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Monday, July 15, 1968
11:00 a. m.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I have had indexes of military activity prepared for Vietnam, by weeks from the week ending January 27 to the week ending July 6.

In all cases, 100 equals the average for the calendar year 1967.

Six factors are charted separately on this basis and an average index then compiled (see second chart).

The nut of it is that from about June 8 the index has moved back to about the 1967 average. In the past two weeks it has been below that average.

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Attachments