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

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

Subj: 1ST MARINES SITREP 97 AS OF 28 APRIL 1966

Ref: (a) 1st MarDivO 3480.1

Encl: (1) 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines SITREP as of 28 April 1966
(2) 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines SITREP as of 28 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.

M. W. HOWARD
By direction

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28 April 1966

SITREP FOR PERIOD OF 272400H TO 282200H

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

A. Late Entries. Negative.

B. Contacts. Negative.

C. Miscellaneous. At 281700H, a Vietnamese male, age ten to twelve years old, was brought into the Company M Compound. He had been injured by a VC booby trap, location unknown. A helicopter medical evacuation to D-Med was accomplished.

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 3rd BN 1st REGT Chm 1st TAOR28 April 1966
DATEPERIOD: 21 27 2400H April TO 28 2400H April 1966

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REMARKS:

- * Included waterborne security patrol.
- + Conducted by M/3/1 on Hoa Xuan Island.

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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	LADYBIRD	290905H	291625H	BT477144	SEC
I-2	FT	ROADRUNNER	290725H	291655H	BT523091	SEC
I-3	FT	CROW	290705H	291225H	BT437103	SEC
I-3	FT	STOOL PIGION	291305H	291755H	BT437103	SEC

NIGHT PATROLS FOR 29 APRIL 1966

<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	SARA	291845H	300620H	BT477144	292100H - 300200H
I-1	FT	BETTY	292100H	300300H	BT477144	292130H - 300015H
I-1	FT	HAWK	292030H	300345H	BT477144	SEC
I-2	SQD	THELMA	292045H	300600H	BT520090	292200H - 300500H
I-2	SQD	JENNIE	292050H	300555H	BT420090	292200H - 300500H
* I-2	FT	NEW YORK	291930H	300500H	BT520090	SEC/Sam Hai (An Hai) Hamlet
* I-2	FT	PORTLAND	291930H	300500H	BT520090	SEC/An Tay Hamlet
* I-2	FT	HOLLYWOOD	291930H	300500H	BT520090	SEC/Thanh Long hamlet
I-3	FT	WREN	291855H	300005H	BT437103	SEC
I-3	FT	AME	292345H	300530H	BT437103	SEC
M-S	FT	SEA LION	291900H	300500H	BT524089	SEC

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

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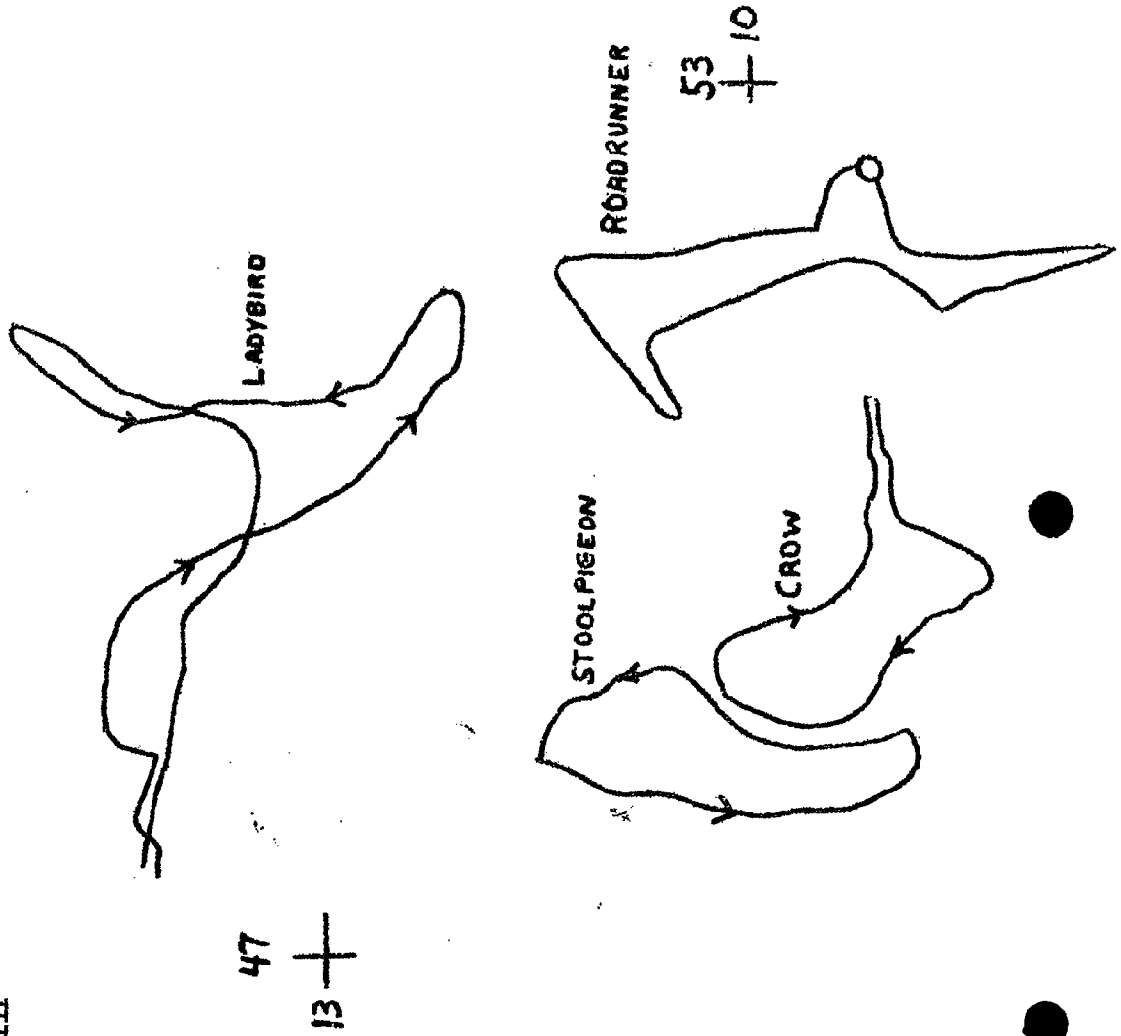
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CHU LAI, VIETNAM

DAY PATROLS FOR 29 APRIL 1966

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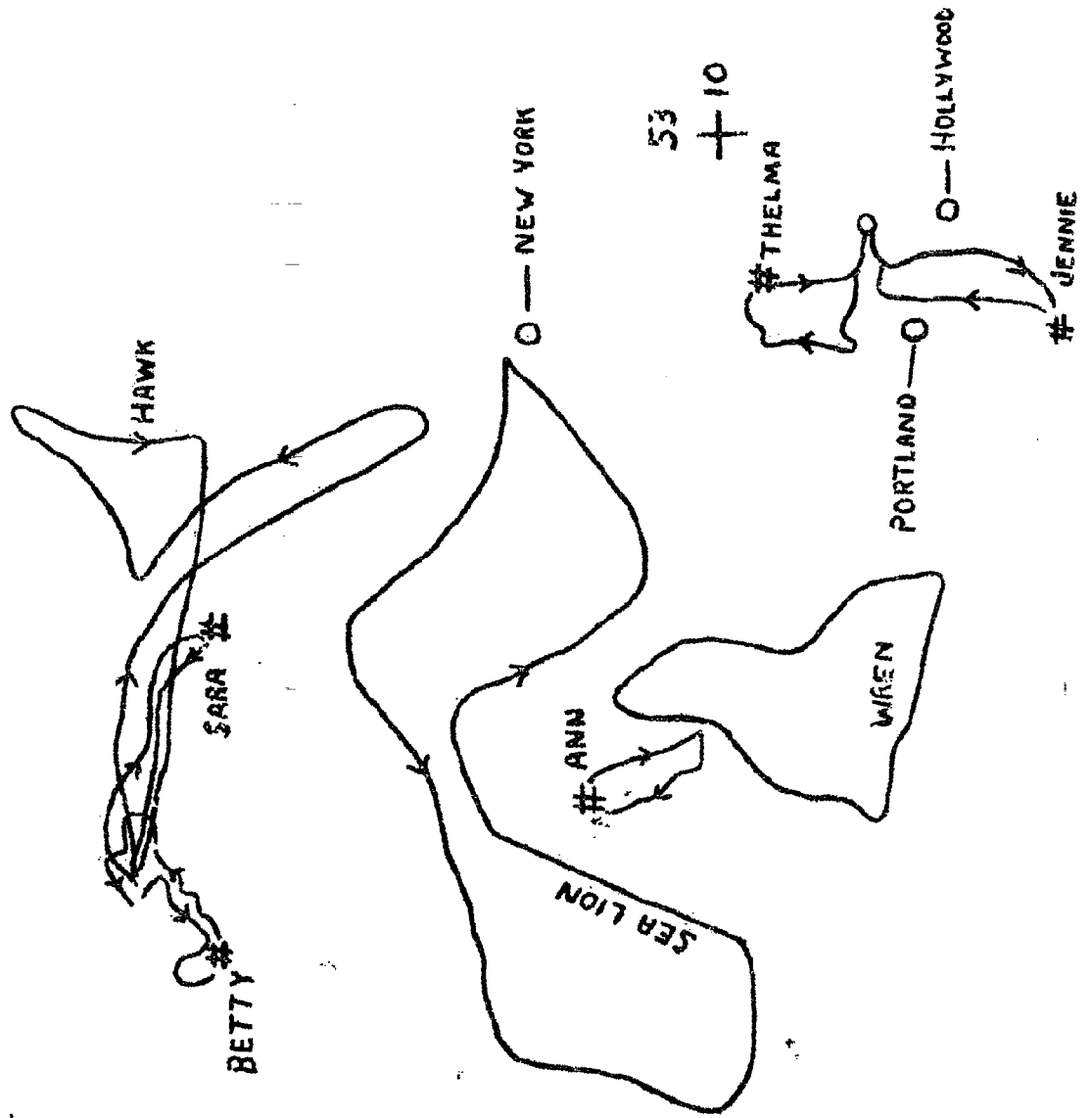
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M	SQD	DOVE	290915H	291140H	BT435162	SEC
M	SQD	HERON	290700H	291330H	BT435162	SEC
M	SQD	WREN	290815H	291245H	BT435162	SEC

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M	SQD	WANDA	292215H	300415H	BT435162	292330H - 300300H
M	SQD	JAILBIRD	291800H	300100H	BT435162	SEC
M	SQD	LARK	291745H	292400H	BT435162	SEC
M	SQD	LORETTA	292115H	300200H	BT435162	292245H - 300100H

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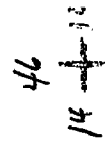
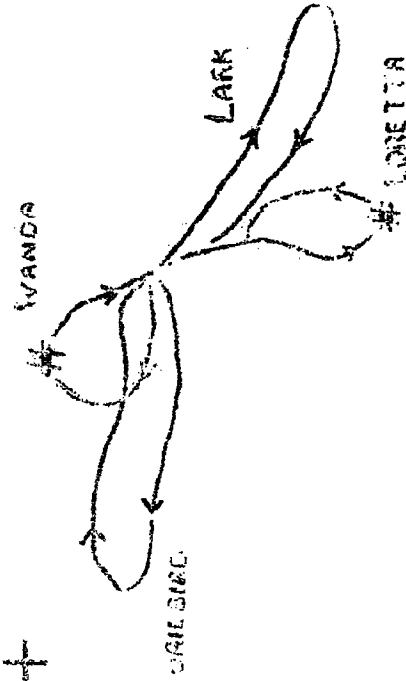
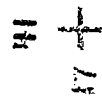
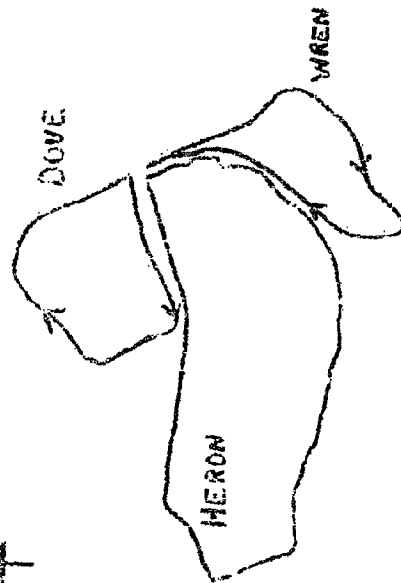
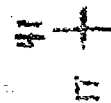
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2ND BATTALION, 5TH MARINES SITREP #14 AS OF 280001H APRIL TO 282400H APRIL 1966

1. Narrative

a. At 282115H Company G at BT 498067 received 3 rounds S/A fire. Returned 3 rounds 81 illum, 20 rounds S/A fire. VC broke contact.

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By direction

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ORGANIZATION: _____ BN _____ REGT _____ TAOR

PERIOD: _____ 01Z _____ TO _____ 00Z _____

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2nd Battalion, 5th Marines

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1. DAYLIGHT PATROLS

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOE</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
Co G	3	RATTLER 3	290900	291400	S & D
Co B	SM &	PACKRAT 1	291300	291600	SEC
Co C	1	PACK 3	290930	291200	SEC

2. NIGHT PATROLS & PATROLS

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOE</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
Co G	PT (+)	VIPER 1	291920	300600	SEC/AMB
Co G	PT (+)	VIPER 2	291920	300600	SEC/AMB
Co G	SCD	RATTLER 1	292000	300700	SEC/AMB
Co G	PT (+)	RATTLER 2	292000	300700	SEC/AMB
Co B	PT & PF	PACKRAT 3	292000	300600	SEC/AMB
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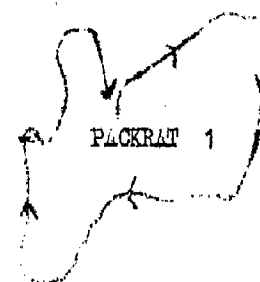
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DAY PATROLS

2DEN, 5TH MARINES

29 APRIL 66

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CO.	NAME	TOI	TOR	SIZE
G 2/5	RATTLER 3	0900	1400	SQD
B 1/7	PACKRAT 1	1300	1600	SQD/PT
G 2/5	VIPER 5	0930	1200	SQD



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LIGHT AMBUSHES

2BN, 5TH MARINES

29 APRIL 1966

How 1st Marine SINKER #97

CO.	NAME	TOD	TOR	SIZE
G	VIPER 1	1920	0600	FT (REIN)
G	VIPER 2	1920	0600	FT (REIN)
G	RATTLER 1	2000	0700	200
G	RATTLER 2	2000	0700	200 (REIN)
P	PACKRAT 3	2000	0600	200
B	PACKRAT 1	2000	0600	200

RATTLER 1



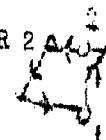
RATTLER 2

PACKRAT 3



PACKRAT 1

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