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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF

1ST MARINES SITREP 12 as of 2 February 1966

Reel: (1) 1st Battalion, 4th Marines SITREP as of 2 February 1966
(2) Consolidated Operations Summary

1. Attachments.

A. Co A (-) (Rein), 1st ASLTG Bn. One LVTM and ten LVT5's are in direct support of 1/4. Two LVT5's are in direct support of 1/4 (forward). Thirteen LVT5's, one LVTM and one LVT command tractor are in direct support of Task Force Delta. Two LVT5's are deadlined to accompany maintenance.

B. Co B (-), 3d AS Bn. Company Headquarters continues maintenance and logistical support of the 1st and 2d platoons which are in direct support of 1/4. One defensive position in the Headquarters, 4th Marines perimeter was scanned from 011030H to 020630H. The 1st platoon continues in direct support of 1/4, with the light section located in the Battalion CP (Rear). The heavy section located in the Co "A", 3/7 area formerly occupied by Co "A", 1/4. The 2d platoon is located at Hill 69 complex. No enemy contact during the last twenty four hours. Deadlined equipment included two M3's, one M37, one M43 and one M42.

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C. Co A (-) (Main), 1st Tank Bn. Company Headquarters continues logistical support of the two tank platoons. The 2d platoon is in direct support of 1/4 at Hill 69. The 3d platoon is in direct support of 1/4. A light section moves from normal daytime positions at RF 527009 to night time positions at RF 528106. No enemy contact during the last twenty four hours. Deadlined equipment included one M40 43 Tank.

D. Co A (-) (Main), 1st Bn. Bn.

- (1) Completed work on interior of messhall.
- (2) Continued interior work on operations center.
- (3) Completed two strongholds.

MATERIAL DISTRIBUTION

Portable	12,510
Raw	11,000
Total	23,510

T. H. HANLIN
By direction

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1ST BN, 4TH MARINES SITREP NUMBER 272 AS OF 021600H FEBRUARY 1966

1. Unit Action With Contact.

a. At 020130H, a Company B squad patrol apprehended two curfew violators at (BT 515155). The two curfew violators were turned over to the Village Chief for disposition the following morning.

b. At 020915H, a Company A platoon patrol in the vicinity of (BT 445025) received approximately eight rounds of S/A's fire from (BT 438024). Five to ten VC were observed running west from THANH MY TRUNG (1) Hamlet. S/A fire was returned by the patrol but no casualties were observed.

c. At 021000H, a Company A platoon patrol in conjunction with a PF squad apprehended a VCS at (BT 438023). The VCS was turned over to Chu Lai Collection Point *P.F. Platoon*

d. At 021115H, a Company D platoon patrol located at (BT 456080) received one S/A round from (BT 445082). The patrol returned 10 S/A rounds and advanced toward the origin of the firing where the patrol picked up one VCS. The VCS was turned over to Chu Lai Collection Point.

2. Miscellaneous.

a. PF Training. The only PF training conducted during this period was combined PF/USMC patrols and ambushes. The one problem encountered was the language barrier. This did not appreciably detract from the overall cooperation and progress of the PF platoon which was considered good.

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1st Lt USMC
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ADDENDUM TO 1ST 4TH MARINES SITREP NUMBER 272 OF 021600H FEBRUARY 1966

Reference paragraph 1.c.,

Information from Mr. NGO TO, PF platoon commander with A-1 patrol, indicates that the VCS captured is NGO QUANG-MINH, VC District Chief (Comparable in status to Capt GIOI of LY TIN).

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: _____ BN _____ REGT _____ TAOR

PERIOD: _____ 1001Z _____ TO _____ 1000Z _____

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TYPE ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY / NIGHT	SQUAD DAY / NIGHT	PLATOON DAY / NIGHT	COMPANY*1 DAY / NIGHT	BATTALION*1 DAY / NIGHT
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)	A B				
LISTENING POST (LP)	C D				
AMBUSH (AMB)	E F	G H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	C R	S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

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PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION		FRD UNIT/ LOSSES	ENM UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT BY	MATERIAL WEAPONS		CAPT OTH*
		SIZE	TYPE+				IWC	CWC	
QUANG TIN				Co B	Unk				
MT 515155	020130H	Sqd	800	0	2 VCS	USMC	0	0	0
QUANG TIN				Co A	Unk				
MT 445025	020915H	P1b	800	0	0	VO	0	0	0
QUANG TIN				Co A	Unk				
MT 439223	021000H	P1b	800	0	0 VCS	USMC	0	0	0
QUANG TIN				Co D	Unk				
MT 456080	021115H	P1b	800	0	1 VCS	VO	0	0	0

+ USE TYPE ACTION ABBREVIATIONS SHOWN ON REVERSE SIDE.
 * DESCRIBE CAPTURED MATERIAL OTHER THAN WEAPONS IN REMARKS SECTION.

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PLANS SUMMARY

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LISTENING POST (LP)	C D				
AMBUSH (AMB)	E F	G H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	Q R	S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X (COMBAT PATROL)	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
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NIGHT PATROLS FOR 4 FEBRUARY 1966

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>POD/POR</u>	<u>LAYOVER/AMBUSH</u>
A	FT	A-1	050430H	050600H	527110	
A	FT	A-2	042200H	042400H	527110	
A	FT	A-3	041900H	042200H	529107	
A	FT	2,3,7,8	042400H	050100H	527110	SATURATION AMBUSHES
A	FT	4,5,10	042400H	050100H	529107	SATURATION AMBUSHES
B	SQD	B-2A	050100H	050300H	477144	
B	SQD	B-3C	050100H	050600H	510129	
B	SQD	B-3D	042100H	050300H	510129	
C	FT	WHEEL-1	042000H	042300H	525089	
C	FT	WHEEL-2	042000H	042300H	525089	
C	FT	WHEEL 1-8	042400H	050400H	525089	SATURATION AMBUSHES
D	SQD	BOSTON	042100H	050100H	487102	
D	SQD	CLEVELAND	050130H	050530H	487102	
H&S	FT	SEA LION	041900H	050600H	524091	

FORWARD POSITIONS

A	FT	A-1	042000H	050630H	AMBUSH
A	FT	A-2	042000H	050630H	AMBUSH
A	FT	A-4	042000H	050630H	AMBUSH
A	FT	A-5	042000H	050630H	AMBUSH
A	FT	A-L	042300H	050500H	AMBUSH
A	FT	A-K	042300H	050500H	AMBUSH
A	FT	GREEN	042000H	042200H	
D	SQD	TUNA	041900H	050630H	AMBUSH
D	SQD	TROUT	041900H	050630H	AMBUSH
D	SQD	BASS	041900H	050630H	AMBUSH

COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3D PLAT, CO A, 1ST AMTRAC BN. PROVIDE TWO COXSWAINS FOR THE WATERBORNE PATROL TO ENFORCE CURFEW FROM 2000-0500.
- H&S COMPANY. PROVIDE FOUR MARINES AND ONE RADIO OPERATOR FOR THE WATERBORNE PATROL. REPORT TO S-3 WATCH OFFICER FOR BRIEFING AT 1900H. REPORT TO S-2 OFFICER FOR DEBRIEFING AT 0700H.
- COMPANY B.
 - KAHUKU (BT 477144) IS A PATROL BASE MANNED 24 HOURS A DAY BY ONE PLATOON (REIN) WITH ONE MACHINE GUN SQUAD (.50 CAL), AND A SECTION OF 81MM MORTARS.
 - B-2D IS A NINE MAN PATROL. A THREE MAN LISTENING POST WILL BE PLACED IN POSITIONS AT PALI, MOLOKAI, WAIKANE. THESE LP'S WILL RETURN BY SEPERATE ROUTES.
- THERE WILL BE NO DEVIATION FROM SCHEDULED PATROL ROUTES WITHOUT PRIOR NOTIFICATION AND APPROVAL OF BATTALION S-3.

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DAY PATROLS FOR 4 FEBRUARY 1966

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A	FT	GREEN-3	041300H	041600H	528110	
A	FT	WHITE-3	040900H	041100H	529105	
B	SQD	B-3A	040700H	041000H	477144	
B	SQD	B-3B	041100H	041500H	510129	
C	FT	RAMBLER-1	040800H	041030H	525089	
C	FT	RAMBLER-2	041300H	041600H	525089	
C	FT	RAMBLER-3	041500H	041545H	525089	
D	SQD	MIAMI	041300H	041500H	487102	
D	SQD	WILLAS	041000H	041200H	487102	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-1	040830H	041200H	524119	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-2	041200H	041500H	524119	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-3	041430H	041800H	524119	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-4	040600H	040900H	524119	
D	SQD	MENHIE	040800H	041000H	487102	

FORWARD POSITIONS

A	FT	ORANGE-1	040745H	041100H	
A	FT	ORANGE-2	041300H	041600H	
A	FT	GREEN	041500H	041700H	
A	SQD	A-2	040800H	041200H	
D	PLAT(+)	D	040930H	041430H	

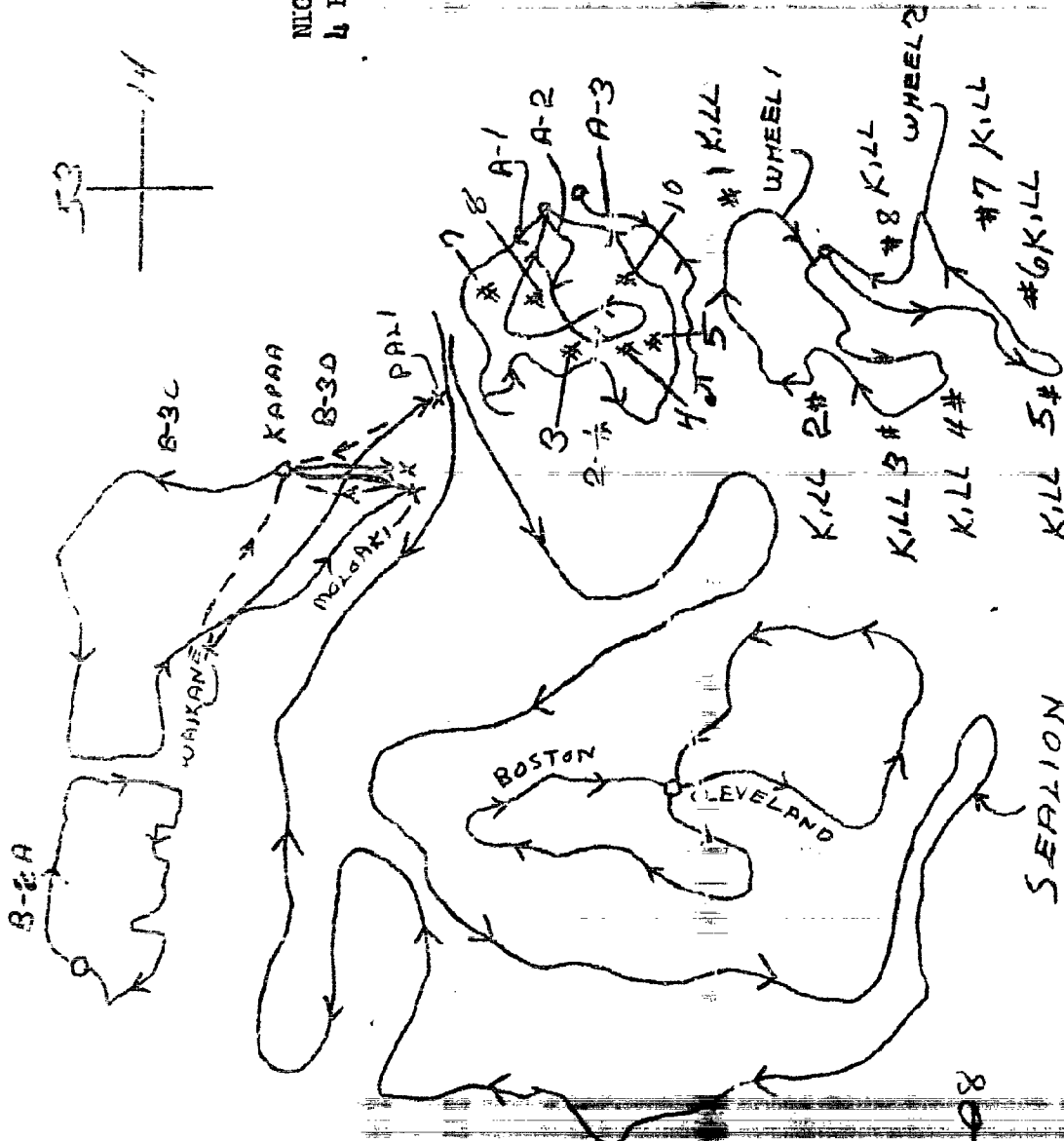
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NIGHT PATROLS/FORWARD POSITION
4 FEBRUARY 1966

#6
10+

#TUNA

#BASS

#TROUT

A-5

A-4

#A-1
#A-2

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GREEN

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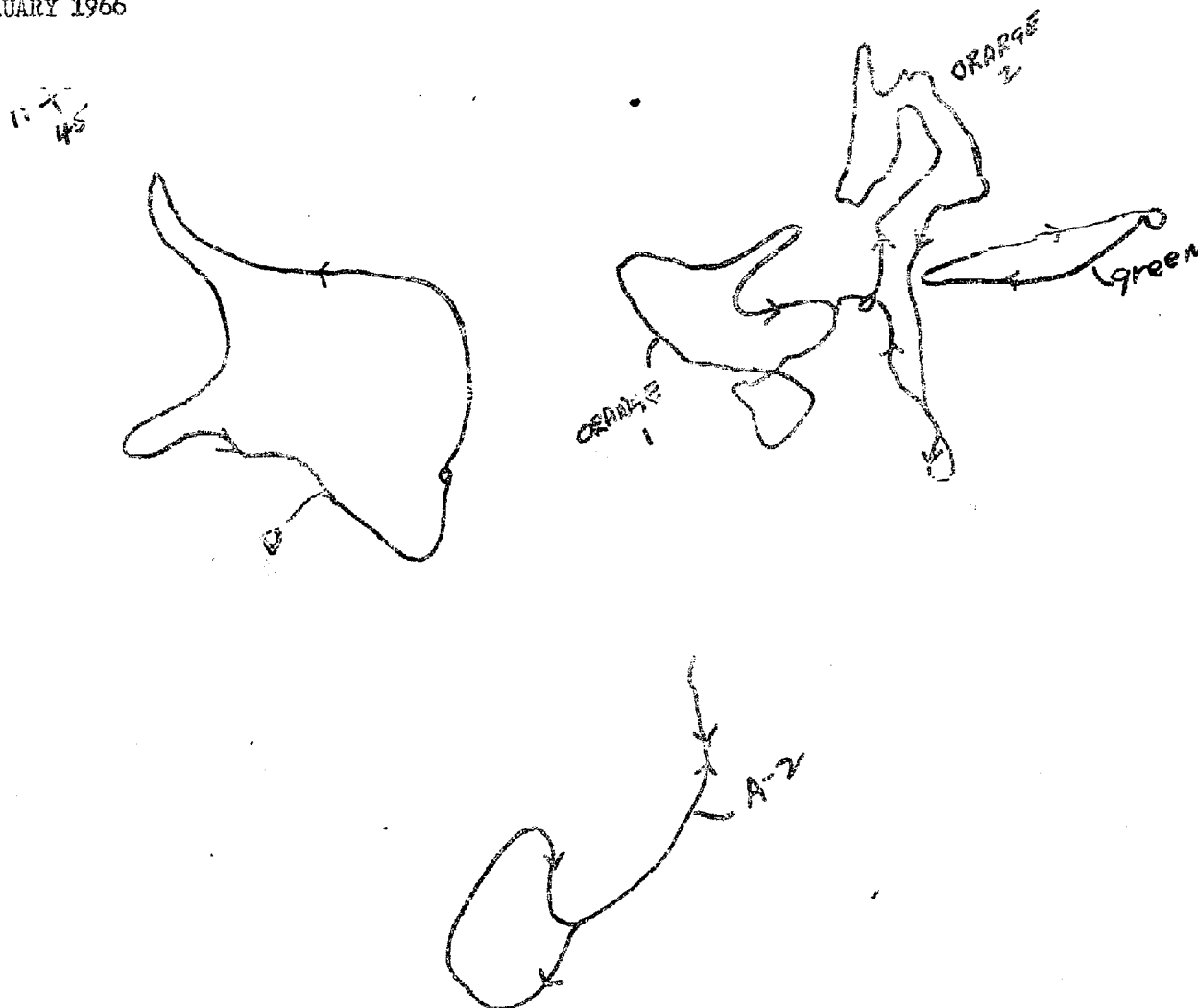
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