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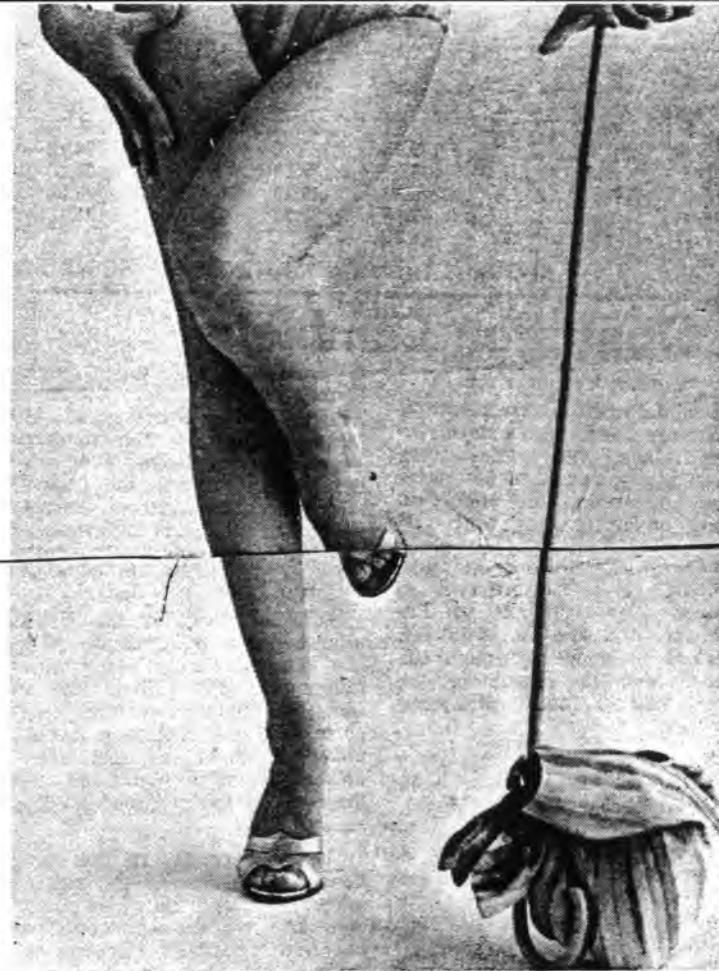
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THIS IS RIGHT WHERE
THAT V.C. BASE WAS
NOTICE HOW CLOSE IT WAS TO DAUTIE.

AHHH YES—This lovely young thing is Ann-Margret. You
know, the one our gate is named after? Any resemblance is
purely accidental.

For Viet Cong

Giggling Unhealthy

DAU TIENG — Eight Viet Cong who were laughing and giggling to themselves as they ran from their mortar positions were killed by a 3rd Bde, 25th Div, ambush patrol 8 kms southwest of Dau Tieng recently.

The enemy mortar squad had lobbed 29 rounds into a night position of the 2nd Bn (Mech), 22nd Inf, and were fleeing their position when they ran into the ambush led by SP4 Arnold Farnow of Sophia, N.C., 100 meters away.

"I could see the flash from the tubes as the mortar rounds were fired," related PFC Austin Kreeger of York, Pa., a member of the patrol which was set along one of the trails lead-

ing through the dense jungle.

Before the first round of the 29 had hit the ground, the VC broke down the mortar and started out of the area.

Sp4 Eugene Buhr of Sumner, Iowa, said, "I rolled over to my machine gun and took it off safety." Led by a VC with a flashlight, the enemy rounded some bushes and ran down the trail towards the ambush. "They were grouped up and were talking and giggling to themselves," remarked Buhr. "When they ran into the kill zone, I opened up."

Buhr downed five with the first burst of his M-60 machine gun. There were no friendly casualties. One AK-47 assault rifle and the mortar bipod were captured.



gs being evacuated
100 tons discovered
by SP4 Gary Gatliff

WE WERE CAMPED HERE
WHEN THE MORTARS CAME IN