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1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion (Rein)
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
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1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a), (b) and (c), enclosure (1) is submitted.
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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDER

1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion

LtCol. E. R. TONER
1-31 Oct 1967

H and S Company

Capt. D. D. HAMILTON
1-31 Oct 1967

Company "A"

Capt. P. M. JOHNSON
1-31 Oct 1967

Company "B"

Capt. K. T. BRUNSVOLD
1-31 Oct 1967

Company "A" (-)(Rein), 1st Bn, 1st Marines

Capt. W. C. STENSLAND
27-31 Oct 1967

2. LOCATION

1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion (Rein), 1-31 Oct 1967: CUA VIET PORT
FACILITY, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer

Maj. T. M. HEARN
1-31 Oct 1967

S-1

WO J. B. STEVERSKI
1-31 Oct 1967

S-2

2d Lt. S. R. RINGER
1-31 Oct 1967

S-3

Maj. W. J. DONOVAN
1-31 Oct 1967

S-4

Maj. R. A. SULIK
1-31 Oct 1967

S-5

Capt. J. C. BURGER
1-31 Oct 1967

Battalion Medical Officer

Lt. J. JUERS
1-31 Oct 1967

Communication Officer

Capt. K. E. CARLSON
1-31 Oct 1967

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Maintenance Officer

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Motor Transport Officer

Chaplain

1st Lt. D. A. WHITESIDE
1-31 Oct. 1967

2d Lt. R. DEEVER
1-31 Oct 1967

None
1-31 Oct 1967

4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

USMC

<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
30	573

USN

<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
1	18

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. Enemy artillery/rocket attacks were light this month: he fired onto the compound on two days and at LVT's outside the compound on three days.
2. This Battalion continued logistic support of Dyemarker Strongpoint A-1 and commenced support of Base Area C-4 on 24 Oct. During support of these areas, five vehicles detonated anti-tank mines. An engineer mine sweep team found three additional mined areas.
3. A cordon and search of a Resettlement Village on 6 Oct netted no VC but gave opportunity for Medcap, propaganda leaflets and pro-Vietnamese speeches by the village Chief.
4. An inspection of the Bn was held by CG 3d Mar Div Inspection party on 14 Oct, results satisfactory with discrepancies as noted.
5. On 18 Oct, 20-25 VC attacked a patrol in south of TAOR after patrol apprehended a VC(S). Results 1 Marine KIA, 4 VC KIA (Prob). On next day, Co "A" (Rein) conducted a search and destroy operation in Vinh Hua vic (YD 384657). The hamlet was almost deserted but found thirty new fighting holes and many booby traps. During this day, one platoon of Co "B" set up a blocking position grid (YD 2968) in support of an ARVN/PF search and destroy.
6. During 18-23 Oct, the Bn screened northern area of TAOR to prevent intimidation of voters at or entering My Loc voting place (Operation LIBERTY II). No VC/NVA casualties, but a cache of Class V was voluntarily turned in by Vietnamese Children. 23 Oct, "C" Co, 11th Engr Bn arrived, D/S.
7. One platoon of LVT's was chopped OPCON to CG, 1st Mar Div on 27 Oct and on that day this Bn assumed OPCON of Co "A", 1st Bn, 1st Mar as defense force for Base Area C-4 and other tasks as assigned.
8. On 31 Oct, Co "A", 1st AmTrac Bn (-)(Rein) was a blocking force at (YD 416630) for a search and destroy operation by 1st ARVN Regt.
9. As tactical commander for Base Area C-4, Commanding Officer of 1st AmTrac Bn has supervised construction, organization and defense of C-4. Work is 20-25% completed.
10. During the month of October 1967 the Battalion suffered the following casualties:

Battle: KIA (01) DOW (00)
WIA (17)

Non-Battle: KIA (00)
WIA (01)

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PART III

LIST OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1-4 October 1967 Nothing Significant to Report.

5 October 1967 The Cua Viet Port Facility received one
rd of unknown caliber artillery which
landed 800 meters in ocean at mouth of
river. No action taken.

CG 3d Mar Div visited Bn.

6 October 1967 1st Amfrac Bn conducted a cordon and
search operation in resettlement vill-
age vic (YD 315689) to (YD 322694).
Psychological operations were conducted
with leaflets being handed out and pro-
American and pro-Vietnamese speeches
being made by Village Chief. Search
turned up one Soviet T-41 mine. MedCap
treated 244 people.
4th Plat, Co "A" while making supply run
to Dyemarker site A-1 received three
rds of 100 MM arty. En position un-
known. No action taken.

7 October 1967 Element of 2d Plat, Co "B" found 500 lb
U. S. bomb vic (YD 375655). EOD per-
sonnel exploded bomb. Village had been
bombed by friendly A/C on 6 Oct 67. Fins
found, several craters found. Some
Vietnamese killed, wounded and Med Evac-
ed.

8-9 October 1967 Nothing Significant to Report.

10 October 1967 The Cua Viet Port Facility received five
rds of 100 MM or larger arty. ISA rec-
eived six rds of artillery of unknown cal-
iber on north bank of Cua Viet River.
Negative casualties or damage.

11 October 1967 Elements of 2d Plat, Co "A" while leaving
from area (YD 268734) after resupply
run received two incoming rds of 105 MM
arty. Negative casualties or damage.

Three LVTP-5 of Co "B" at Con Thien
reported receiving incoming artill-
ery while repairing track resulting
in two WIA.

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Elements of 4th Plat, Co "B" while moving to Dyemarker site C-4 for recon had second LVTP-5 in line hit mine vic (YD 337-705). Believed to be T-46 type. LVTP-5 had moderate damage. Two remaining LVTP-5 backed in water, troops dismounted and swept treeline for 300 meters. Negative contact, but found sign wedged in tree pointing to mine. Negative casualties.

12 October 1967

Battalion Scout Team while reconning vic (YD 333701) approached hut, four Vietnamese ran from hut, three of whom were armed. Caught one but he was not armed. Detainee was interrogated by ARVN, admitted that the three others were VC but he was not. Being further interrogated by CIT team; will be delivered to Dong Ha.

13 October 1967

Nothing Significant to Report. Except Med Cap with 169 people treated vic YD 373657. CG 3d Mar Div Inspection of all sections being conducted.

14 October 1967

1st AmTrac Bn bunker vic (YD 344693) received two sniper rds from unk location. Bunker #2 vic (YD 338694) received one sniper rd. Bunker #4 vic (YD 339693) received two rds from a northwesterly direction. Ambush patrol previously set in 800 yds north swept south to intercept sniper. Negative contact.

15 October 1967

5th Plat, Co "B" at Con Thien had one man wounded by incoming artillery. Med-Evac.

16 October 1967

ADC (BGen METZGER) arrived in Bn area to present awards.

H&S Co patrol captured one detainee vic (YD 359671). Patrol started to move out with prisoner and was attacked by 20 to 25 VC. Patrol returned fire, a reaction force was dispatched. Swift Boats provided off shore support with flares and 81 MM mortars. VC broke contact. Reaction force made sweep of area with negative results. Four enemy KIA (VC Prob), one detainee being interrogated and then will be sent to Dong Ha. One friendly KIA.

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Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" commenced sweeping operation in southern AO. Found one bunker vic (YD 384657). Bunker was 8 feet long and 4 feet wide with heavy timber construction for overhead. Destroyed bunker with LVT. Found in vic (YD 374656) 30 fighting holes overlooking trails leading into village, one 500 lb bomb and trip wire leading to buried explosives at (YD 376654). Fighting holes destroyed. EOD blew 500 lb bomb and buried explosives in place. While searching area surrounding bomb tripped one Chi Com booby trap. Trip wire arranged in triangle with booby trap in middle. Remainder of area searched, found one more Chi Com booby trap. Destroyed in place. One WIA USN EOD personnel, Med-Evac. While advancing through village on return route to CP, found one Chi Com stick grenade rigged with trip wire. EOD disarmed grenade.

5th Plat, Co "B" set in blocking position in vic (YD 2968) in support of ARVN, PF operation.

LVTP-5 (A-02), while in support of 8th ARVN Bn vic (YD 281718), struck one pressure detonated AT mine just outside 8th ARVN Bn perimeter. Major damage to vehicle. Seven WIA Non Med-Evac.

Elements of 5th Plat, Co "B" in vic (YD 114702) had one WIA from incoming arty while supporting 9th Marines. Non Med-Evac.

18 October 1967

3d Plat, Co "A" patrol and screening force in connection with Operation Liberty II departed CP for vic (YD 309687).

19 October 1967

Elements of Co "B" while on resupply run to ARVN units had one LVTP-5 (B-24) hit AT mine vic (YD 288712). Damaged three roadwheel assemblies and possible fuel cell. Two WIA Non Med-Evac.

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Elements of Co "B" while resupplying ARVN units had LVTP-5 (B-20) hit pressure detonated AT mine in vic (YD 288712); blew off number 3 road wheel assembly and 25 to 30 blocks of track. Set up security and swept new path back to CP. (YD 288712) swept for mines prior to 1500.

LVTP-5 (B-24) while returning from re-supply mission for ARVN units hit pressure detonated AT mine in vic (YD 289710). Damaged #1 and #2 roadwheel assemblies on same side as the last mine. Took LVT under tow. Augmenting mine sweeping team with probe team and continued to CP. Mine sweep team, swept area in front of tractor while 2d Plat Co "A" was preparing to tow mined LVT. Sweep team found one AT Chi Com T-41 mine. Mine blown in place.

20 October 1967

PF working with patrol departed at 2100 and refused to stay at night as agreed. They were to return next morning but never returned. Patrol members entered My Loc, found that lights were out in huts very early i.e. 2000, but found no VC or meetings.

21 October 1967

Nothing significant to report.

22 October 1967

2d Plat Co "B" while on patrol in connection with Operation LIBERTY II talked to three Vietnamese children. Children led them to an underground ammo storage area in vic (YD 315694), patrol called for LVTP-5 support to remove ammo. Some ammo unserviceable and engineers blew it in place. Swept area for other hidden storage area. Paid children 200 piasters and gave them C-Rations. Class V on bottom was serviceable. Items found consisted of three claymore mines, 700 rds 30 Cal., seven M-79 rds, four 60 MM WP rds, three blasting caps, 200 rds 5.56 MM, 1500 rds 7.62 linked.

23 October 1967

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24 October 1967

1st ARVN Bn, 1st ARVN Airborne Task Force relieved 6th ARVN Bn, 1st ARVN Airborne Task Force in place.

Co "A" while in support of 8th ARVN Bn had one LVTP-5 (A-42) hit enemy pressure detonated anti-tank mine vic (YD 298707). Destroyed one support roller, two torsion arms and two roadwheel assemblies on portside. Set up security while waiting for mine sweep team. Three WIA, one Med-Evac.

25 October 1967

2d Plat, Co "A" while in support of 1st ARVN Airborne Bn found two anti-tank mines. Each had two stacked, one on top of the other weighing approx 20 lbs each. Mines blown in place.

26 October 1967

Nothing significant to report.

27 October 1967

Chopped 11 LVTP-5 and one LVTP-5 CMD; one officer and 12 enlisted men from Co "B", 1st AmTrac Bn to OPCON 1st Mar Div.

3d Plat Co "A" vic (YD 271733) completing resupply mission to the 1st ARVN Airborne as site A-1. Received 10 rds of 100 MM arty. 2d Plat 1st Armored Amphibian Co fired 200 rds of counter battery fire.

1st AmTrac Bn assumed OPCON Co "A" (-) (Rein), 1st Bn, 1st Mar, 1st Mar Div.

28 October 1967

Nothing significant to report.

29 October 1967

Co "A", 1st Bn, 1st Mar patrol in vic (YD 316723) spotted 3 VCS in vic (YD 311725) running in tree line. Patrol warned VCS to stop, fired two rds. Checked out area with negative results. VCS ran to South-west.

Co "A", 1st Bn, 1st Mar while on patrol picked up six detainees who were inside restricted area vic (YD 317715). Detainees were interrogated by 7th ITT. 5 were released as innocent civilians. One was forwarded to Dong Ha for further interrogation by 7th ITT.

1st AmTrac Bn received intelligence report from local informer that approx 8 VC move into resettlement ville vic (YD 319693) at 2000 every night to visit their families. They leave by an unknown route every morn-

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ing at approx 0300. It is reported that they hid out in the vic of the resettlement ville during the day. Source believes their hiding place is north of the resettlement ville. USMC rating B-3. Established ambush for them.

LCM-8 913 while turning into main body of Cua Viet River was blocked by 35-50 Vietnamese Fishing boats in the main channel. As boat slowed they received 7-8 rds of unk cal mortars. Fired 10-15 rds at Vietnamese boats and they cleared the channel. One USN WIA Non Med-Evac. Event occurred at grid 269627. Maj Gen HOCHMUTH visited Bn Area.

Elements of Co "A", 1st AmTrac Bn and elements of Co "A", 1st Bn, 1st Mar departed CP to set in blocking position vic (YD 416630) in support of 1st ARVN Regt search and destroy operations south of the Cua Viet River.

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PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

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- ✓ ANNEX A - S-1 Journal
 - ✓ ANNEX B - S-2/3 Journal
 - ✓ ANNEX C - S-4 Journal
 - ✓ ANNEX D - Daily Civic Action Situation Reports
 - ✓ ANNEX E - Combat Operations After Action Report, Operation Liberty II

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TIME		Serial Number	DTC	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Map S-Staff P-File T- Trps
In	Out				
		1	010001	Journal opened.	S
		2	010800	1stLt P. J. McDONNELL and eleven (11) enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		3	012400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		4	020001	Journal opened.	S
		5	020800	CPL A. J. BARNETT dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		6	022400	Journal closed.	S

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		7	030001	Journal opened.	S
		8	030800	1stLt J. E. GOODRICH and twenty seven (27) enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		9	032400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		10	040001	Journal opened.	S
		11	040800	Sgt D. R. KISER and thirty eight (38) other enlisted dropped , transferred to CONUS.	S
		12	041200	LCPL L. F. HARRELL reported for duty.	S
		13	042400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		14	050001	Journal opened.	S
		15	050800	No reportable items.	S
		16	052400	Journal closed.	S
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IN	OUT				
		17	060001	Journal opened.	S
		18	060800	SSgt A. MALDONATO and two (2) other enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		19	060800	Thirty-three (33) men were promoted to LCpl from H&S Company to rank from 1 October 1967, and promoted to Cpl from H&S Company to 1 October 1967 were fourteen (14). Promoted forty-one (41) men to LCPL from "A" Company to rank from 1 October 1967, and promoted twenty-seven (27) men to Cpl to rank from 1 October 1967. Promoted thirty-two (32) men to LCpl from "B" Company to rank from 1 October 1967, and promoted seventeen (17) men to Cpl to rank from 1 October 1967.	S
		20	062400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		21	070001	Journal opened.	S
		22	070800	No reportable items.	S
		23	072400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		24	080001	Journal opened.	S
		25	081800	GySgt R. W. ANTLEY reported for duty.	S
		26	082400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		27	090001	Journal opened.	S
		28	090800	F. G. LUCAS and R. L. ROX III promoted to Sgt from H&S Company to rank from 1 September 1967.	S
		29	091200	LCpl R. K. SCHOPP and one (1) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		30	091300	Received Purple Heart Medals for A. R. MORGAN, E. A. MCATEER Jr., D. C. GEE, A. C. RUSHLOW and L. F. BOLL.	S
		31	092400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		32	100001	Journal opened.	S
		33	100800	LCpl J. B. SCHMIDT dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		34	100800	Promoted to GySgt from H&S Company R. T. POWELL.	S
		35	102400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		36	110001	Journal opened.	S
		37	110800	Sgt E. R. JACKSON to TAD in connection with emergency leave.	S
		38	111300	Received Purple Heart Medals for D. CORDIER, B. D. ALTERGOTT, L. L. FREDERICK, W. E. VINTON, G. K. SULLIVAN, M. F. RAYNO, A. J. CECIL, W. K. TALBOTT, J. M. HANSELL.	S
		39	112400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		40	120001	Journal opened.	S
		41	121130	LCpl W. A. ESTES reported for duty.	S
		42	121900	SSgt B. H. STAFFORD and four (4) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		43	121930	GySgt H. L. PATERSON and one (1) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		44	122400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		45	130001	Journal opened.	S
		46	130800	Sgt P. V. OVERTON dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		47	131100	HN D. M. KENNARD and two (2) other Corpsman reported for duty.	S
		48	131830	CPL L. L. MARKS and two (2) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		49	132400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
141600		50	140001	Journal opened.	S
		51	140800	PFC D. J. MENTZ dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		52	111015	SGT A. B. SHUSTER Jr. WIA: Received shrapnel wounds in upper left buttocks from an enemy explosive device, while in a defensive position in direct support of 1/9. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
141600	141640	53	111015	LCpl J. R. KENDALL WIA: Received shrapnel wounds on left forearm from an enemy explosive device, while in a defensive position in direct support of 1/9. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
		54	141640	Called in casualty reports on A. B. SHUSTER Jr. and J. R. KENDALL to 3d Marine Division (fwd) GROC.	S
		55	142400	Journal closed.	S

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150900		56	150001	Journal opened.	S
		57	150800	LCpl S. DENNARD dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		58	142000	PFC G. A. LOWELL NEC: Possible fractured left foot while unloading beach matting when the matting was dropped on his left foot. Med Evaced to D-Med.	S
151430	151215	59	151215	Called in casualty report on G. A. LOWELL to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S
		60	151215	CPL J. C. SPERLING WIA: Received shrapnel wounds in back and chest from an enemy explosive device, while in a defensive position in the Con Thien Compound. Med Evaced to D-Med.	S
	151400	61	151400	Called in casualty report on J. C. SPERLING to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S
		62	152400	Journal closed	S

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162330	171045	63	160001	Journal opened.	S
		64	161900	LCpl C. E. BEAVERS KIA: Received gunshot wound in neck during fire fight when members of the patrol made contact with an enemy patrol, while engaged in action against hostile forces in the Cua Viet area. Med Evaced to D-Med.	S
		65	171045	Called in casualty report on C. E. BEAVERS to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S
		66	162400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		67	170001	Journal opened.	S
		68	171300	Received Purple Heart Medals and one gold star in lieu of Second Purple Heart for J. G. MULHOLLAND II, K. L. MILLER and J. J. WARGO Jr.	S
		69	171600	HM2 T. B. JAMISON and one other corpsman reported for duty.	S
		70	172400	Journal closed.	S

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		71	180001	Journal opened.	S
		72	180800	CPL C. J. MAYO dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
180800		73	171110	LCpl A. REGO WIA: Received contusions and muscle strain of back from an enemy explosive device, while tractor hit an enemy mine on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
180800		74	171110	LCpl N. A. BIANCHI WIA: Received contusion on left leg from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine while on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
180800		75	171110	LCpl K. A. WELLS WIA: Suffered concussion of the chest from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine while on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
180800		76	171110	LCpl B. L. PACE WIA: Received contusion on right leg from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine while on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S

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				Page eighteen (18) of journal continued.	
180800		77	171110	LCpl R. E. FLORENCE WIA: Received abrasion on left knee from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine while on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
180800		78	171110	CPL R. L. RITCHIE WIA: Received contusion on right arm from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine while on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
180800		79	171110	SGT W. D. ROBINSON WIA: Received contusion on left knee, left arm and sprain 5th digit right hand from an enemy explosive device when a tractor hit an enemy mine while on a resupply run in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
180800		80	171735	LCpl B. F. GUILLAUME WIA: Received shrapnel wounds on right leg from an enemy explosive device, while in a defensive position in the Con Thien Compo und. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
	181100	81	181100	Called in casualty reports on numbers 73 - 80 to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S

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				Page eighteen (18) (a) of journal continued.	
		82	181400	CPL J. B. BEESON Jr. and eight (8) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		83	181900	PVT C. W. WARD reported for duty.	S
		84	182400	Journal closed.	S

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		85	190001	Journal opened.	S
		86	190800	PFC H. O. FRANKLIN dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		87	192400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		88	200001	Journal opened.	S
		89	200800	CAPT L. R. JAMLESON and two (2) enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
200800		90	191220	LCpl J. R. FERLAND WIA: Received abrasive wound on left side of Chin from an enemy explosive device, while on patrol in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
201100		91	191220	SGT T. E. HERBERT WIA: Received blast Concussion on lower extremity and left side from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit a mine while on a resupply mission in the Dong Ha area. Treated in field and returned to duty.	S
	201930	92	201930	Called in casualty reports on J. R. FERLAND and T. E. HERBERT to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S
		93	201030	WO-1 H. M. GNARINE reported for duty.	S
		94	202400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		95	210001	Journal opened.	S
		96	210800	WO F. R. CARBAUGH and eight (8) enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		97	211345	CPL D. R. FRISBY reported for duty.	S
		98	212400	Journal closed.	S

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		99	220001	Journal opened.	S
		100	221230	LCpl D. J. WILLIAMS and two (2) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		101	222400	Journal closed.	S

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		102	230001	Journal opened.	S
		103	230800	No reportable items.	S
		104	232400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		105	240001	Journal opened.	S
		106	240800	SSgt K. L. HALL and four (4) other enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		107	241535	GySgt C. G. SMITH reported for duty.	S
		108	242400	Journal closed.	S

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		109	250001	Journal opened.	S
		110	250800	Sgt J. C. BERGERON and five (5) other enlisted dropped	S
		111		transferred to CONUS.	
250800			241345	CPL M. L. MATTHEWS WIA: Twisted left ankle from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit enemy mine, while on resupply mission. Treated at BAS and returned to duty.	S
250800		112	241345	LCpl J. W. WILKINS Jr. WIA: Received lacerations about the face from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine, while on resupply mission in the Dong Ha area. Med Evaced to D-Med.	S
251400		113	241345	LCpl A E. GRANADO, Jr. WIA: Suffered bruised hip from an enemy explosive device when tractor hit an enemy mine, while on a resupply mission in the Dong Ha area. Treated at BAS and returned to duty.	S
		114	252400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		115	260001	Journal opened.	S
		116	261000	Called in casualty reports on J. C. BERGERON, M. L. MATTHEWS, and A. E. GRANADO, Jr. to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S
		117	262400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		118	270001	Journal opened.	S
		119	270800	PVT T. GIAMPAPA dropped transferred by service records to Camp S. D. Butler.	S
		120	272400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
		121	280001	Journal opened.	S
		122	280800	No reportable items.	S
		123	282400	Journal closed.	S

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IN	OUT				
291600		124	290001	Journal opened.	S
		125	290800	SGT G. R. FOREMAN PCS in connection with Emergency Leave.	S
		126	291100	CPL L. A. MOULD reported for duty.	S
		127	291600	LCpl P. R. FIELDS reported for duty.	S
		128	291130	GYSGT V. K. HULIHEE WIA: Received shrapnel wound on right forearm from an enemy explosive device, while in a defensive position in the Dong Ha area. Treated at BAS and returned to duty.	S
		129	292400	Journal closed.	S

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		130	300001	Journal opened.	S
		131	300800	CPL B. W. MULLEN and one (1) other enlisted dropped transferred to CONUS.	S
		132	300845	Called in casualty report on GYSGT V. K. HULIHEE to 3d Marine Division (fwd) CRCC.	S
		133	301500	SGT H. L. SPICER and two (2) other enlisted reported for duty.	S
		134	302400	Journal closed.	S

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
In	Out				
0001		1	010001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	010600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	011200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	4	011400	H&S Co patrol/ambush departed CP.	SF
2100		5	012100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	012400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVTP-5 2d Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVTP-5 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 14th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for construction of strong point A-1. Journal closed.	SMT

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Track
0001		1	020001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	020600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	021200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	4	021400	H&S Co patrol/ambush departed CP.	SF
2100		5	022100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	022400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Seven LVTP-5 Co "B" in D/S 3/4. Three LVTP-5 2d Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Three LVTP-5 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for construction of Strong Point A-1. Journal closed.	STF

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
In	Out				
0001		1	030001	Journal opened.	
0530		2	030530	R&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	031200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SF
	1100	4	031100	R&S Co patrol/ambush departed CP.	STF
2100		5	032100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	032400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVTP-5 2d Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVTP-5 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for Strong Point A-1. Journal closed.	SF SMF

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 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Types
In	Out				
0001		1	040001	Journal opened.	
0600		2	040600	H&S Co patrol/ambush South returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	041200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	SF
	1400	4	041400	H&S Co patrol/ambush South departed CP.	STF
2100		5	042100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	042400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 3 LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. 3 LVTP-5 2d Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. 4 LVTP-5 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S 4th Marines at Camp Evans. Bn continues to run day and night patrol/ambushes AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for strong point A-1. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				
0001		1	050001	Journal opened.	
0530		2	050530	H&S Co patrol/ambush returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
1100		3	051100	The CUA VIET PORT FACILITY received one rd of unk caliber arty which landed 800 meters in ocean at mouth of CUA VIET River. No action taken.	SF
	1200	4	051200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SF
	1400	5	051400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	STF
1530		6	051530	MAJ GEN HOCHMUTH visited the Bn area.	SF
	1555	7	051555	MAJ GEN HOCHMUTH departed Bn area.	SF
2100		8	052100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		9	052400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVT 2d Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVT 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for Strong Point A-1. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				
0001		1	060001	Journal opened.	SF
0530		2	060530	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	0830	3	060830	First AmTrac Bn conducted a cordon and search operation in resettlement village vic (YD 315689) to (YD 322694). Psychological operations were conducted with leaflets being handed out and pro-American speeches being made. Search turned up one Soviet T-41 mine.	SMF
1016		4	061016	Fourth Plat Co "A" while making supply run to construction site A-1 received 3 rds of 100 MM arty. Enemy position unknown. No action taken.	SF
	1200	5	061200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	6	061400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		7	062100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		8	062400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVT 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for Strong Point A-1. Journal closed.	SMF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	070001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	070600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	071200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	4	071400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1645		5	071645	Elements of 2d Plat Co "B" found 500 lb bomb of U. S. make vic (YD 375655). EOD personnel exploded bomb.	SMT
2100		6	072100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		7	072400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVT 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for Strong Point A-1. Journal closed.	STF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	080001	Journal opened.	SF
0530		2	080530	M&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	081200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SF
	1400	4	081400	M&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		5	082100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	082400	<u>SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTIVITY:</u> Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVT 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for the CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for strong point A-1. Journal closed.	SF

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 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
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In	Out				
0001		1	090001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	090600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	091200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	4	091400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		5	092100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	092400	<u>SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION:</u> Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/4. Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Four LVT 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN hauling supplies and materials for construction of strong point A-1. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				
0001		1	100001	Journal opened.	SF
0405		2	100405	The CUA VIET PORT FACILITY received five rds of 100 MM or larger arty. Also one rd in mouth of river. ISA received six rds of mortars of unk Cal on north bank of CUA VIET River. Negative damage or casualties.	SF
0600		3	100600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	4	101200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	STF
1600		5	101600	H&S patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		6	102100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		7	102400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 3 LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/9. 3 LVT 5th Plat in D/S of 9th Mar. 3 LVTP-5 and 1 LVTP-5 CMD in D/S 4th Mar at Camp Evans. Bn continues in support of ARVN units hauling supplies and material for construction of strongpoint A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	110001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	110600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0940		3	110940	Elements of 2d Plat Co "A" while leaving from area (YD 268734) after resupply run received incoming arty rds. Approx 105 MM. Negative casualties or damage.	SF
1015		4	111015	Three LVT at CON THIEN reported receiving incoming arty while repairing track resulting in two KIA.	SF
1145		5	111145	Elements of 4th Plat Co "B" while moving to C-4 site for recon had number two LVT in land hit mine in vic (YD 337705). Believed to be AT M1 type. LVT had #4 torsion arm and roadwheel portside blown, track broke and escape hatch blown out. Two remaining LVT backed in water, troops dismounted and sweep treeline for 200 meters. Negative enemy contact, but found possible sign pointing to mine. Negative casualties.	SF
	1200	6	111200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SF
	1600	7	111600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		8	112100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		9	112400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/9. Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Three LVTP-5 and one CMV 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to support ARVN units	SF

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In	Out				
				<p>hauling supplies and materials to Strong Point A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY.</p> <p>Journal closed.</p>	

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	120001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	120600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	121200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1500	4	121500	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
	1800	5	121800	Bn Scout Team departed CP for recon of resettlement village.	SF
2100		6	122100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2355		7	122355	Bn Scout Team while reconning in vic (YD 333701) approached hut, four Vietnamese ran from hut. Three were armed. Ran one down and captured him. One captured was not armed. Detainee was interrogated by ARVN. Admitted that the three other persons were VC but he was not. Being further interrogated by CIT team. Detainee will be forwarded to DONG HA.	SMF
2400		8	122400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S 3/9. Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Three LVTP-5 and one C&D in D/S 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for Strong Point A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Journal closed.	SMF

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In	Out				
0001		1	130001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	130600	H&S Co patrol/ambush returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0730		3	130730	Bn Scout Team returned to CP.	SF
	1200	4	131200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	5	131400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		6	132100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		7	132400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/9. Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Three LVTP-5 and one CD in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for A-1. Journal closed.	SMF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-Files T-Trps
0001		1	140001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	140600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0830		3	140830	CG inspection of all sections being conducted.	SF
	1200	4	141200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	SF
	1400	5	141400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1400		6	141400	CG inspection of all sections completed.	SF
1935		7	141935	First AmTrac Bn bunker vic (YD 344693) received two sniper rds from unk location. Bunker #2 vic (YD 338694) received one sniper rd. Bunker #4 vic (YD 339693) received two rds from a north westerly direction. Ambush patrol previously set in 800 yds north is sweeping south to intercept sniper.	SIF
2100		8	142100	Sitrep received from the companies.	SF
2400		9	142400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 3/9. Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines. Three LVTP-5 and one CTD in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material for Strong Point A-1. Journal closed.	SIF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	150001	Journal opened.	SF
0600		2	150600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	151200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
1215		4	151215	Fifth Plat Co "B" at CON THIEN had one man wounded by incoming arty. Med-Evac.	SF
	1400	5	151400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		6	152100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		7	152400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines at CON THIEN. Three LVTP-5 5th Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CHD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to Strong Point A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Journal closed.	SMT

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	160001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	160630	H&S Co patrol/ambush South returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	161200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	SF
1515		4	161515	BGen METZGER arrived to present award.	SF
	1600	5	161600	BGen METZGER departed Bn Area.	SF
1655		6	161855	H&S Co patrol captured one detainee in vic (YD 359671) patrol started to move out with prisoner and was attacked by 20 to 25 VC. Patrol returned fire, a reaction force was dispatched. Arty mission called in on enemy position. Swift Boats provided off shore support with flares and 81 mortars. VC broke contact. Reaction force made sweep of area with negative results. 4 enemy KIA (Prob), 1 detainee. 1 USMC KIA. Detainee being interrogated and then will be sent to Dong Ha.	SF
2100		7	162100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		8	162400	SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: 3 LVTP-5, 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THIEN. 3 LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. 3 LVTP-5 1st Plat Co "D" in D/S of 4th Mar at CAMP EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support A&W Units hauling supplies and material to strongpoint A-1. Journal closed.	

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff P-File T-Trps
0001		1	170001	Journal opened.	SF
	0730	2	170730	Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" commenced sweeping operation in southern AO.	SF
	0800	3	170800	Co "B" with one Plat (5th Plat) set in blocking position in vic (grid 2968) in support of A&VN PF operation.	SMT
0900		4	170900	Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" vic (YD 384657) found one three man bunker 8 feet long and 4 feet wide with heavy timber construction for overhead. Destroyed bunker with LVT.	SMT
1040		5	171040	Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" in vic (YD 374656) found 30 fighting holes overlooking trails leading into village. Also found one 500 lb bomb. Found trip wire leading to buried explosives at (YD 376654). Fighting holes destroyed. HOD will blow 500 lb and buried explosives in place.	SMT
1110		6	171110	LVT-5 (A-02) while in support of 8th A&VN Bn vic (YD 281718) struck one pressure detonated AT mine inside 8th A&VN Bn perimeter. Blew off # 1, 2, 3 roadwheels. Ruptured fuel cells and cracked hull. Four MIA minor non Med-Evac.	SMT
1130		7	171130	Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" while searching area surrounding 500 lb bomb tripped one Chi-Com booby trap. Trip wire arranged in triangle with booby trap located in middle. Remainder of area searched. Found one more Chi-Com booby trap. Destroyed in place. One MIA HOD personnel Med-Evac.	SF
1200		8	171200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SMT

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In	Out	Number			
1535		9	171535	Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" while moving through village returning to CP found one Chi-Com stick grenade rigged with trip wire. EOD disarmed grenade.	SF
1600		10	171600	Co "A" with elements of H&S Co and 2d Plat Co "B" returned to CP. Fourth Plat Co "A" remained south to set up ambush for tonight.	SF
1735		11	171735	Elements of 5th Plat Co "B" in vic (YD 114702) had one MIA from incoming arty while supporting 9th Marines. Non Med-Evac.	SIF
2100		12	172100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		13	172400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines in CON THIEN. Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines at CM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one C&D 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Journal closed.	SIF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff P-File T-Trps
0001		1	180001	Journal opened.	SF
0730		2	180730	Fourth Plat Co "A" patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	181200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1300	4	181300	Third Plat Co "A" patrol and screening force in connection with Operation LIBERTY II departed CP for vic (YD 309687).	SF
	1600	5	181600	H&S Co patrol/ambush Y-40 departed CP.	SF
	1630	6	181630	H&S Co patrol/ambush Y-30 departed CP.	SF
2100		7	182100	Sitrep received from the companies.	SF
2400		8	182400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines at CON THIEP. Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Marines at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CID 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Marines at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to Strong Point A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Stat F-File T-Track
0001		1	190001	Journal opened.	SF
0615		2	190615	H&S Co patrol/ambush south Y-40 returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0630		3	190630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south Y-30 returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	4	191200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	SF
1220		5	191220	Elements of Co "B" while on resupply run to ARVN units had one LVTP-5 (B-24) hit AT Mine in vic (YD 288712) damaged three roadwheel assemblies and possible fuel cell. Two MIA Non Med-Evac.	SF
1510		6	191510	Elements of Co "B" while resupplying ARVN units had LVTP-5 (B-20) hit pressure detonated AT mine in vic (YD 288712). Vehicle damage blew off Number 5 roadwheel assembly and 25 to 30 blocks of track. Dismounted tractor, set up security will sweep new path back to CP. (YD 288712) swept for mines prior to 1500	SF
1530		7	191530	H&S Co patrol/ambush Y-90 departed CP.	SF
1530		8	191530	H&S Co patrol/ambush Y-40 departed CP.	SF
1700		9	191700	LVTP-5 (B-24) while returning from resupply mission for ARVN units hit detonated AT mine vic (YD 289710). Damaged #1 & #2 road wheel assemblies on same side as last mine hit taking LVT in tow. Augmenting mine sweeping team with probe team. Continue to CP.	SF

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In	Out				
1710		10	191710	Elements of 2d Plat Co "B" while preparing to tow mined LVT had mine sweep team out front. Found one AT Chi Com T-41 Mine. Mine blown in place.	SF
1800		11	191800	On Scout Team departed CP for north bank around resettlement village.	SF
2100		12	192100	Sitrep received from the companies.	SF
2400		13	192400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 3 LVTP-5, 5th PlatCo "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. 3 LVTP-5, 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at Cam Lo. 3 LVTP-5 and one CD in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp Evans. On continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for Cua Viet Port Facility. On continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. On continues to run patrols in connection with operation LIBERTY II. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-Files T-Types
0001		1	200001	Journal opened.	SF
0615		2	200615	M&S Co patrols and ambushes Y-40 and Y-90 returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0800		3	200800	On Scout Team returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0800		4	200800	5th Plat Co "B" patrol departed CP to relieve 3d Plat Co "A".	SF
	1200	5	201200	S-2 discriminated the challenge and password.	STF
	1400	6	201400	M&S Co patrol and ambush Y-40 departed CP.	SF
	1500	7	201500	M&S Co patrol and a bushe Y-90 departed CP.	SF
	1600	8	201600	Co "A" 1st Plat made sweep of An Trung village west of Ha Loc with 3m scouts plus 3 men on Grid Line 70 to south as blocking force.	SMF
	1800	9	201800	On Scout Team departed CP for north side of river.	SF
2100		10	202100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2130		11	202130	Elements of 3d Shore Party 3m had 3 probes on their perimeter by unknown no of enemy.	SF
2400		12	202400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 3 INTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Var at Con Thien. 3 INTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Var at Cam Lo. 3 INTP-5 and one CID	SF



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In	Out				
				<p>in D/S of 4th Mar at Cam Evans. It continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. It continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for Cua Viet Port Facility. It is running patrol and sweep in connection with operation LIBERTY II.</p> <p>Journal closed.</p>	

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff P-Files T-Types
0001		1	210001	Journal opened.	SF
0615		2	210615	WAS Co patrol/ambush south Y-40 returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0700		3	210700	WAS Co patrol/ambush south Y-90 returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	4	211200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	SF
	1400	5	211400	WAS Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
	1800	6	211800	Bn Scout Team departed CP to link up with 5th Plat Co "B" in vic My Loc vic (YD 305685).	SF
1950		7	211950	Post 17 Co "B" reported hearing noise and seeing movement in front of post, fired illum. Negative sighting.	SF
2100		8	212100	Sitrep received from the companies.	SF
2100		9	212100	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 2 LVTP-1 WAS Co in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. 3 LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. 3 LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S 9th Mar at Cam Lo. 3 LVTP-5 and one CID in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp Evans. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for Qua Viet Port Facility. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. Bn continues to run patrols and screening force in connection with Operation LIBERTY II. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				
0001		1	220001	Journal opened.	
0700		2	220700	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. No active contact.	SP
	1200	3	221200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	SP
	1400	4	221400	Scout and sniper team departed CP.	STP
	1600	5	221600	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SP
1630		6	221630	2d Platoon Co "B" while on patrol in connection with Operation LIBERTY II, talked to three Vietnamese children. Children led them to an underground ammo storage area in vic (YD 315694) patrol called for LVTP-5 support to remove ammo and engineers blew unsafe ammo in place. Swept area for other hidden storage areas. Paid children 200 piaster and gave them C-Rations. Some class V on top was grade 3 due to an explosion in the past. Class V on bottom was serviceable. Items found consisted of three claymore mines, 700 rds 30 Cal, seven M-79 rds, four 60 MM MP rds, three blasting caps, 200 rds 5.56 M, 1500 rds 7.62 Mink.	SP
2100		7	222100	SitRep received from the companies.	SP
2400		8	222400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 3 LVTP-5 5th Platoon Co "A" in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. 3 LVTP-5 5th Platoon Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at Cam Lo. 3 LVTP-5 and one QM 1st Platoon Co "A" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp Evans. 2 LVTP-1 H&S Co in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. On continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in CP and to provide security for Cua Viet Port Facility. On continues to support	STP

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In	Out				
				<p>LCF units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. Bn continues to run patrols and screening force in connection with operation LIBERTY II</p> <p>Journal closed.</p>	

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff P-File T-Trps
0001		1	230001	Journal opened.	SF
0650		2	230650	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	231200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and password.	STF
	1400	4	231400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
2100		5	232100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		6	232400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: 2 LVTP-5 4th Plat, 1 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. 3 LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at Cam Lo. 3 LVTP-5 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp Evans. 2 LVTR-1 H&S Co in D/S of 9th Mar at Con Thien. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for Gue Viet Port Facility. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trans
0001		1	240001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	240630	R&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
1145		3	241145	BCen METZGER visited area.	SF
	1200	4	241200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SF
	1300	5	241300	BCen METZGER departed area.	SF
	1330	6	241330	R&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1350		7	241350	Co "A" while in support of 8th ANVN Bn had one LVTP-5 (A-42) hit enemy pressure detonated anti-tank mine vic (YD 298707). Destroyed one support roller, two torsion arms, two road wheel assemblies on portside. Set up security while waiting for mine sweep team. Three WIA, one Med-Evac.	SF
1800		8	241800	Sniper Team returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
2100		9	242100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		10	242400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTIVITY: Three LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THIEN. Two LVT 4th Plat Co "B" and one LVT 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CMD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and	SF

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In	Out				
				<p>to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support ARVN units hauling supplies and material to strong point A-1. Bn continues to support 11th Engineers in construction of Strong Point C-4.</p> <p>Journal closed.</p>	

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	250001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	250630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1100	3	251100	Second Plat Co "A" while in support of 6th ARVN Airborne Bn found two anti tank mines stacked one on top of the other weighing approx 20 lbs each. Blew mines in place.	SF
	1200	4	251200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1300	5	251300	H&S Co patrol/ambush south with two snipers departed CP.	SF
1350		6	251350	Second Plat Co "A" found two anti tank mines stacked one on top of the other. Approx 20 lbs each. Mines blown in place by mine sweep team.	SF
1900		7	251900	Sniper Team returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
2100		8	252100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		9	252400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THIEN. One LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" and two LVTP-5 4th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CMD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support Operations DYEMARKER. Journal closed.	SMF

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In	Out				
0001		1	260001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	260630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	0900	3	260900	Scout and Sniper Team departed CP.	SF
	1200	4	261200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1300	5	261300	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1400			261400	Sentry Tower was installed in Battalion area.	SF
1900		6	261900	Scout and Sniper Team returned to CP.	SF
		7	262100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
	2400	8	262400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" D/S of 9th Mar at CON THLEN. Two LVTP-5 5th Plat and one LVTP-5 4th Plat Co "B" D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CMD 1st Plat Co "B" D/S of 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. One LVTE-1 H&S Co D/S of 3d SP at PHU BAI. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support Operation DYNAMARKER. Journal closed.	SMF

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3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-Maps S-Stat F-File T-Track
0001		1	270001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	270630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	1200	3	271200	Chopped 11 P5 and one CMD from Co "B" 1st AmTrac Bn to OpCon 1st Mar Div.	SF
	1200	4	271200	S-2 disseminated the Challenge and password.	STF
	1300	5	271300	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1400		6	271400	Third Plat Co "A" vic (YD 271733) completing resupply mission to 6th ARVN Airborne Bn received 10 rds of 100 MM arty. No action taken.	SMF
1600		7	271600	Assumed OpCon Co "A" (-) Rein, 1st Bn, 1st Mar 1st Mar Div.	SF
2100		8	272100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		9	272400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" D/S of 9th Mar at Camp EVANS. Two LVTP-5 4th Plat Co "B" and one LVT 5th Plat Co "B" D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. One LVTE-1 H&S Co D/S of 3d SP at PHU BAI. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support Operation DYEMARKER. Journal closed.	SMF

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-Files T-Traps
0001		1	280001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	280630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	0900	3	280900	Scouts and Sniper Team departed CP.	SF
	1200	4	281200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1300	5	281300	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1900		6	281900	Scouts and Sniper Teams returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
2100		7	282100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		8	282400	<u>SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION:</u> Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THIEN. Two LVTP-5 4th Plat and one LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and 1 CMD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. One LVTE-1 H&S Co in D/S of 3d SP at PHU BAI. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for GUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues in support of Operation Dyemarker.	STF
				Journal closed.	

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Stat F-File T-Trp
In	Out				
0001		1	290001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	290630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
0840		3	290840	Co "A" 1st Bn 1st Mar patrol in vic (YD 316723) spotted three VC-S vic (YD 317725) running in tree line. Patrol warned VC-S to stop, fired two rds. Checked out area with negative results. VC-S ran to southwest.	SMF
0900		4	290900	Co "A" 1st Bn 1st Mar while on patrol picked up six detainees who were inside restricted area vic (YD 317715). Detainees were interrogated by 7th ITT. Five were released as innocent civilians, one was forwarded to DONG HA for further interrogation by 7th ITT.	SMF
	1200	5	291200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1300	6	291300	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1500		7	291500	1st AmTrac Bn received intelligence report from local informer that approx eight VC move into resettlement village vic (YD 319693) every night to visit their families at approx 2000. They leave by an unknown route at approx 0300 every morning. It is reported that they hide out in the vic of the resettlement village during the day. Source believes their hiding place is north of the resettlement village. USMC B-3 rating.	SMF
1900		8	291900	LCM-8 913 while turning into main body of river was blocked by 35 to 50 Vietnamese fishing boats in main channel. As boat slowed they received 7-8 rds unk cal mortars. Fired 10-15 rds at Vietnamese boats and they cleared the channel. One USN WIA minor Non Med-Evac.	SF

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Time		Serial	DTG	Incidents, Messages Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out	Number			
2100		9	292100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		10	292400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THIEN. Two LVTP-5 4th Plat and one LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CMD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. One LVTE-1 HRS Co in D/S of 3d SP at PHU BAI. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues in support of Operation Dyemarker. Journal closed.	SF

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Types
0001		1	300001	Journal opened.	SF
0645		2	300645	R&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
1200		3	301200	Commenced manning watch tower on a 24 hr basis.	SF
	1200	4	301200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	SF
	1300	5	301300	R&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1515		6	301515	MajGen HOCHMUTH visited Bn area.	SF
	1535	7	301535	MajGen HOCHMUTH departed Bn area.	SF
2100		8	302100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		9	302400	<u>SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION:</u> Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THLEN. Two LVTP-5 4th Plat Co "B" and one LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CMD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. One LVTE-1 R&S CO IN D/S of 3d SP at PHU BAI. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues in support of Operation DYE MARKER. Journal closed.	SMF

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff P-File T-Track
0001		1	310001	Journal opened.	SF
0630		2	310630	H&S Co patrol/ambush south returned to CP. Negative contact.	SF
	0730	3	310730	Elements of Co "A" 1st AmTrac Bn and elements of Co "A" 1st Bn 1st Mar departed CP to set in blocking position in support of 1st ARVN Regt search and destroy operation south of the CUA VIET River.	SF
	1200	4	311200	S-2 disseminated the challenge and the password.	STF
	1400	5	311400	H&S Co patrol/ambush south departed CP.	SF
1415		6	311415	Elements of Co "A" 1st AmTrac Bn and elements of Co "A" 1st Bn 1st Mar returned to CP from blocking position in support of 1st ARVN Regt. Negative results.	SF
2100		7	312100	SitRep received from the companies.	SF
2400		8	312400	SUMMARY OF PERIOD'S ACTION: Three LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CON THIEN. Two LVTP-5 4th Plat and one LVTP-5 5th Plat Co "B" in D/S of 9th Mar at CAM LO. Three LVTP-5 and one CMD 1st Plat Co "B" in D/S of 4th Mar at Camp EVANS. One LVTE-1 H&S Co in D/S of 3d SP at PHU BAI. Bn continues to run day and night patrols and ambushes in AO and to provide security for CUA VIET PORT FACILITY. Bn continues to support Operation DYEMARKER.	SMF
				Journal closed.	

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
In	Out				
0001		1	010001	Opened Journal.	
1400		2	011400	A detachment of MCB-10 started construction of a 146 building containment and one 500 man mess hall.	F
	1800	3	011800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	4	012400	Closed Journal	F

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02 2400H OCT 1967

Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-Files T-Types
0001		1	020001	Opened Journal	F
	0800	2	020800	Following reports hand carried to Div. C.P. (1) Embark In-Put Data (2) Readiness for Combat of Combat Essential Equipment Report (3) Verification of Funds	F
	1800	3	021800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	4	022400	Closed Journal	F

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	030001	Opened Journal	F
	1800	2	031800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	032400	Closed Journal	F

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	040001	Opened Journal	F
	1800	2	041800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	042400	Closed Journal	F

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Stat F-File T-Trp
0001		1	050001	Opened Journal	F
	1800	2	051800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	052400	Closed Journal	F

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05 0001H OCT 1967

06 2400H OCT^{to} 1967

Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Stat F-File T-Trp
In	Out				
0001		1	060001	Opened Journal	F
	1800	2	061800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	062400	Closed Journal	F

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maps S-Stat F-File T-Trp
In	Out				
0001		1	070001	Opened Journal	F
	1800	2	071800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	072400	Closed Journal	F

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In	Out				
0001		1	080001	Opened Journal	
	1800	2	081800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	082400	Closed Journal	F

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TIME					NOTION
In	Out	Serial Number	JTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Map S-Staff R-File T-File
0001	0900	1	090001	Opened Journal	F
		2	090900	Submitted Quarterly Embark Report and Report of Embark School Trained Personnel	
	1800	3	091800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	4	092400	Closed Journal	F

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File					NOTION Taken
In	Out	Serial Number	INC	Incidents, messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff F-file T-Trans
0001	1800 2400	1	100001	Opened Journal	F F F
		2	101800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	
		3	102400	Closed Journal	

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TIME					NOTATION T-Trap
In	Out	Serial Number	MG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff F-File T-Trap
0001	1200	1	110001	Opened Journal	F
		2	111200	Tractor B-44, 108489 struck a pressure detonated Russian Type mine at 337705. Damage to vehicle, Port side #4 torsion Arm and Road Wheel Assembly. Escape hatch blown out. No friendly WIA. Mine made a crater 6'x2 1/2'x3' deep.	
	1800	3	111800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report.	F
	2400	4	112400	Closed Journal	F

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TIME					NOTICE TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	ORG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff R-File T-Trps
0001	1800 2400	1	120001	Opened Journal	F
		2	121800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
		3	122400	Closed Journal	F

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Headquarters

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In	Out	Serial Number	MG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff F-File T-Trs
0001	1500	1	130001	Opened Journal	F
		2	131500	Reported to Base Coordinator at Dong Ha progress on building containment, 46 huts completed. Approximately 20 huts have screen wire and doors.	
	1800 2400	3	131800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F F F
		4	132400	Closed Journal	

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TIME					NOTICE TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	UIC	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	N-Log S-Staff F-File T-Trans
0001	1800 2400	1	140001	Opened Journal	F
		2	141800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
		3	142400	Closed Journal	F

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Time					NOTES TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	WIG	Incidents, messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff F-File T-Trans
0001	1200	1	150001	Opened Journal	F
		2	151200	Tractor B-57, 107761 was hit by one artillery round of unknown size at Con-Thien. Round hit top ^{DECK} of exhaust, damage to hull and transmission. No friendly WIA	F
	1800	3	151800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	4	152400	Closed Journal	F

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TIME					ACTION TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	ATC	Incidents, messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff F-File T-Trip
0001	1800 2400	1	160001	Opened Journal	F
		2	161800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
		3	162400	Closed Journal	F

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TIME					ACTION TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	OTG	Incidents, messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff R-File T-Trips
0001	1400	1	170001	Opened Journal	F
		2	171400	Tractor A-02, 108130 struck a pressure detonated A.T. mine at 281718. Damage to Vehicle 1, 2, and 3 road wheel assemblies. Cracked hull and ruptured Fuel cells. 4 WIA No Med Evac.	
	1800 2400	3	171800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F F F
		4	172400	Closed Journal	

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FD-1					NOTING TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	FIG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff R-File T-Tr, s
0001	1800 2400	1	180001	Opened Journal	F
		2	181800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
		3	182400	Closed Journal	F

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TIME					ACTION
In	Out	Serial Number	TIME	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	N-Map S-Staff R-File T-Trps
0001	1000	1	190001	Opened Journal	F
		2	191000	Tractor B-24, 108413 struck a pressure detonated mine at 288712. Damage to vehicle #6,7,8 road wheel assemblies. Possible fuel leak, 2 WIA, No Med Evacs. Vehicle being field repaired to drive back to C.P.	
	1015	3	191015	Tractor B-20 107934 struck a pressure detonated A.T. mine while trying to assist B-24. Damage to vehicle #5 road wheel assembly, 30 blocks of track, No WIA	F
	1400	4	191400	Tractor B-24 108413 after being field repaired, struck another mine at 284710. Damage to vehicle #1 and 2 road wheel assembly. No WIA	F
	1800	5	191800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	6	192400	Closed Journal	F

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TIME					ACTION TAKEN
In	Out	Serial number	SIG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff R-File T-Tr.s
0001	1500	1	200001	Opened Journal.	F
		2	201500	Reported to Base Coordinator at Dong Ha, program on Building contonement. 66 huts completed. No screen wire available, to screen huts or for screen doors.	F
	1800 2400	3	201800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report.	F
		4	202400	Closed Journal.	F

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HEAD, MATS

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TIME					ACTION
In	Out	Serial number	TIME	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001	1800 2400	1	210001	Opened Journal.	F
		2	211800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report.	F
		3	212400	Closed Journal.	F

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In	Out	Serial Number	UTC	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Log S-Staff F-File T-Trips
0001	1800 2400	1	220001	Opened Journal.	F
		2	221800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report.	F
		3	222400	Closed Journal.	F

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HEAD OFFICE

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TIME					NOTES S-Staff S-File T-Trps
In	Out	Serial Number	TIME	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	
0001		1	230001	Opened Journal.	F
	1800	2	231800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report.	F
	2400	3	232400	Closed Journal.	F

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HEAD, REITS

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TIME					NOTES TIME
In	Out	Serial Number	TIME	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	M-Map S-Staff R-File T-Trps
0001	1800 2400	1	250001	Opened Journal	F
		2	251800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
		3	252400	Closed Journal	F

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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken M-Maj S-Sta P-Fil T-Trp
In	Out				
0001		1	260001	Opened Journal	
	1430	2	261400	A 65 Ft. observation tower arrived by ^{helicopter} heli copter and erected by a crane. Work done by MCB-11	F
	1500	3	261500	Reported to Base Coordinator at Dong Ha progress on building containment. 79 huts completed. Still no screen wire available.	F
	1800	4	261800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	5	262400	Closed Journal	

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In	Out				M-Map S-Staff F-File T-Trps
0001		1	270001	Opened Journal	F
	1800	2	271800	Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report	F
	2400	3	272400	Closed Journal	F
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In	Out				
0001	1800 2400	1 2 3	280001 281800 282400	Opened Journal Submitted Deadlined Equipment Report Closed Journal	F F P

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	2400	4	312400	Closed Journal	F

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DAILY CIVIC ACTIVITY REPORT PART II

III MAF 5081

DATE 8 Oct 1967

From: Commanding Officer, 1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion
To: Commanding General, III MAF (G-5)
Via: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division
Commanding Officer, 9th Marines

Reporting Period 020600 Oct 67 To 090600 Oct 67

1. MEDICAL/DENTAL ASSISTANCE

a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. WOMEN		e. MEN		f. CHILDREN		g. TOTAL	
			MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	DENT
Resettlement										
Hamlet		TD327.97	47	20	58	13	83	23	183	56

h. No. Vietnamese under training _____ i. TOTAL _____

2. PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. FOOD		e. CLOTHING		f. SOAP		g. MISC.	
			lbs	Pers	lbs	Pers	Bars	Pers	Quant	Pers

h. TOTAL _____

i. Miscellaneous:

During MedCap Village Chief was brought into the resettlement hamlet and conducted a meeting to organize the Hamlet.

j. Money Donated To: _____ Source _____

3. EVACUATION ASSISTANCE

a. Adult	b. Child	c. From	d. To (Include Coord)
5		Cua Viet 351691	Quang Tri 337535
		Vinh Hoa Phuong	
		Hamlet 373.57	Quang Tri 337535

e. Reason: Five adults injured when Vinh Hoa Phuong Hamlet was bombed.
Child was discovered in Vinh Hoa Phuong Hamlet. He had been previously wounded by artillery and was not healing properly.

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4. PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

(H)					Completed/
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Type Construction	e. In Progress	

5. ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

(H)					
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Adult	e. Children	f. Duration

6. TOTAL NO. PERSONS ASSISTED

7. TOTAL NO. PERSONS UNDERGOING VOCATIONAL TRAINING

8. CONTRIBUTING TWARD SUPPORT OF STUDENTS

9. CONTACTS WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS

10. SELF-HELP

11. OTHER US AGENCY SUPPORT

12. ATTITUDES OF PEOPLE

13. NARRATIVE REPORT (TO BE ATTACHED)

14. CHANGE IN SIGNIFICANT DATA (TO BE ATTACHED)

Signature J.C. WICKER
By direction

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DAILY CIVIC ACTIVITY REPORT PART II
III MAF 5081

DATE 16 Oct 1967

From: Commanding Officer, 1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion
To: Commanding General, III MAF (C-5)
Via: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division
Commanding Officer, 9th Marines

Reporting Period 090600 Oct 67 To 160600 Oct 67

1. MEDICAL/DENTAL ASSISTANCE

a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. WOMEN		e. MEN		f. CHILDREN		g. TOTAL	
			MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	D NT	MED	DENT
Vinh Hoa		VD373657	10	8	31	6	74	10	145	24
Phoung										

h. No. Vietnamese under training i. TOTAL

2. PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. FOOD		e. CLOTHING		f. SOAP		g. MISC.	
			lbs	Pers	lbs	pers	Bars	Pers	Quant	Pers

h. TOTAL

i. Miscellaneous:

Escorted Village Chief to Vinh Hoa Phoung Panlet to talk to families of those killed and injured during the accidental bombing.

j. Money Donated To: Source

3. EVACUATION ASSISTANCE

a. Adult	b. Child	c. From	d. To (Include Coord)

e. Reason:

Annex B

4. PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

(H)					Completed/
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Type Construction	e. In Progress	

5. ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

(H)					
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Adult	e. Children	f. Duration

6. TOTAL NO. PERSONS ASSISTED

7. TOTAL NO. PERSONS UNDERGOING VOCATIONAL TRAINING

8. CONTRIBUTING TOWARD SUPPORT OF STUDENTS

9. CONTACTS WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS

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DAILY CIVIC ACTIVITY REPORT PART II

III MAF 5981

DATE 17 Oct 1967

From: Commanding Officer, 1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion
 To: Commanding General, III MAF (G-5)
 Via: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division
 Commanding Officer, 9th Marines

Reporting Period 160600 Oct 67 To 230600 Oct 67

1. MEDICAL/DENTAL ASSISTANCE

a. Location	b. (H) (V)	c. Coord	d. WOMEN		e. MEN		f. CHILDREN		g. TOTAL	
			MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	DENT
Ha Tay		VT310665	20	14	43	1	54	10	127	41
Tham Xuen										
Phuon		VD345163	12		10		14		40	

h. No. Vietnamese under training i. TOTAL

2. PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

a. Location	b. (H) (V)	c. Coord	d. FOOD		e. CLOTHING		f. SOAP		g. MISC.	
			lbs	Pers	lbs	pers	Pers	Pers	Quant	Pers

h. TOTAL

i. Miscellaneous:

Took an Armed Propaganda Team into Resettlement Villages to speak to people and hand out pamphlets on rewards paid for returned weapons and mines

j. Money Donated To: Source

3. EVACUATION ASSISTANCE

a. Adult	b. Child	c. From	d. To (Include Coord)

e. Reason:

Annex D

4. PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

				Completed/ e. In Progress
a. Location	(H) b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Type Construction	

5. ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

a. Location	(H) b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Adult	e. Children	f. Duration

6. TOTAL NO. PERSONS ASSISTED

7. TOTAL NO. PERSONS UNDERGOING VOCATIONAL TRAINING

8. CONTRIBUTING TWARD SUPPORT OF STUDENTS

9. CONTACTS WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS

10. SELF-HELP

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Signature J. C. PURGER

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DAILY CIVIC ACTIVITY REPORT PART II
III MAF 5081

DATE 1

From: Commanding Officer, 1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion
 To: Commanding General, III MAF (G-5)
 Via: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division
 Commanding Officer, 9th Marines

Reporting Period 230600 Oct 67 To 300600 Oct 67

1. MEDICAL/DENTAL ASSISTANCE

(H)			d. WOMEN		e. MEN		f. CHILDREN		g. TOTAL	
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	DENT	MED	DENT
La Loc		YD326708	47		14		51		102	
La Tay		YD340665	204		88		225		517	
Thaun Xuan Phuong		YD345663	21		15		39		125	

h. No. Vietnamese under training _____ i. TOTAL _____

2. PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

(H)			d. FOOD		e. CLOTHING		f. SOAP		g. MISC.	
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	lbs	Pers	lbs	Pers	Bars	Pers	Quant	Pers

h. TOTAL _____

i. Miscellaneous:

Escorted Psy Op loudspeaker team to free fire area. Warned civilians to keep out of area. Put up signs warning civilians to keep out.

j. Money Donated To: _____ Source _____

3. EVACUATION ASSISTANCE

a. Adult	b. Child	c. From	d. To (Include Coord)

e. Reason: _____

4. PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

(H)				Completed/ e. In Progress
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Type Construction	

5. ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

(H)					
a. Location	b. (V)	c. Coord	d. Adult	e. Children	f. Duration

6. TOTAL NO. PERSONS ASSISTED

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1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion (Rein)
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO, San Francisco, California 96602

3/WWD/rfn
Ser No: 0107-67
29 Oct 1967

From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division

Subj: Combat Operations After Action Report
Ref: (a) Yr 131103Z OCT (Operation Order 55-67)
Encl: (1) CO, 1st Amphibian Tractor Bn Order 7-67

1. OPERATION LIBERTY II. Denial operation
2. DATES OF OPERATION. 180800H to 232400H Oct.
3. LOCATION. Quang Tri Province, Gio Linh District, Gia Ha Village, north of Cua Viet River in assigned area of responsibility (from Gulf of Tonkin west to line from YD 307681 to YD 284714).

4. TASK ORGANIZATION

1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion	LtCol E. R. TONER
H and S Company, 1st AmTrac Bn	Capt D. D. HAMILTON
Company "A", 1st AmTrac Bn	Capt P. M. JOHNSON
Company "B", 1st AmTrac Bn	Capt K. T. BRUNSVOLD
Det, 3d Shore Party Bn (D/S)	Capt A. J. BURGER

5. SUPPORTING FORCES

- a. 2d Plat, 1st Armored Amphibian Co provided F&I fires and was available for on-call missions. F&I fires shot each night in areas where LVT's had recently encountered mines, vic (YD 295708).
- b. Aerial observation A/C and helicopters available for recon and medevacs.
- c. Swift Boats of Coastal Division 14 capable of providing 81 illumination and H&E support.
- d. Det, 3d Shore Party Bn vic (YD 341702) direct support DYEMARKER.

6. INTELLIGENCE

- a. No enemy units confirmed to be operating in our area of responsibility. Since SIF landed Sep 1967, enemy activity in northern TAOR has been limited to mining incidents.

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b. A VC unit of 40 men is reported to be operating in the My Loc area vic (YD 305680) with the mission of mining areas used by AmTracs.

c. ARVN units at Hill 31 have made several contacts with squad to company size NVA units north of A-1 position. It is believed that these forces may be from the 270th Regt which had operated in that area prior to the SLF landing.

d. A local informer advised the CPT NCO attached to this Bn that VC propaganda teams might hold meetings in My Loc at night prior to the elections.

7. MISSION. 1st AmTrac Bn conduct operations in TAOR north of Cua Viet river to deny enemy entry into populated areas.

8. CONCEPT OF OPERATION. Co "A", 1st AmTrac Bn continues in support of ARVN Engineer Units constructing, and ARVN Airborne Bn defending, DYEMARKER position A-1. See Operation Order attached.

9. EXECUTION

a. Reference (a) received on 14 Oct. Commanders guidance issued on 16 Oct. Liaison made with Popular Forces, via USN advisor with Vietnamese Junk Fleet, Cua Viet, for participation by PF in the denial operation. This was done in order to present a combined Vietnamese-American appearance to the operation in support of free elections.

b. At 191930H, Bn interpreter entered My Loc with patrol elements to check on VC activity, negative results. On 20 Oct 67 PF working with patrol departed at 2100 and refused to stay at night as agreed. They were to return next morning but never returned. Patrol members entered My Loc, found that lights were out in huts very early i.e. 2000, but found no VC or meetings.

c. On 21 Oct, Bn Scouts operating with patrol entered village of My Loc to check on possible meeting place for VC. Negative results.

d. At 221630 patrol members talked to three Vietnamese children. Children led them to an underground ammo storage area in vic (YD 315694). The following ammo was found: 700 rds 30 Cal, 7 M-79 rds, 4-60 MM WP rds, 3 Claymore mines, 3 Blasting Caps, 200 rds 5.56 MM, and 1500 rds of 7.62 linked. Some class V on top was in grade 3 condition, possibly due to an explosion in the past. Engineers blew the unsafe ammo in place. The remainder was evacuated. Children were paid 200 piasters and given some C-Rations.

10. RESULTS

a. Friendly Personnel: Negative casualties/equipment losses.

b. Enemy Personnel: Negative casualties. Following types and quantities of class V turned over to Battalion by Vietnamese children: 7.62; 30 Cal; M-79; 60 MM WP rds; Claymore mines, Blasting caps; 5.56 MM.

c. Negative airstrike. Artillery H&I were targeted on desert; negative findings.

d. Negative

11. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

a. Supply and resupply by LVT; nothing unusual to report. Marines carried basic allowance plus two M-26 per man and variety of pyrotechnics.

12. SPECIAL EQUIPMENT AND TECHNIQUES. Starlightscope was used regularly to assist surveillance. Patrol elements were assisted by the two KIT CARSON Scouts of this Bn who accompanied scouts into My Loc village after dark to check on possible VC propaganda meetings.

13. COMMANDERS ANALYSIS. Nothing unusual to report other than taking note that the Popular Force unit at My Loc is somewhat unreliable. Some PF's stole rations from Marines while a few other PF's distracted their attention.

14. RECOMMENDATIONS. Establish a Combined Action Platoon at My Loc to train and assist PF presently there.


E. R. TONER

DISTRIBUTION:	ADC, DONG HA C Base	(1)
	CG, 3d Mar Div	(10)
	CO, HES Co	(1)
	CO, Co "A"	(1)
	CO, Co "B"	(1)
	CO, Det, 3d Shore Party Bn	(1)
	Plat Cmdr, 2d Plat, 1st Armd Phib Co	(1)

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Serial No: 0104-67
CUA VIET PORT FACILITY, RVN
192200H Oct 1967

Operation Order 7-67 (Operation LIBERTY II (U))

Ref: (a) MAP, Vietnam, 1:50,000 QUANG TRI, Sheet 6442 IV, Series L7014
(b) CG, 3d MarDiv msg 131103Z Oct 67
(c) 3d Mar Div LOI
(d) BnO PH400.3
(e) BnO PH000.2D
(f) BnO P2000.1G

Time Zone: HOTEL

Task Organization: No change

1. SITUATION

a. Enemy Forces. See current Intsums. Enemy will attempt to disrupt elections on or before 22 Oct by propaganda, intimidation or violence. Probes of friendly positions and harassing fire maybe employed to discredit U. S. Forces in the eyes of local people, reference (a).

b. Friendly Forces

- (1) Reference (b) directs special precautions (LIBERTY II)
- (2) 3d Marines continues operations in Cam Lo area
- (2) 9th Marines continues operations, reaction force for Gio Linh district Headquarters and Dong Ha
- (4) 1st Marines (-) (Rein) continues operations, reaction force for Hai Lang and Quang Tri City
- (5) 4th Marines continues operations, reaction force for Phung Dien District Headquarters
- (6) 26th Marines (-) continues operations, reaction force for Hong Hoa District Headquarters
- (7) 12th Marines - No change in mission or tasks

2. MISSION. 1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion conducts operations in TAOR north of Cua Viet river to deny enemy entry into populated areas.

3. EXECUTION

a. Concept of Operation. 1st Amphibian Tractor Battalion continues present mission, without interruption in support of Operation DYEMARKER. Conduct platoon size patrols in designated area north of Cua Viet river.

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b. IRS Co. Maintain reaction force of one platoon and one LVTP-5 to move north or south on order.

c. "A" Co. Maintain reaction force of one platoon and one LVTP-5 to move north or south on order. Provide one platoon on order, for patrol

d. "B" Co. Maintain reaction force of one platoon and one LVTP-5 to move north or south on order. Provide one platoon, on order, for patrol.

e. Popular Forces at My Loc (vic YD 307682) will participate in patrol as available.

f. Normal fire support available normal channels: 105 Battery of Armored Amphibian Co, section 81 MM mortar and 60 MM mortar Bn Command Post.

g. Patrol will move to north bank by LCM, patrol by foot to grid YD 310725, sweep west to vic YD 308720 and south to Resettlement Village, then west to vic YD 307684 and maintain surveillance from that area on persons moving into and out of My Loc/Bac Vong.

h. Coordinating Instructions

(1) Election Day: 22 Oct.

(2) Submit Battalion SitRep to Benbow each night.

(3) Ensure units do not enter populated areas or stop indigenous for I. D. checks on election day.

(4) "A" Co provide patrol from 181000H to 201000H. "B" Co provide patrol from 201000H to 231700H.

(5) All patrols employ one designated Bn interpreter.

(6) Civil Affairs and Psyops: emphasize Marines maintain cordial attitude to local populace; be alert to those seriously ill and arrange for emergency treatment by Bn Surgeon.

4. ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS

a. IAW references (d) and (e).

b. Curtail nonessential movements to or through local civilian areas.

c. Supply and Resupply.

(1) Take adequate class I and V for two days and class II and IV as required.

(2) Resupply by LVT or LCM. Emergency resupply from ISA, 1st Shore Party Bn (vic YD 341701).

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5. COMMAND AND COMMUNICATIONS

- a. No change in CP's
- b. Report day and night positions. Report patrol status each half hour day and night.

E. R. Toner
E. R. TONER
Commanding

DISTRIBUTION: "A"
Plat Ldr, 2d Plat, 1st Armored Amphibian Co.

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