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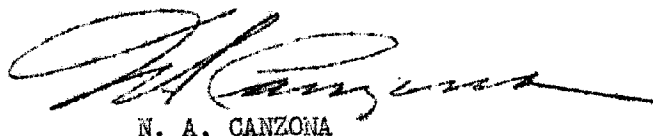
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Division (Reinforced), FMF

Subj: Command Chronology for period 1 May 1969 to 31 May 1969 (Report
Symbol 1st Marine Division 5750/2-3)

Ref: (a) MCO P5750.1
(b) FMFPacO 5750.8
(c) DivO 5750.2

Encl: (1) Headquarters Battalion Command Chronology

1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a), (b) and (c)
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1 May 1969 to 31 May 1969

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ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

<u>1. DESIGNATION</u>	<u>COMMANDER</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Headquarters Battalion (Rein), 1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF	Colonel N. A. CANZONA USMCR	1-31 May

SUBORDINATE UNITS

Communication Company	Maj R. E. SMARTWOOD USMC	1-31 May
Headquarters Company	Capt P. C. A. GRAUERT USMC Capt T. J. SHERIDAN USMC	1-5 May 6-31 May
Military Police Company	LtCol W. P. GORSKI USMC Capt E. MARR USMC	1-18 May 19-31 May
Service Company	Capt K. J. CHANDLER USMC	1-31 May

ATTACHED UNITS

1st Dental Company (1-31 May)	Capt J. W. PENTECOST USN	1-31 May
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2. LOCATION

1-31 May 1969: Da Nang Combat Base, Republic of Vietnam

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer	LtCol R. B. RANCK USMC	1-31 May
Adjutant	Capt T. J. SHERIDAN USMC Capt P. C. A. GRAUERT USMC	1-5 May 6-31 May
Operations Officer	Maj N. E. BIRD USMC Maj H. J. BOWDEN USMC	1-19 May 20-31 May
Logistics Officer	Maj G. J. BOLLARD USMC	1-31 May
Civic Action Officer	1stLt D. INGEGNO USMC	1-31 May
Supply Officer	Capt W. T. BASCHLAGEL USMC	1-31 May
Motor Transport Officer	2nd Lt E. H. CARRITT USMC	1-31 May
Legal Officer	CWO2 H. S. HALE USMC	1-31 May
Embarkation Officer	1stLt E. S. WILSON USMC 2ndLt D. L. BOUDREAU USMC	1-30 May 31 May
Special Services Officer	Capt T. J. SHERIDAN USMC	1-31 May
Medical Officer	Lt E. J. ENGLISH USN	1-31 May
Chaplain	Lt F. D. THOMPSON USN	1-31 May

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PART II
NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Headquarters Battalion (Reinforced) continued to provide administrative, communications, service, and military police support to the 1st Marine Division. Security for the division command post was provided, and civic action programs were conducted. The attached Dental Company provided dental support throughout the division TAOR and participated in unit civic action programs.

PART III
SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1-31 May Communication Company provided radio relay teams to each of the following units: 1st Marine Regiment, 3rd Amphibian Tractor Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment and 7th Marine Regiment. Radio retransmission teams operated at the 7th Marine Regiment and at Hai Van Pass.
- 1-31 May Reproduction Section, Service Company, completed 1,000,287 work units. The Disbursing Section maintained an average of 25,000 pay records.
- 1-31 May A total of 13 Med Caps and Dent Caps were conducted at the hamlets of Hoa My (AT 974769), Hoa Khuong (AT 935725), and Phuoc Thuan (AT 938731).
- 3 May Marine detonated a surprise firing device at (AT 967742); an M-26 frag grenade was rigged to a shovel. One Marine received a minor wound.
- 4 May A basic English class was conducted at Hoa My school by battalion civic action personnel.
- 9 May Hai Van Pass (AT 937915) opened to two way traffic. MP Company provided additional sentries to control traffic.
- 11 May A basic English class was conducted at Hoa My school by battalion civic action personnel.

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- 14 May Commanding Officer, Headquarters Battalion, presented twelve General Salt scholarships in Hoa My hamlet (AT 974769). A temple has been reconstructed and the school facilities improved in Hoa My with assistance from Headquarters Battalion civic action personnel.
- 14 May Security Platoon, Headquarters Battalion, received small arms fire (AT 938755). Marines returned fire and enemy withdrew.
- 18 May Movies were shown to 700 villagers at Hoa My. Leaflets announcing rewards for turn in of ordnance, denouncing VC cadres, and others encouraging sanitation, and support of the GVN themes were distributed.
- 18 May A basic English class was conducted at Hoa My school by battalion civic action personnel.
- 19 May Military Police Company received two ARVN military police from the Q.C. Battalion to aid in dealing with blackmarket activities, deserters, stragglers and traffic control.
- 21 May The Commanding Officer and S-5 attended a temple dedication ceremony at Hoa My.
- 22 May S-5 arranged for transportation for 300 school children to Nam O Beach (Red Beach Area) and return to Hoa My.
- 25 May A basic English class was held at Hoa My school by battalion civic action personnel.
- 30 May Unit on perimeter received one incoming round of H-79 fire.

PART IV
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

/Subsector "B" daily journal.

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HEADQUARTERS BATTALION
SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: HqBn, COC (PERSON) CySet STRICKLAND
 B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 031400 (TOR) 031425
 C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) AT 967742
 D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): Marine set off a self
firing device, M26 frag grenade attached to a shovel.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Checking area for more possible booby
traps. Notified NSDC.

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) NEGATIVE

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE
 G. FRIENDLY WIA: 1 (minor) MED EVAC No
 H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) BILLET
 I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE
 J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE
 K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)
 L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)
 M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)
 N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION): NEGATIVE

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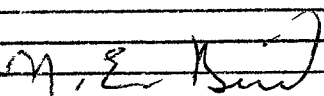
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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log Opened.	S
0920		2	SWIFT SCOUT PAPA departed on patrol.	TM
1305		3	SWIFT SCOUT PAPA returned from patrol. Found one Chicon grenade turned into recon S-3.	TM
1800		4	Set Condition III.	S
0600		5	Set Condition IV.	S
	0700	6	Log Closed.	S
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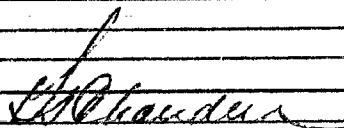
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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log Opened.	S
0910		2	RICE KRISPIES PAPA departed on patrol.	TM
1227		3	RICE KRISPIES PAPA returned from patrol. NEGATIVE results.	TM
1800		4	Set Condition III.	S
0600		5	Set Condition IV.	S
	0700	6	Log Closed.	S
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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log Opened.	S
0915		2	POLICY GAME PAPA departed on Patrol.	TM
1130		3	POLICY GAME PAPA returned from patrol. NEGATIVE results.	TM
1800		4	Set Condition III.	S
1845		5	Received flash message high indication of a rocket attack tonight.	S
0600		6	Set Condition IV.	S
	0700	7	Log Closed.	S
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			TO 12 May 1969 0700	
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IN	OUT			M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1800		2	Set Condition III.	S
2050		3	Security platoon reported seeing an agressor. They fired small arms and hit body which fell back into weeds.	S
2145		4	Report Card Lima called and reported a woman shot in the village. She was taken to 1st Medical Battalion and is OK.	S
0115		5	Band reported Lam Bn area sustained a secondary explosion.	S
0120		6	NSDC set Condition II.	S
0145		7	Requested flare ship from NSDC.	S
0145		8	Camp Perdue reports 100% alert.	S
0150		9	NSDC reports 1st Marines getting CS gas.	S
0152		10	All units notified of Condition II.	S
0205		11	Commanding Officer 2nd Provisional Rifle Company in bunker.	S
0210		12	Commanding Officer, HqCo in bunker.	S
0221		13	S-4 in bunker.	S
0226		14	2nd Provisional Rifle Company formed and ready.	S
0230		15	1st Provisional Rifle Company formed and ready.	S

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0250		16	NSDC requested illumination canister impact clearance for coordinates 96247568, 94697484, 970745. All cleared except 970745.	S
0640		17	Set Condition IV.	S
	0700	18	Log closed.	S
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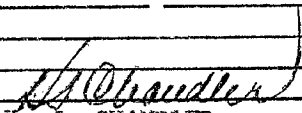
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IN	OUT			M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
0700		1	Log opened	S
0900		2	Turf Club Papa departed on patrol	TM
1200		3	Turf Club Papa returned from patrol	TM
1205		4	Ref: Spot Rpt: DTG 112050 Security Plt checked area, found wire cut in several places and tunnels under wire. Notified NSDC.	S
1800		5	Set condition II	S
1825		6	26th Marines requested illumination canister impact clearance for coordinates 951741, 953740. Clearance granted.	S
2030		7	Deployed Reaction Co to Dai La Pass. 2nd Provisional in Comm Co Motor Pool. 1st Provisional on A&B lines.	S
2120		8	Sentry dog at B-5 rpt sight and sound alert B-5 rpt movement at coordination 956741 fifty meters from positions. Employed 60mm and M79 negative fire from suspected enemy. Negative results.	T
2200		9	Marine was hit in the chest by canister round at coordinates 937753. Man evac to 1st Med. Request Arty illumination not be fired in area.	S
2330		10	Received word from 1st Med. Marine who was hit in chest died.	S
0600		11	Set condition IV. All units notified.	S
0700		12	Log closed.	S

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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1030		2	ROCK MAT PAPA departed on patrol.	TM
1330		3	ROCK MAT PAPA returned from patrol. NEGATIVE results.	TM
1800		4	Set Condition II.	S
2300		5	Reference Spot Report 122200. Marine was hit by steel disk from artillery illumination canister round. Marine died at 122300 at 1stMed.	S
2350		6	NSDC called and said rockets landed in our tor.	S
0600		7	Set Condition IV.	S
	0700	8	Log closed.	S
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SPOT REPORT

- A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: Security Plt, HqBn (PERSON) Lt HAYES
- B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 122200 (TOR)
- C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 937753
- D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): Marine was hit in the
chest by Arty canister round. (PFC ELSWICK, J. T. 2441256)
- E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Man evacuated to 1st Med. Request Arty
Illumination not be fired in area.
- (WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) Negative
- F. FRIENDLY KIA: Negative
- G. FRIENDLY WIA: 1 NBC MED EVAC Yes
- H. FRIENDLY MIA: Negative (NAME) BILLET
- I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: Negative
- J. EN KIA PROBABLE: Negative
- K. EN CAPTURED: Negative (DISPOSITION)
- L. EN SUSPECTS: Negative (DISPOSITION)
- M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: Negative (DISPOSITION)
- N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION): Negative

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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1020		2	Report Card Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1310		3	Report Card Papa returned from patrol.	TM
1800		4	Set condition II.	S
1930		5	B-7 reported seeing 3 unidentified persons at coordinates 953733. Not NSDC.	T
2125		6	478 Crane Co. received 10 rounds automatic weapons fire from the south. Not NSDC.	T
2220		7	11th Marines reported PPS6 detected 6-8 persons at coordinates 963761 then lost contact.	S
2300		8	Security Plt observed 2 persons in wire. Enemy fired on Marines. Marines returned fire with 60mm, M79 and small arms. Enemy withdrew to west. Not NSDC.	S
0045		9	Security Plt received 4-5 rounds small arms fire from coordinates 937755. Returned fire. Firing ceased. Notified NSDC.	S
0600		10	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	11	Log closed.	S
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SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: HqCo, 26th Marines (PERSON)

B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 151030 (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 936763

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): Patrol conducted sweep in draws and hillside to SW of OP. Found 2 hogs butchered 2 days ago.
Met woodcutters on slope carrying hot food. Found clearing for a possible mortar site and 3 PRC 10 batteries at coordinates AT 934764.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Destroyed PRC 10 batteries, checked wood cutters identification cards and let them go.

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) NEGATIVE

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE MED EVAC

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) BILLET

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION): NEGATIVE

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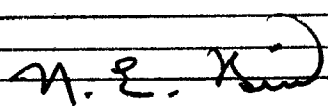
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0700		1	Log opened.	S
1800		2	Set condition II.	S
1830		3	Notified all units of M/2/7's location.	S
1900		4	Received flash fire arrow message.	S
2015		5	See Spot Report #1.	T
2155		6	See Spot Report #2.	T
2215		7	Fire in Division PX warehouse.	S
2200		8	One Plt from Reaction Co deployed through 11th Marines area to start a sweep of coordinates 963757 to 963751.	TM
2255		9	MASS 3 patrol departed.	TM
2335		10	Report Card A-3 started sweep.	TM
2400		11	Report Card A-3 completed sweep. Negative results.	TM
0035		12	Comm-Co patrol departed.	TM
0115		13	MASS 3 patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0115		14	Comm Co patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0300		15	NSDC called and reported that we were receiv- ing rockets.	T
0600		16	Set condition IV.	S
0645		17	See Spot Report #3.	T

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IN	OUT			M-map	S-staff
0700		1	Log opened.	S	
0700		2	REPORT CARD PAPA departed on patrol.	TM	
0830		3	See Spot Report.	S	
1145		4	REPORT CARD PAPA returned from patrol. NEGATIVE results.	TM	
1800		5	Set Condition II.	S	
2030		6	MASS-3 patrol departed.	TM	
2315		7	MASS-3 patrol returned. NEGATIVE results.	TM	
0010		8	One squad from 1st Provisional starting sweep of coordinates 963757 to 963751.	S	
0050		9	CommCo patrol departed.	S	
0130		10	Reaction Co patrol returned with NEG results.	TM	
0205		11	CommCo patrol returned with NEGATIVE results.	TM	
0600		12	Set Condition IV.	S	
	0700	13	Log closed.	S	
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SPOT REPORT

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A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: MP Co Runker (PERSON)

B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 162015 (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 961755

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): Saw 9 men in rice
paddie with helmets, flak jackets and rifles.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): MP Co fired on suspected enemy. They
dropped behind paddie dikes.

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) No

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE MED EVAC

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) BILLET

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION): NEGATIVE

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A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: 1st Med Bn (PERSON) _____

B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 162155 (TOR) _____

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) Enemy 975759 _____

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): Observed 3 men in
white moving behind pagoda then moved out of sight behind pagoda.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): NONE

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) NO

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE MED EVAC _____

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) _____ BILLET _____

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION) _____

L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION) _____

M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION) _____

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SPOT REPORT

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A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: OP #2 (PERSON)

B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 170250 (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 935765

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): OP #2 reported spotting
flashes on AZ 5300 Mils. Range of about 5 to 6 thousands meters.

According to OP #2 approximate grid 876756.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Fire artillery results unknown.

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) NO

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE MED EVAC

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) BILLET

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

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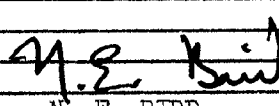
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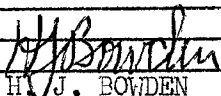
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TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSC'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1800		2	Set Condition II.	S
2045		3	MASS-3 departed on patrol.	TM
2300		4	One platoon from Reaction Company repositioned.	S
2310		5	MASS-3 returned from patrol. Heard movement, but made no contact.	TM
0030		6	Report Card A-1 in position near MASS-2.	S
0130		7	CommCo patrol departed.	TM
0155		8	Band patrol returned with NEGATIVE results.	TM
0200		9	Report Card Charlie patrol returned. NEG results.	TM
0255		10	CommCo patrol returned with negative results.	TM
0600		11	Set Condition IV.	S
0605		12	Report Card Bravo 2 is sweeping the Band Tower hill.	S
0615		13	Reaction Company sending one platoon to sweep pistol range.	S
0645		14	Platoon from Reaction Company secured from sweep with NEGATIVE results.	S
	0700	15	Log closed.	S
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			TO 20 May 1969 0700	
TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSG'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened	S
0915		2	Report Card Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1330		3	Report Card Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition II.	S
1900		5	Civilians coming in Dia La Pass say many VC in village. Passed to line.	S
0030		6	"H" Btry 13th Marines reported movement in front of wire.	T
0055		7	Comm Co patrol departed.	TM
0150		8	Comm Co patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0200		9	Recon patrol departed.	TM
0300		10	Recon patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0325		11	NSDC reported that rockets were hitting some- where south of DaNang.	T
0600		12	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	13	Log closed.	S
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			TO 21 May 1969 0700	
TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSC'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT			M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1025		2	Turf Club Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1300		3	Turf Club Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition II.	S
1900		5	Impressive Papa departed area.	TM
2200		6	See Spot Report #1.	T
2230		7	Received word from Div. COC that Hoa Cam training camp under ground attack (964728).	S
2245		8	Received Fire Arrow message.	S
2250		9	All units on 100% alert.	S
2325		10	MTO checked in. 7 trucks ready to move.	S
2400		11	All units on 50% alert.	S
0025		12	"A" line patrol departed lines.	T
0100		13	"A" line patrol returned from patrol.	T
0100		14	"C" line patrol departed lines.	T
0200		15	"C" line patrol returned. Thought they heard movement following them. Fired 10 rounds M-16 and 1 M-26 grenade. Movement ceased. Negative results.	T
0600		16	Set condition IV.	S
0700	0700	17	Log closed.	S

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HEADQUARTERS BATTALION
SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: HqBn S-3 (PERSON)

B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 202200 (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 973738

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): A-4 saw 2 persons
through starlight scope at above coordinates. Persons were moving north.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Notified NSDC.

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) NO

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE MED EVAC NEGATIVE

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) BILLET

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)


N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION): NEGATIVE

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TIME		SER NO	INDIDENT, MSC'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1300		2	Policy Came Papa checked out on patrol.	TM
1500		3	Policy Came Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition II.	S
2125		5	See Spot Report #1.	T
2200		6	See Spot Report #2.	T
0015		7	See Spot Report #3.	S
0030		8	"C" Co departed on patrol.	TM
0105		9	"A" Line departed on patrol.	TM
0127		10	"C" Co returned from patrol. Negative results	TM
0157		11	Comm Hill patrol departed.	TM
0220		12	"A" Line returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
0300		13	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		14	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	15	Log closed.	S
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"C" Line, HqBn

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947741

Saw and heard movement
to front of C-11. Fired 60mm Illumination Marine saw 1 VC with rifle going
back out of Division wire. Fired 60mm mortar and M79 grenade in area.

Notified NSDC.

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HEADQUARTERS BATTALION
SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: Hq3n Liaison NCO (PERSON)
B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 220015 H (TOR)
C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 964766
D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO WHAT WHERE WHEN & HOW): Popular Forces unit
in Da Son was fired at by passing US vehicle travelling east.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): 1 PF was shot in right leg. MPs have
dispatched ambulance to pick up wounded PF. MPs are pursuing US vehicle.

(WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW?) NO

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE
G. FRIENDLY WIA: 1 Vietnamese PF. MED EVAC 1stMedBn
H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) BILL ET
I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE
J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE
K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)
L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)
M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)
N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION): NEGATIVE

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IN	OUT			M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0730		2	Report Card Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1030		3	Report Card Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition II.	S
1830		5	Fire Arrow Message.	S
2000		6	RC Bravo patrol/ambush departed.	TM
2030		7	RC Bravo patrol/ambush in position.	TM
2200		8	Security Plt LP 2 in position.	TM
0010		9	Reaction paddy patrol departed.	TM
0035		10	Comm Hill patrol departed.	TM
0120		11	Reaction paddy patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0210		12	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0230		13	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0500		14	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0530		15	RC Bravo patrol/ambush returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		16	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	17	Log closed.	S

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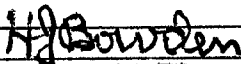
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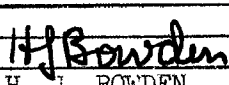
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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0936		2	Report Card Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1228		3	Report Card Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1615		4	Take Out Papa departed for night ambush.	TM
1800		5	Set condition III.	S
1910		6	Recon ambush returned had three men with heat exhaustion. Taken to Recon Aid Station. Patrol secured.	TM
2310		7	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0100		8	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0130		9	Comm Hill patrol departed.	TM
0230		10	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		11	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	12	Log closed.	S
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TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSG'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
1030		2	Report Card Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1430		3	Report Card Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition III.	S
2000		5	Security patrol departed.	TM
0025		6	Comm Hill departed on patrol.	TM
0110		7	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0120		8	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0215		9	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0530		10	Security patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		11	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	12	Log closed.	S
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			25 May 1969	0700
			26 May 1969	0700
TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSG'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0812		2	Turf Club Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1230		3	Turf Club Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition III.	S
2000		5	"D" Line LP set in.	T
2230		6	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0015		7	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0130		8	Comm Hill patrol departed.	TM
0240		9	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		10	"D" Line LP returned. Negative results.	T
0600		11	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	12	Log closed.	S
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TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSC'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0910		2	Policy Game Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1105		3	Policy Game Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition III.	S
2200		5	"D" Line patrol departed.	T
2400		6	"A" Line patrol departed.	T
0115		7	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	T
0120		8	Comm Hill patrol departed.	T
0205		9	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	T
0530		10	"D" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	T
0600		11	Set condition IV.	S
0700		12	Log closed.	S
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IN	OUT			M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0840		2	Impressive Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1100		3	See Spot Report #1.	T
1105		4	Impressive Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		5	Set condition.III.	S
2215		6	"D" Line patrol departed.	TM
0014		7	Comm Line patrol departed	TM
0124		8	Comm Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0205		9	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0320		10	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0530		11	"D" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		12	Set condition IV.	S
0700	0700	13	Log closed.	S
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ADQUARTERS BATTALION SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: HqBn S-3 (PERSON)

B. D/T/C OF INCIDENT: 271100H (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) At 945737

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO? WHAT? WHERE? WHEN? HOW?) An enemy propaganda leaflet was obtained during a Med Cap visit to Phuoc Thuan. Villagers stated that 7-10 VC distributed these leaflets at 270400 and moved into area at above coordinates.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Notified 2/7. Will dispatch patrol at 280800H.

WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW? NO

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE (MED EVAC) NEGATIVE

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) (BILLET)

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

M. WEAPONS CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

N. CAPTURED EQUIPMENT, DOCUMENTS, ETC. (DISPOSITION) NEGATIVE

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HEADQUARTERS BATTALION SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: HqBn (PERSON)

B. D/T/C OF INCIDENT: 281130 H (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) Friendly 945734 Enemy 943728

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO? WHAT? WHERE? WHEN? HOW?) Patrol spotted 4

PEOPLE

~~Enemy~~ moving Northwest at above coordinates, 3 with weapons wearing khaki uniform.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): Notified 2/7 and NSDC.

WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW? NO

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE (MED EVAC)

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) (BILLET)

I. EN KIA CONFIRMED: NEGATIVE

J. EN KIA PROBABLE: NEGATIVE

K. EN CAPTURED: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

L. EN SUSPECTS: NEGATIVE (DISPOSITION)

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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log Opened.	S
0845		2	Take Out Papa departed on patrol.	TM
1210		3	Take Out Papa returned from patrol. Negative results.	TM
1800		4	Set condition III.	S
2300		5	"D" Line patrol departed.	TM
0005		6	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0115		7	Comm Hill patrol departed.	TM
0125		8	"A" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0215		9	Comm Hill patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0530		10	"D" Line patrol returned. Negative results.	TM
0600		11	Set condition IV.	S
0700	0700	12	Log closed.	S
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			30 May 1969	0700
			31 May 1969	0700
TIME		SER NO	INCIDENT, MSC'S, LTR'S ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN M-map S-staff T-troops F-file
IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0810		2	REPORT CARD PAPA departed on patrol	TM
0945		3	See spot report #1.	S
1200		4	REPORT CARD PAPA returned from patrol.	TM
1800		5	Set condition III.	S
2135		6	Bravo 8 reported receiving one incoming round, possibly a M79. No casualties. Notified NSDC.	S
0025		7	Delta line patrol departed.	TM
0115		8	Comm Hill patrol departed.	TM
0140		9	Alpha line patrol departed.	TM
0225		10	Comm Hill patrol returned with NEGATIVE results.	TM
0255		11	Alpha line patrol returned. NEGATIVE results.	TM
0530		12	Delta line patrol returned. NEGATIVE results.	TM
0600		13	Set condition IV.	S
	0700	14	Log closed.	S
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HEADQUARTERS BATTALION SPOT REPORT

A. UNIT SENDING REPORT: HqBn S-3 (PERSON)

B. D/T/G OF INCIDENT: 300945 (TOR)

C. LOCATION OF INCIDENT (COORDINATES) 945730

D. INCIDENT IN DETAIL (WHO? WHAT? WHERE? WHEN? HOW?) HqBn patrol heard
shots from above coordinates. Patrol checked area and talked to Popular
Force Unit in village. PF stated 30 VC are in village, passing out
propaganda leaflets.

E. RESULTS OR ACTION (BY WHOM): No enemy spotted by patrol.

WILL AMPLIFYING REPORT FOLLOW? NONE

F. FRIENDLY KIA: NEGATIVE

G. FRIENDLY WIA: NEGATIVE (MED EVAC)

H. FRIENDLY MIA: NEGATIVE (NAME) (BILLET)

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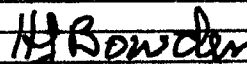
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IN	OUT			
0700		1	Log opened.	S
0810		2	REPORT CARD PAPA departed on patrol.	TM
1100		3	REPORT CARD PAPA returned from patrol. NECA-TIVE results.	TM
1245		4	Dud 105mm round was found in vicinity of Division exchange. EOD has been called. MPs have area blocked off. Exchange has been closed.	S
1400		5	Follow up to Spot Report 1245: Dud round has been removed. Exchange is in operation.	S
1800		6	Set condition III.	S
1845		7	TURF CLUB PAPA departed for night ambush.	TM
2030		8	"D" Line patrol departed.	TM
0015		9	"A" Line patrol departed.	TM
0105		10	"A" Line patrol returned. NEGATIVE results.	TM
0530		11	"D" Line patrol returned. NEGATIVE results.	TM
0600		12	Set condition IV.	S
0625		13	TURF CLUB PAPA returned from night ambush. NEGATIVE results.	TM
0700	0700	14	Log closed.	S
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