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1st Shore Party Battalion (-)(Rein) 1st Marine Division, (-)(Rein), FMF FPO. San Francisco, Calif, 96602

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Commanding Officer From:

To:

Commanding General, 1st Marine Division, (-)(Rein), FMF

(Field Historian)

Command Chronology for period 1-31 May 1968 Subj:

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lst Shore Party Battalion (-)(Rein) Command Chronology

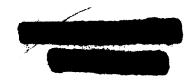
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1-31 May 1968

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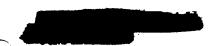
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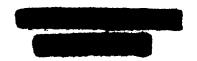
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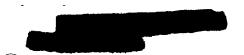
1. Designation	Commander	Date Occupied Billet			
lst Shore Party Battalion (-)	(Rein) Lt Col N. KAVAKICH	1-31 May 1968			
Subordinate Units					
Company "A", (Rein) Company "B", (Rein) Company "C" H&S Company Company "B", 5th SPBn (Rein)	Capt G. L. SHARKEY 1st Lt F. A. HARTMANN JR. Maj W. R. JCHNSCN Capt W. R. DUDMAN Maj J. N. LEAVITT	1-31 May 1968 1-31 May 1968 1-31 May 1968 1-31 May 1968 1-31 May 1968			
Attached Units					
"B" Company (Rein), 5th Shore Party Battalion "A" Company (-), 3rd Shore Party Battalion					
2. Location					
1-31 May 1968	Danang, RVN				
3. Staff Officers					

Commanding Officer	Lt Col N. KAVAKICH	1-31 May 1968
Executive Officer	Maj G. E. CONSTANTINO JR.	1- 31 May 1968
S-1/Adjutant	lst Lt L. K. KIRKPATRICK	1 - 31 May 1 968
S-2/S-3	Capt S. T. HALL	1 - 31 May 1968
S-4	Capt G. J. HASH	1 - 26 Hay 1 968
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1. Narrative Summary

During this period Helicopter Support Teams (HST's) were provided for Operations Scotland II, Ballard Valley, Houston, Mameluke Thrust and Allen Brook.

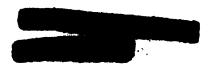
Company "A" remained OPCON to the 1st Marines.

lst Shore Party Battalion provided engineer equipment in support of lst Marine Division units. Five construction projects assigned by the Division Engineer were completed.

The Med-Cap treated a total of 432 Vietnamese civilians during this reporting period. The Civic Action program is providing materials for the construction of a maternity hospital at Phu Thu'o'ng Xa (AT 907754). This project is 90% complete at the present time.

The Battalion heli-lifted 1,548,572 pounds in support of operating battalions and received 1,132,423 pounds for a total of 2,680,995 pounds handled in the month.

During this period 1st Shore Party Battalion sustained two (2) enlisted KIA, one (1) enlisted death non-hostile, three (3) officer WIA and twenty nine (29) enlisted WIA.





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1. Sequential Listing of Significant Events

Company "A" (OFCON to 1st Marine Regiment)

- 1-31 May Operated LSA at Khe Sanh in support of the 1st Marine Regiment.
- 1-31 May Heli-lifted 573,045 pounds of all classes of supplies in support of the operating battalions of the 1st Marine Regiment. Received 1,132,423 pounds of supplies from Ca Lu and Dong Ha in support of the Khe Sanh Combat base.
 - 1-31 May Entire Company participated in Operation Scotland II.

Company "B" (D/S Task Force X-Ray)

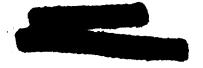
- 1-31 May Company in support of the operating battalions on Operation Houston helilifted 64,003 pounds of all classes of supplies.
- 1-31 May 1 Officer and 48 Enlisted committed to defense on the Gia Le Combat base.
- 22-31 May 1 Officer and 21 Enlisted in D/S of 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines while on Operation Allen Brook.

Company "C"

- 1-3 May Company in D/S of 1st Battalion, 7th Marines on Operation Ballard Valley, heli-lifted 27,105 pounds of all classes of supplies.
- 3-18 May Company in D/S of 2nd and 3rd Battalions, 7th Marines on Operation Allen Brook heli-lifted 119,416 pounds of all classes of supplies. Evacuated 229 WIA and 51 KIA from the Operation area.
- 19-31 May Company in D/S of 7th Marines on Operation Nameluke Thrust helilifted 350,052 pounds of all classes of supplies.
 - 1-31 May Conducted a minesweep in the AO of the 1st Marine Division.

Company "B", 5th Shore Party Battalion

- 1-31 May 14 Enlisted conducted two minesweeps in the 1st Marine Division TAOR.
- 19-31 May Company in D/S of the 27th Marines on Operation Allen Brook heli-lifted 309,338 pounds of all classes of supplies and 1,151 personnel.



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Company "A" (-), 3rd Shore Party Battalion

28-31 May - Attached to 1st Shore Party Battalion one Officer, 29 Marine Enlisted and 2 Mavy Enlisted.

28-31 May - Company (-) in D/S of the 26th Marines on Operation Mameluke Thrust, heli-lifted 305,613 pounds of all classes of supplies.

