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Several months ago near the hamlet of Duc Pho about 100 miles south east of Da Nang, units of the Vietnamese Army's 2nd Infantry Division captured a fortified V.C. village.

Today, after a combined battalion total of 400 men years of jungle warfare training experience, which the 3rd Battalion, 6th Regiment, 2nd Inf. Div. has fighting NVA (North Vietnamese Army) and VC units. The battalion has put together the remains of a VC village and relocated, for training aid purpose, models of the booby traps and other tactical defensive weapons of the village.

For the first time in the Viet Nam War ARVN (Army of the Republic of Viet Nam) with their advisors, are training incoming American Forces to the northern provinces of Viet Nam. The ARVN officers and men, with their advisors, demonstrate the tricks, traps and tactics and other media employed by NVA and VC units. These include booby traps made of bamboo, nails and even bone made tubes. Some booby traps have been given names; other are so crude, having no names as yet. Station eleven (11) the last of training station within the VC rock village contains such devices as the Bamboo Whip, Spike Trap, Arrow Trap, Amji Bow, Cartridge Trap, Electrical Trap with wire spikes and the "Armed trap with spikes.

Each class contains 30-50 men about platoon size units. The group covered are from B Company 1st Bn. 46th Inf. of the 198th Light Infantry Brigade, commanded by CPT Blumberg. The classes start at Station (1) and work through to station (11).

Station (1) is a briefing area where Maj. Ngain Battalion commander of the 3rd Bn, 6th Reg of the 2nd INF. DIV., gives an opening briefing to the soldiers prior to their trip through the village. (2) Shows two types of booby traps and squad tactics. Station(3) Involves false floors and searching out hidden enemy. Station(4) Shows Friendly forces searching a village, then fooling around when the VC throw a grenade at them. Station (5) Friendly forces looking into a hut then the enemy set off command detonated mines or are killed by setting off trip wire to mines. Station (6) Involves careful searching of a village where the soldier find hidden weapons. Station(7) Deals with searching for enemy supply from local villager as they carry out there normal duties each day. Station(8) Means of become to friendly with local people. Station (9) Shows Allied forces being lured away to be captured by a group of VC. Station. (10) Has a lesson of not laying down your weapon.

Through out the trip in the village the advisors act as interpreter, while the men of the 3rd Battalion of the 6th Reg. demonstrate what to do. "aking "B" Company through is LO 2 David John Wallner an Australian advisor from the jungle training center Canungra, Queensland Australia.

ROLL	1.	1.	1.	SYNG	CU. one of the VC village alarm bells being set off by means of a trip wire. This warns the village of any foes entering the village.
		2.	1.	SYNG	LS. Friendly forces entering the village
		3.	1.	SYNG	MS. Maj. Ngain giving his speech with drawing of sample VC village in background.
		4.	1.	SYNG	MS. Warrant officer Wallner at the booby trap area.
		5.	1.	SYNG	CU. LO-2 Wallner pointing to charts of traps in station (11) area.
		6.	1.	SYNG	CU. LO-2 Wallner's face.
		7.	1.	SYNG	LS. LO-2 Walner and Vietnamese troops around the chart of booby traps.

ROLL	1 cont	6	1.	SYNC	MS.	10-2 Wallner talking while Viet Namese set off Flared Trap with Spikes
		9.	1.	SYNC	LS.	NO
		10.	1.	SYNC	LS.	NO
		11.	1.	SYNC	LS.	Blast from claymore mine in station (11.)
		12.	1.	SYNC	MS.	10-2 Wallner stepping into punji bear trap
		13.	1.	SYNC	MS.	10-2 Wallner demonstrating the Spike trap.
		14.	1.	SYND	CU.	Punji stakes in bottom of pit of Spike trap on station (11.)
		15.	1.	SYNC	LS.	Station (3) Friendly troops searching hut and find false floor under floor is VC hiding.
		16.	1.	SYNC	MS.	Vietnamese Army taking prisoner VC from hiding place in floor.
		17.	1.	SYNC	LS.	Station(4) 10-2 Wallner telling the class about being caught off guard.
		18.	1.	SYNC	LS.	Vietnamese Army troops entering village
		19.	1.	SYNC	MS.	Friendly forces start playing around at the wall.
		20.	1.	SYNC	LS.	VC enter and throws a grenade at the Viet namese forces playing around the wall.
		21.	1.	SYNC	LS.	Station (5) Friendly forces enter village
		22.	1.	SYNC	MS.	Vietnamese forces entering hut to search it out, once inside the men unwary soldiers set off trip wires to explosives and command detonated mines are set off killing all the men.
		23.	1.	SYNC	MS.	Man comes out of hut with VC flag as mine goes off.
		24.	1.	SYNC	LS.	Friendly forces entering village at Station (6) on a search and destroy mission
		25.	1.	SYNC	MS.	One friendly troop sits down to have a smoke on steps goofing off on the job.
		26.	1.	SYNC	LS.	During his smoke he peeks around and finds a false brick, searching it out he find rifles cache.
		27.	1.	SYNC	CU.	Vietnamese soldier lifting out AK-47 assault VC weapon.
		28.	1.	SYNC	MS.	At Station (7) A Vietnamese soldier sits at the edge of the village to check the villagers as they come out for enemy

ROLL 1 cont	27	1.	SYNC	MS.	supplies and check their ID cards.
	28	1.	SYNC	MS.	Village girl comes out with stacks of rice but the guard doesn't check her. His SOI shows him out for not checking.
	29.	1.	SYNC	MS.	Second person comes out of the village the guard checks him out same.
	30.	1	SYNC	MS.	Third man comes out with stacks of rice as the guard halts him he runs, as the guard shoots after the fleeing man.
	31.	1.	SYNC	CU.	Vietnamese trooper opening up the stacks of rice to find a rifle and ammo hidden inside the stacks of rice.

Roll 2	1.	1.	SILENT	LS.	The training village
	2.	1.	SILENT	LS.	American soldiers walking down a path
	3.	1.	SILENT	LS.	ARVN uncovering a trap at Station (11)
	4.	1.	SILENT	MS.	ARVN uncovering a trap
	5.	1.	SILENT	CU.	The Barbed trap at Station (11)
	6.	1.	SILENT	MS.	The Barbed trap sign
	7.	1.	SILENT	MS.	ARVN at Station (11)
	8.	1.	SILENT	MS.	Pierced trap with spikes at Station (11)
	9.	1.	SILENT	MS.	Punji Bear trap at Station (11)
	10.	1.	SILENT	MS.	The Spike trap at Station (11)
	11.	1.	SILENT	LS.	Soldiers avoiding punji traps on a path
	12.	1.	SILENT	LS.	Soldiers walking past a post sign on path
	13.	1.	SILENT	LS.	A class of soldiers
	14.	1.	SILENT	MS.	LO-2 Wallner instructing a class
	15.	1.	SILENT	CU.	A soldier in a class
	16.	1.	SILENT	CU.	A soldier in a class
	17.	1.	SILENT	CU.	A soldier in a class
	18.	1.	SILENT	CU.	A soldier in a class
	19.	1.	SILENT	CU.	A soldier in a class

ROLL 3	1.	1.	SILENT	LS.	ARVN instructors
	2.	1.	SILENT	LS.	Lt. Nguyen demonstrating a trap
	3.	1.	SILENT	CU.	Lt. Nguyen, one of the ARVN instructors
	4.	1.	SILENT	CU.	Lt. Nguyen and LO-2 Wallner
	5.	1.	SILENT	LS.	Lt. Nguyen with Bear punji at Station (11)
	6.	1.	SILENT	MS.	Lt. Nguyen with Bear Punji //
	7.	1.	SILENT	LS.	LO-2 Wallner at Station (11) with spike trap
	8.	1.	SILENT	LS.	Soldiers in a class

ROLL 3 cont	9.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	10.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	11.	1.	SILENT	LS. ARVN soldier punji stick sling at Station (2)
	12.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	13.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	14.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	15.	1.	SILENT	LS. Soldiers walking away to next Station
	16.	1.	SILENT	LS. Soldiers walking away to next Station
	17.	1.	SILENT	LS. ARVN approach a VC house Station (5)
	18.	1.	SILENT	LS. ARVN soldiers inspecting a VC house
	19.	1.	SILENT	LS. A bomb goes off, killing ARVN troops
	20.	1.	SILENT	MS. Soldiers moving along a trail

ROLL 4	1.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	2.	1.	SILENT	CU. Soldier in a class
	3.	1.	SILENT	LS. ARVN troops searching peasants with straw bundles, and finding weapons Station (7)
	4.	1.	SILENT	MS. ARVN carrying captured weapons
	5.	1.	SILENT	LS. Woman and ARVN soldier walking along, with the class watching Station (9)
	6.	1.	SILENT	LS. Woman and ARVN sitting on the ground
	7.	1.	SILENT	LS. ARVN is captured and killed by the VC
	8.	1.	SILENT	LS. VC running into jungle
	9.	1.	SILENT	LS. Children being chased by ARVN Station (10)
	10.	1.	SILENT	LS. ARVN running into village and are captured
	11.	1.	SILENT	MS. LO-2 Wallner instructing soldiers
	12.	1.	SILENT	CU. LO-2 Wallner speaking to a class
	13.	1.	SILENT	MS. Soldiers listening to a lecture and then getting up and leaving