villages 1, 2 and 3 and THANH QUIT bridge on 0300 Feb. 12, 1967.
ELD	S-2	11 Feb	Possible 2 Battalions of VC moving into THANH QUIT area in the next 3 days. VC may be trying to join their families for TET.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
Blade 2	S-2	12 Feb	Highly reliable sources states that VC intend to attack USMC outposts between Hill 55 and Ferry (926530). Scouting was done by women and children during TET holidays.
Blade 2	S-2	15 Feb	Hamlet Chief of BIC BAC (995649) reports estimated squad of VC passed his village on the night of Feb 14.
Blackwell Rear	S-2	15 Feb	Apprehended 1 VC VIA while sweeping village at BT 018535. Interrogation reveals approx 150 VC troops arrived on 10 Feb. They left in northern direction. Weapons are AK-47, and 6 - 60mm mortars. Troops are dressed in khaki uniforms with natural camouflaged. VC came from DJC ON District. Villagers departed on 11 Feb.
HOA VANG	S-2	15 Feb	Approx 2 platoons of VC at coord. BT 013647, may attack TRA KIEM camp at coord BT 021646. An approx VC company is located at BT 029651, BT 043662 and BT 032670.
HP	S-2	16 Feb	90 VC operating in PHONG MIET area at BT 025 605. They are armed with 2 - 60mm mortars and small arms.
ELD	S-2	17 Feb	3 Company's of VC armed with 2 - 60mm mortars, 1 - 30cal. MG, 9 EAR's and 2 PRC radios. 2 Company's operating at BT 050635 and BT 052637. 1 Co. is to stay in DIEN BAN and may attack at coors. BT 028630 and BT 033623.
III MAF	S-2	18 Feb	VC sapper team mission is to attack DANANG airfield. The team finished training at HOA LONG (070689) and are now at BT 040718. They are armed with individual weapons and grenades.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
1/51 ARVN	S-2	18 Feb	1 Company designated 3/402 is loc. vic. BT 050688. Weapons are 3-81mm mortars. Probable intentions of mortaring DANANG airbase.
HA DONG Hamlet chief	S-2	19 Feb	Hamlet chief reports that there were VC in his hamlet last night. They stayed all night making village dig punji pits and stringing barbed wire. VC estimated 11 to 16 in number.
Hotel on Island	S-2	19 Feb	PF reports 3 to 4 VC sniper team that work on outskirts of DANANG airfield across river at coord. BT 017774 and BT 033731. Hotel will operate in this area tonight to try to detect any movement.
Manuscript	S-2	20 Feb	1 Company of V-25 Bn. is located at BT 039604. 1 command platoon is loc. at BT 053634. 2 platoons of 2-13 company is located at BT 068629.
Blade 2	S-2	20 Feb	HOA VANG reports 1 MF company in the province of DIA LOC at AT 957646; commanded by HE DIEU. They are armed with 2 - 60mm mortars and small arms. They may attack friendly troops at HOA THAI and HOA LOI villages.
1/51 ARVN	S-2	20 Feb	They questioned 3 persons who were part of many small recon forces infiltrating the area. VC may attack 1/11 troops after moving down from the hills to the west.
El D	S-2	21 Feb	There are 100 VC armed with 2 - 60mm mortars and 4 machine guns at coord. BT 048628.

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FROM TO TIME MESSAGE

1/51 ARVN S-2 21 Feb
 1st Company of V-25 Bn., is at BT 001639. 2nd Company of V-25 Bn. is at AT 989601 with 1- 81mm mortar. 1 Platoon of guerrillas is located at AT 991636. 1 Bn. at DONG DUNG HAY BT 068669. Their mission is to attack DANANG airbase.

Blade 2 S-2 22 Feb
 3rd company of V-25 Bn. will move from PT 003649 to BT 059647. Route generally follows grid line 64 east to west. Mission is to join guerrillas in Battalion strength vic. BT 0167 to attack north.

Blade 2 S-2 23 Feb
 1 Company of VC at BT 011589. 1 company of VC at BT 011606. These 2 companys of VC are working in cooperation with 2nd company of V-25 Bn. at coor. AT 990602. All companys have 1 - 81mm mortar and 1 57 Rk. Also 1 platoon of MF and 2 platoons of guerrillas are operating in grid sq. 0064. The MF platoon is dressed in ARVN uniforms and wearing 1/51 patch on shirt.

3rd CTT S-2 23 Feb
 1st report: 1 Bn, designation and mission unknown. They are located at BT 056638, BT 065635, BT 058648 and BT 047648. 2nd Report: 2 VC platoons moved over 100 mines into HOA LAN village. Unit and mission unknown. 3rd report: Residents of KIM SON hamlet coor. BT 068705 started moving secretly early this morning. Approx 1 year ago the people of KIM SON hamlet moved out and shortly there after Marble Mountain was hit. Follow up from ROSE ANN. People have been moving for the last two days at grid 0472 and are now located across the river. At 0571 people were seen moving across river. People claim to be getting away from the Marines.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
1/51 ARVN	S-2	24 Feb	1 Bn. of VC as of 23 Feb are located at BT 011606. They are in the process of moving northwest to BT 001641 and AT 992639. They are traveling by 30 boats and their mission is unknown.
River Parrot	S-2	24 Feb	Helo Station at Marble Mountain to be hit at 242100H. Also reported 1 Battalion of VC inside triangle formed by coord. BT 065671, BT 073607 and BT 079660.
DIEN BAN	S-2	25 Feb	1 VC Bn. equipment and designation unknown moving from Southeast to BT 065671, BT 073607 and BT 079660. Mission is to mortar East DANANG airbase. Possible 402nd Bn.
Blade 2	S-2	27 Feb	Located 2 rocket launching positions. 1 position with 70 firing pits and with 65 pits 15 yards behind 1st position. Launching sites have stove-pipe on board which is propped on wire. Sites are 2 to 4 yards apart. Found water proof canister $\frac{3}{4}$ feet by 6 in. in river. Reference: S-2 Journal.
Blade 2	S-2	27 Feb	There are 18 VC moving to vicinity BT 054730.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 3 Feb 67
To: 2400 3 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
0810		1		Received call from Regiment - logistic conference at 1330 this date - S-4 and SupO to attend.
0830		2		Received request from "H" Co for transportation of 25 men from Hotel Paps to Bn CP at 0945H this date.
0930		3		Received call from "H" Co to request move of 15 men at 1645 to D-6 "CAC" unit.
	0930	4		Dispatched trucks for troops. Refer SER # 2 this date.
1100		5		Received call from "H" Co to pick up 25 men vicinity of D-6 "CAC" at 040800H Feb 67.
	1645	6		"H" Co departed CP. Refer SER # 3 this date.
2350		7		Frag order issued by S-3 for possible move of "C" Co.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 4 Feb 67
To: 2400 4 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0410	1		"G" Co moved out by truck w/Ontos escort. Refer SER # 7, 3 Feb 67.
0800		2		Engineers from 7th Engineer Battalion started construction of 34 strong-backs.
	0830	3		Trucks departed CP for "H" Oscar. Refer SER #5, 3 Feb 67.
0900		4	0200 059Z Feb 67	CG, 1st MarDiv msg on Office Machines.
1100		5		"G-1" Requested resupply.
	1215	6		"G-1" resupply effected. Refer SER # 5 this date.
	1350	7		Requested three additional trucks for house-keeping duties.
1500		8		"G" Co resupply request received.
1630		9		Received frag order to transport Plt of Hotel to "G" Co. position.
	1715	10		Hotel Plt departed Bn CP. Refer SER # 9 this date.
	1900	11		"G" Co resupply effected. Refer SER #8 this date.

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From: 0001 1 Feb 67
To: 2400 1 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0830	1		Resupply effected to D-6 "CAC" and Hotel Papa.
1400		2		Representative 7th Engr Bn inspected Bn CP for location of hard-back construction to start tomorrow.
1430		3		Requested two additional trucks for house-keeping runs.
	1500	4		Turned in Command Chronology for January to S-3.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 2 Feb 67
To: 2400 2 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0730	1		Phoned in vehicle D/L report to Regimental S-4.
	0900	2		Received request from Hotel Co for transportation of troops to Hotel Papa.
	1300	3		Effected D-6 "C&C" and Hotel Papa resupply
	1300	4		Effected request generated by SER #2 this date.
	1400	5		Requested two additional trucks for house-keeping duties.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 5 Feb 67
To: 2400 5 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTC	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
1200		1		"E" Co requested truck for transportation for $\frac{1}{2}$ day.
1235		2		S-3 requested 2 trucks to pick up platoon of "H" and 2 platoons of "G" in vicinity of Ha Dong Bridge.
	1237	3		Called Regiment on SER #2 this date. No trucks available.
	1255	4		All available trucks (3) departed CP. Refer SER #2 this date.
1330		5		Regiment dispatched 2 vehicles to assist in the pick-up of troops. Refer SER #2 this date.
1400		6		Requested 2 additional house-keeping trucks.
1800		7		"H" Co requested trucks to move Co to "H" Papa and Oscar.
	1815	8		Requested trucks to support request in SER #7 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 6 Feb 67
To: 2400 6 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	1630	1		"H" Co departed CP to D-6 "CAC" and Hotel Papa. Refer SER # 7, 5 Feb 67.
1700		2		Requested trucks to pick up "H" Co at "H" Papa at 071130H.
1700		3		Requested 2 additional house-keeping vehicles.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 7 Feb 67
To: 2400 7 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
1220		1		"H" Co arrived in Bn CP. Refer Ser # 2, 6 Feb 67.
1400		2		Requested 10 trucks to take troops to special services show, 081200H.
1400		3		Requested 3 additional trucks for house-keeping duties.
	1500	4		Effectuated D-6 "CAC" & Hotel Papa resupply.
1515		5		"H" Co requested trucks to take one platoon at 080800H to "H" Papa and pick up same platoon at 081200H for transportation to Da Nang.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 8 Feb 67
To: 2400 8 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0800	1		Platoon of "H" Co departed CP for "H" Papa. Refer SER # 5, 7 Feb 67.
0915		2		"H" Co requested trucks to move 1 platoon at 1700 this date and pick up same platoon at 091200H . Also to take one platoon down to D-6 "CAC" at 091200H .
1000		3		"H" Co requested class I resupply for D-6 "CAC".
	1115	4		Truck sent to effect resupply. Refer SER # 3 this date.
	1830	5		Effectuated first troop move requested by SER # 2 this date.
	1900	6		Requested 2 additional house-keeping trucks.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 9 Feb 67
To: 2400 9 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	1100	1		Effectuated resupply to "E" Co.
	1200	2		Effectuated troop move requested by "H" Co. refer SER # 2, 8 Feb 67.
1530		3		"E" Co requested trucks to pick-up one platoon at 0900 D-6. "GACV".
	1600	4		Requested 2 additional trucks for house-keeping duties.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 10 Feb 67
To: 2400 10 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0715	1		Plt "H" Co departed CP to act as security detail for convoy going to Chu Lai.
	1010	2		Trucks departed CP to pick up plt of "H" Co. Refer SER # 3, 9 Feb 67.
1100		3		1st Marines ltr on storage facilities - report required.
	1400	4		Requested 3 trucks for house-keeping duties.
1500		5	091115Z Feb 67	1st MarDiv msg on levels of ammo and MCI.
2045		6		Request from S-3 for tactical move of troops to "D-6 "CAC". Require one truck.
	2100	7		Troops departed CP. Refer SER # 6 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 11 Feb 67
To: 2400 11 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
0800		1		Only one truck arrived to support house-keeping duties.
0915		2		"H" Co requested transportation for one squad at 1300 to 1-6 "GAC" and pick up of same at 0800 12 Feb 67.
1130		3		S-3 warning order on possible truck transportation for "G" Co to 3/1 at 1230.
	1135	4		Called 1st Mar for assistance. Only small possibility - no confirmation.
	1230	5		Effected, by shuttle, "G" Co move. Refer SER # 3 this date.
	1523	6		Effected E1A resupply.
	1600	7		Requested 2 additional trucks for house-keeping duties.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 12 Feb 67
To: 2400 12 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
0900		1		"H" Co requested transportation for 1 squad to Hotel Papa at 1230H this date and pick-up same at 0800 tomorrow at Hotel Oscar.
0940		2		S-3 requested trucks to move ARVN Co from coord 017678 to coord 072710 at 1130 and pick-up same and return to coord 017678 at 1700H this date.
0950		3		Called 1stMar for truck requirement generated by SER # 2 this date.
1000		4		S-3 requested engineer assistance for weapon finding. Notified engineers attached with warning order to be prepared to move out on call.
1100		5		S-3 requested trucks to move "I" Co.
	1200	6		Effectuated requests generated by SER #'s 4 and 5 this date.
1215		7		"G" Co requested resupply of class V.
	1300	8		Effectuated resupply generated by SER # 7 this date.
1315		9		Cancelled only so much of SER # 2 this date, requesting movement of ARVN Co from coord 072710 to 017678. Also refer SER # 3 this date.
1400		10		S-3 requested cancellation of the remainder of SER # 2 this date.
	1405	11		Called 1stMar and effectuated request generated by SER # 10 this date.
1500		12		Warning order by 1stMarS-4 to be prepared to support operation STONE logistically with class I resupply.
1600		13		Water point reported main pump deadline 3,500 gallons of potable water available - will be in operation by 1200H 13 Feb 67.
1830		14		"H" Co arrived back at Bn Cp.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 14 Feb 67
To: 2400 14 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
1300		1		Warning order from S-3 requesting Engineer support for tracked vehicle movement. Be ready at 1300, 15 Feb 67.
1500		2	130125Z Feb 67	CG, 1st MarDiv msg of Marginally Unserviceable Body Armor.
	1630	3		Answered SER # 2 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 15 Feb 67
To: 2400 15 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
0800		1		Received request from S-3 for trucks to make "H" & "E" Co TAOR change.
	0955	2		Request from 1st Marines for 4 rubber boats to support Operation Stone.
1030		3		Requested truck support. Refer SER # 1 this date.
	1121	4		"E" Co resupply effected.
	1130	5		Four boats provided to 1st Bn, 1st Marines in support of Operation Stone.
1315		6		Water point pump repaired and potable water is again available.
1515		7		S-3 requested two vehicles to move plt of "H" Co in vicinity of Anderson Trail West.
	1520	8		"H" Co plt departed CP. Refer SER # 7 this date.
1530		9		Confirmed 7th Engineer vehicle hit mine. Notified 1st Marines and requested 7th Engineer Bn be notified for salvage purposes.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 13 Feb 67
To: 2400 13 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	1900	15		Requested 3 additional trucks to act as house-keeping vehicles/resupply vehicles for Operation STONE.
	1900	16		Requested 3 trucks for platoon switched of "F" Co.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 13 Feb 67
To: 2400 13 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0730	1		Trucks departed CP for pick-up of one squad of "H" Co at D-6 "CAC" unit.
0800		2		1st Engineer personnel at the water point stated main pump was broken and serious potable water situation existed.
	0810	3		Notified all companies of situation. Refer SER # 2 this date.
0830		4		"H" Co requested trucks to move squad to Hotel Papa at 1230H this date.
	1000	5		Cancelled request generated by SER #4 this date.
	1200	6		Men of "C" Co, 9 MCB completed construction of a new mess hall and departed area.
	1400	7		Requested 3 additional house-keeping vehicles.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 16 Feb 67
To: 2400 16 Feb 67

TIME				
IN	OUT	SER #	DTC	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
0800		1		Truck arrived for switch of "H" & "E" Companies.
	0850	2		Truck departed CP with "H" Co and first increment.
	0900	3		"E" Co class III resupply effected.
	1200	4		"D-6."GAC" resupply effected.
1400		5		"H" & "E" Co's reported completion of move.
	1530	6		Requested 3 additional house-keeping trucks.
2200		7		S-3 requested 4 Otters to arrive this CP prior to 1600, 17 Feb 67 for tactical troop movement across a water barrier.
	2215	8		Requested Otters to effect request of S-3. Refer SER # 7 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 17 Feb 67
To: 2400 17 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
0830		1		Two Otters arrived this CP. Refer SER # 8, 16 Feb 67
0850		2		S-3 requested 4 assault craft for crossing river. Called 1st Marines and requested same.
0900		3		Two additional Otters arrived this CP. Refer SER # 1 this date.
	0910	4		Received word from 1st Mar. that 3rd Bn, 1st Marines would give on temp loan, four assault crafts. Dispatched truck to 3/1.
1230		5		Rubber Boats arrived this CP. Refer SER #'s 2 & 4 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 18 Feb 67
To: 2400 18 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0500	1		"E" Co departed CP in Otters.
0830		2		"C" Co, 11th MT Bn truck hit mine on Anderson Trail.
	0845	3		Called 1st Marines requesting Low Bed and Wrecker to remove truck from Anderson Trail.
0910		4		S-3 requested trucks to pick up "C" Co at 3/1 CP and bring them back to this CP at 1700.
	0930	5		Called 1st Marines requesting trucks for 144 people. Refer SER # 4 this date.
1210		6		11th MT Bn arrived and picked-up truck. Refer SER #'s 2 & 3.
	1230	7		Requested replacement truck. Refer SER # 2.
1700		8		"G" Co returned by helo to CP.
	1730	9		Requested 3 additional house-keeping trucks for 19 February 1967.

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From: 0001 19 Feb 67
To: 2400 19 Feb 67

IN	TIME	SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
1020		1		S-3 requested two vehicles to transport "G" Co Plt at 1230H this date to D-6 "CAC". At 1800 pickup same at Echo 1 Delta Co.
	1230	2		"G" Co Plt departed CP. Refer Ser #1 this date. Also effected D-6 and Echo 1 Delta resupply.
	1400	3		Requested 3 additional house-keeping trucks.
	1530	4		Requested ontos escort for second phase of "G" Co Plt movement. Refer Ser #1 this date.
	1730	5		"G" Co Plt departed CP w/ontos escort for D-6 "CAC" unit. Will pick up "G" Co Plt presently down at D-6 "CAC" unit. Refer Ser #1 and 4 this date.
2020		6		Received D-6 "CAC" unit resupply for 20 Feb 67.

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From: 0001 20 Feb 67
To: 2400 20 Feb 67

IN	TIME	OUT	SER #	DTC	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
0930			1		Received resupply request from Echo One Delta.
		1000	2		"G" Co departed CP for D-6. "CAC" unit. Refer Ser #5 19 Feb 67
		1200	3		Effectuated resupply requested in Ser #1 this date and Ser #6 19 Feb 67
1430			4		Received request from 2-3 for (1) one otter to assist in road patrol.
		1500	5		Effectuated request generated by Ser #4 this date.
1530			6		Requested 3 additional house keeping trucks.
		1630	7		"G" Co Plt departed CP. Refer Ser #5 19 Feb 67.
1830			8		Received confirmation on request for additional trucks.
1930			9		Echo one delta request resupply for 21 Feb 67.
2030			10		Received request from "G" Co to take down plt and pick plt up at Echo one delta at 1030 21 Feb 67.

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S-4 SECTION
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From: 0001 21 Feb 67
To: 2400 21 Feb 67

IN	TIME	OUT	SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
1000			1		S-3 reported dud 105mm artillery round at coord. 825715. Called 1st Mar and requested EOD team.
1019			2		"G" Co requested vehicle to move one Plt vicinity of D-6 "CAC" unit at 1500.
		1030	3		Transportation departed CP to pick up "G" Plt at Echo one delta, refer Ser #10 20 Feb 67
		1100	4		"H" one alpha resupply effected.
		1230	5		Echo one delta and D-6 "CAC" units resupply effected, refer Ser #9 20 Feb 67.
1400			6		S-3 requested vehicle to move 2 squads of "H" from "H" Co CP to Bn CP at 1530.
		1510	7		"G" cancelled request generated by Ser #2 this date.
		1530	8		Vehicle departed CP to pick up "H" personnel generated by Ser #4 this date.
1600			9		Requested 3 additional trucks for house keeping .
1900			10		S-3 requested otter support for "G" Co at 0600 on 22 Feb 67. Two otters fraged.

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2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 22 Feb 67
To: 2400 22 Feb 67

TIME	IN	OUT	SER #	DTC	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
0700			1		Water Point reported main pump deadlined.
		0800	2		2 squads of "H" Co departed CP for "H" Co forward CP.
0825			3		"H" Co requested 3 vehicles to transfer platoons.
0835			4		Echo 1D resupply request received for this date.
		1230	5		Resupply to Echo 1D and Oscar "CAC" Unit.
		1315	6		Engineer team swept Anderson Trail East for mines suspected planted since morning road sweep.
		1400	7		Otters departed CP for road patrol and security.
		1500	8		Requested 3 additional house-keeping trucks and 3 trucks to satisfy request generated by SER #3 this date.
		1600	9		Echo Co returned to CP via helo.
1645			10		Water point reported main pump in operation.
2000			11		1st Marines reported only 3 trucks available for all requirements.
		2005	12		"n" Co. told only 2 trucks available for platoon switch.

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From: 0001 23 Feb 67
To: 2400 23 Feb 67

IN	TIME	OUT	SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
		0800	1		"H" Co provided one house-keeping truck to fill loss of one truck by Division. Refer SER #s 3 & 12 of 22 Feb 67.
		0900	2		Two Otters released back to 1st MF Bn.
0915			3		Received resupply request for this date from D6 "GAC".
0947			4		Received resupply for this date from Echo 1D.
1000			5		Received request from C-3 for engr request to destroy punji traps.
1030			6		Requested 4 vehicles at 1230 to pick up "G" Co.
		1130	7		Effectuated resupply to Echo 1D and D6.
1200			8		Requested by "H" Co, 2 Engineers mine clearance.
		1230	9		Sent 3 Engineers to "H" Co.
1245			10		4 trucks arrived to pick up "G" Co.
		1300	11		Engineers sent out to clear punji traps.
1400			12		Received report from "H" Co. Engineers on mine clearance suffered (1) KIA and (1) MIA.
		1415	13		Notified squad leader and called 1st Marines requesting they notify "A" Co, 1st Engr Bn of casualties suffered. Refer SER # 11 this date.
1430			14		Received resupply request from E1B
1515			15		"G" Co arrived at CP.
		1600	16		Requested 3 additional house-keeping vehicles.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 24 Feb 67
To: 2400 24 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	1100	1		Echo IA resupply effected.
	1230	2		Resupply to Echo 1D and D-6 effected.
	1400	3		requested 3 additional house-keeping vehicles for 25 Feb 67.
1900		4		Received confirmation on 2 trucks for house-keeping duties from 1st Marines. Refer SER # 3 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 25 Feb 67
To: 2400 25 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	1000	1		Remaining Otters departed CP for parent unit.
	1200	2		Resupply to Echo 1D and D-6 effected.
1500		3		Echo Company requested vehicles to take one plt to Echo 1D and pick one plt up and return to Bn CP at 1500h, 26 Feb 67.
	1600	4		requested 3 additional trucks for house-keeping duties.
1900		5		Received confirmation on 2 additional house-keeping trucks.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 4th Marines

From: 0001 27 Feb 67
To: 2400 27 Feb 67

TIME		SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
IN	OUT			
	0900	1		"H" Co. requested vehicles to conduct resupply.
	0915	2		Requested 3 Otters for Operation Lafayette.
	0930	3		Transportation provided "H" Co.
	1200	4		Effectuated Echo 1D and E-6 resupply.
	1400	5		Requested two additional house-keeping trucks.
	1900	6		Received confirmation on house-keeping vehicles. Refer SER # 5 this date. However, no confirmation on Otters. Refer SER # 2 this date.

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, Marines

From: 0001 26 Feb 67
To: 2400 26 Feb 67

TIME		SER	DTG	INCIDENTS/ISSUES
IN	OUT			
	1130	1		Effectuated resupply to Echo 10 and D-6.
	1200	2		"H" Co resupply completed
	1400	3		Requested 2 additional house-keeping vehicles.
	1500	4		"L" Co troop movement effected. Refer SER # 3, 25 Feb 67.
1600		5		LVAF's arrived this CP.
1930		6		Received confirmation on SER # 3 this date

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S-4 SECTION
2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

From: 0001 28 Feb 67
To: 2400 28 Feb 67

TIME				
IN	OUT	SER #	DTG	INCIDENTS/MESSAGES
	0900	1		Requested confirmation on Otters for Operation Lafayette. None available at this time.
1030		2		Engineers reported finding 75 lbs. of TNT and mine on Anderson Trail West.
	1130	3		Echo 1 Delta and D-6 was resupplied.
1430		4		(1) Otter arrived refer Ser #1 this date.
	1600	5		Requested 3 additional house-keeping vehicles.
1630		6		Second Otter arrived refer Ser #2 this date.
2030		7		4 additional Otters arrived refer Ser #1 this date.

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2nd Battalion, 1st Marines

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>MESSAGES</u>
1 Feb 67	0830	Distributed 80 CARE school kits at Thon Con Dau hamlet BT 035723.
	1100	Distributed 3,000 Vietnamese newspapers and 1,000 propaganda leaflets throughout the 1st Battalion TAOR.
	1330	Erected sign at intersection of Rt. #1 and Anderson Trail wishing local civilians best wishes for Tet.
	1500	Visited District Officials and Senior Army Advisor at Dien Ban District.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 57 CAC D 6 - 59 Thanh Quat RF Compound - 0
2 Feb 67	0700	A Vietnamese male who was mistaken for a Viet Cong was killed by a "H" Company ambush at Vien Toy (1) BT 045646.
	1300	13,000 Tet leaflets were given to the Companies for distribution in their areas.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 39 CAC D 6 - 7 Thanh Quat RF Compound - 0
3 Feb 67	0900	Visited Village Chief of Thanh Trong Village, toured school and discussed projects.
	1400	Visited "2" Company's positions to discuss psychological warfare and Civic Action projects.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 7 CAC D 6 - 76 Thanh Quat RF Compound - 0
4 Feb 67	0800	Dispatched working party to work on well for civilians at Yen No(1) AT 926463.
	1100	Erected banner at Quang Loc(1) BT 050503 wishing local civilians a happy Tet.
	1300	Visited District officials and Senior Army Advisor at Dien Ban District.
	1400	Visited USAID representative at Province headquarters in Hoi An.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 52 CAC D 6 - 0 Thanh Quat RF Compound - 0

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5 Feb 67 0800

Dispatched working party to work on well at Yen Ne(1).

0930

Sent steel stakes for fence around school at Than Con Dau BT 035723.

1030

Visited District Officials and Senior Area Advisor at Dien Ban with Commanding Officer, Executive Officer, and Sergeant Major. Attended dinner at Phong Ngu (1) BT 042620.

1400

"E" Company passed out 200 leaflets in their TAOR.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 23
CAC D 6 - 0
Thank, Quit RP Compound - 0

6 Feb 67 0800

Dispatched working party to complete well at Yen Ne(1).

1000

Brought MEDCAP supplies to "E" Company.

1100

"C" Company passed out 300 "Tet" leaflets in their TAOR.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 15
CAC Ir 4 - 0
Thank, Quit RP Compound - 0

7 Feb 67 0800

Attempted to procure a portable back pack speaker for psychological warfare operations.

1530

Received new shipment of psychological warfare leaflets from 1st Marines.

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 22
CAC Ir 4 - 0
Thank, Quit RP Compound - 0

8 Feb 67 0900

Distributed school supplies, towels, and toothbrushes to the people of Phong Ngu(2) BT 046602.

1100

Coordinated with the Senior Area Advisor at Dien Ban District in regard to enlarging school at Quang Loc Tay(1) BT 048602. Also discussed possibility of dispensary near Battalion area, and the hiring of a Vietnamese woman to work at our MEDCAP.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 29
CAC B 6 - 0
Thank, Quit RP Compound - 45

9 Feb 67 1030

Visited the Village Chief at Hoa Da Village to discuss relations with the people, and several Civic Action projects.

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DATE	TIME	MESSAGE
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 2 CAC D 6 - 5 Thank Quit RF Compound - 171
10 Feb 67	0800	Issued "Tet" leaflets to each of the Companies for distribution within their TAOR's.
	1000	Exchanged Tet gifts with the people from Bich Nam(2) BT 000638, and Phong Luc(1) BT 013638.
	1400	Distributed Civic Action Bulletins to each of the small unit leaders in the Battalion.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 27 CAC D 6 - 0 Thank Quit RF Compound - 104
11 Feb 67	1300	Issued 1,000 leaflets each to "G", "H", and "E" Companies for distribution within their TAOR's.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 5 CAC D 6 - 0 Thank Quit RF Compound - 0
12 Feb 67	0900	Coordinated with 1st Marines for several Civic Action projects; dispensary, nurse, and refugee camp.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 62 CAC D 6 - 34 Thank Quit RF Compound - 173
13 Feb 67	1000	Held a DENTCAP at Thon Con Dau BT 035725. Made plans with Village Chief for future DENTCAP's.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 110 CAC D 6 - 0 Thank Quit RF Compound - 87
14 Feb 67	0900	Sent letter to District Chief of Dien Ban District in regard to refugee camp, nurse, and dispensary.
	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 138 CAC D 6 - 48 Thank Quit RF Compound - 147
15 Feb 67	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 214 CAC D 6 - 84 Thank Quit RF Compound - 31
16 Feb 67	1530	MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 169 CAC D 6 - 47 Thank Quit RF Compound - 89

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17 Feb 67 1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 0
CAC D 6 - 0
Thanh Quit RF Compound - 76

18 Feb 67 1000

Checked with Naval Support Activity Hospital in DaNang in regard to their policies in dealing with Vietnamese civilians.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 82
CAC D 6 - 38
Thanh Quit RF Compound - 147

2200

Battalion S-5 left for JUSPAO School in Saigon.

19 Feb 67 1400

25,000 leaflets were dropped by plane by 244th Psychological Operations Company in the TAOR.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 118
CAC D 6 - 0
Thanh Quit RF Compound - 54

20 Feb 67 1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 172
CAC D 6 - 32
Thanh Quit RF Compound - 87

21 Feb 67 0900

A large amount of clothing was distributed at MEDCAP at Phong Ngu(1) BT 044622 and at Quang Loo Tay(1) 050601.

1300

3,000 newspapers were distributed at various points in the TAOR.

1500

150 CARE school kits and 2 large boxes of clothing were distributed at Trong Cong Diem school in Hon Phat Village.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 0
CAC D 6 - 37
Thanh Quit RF Compound - 206

22 Feb 67 0900

A large amount of clothing was distributed at MEDCAP in the Battalion area.

1530

MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 207
CAC D 6 - 0
Thanh Quit RF Compound - 0

23 Feb 67 0900

A large amount of clothing was distributed at MEDCAP in the Battalion area.

1115

Three Vietnamese were killed, and three others injured by a short mortar round at Phong Luc (3) BT 015623.

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MESSAGES

1230 A Vietnamese male reported to the Thanh Quit
Bridge BT 043620 position with a fragment wound
in his hip. he was evacuated to Dien Ban by truck.

1530 MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 295
 CAC D 6 - 0
 Thanh Quit RF Compound - 0

24 Feb 67 1000 1,500 newspapers were distributed at various
 points in the TAOR. Clothing was distributed
 at MEDCAP at Battalion area.

 1530 MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 237
 CAC D 6 - 31
 Thanh Quit PF Compound - 175

25 Feb 67 1000 A house was destroyed by two Ontos after receiving
 sniper fire from it at Phong Luc(3) BT 015623.

 1530 MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 283
 CAC D 6 - 36
 Thanh Quit RF Compound - 165

 1530 MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 208
 CAC D 6 - 0
 Thanh Quit RF Compound - 0

27 Feb 67 1000 S-5 returned from JUSPAO School in Saigon.

 1230 A Vietnamese woman was wounded by an air strike
 at Phong Ngu(2) BT 030614.

 1530 MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 209
 CAC D 6 - 0
 Thanh Quit RF Compound - 136

28 Feb 67 1530 MEDCAP: Battalion CP - 184
 CAC D 6 - 24
 Thanh Quit RF Compound - 0

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1 Feb 1967

BATTALION ORDER 1301.7B

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Assumption of Command

Ref: (a) NavRegs, Art. 0503

1. Purpose. To publish an Assumption of Command as required by reference (a).

2. Cancellation. BnO 1301.7A.

3. Directive. I have assumed the duties as Commanding Officer, 2d Battalion, 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division (Reinforced), Fleet Marine Force, Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, California, this date. All effective orders and directives issued by my predecessors remain in effect until changed by my order.

M. N. HEWLETT

DISTRIBUTION: "A"
CO, 1st Marines

S-3 JOURNAL
2nd Battalion, 2nd Marines

FROM: 01000H February 1967
TO: 012400H February 1967

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
E	S-3	0001	E/1/B has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0003	E/2/G now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
E	S-3	0240	E/2/C has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0400	All Secure.
E	S-3	0435	E/3/L now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	0500	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0505	All H&S LP's have returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0600	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0650	Road sweep now departing CP.
E	S-3	0900	E/1/B patrol at Ck Pt #1 (BT 993667).
E	S-3	1115	E/2/D has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1206	E/1/B patrol at Ck Pt #6 (BT 005665).
HP	S-3	1226	Request med-evac for 2 VN civilians, with shrapnel wounds, at BT 040620.
E	S-3	1229	E/1/B patrol at Ck Pt #5 (BT 993667).
F	S-3	1236	Received casualty report.
E	S-3	1237	At 1100H, E/1/B received 100 rounds small arms fire from LT 994647. Squad returned fire and observed 4 VC to fall, get up and run.
E	S-3	1400	E/3/B now departing CP.
E	S-3	1408	E/3/B patrol at Ck Pt #1 (BT 002700).
E	S-3	1430	E/3/B patrol at Ck Pt #2 (BT 004697).
E	S-3	1505	E/3/B patrol at Ck Pt #3 (BT 009706).
Note	S-3	1510	Twenty-five VN civilians have brought 14 VN bodies to Bn CP. Interrogation now in progress.
E	S-3	1554	E/3/B patrol at Ck Pt #4 (BT 011705).
E	S-3	1618	E/3/B has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	1653	H&S security patrol has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1658	E/1/B has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1745	E/2/D now departing CP.
S-4	S-3	1820	All trucks have returned to CP. Notified H&S Co.
1/51	S-2	1835	Received Intelligence report.
E	S-3	1910	E/2/A now departing CP.
E	S-3	1945	E/1/C now departing CP.
E	S-3	2005	E/1/C now set in night position.
H&S	S-3	2034	H&S/LP/5 now departing CP.
Note	S-3	2130	CP defense drill now in effect.
H&S	S-3	2227	H&S/LP/6 now departing CP.
E	S-3	2230	E/1/C now departing CP.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
E	S-3	2252	E/2/A has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	2330	Reports aircraft on final approach to air field received heavy small arms fire from the 0170 Grid Square. Information passed on to Co. E.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.
1st Lt. Lacey	S-3	0930	Change of command ceremony conducted. Lt. Col. N.M. Hewitt relieved Lt. Col. Maig. Donahue .

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FROM: 020000H February 1967
TO: 022400H February 1967

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
Regt	S-3	0130	Plane received small arms fire from several VC positions in GS 0170. Ten rounds hit fuselage from 3 different points.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0215	H&S/LP/1 has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0400	All Secure.
H	S-3	0405	H/3/A now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	0500	All Secure.
G	S-3	0505	G/2 now departing CP.
G	S-3	0518	G/2 patrol at Ck Pt #1 (BT 016621).
H	S-3	0600	H/3/A now set in position.
E	S-3	0650	E/2/D has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0650	Road sweep now departing CP.
E	S-3	0701	E/2/Y and E/LP/1 have returned to CP.
HO	S-3	0736	HO reports land line cut by VC last night. Land line pole was knocked down by VC at BT 047613. Propaganda was found written in English and VN around fallen pole. Road sweep has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0750	Received weather report.
Regt	S-2	0828	At 0650H, H3/A/2 at BT 045646 observed VN male, observing area site. VN male taken under fire. Search of area revealed 1 body of 50 year old VN male with no ID card, weapon, or papers. Two VN women recovered body. Young VN boy, about 16, tried to communicate with patrol leader regarding information about VC. Detainee will be forwarded to Bn S-2 for interrogation.
S-3	S-3	0850	H/3/A has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0910	G/2 now departing PPB.
G	S-3	1101	E/3/A now departing CP.
S	S-3	1107	At 1043H, G/2 at BT 013608 received 3 rounds carbine fire. One engineer was hit in flak jacket, but left him unharmed. Patrol returned fire but could not sweep area due to river barrier.
S	S-3	1119	E/3/A patrol at Ck Pt #2 (BT 005693).
H&S	S-3	1121	H&S security patrol now departing CP.
S-3	S-3	1122	

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G	S-3	1125	G/2 at Ck Pt#3 (BT 007615)
G	S-3	1130	G/2 at Ck Pt#4 (BT 008622)
G	S-3	1141	G/2 at Ck Pt#5 (BT 009630)
G	S-3	1200	G/2 has returned to CP.
AI	S-3	1210	Wire team departing CP.
E	S-3	1300	E/3/A at Ck Pt#6 (BT 000690).
31	S-3	1315	Wire team at SI 047614
E	S-3	1320	E/3/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1321	E/1/C has departed CP.
E	S-3	1322	H6 now departing CP.
E	S-3	1323	Received activities for 03 February. Patrol D3 working near T-28 boundary O359, 0459, Also C/S notified.
	S-3	1336	Returning to CP.
	S-3	1331	E/1/C at Ck Pt#1 (AF 999677).
	S-3	1404	C. departed CP.
	S-3	1406	Wire team has returned to CP.
	S-3	1423	H6 returned to CP.
	S-3	1425	C0 has arrived at H0 location.
	S-3	1507	E/1/C at Ck Pt#2 (BT 999659).
H&S	S-3	1523	H&S/SI/1 returned to CP.
E	S-3	1547	E/1/C at Ck Pt#3 (AF 999670).
G	S-3	1611	Co. G found 3.5 dud and engineers have blown in place.
E	S-3	1615	E/1/C returned to CP.
E	S-3	1620	E/2/D departed CP.
E	S-3	1745	E/1/C departed CP.
E	S-3	1750	E/2/D departed CP.
H0	S-3	1920	D6 now departing CP.
E	S-3	1930	E/1/A is now in night position.
H0	S-3	2104	H0 patrol returned to CP.
AF	S-3	2105	All Secure.
H, E	S-3	2304	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2330	All H&S LF's set in.
E	S-3	2340	Request illumination on suspected VC movement at BT 032726 and BT 28733.
E	S-3	2359	E/1/A returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
E	S-3	0005	E/3/A has departed CP.
E	S-3	0018	E/3/A patrol Ck Pt #1 (BT 009700).
E	S-3	0025	E/3/A patrol Ck Pt #2 (BT 005595).
E	S-3	0050	E/3/A set in night position.
HT	S-3	0200	All Secure.
E	S-3	0220	E/3/A has returned to CP.
K	S-3	0300	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0354	H&S/LF/5 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0400	E/1/C All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0401	H&S/LF/7 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0401	H&S/CP/6 has returned to CP.
	S-3	0410	H/2/A now departing CP.
E	S-3	0415	E/2/C now departing CP.
E	S-3	0430	H/3/A now departing CP.
G	S-3	0500	G3/SI/2 now departing L.
G	S-3	0526	G3 at Ck Pt #1.
R	S-3	0530	E/2/Y has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0540	H/2/A set in position.
E, H	S-3	0600	All Secure.
E	S-3	0628	E/1/C, E/2/D, E/2/Y have returned to CP.
E	S-3	0659	All Secure.
E	S-3	0738	E/1/C has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0756	Road sweep has returned.
E	S-3	0842	E/1/A now departing CP.
Regt	S-2	0843	Received weather report.
E	S-3	0856	E/2/D has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0938	G/3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 011635).
-3	Regt	1015	At 1010H, G3/CP/1 at BT 013638 discovered one M-26 grenade booby trapped to fence. Booby trap was blown in place.
G	S-3	1016	G/3 at Ck Pt #4.
G	S-3	1030	G/3 has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1045	Five VC spotted by AO at BT 091610. Notified Co G.
E	S-3	1132	E/1/A at Ck Pt #3 (BT 003680)
H	S-3	1145	H/2/A and H/3/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1200	E/1/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1203	E/3/C now departing CP.
E	S-3	1210	E/3/C at Ck Pt #1 (BT 006700).
E	S-3	1230	E/3/C at Ck Pt #2 (BT 004695).
Wire Team	S-3	1300	Wire team now departing CP.
E	S-3	1300	E/3/C at Ck Pt #3 (BT 092698).
G	S-3	1310	G/1 now departing CP.
E	S-3	1410	E/3/C at Ck Pt #4 (BT 005705).
G	S-3	1410	G/1 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 014620).
G	S-3	1430	E/3/C has returned to CP.

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G	S-3	1445	G/1 now at 1PB.
Note	S-3	1500	CG and S-3 actual departed CP by helicopter to Co F position.
1/51	S-3	1525	1/51 reports Marines harrassing VN villagers while building trenches and fortifications. Marines supposedly beat some villagers. 2/1 activity overlays show no activity in that area (BT 002667).
G	S-3	1539	Co G apprehended 3 VN males, one of which is KIA. Spot report to follow.
Note	S-3	1550	ontos with Co G unit now departing CP to evacuate wounded detainees.
Note	S-3	1615	CG with S-3 actual have returned to CP from helicopter recon of HUI L.C SON.
E	S-3	1529	E/2/D now departing CP.
S-3	Regt	1638	At 1523H, G1/CP/3 at BT 009614 observed 5 VC at BT 009616. One VC had weapon. Patrol opened fire and apprehended 3 VN male detainees. Patrol continuing search for other 2 with wpn. Additional troops and ontos dispatched from Bn CI to return detainees. Young VN boy, 11-12 yrs old, was also apprehended in area.
HQS	S-3	1644	Security Patrol returned to CP.
S	S-3	1701	E/2/B now at E/2/K position.
Regt	S-3	1800	Request 3 ontos from 2/1 to meet elements of 1/1 D Co at intersection of 1 and 14.
MP	S-3	1815	All vehicles returned to CP.
S-4	S-3	1819	All vehicles returned to CP.
Ontos	S-3	1838	Ontos from 2/1 will not meet elements of 1/1 D Co at intersection 1 and 14. Other ontos from 1st Bn will be sent down.
Ontos	S-3	1904	One ontos broken down at BT 012614 also have two ontos as security with infantry sqd with rockets and machine gun.
E	S-3	1913	E1B/SP/B has departed CP.
1/51	S-3	1915	Received intelligence report.
E	S-3	1925	E/2/C has departed CP.
E	S-3	1945	HO/1 now departing CP for night position.
E	S-3	1946	E1B/1/1 set in position at BT 990693.
2/51	S-3	1955	Will have ARVN elements at BT 995690 from 040800 to 041100.
MP	S-3	1956	Will have ARVN elements at BT 038638 from 031900 to 032300.
G	S-3	2000	G/1 departed CP at 1900.
G	S-3	2001	G/1/A and G/1/B in night positions G/1/A BT 00261, G/1/B BT 001611.
E	S-3	2020	E/2/D now departing CP.
G	S-3	2030	G/1/A in night position.
G	S-3	2100	All Secure.

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
H	S-3	2110	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2145	H&S/1 departed CF.
G	S-3	2150	G/2 has returned to CF on entos.
G	S-3	2151	E/1/B has returned to CF.
H	S-3	2152	All Secure.
G	S-3	2200	All Secure.
E	S-3	2205	E/2/C has returned to Cf.
G	S-3	2215	G/1 is set in <i>right</i> position.
H	S-3	2255	All Secure.
G	S-3	2305	All Secure.
G	S-3	2335	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
H	S-3	0003	All Secure Negative contact.
G	S-3	0005	G/1 all secure in night time position BT 004615.
G	S-3	0034	All Secure.
R	S-3	0105	All Secure negative contact.
H	S-3	0205	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0234	H&S/LP/5 Y/1 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0322	E/1 now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	0340	Y/2 has returned to CP.
H-R	ARVN	0415	ARVN have been notified of move to RT#1.
G	S-3	0420	G Co has departed CP.
S	S-3	0445	E/2 and E/3 All Secure.
G	S-3	0535	G/1 now moving into position.
E	S-3	0545	E/2/X has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0610	G/1 is set in position.
H	S-3	0611	All Secure.
E	S-3	0655	E/2/D, E/3/B and W/1/C have returned to CP.
H	S-3	0703	All Secure.
Note	S-3	0708	Co A (3) of 1/1 is working in direct support of 2/1 today.
G	S-3	0711	Co G day activities are all cancelled.
G	S-3	0720	Co G request emergency Medevac.
Regt	S-3	0725	Received weather report.
H	S-3	0733	H/3/L now departing night time position.
LACF	S-3	0735	Medevac completed.
H&S	S-3	0739	Road sweep completed.
G	S-3	0744	Co G LP continuing sweep.
G	S-3	0745	Spot report #4 At 0714H while conducting sweep a Co member detonated 1 M-26 grenade rigged with trip wire, resulting in 3 W/L'S. One non evac and 2 medevac.
H&S	S-3	0750	H&S/LP/1 road sweep has returned to CP.
CO	S-3	0858	Co and S3 have departed CP.
H	S-3	0920	H/2/L now departing night time position.
H	S-3	0929	H/2/L now returning to CP.
H	S-3	0930	E/3/L now departing CP.
H	S-3	0934	E/3/L now at Ck Pt #1 (BT 001699).
H	S-3	0955	H/2/L has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0958	E/3/L now at Ck Pt #2 (BT 005693).
G Co	S-3	1010	Info: G6 states that east bank at (BT 006646) is too high for amtracks, 60 meters wide and current very swift, and is too deep to ford, request further instructions.


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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
E	S-3	1032	E/2/L now at CP Pt #3 (BT 015599).
G	S-3	1100	Received resupply from Co G.
E	S-3	1120	E/3/L has returned to CP.
HES	S-3	1120	Patrol has departed CP.
HES	S-3	1125	Patrol at CP Pt #1 (BT 015539).
S-3	Regt	1223	Sent message to Regt. BAIK B/CLE Co G.
G	S-4	1424	Received resupply for Co G.
E	S-3	1510	Received message for B. Linary.
S Actual	S-3	1528	S/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1540	Co G is in position 0064 GA.
E	S-3	1548	E/1 has returned to CP, F1B/CP/2.
G	S-3	1606	Co G has island completely surrounded.
G	S-3	1612	Spot Report AT 041554Z Co G S/B observed 4 VC with weapons attempting to cross river, fired on VC and 2 were hit, did not pursue due to river barrier.
G	S-3	1626	Received resupply coordinates for G1 and G2 (BT 013054).
E	S-3	1631	Co E requests medevac.
HES	S-3	1632	HES/SF/I has returned to CP.
TACP	S-3	1650	Medevac completed.
G	S-3	1710	VN forces are on the island.
MT	S-3	1711	MT reports 2 vehicles still out.
H	S-3	1728	H1 departed CP with resupply for Co G with autos escort.
S-3	G	1729	Be advised that H1 has departed CP for your position.
Note	S-3	1730	Info: on medevac for Co G, a VN woman was sick, and was brought to E Co CP for medevac.
G	S-3	1731	MT reports all vehicles are in.
G	S-3	1732	ARVN forces have engaged 3 VC on island.
G	S-3	1743	ARVN forces have reported 2 VC captured on island. One VC KIA.
E	S-3	1810	E/2/D has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1842	Spot Report #9 At 041742Z Co G observed 2 VC with weapons at coordinate BT012655. Fired 60 rounds small arms fire.
	S-3	1855	E/2/D arrived at E/2/L position.
	S-3	1900	E/2/A has departed CP.
	S-3	1935	Info: 1/51 captured 2VC, 1 VN VCC who died at 041930H at BT 012655. Captured cartridge belt, one Chicom, 4 M-26 grenades, 2 captives will lead ARVN to caves tomorrow.
	S-3	1954	E/1/C now set in night time position.
	S-3	2005	E/1/B and E/2/B All Secure.

TIME	REPORT	TIME	DESCRIPTION
S-3	2020	2030	Co G reports all secure.
S-3	2030		Spot Report Co G SED at 041745L, at 01 008648 ob- served one VC fleeing at 01 008050. Opened fire on VC. VC observed to have fallen. Area swept and found one VC wounded, age approximately 30 yrs old. 1 VCC MIA.
S-3	2057		All Secure.
S-3	2058		All Secure.
S-3	2277		E/L/C has returned to CP.
S-3	2255		All Secure.
S-3	2309		All Secure.
S-3	2400		All Secure.

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FROM: 050600Z February 1967
 TO: 051400Z February 1967

	T	TIME	REMARKS
All Units	S-3	0018	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
L&C	S-3	0300	All Secure.
M	S-3	0535	E/3/A has departed CP.
E	S-3	0556	E/3/A now at Ck Pt #1.
G	S-3	0625	All Secure.
F	S-3	0640	E/3/A now at Ck Pt #2.
HES	S-3	0700	Road sweep has departed CP.
HO	S-3	0800	H/O has returned to CP.
HES	S-3	0801	HES patrol has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0805	Line sweep team has joined with ARVN forces and are now commencing the search.
F	S-3	0808	E/2/A has departed E/2/X CP.
G	S-3	0821	Reovac has been completed.
B	S-3	0845	E/3/A has returned to CP.
B	S-3	1000	E/1/C now at Ck Pt #1 (AT 998667).
B	S-3	1050	E/1/C now at Ck Pt #2 (BT 003673).
E	S-3	1120	E/1/C now at Ck Pt #3 (AT 998670).
G	S-3	1125	Info: Co. B states that the VN forces seem to be burning the grass down.
E	S-3	1145	E/1/C has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1155	G6 reports that all friendly forces and VN forces have departed the island. All VII forces are returning to their CP.
G	S-3	1248	G6 units are returning to CP.
S-3	G6	1257	Be advised 3 vehicles will meet G1 and H1. One unit will remain behind for additional trip.
B	S-3	1300	E/3B has departed CP.
MT	S-3	1320	Cancel AT patrol due to operation.
E	S-3	1325	E/3/B at Ck Pt #1 (BT 004694).
G	S-3	1327	G1 & G2 have returned to CP.
S	S-3	1405	E/3/B at Ck Pt #3 (AT 992698).
Ontos	S-3	1428	Ontos have returned to CP.
G	S-3	1430	G & H1 have returned to CP.
B	S-3	1521	E/3/B has returned to CP.
MT	S-3	1710	H2 now departing CP.
H	S-3	1711	Two vehicles are still outside CP.
H	S-3	1733	H/3/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	1740	H/3/B has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1915	E/1/L now departing CP.
E	S-3	1926	E/3/C now departing CP.
H	S-3	1929	H/3/A now departing CP for night activities.

FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
H	S-3	1930	H/3/B now departing GP for night time activities.
E	S-3	1951	E/3/D at Ck Pt #1 (SF 006695).
E	S-3	1951	E/2/Y now departing GP.
H	S-3	1953	H/1/O now departing GP.
H	S-3	2003	E/2/D now departing GP.
H	S-3	2010	H/3/A now set in night time position.
H	S-3	2030	H/3/B now set in night time position.
H	S-3	2045	E/3/C at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	2122	H/1/A now set in night time position.
H	S-3	2135	E/3/C at Ck Pt #3.
H	S-3	2158	E/1/A has returned to GP, E/2/L has departed GP.
H	S-3	2159	All Secure.
HES	S-3	2200	HES/LP/6 & HES/LP/7 & HES/LA/5 & Y1, Y2 and Y3 have departed GP.
E	S-3	2325	E/3/B has returned to GP.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
E	S-3	0615	E21/A/4 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0616	E2 and E3 All Secure.
E	S-3	0200	All Secure.
E	S-3	0208	All Secure.
E	S-3	0245	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0328	Y1 and H&S/LP/5 have returned to CP.
H	S-3	0345	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0405	H&S/LP/6 and 7 have returned to CP.
E	S-3	0406	E/1/C has departed CP.
H&S	S-3	0640	Road sweep now departing CP.
E	S-3	0641	All Secure.
E	S-3	0645	E/1/C has returned to CP.
H&O	S-3	0710	H10 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0725	Road secure to Highway 1.
H&S	S-3	0745	Road sweep has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0805	H/3/B is at (BT 010635) H/3/L is at (BT 004633) H3 is acting with H/3/S.
Regt	S-2	0820	Weather report.
H	S-3	0825	H/3/L and H/3/B have returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	0835	Sent addition to day activities.
Regt	S-3	0845	From 1300Z to 1800Z 2/1 has the area east of the railroad to the boundary. Extending north and south between Grid-line 63 and the SONG LA TAO RIVER.
Ontos	S-3	0900	Three Ontos now departing CP on patrol.
Ontos	S-3	0943	Info: Ontos spotted 10 VC males running toward the village at (LT 99812). Negative do not pursue by order of CO.
Regt	S-3	0950	Received info concerning clearance for E Co patrol, into 1/26 T.GR, west 985 and south to 69 GL. Time 1800 to 0600, passed to Co E CO.
BN CO	S-3	1010	Bn CO has departed CP.
H	S-3	1025	H/2/A and B, H2/CP/2 have returned to CP.
BN CO	S-3	1130	CO is securing from the Bn T.C Net.
Regt	S-3	1135	Received info report.
Ontos	S-3	1230	Ontos have returned to CP.
E	S-3	1255	G2 now departing CP.
E	S-3	1309	E/1/L now departing CP.
E	S-3	1310	G2 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 001615).
E	S-3	1325	G2 at Ck Pt #2 (LT 999619).
E	S-3	1340	E/1/L at Ck Pt #1 (LT 989683).

FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
E	S-3	1357	E/3/A now departing CP.
E	S-3	1415	E/3/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 005694).
E	S-3	1418	E/1/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 003688).
E	S-3	1454	E/1/A at Ck Pt #3 (BT 993688).
E	S-3	1503	E/3/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 014708).
E	S-3	1510	E/1/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1555	G2 has returned IPB.
H&S	S-3	1600	H&S/SP/1 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1601	Spot Report #9 at 1615h, G/CP/1 observed a VN male age 35 years old with no weapon, at (BT 087614) male started running, failed to halt when challenged and was killed.
MT	S-3	1701	MI reports 3 vehicles are still out.
H&S	S-3	1702	H&S/SP/1 have returned to CP.
E	S-3	1723	E/2/D has arrived at E/Y position.
G	S-3	1820	Info Report: received 2 rounds small arm fire, returned 81mm rounds but did not sweep area due to river barrier.
H	S-3	1835	Received 10 rounds small arms fire, returned fire and M-79. Continued mission.
E	S-3	1845	E/3/Y has departed CP.
H	S-3	1900	H/CP will be at BT 037606 all night.
E	S-3	1930	E/1/B has departed CP.
G	S-3	1945	G/2/A now set in night time position.
H	S-3	1950	All of Co G's elements have left for night time positions.
E	S-3	1955	E/3/A at Ck Pt #2.
E	S-3	2000	E/2/D has departed CP.
S-3	Regt	2100	SR/16 MI/88/1 at 061950H at BT02815 observed 7 VC moving west along river at BT 028617. Opened fire on VC with 50 rounds small arms fire, observed 1 VC to drop, called 81mm illumination, searched area, found pool of blood and a drag trail. One VC KIA (probable).
H	S-3	2115	H/3/S set in ambush sight (BT 032602).
E	S-3	2117	E/3/C at Ck Pt #3 (BT 999701).
E	S-3	2130	E/3/C has returned to CP.
G	S-3	2200	All Secure.
H	S-3	2202	All Secure.
H	S-3	2209	All Secure.
H	S-3	2213	H/1/A set in ambush sight (BT 991698).
H	S-3	2214	H/1/B set in position (BT 994687).
H	S-3	2230	H/2/A set in ambush sight (BT 032606).
H	S-3	2231	H01 in night ambush sight (BT 055605).
H	S-3	2240	H/3/L set in ambush sight (BT 025597).

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E	S-3	2241	E/1/B has returned to CP.
E	S-3	2255	E21/W-1 All Secure.
W	S-3	2306	All Secure.
W	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
H	S-3	0010	All Secure.
H, G	S-3	0100	All Secure.
G	S-3	0203	All Secure.
H	S-3	0240	All Secure.
H	S-3	0312	All Secure.
H	S-3	0404	All Secure.
G	S-3	0410	All Secure.
E	S-3	0415	B23/L/3 now departing CP.
E	S-3	0425	B25/L/3 now set in position.
V	S-3	0503	All Secure.
G	S-3	0504	All Secure.
G	S-3	0550	All Secure.
S	S-3	0608	E/2/B has returned to CP.
S	S-3	0618	All Secure.
S	S-3	0635	All Co E units have returned to CP.
R&S	S-3	0640	R&S/L/6 Y1, R&S/L/7 Y2, R&S/L/1 Y3 have returned to CP.
R&S	S-3	0700	Road sweep now departing CP.
G	S-3	0800	G2 at Ck Pt #4.
G	S-3	0810	G2 at Ck Pt #5.
G	S-3	0815	E/1/B has departed CP.
G	S-3	0830	E/1/B at Ck Pt #1.
E	S-3	0900	E/3/A at Ck Pt #1.
G	S-3	0900	G2 at Ck Pt #1.
G	S-3	0903	All Co G elements have returned to CP.
L	S-3	0915	E/3/A Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	0923	Co H med-evac for 1 VM male at BT 027611.
E	S-3	0957	E/3/A Ck Pt #3 (LT 995700).
G	S-3	1011	G3/C/3 has been cancelled.
E	S-3	1020	E3/C/2 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1023	E13/C/3 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1030	Spot Report # at 070845H, H1 received small arms fire from treeline (BT 027611) observed 1 male running, Marines opened fire resulting in 1 VC KIA, KIA medevaced.
H	S-3	1035	Spot Report at 070845H, H/1/3 observed 2VC fleeing from treeline, when Marines were approaching. Marines opened fire killing 1 VC the other fled by swimming across river.
H	S-3	1230	H Co has returned to CP.
Note	S-3	1319	Frag Order 109-67

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
			Delay execution of T ADK exchange prescribed in Frag Order 109-67 until further notice.
Ontos	S-3	1325	AT's now departing for main gate.
CG	S-3	1335	CG and S-3 actual now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	1650	H&S/SP/1 now returning to CP.
MT	S-3	1706	MT has 3 vehicles still out.
S-3	Regt	1711	Changes and additions, to day and night activities for 07 February and 08 February.
S-3	Regt	1725	Send changes and additions for 07 February of SIB//4 and EIC//1/1.
MT	S-3	1835	All vehicles have returned to CP.
G	S-3	1836	B23 now departing CP.
ARVN	S-3	1955	Request to fire 1 M artillery round at BT045650.
HO	S-3	1956	HO1 has departed CP.
1/51	S-3	2000	Received intelligence report and passed onto S-2. Also passed on to Regt and Co E.
S-3	Regt	2010	Passed changes in activities to Regt.
HO	S-3	2045	HO requested illumination.
H&S	S-3	2235	H&S/LP/6 Y1 has departed CP.
H&S	S-3	2237	H&S/LP/7 Y2 has departed CP.
S	S-3	2239	EIC//1/5 now set in night time position.
E	S-3	2340	B21//1/2 has been canceled.
E	S-3	2355	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
E	S-3	0100	E/1/C has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0100	All Secure.
E	S-3	0210	All Secure.
E	S-3	0225	E/3/A has departed CP.
E	S-3	0342	E/3/A now at Ck Pt #2.
H&S	S-3	0350	Y3 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0353	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0414	Y1 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0417	Y2 has returned to CP.
E, H	S-3	0458	All Secure.
E	S-3	0515	E/3/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0552	All Secure.
Note	S-3	0700	TR trace observance now in effect.
G-3	S-3	0701	G-3 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0715	E20/CP/4 has returned to CP.
ME6	S-3	0725	Road sweep All Secure.
HO	S-3	0740	H01/L/2 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0745	G/3/A at Ck Pt #1, G/3/B at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	0815	H3/CP/1 has departed CP.
E	S-3	0836	E/2/D now departing E/2/X CP.
G	S-3	0837	G/3/A Ck Pt #2 (BT 008632).
Regt	S-3	0844	Received weather report.
G	S-3	0846	G/3/A now at Ck Pt #3.
E	S-3	0900	E/1/A now set in position.
E	S-3	0945	H3 now at Ck Pt #1 (BT 054626).
G-3	Regt	1040	H&S LP's as additions have been sent to Regt.
S	S-3	1107	E/3/B has departed CP.
G-3	Regt	1114	Sent changes of 1.2 to Regt.
E	S-3	1115	E/3/B now at Ck Pt #1 (BT 005695).
E	S-3	1135	H3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 058593).
S	S-3	1204	E/3/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 004700).
G	S-3	1205	at 091045H G/3/A had male age 39 walk to its position at 013637 with hurt hand. Being brought to Bn CP for treatment.
H	S-3	1215	E/2 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1307	E/1/C has departed CP.
G	S-3	1308	E1 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 016620).
E	S-3	1316	E/3/B has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1330	E/1/C at Ck Pt #1 (BT 997589).
G	S-3	1415	G/3/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 010637).
G	S-3	1416	G/1/A has departed CP (BT 013614).
E	S-3	1420	E/1/C at Ck Pt #2.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
S-3 Actual	S-3	1421	S-3 Actual now departing CP.
G	S-3	1530	G/1/A has returned to PPB (BT 013 614).
G	S-3	1540	G/3/A has made contact with 1/26 at (BT 003633).
H	S-3	1550	E/1/C has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1620	E/1/A now at position (BT 139859).
S	S-3	1625	E/1/A arrived at (BT 139859) at 0930. secured area L2 set up defense, checked out immediate area. No indication of VC activities. Activities for each day will be constant patrolling during daylight hours. All patrols will be within 500 meters of our position (MT 189919).
S-3	Regt	1708	Called changes on Co E to Regt.
MT	S-3	1710	Three vehicles are still out.
G	S-3	1720	G/3/B has returned to CP.
MT	S-3	1800	All vehicles are in.
E	S-3	1842	E/1/A is securing from the Bn T.O.
H	S-3	1850	H2 has departed CP.
E	S-3	1903	E/1/A All Secure.
HO	S-3	1940	H01 activities are cancelled for tonight.
E	S-3	1947	E1B/A/1 has departed CP.
S-3	regt	1952	Called in cancellation of H01/A/1 activities.
G	S-3	2010	G1A/A/1 and G1B/A/2 are now set in night line position.
E	S-3	2015	E/2/D has departed CP.
S-3	regt	2020	regt informed of contact by Co H. Area swept with negative results, no spot report was turned in.
E	S-3	2130	E/1/A All Secure.
E	S-3	2150	E/2/B has departed CP.
E	S-3	2215	E/1/B has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	2300	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
L&S	S-3	0122	M/S S/sector requests 1 round illumination.
S	S-3	0150	E/1/A All Secure.
G	S-3	0155	G/1 All Secure.
S	S-3	0255	E/2/A departing lines All Secure.
H	S-3	0300	All Secure.
S	S-3	0400	All Secure.
S	S-3	0515	E/2/A has returned to CP.
S	S-3	0600	All Secure.
E/1/A	S-3	0720	Starting to conduct patrols. They will be 2 hours duration & will be conducted all day.
G	S-3	0741	G/3/A completed road sweep of Anderson Trail west.
G	S-3	0803	G/3/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 032643) completed Anderson Trail sweep East.
G	S-3	0805	G/3/B at Ck Pt #3 (BT 029625).
S-3	S-3	0825	Spot report #1 At 0745 a 2 squad recon patrol received light small arms fire from BT 030603. returned fire with small arms and 81's. Swept area with negative results.
Regt	S-2	0840	Received weather report.
G	S-3	0845	G/3/B at Ck Pt #4.
G	S-3	0855	G1 Ck Pt #4 (BT 007621).
Wire Team	S-3	0858	Wire Team now departing CP.
Note	S-3	1000	3/1 operation SEARCHY has been completed.
S-3	Regt	1030	Addition to activities for Co H, day 09 February.
Wire Team	S-3	1045	Wire Team has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1115	Spot report #6 At 1030h at (BT 998707) E3 spotted a raft with a VC flag floating down river. Dispatched boat to get flag.
E	S-3	1210	E/1/A has departed CP.
E	S-3	1230	E/3/C at Ck Pt #4.
E	S-3	1240	E/3/C has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1244	G/3/ at Ck Pt #5.
G	S-3	1247	G/3/C has returned to HQ CP.
Wire Team	S-3	1250	Wire Team has departed CP.
G	S-3	1254	G2 has departed CP.
S	S-3	1300	E/1/B has departed CP.
Wire Team	S-3	1310	Wire Team has reached HWY #1 and now they are working their way back to G.

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Unit	Time	Time	Event
Ontos	S-3	1311	E/1/A now departing CP.
E	S-3	1315	E/1/B at Ck Pt #1 (BT 998674).
S-3	Regt	1320	At 1320, C/sgt took one round small arms fire.
E	S-3	1347	E/1/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 998669).
G	S-3	1352	G2 has returned to PFB (BT 006618).
H	S-3	1401	H/1/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	1414	H/1/L at Ck Pt #1 (BT 985617).
Ontos	S-3	1435	Ontos set in position at (BT 012611).
E	S-3	1454	E/1/B at Ck Pt #3 (BT 008675).
H	S-3	1513	H/1/L at Ck Pt #2 (BT 030613).
Wire Team	S-3	1523	Wire Team has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1532	G/2/B now departing PFB.
E	S-3	1546	E/1/B at Ck Pt #4 (BT 004687).
Ontos	S-3	1547	Ontos has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1605	E/1/B at Ck Pt #5 (BT 994685).
S-3	Regt	1618	Received message on curfew for Tet.
E	S-3	1627	E/1/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1700	G/3/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1707	G/3/A & G/3/C have returned to CP.
E	S-3	1717	E/2/D has departed CP.
NT	S-3	1719	One vehicle still out.
R. Co	S-3	1755	VC flag found at (BT 029667).
E	S-3	1800	All patrols secured for the day.
G	S-3	1801	G/2/B returned to PFB at 1715.
NT	S-3	1815	All vehicles are in.
E	S-3	1820	E/2/D has returned to PFB.
E	S-3	1840	Received change in E/1/C ambush sight from Co B passed on to artillery and Regt.
E	S-3	1910	E/1/C has departed CP.
Regt	S-3	1923	On 10 February 1968 there will be a meeting for all S-3's at Regt CP.
E	S-3	1955	E/3/C now departing CP.
E	S-3	2000	E/2/D now departing CP.
E	S-3	2001	E/1/L All Secure.
E	S-3	2008	E/1/C now set in position in night time position.
E	S-3	2012	E/3/C at Ck Pt #1.
H&S	S-3	2030	H&S/Y2 has departed CP.
H&S	S-3	2035	Late Entry, H&S/Y1 left CP at 2000.
G	S-3	2055	G Co units All Secure.
E	S-3	2059	E/1/A All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2109	Y3 has departed CP.
D6	S-3	2123	D6 night activities have been cancel- led because PFB did not show up.
E	S-3	2150	E/3/C at Ck Pt #2.
E	S-3	2200	E/1/L All Secure.

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NO.	TIME	STATUS	REMARKS
S-3	2230	E/1/C	has returned to CF.
S-3	2250	E/3/C	has returned to CF.
S-3	2253	All Securo	
S-3	2258	All Securo	
S-3	2300	E/2/A	has departed CF.
S-3	2350	All Securo	
S-3	2351	All Securo	
S-3	2352	E/1/A	All Securo.

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FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
G, N, LIA	S-3	0100	All Secure.
E	S-3	0105	E/2/B has returned to CP.
LIA, G	S-3	0200	All Secure.
G	S-3	0300	All Secure.
E	S-3	0415	E/1/A All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0430	Y1 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0443	Y2 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0445	Y3 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0450	All Secure.
LIA, H, G	S-3	0600	All Secure.
G	S-3	0616	G/3/B now departing CP.
G	S-3	0618	H/1/B & H/1/C now set in night time position.
G	S-3	0640	G/3/S road sweep to the east has been completed, H&S notified.
G	S-3	0644	G/3/A has departed CP swooping west.
E	S-3	0735	E/2/Y has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0745	G/3/A has completed road sweep, H&S notified.
E	S-3	0752	E/1/A now commencing day activities.
H	S-3	0753	H/1/A at HQ position.
G	S-3	0754	G/3/A at Ck It #2.
G	S-3	0755	G/3/B now set in position.
G	S-3	0756	G/3/C now set in position.
G	S-3	0807	G2 now departing IPB (BT 001611).
regt	S-3	0808	Report a large body of people moving west at (BT 056617).
G	S-3	0816	G2 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 011616).
G	S-3	0830	G/3/A Ck Pt #4 (BT 002628).
G	S-3	0831	G2 at Ck It #4 (BT 015620).
regt	S-3	0832	A0 reports that the large group of people are moving faster and getting large logs to float across river, they are also removing their clothing.
G	S-3	0850	G2 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0855	G3A at CP (BT 001635).
G	S-3	0925	H/1/C at Ck Pt #1 (BT 000678).
G	S-3	0950	H1 sweep complete with negative results.
E	S-3	1010	E/1/C at Ck It #2 (BT 012684).
regt	S-3	1018	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #26.
regt	S-3	1040	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #29.
regt	S-3	1050	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #30.
G	S-3	1100	G/3/B now departing CP (BT 024639).
E	S-3	1101	E/1/C at Ck It #3 (BT 997688).

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Regt HP	S-3	1110	Rough Rider Ck Pt #36.
	S-3	1115	Possible 2 Bns of VC moving through THANG QUAT during next 3 days. VC maybe trying to join their families for New Year. This info came from sector QUANG NAM and considered A-3 information. VC maybe dressed in ARVN uniforms.
E	S-3	1120	E/1/C has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1130	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #27.
G	S-3	1211	Emergency Med-evac for 2 USMC MIA's with shrapnel wounds in head and lower body. (BT 001640).
Regt	S-3	1212	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #21.
Regt	S-3	1230	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #31.
G	S-3	1255	G/3/B has returned to CP.
Air	S-3	1301	Completion of Med-evac for 2 US MIA's of G/3/L.
S-3	Regt	1304	Spot report B3A/SP/2 at 101200H at (BT 001640), squad member activated trip wire on M-26 grenade. Med-evac'd casualties. Total elapsed time for Med-evac 45 min- utes.
G	S-3	1305	G/3/A has returned to CP (LT 999637).
G	S-3	1306	G1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	1315	G1 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 17621).
G	S-3	1325	G1 now setting up at PPB (BT 014616).
Regt	S-3	1353	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #37.
Regt	S-3	1400	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #28.
E	S-3	1410	E/3/B now departing CP.
G	S-3	1411	G/1/B now departing PPB (BT 014616).
E	S-3	1412	E/3/B at Ck Pt #1 (005695).
Regt	S-3	1430	Rough Rider receiving small arms fire south of Ck Pt #28.
E	S-3	1447	E/3/B Ck Pt #2 (BT 992699).
G	S-3	1455	G/1/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 010608).
G	S-3	1515	G/1/B back at PPB (BT 014616).
Regt	S-3	1600	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #29.
G	S-3	1605	G/3/A now departing CP enroute to CP.
S-3 Actual	Info	1615	S-3 Actual now departing CP enroute to Regt CP.
E	S-3	1617	E/3/B at Ck Pt #3 (LT 999703).
Regt	S-3	1625	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #33.
G	S-3	1633	G/3/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1640	E/3/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1650	All Co G units have returned to CP.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
1/5A	S-3	1651	reports that one USMC vehicle with flat tire. Request NT to dispatch a spare tire. Message passed to NT.
Regt	S-3	1654	Rough Rider has reached destination.
NT	S-3	1730	Five vehicles still out.
S-3 Actual	S-3	1745	S-3 actual has returned to CP.
NT	S-3	1807	All vehicles are in CI.
B	S-3	1820	All Secure.
B	S-3	1843	E/2/D has departed CP.
B	S-3	1845	E/1/C returned to CP at 1713.
D-6	S-3	2000	D-6 had no PF's report for duty (14) men left. CO notified. Night activities cancelled. (100%) alert.
S-3	Regt	1823	Cancel Co H activities for tonight also Co H will have Anderson Trail security.
E/1/A	S-3	2100	All Secure.
H	S-3	2101	Now checking into MET.
H	S-3	2120	H/1/A moving by trucks and Ontos to D-6. ARVN's notified of activity.
H	S-3	2150	H/1/A has reached D-6.
G	S-3	2151	CI now departing night time position.
E/1/A	S-3	2153	All Secure.
E	S-3	2200	E/1/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	2210	H1 and D-6 all Secure.
G	S-3	2225	CI has returned to CP.
E	S-3	2230	E/1/B now set in night time position.
All Units	S-3	2300	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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TIME	TO	FILE	Notes
All Units	U-3	C100	All Secure.
All Units	U-3	C200	All Secure.
B	U-3	C230	B/2/A has returned to Cf.
B/1/A	U-3	C300	All Secure.
B	U-3	C301	All Secure.
B/1/A	U-3	C405	All Secure.
B	U-3	C415	All Secure.
B	U-3	C800	B/2/B has returned to Cf.
H, H1, H	U-3	C501	All Secure.
H	U-3	C545	B/1/B returned to Cf at C100.
H, H1, H	U-3	C600	All Secure.
B/2/Y	U-3	C610	Has returned to Cf.
H/S	U-3	C611	H/S B/1, B/2 and B/3 have returned to Cf.
G	U-3	C645	G/3/A now departing Cf.
Ontos	U-3	C650	Ontos have returned to Cf.
H	U-3	C710	H/A has returned to Cf.
G	U-3	C717	G/3/B now departing Cf.
G	U-3	C707	G/3/A has returned to Cf.
Asst	U-3	C748	LVT's will be working along V10H Ditch diver today.
G	U-3	C750	G/3/A has returned to Cf.
H	U-3	C800	B/1/A now departing Cf.
G	U-3	C830	G/3/B has returned to Cf., road sweep completed.
Wire Team	U-3	C850	Wire Team has departed Cf.
Asst	U-2	C900	Received weather report.
B	U-3	C915	B/1/B now departing Cf.
U-3 Actual	U-3	1.17	U-3 Actual at 3/1.
Wire Team	U-3	1.51	Wire Team has returned to Cf.
U-3	Asst	1200	Effective 1200H B/1 assures Cf COM 3/1 T/OH.
B	U-3	1207	B/1/B has returned to Cf.
G	U-3	1207	Co H now leaving Cf.
Note	U-3	1307	All 3/1 "M" units and 3/1 departed Cf.
B	U-3	1400	B/3/C has departed Cf.
G	U-3	1405	Co G arrived at 3/1 Cf.
Asst	U-3	1.16	CG now departing Cf.
Supply	U-3	1430	Function fire.
H	U-3	1513	H. in route to CG 650.570 one squad to investigate report of one platoon of VC in area.
Wire Team	U-3	1516	Wire Team has returned to Cf.
H	U-3	1545	H/A now departing Cf.
H/S	U-3	1555	Y2 has returned to Cf.
H/S	U-3	1558	Y1 has returned to Cf.

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FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
E	S-3	1620	E/3/C at Check #3 (BT 00704).
E	S-3	1625	E/3/C has returned to C.
G	S-3	1637	All elements at 3/1 CP.
H	S-3	1646	H/1/A at NO position.
E	S-3	1700	E/2/D has departed C.
MT	S-3	1719	One vehicle not in.
E	S-3	1725	E/2/D at E/2/A position.
G	S-3	1730	G1 at 3/1 old area.
3/1	S-3	1745	Cancel Co's K, L and I activities for 3/1. Co's M, GAC and H&S will continue. Co. G will submit activities ASAP.
H&S	S-3	1800	All vehicles are in.
E	S-3	1855	E/2/C has departed C.
E	S-3	1900	E/1/A All Secure.
S-3	Regt	1915	Passed changes of EIC/D1/2.
G	S-3	1950	G2 has departed 3/1 C.
H	S-3	2000	All Secure.
E/1/A	S-3	2003	All Secure.
D	S-3	2004	D/SP/6 now departing C.
3/1	S-3	2010	All 3/1 CP's have departed C.
G	S-3	2015	Received Co G's activities.
G	S-3	2016	G2 at Check #1.
S-3	Regt	2050	Notified Regt of Co G's activities for 11 February.
3/1/ C, G D	S-3	2051	One Co of VC at 075712.
H&S	S-3	2055	H&S/1 & 2 have departed C.
E1A, H	S-3	2100	All Secure.
H	S-3	2115	H/A/1 now departing C.
H	S-3	2129	On TRANH QUIE Bridge can hear VC telling the people to stay in their houses the next two days.
S-3	BM	2130	Co's E and H notified of VC at 075712; Marble Mountain on south side. Mission to mortar Air Base.
HR	S-3	2133	VC are using a Bull Horn about 500 meters west of H position.
M	S-3	2200	OP on Crows Nest, received one grenade. Returned 3 grenades. No further contact.
M	S-3	2202	M/SP/4 has returned to C.
E/1/A	S-3	2203	All Secure.
E	S-3	2205	E/2/C has returned to C.
S-3	Regt	2220	Spot report #8 M/OP at (BT 067704) received one incoming grenade. Returned 3 grenades will search area at first light.
D	S-3	2302	D/SP/5 has returned to C.
S	S-3	2304	All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
G	S-3	2313	O2 now set in night time position.
E	S-3	2317	E/1/A All secure.
D	S-3	2322	D/SF/7 has departed. CP.
M	S-3	2352	M/1/1 has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	2400	All secure.

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S	S-3	0003	All Units All Secure.
H/1/B	S-3	0004	H/1/B approaching front gate. Info: Believe to have 4 VC pinned down by illumination, dispatched 1 squad Co H to investigate.
H E D H	S-3	0021	H/1/B now departing CP.
	S-3	0222	E/1/A All Secure.
	S-3	0035	D/SP/7 has returned to CP.
	S-3	0043	H/1/B now returning to CP. Negative contact.
H G M E N G E H N M H E	S-3	0048	H/1/B has returned to CI.
	S-3	0105	All Secure.
	S-3	0110	Activity M/SP/6 Negative contact.
	S-3	0112	E/1/A All Secure.
	S-3	0140	Activity M/SP/5 Negative contact.
	S-3	0200	All Secure.
	S-3	0201	E/1/A All Secure.
	S-3	0208	All Secure.
	S-3	0220	Activity M/SP/7 now departing.
	S-3	0245	Activity M/SP/8 now departing.
All Units H&S M 3/1 3/1 E E E H&S H 3/1	S-3	0300	All Secure.
	S-3	0315	E1 now departing CP.
	S-3	0400	All Secure.
	S-3	0450	Y2 has returned to CP.
	S-3	0505	H/SP/6 now returning to CP.
	S-3	0506	G2 All Secure.
	S-3	0507	M/SP/7 now returning to CP.
	S-3	0510	E/3/C at Ck Pt #3 (BT 001698).
	S-3	0516	E/3/G has returned to CP.
	S-3	0525	E/1 at Ck Pt #1 (AT 997658).
G E G G G H&S XO S-3 Actual H&S E	S-3	0532	Y1 has returned to CP.
	S-3	0553	All Secure.
	S-3	0554	M/SP/8 has returned to CP, all LP's have returned to CP.
	S-3	0600	All Secure.
	S-3	0605	E/1 in position of night time activity.
	S-3	0700	G2 has departed night time position.
	S-3	0715	G2 at Ck Pt #3.
	S-3	0735	G2 has returned to CP.
	S-3	0738	H&S sweep east has been completed.
	S-3	0745	Now departing CI.
S-3	0746	Now departing CP.	
S-3	0748	Sweep to H&Y 1 secured.	
S-3	0750	E/1/A now beginning day activities.	

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	S-3	0817	E/2/D departed E/2/Y CP.
H	S-3	0840	H/1/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0845	G/3/A now departing 3/1 CP.
Regt	S-3	0901	Received weather report.
G	S-3	0902	Received addition for G2.
G	S-3	0908	G/3/A now at Ck Pt #1 (BT 067683).
H	S-3	0909	H/SP/1 has departed.
G	S-3	0910	G/3/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 054691).
G	S-3	0915	Received activities of G/3/A.
G	S-3	0917	G3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 046676).
G	S-3	0923	G3 at Ck Pt #4 (BT 048665).
P	S-3	0930	E/2/D has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0938	G3 at Ck Pt #5 (BT 054647).
G	S-3	0950	G3 has returned to friendly lines.
B	S-3	1015	E/3/B at Ck Pt #3 (BT 001698).
M	S-3	1018	M/SP/2 has departed.
H&S	S-3	1035	H&S/SP/2 now departing CP.
2/S1	S-3	1103	Now boarding trucks, will move out in 05 minutes.
	S-3	1115	E/3/B has returned to CP.
	S-3	1116	E1 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 004647).
	S-3	1145	E1 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	1150	Requests to clear 81 KM mission at (BT 034689). Cleared.
H	S-3	1159	Mounting trucks and departing CP for search of Marble Mountain Area.
3/1	S-3	1222	C-4 has found tunnel at (BT 068575). Engineer Team being sent from 3/1 position to blow tunnel.
Wire Team	J-3	1230	Wire Team now departing CP.
C-4	S-3	1240	Will transport 20 claymore mines to 3/1 by helicopter, also 50 pounds of C-4 with blasting caps .
Regt	S-3	1300	Rough Rider cancelled until tomorrow.
3/1	S-3	1330	H/SP/2 All Secure.
S-3	Regt	1355	Co H now departing for Marble Mountain.
Alp	S-3	1410	C-4 & Claymore arrived at 3/1.
S-3	Regt	1411	Spot Report #6 H/SP/2 at 121245L at (BT 039685), saw 1 VC running at (BT 035689) wearing same clothing as 2 VC killed by C1 circumference 4 days ago. (Purple shirt and black pants). Took under fire with 100 rounds and 4 M-79 rounds. Search of area revealed 1 VC KIA with no identification.
H	S-3	1415	H Co & ARVN have joined up.
G	S-3	1430	G3 has returned to CP.

FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
H&S	S-3	1600	H&S/SP/1 & 2 have returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1623	Sent additions to night activities from Co B.
H	S-3	1650	Co H and 59th RF have completed sweep of Marble Mountain with negative results, boarding trucks to respective CP's.
E	S-3	1710	E/2/D has departed CP.
H	S-3	1715	Co H on trucks are heading back to CP.
E	S-3	1716	E/1/A secured all patrols for today.
E	S-3	1724	E/2/D has returned to E/2/X position.
H	S-3	1750	All vehicles returned to CP.
H	S-3	1800	Co H has returned to CP.
M	S-3	1803	M/SP/4 has departed CP.
M	S-3	1904	M/SP/5 has departed CP and E/2/Y.
S-3	Regt	1927	Cancel E3B/A/1 and change in location of E1C/A/3 location now (LT 990683).
H&S	S-3	1950	Four small arms rounds received in C sector.
M	S-3	2030	All M/LP's have departed.
M	S-3	2147	M/SP/4 has returned to CP.
M	S-3	2155	M/SP/5 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	2205	All Secure.
G	S-3	2206	G/3/C now set in night position All Secure.
E	S-3	2207	E/2/C has departed CP.
E/1/A,H	S-3	2300	All Secure.
M	S-3	2301	M/SP/6 has returned to CP.
H,G	S-3	2355	All Secure.

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M	S-3	0030	N/A/1 departed CP.
B	S-3	0055	All Secure.
G	S-3	0100	All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0110	D/CP/5 has departed CP.
E	S-3	0111	D/A/1 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	0113	M/A/2, M/A/3 has departed CP.
H	S-3	0114	All Secure.
H	S-3	0203	All Secure.
H	S-3	0210	All Secure.
M	S-3	0255	M/A/1 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0300	G/3/C All Secure.
E	S-3	0302	E/1/A All Secure.
M	S-3	0350	M/A/3 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0400	All Secure.
G	S-3	0401	All Secure.
E	S-3	0402	E/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0404	All Secure.
M	S-3	0408	M/A/2 has returned to CP.
Y	S-3	0430	E/1/C now departing CP.
H/S	S-3	0515	Y1, Y2 have returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	0600	All 3/1 LP's have returned.
H/S	S-3	0645	Y3 has departed CP.
E	S-3	0700	E/1/A All Secure.
E/1/C	S-3	0701	E/1/C has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0710	H/1/A returning to CP.
E	S-3	0715	E/2/D has returned to CP.
H/S	S-3	0720	East road sweep completed.
G	S-3	0727	G3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 056645).
H	S-3	0804	H/1/A has returned to CP.
M	S-3	0805	M/CP/1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0820	G/3/C at Ck Pt #4 (BT 062647).
G	S-3	0825	G2 now departing CP.
3/1 D	S-3	0836	Co D has departed.
3/1 R	S-3	0850	9th Engineers A/1 found a'board with steel punji stakes.
G	S-3	0851	G2 at Ck Pt #3.
9th Engrs	S-3	0852	9th Engineers A1 found MK II frag grenade at (BT 067668) and blown in place.
Rcpt	S-3	0853	Received weather report.
M	S-3	1050	AF (BT 087699) VC throw grenade at patrol. Spot report to follow.
H/S	S-3	1204	East Anderson trail security patrol has departed CP.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
M	S-3	1111	M/SP/3 has departed CP.
S-3	ETA	1156	Message concerning activities near M/1/A position.
G	S-3	1220	G2 has returned to CP.
M	S-3	1258	M/SP/2 has departed CP.
C/31	S-3	1308	C/3/1 now departing CP.
M	S-3	1410	Reports foreign civilian photographer wanting to take pictures of the three VC MIA man held at 3/1 CP. XO checked with Regt, Regt will confirm. Division says man is authorized to take pictures of non-classified nature.
Regt	S-3	1422	1. Three companies of RF to conduct search and destroy operation in area bounded on west by GL 03, north by GL 06, south by GL 61 and that portion of TH/M. QUIT that extends west of the C30 line.
S-3	Regt	1430	2. Area of operations cleared by 2/11. & daily liasion established.
			3. Companies participating are the 927, 708 and 322 RF. Commencing 1407-00H. For period of 3 days.
S-3	Regt	1437	Spot Report #14 At 1115H at (BT 086700) Co M squad combat patrol discovered explosive devices near a house. 1 female was sighted running from the house. Female was apprehended. Then 3 VC ran from house throwing grenades. Taken under fire with 50 rounds small arms fire killing 3 VC. Two USMC were WIA's minor in this action. Also found cave with documents, 5 M-14 magazines, 1 45 magazine, 30 rounds 7.62, 1 pound TNT, blasting caps, trip flare, 100 yds Comm wire, 6 batteries, 1 cartridge belt and wallet with photos.
Wire Team	S-3	1515	Wire Team has returned to CP.
M	S-3	1530	M/SP/2 & 3 has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1531	Reference Spot Report #14 Cave was 30 meters from house, "L" shaped, 6' down, 4' across, reinforced with concrete blocks & metal fence stakes on both sides. Destroyed with C-4 & located another cave in process. Search is continuing.

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M	S-3	1555	In another cave used flash light to look into & saw Rifle, cartridge belt & pack. Spot Report to follow.
L&S	S-3	1558	L&S Anderson Trail road security patrol west returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1605	Two ontos returning from operation Stone.
H&S	S-3	1618	H&S security patrol east has returned to C.
Wire Team	S-3	1650	Wire Team has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1700	Division commander to go to CAC D-6 at 1030H on 14 February to present 1 purple heart. (LZ control-button yellow).
E	S-3	1800	E/1/1. All Secure and all patrols secured for today.
S-3	Regt	1945	Called cancellations of Co M to Regt.
H&S	S-3	2005	LP now departing CP.
M	S-3	2006	M/SP/4 now departing CP also M/CP/1.
E	S-3	2014	E/1/1. All Secure.
E	S-3	2020	E/3/1. has departed CP.
L&S	S-3	2032	Y1 now departing CP.
CM3	S-3	2033	CM3 Spot Report #23 2 VN males out after dark apprehended told them to open a gate that was closed. in the village. Upon approaching the gate they sidestepped a punji pit. Marines picked this up and uncovered punji pit. Two male detainees with identification cards 60 years old.
G	S-3	2053	G/3/1. at Ck Pt. #1.
H&S	S-3	2056	Y2 now departing CP.
E	S-3	2103	E/1/1. All Secure.
M	S-3	2108	M/SP/5 has departed CP.
S-3	Regt	2205	Spot Report #24 Four weapons and numerous items were found in tunnel complex at (BT 085701).
M	S-3	2206	M/LP All Secure.
D	S-3	2207	D/SP/4 & 5 departed CP.
D	S-3	2235	D/SP/6 has departed CP.
G	S-3	2236	G/3/1. set in position (BT 057654).
Regt	S-3	2240	Regt requested information on message. Subject river boat patrols.
G	S-3	2300	All Secure.
E	S-3	2301	E/1/1. All Secure.
	S-3	2306	LP's All Secure.
	S-3	2310	M/SP/4 has returned to CP.
D	S-3	2311	D/SP/6 has returned to CP.

FROM	TO	TIME	MESS. CTS
S-3	Regt	2335	Regt informed that we do not have any message on the subject of River Boat patrol.
	S-3	2347	M/SP/5 has returned to CP.
	S-3	2350	All Secure.
	S-3	2355	M/A/I has returned to the CI.
	S-3	2358	All Secure.

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S	S-3	0003	E/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0030	M/SP/6 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0050	All Secure.
G	S-3	0200	All Secure.
M	S-3	0205	N/CP/7 has departed CP.
E	S-3	0206	All Secure.
E	S-3	0207	E/1/A All Secure.
R	S-3	0209	All Secure.
E, G	S-3	0255	All Secure.
N	S-3	0304	N/SP/6 has returned to C.
E	S-3	0305	E/1/A All Secure.
E	S-3	0330	E/2/A has departed CP.
H	S-3	0340	H at Ck Pt #1.
H&S	S-3	0430	Y1 & Y2 has returned to CP.
M	S-3	0445	M/SP/7 has returned to C.
E	S-3	0520	E/1/Y has returned to C.
E	S-3	0545	E/2/A at Ck Pt #3 (BT 061699).
M	S-3	0555	M/A/2 has returned to C.
L	S-3	0600	All Secure.
G	S-3	0601	All Secure.
M	S-3	0607	All LP's have returned to CP.
G	S-3	0710	G/3/A has departed night position.
G	S-3	0715	G/3/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 064657).
G	S-3	0730	G/3/A has returned to C.
H&S	S-3	0748	Road sweep on Anderson Trail secure.
E	S-3	0750	E/1/A departing for day time activities.
H	S-3	0752	H1 at Ck Pt #2 (BT 061614).
H	S-3	0808	H1 has returned to C.
E	S-3	0809	E/1/C now departing CP.
Regt	S-3	0910	Rough Rider departed CAU LAI at 0900.
3/1	S-3	0911	M/SP/1 has departed CP.
3/1	S-3	0916	M/SP/2 has departed CP.
Regt	S-3	0918	Rough Rider has passed Ck Pt #15.
Regt	S-3	0938	Rough Rider passed Ck Pt #33, 0930.
Regt	S-3	0955	Rough Rider passed Ck Pt #29, 0950.
E	S-3	1000	E3 has departed C.
G	S-3	1005	G3 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 062654).
G	S-3	1015	G3 at Ck Pt #2 (BT 049656).
Regt	S-3	1025	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #32.
Regt	S-3	1033	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #25.
Regt	S-3	1040	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #22.
G	S-3	1100	G3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 043656).
3/1	S-3	1110	M/SP/3 has departed CP.
E	S-3	1115	E/2/B has departed CP.

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XO	S-3	1125	C.G. at CAC D/6.
Regt	S-3	1126	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #28.
Regt	S-3	1130	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #34.
XO	S-3	1131	C.G. has departed C.G D/6.
Regt	S-3	1155	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #37.
H	S-3	1211	M/SP/2 & 3 have departed CP.
E	S-3	1214	E/1/A All Securo.
E	S-3	1229	E/2/A at Ck Pt #4.
Regt	S-3	1245	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #35.
G	S-3	1300	G3 at 141230 at (BT 045660) received 5 rounds carbine fire from (BT 045661). Returned fire with 50 Cal. & small arms. Sweep of area with negative results.
E	S-3	1304	E/1/A All Securo.
G	S-3	1305	G3 at Ck Pt #5 (BT 059633).
E	S-3	1310	E/3/s has departed CP.
E	S-3	1318	E/2/s has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1325	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #31.
S-3	Regt	1335	Spot Report #10 M/SP/3 at 141307h at (BT 045692). At (BT 045692) squad member tripped a wired Chicom grenade. Two casualties will walk to Co M CP for vehicle to NSA.
Wire Team	S-3	1336	Wire Team has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1355	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #27.
E	S-3	1405	E/3/s at Ck Pt #1 (BT 991688).
Regt	S-3	1415	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #36.
E	S-3	1425	E/3/s at Ck Pt #2 (BT 004689).
Regt	S-3	1435	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #30.
G	S-3	1443	G3 at Ck Pt # 6 (BT 072643).
3/1	S-3	1445	M/SP/3 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1455	G3 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	1530	H&S/SP/2 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1535	E/3/s at Ck Pt #4 (BT 003679).
Regt	S-3	1558	Rough Rider at Ck Pt # 26.
Regt	S-3	1605	Rough Rider at Ck Pt #23.
E	S-3	1610	E/3/s has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	1611	D/SP/2 now departing CP.
Regt	S-3	1614	Rough Rider has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	1627	H&S/CP/1 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1630	E/1/A All Securo, all patrols have returned.
S-3	Regt	1650	Sent additions of H01 to Regt.
H	S-3	1700	H3 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1701	E/1/A All Securo.
MT	S-3	1725	Three vehicles still out.

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M	S-3	1810	M/SP/4 has departed CP.
MT	S-3	1811	All vehicles are in.
S-4	S-3	1812	All Trucks are in.
E	S-3	1925	E/1/Y has departed CP.
E	S-3	1958	E/3/B has departed CP.
3/1	S-3	2000	All CP's have departed CP.
HP	S-3	2030	Took 15-20 mortar rounds around perimeter. No casualties. Spot report to follow.
M	S-3	2045	M/SP/4 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	2103	G2 has departed CP.
E	S-3	2105	E/3/B returning to C.
G	S-3	2118	G2 at Ck it #1 (BT 067655).
Regt	S-3	2120	Message on capture & tags.
H/CP	S-3	2121	At 2000H H/Sp saw 20 to 40 VC. Artillery mission was called in.
G	S-3	2147	G2 in ambush site (BT 048656).
G	S-3	2148	G2 at Ck Pt #2 (BT 059655).
S-3	E, G	2151	Frag order 19-67 Co E & F effect TAD change.
D	S-3	2155	D/SP/4 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	2205	E/1/C has departed CP.
H	S-3	2233	H/SP/5 has departed CP.
H&G	S-3	2250	Y1, Y2 CP's are set in position.
G	S-3	2305	All Secure.
HP	S-3	2306	HP reports CP's that went out to investigate area had negative results.
E	S-3	2307	E/1/A All Secure.
3/1	S-3	2315	M/SP/1 has departed CP.
E	S-3	2345	E/1/A All Secure.
E	S-3	2400	E/1/C returning to CP.

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G	S-3	0005	G2 All Secure.
H	S-3	0007	All Secure.
E	S-3	0050	E/1/D All Secure.
M	S-3	0130	M/SP/5 has returned to CP.
N	S-3	0137	M/SP/6 now departing CP.
N	S-3	0145	M/R/1 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	0155	D/1 now departing CP.
H	S-3	0158	All Secure.
M	S-3	0203	M/A/1 has departed CP.
C,H	S-3	0253	All Secure.
M	S-3	0340	M/SP/7 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0355	All Secure.
K	S-3	0356	All Secure.
M	S-3	0445	M/A/1 & M/SP/6 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0520	E/2/C has departed CP.
3/1	S-3	0521	D/A/1 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0545	E/1/Y All Secure.
C	S-3	0555	G2 All Secure.
E	S-3	0608	E Co All Secure.
H	S-3	0609	H Co All Secure.
M	S-3	0620	All M Co LP's have returned, also M/SP/7.
H&S	S-3	0621	All LP's have returned to CP.
E	S-3	0625	E2C/A/2 & E/LP/1 have returned to CP.
M	S-3	0630	D/SP/5 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0641	H/1/A has departed CP.
K	S-3	0655	H/1/B has departed CP.
G	S-3	0656	G2 has departed from ambush site.
G	S-3	0707	G2 at Ck Pt #4 (BT 066655).
K	S-3	0708	G2 at Ck Pt #5 (BT 063653).
E	S-3	0709	H01/A/1 now leaving night position.
H	S-3	0710	E/1/A All Secure.
G	S-3	0711	H01 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0712	G2 at Ck Pt #6 (BT 066654).
H	S-3	0714	G2 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0750	H/1/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0759	E/1/A has started patrolling.
E	S-3	0837	H/1/B has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0854	E/1/C has departed CP.
Regt	S-3	0855	Received weather report.
M	S-3	0907	M/SP/3 TOB change to 1200H PET 1630 notified Regt.
E	S-3	0912	E/1/C Ck Pt #1 (BT 030723). E/2/C and E3 has departed CP.
E	S-3	1043	E/3 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 997675).

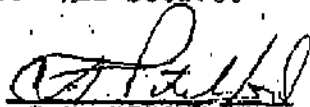
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E	S-3	1046	E/2/C at Ck Pt #2 (BT 007694).
E	S-3	1047	E/1/C at Ck Pt #2 (BT 035723).
D	S-3	1050	Mine sweep completed.
E	S-3	1054	E3 at Ck Pt #2 (BT 997663).
M	S-3	1058	M/SP/2 has departed CP.
E	S-3	1112	E/1/C has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1130	E3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 995653).
E	S-3	1141	E/2/C at Ck Pt #4 (BT 001703).
E	S-3	1159	E/2/C has returned to CP.
M	S-3	1205	M/SP/1 has departed CP.
M	S-3	1225	M/SP/1 was called back to the CI and will be departing at approx 1330.
ONTOS	S-3	1247	Ontos now departing CP.
G	S-3	1250	G/3/A has departed CP.
G	S-3	1254	G/3/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 007653).
G	S-3	1303	G/3/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 002648).
E	S-3	1313	E3 at Ck Pt #4 (BT 001643).
G	S-3	1330	G/3/A at Ck Pt #3 (BT 059640).
G	S-3	1412	G/3/A at Ck Pt #4 (BT 062637).
S-3	REGT.	1415	Spot Report #11 At 1300h at (BT 088696) Co H squad apprehended a young VII female without identification card.
G	S-3	1425	G/3/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1428	E3 at Ck Pt #5 (BT 091654).
N	S-3	1436	M/SP/1 has departed CP.
ONTOS	S-3	1440	Reports that mine hit mine (estimated 50lbs TNT) 500 meters east of RR tracks on Anderson trail west. Results 2 US KIA's & 2 WIA's.
S-3	B.S	1442	Dispatched vehicle to bring in KIA's and WIA's.
H	S-3	1457	H1 now departing CP to scene of incident.
H	S-3	1502	H1 at (BT 000634) setting up 360 degree perimeter.
E	S-3	1521	E3 at Ck Pt #6 (BT 990664).
E	S-3	1542	E3 has returned to CP.
M	S-3	1512	M/SP/3 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1630	E/1/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1704	H1 has returned to CP.
ONTOS	S-3	1714	Three vehicles still over.
ONTOS	S-3	1735	Ontos have returned to CP.
	S-3	1736	H2 has returned to CP.
	S-3	1745	All vehicles are in.
	S-3	1815	Cancelled ES patrol.
S/Y	S-3	1830	All trucks are in.
	S-3	1905	M/SP/2 has returned to CI.

FROM	TO	TIME	MESS/AGES
S-3	Regt 1906		Spot Report #17 At 1315H, M2 located at (BT 088697) was searching house when they received a grenade thrown by VC hiding under trap door. Platoon members threw 4 grenades in cave and received 3 grenades back. House set afire and exploded killing VC. Search of L shaped cave 19' X 7', concrete block reinforced with poured concrete roof, with bamboo and triple layer of tin is incomplete. Posting security and search will continue at first light. Complex system may take several hours and new levels and compartments are expected. Miscellaneous material captured.
NO	S-3	1950	USMC going to be overrun informed by PF leader. Cancelled activities. NO maintain alert, oriented North and West.
E	S-3	2040	E/2/C at Ck Pt #2.
M	S-3	2105	M/SP/4 has departed CP.
S-3	Regt 2110		Notified Regt of Co # additions, also H&S.
H&S	S-3	2111	Y1 H&S/LP/5 has departed CP.
S-3	Regt 2130		Spot Report # 3/1 H&S at 152015H at (BT 071656) Bn CP perimeter received 50-60 rounds small arms fire, 4-6 rounds M-79 from 4-6 VC firing from (BT 072657, 073657 & 070656). M-79 rounds did not fall inside perimeter. Defensive sectors returned fire 600 small arms causing VC to break contact at 2025H. Med-evac completed without incident. One friendly MIA.
H&S	S-3	2225	H&S/2 has departed CP.
hf	S-3	2235	Reports heavy firing at (BT 042630) requests to clear artillery (VN). cleared.
HP	S-3	2236	E/2/C at Ck Pt #3 (BT 000703).
HP	S-3	2237	E/2/C has returned to CP.
HP	S-3	2314	G/3/A now departing CP.
HP	S-3	2320	Reports sounds of digging on the HWY about a thousand meters North of their position. Passed on to Regt.
M	S-3	2340	M/SP/5 & 6 have departed CP.

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FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
G	S-3	2342	G/3/A in ambush position (ST 054654).
M	S-3	2348	M/Si/4 has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.


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H	S-3	0004	H/2/A & H/2/B have departed CP.
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
H	S-3	0101	All Secure.
G	S-3	0113	G/3/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0159	Negative contact All Secure.
E	S-3	0200	E/1/A All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0215	M/SP/5 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	0230	M/SP/6 has departed CP.
3/1	S-3	0245	M/SP/6 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	0250	M/A/1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0255	G/2/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0257	E/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0259	All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0310	M/SP/7 now departing CP.
E	S-3	0320	E/3/C now departing CP.
H	S-3	0355	All Secure.
G	S-3	0405	G/3/A now departing night position.
3/1	S-3	0415	M/A/2 now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	0420	Y/2 now in perimeter.
G	S-3	0425	G/3/A has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	0430	Spot Report #22 At 160220H at (AF 998705) a man threw a grenade at a sound he heard outside the lines it landed close to his position, concussion caused him to lose consciousness no signs of injury on his body. The area was checked and illuminated with no evidence of enemy activities. The man was evacuated to A-Med by vehicle.
H&S	S-3	0450	Y/1 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0446	All Secure.
E	S-3	0459	E/1/C has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0505	E/1/A All Secure.
M	S-3	0540	M/A/1 has returned to CP.
M	S-3	0600	M/SP/7 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0605	E/1/Y has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0606	E/3 has departed CP.
M	S-3	0645	All CP's & M/A/2 have returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0655	All Secure.
H	S-3	0700	H2 & H3 have returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0701	Y2 road sweep has departed CP.
H&S	S-3	0740	Road sweep east to HWY I completed.
Regt	S-3	0815	received weather report.

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H	S-3	0855	H/1/A has replaced E/1/A.
G	S-3	0905	G2 now departing CP.
G	S-3	0915	G2 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 056651).
S-3	Regt	0916	Spot Report #6 At 163830h at (BT 088697) continued exploring cave reported 151730h. No second level to cave. Four separate compartments cave appears to be a CF. Captured numerous articles and equipment.
3/1	S-3	0933	M/SP/1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0943	G2 receiving automatic fire with small arms at (BT 039651). Returned fire with small arms and artillery mission, now checking out area.
H	S-3	1045	H2 reports a large explosive device with detonation cord and a timer device on the middle span of the bridge that is on HWY 1A. Notified regt of it, they are sending EOD team from Regt.
E	S-3	1118	E2 at 161000h at (BT 001639) feet persons walking along trail tripped booby trap. No one was hurt, M-26 safety pin found forward of explosion.
Regt XO	S-3	1135	Report 2 80lb satchel charges on bridge pillar. Request engineers advise from Division.
MOS	S-3	1145	H&S/SP/2 has departed CP.
3/1	S-3	1200	D/SP/1 has departed CP.
Regt XO	S-3	1210	Three Co H swimmers have removed satchel charges from bridge.
S-3	Regt	1212	Spot Report # A. G2/CP/1 B. 161650h C. Friendly (BT 046653) enemy (BT 048653) D. Received 50 rounds of automatic carbine fire from enemy cords. E. Returned fire with 200 rounds small arms 90 mm and Artillery mission area swept with negative results. F. O G. 1 Med-evac H-N. O
3/1	S-3	1250	M/SP/2 has made contact. 1 VC killed, 1 probable. Proceeding after 6 more, passed on to Blade. Spot report to follow.
3/2	S-3	1231	G2 has returned to CP.

FROM	TO	TIME	NEWS/CBS
H&S	S-3	1300	Have assumed control of new T/R's.
H2	S-3	1301	Bridge is now open, traffic moving.
E	S-3	1350	H/3/B has departed CP.
S-3	Regt 1405		Spot report #18 H/3 at 161215H at (BT 048670). Flushed 3 VC at (BT 048665), fired 60 rounds 7.62, 3 rounds M-79. 1 VC MIA confirmed. While searching area flushed 3 VC at (BT 048665) fired 40 rounds 7.62, 2 rounds M-79, 1 VC MIA confirmed. Found 81mm round & booby trap near body both blown in place. Civilians unsuccessfully attempted to remove body. Patrol continuing to search area.
S-3	Regt 1415		Spot report #19 H2 at 161030H at (LT 998705) individual observed object on pillar of bridge traffic halted and satchel charge removed from pillar. Explosive was concrete embedded in two hand made baskets with suspected acid type fuse, tied to bridge by hemp. EGB search for other satchel charges negative results. Resubmitted SR #22, DTG 160220H.
S-3	Regt 1430		H/3/A has departed CP.
H	S-3	1437	
3/1	S-3	1438	H/SP/3 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1439	H/3/B at 161430H at (BT 005634) spotted 1 VC with web gear, several grenades and cartridge bolt. Fired round, sent security sweep with negative results.
H	S-3	1455	H3 swept area and are sweeping on their return.
S-3	Regt 1457		Spot report #23 H3 at 161335H at (BT 048620) flushed 5 VC at (BT 045668), fire 70 rounds 7.62. Search of area disclosed 1 male VC wounded in stomach. Age 30, no identification. VC later died. Two LA's found near body, were destroyed in place.
H&S	S-3	1543	H&S/SP/1 has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt 1620		Spot report #26 At 161400H at (BT 058717) booby trap on trail, M-26 grenade with trip wire was found. Wire Team repairing lines tripped booby trap. Three MIA, US. Med-evac'd by helicopter. One serious.

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3/1	S-3 1610	M2	at 161530M at (BT 037699) searched area for cave. This is same area where 3 caves have been discovered in the last 3 days no caves were found however the village has been completely evacuated. The villagers have also taken all livestock and furniture. Evidently they moved during the night.
H	S-3 1622	M3	has returned to CP with negative results.
H&G S-3	S-3 1625 Regt 1645	H&G/SP/2	has returned to CP. Spot Report # M/3/B at 161515M at (BT 039625) Squad patrol received 200 rounds of automatic fire from 3 referenced positions indicating possible 15 VC. Returned 300 rounds 7.62, 5 M-79. One marine wounded from flying debris off ricochet. Squad maneuvering against enemy.
3/1	S-3 1700	M/SP/1	has returned to CP.
S3 Actual	S-3 1701		Possible Backlash- 1 old man; serious, 1 woman and child minor; 1 child KIA possibly. Caught between Co's M, G & VC. G/3/B now departing CP.
G	S-3 1727	E3	has returned to CP.
E	S-3 1731		One vehicle still out.
MT	S-3 1740		All vehicles have returned to CP.
MT	S-3 1800	G/3/A & G/3/B	now at CP.
G	S-3 1809	G/2/B	on return trip to CP.
G	S-3 1810	G/2/B	has returned to CP.
G	S-3 1814		Passed intelligence report on VC SAPIER Team to 3/1.
S-3	3/1 1851	M/SP/2	has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3 1853		Two civilians have been brought to 3/1 CP. They evidently were wounded at the same time as other four. They were Med-evac'd.
3/1	S-3 1905		Claymore mine set by perimeter defense accidentally detonated. No casualties. Received intelligence report from HP. Passed on to S-2.
H&G	S-3 1906		Frag Order 115-67 passed to Co's H&E.
M	S-3 1920	M/SP/4	has departed CP.
S-3	EGM 1940		All Secure.
3/1	S-3 1955	M/SP/5	has departed CP.
G	S-3 2000		Regt wanted to know if we had any troops at (BT 040635). Answer was Neg.
M	S-3 2005		H&S/2 has departed CP.
Regt	S-3 2020		All 3/1 Co M L's have departed CP.
H&G	S-3 2225		
M	S-3 2230		

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S-3	Regt 2830		Also M/SP/6 has departed CP. Spot Report #30 (continued from report 161515Z) Prior to receiving VC fire, M3B saw a woman signaling. Squad fired and maneuvered into assault position. VC broke contact. Search of area after assault revealed same woman in house. Identification card age indicated 26. Woman had medical book in possession and possibly is VC nurse. Detainee will be forwarded to S-2.
G	S-3	2100	All Secure.
G	S-3	2120	G/3/C now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	2125	H&S/1 now departing CP.
G	S-3	2147	G/3/A and G/3/B now departing night position.
G	S-3	2150	G/3/C at Ck Pt #1.
G	S-3	2153	G/3/A and G/3/B have returned to CP.
HP&G	S-3	2200	All Secure.
M	S-3	2205	M/SP/5 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	2215	G/3/C in night time position.
HO, H	S-3	2216	All Secure.
M	S-3	2225	M/SP/4 has returned to CP.
S-3	S-3	2230	Request 4 Otters prior to 171600Z.
CP	S-3	2237	All Secure.
G	S-3	2255	All Secure.
CO	S-3	2303	All Secure.
H	S-3	2310	All Secure.
CP	S-3	2318	All Secure.
M	S-3	2324	M/SP/6 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	2357	All Secure.
H	S-3	2359	H/1/A All Secure.

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CO	S-3	0010	All Secure.
M	S-3	0012	M/A/1 All Secure.
H, H1	S-3	0013	All Secure.
H2	S-3	0045	Info-spotted VC 75 meters from friendly cords (AT 999699) in wire along road VC ran into treeline west to cords (AT 997697), and fired 1 sniper round 5 minutes later. Returned fire 2 rounds 7.62 MM & illumination negative results.
G	S-3	0100	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0302	M/A/1 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0305	All Secure.
C	S-3	0338	All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0339	M/A/2 has returned to CP.
C	S-3	0353	G/3/C now departing ambush sight.
C	S-3	0359	G/3/G at Ck Pt #2.
C	S-3	0415	G/3/C has returned to CP.
HO	S-3	0440	All Secure.
H	S-3	0452	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0500	H&S/LD/5 & 6 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0553	All Secure.
H	S-3	0554	H/1/A All Secure.
HO	S-3	0615	All Secure.
E	S-3	0645	E2 now departing CP.
3/1	S-3	0700	All of Co M LP's have returned to CP.
HO	S-3	0701	All Secure.
E	S-3	0741	East Anderson trail mine sweep completed
E	S-3	0846	E2 PPS (AT 025637).
Regt	S-3	0857	Received weather report.
Regt	S-3	0908	Message---Comm for phase II Operation STONE.
M	S-3	0917	M/SP/4 has departed CP.
H	S-3	0920	H/3/A has departed CP.
H	S-3	0954	H/3/A at Ck Pt #2.
3/1	S-3	1008	M/SP/2 has departed CP.
H	S-3	1024	H/3/R at Ck Pt #3.
3/1	S-3	1135	M/SP/1 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1200	H/3/A at Ck Pt #4.
M	S-3	1235	M/SP/3 has departed CP.
Regt	S-3	1353	Received Frag Order 021-67.
3/1	S-3	1447	M/SP/3 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	1503	Info M/SP/2 discovered a wired Chi-com

UNIT	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
S/L	S-3	1510	(continued) grenade, blown in place.
S/L	S-3	1511	Spot Report #8 At 1420H a Marine stepped into a punji pit; punji pit was destroyed. 1 Marine WIA (minor).
Wire Team	S-3	1608	The wire to Cac D-6 is out.
E	S-3	1618	E1 has departed CI.
NY	S-3	1730	All vehicles have returned to CP.
E	S-3	1732	Request emergency Med-evac at (BT 009-608) one US WIA.
H	S-3	1745	H/1/A All Secure.
E	S-3	1747	E2 has returned to CI.
H	S-3	1812	M/SP/4 has departed CI.
G	S-3	1900	All Co G units have returned to CP.
G	S-3	1910	G2 now departing CP.
M	S-3	1940	M LF's have departed CI.
H	S-3	1950	H/1/A now departing CI.
G	S-3	1951	G2 at Ck Pt #1.
G	S-3	1958	G2 now set in right position.
S-3	Regt	2000	Spot Report #11 At 1745H E/1/C had Marine trip wired grenade in tree line. Med-evac for 1 US WIA called and completed without incident.
H	S-3	2001	H/1/A now in position.
H	S-3	2100	H/1/B patrol cancelled.
H&S	S-3	2115	Y2 has departed CP.
E	S-3	2120	Two squads south bank, 1 squad on north bank.
H&S	S-3	2130	Y1 has departed CI.
E	S-3	2155	E/1/D hit by small arms fire and possible mortars.
M	S-3	2215	H/RP/1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	2216	G2 has returned to CI.
H, HO	S-3	2217	All Secure.
G	S-3	2220	G/3/A now departing CI.
E	S-3	2225	Info Report At 2210H E/1/D received 40-50 rounds small arms and automatic fire. Fire returned and area will be swept at first light.
H	S-3	2235	H/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	2250	H/2/A patrol has been extended.
G	S-3	2300	G/3/A at Ck Pt #1
S-3	Regt	2310	Spot Report # At 172140H, H2 spotted boat 700 meters east of bridge, tanks scanned with flood light and spotted 1 VC dressed in white running east. VC was 85 meters

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from post #5. Post #5 fired 12 rounds
small arms and 2 rounds M-79 at VC.
Tank was moved to scan river. Tank to
remain in position to cover both banks.
E 3-3 2330 E/1/D received possible incoming mortar
rounds or M-79. Illumination fired.
H 3-3 2355 All Secure.
M 3-3 2400 M/Sp/5 has returned to CP.
G,HO 3-3 2400 All Secure.


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FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
E	S-3	0030	All Secure.
S-3	Regt	0040	Spot Report #1 M/SP/1 observed movement in abandoned village. Fired 40 rounds small arms fire. Checked area, found 1 M-26 grenade wrapped with fishing line.
S-3	Regt	0043	Spot Report (INFO) At 180015H E1B/SP/1 received 20-30 rounds small arms fire and possible 2 M-79 rounds. Observed 3 VC running and possible 4 others in shadows. Fired 70-80 rounds small arms fire, 7 M-79 rounds. ARVN forces moved out of position and searched area, with negative results.
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0110	M/A/1 All Secure.
E	S-3	0120	E/1/D All Secure.
E	S-3	0122	E/1 All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0135	M/A/2 Has departed CP.
E	S-3	0158	All Secure.
D/6	S-3	0204	All Secure.
3/1	S-3	0220	D/SP/6 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0230	E/1/D All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0240	Y/2 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	0256	M/SP/6 has departed CP.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
G	S-3	0327	G/3/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0335	G/3/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 066650).
G	S-3	0353	G/3/A has returned to CP.
M	S-3	0354	M/A/1 has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0417	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0448	LP has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0500	All Secure.
E	S-3	0508	E Co now departing CP.
3/1	S-3	0536	M/SP/6 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0615	E/1/D All Secure.
E	S-3	0635	Others have reached the river and have started crossing.
H	S-3	0700	H1 has secured night activities.
3/1	S-3	0710	All LF's have returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0715	Road sweep now departing CP.
E	S-3	0750	Lead elements across river receiving light sniper fire, last elements now crossing river.

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Onton	S-3	0000	Onton have returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	0900	H&S road sweep at 180800H at (BT 027-639) had completed Anderson trail sweep, vehicle from 11th Motors coming from CP set off mine. Estimated box mine, pressure type firing device, 40-50lbs of TNT.
Onton	S-3	0915	Observed 1 VC moving North along rail-road tracks at (BT 992615), request that 1/26 be notified to be on look out with 3C scope.
S-3	Regt	0925	Spot report #18 D/6 at 180830H at (BT 052600) PF's while departing D/6 CP received 20 rounds small arms fire from (BT 040-600). One PF was wounded in leg. PF's returned fire with carbine & M-1's VC's were also involved in this fire fight. PF taken to hospital at DIEM SAN.
3/1	S-3	0926	H/3 at 180850H at (BT 067687) mine sweep found mine on route. Blew mine in place, pressure type mine about 10 lbs TNT.
H&S	S-3	0935	H&S reports 3 Chicom grenades found at the fork off Anderson trail East & West. (BT 016635) Grenades were underneath rocks, pressure type release all grenades blown in place.
H&S	S-3	0955	H&S reports that Engineers mine detectors are beyond repair. They have not swept Anderson trail West. Anderson trail East has been swept. Reply keep security at intersection of East & West Anderson trail to keep people from entering Anderson trail West.
3/1	S-3	0957	M/50/1 has departed CP.
H&S	S-3	1010	Report engineers mine detector not operating and they are coming in, leaving security behind to keep people from entering Anderson trail West.
H&S	S-3	1020	Road sweep entered CP.
S-3 Actual	Regt	1030	Report Anderson trail West has not been swept, keep all traffic off.
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H&S	S-3	1100	H&S/S/1 now departing CP.
H	S-3	1105	H/3/Y now departing CP.
3/1	S-3	1115	M/3 reports heavy contact, fired 81 mm mortars, moving in to search area.

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
1/26	S-3	1116	1/26 reports 8 VC moving East at (AT 977603).
3/1	S-3	1130	M/SP/3 has departed CP.
H	S-3	1150	H/3/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	1200	H/2/A now departing CP.
E	S-3	1208	E/1/D has med-evac request 1 ARVN. Two gunshot wounds.
3/1	S-3	1220	M/SP/2 has departing CP.
3/1	S-3	1230	M/SP/3 at 181200H at (BT 051697) found two punji pits, both booby trapped with Chicom grenades. Destroyed both pits and grenades in place.
H	S-3	1240	H/3/I. has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1300	Notified Regt of the route change of the Ontos patrol.
H&S	S-3	1315	Report C sector observes VC with automatic carbines firing at air craft 600 meters out.
2/4	S-3	1322	Ontos at Ck Pt #1 (AT 999700).
S-3	Regt	1340	Spot Report #12 M2 at 181230H at (BT 090684) flushed 3 VC at (BT 092680) carrying rifles and packs. Battle developed while attempting to chase VC. Fired 375 rounds small arms 10 M-79 rounds, 40 81 MM rounds & 2 106 rounds. Received 100 rounds small arms fire & 4 M-79 rounds. One VC KIA probable, saw him fall as US troops opened fire.
Ontos	S-3	1350	Ontos at Ck Pt #2 (AT 991643).
S-3	Regt	1355	Spot Report #13 3/1 M2 at 181315H at (BT 084696) received 2-3 rounds small arms fire at defensive position on hill 10. One round air grenade which was on parapet of 50 cat bunker. One Marine KIA and 1 WIA, WIA med-evac to NSA.
3/1	S-3	1425	M/SP/3 has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1450	Spot Report #14 At 181330H at (BT 055699) on approaching village, unit split in two elements, as southern element approached village they spotted a VN male climbing tree as to observe northern element. After confirming VN was observing movement of northern element he was apprehended. Presently searching village, will forward detainee to 3/1 S-2 ASAP. VN had no identification card.

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S-3	Regt	1505	Spot Report #15 EID/Security lost/1 at 181330H at (BT 045613) found wounded PF lying in road at above coordinates. PF brought to Security Post at (BT 043620) by vehicle for subsequent evacuation by RF jeep. PF believed hit by sniper fire.
K	S-3	1506	Boat Patrol at 181330H at (BT 043660) received 10 rounds small arms fire, auto- matic fire from (BT 040660). Patrol boat was hit by 1 round and returned 100 rounds small arms fire at suspected VC position. Sniper fire ceased, patrol continues.
3/1 S-3	S-3 Regt	1507 1530	M/SP/3 has returned to CP. report that a vehicle loaded with arms went down Anderson trail west. Request Regt notify 1/26 to halt all traffic attempting to cross Anderson trail west.
Ontos	S-3	1555	Ontos at Ck Pt #4 (AT 985663) returning to CP by east Anderson trail.
H&S	S-3	1608	H&S/SP/1 has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	1610	Sending 4 men out to junction of Anderson trail East & West to prevent anyone from going down Anderson trail West.
Ontos	S-3	1612	Ontos AT/CP/1 has returned to CP.
3/1	S-3	1630	3/1 assumed OPCON of all 3/1 TAOR and 3/1 units.
S-3	Regt	1645	3/1 resumed OPCON of all 3/1 TAOR and 3/1 units. 2/1 stands relieved.
NT	S-3	1710	All vehicles have returned to CP.
H/1/A	S-3	1721	All patrols secured.
Note	S-3	1815	All Co 4 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1815	H/3/Y has departed CP.
S-3	Regt	1940	Additions to activities for 18 February night time.
Note	S-3	1945	Info: CO E OPCON (STONE) to 1/1 has 15 VC KIA confirmed & 13 VC KIA probable.
CO & H	S-3	2028	CO E H/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	2100	All Secure.
H	S-3	2101	CO E H/1/A All Secure.
G	S-3	2130	b/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	2158	H/1/A now Departing for night position
H	S-3	2205	All Secure.
G	S-3	2213	G/1/B has departed CP.
E	S-3	2217	B/1/D All Secure.
G	S-3	2245	G/1/B has set in night position.
H	S-3	2300	All Secure.

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H	S-3	2327	H/3/B now departing for night activities
H	S-3	2330	H/1/A now set in night position.
G, E, H	S-3	2350	All Secure negative contact.

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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
H, G	S-3	0050	All Secure.
E	S-3	0053	E/1/D All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0210	All Secure.
H	S-3	0255	H/3/B now returning to CP.
E/1/D	S-3	0256	All Secure.
H	S-3	0300	H/1/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0325	E/1/D All Secure.
G	S-3	0405	All Secure.
H	S-3	0407	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	0420	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0425	All Secure.
G	S-3	0609	G/1/B now departing ambush site.
G	S-3	0630	G/1/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0655	G2 has departed CP.
All Units	S-3	0700	All Secure.
G	S-3	0702	G/1/A now departing night position.
G	S-3	0717	G/1/A has returned to CP.
Regt	S-2	0720	Received weather report.
G	S-3	0827	Anderson trail East has been swept, now moving on to West trail.
Wire Team	S-3	0829	Wire Team has departed CP.
H	S-3	0840	H/3/A has departed CP.
H	S-3	0940	H/1/A & H/2/A has departed CP.
H	S-3	0943	H/3/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 027703).
H	S-3	0945	H/1/A at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	0955	H/2/A at Ck Pt #1.
H	S-3	0958	H/2/A at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	0959	H/3/A at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	1004	H/2/A at Ck Pt #3.
H/1/A	S-3	1005	Day time patrol now commencing.
G	S-3	1015	Both Anderson trails have been swept.
H	S-3	1031	H/3/A at Ck Pt #3.
H	S-3	1033	H/2/A at Ck Pt #4.
H	S-3	1055	H/1/A at Ck Pt #3.
H	S-3	1106	H/3/A at Ck Pt #4.
H	S-3	1110	H/1/A at Ck Pt #4.
H	S-3	1125	H/2/A at Ck Pt #4.
S-3	Regt	1130	Addition to activities for Co G 19 February.
H	S-3	1143	H/2/A has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1153	H/1/A at Ck Pt #5.
H	S-3	1200	H/3/A at Ck Pt #5.
Wire Team	S-3	1201	Wire Team has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1256	G3 now departing CP, G2 & G/1/A has returned to CP.

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H	S-3	1257	H/3/A at Ck Pt #6.
H	S-3	1301	H/3/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	1305	H/3/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1337	At 191315H at (BT 034617) G3 combat patrol found 2 grenades both with trip wires about 2 feet apart. Grenades were blown in place.
G	S-3	1403	G3 at Ck Pt #1.
H	S-3	1403	H/1/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1500	At 191430H at (BT 024607) G3 combat patrol received 30 rounds automatic carbine fire from 10 VC at (BT 023600) returned fire with small arms M-60 & M-79. Area not swept due to river barrier.
G	S-3	1530	G3 at Ck Pt #3.
G	S-3	1540	At 191455H at (BT 024607) G3 combat patrol received 10 rounds automatic carbine fire from (BT 028589) returned fire with small arms & M-79. Sweep of area brought negative results.
G	S-3	1620	G3 at Ck Pt #4.
H	S-3	1621	H/3/B has returned to CP.
S-3 Actual	S-3	1630	S-3 Actual has departed D-6.
G	S-3	1725	G2 now departing CP.
IT	S-3	1805	All vehicles have returned to CP.
G	S-3	1806	G2 dismounting trucks, G3 mounting.
G	S-3	1830	G3 has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1831	Called additions of G2 to Regt.
G	S-3	1855	G2 at 191820H at (BT 033620) received 8 rounds carbine fire. Returned with 5 M-79 rounds, small arms, 81mm. Unable to sweep area due to barrier.
S-3	Regt	1905	Notified Regt of that Engineers will be up on our Bn net in case they need assistance on their return to Division.
E/1/D	S-3	1920	Engineers now departing E/1/D.
G	S-3	1921	G2 at 191845H at (BT 031615) received 8 to 14 rounds of carbine fire. Returned fire with 81mm and small arms fire. Now sweeping area. Results to be submitted ASAP. Swept with negative results.
H	S-3	2004	H3 now departing for night time activities.
G	S-3	2005	G/1/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	2007	H2 now departing for night time position
D-6	S-3	2008	All Secure.

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G	S-3	2028	G/1/A now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	2034	H&S/LP/5 now departing CP.
H	S-3	2044	H/3/A not set in night position.
G	S-3	2057	G/1/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 009632).
H, D-6	S-3	2105	All Secure negative contact.
G	S-3	2117	G1 will be returning earlier, and will signal approach by Green Cluster.
G	S-3	2145	Info: At 1920H G2 received 15 rounds carbine fire from (BT 030610). Returned fire with 81 mm, did not sweep area due to darkness.
G	S-3	2147	Spot Report #31. G/1/B, while setting in ambush site heard noise, unit went to check out area. As they were approaching, women started beating on pans and shining lights. Four male VCS apprehended, being brought to CP for interrogation.
H	S-3	2209	H/1/A now departing CP.
G	S-3	2217	G/1/B at ambush site #2.
D-6	S-3	2222	D-6/1 has departed for night activities.
H&S	S-3	2240	H&S/LP/5 has departed CP.
G	S-3	2242	Detainees are not at CP for interrogation.
H	S-3	2255	All Secure.
H	S-3	2300	A/1/B All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	2315	All Secure.
H	S-3	2320	H/1/A set in position at (AT 994697).
D-6	S-3	2321	Activity now in position.
G/1	S-3	2332	G/1/A moving from A/1 to A/2.
E/1/D	S-3	2350	All Secure.
G	S-3	2352	G/1/A requests illumination at (BT 000636).
G	S-3	2353	G/1/A in 1/2 (BT 000634).
D-6	S-3	2356	All Secure.
H	S-3	2359	All Secure.
Artillery	G	2359	Negative illumination; friendly ambush in area.


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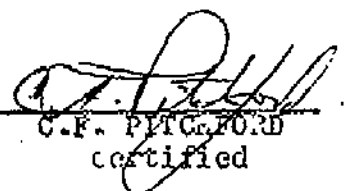
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H	S-3	0055	All Secure.
G	S-3	0057	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	0058	All Secure.
E	S-3	0150	E/1/D All Secure.
G	S-3	0205	All Secure.
H	S-3	0210	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	0245	All Secure.
E	S-3	0250	E/1/D All Secure.
H	S-3	0258	H/1/A All Secure.
G,H	S-3	0300	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	0301	D-6 now conducting night activities.
E/1/D	S-3	0320	All Secure.
G	S-3	0330	G requests illumination for (BT 000637) answer negative.
D-6	S-3	0331	D-6 returned to CP at 0322.
H,G	S-3	0400	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	0410	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0435	H&S/1 & 2 have returned to CP.
E/1/D, G	S-3	0500	All Secure.
G	S-3	0501	G/1/B has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0520	All Secure.
G	S-3	0535	G/1/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0610	All Secure.
G	S-3	0645	G3 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0742	Road sweep has been completed.
H	S-3	0830	H/1/A now departing CP.
Ontos	S-3	0840	AT/CP/1 has departed CP.
H	S-3	0842	H/1/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 092685).
H	S-3	0855	H/1 activities on Monkey Mountain for today. submitted.
Ontos	S-3	0900	AT/CP/1 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 014015).
S-3	Regt	0930	Spot Report #28. G2/CP/1 at 200835 at (BT 031615) G2 elements searching huts located 50 year old male at (BT 030613). Young W/1 male came to TPB at (BT 031615) and due to lack of communications both were taken to E/SI/1 for interrogation by ARVN
	S-3	0931	G2 has departed PPB (BT 031615).
	S-3	0950	G3 has completed road sweep of Anderson trail West.
Ontos	S-3	1000	AT/CP/1 at Ck Pt #2 (BT 017609).
G	S-3	1005	G3 has returned to CP.
	S-3	1012	S/2/A has departed CP.
G	S-3	1013	G2 has returned to CP.

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
H	S-3	1040	H/1/A at Ck Pt #3 (BT 010679).
Ontos	S-3	1041	Ontos at 201015H at (BT 019609) found 2 booby trapped WP grenades, blown in place.
H	S-3	1045	H/2/A at Ck Pt #2 (BT 999701).
Ontos	S-3	1155	Ontos found a box of 50 Cal. ammo at (BT 010625). Returning it to S-2.
H	S-3	1210	H/2/A at Ck Pt #4 (BT 999702).
H	S-3	1211	H/1/A at Ck Pt #4 (BT 014683).
H	S-3	1330	H/2/A have returned to H2 CP.
H	S-3	1300	H/3/B has departed CP.
H	S-3	1318	H/1/A at Ck Pt #5 (BT 004686).
H	S-3	1400	H/3/B at Ck Pt #3 (BT 039722).
H	S-3	1430	H/1/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1630	G3 now departing CP.
H	S-3	1710	H/3/B have returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1720	H/1/A squad ambush & patrol cancelled, H/2/A CP cancelled.
G	S-3	1745	G/3/A at PPB SP #46.
G	S-3	1747	At 1650H G3 at (BT 038618) apprehended 1 VCS male 30 years old. Detainee will be brought to CP.
NT	S-3	1810	All vehicles have returned to CP.
H	S-3	1910	Informed that #2 was receiving rounds on their position. If positive that rounds are directed at your position return fire.
H	S-3	1911	H/3/Y now departing their CP.
Note	S-3	1930	Co G relieved of Bald Eagle.
G	S-3	1940	G1A/A/2 has departed CP.
E/1/D	S-3	1945	E/1/D and other Marine are going with FF's to insure that the FF's do not contact Co G.
G	S-3	1955	G/1/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 021635).
H & D-6	S-3	2007	All Secure.
G	S-3	2015	G/1/B has departed CP.
G	S-3	2019	G1 now in ambush site.
G	S-3	2030	G/1/B ambush site (BT 002632) reports seeing lights in BICH-NAM(2) & hears rounds being fired.
G	S-3	2047	G/3/B now set in ambush site.
H&S	S-3	2104	H&S LP north has departed CP.
G	S-3	2123	G/2/A in 2nd ambush site.
H	S-3	2128	H/2/A now set in night time position
H	S-3	2203	H/3/A now departing CP.
G	S-3	2204	At 2140H at (BT 027638) G squad ambush observed man running down road at (BT 028630), opened fire with small arms will check area at first light.

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G	S-3	2205	At 2130 at (BT 002633) G squad ambush received what appeared to be a grenade. Observed movement at (BT 002631). Returned fire with M-60, M-79, 81's & small arms fire. Will sweep area at first light.
Note	S-3	2208	CP illumination drill called.
H	S-3	2213	H/3/A now set in ambush site.
Note	S-3	2215	CP illumination drill fired.
E/1/D	S-3	2221	Returned to CP with 9 detainees.
E/1/D	S-3	2228	All Secure.
E/1/A	S-3	2229	All Secure.
H	S-3	2237	H/3/B now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	2300	All Secure.
H	S-3	2301	H/3/B at Ck Pt #1.
H	S-3	2330	H/3/B at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	2345	H/3/B at Ck Pt #3.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.


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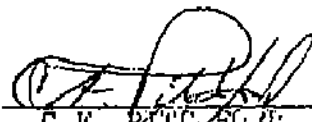
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H	S-3	0030	H/2/A has returned to M2 CP.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
H	S-3	0201	H/3/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0230	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0300	All Secure.
G, H	S-3	0330	All Secure.
H/1	S-3	0355	H/1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0357	All Secure.
H	S-3	0407	H/1/A All Secure.
D-3	S-3	0507	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0508	All Secure.
G	S-3	0509	All Secure.
H	S-3	0510	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0511	Switch board team reports all lines out except E/1/D.
H/1/A	S-3	0512	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0550	H&S/LF/5 M&S/LF/6 have returned to CP.
H	S-3	0551	H3Y/SP/1 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0555	All Secure.
H	S-3	0605	All Secure.
G	S-3	0640	G/1/B received fire last evening and returned fire, they checked out area this morning with negative results
H	S-3	0653	All Secure.
G	S-3	0654	G/1/B has returned to Ci.
D-6	S-3	0655	All Secure.
G	S-3	0717	G/1/A at Ck Pt #2.
G	S-3	0725	G/1/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0800	Road sweep of East Anderson trail has been completed.
Regt	S-2	0812	Received weather report.
G	S-3	0912	G3 has departed PPB & sweeping return route.
Wire Team	S-3	0921	Wire Team now departing Ci.
G	S-3	0922	West Anderson trail road sweep has been completed.
H	S-3	0946	H/3/B has departed CP.
G	S-3	0955	G/2/A has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0959	H/1 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1007	At 210045H at (BT 025715) squad ambush found 105mm dud. Will send for EOD team to blow in place.
Wire Team	S-3	1035	Wire Team at D-6 position.
Wire Team	S-3	1112	Wire Team now departing D-6 position.

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G	S-3	1117	G3 has returned to CP.
Wire Team	S-3	1200	Wire Team at 1/51 ARVN.
Wire Team	S-3	1317	Wire Team has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1328	H/3/A at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	1442	H/3/A at Ck Pt #3.
E/1/D	S-3	1700	Reports 100 VC at (BT 048628) with 2 60 MI & 4 MG's.
H	S-5	1727	MedCap report.
MT	S-3	1728	All vehicles returned to CP at 1707. Passed on to H&S.
E/1/D	S-3	1901	Request info on friendly activities in area for tonight, negative activities.
S-3	Regt	1945	H/3/A cancelled. Change G/1/A and G/1/B to H/1/A and H/1/B.
H	S-3	1955	H/2/A now departing for night position.
H	S-3	1957	H/1/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	2005	Request emergency medevac at (BT 035732) at H3 position 1 US seriously ill.
H/1/A	S-3	2015	All Secure.
H/2/A	S-3	2025	H/2/A now set in night position.
Air	S-3	2047	All Secure.
H/1/B	S-3	2048	Now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	2103	H&S/LP/5 now departing CP.
H	S-3	2105	H1A/A/1 & H1B/A/2 All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2120	H&S/LP/6 has departed CP.
H	S-3	2130	H1B/A/2 at ambush site (BT 024638).
H	S-3	2200	H/1/A & H/1/B All Secure.
E	S-3	2220	E/1/D All Secure.
H	S-3	2345	H/2/A has returned to CP.
D-6	S-3	2350	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	2358	All Secure.
H & G	S-3	2400	All Secure.


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G	S-3	0030	H/1/A relocated to alternate ambush site.
H, G	S-3	0055	All Secure.
H	S-3	0200	All Secure.
D-6, E/1/D	S-3	0201	All Secure.
H	S-3	0207	H/1/A & H/1/B All Secure.
H	S-3	0315	H/1/A has departed night time position.
S	S-3	0317	E/1/D All Secure.
G	S-3	0353	H/1/A has returned to C.
H	S-3	0404	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0435	H&S/LP/5 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0445	H/1/B has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0517	All LP's have returned to CP.
Ontos	S-3	0602	Ontos now departing rear gate.
G	S-3	0604	Now departing CP.
H	S-3	0644	H/3/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0705	Co G has reached river and bridge.
D-6	S-3	0706	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0707	All Secure.
G	S-3	0725	Co G at bridge looking for suitable position to cross.
S-3	Regt	0740	Spot Report #3. C3 at 220730Z at (BT 010609) Marine stepped on punji stake. Returning injured Marine to CP by Otters.
H&S	S-3	0805	Anderson trail East road sweep has been completed.
G	S-3	0850	All of Co G units south of river commencing sweep to the west.
Ontos	S-3	0852	Ontos arrived with injured man who stepped on punji stake. H&S notified.
H&S	S-3	0925	Anderson trail West has been swept.
A	S-3	0935	H/3/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 021713).
G	S-3	0938	Co G sweeping south.
H	S-3	1007	H/2/A now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	1008	Road sweeps have returned to CP.
H	S-3	1017	H/2/A at Ck Pt #1 (AT 998699).
H	S-3	1020	H/3/A at Ck Pt #4 (BT 019698).
Ontos	S-3	1038	Two Ontos are now leaving CP.
H	S-3	1059	H/2/A at Ck Pt #2 (AT 993697).
Ontos	S-3	1100	at 221030Z, Ontos patrol found 200-300 punji stakes at (BT 015623). Will be destroyed by engineers tomorrow.
H	S-3	1135	H/3/A has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1135	H/2/L at Ck Pt #3 (AT 992699).

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H	S-3	1235	H/2/A at Ck Pt #5 (BT 984701).
H	S-3	1245	H/2/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1405	Last element of Co E aboard helicopters.
E	S-3	1410	Co E has returned to CP, STONE II terminated.
S-3	G	1411	Frag Order 118-67.
H	S-3	1430	H/3/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	1505	H/2/B at Ck Pt #1 (BT 005722).
G	S-3	1632	Request prep fire at (BT 005595).
H	S-3	1650	H/3/B has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1712	Primary password compromised alternate in effect.
BT	S-3	1713	one vehicle still out.
S-3	E, G	1730	Passed pass word info to Co's.
S	S-3	1750	Co G set in night position (BT 004397)
G	S-3	1930	Co G at 1910H spotted 5 VC moving South East at (BT 003589). Fired Army mission
S	S-3	2048	Co G fire mission at (BT 016597).
S	S-3	2100	Spot Report (Info). Co G at (BT 005595) received 10 rounds carbine fire from (BT 013598) and (BT 008592) called artillery.
H/1/A	S-3	2101	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2102	Y/1 and Y/2 have departed CP.
G	S-3	2103	Co G requests Army at (BT 008592). Mission cleared.
H	S-3	2104	H/2/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	2120	H/2/A now set in position at (BT 981702)
H&S	S-3	2130	Y/3 now departing CP.
G	S-3	2135	Co B activity for tonight E/3 TOD 0100 TOR 0500. Two squads moving ambushes along Anderson trail East and West. Passed to Regt.
H	S-3	2136	Cancel H/3/B add new H/3/B ambush at (BT 026720). TOD 0100 TOR 0500. Passed to Regt.
H/1/D	S-3	2145	Request illumination at (BT 043620).
E/1/D	S-3	2230	B-6 received 2 possible mortar rounds. Landed at (BT 050602) and (BT 051604).
H	S-3	2300	H/3/A now departing CP.
G	S-3	2301	All Secure.
H	S-3	2315	H/3/A now set in position (BT 024715).
E	S-3	2318	E/3 now departing CP.
G	S-3	2330	All Secure.
All units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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To: 232400H February 1967

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
H	S-3	0106	H/3/B now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
H	S-3	0301	H/3/A has returned to CP.
E/1/D	S-3	0330	All Secure.
E	S-3	0400	E3A & E3C All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0401	All Secure.
B	S-3	0515	E/1/D All Secure.
H	S-3	0540	H/3/B has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0545	H&S/LP/S, 6 and 7 have returned to CP
E	S-3	0550	E/3/A entering CP.
Regt	S-3	0645	Informed S-3 to hold all traffic at the KC bridge until mine sweep is completed. Co H notified.
Regt	S-3	0708	Received messages.
G	S-3	0710	Co G leaving night time position and sweeping East toward RT #1.
H	S-3	0747	H 2/A returned to CP
H	S-3	0806	H/1/A resupply request.
G	S-3	0808	AC (BT 015600) apprehended woman that appears to be VC. Will return to CP.
Regt	S-2	0844	Received weather report.
H&S	S-3	0900	East Anderson trail sweep completed.
S-3	Regt	0907	Spot report #1. At 0810H at (BT 015600) Co G search & destroy apprehended 2 Detainees (female) Detainees freed because women had dependent children.
Convoy	S-3	0952	Road sweep to East & West completed.
	S-3	1011	Co G will be at E/1/D position at 1200H.
	S-3	1026	E/1/A security for G-2 now departing CP
	S-3	1106	At 1030H at (BT 024506) G/1, 3 squad, received automatic fire from (BT 023609) Returned fire with small arms & B1 mission. Area was not swept due to river barrier.
	S-3	1110	At 231400H at (BT 024606) G/1 Squad combat patrol observed 3 figures running at (BT 020603) & received automatic carbine fire. Returned fire with small arms & B1 mission. Area not swept due to river barrier.

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G	S-3	1115	At 231030H at (BT 028601) G2, 3 squad combat patrol received 20 rounds automatic fire from (BT 027593). Returned fire with small arms & BI mission. area not swept due to river barrier.
D-6	S-3	1130	PF's apprehended man age about 50. PF's claim he is VC. Will be turned over to DIEM BAK.
G	S-3	1206	Estimate probable 5 VC KIA in regards to activity from 1030 to 1130.
AT	S-3	1310	AT & Engineers now departing South gate for punji stake removal at (BT 015622).
E/1/D	S-3	1312	Request priority medevac wounded VN.
S-3	Regt	1321	Combined Co G spot reports from 1030 to 1100 Regt journal #5.
G	S-3	1323	Co G returned to CP.
H	S-3	1330	Request medevac at (BT 001704). Engineer team went into mine field to remove dead cow, engineers detonated mine. Request more engineers to assist in removing casualties from mine field.
E/1/D.	WIR	1355	Medevac cancelled VN taken to district.
H	S-3	1356	Medevac for Co H completed. One USMC KIA still in mine field.
Note	S-3	1407	Medevac for civilians from Bn CP has been completed.
S-3	Regt	1453	Spot Report #6. At 1300H at (BT 999704) engineers attempting to clear a lane for removal of cattle carcasses in a protective mine field, detonated a additional mine. Resulting in one US KIA & 1 US KIA.
MT	S-3	1724	All vehicles have returned to Bn CP.
H	S-3	1815	At 231740H H/1 apprehended female detainees. Detainees were walking across foot bridge at (AT 999707). Detainees were apprehended because of their suspicious behavior. Will be held for interrogation.
H	S-3	1830	Received Co E addition for night activities.
S-3	Regt	1931	Additions to Day & Night activities received.
G	S-3	2000	G/2/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	2001	H/3/A and H/3/B now departing Co H CP.
S-3	Regt	2002	Change in activities for 23 February.
D-6, H/1/A	S-3	2014	All Secure.
H	S-3	2015	H/2/B now departing CP.

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H	S-3	2025	H/3/A & H/3/B now set in position.
S-3	Regt	2026	Changes for Co h activities has been sent.
G	S-3	2027	G/2/B now set in night position.
H&S	S-3	2045	H&S LP/1 now departing CP.
H/1/A	S-3	2049	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	2050	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2100	H&S LP/2, now departing CP.
G	S-3	2125	G/2/A now set in position.
H&S	S-3	2140	H&S LP/3 now departing CP.
G	S-3	2150	All Secure.
D-6	S-3	2151	All Secure.
H	S-3	2305	H/1/A All Secure.
E	S-3	2325	E/1 All Secure.
H	S-3	2330	LVT ambushed at (LT 968699) by 57 RR has 1 WIA medevac being completed by contractors at H/1 bridge. Vehicle recovered from water.
H	S-3	2335	H/1/B now departing CP.
D-6	S-3	2400	All Secure.
G	S-3	2400	G/2 All Secure.


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G	S-3	0002	G/2/B All Secure.
E	S-3	0003	E/1 All Secure.
K	S-3	0004	H/1/B now set in ambush site (BT 003704).
H	S-3	0005	All Secure.
G	S-3	0025	G/2/B All Secure.
D-6	S-3	0100	All Secure.
H	S-3	0105	H/1/D All Secure.
G	S-3	0106	G/2/B & G/2/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0110	All Secure.
E	S-3	0115	E/1/D All Secure.
G	S-3	0158	G/1 & G/2/B All Secure.
H	S-3	0233	H/1/B has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0400	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0401	Y/1 LP has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0417	Y/2 LP has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0438	Y/3 LP has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0440	E/3 has departed CP.
All Units	S-3	0500	All Secure.
H/1/A	S-3	0515	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0540	All Secure.
E	S-3	0550	E/1 & E/2 All Secure.
G	S-3	0558	G/2/B now departing night position.
D-6, H	S-3	0600	All Secure.
H	S-3	0610	H/1/A now departing CP.
G	S-3	0611	G/2/B has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0615	H/1/A at Ck Ft #1.
G	S-3	0647	G/2/A now departing ambush site.
E	S-3	0650	E/1 & E/2 All Secure.
G	S-3	0657	G/2/A has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0658	H/3/A has returned to CP.
E/1/D	S-3	0710	All Secure.
G	S-3	0715	G2 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0725	H/3/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0820	Co G has completed sweep of Anderson trail East. H&S notified.
S-3	Regt 1005	H/2/A at 240830H at (BT 027715). Counter Punch Drill by 3/1 fired 1 106 RR round at target located at (BT 050710). 106 RR round ricocheted and exploded in vicinity of (BT 027715). Resulting in 2 VN civilians receiving fragmentation wound in legs and Buttocks. Wounded medic	

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E	S-3 1006	E/1/D has priority medevac. Three VN civilians wounded by fragmentation in PHONG HOUT.
H	S-3 1007	n/1/A has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt 1008	Notified Regt of changes and additions to Co G's activities for 24 February.
G	S-3 1015	All Anderson trail has been swept.
G	S-3 1050	All Secure.
Air	S-3 1117	Medevac completed for 3 VN at E/1/D.
G	S-3 1410	G/1 at Ck Pt #1 (BT 016622).
H	S-3 1411	H/2/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 024715).
G	S-3 1420	G1/CI/2 at PFB (BT 016622).
G	S-3 1550	G1/CP/3 now departing PFB.
G	S-3 1635	G1/CP/3 has returned to PFB.
H	S-3 1645	H2B/CI/3 has returned to CP.
G	S-3 1646	G1B/CI/3 at 241620H at (BT 009612). received 5 rounds carbine fire from (BT 013605). Called arty mission, did not sweep area due to water barrier.
MT	S-3 1745	All vehicles have returned to CP.
S-3	H&S 1815	E2/C/3 TOR is now 2300.
Info	Regt S-3 1913	G1 received 25 carbine rounds from (BT 012621). Returned fire with small arms, M-79 and 2 3.5 rounds. Area swept negative results. G1 will remain in area for night activities.
Ontos	S-3 1925	Ontos have returned to CP.
H	S-3 1927	H/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3 1938	H/3/A & H/3/B now departing for night activities.
E	S-3 1953	E/2 has returned to CP.
G	S-3 1954	Co G All Secure.
H	S-3 2010	H/3/B now set in night time position.
Regt	S-3 2011	Received info from Regt that ARVN will be in the area west of H3A/A/1 position and will be possibly employing Marine Artillery.
H	S-3 2040	H/1/A All Secure.
C	S-3 2047	G2A has departed CP.
C	S-3 2053	All Secure.
H&S	S-3 2100	H&S/LP/5 has departed CP.
C	S-3 2117	G/1/A now set in ambush site.
H&S	S-3 2137	H&S/LP/6 & 7 have departed CP.
G	S-3 2145	G/2/B now at ambush site.
G	S-3 2149	All Secure.

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
S	S-3	2212	Spot Report #8. At 1600h 3/2 spotted 1 W! male at (BT 037623) run in a house, while sweep- ing THAN QUIT. Apprehended suspect and will return to CP.
E/1/D	S-3	2215	All Secure.
H	S-3	2216	All Secure.
H	S-3	2240	H/2/E now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	2250	All Secure.
H/1/A	S-3	2315	All Secure.
G	S-3	2317	G/1 now departing night position to re- turn to their PPB.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.

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TO: 252400Z February 1967

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
All Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
S-3	Regt	0141	Addition to activities for 25 February AT/CP/1.
All Units	S-3	0200	All Secure.
All Units	S-3	0300	All Secure.
G	S-3	0400	All Secure.
E	S-3	0405	E/2 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0425	H2B/1/4 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0515	E/3 now set in night time position.
H&S	S-3	0520	All H&S LP's have returned to CP.
E	S-3	0545	All Secure.
G	S-3	0600	G/2 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0640	H/3/1 & B have returned to CP.
H	S-3	0700	H/1/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0702	G/2/3 now departing CP.
G	S-3	0725	G/1 now departing P/B.
G	S-3	0812	G/1 has returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	0813	Received weather report.
G	S-3	0815	East Anderson trail has been swept.
S-3	Regt	0830	Spot Report #2. At 0600 at (BT 030604) squad combat patrol detected enemy ambush at (BT 029 604). Opened fire with 100 rounds small arms & 10 M-79 rounds. Enemy returned 100 rounds small arms fire. Enemy with- drew sweep found 2 blood trails, 2 prob- able VC kill.
LT	S-3	0907	LT now departing CP.
G	S-3	0926	Anderson trail West has been swept.
H	S-3	0946	H/2/3 has departed CP & is now at Ck Pt #1.
H	S-3	1003	H/2/B at Ck Pt #2.
H	S-3	1045	H/2/B at Ck Pt #3.
H	S-3	1054	H/2/B at Ck Pt #4.
LT	S-3	1056	LT at Ck Pt #1.
S-3	Regt	1058	Spot Report #3. At 0900 at (BT 033628) Co E squad combat patrol spotted 2 VC with 1 rifle at (BT 027628) running to tree line. Opened fire with 100 rounds small arms fire. One VC seen fall.
H	S-3	1150	H/2/B at Ck Pt #5.
LT	S-3	1155	LT at Ck Pt 1/4.
Ontos	S-3	1224	Ontos at Ck Pt #2.

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H	S-3	1225	H/2/E at Ck Pt #6.
H	S-3	1238	H/2/B at Ck Pt #7.
AT	S-3	1245	AT's have returned to CP.
G	S-3	1300	G/3 now departing CP.
H	S-3	1304	H/2/B at Ck Pt #8.
H	S-3	1328	H/2/B at Ck Pt #9.
G	S-3	1348	G/3 at Ck Pt #1.
G	S-3	1426	G/3 has returned to P/B.
H	S-3	1437	H/2/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	1521	G/3/A now departing CP.
Wire Team	S-3	1528	Wire Team now departing CP.
Wire Team	S-3	1550	Wire Team at Anderson Trail & Hwy #1.
LVT	S-3	1705	LVT will arrive at 2/1 CP at 260930H, from East road.
MT	S-3	1739	All vehicles have returned to CP.
Regt	S-3	1830	Received info concerning operation LAFAYETTE I. (Thrust Lines).
Regt	S-3	1840	Received info concerning operation Lafayette.
E/1/D	S-3	1841	At 0900H a VN male was brought to E/1/D position (BT 043620) by 2 women. Male was in his house and possibly hit by mortar rounds, wounds were dressed at E/1/D position, transportation requested to take male to hospital.
H	S-3	1935	E/1/A All Secure, Negative contact.
Regt	S-3	1937	Received priority message.
H	S-3	1941	H/3/A & H/2/B has departed CP.
G	S-3	1959	Reported that a flareship dropping flares is handicapping G/3/A moving into night position. Flareship is north of CP.
G	S-3	2000	G/2/A is set in position.
G	S-3	2010	G/3/A in position (BT 006613).
G	S-3	2055	G/2/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	2056	E/1/R All Secure.
G	S-3	2100	All Secure.
G	S-3	2112	G/2/A set in night position.
H	S-3	2118	All Secure.
E	S-3	2126	E/1 has returned to CP.
Note		2132	Perimeter defense drill sounded. B/C secured; 1 minute.
		2146	Perimeter defense drill secured.
H&S	S-3	2148	Y/1 & Y/2 now departing CP.
G	S-3	2151	All Secure.
H	S-3	2159	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2210	Y/2 now departing CP.
All Units	S-3	2300	All Secure.
Regt	S-3	2315	Received Frag Order 01-67 operation Lafayette II.

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H/1/A	S-3	2315	All Secure.
H	S-3	2355	H/2/3 now departing G.
All Units	S-3	2400	All Secure.
G	S-3	2400	G/2/3 departed for first night time position.

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TO: 262400K February 1967

FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGE
H/1/A	S-3	0015	All Secure.
G	S-3	0035	G/2/B is in second night position ambush site.
All Units	S-3	0105	All Secure.
H	S-3	0120	H/1/A All Secure.
H	S-3	0125	H2A/A/3 has departed CP.
S-3	Regt	0126	Spot Report #1. H/1 at 260030H at (AT 997707) received 45 rounds of small arms fire from (AT999700). One Marine received minor wound in knee, no medevac. Request for illumination was denied by Division, moved tanks onto road, returned small arms fire 100 rounds.
G	S-3	0200	All Secure.
G	S-3	0201	G/2/B ambush at (BT 019633) H&S notified.
G	S-3	0213	G/2/A ambush at (BT 022634) H&S notified.
E/1/D	S-3	0250	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0415	H&S Y/1 & Y/2 have returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0420	All Secure.
G	S-3	0500	G/2/B has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0521	H/2/Y has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0525	All Secure.
G	S-3	0553	All Secure.
H	S-3	0600	All Secure.
G	S-3	0603	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0623	All Secure.
H	S-3	0645	All Secure.
G/1	S-3	0650	G/1 now departing CP.
H	S-3	0658	H13/A/4 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0659	H2B/A/2 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0700	L/3/B has returned to CP.
S-3	E Co	0820	Informed Co E that the unit on the other side of the river is Co M 3/1, they flushed 3 VC, 2 VC-KIA, do not return fire across river.
G	S-3	0825	Unit has completed sweeping to East.
G	S-3	0825	G/3 at Ck Pt #3 (BT 018617) SP #4.
H	S-3	0841	H/2/A now leaving CP.
G	S-3	0848	G/3 has returned to CP.
Amtracs	S-3	0850	Amtracs now entering CP from East with 4 LVT's.
H	S-3	0853	H/2/A at Ck Pt #1 (BT 021715).
H	S-3	0911	E/1/B at Ck Pt #2 (BT 001702).

FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
G	S-3	1000	G/CP/1 completed sweep of Anderson trail West. H&S notified.
S-3	Regt	1005	Spot Report. H/1/B at 260550h at (BT 005705) apprehended 3 males, all had ID cards but appeared to be much younger than indicated age. Sent to Regt S-2 interrogated and released.
G	S-3	1015	G/CP/1 has returned to CP.
Ontos	S-3	1030	Ontos reports 1 LVT broke a idler wheel and they are leaving 1 ONTOS & security to set in while the rest move on.
H	S-3	1031	H/B/CP/1 has returned to CP.
LVT	S-3	1200	LVT's arrived at river (BT 027617)
LVT	S-3	1207	LVT's at Ck Pt #1 (BT 018611).
LVT	S-3	1218	Received info report from LVT's passed on to S-2.
LVT	S-3	1403	Two LVT's will return to CP and 3 are staying at present position 300 meters SouthEast of CP.
LVT	S-3	1420	LVT's have returned to CP.
E	S-3	1442	E/2 now departing CP, heading to E/1/D
G	S-3	1444	G/1/A has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1524	Cancel H/2/A activities.
S-3	Regt	1534	Sent cancellation of H2n/A/4.
H	S-3	1535	H/2/A & H/2/B have returned to CP.
LVT	S-3	1538	All LVT's have returned to CP.
E	S-3	1608	E/CP/1 has returned to CP.
S-3	H&S	1720	Function firing has been completed.
MT	S-3	1737	Two vehicles still out.
MT	S-3	1745	All vehicles have returned to CP.
S-3	H&S	1746	All vehicles have returned to CP.
E/1/D	S-3	1800	Request priority medevac for civilian at (BT 043620).
H	S-3	1937	H/3/A, H/3/B & river patrols have departed CP.
H	S-3	1958	H/3/A & H/3/B now set in ambush position.
E/1/D	S-3	2017	Request to know if there are any friendly activities at (BT 037630). Neg at this time.
G	S-3	2026	G/2/B now leaving CP.
G	S-3	2143	All Secure.
G	S-3	2210	G/2/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	2212	All Secure.
H	S-3	2217	H/1/B now departing CP.
E/1/D	S-3	2230	All Secure.
G	S-3	2232	E/2 set in position.
H	S-3	2310	H3 River Patrol All Secure.

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FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
E/1/D	S-3	0017	All Secure.
H	S-3	0100	H2B now departing for night position.
E	S-3	0120	E2A has returned to E2 CP.
H	S-3	0145	H1B has returned to CP.
All Units	S-3	0230	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0253	All Secure.
G	S-3	0300	G/2/B now returning to CP.
H	S-3	0319	H/1/A All Secure.
G	S-3	0330	G/2/B has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0357	G/1 now departing CP.
Regt	S-3	0358	Regt called S-3 to ask if any Co G elements saw or heard origin of enemy firing on DA NANG airfield. Answer negative only see what appears to be fire at DA NANG airfield. Perimeter watches at Regt report firing from CAH NE (3).
H	S-3	0406	All Secure.
G	S-3	0407	E/3/A has departed CP.
E	S-3	0421	E/1/D All Secure.
H&E	S-3	0428	Y/1 & Y/2 have returned to CP.
G/1/L	S-3	0450	G/1/L now set in position.
G	S-3	0453	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	0505	Y/3 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0555	All Secure.
E/1/D	S-3	0556	All Secure.
H	S-3	0625	H2B/A/5 returned to CP at 0400H.
H	S-3	0626	ARTICLE 32/SE/1 returned to CP at 0530H
H	S-3	0640	H3A/L/1 & H3B/L/2 have returned to CP.
G	S-3	0644	All of G2/L/1 elements have returned to CP.
G	S-3	0655	G/3/A now departing CP.
G	S-3	0700	G1/A/1 now departing ambush site.
G	S-3	0845	G/3/A has completed sweep.
Regt	S-2	0846	Weather report.
S-3	H&E	0847	East Anderson trail has been swept.
H	S-3	0827	H/1/B has departed CP.
H	S-3	0845	H/1/A has returned to CP.
E	S-3	0950	Co E requests medevac.
LVT'S	S-3	0952	Anderson trail is open for traffic.
E	S-3	0956	Fire mission at (BT 0286(9)).
H	S-3	1004	H/2/B has departed CP.
Note		1015	Fixed wing conducting air strikes support of Co E medevac.

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TIME	IC	TIME	DESCRIPTION
	S-3	1027	Medevac completed.
G	S-3	1029	G/3/A completed sweep of Anderson trail west.
C-3	Regt		
	REG	1030	Anderson trail west is clear.
H	S-3	1033	H/1/L has returned to CP.
H	S-3	1055	H/2/B at Ck Pt #1.
LVT's	S-3	1056	LVT's now traveling up stream.
H	S-3	1107	H/2/B at Ck Pt #2.
G	S-3	1121	G/3/A has returned to CP.
S-3	Regt	1140	Spot Report #7.
			Patrol 0945H at (BT 032612) E2 squad combat patrol received 50-60 rounds M-2 carbine fire from (BT 027606). Returned fire with 100 rounds M-60, 150 rounds 7.62, 4 rounds M-79 & 1 M 3.5 rocket round. VC broke contact. Medevac called for 1 US MIA.
H	S-3	1210	H/2/B at Ck Pt #4.
H	S-3	1606	H/2/L activities cancelled due to conflicts.
LVT's	S-3	1645	LVT's now departing En CP.
S-3	Regt	1707	Cancel H2/L/2 activities.
MT	S-3	1724	One vehicle still out.
MT	S-3	1726	All vehicles have returned to CP.
S-3	REG	1727	All vehicles are in.
LVT's	S-3	1755	Four LVT's arrived at 2/1 CP.
Air	S-3	1820	G/3 Sparrow hawk departing CP to exploit intelligence report that enemy positions are on island in GS 6572 and maybe firing pits for rockets.
H	S-3	1830	H/2/C now departing CP.
C	S-3	1900	G/3 has completed search of island.
G	S-3	1935	G/3 Sparrow hawk at 271930H at (BT 056574) found 8-10 holes 8"-10" deep, 1' in diameter, running North to South along rice paddies. Holes 8'-10' apart blown in place to check for possible false bottoms with negative results.
H	S-3	1940	H/3/A now departing CP.
Regt	S-3	1941	Received confirmation of the extraction of G/3 at (BT 011000).
H	S-3	2000	H/3/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	2003	H3B/A/1 now set in ambush site. (AT 992685).
G	S-3	2015	G/1 now returning to CP.

FROM	TO	TIME	REMARKS
H	S-3	2016	H/2/C has made contact with G/3.
H	S-3	2044	H/3/A now set in night position.
G	S-3	2053	G/2/B now departing CP.
H	S-3	2100	H/1 heard tanks firing across river.
G	S-3	2120	G/1/B now departing ambush site.
S-3	H	2121	Pass to G/3 18 VC reported moving to (BT 054730), ETA and route unknown.
G	S-3	2125	G/1/B now returning to CP.
G	S-3	2126	G/1/A has returned to CP.
G	S-3	2127	G/2/A now set in ambush site.
3/1	S-3	2145	G/2/B now departing CP. At 0030H 3/1 is going to hold a Counter Punch Drill.
G	S-3	2150	G/1/B has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	2151	H&S 1 & 3 has departed CP.
G	S-3	2200	G/2/B now set in position.
H	S-3	2201	All Secure.
H&S	S-3	2230	H&S 2 has departed CP.
E	S-3	2231	E/3 has returned to CP.
G	S-3	2325	At 2300 at (BT 003633) G/2/B squad observed 1 man with weapon. Man came to rear of security and threw grenade. Returned fire with M-79 and small arms. Sweep of area brought negative results.
S-3	H&S	2335	H&S notified of 3/1 Counter Punch Drill.
H, E/1/D	S-3	2358	All Secure.
G	S-3	2400	At 2330 at (BT 009634) G/2/B security patrol received 25 rounds auto-matic carbine fire from (BT 006634). Returned fire with small arms and 81 mm area not swept due to darkness. Sweep at first light brought Negative results.


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FROM	TO	TIME	MESSAGES
/II Units	S-3	0100	All Secure.
G	S-3	0353	G/2/L new departing ambush site.
H, E/1/D	S-3	0400	All Secure.
G	S-3	0415	G/2/L has returned to CP.
H&S	S-3	0418	H&S/LP/5 has returned to CP.
H	S-3	0435	H/1/B now departing CP.
H&S	S-3	0445	H&S/LP/6 & 7 have returned to CP.
H	S-3	0500	H/1/B now set in night time position.
E/1/D	S-3	0505	All Secure.
H/R/B	S-3	0540	Boat Patrol has returned.
G, H	S-3	0541	All Secure.
G	S-3	0645	G/1/L now departing for road sweep.
H	S-3	0650	H/3/L has returned to CP.
G	S-3	0652	G/2/B has departed night time position.
S-3	Regt	0715	Called cancellations of G/3 day activities.
G	S-3	0740	G/2 reports a mine discovered at (BT 000634). 1/26 notified.
S-3	G/2	0755	Notified G/2 of ARVN moving in N 1/2 of CS C164.
H	S-3	0800	H1/CP/1 has departed CP.
G	S-3	0815	G/1/L has completed road sweep East, H&S notified.
G	S-3	0850	G/3 has completed sweep of island with negative results, awaiting Helos to pick up SPARROW HAWK.
S-3	Regt	0910	Special Spot Report G/3 at (BT 056574) found 8-10 holes, 8"-10" deep, 1' in diameter. Running N to S. Holes 8'-10' apart. Blew holes to see if they had false bottoms, proved to be negative.
G	S-3	1000	G1/CP/1 completed sweep of Anderson trail West.
G	S-3	1015	G/2/B returned to CP.
G	S-3	1016	G/2/B at 280900H at (BT 004634) found freshly dug dirt on Anderson trail West. Set up security and awaited for sweep team. Checked dirt found one large mine consisting of 75 lbs of TNT, Engineers blew mine in place.
G	S-3	1025	G/3 has returned to CP.

FROM	TO	TIME	ISSUE
R	S-3	1040	H/2/C at 280900H at BT 056714 found 1 5" diameter silver disc laying beside path also found a grenade with spoon off in a shallow hole Disc picked up by G/3 and will return to S-2. Grenade blown in place by G/3
G	S-3	1045	G/1/CP/1 has returned to CP.
Note	S-3	1046	At 281030H firing 3.5 rocket in front of G sector, bore sighting weapon 1 round malfunctioned causing back blast resulted in a lacerated eye of Marine from G Co. Called med-eva. to NSA. LZ Crawdad.
Air	S-3	1129	Med-evac for Marine from Co G with lacerated eye (non-battle) complete.
H	S-3	1153	H2B/CP/2 cancelled.
H	S-3	1155	H1/CP/1 has returned to CP.
E	S-3	1320	E1/CP/2 now departing CP.
Ontos	S-3	1640	Two Ontos departing CP to retrieve the vehicles disabled on West Anderson trail.
MT	S-3	1723	Reports 1 vehicle still out.
MT	S-3	1740	All vehicles have returned to CP.
E	S-3	2054	E/1 All Secure.
G	S-3	2140	G/2/B now departing CP.
E	S-3	2145	E/1/ All Secure.
All Units	S-3	2200	All Secure.
G	S-3	2230	G/2/A now departing CP.
H	S-3	2255	All Secure.
G	S-3	2300	G/2/A in position.
G, E/1/D	S-3	2344	All Secure.
E	S-3	2345	E/1 All Secure.
S-3	E	2350	Spot Report #27 E2/C at 281845H at (BT 036609) combat patrol saw 7 VC with weapons in tree-line moving East. Fired six rounds 60 mm mortar. Saw 2 VC fall as if they were hit. Area not swept will be swept at first light. Claim 2 VC KIA probable.
H	S-3	2358	All Secure.

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1. SITUATION.

- A. ENEMY. CAPABILITY TO INFILTRATE BN TAOR AND MASS FOR ATTACKS ON FIXED DEFENSIVE POSITIONS DURING PRE-TET AND TET PERIODS REMAINS PRIME THREAT.
- B. FRIENDLY. OFFENSIVE MILITARY OPERATIONS WILL BE CURTAILED DURING TET 080700H to 120700H. DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS TO BE PUBLISHED BY HIGHER AUTHORITY.

2. MISSION. DEFEND BN TAOR BY INCREASED COMBAT AND SECURITY PATROLLING, AMBUSHES, AND LP'S DURING DAYLIGHT AND DARKNESS.

3. EXECUTION

- A. CONCEPT. MAXIMUM EFFORT REQUIRED. EMPHASIZE S&D SIZE OPERATION WHEN TACTICALLY FEASIBLE FOR GREATER AREA COVERAGE. MINIMUM FIFTY PERCENT OPERATIONS DURING DARKNESS. SPECIFIC TO WATERWAYS AND LAND ROUTES OF VC INFILTRATION.
- B. CO G
 - (1) SECTOR REIN FOR CP DEFENSE.
 - (2) SPARROW HAWK, 15 MIN STANDBY.
 - (3) BALD EAGLE, ONE HOUR STANDBY.
 - (4) RECON RIVER LINE BETWEEN 994608 AND 019608 FOR SITES SUITABLE FOR DEVELOPMENT AS CROSSING SITE FOR OFFERS AND LVTE'S. AUTHORITY TO RECON RIVER AREA OUTSIDE TAOR TO BE OBTAINED AS REQUIRED.
- C. CO H
 - (1) BN RESERVE FOR CP DEFENSE.

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D. ALL CO'S

(1) OPERATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ABOVE CONCEPT.

E. COORDINATION

(1) ONTOS SUPPORT WITH HEAVY SEC ONTOS PATROLS IN GOLF TAOR.

(2) PREPARE FOR COUNTY FAIR HA TAY AREA IMMEDIATELY FOL+ LOMING TET. DATE AND PARTICIPATING CO'S TO BE ANNOUNCED.

4. COMMUNICATIONS

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1. SITUATION. INCREASED ENEMY INFILTRATION ACTIVITY EXPECTED DURING PERIOD PRECEDING TET. INFILTRATION DESIGNED TO MASS ENEMY FOR POSSIBLE ATTACKS ON FIXED POSITIONS DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

2. EXECUTION.

A. CONCEPT. CO'S CONDUCT OPERATIONS IN TAOR'S TO COUNTER INFILTRATION ACTIVITY. DAYLIGHT ACTIVITY STRESSES AMBUSHES EMPLACED UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS. MINIMUM FIFTY PERCENT OF ALL ACTIVITY WILL BE DURING NIGHT TIME. SPECIFIC ATTENTION TO KNOWN INFILTRATION ROUTES. FIXED DEFENSIVE POSITIONS WILL BE SUPPORTED BY LP'S, AMBUSHES AND SECURITY PATROLS.

B. CO E. PATROL AND AMBUSH ACTIVITY.

C. CO G.

- (1) SECTOR REINFORCEMENT FOR CP DEFENSE.
- (2) CO CMD GROUP AND TWO PLATOON FOR BALD EAGLE ON ONE HOUR STANDBY.
- (3) PATROL AND AMBUSH ACTIVITY.

D. CO H

- (1) BN RESERVE FOR CP DEFENSE.
- (2) SPARROW HAWK
- (3) ONE PLATOON FOR BALD EAGLE ON ONE HOUR STANDBY.
- (4) PATROL AND AMBUSH ACTIVITY.

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