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Wednesday, March 13, 1968 - 8:35 a.m.

Mr. President:

Khe Sanh and DMZ:

- celebration of March 13 (anniversary of opening attack on Dien Bien Phu) exceedingly quiet;
- weather marginal;
- 36 enemy rounds;
- 100 friendly outgoing;
- another excellent ARVN contact near Dong Ha
- 306 sorties plus 43 B-52's;
- 162 tons delivered.

In general, the battle is in a curious phase in Vietnam: no clear enemy attack plan discernible; clock ticking on good supply weather in Laos and poor weather at Khe Sanh; our side moving slowly over to the initiative in I Corps, III Corps, and IV Corps.

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