

SUPPLY COMPANY  
Force Logistic Support Group-Brave  
1st Service Battalion (Rein)  
Force Logistic Command, FMFPac  
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

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Subj: Command Chronology for the Period 1 March - 31 March 1968  
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Encl: (1) Supply Company (Rein), Force Logistic Support Group-Brave  
Command Chronology.

1. In accordance with reference (a), the subject report is submitted as enclosure (1).

  
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By Direction

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TAB J 01 ENCL (2)

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 March 1968 to 31 March 1968

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(PART 1)

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDER

Supply Company (Rein),  
Force Logistic Support Group-Bravo  
Force Logistic Command, FMFPac

LtCol R. J. SMITH  
1-31 March 1968

Executive Officer

Major R. E. SLOAN  
1-28 March 1968

Major C. G. HOFMANN  
29-31 March 1968

SUBORDINATE UNITS

Administrative Section

1stLt J. W. KAVANAUGH  
1-30 March 1968

1stLt W. R. LANE  
31 March 1968 (only)

Operations Section

Major C. G. HOFMANN  
1-31 March 1968

Logistics Section

Captain G. A. ADAMS  
1-31 March 1968

Civil Affairs Section

2ndLt L. H. LISSITZYN  
1-31 March 1968

Service & Support Section

1stLt C. H. ROWE  
1-31 March 1968

Organic Supply & Mess Section

1stLt W. E. LEDNICKY  
1-31 March 1968

Motor Transport Section

MSgt M. G. BUTTON  
1-10 March 1968

2ndLt J. C. RHODERICK  
11-31 March 1968

Supply Section

Captain G. P. BRACKIN  
1-31 March 1968

Communication Section

Captain G. A. ADAMS  
1-31 March 1968

Ammunition Section

1stLt R. D. DAVIS  
1-31 March 1968

2. LOCATION

1-31 March 1968; Chu Lai, RVN

3. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>		<u>OTHER</u>	
<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
16	370	1	11	0	0

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. During this reporting period, Supply Company (Rein), Force Logistic Support Group-Bravo, continued to provide the necessary logistic support and limited maintenance support for units located within the Chu Lai Combat Base.

The U. S. Army retains the responsibility of producing and providing baked goods for units in the Chu Lai TAOR.

2. During the month of March 1-31, 1968, the Aid Station treated two hundred and nine (209) persons and administered three hundred and eighty seven (387) immunizations.

The Civil Affairs Section treated eleven (11) Vietnamese personnel.

3. The building program within Supply Company continues with the first increment of the current construction at the new Ammunition Supply Point, which is seventy eight percent complete.

Alterations of two (2) quonset huts have been completed for the installation of the new Dental Clinic and Aid Station for Supply Company.

4. The following Military Real Property has been turned over and receipted by U.S. Naval Support Activity.

<u>Category Code</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	
131-50	Transmitter Bldg	80	SF
213-41	Projection Booth & Central Tool Shop	704	SF
214-20	Butler Building	64000	SF
214-21	Wash Rack Auto Tank	200	SF
218-65	Equipment Maint. Shed	1188	SF
431-90	Cold Storage Warehouse	54400	CU
442-90	Storage Building	828	SF
442-50	Transit Shed	1216	SF
610-10	Quonset Hut	8640	SF
723-10	Mess Hall	2400	SF
723-20	Latrine	330	MN
723-90	Shower	2144	SF
725-30	Tin Roof, Troop Housing	61188	SF
740-63	EM Service Club	3552	SF
750-50	Outdoor Theatre	4800	SF
841-45	Storage Tank Recreation	5000	GA
852-50	Recreation Building Slab	1352	SF

5. On 19 March the "A" Ration function was consolidated with NSAD. At this time all refer banks previously occupied by Supply Company were vacated and are no longer being utilized by this command. Issues of "A", "B" and "C" rations are now being made directly to Marine units by NSAD Chu Lai.

6. On 19 March the ice plant, previously under the operational control of Supply Company, was turned over to NSAD. Marine liaison personnel are being made available to control the issues of the ice to Marine customers only.

(PART 111)

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. FLC Organization committed to Combat and SLF: Not applicable
2. FLC Organization committed to Combat:
  - a. Personnel. No significant changes.
  - b. Administration. No significant changes.
  - c. Intelligence. No significant changes.
  - d. Training. No significant changes.

(1) In addition to the regularly scheduled technical and on the job training conducted by the respective sections within the company, the training listed below was held:

- (a) Why we are in Vietnam
- (b) Interior and Exterior Guard

(2) The Command has sent personnel to the schools listed below:

- (a) NCO Leadership
- (b) Fire Fighting

e. Class 1, V and V(A)

	<u>Received</u>	<u>Issued</u>
Class 1	142,000 meals	315,200 meals
Class V	13 S/T	285.4 S/T
Class V(A)	8,849 S/T	12,346 S/T

During the period covered by this report, Class V and Class V(A) ammunition dumps operated on a 24 hour basis. All Class V(A) was delivered to MAG-12 and MAG-13 as required. The above is a breakdown by short tons of Class 1, Class V and Class V(A) handled by this Command during the period covered by this report.

Retrograde material shipped to conus .....19.01 S/T  
 Ice produced ..... 446,900 Lbs.  
 Bread Purchased from U. S. Army ..... 78,822 Lbs.

"A" Rations are being received in sufficient amounts to comply with the 111 MAF menu. "B" Rations are being received at a 95% fill rate. Some NIS's are maintained. Ice is at present a minor problem due to the difficulties in obtaining potable water.

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f. Clothing

Receipts	\$74,580.45
In-Kind Issue to USMC	43,748.84
Issue to USN	0
Value of Cash Sales	\$408.00

This company has received forty six (46) boxes of clothing during the reporting period. Items that were critical on last month's report have been eliminated and the company is now operating on a normal basis. As of this date only one (1) shipment is pending.

g. Shipping and Receiving

	<u>S/T</u>	<u>CuFt</u>
Received	6,747.3	412,320
Shipped	1,434.6	409,400

The above figures include receipts from all sources and shipments to all destinations. One thousand eight hundred and thirty two (1832) pieces with a total weight of 20,612 pounds, were moved through the parcel post system to RUC's within RVN.

h. Command Relations. There were no significant changes other than mentioned in the outline of this report.

i. Equipment. Service and Support continues to provide third echelon maintenance for Engineer and Motor Transport equipment for USMC units in the Chu Lai TAOR.

The figures listed below are a break down of equipment received and completed during this reporting period. Also, thirty two (32) vehicles were cannibalized. All serviceable parts were returned to stock and the residue was disposed of.

	<u>Equipment Received</u>	<u>Equipment Repaired</u>
Engineer	157	124
Motor Transport	67	37

The figures listed below show the break down between potable and non-potable water processed during the reporting period by Service and Support Section.

	<u>Potable</u>		<u>Non-Potable</u>
Messhall	202,000 gal	Showers	243,900
Ice Plant	214,000 gal	Wash Rack	192,600
Laundry	105,000 gal		

j. Logistics.

(1) The movement of cargo north is continuing.

(2) Motor Transport Performance.

	<u>Tactical</u>	<u>Non-Tactical</u>
Short Tons of Cargo Carried	0	12,855
Personnel Transported	0	15,466
Mileage Covered	0	37,683

(3) Remarks

Water	124,000 gal
Diesel	56,287 gal
Mogas	15,621 gal

k. Community Relations

(1) During the reporting period, this Command provided logistical support for the construction of a defense perimeter around Ky Lien Village.

(2) The Command also provided materials for the construction of a new Ancestral Temple near the village.

(3) During the past reporting period, the Ly Tin District Medical Center (Dickey Chapelle Hospital) was provided with fifty (50) pounds of food for patients, a dozen new cots, sufficient sandbags to build three (3) new bunkers, and fifteen hundred (1500) gallons of potable water. In recognition of this Command's regular support of the health center, the district commandant presented Certificates of Merit to two (2) Civil Affairs workers.

(4) Lumber and roofing tin was provided for the construction of hamlet schools and meeting rooms in Thanh Tra and Dinh Phuoc. Material was also provided for the construction of three (3) private homes for impoverished families in Chu Lai and for a Buddhist school that will be open to children of all faiths.

(5) This Command employs one hundred and twenty two (122) Vietnamese under the Organizational Maintenance Fund, and twenty one (21) under non-appropriated funds.

l. Communications.

(1) A limited number of requisitions were submitted by the section holding to the policy of requisitioning only those items necessary for the immediate accomplishment of the Platoon's mission. Excess equipment was still being turned in on a continuing basis.

(2) Maintenance Section. During the month of March the repair shop handled 26 work orders. Eleven of these were completed in the shop. Fourteen were evacuated to a higher echelon shop and one remains on the workbench. During the month the repair shop has maintained a constant surveillance of the Supply Company switchboard, teletype and IBM circuits as well as performing second echelon maintenance on all communications equipment assigned to the section.

(3) Radio Section. During the month the section maintained a continuous guard on the Force Logistics Command Radio Net and manned the Chu Lai Defense Net nightly from 1800-0730. Commencing on the first of the month, the section has manned, on a nightly basis, the SubSector 11 Command Net. The preventative maintenance program was continued on a daily and weekly basis. The majority of all excess radio equipment has been turned in to Organic Supply for reissue.

(PART IV)

CHRONOLOGY OF SUBORDINATE UNITS AND SUPPORTED DOCUMENTS

1. Not applicable.