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1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO, San Francisco, 96602

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27 April 1966

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF

Subj: 1ST MARINES SITREP 96 AS OF 27 APRIL 1966

Ref: (a) 1st MarDivO 3480.1

Encl: (1) 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines SITREP as of 27 April 1966
(2) 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines SITREP as of 27 April 1966
(3) Consolidated Operations Summary

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1), (2) and (3) are submitted herewith.

2. Operation WYOMING continues. Special SITREPS submitted.

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27 April 1966

SITREP FOR PERIOD OF 262400H TO 272200H

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

A. Late Entries. At 262135H, vicinity coordinates BT 438161, Company M lines received 300 rounds of small arms fire from vicinity coordinates BT 449163, BT 439156, and BT 437154. Fire was returned with 200 rounds of small arms fire and six rounds of 81mm mortar HE. Four 81mm illumination rounds were fired in support. The areas from which fire was received were checked at first light, 27 April 1966, with complete negative results. No friendly casualties. No enemy casualties.

B. Contacts. Negative.

C. Miscellaneous. At 270550H, a Company M ambush at vicinity coordinates BT 427162 observed two Vietnamese running at vicinity coordinates BT 432161. A sunset to sunrise curfew was in effect at the time. In addition, Company M had been fired upon in the early part of the night as set forth in paragraph A. above. Due to these factors, the ambush fired on the two Vietnamese with small arms fire, one LAAW, and one M-79 round. The area was searched with negative results. At approximately 270700H, two Vietnamese females, ages fifty-five and ten, with minor shrapnel wounds, entered the Company M Compound. They indicated that the wounds were a result of the above incident and that they knew they should not have been in the area. First aid was administered and the two Vietnamese were forwarded to D-Med for further treatment. They were subsequently returned to their village, Hoa Xuan (1). They will receive daily treatment at the Company M Compound. A Backlash Report has been filed.

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 3rd BN 1st REGT Chu Lai TAOR27 April 1966

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PERIOD: 26 2400H April TO 27 2400H April 1966

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MOTION *
SIZE TYPE

RED HAIR/
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AGE & SEX/
HAIR

DATE BY

INTERNAL CAPTION
SUBJECT

DATE

* Quang Tin
BT 43163 (Enemy)
BT 439156 (Enemy)
BT 437154 (Enemy)
BT 438161 (Friendly)

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* LATE ENTRY.

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DAY PATROLS FOR 23 APRIL 1966

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>POD/FOR</u>	<u>LAYOVER/AMBUSH</u>
I-1	FT	ROBIN	280810H	281550H	BT477114	SEC
I-2	FT	SEAGULL	280735H	281225H	BT523091	SEC
I-2	FT	MALLARD	281230H	281755H	BT523091	SEC
I-3	FT	CROW	280750H	281210H	BT487103	SEC
I-3	FT	WREN	281215H	281735H	BT487103	SEC
M	SQD	EAGLE	280915H	281430H	BT436162	SEC
M	SQD	QUAIL	280715H	281220H	BT436162	SEC
M	SQD	CROW	281020H	281610H	BT436162	SEC

NIGHT PATROLS FOR 23 APRIL 1966

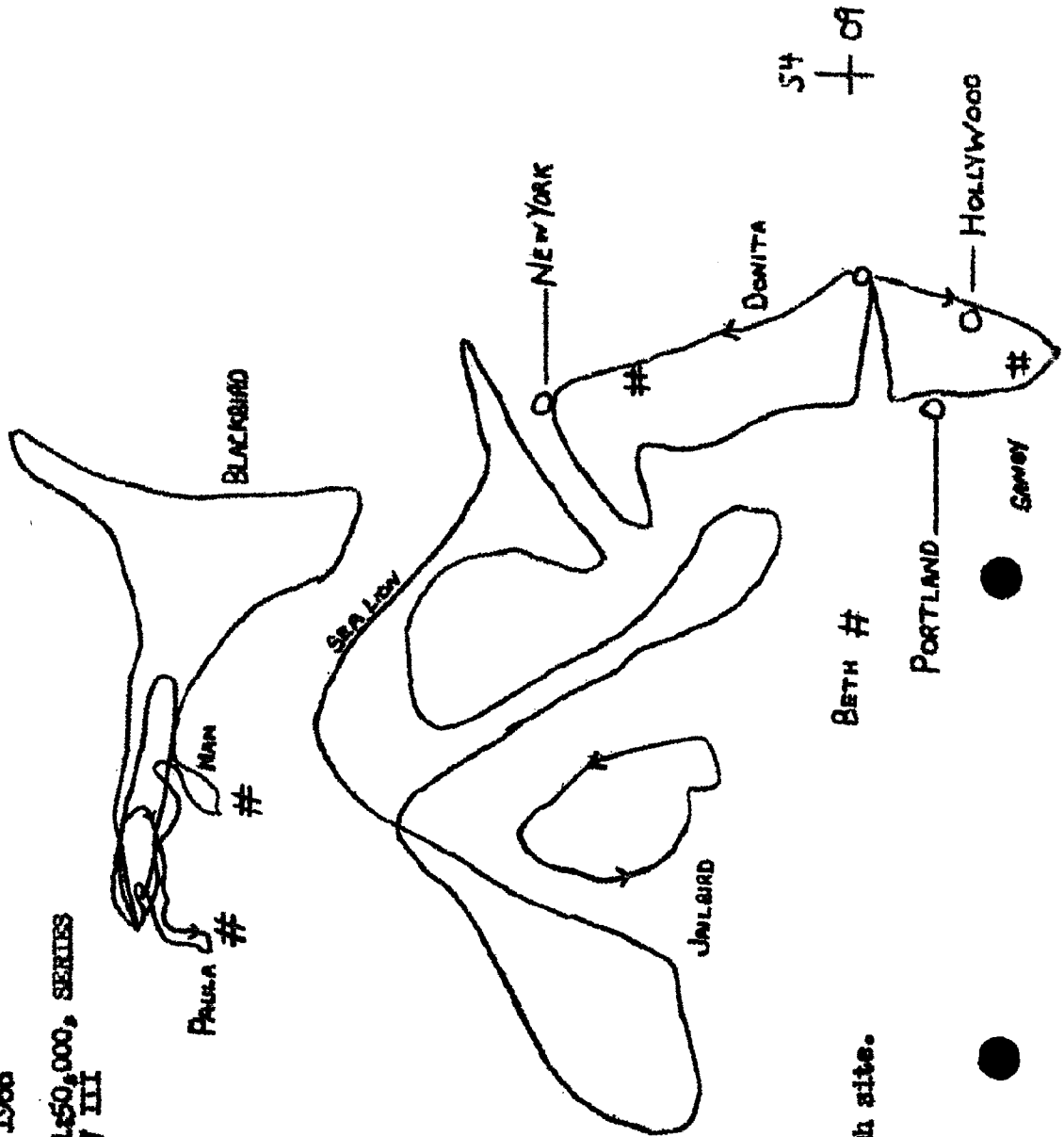
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I-1	FT	PAULA	282045H	290230H	BT477114	282130H - 282400H
	FT	NAN	281350H	290600H	BT477114	282000H - 290130H
I-1	FT	BLACKBIRD	282000H	290230H	BT477114	282000H - 290230H
I-2	SQD	DOMITA	282100H	290530H	BT523091	282230H - 290300H
I-2	SQD	SANDY	282100H	290535H	BT523091	282300H - 290430H
* I-2	FT	NEW YORK	281930H	290500H	BT523091	SEC/Sam Hai Hamlet (An Hai)
* I-2	FT	HOLLYWOOD	281930H	290500H	BT523091	SEC/Thanh Long Hamlet
* I-2	FT	PORTLAND	281930H	290500H	BT523091	SEC/An Tay Hamlet
I-3	FT	JAILBIRD	281915H	290015H	BT487103	SEC
I-3	FT	BETH	282400H	290600H	BT487103	SEC
M	SQD	MARGIE	282400H	290605H	BT436162	290200H - 290500H
M	SQD	DOVE	281835H	282255H	BT436162	SEC
M	SQD	MARY	281715H	290330H	BT436162	281930H - 290200H
M&S	FT	SEA LION	281900H	290500H	BT524089	SEC

* Joint USMC/Self Defense Corps (SDC) security patrol in hamlet indicated.

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THIRD BATTALION, FIRST MARINES
CHU LAI, VIETNAM
8/10 1st Marine Division
NIGHT PATROLS FOR 26 APRIL 1966

REF: (A) MAP: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, SERIES
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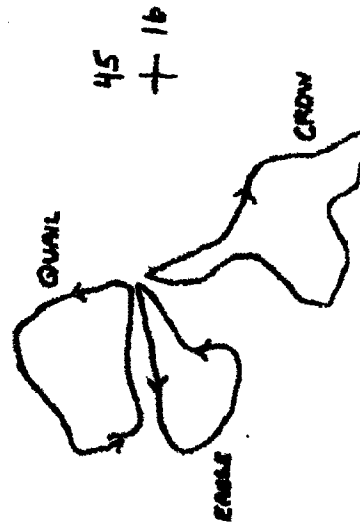
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THIRD BATTALION, FIRST MARINES
CHU LAI, VIETNAM

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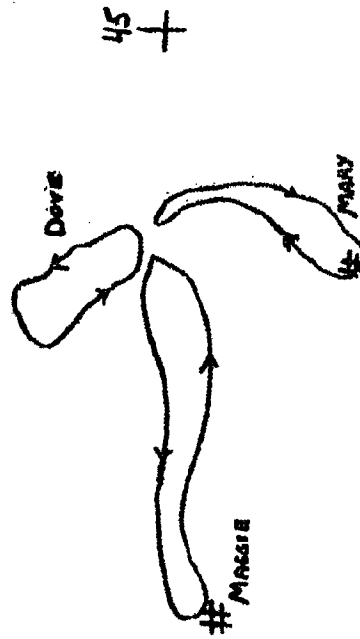
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DAY PATROLS FOR 28 APRIL 1966



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NIGHT PATROLS FOR 28 APRIL 1966



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NOTE: # Indicates ambush site.

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2ND BATTALION, 5TH MARINES SITREP #13 AS OF 270001H APRIL TO 272400H APRIL 1966

1. Narrative

a. At 272000H, an ambush from Co G, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines located at BT 451038 received 2 rds S/A fire. Ambush searched area for VC found numerous spider traps, expended brass (# rds 30 cal) and parts of a VC uniform. Patrol will search and clear and destroy traps at first light.

M. W. HOWARD

By direction

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CONTACT ACTION REPORT

FOR PERIOD

ORGANIZATION _____ 1001Z _____ TO _____ 1000Z _____ DATE _____

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION +		FRD UNIT/ LOSSES	ENM UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT BY	MATERIAL CAPTURED		
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2nd Battalion, 5th Marines

27 April 1966

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1. DAYLIGHT PATROLS

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
Co G	2 SQD	RATTLER	281000	281500	S & D
Co G	SQD	VIPER	280900	281200	SEC
Co B	SQD & IF	PACKRAT	280800	281100	S & D
Co B	SQD & IF	FIELD MOUSE	280800	281130	SEC

2. NIGHT PATROLS & AMBUSHES

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
Co G	SQD	VIPER 1	281800	290600	SEC/AMB
Co G	SQD	VIPER 2	281800	290600	SEC/AMB
Co G	FT (+)	RATTLER 1	282030	290630	SEC/AMB
Co G	FT (+)	RATTLER 2	282030	290630	SEC/AMB
Co G	FT (+)	RATTLER 3	282030	290630	SEC/AMB
Co B	FT & PF	PACKRAT	282000	290600	SEC/AMB
Co B	FT & PF	PACKRAT	282000	290600	SEC/AMB
Co B	FT	SQUIRREL	281800	290600	SEC/AMB

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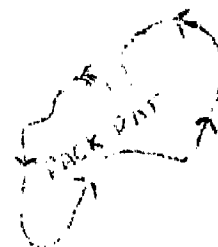
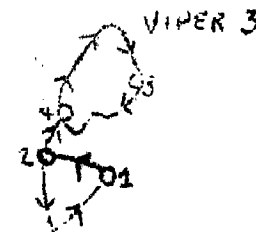
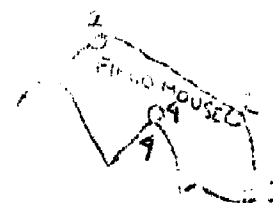
DAYLIGHT PATROLS

2nd Bn. 5th Marines

28 APRIL, 1966

Plot 1st Company SITE REP #96

Co	NAME	TOD	TOR	SIZE
G	RATTLER	1000	1500	2 SQD
G	VIPER	0900	1200	SQD
B	PACKRAT	0800	1100	SQD & FF
B	FIELD MOUSE	0800	1130	SQD



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MAP: VIET NAM 1:50,000
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AMBUSHES

2nd Bn, 5th Marines

28 APRIL 1966

Platoon 1st Marine SIREP-96

Co	NAME	TOD	TOR	SIZES
G	VIPER 1	1500	0400	SD
G	VIPER 2	1800	0600	SD
G	RATTLER 1	2030	0630	FT (+)
G	RATTLER 2	2030	0630	FT (+)
G	RATTLER 3	2030	0630	FT (+)
B	PACKRAT	2000	0600	FT & RF
B	PACKRAT	2000	0600	FT & RF
B	SQUIRRL	1800	0600	FT

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