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O P 311545Z
FM FIRST MARINES
TO CG THIRD MARDIV
INFO ZEN/FIRST BN FIRST MARINES
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SITREP NO. 179

A. THIRD MARDIV O 3100.1B

1. AT 310330H, 1ST BN 1ST MAR COMMAND GROUP AND CO, S B, C, AND D
CHOPPED OPCON FIRST MARINES.

2. SCOUT SNIPER. NEGATIVE

3. BOX SCORES

USMC

KIA 0

WIA 3

MIA 0

VC

KIA 2

WIA 0

VCC 1

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4. NAVAL GUNFIRE. NEGATIVE

5. FIRST BN FIRST MARINES

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A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY

(1) LATE ENTRIES

(A) AT 302045H A SQD PATROL, CO L VIC BT 122638 APPREHENDED
1 MALE VCS WALKING THROUGH WOODS NEAR PATROL ROUTE. VCS TO BE FOR-
WARDED TO BN CP.

(2) CONTACTS

(A) AT 310925H A SQD PATROL CO I VIC BT 078615 APPREHENDED
2 VCS IN VILLAGE VIC BT 078615. MALE VCS WAS ONLY MALE IN VILLAGE,
WOMEN VCS WITHOUT ID CARD TRIED TO MOVE THROUGH BLOCKING FORCE AND
WAS APPREHENDED. ALSO LOCATED IN THE VILLAGE WAS ASSORTED DOCUMENTS
AND BOOBY TRAP ACTIVATOR. VCS WERE FORWARDED TO BN FWD CP.

(B) AT 311250H A SQD PATROL FROM CO I VIC BT 085595 RECE-
ED 8-10 RDS FROM 3 TO 5 VC VIC BT 089599. PATROL RETURNED 150 RDS
S/A FIRE, 100 RDS M-60, 1 3.5" WP, 6 M-79 AND 10 90MM. PURSUED
VC. POINT MAN TRIPPED M-26 BOOBY TRAP RESULTING IN ONE PF KIA AND
2 MARINES WIA. MARINES MED/EVAC AT 311326H. DISTRICT HQ NOTIFIED OF
PF KIA.

(C) AT 311330H A PLT PATROL CO L VIC BT 119635 LOCATED AND
DESTROYED A BOOBY TRAPPED M-26 GRENADE ATTACHED TO A GATE.

(D) AT 311400H THE POINT MAN ON A PATROL FROM CO L IN VIC

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BT 115634 STEPPED ON A CHICOM GRENADE WOUNDING HIMSELF IN BOTH LEGS, GROIN AND BOTH HANDS. WIA MED EVAC AT 311420H

(E) AT 311745H A PATROL FROM CO L FOUND A BOOBY TRAP AT BT 118635. BOOBY TRAP WAS OF SHAPE CHARGE TYPE. TRAP BLOWN IN PLACE.

(F) AT 311950H CO I RECEIVED 6-8 RDS S/A AT CP VIC BT 084591 FROM VC AT BT 087594. RETURNED 3 60MM MORTARS HE RDS AND FIRE CEASED.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS

(A) AT 311230H COMMAND GROUP AND CO,S B,C AND D RETURNED TO TAOR.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT

QUANG NAM

(1) BT 122638; 302045H; SQD; CLR; L-3/9, NONE; UNK, G VCS;

USMC; 0; 0; 0

(2) BT 115634; 311400H; SQD; CLR; L-3/9, 1 WIA; UNK; NONE;

VC; 0; 0; 0

(3) BT 118635; 311745H; SQD; CLR; L-3/9, NONE; UNK, NONE;

VC; 0; 0; 0

(4) BT 084591; 311950H; CO; DEF; I-3/1, NONE; UNK, NONE;

VC; 0; 0; 0

C. COUNTERMINE OPERATION REPORT

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	(1) COL 1	COL 2	COL 3	COL 4A	COL 4B	COL 5	COL 6	COL 7
	DANANG	3	19	2	3	4	0	2
LOCATION:	ON GATE		IN FIEFL		ON PATH		ON PATH	
ENVIRONMENT:	ATTCH TO GATE		ABOVE GROUND		ABOVE GROUND		IN HOLE	
GRID COORD:	BT 119635		089599		115634		118635	
METHOD DETECTED:	VISUAL		DETONATED		DETONATED		VISUAL	
TYPE:	M-26		M-26		CHICOM		SHAPE CHARGE	
SIZE:	N/A		N/A		N/A		2 1/4 LB	
FIRING DEVICE:	PULL		PULL		PULL		PULL	

6. THIRD BN FIRST MARINES

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY

(1) LATE ENTRY. NONE

(2) CONTACTS

(A) AT 311215H, HOA LONG VILLAGE POLICE CHIEF, VIC BT 071701, DELIVERED TWO FEMALE VCS AND ONE MALE VCS TO COMPANY K; ALL WERE ABOUT FOURTEEN YEARS OF AGE. THE VILLAGE CHIEF AND POLICE CHIEF REPORTED THAT THE 3 WERE USED BY THE VC TO REPORT ON MARINE AND OTHER FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES IN THE VIC OF MARBLE MOUNTAIN. VCS FORWARDED TO ITT.

(B) AT 311240H, 1ST PLT CO K PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VCS

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WHO RAN WHEN THE PATROL APPROACHED.

APPROACHED. VCS, MALE, WAS

UNCLASSIFIED 40 YEARS OF AGE; VCS FORWARDED TO ITT.

311715H 2 VCS WERE SEEN IN VILLAGE VIC BT 056713

WATCHING HELOS IN LZ. PATROL FROM M CO APPREHENDED VCS. ONE MAN

ADMITTED HE WAS VC DURING INTERROGATION. BOTH WILL BE FORWARDED TO ITT.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS

(A) AT 311915H PATROL FROM M CO IN VIC OF BT 049676 FOUND

(9) PRC-10 AND (1) PRC-6 BATTERIES IN SACK. BATTERIES WERE RETURNED TO CP.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT

QUANG NAM

(1) BT 056713; 311715H; SQD; CLR; M-3/1, NONE; UNK, 2 VCS;

USMC; 0; 0; 0

C. COUNTERMINE OPERATION REPORT. NEGATIVE

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 1st BN 1st REGT 2nd TAOR

31 July 1966

PERIOD: 310400H 00Z July TO 10600H 00Z August 1966

DATE

TYPE ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY / NIGHT	SQUAD DAY / NIGHT	PLATOON DAY / NIGHT	COMPANY*1 DAY / NIGHT	BATTALION*1
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)	A B				
LISTENING POST (LP)	C 1 D				
AMBUSH (AMB)	E F	G 4 H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	G R	S 3 T	U 6 V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X	Y Z	AA BB	CC
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	2	II JJ	KK

REMARKS:

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1st Bn. First Marines

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PLANS

SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 1st BN 1st REGT 1st TAOR

PERIOD: 01Z AUGUST TO 00Z

DATE

TYPE ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY / NIGHT	SQUAD DAY / NIGHT	PLATOON DAY / NIGHT	COMPANY #1 DAY / NIGHT	BATTALION #1
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)	A B				
LISTENING POST (LP)	C 3 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
CLEARING (CLR)		1 EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK

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COMBAT REPORT

ORGANIZATION: 1st 30 1st 30 DANANG 31 July 1966

PERIOD: 310001 H TO 312400 H

COL 1 FACTOR IDENTIFICATION IF OUT OF ASSIGNED TIME FRAME

COL 2 NUMBER OF SWEEP/CLR TEAMS

COL 3 TOTAL NUMBER PERSONNEL INVOLVED DURING 24 HOUR PERIOD IN SWEEP/CLR

COL 4A NUMBER OF VISUAL SWEEPS

COL 4B NUMBER OF DELIBERATE SWEEPS

COL 5 NUMBER OF ENEMY EMPLACED MINDS FOUND

COL 6 NUMBER DESTROYED/INACTIVATED

COL 7 NUMBER DESTROYED IN PLACE

COL 1	COL 2	COL 3	COL 4A	COL 4B	COL 5	COL 6	COL 7
DANANG	3000	19	2	3	4	0	0

LOCATION: Attached to a gate

ENVIRONMENT: Attached to a gate

GRID COORD BT 119635

METHOD DETECTED: visual

TYPE: M-26

DATE: N/A

FIRING DEVICE: Pull

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PATROL PLANS
010600H - 020600H August 1966

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>SIZE/TYPE</u>
G-1	0500-0700	CO/CLR
I-2-1	0700-1400	SQD/CLR
I-2	0700-1000	PLT/CLR Move to CP
I-1	0700-0800	PLT/CLR Move to new PP13
I-2-2	0730-1330	SQD/CLR PP Sqd 1 USMC FT
I-3	0730-1030	PLT/CLR
A-1-4	0800-1200	SQD/CLR
A-3-3	0800-1200	SQD/CLR
A-4-3	0800-1200	SQD/CLR
I-1-2	1000-1120	SQD/CLR
I-3-1	1100-1300	SQD/CLR
A-1-3	1200-1600	SQD/CLR
A-3-2	1400-1600	SQD/CLR
A-2-2	1400-1900	SQD/CLR Sick Call Ckpt 2.
I-1-1	1400-1600	SQD/CLR
I-3	1700-1800	PLT/CLR Move to CP
I-3	1800-2000	PLT/SEC
I-2	1800-1930	PLT/SEC
A-3-1	1900-2300	SQD/SEC
A-4-1	1900-2300	SQD/SEC
A-1-1	1900-2400	SQD/SEC
A-2-1	2000-0100	SQD/SEC
I-2-3	2000-0600	SQD/SEC
I-A-4	2000-0600	SQD/AMB
I-1-5	2000-0630	SQD/AMB Sqd PP 1 USMC FT
I-3-1	2000-2300	SQD/AMB
I-2-1	2000-2300	SQD/AMB
A-1-2	2300-0400	SQD/AMB
I-3-2	2300-0200	SQD/SEC
I-2-2	2300-0200	SQD/AMB
A-4-2	0100-0500	SQD/AMB
A-3-2	0200-0600	SQD/SEC
A-1-3	0200-0700	SQD/SEC

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: _____ BN _____ REGT _____ TAOR
 PERIOD: _____ 01Z _____ TO _____ 00Z _____

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PLANS [REDACTED] SUMMARY

 ORGANIZATION: BN REGT TAOR

 PERIOD: OIZ TO 00Z 1066

 DATE

TYPE ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY / NIGHT	SQUAD DAY / NIGHT	PLATOON DAY / NIGHT	COMPANY* DAY / NIGHT	BATTALION* DAY / NIGHT
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)	A B				
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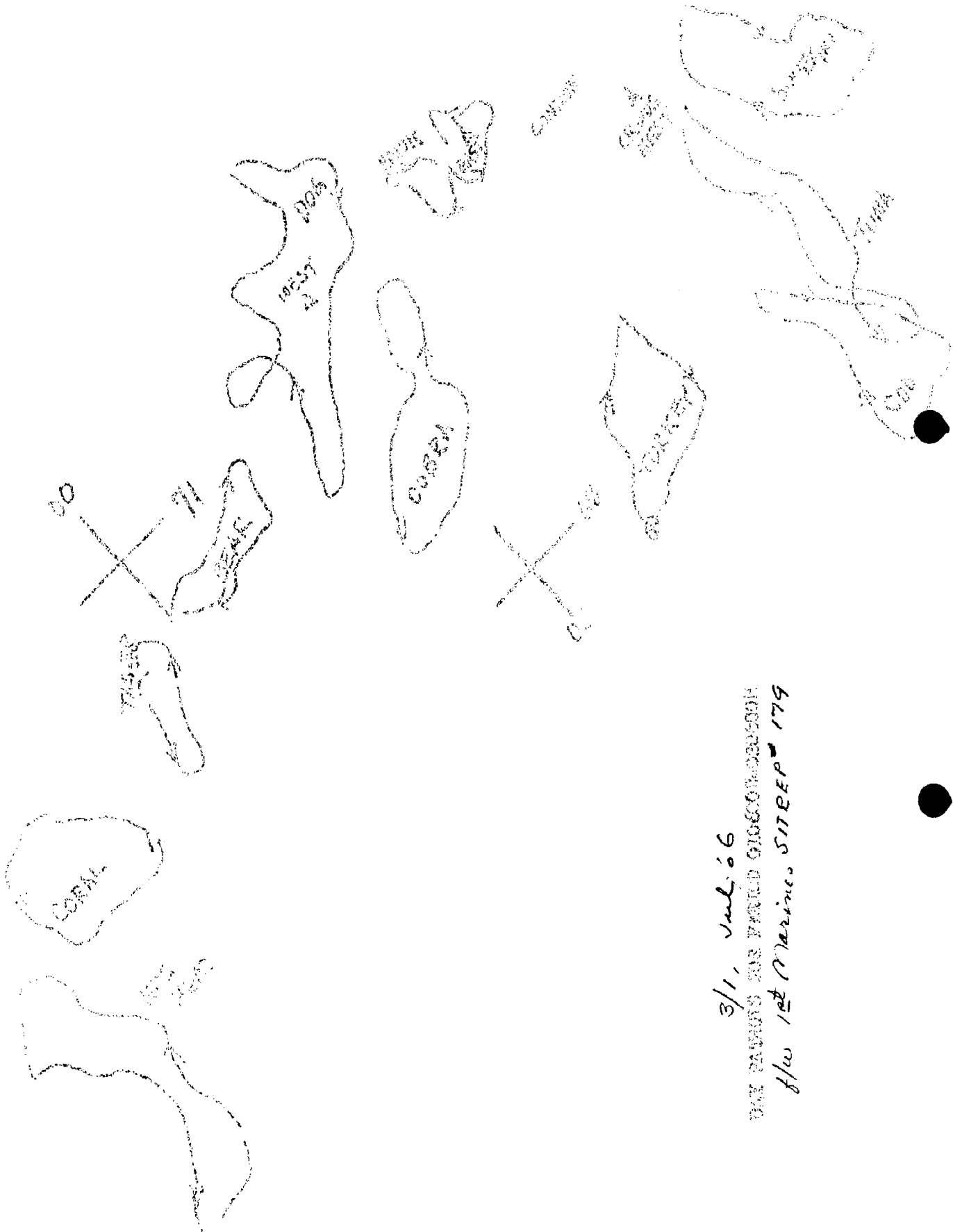
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PATROLS FOR PERIOD 010600H TO 020600H *012865*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>TOB</u>	<u>TOH</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>LAYOVER/AMBUSH</u>
<u>COMPANY K</u>					
BLUGGILL	PATROL	010700H	011200H	SQD	
COD	PATROL	011000H	011400H	SQD (REIN)	
TUNA	PATROL	011330H	011700H	SQD (REIN)	
BASS	AMBUSH	020100H	020400H	SQD	020200H-020300H
SALMON	AMBUSH	012000H	020630H	SQD (REIN)	012130H-020400H
PERCH	AMBUSH	012100H	020500H	FT	012130H-020430H
CRAB	LP	012030H	020430H	FT (-)	
CLAM	LP	012030H	020430H	FT (-)	
LOBSTER	LP	012030H	020430H	FT (-)	
<u>COMP NY L</u>					
CORAL	PATROL	011200H	011600H	SQD	
HOGHEAD	PATROL	010900H	011500H	COMBINED SQD	
BEAR	PATROL	011000H	011630H	SQD (REIN)	
COHRA	PATROL	010900H	011500H	SQD	
TIGER	PATROL	010800H	011200H	COMBINED SQD	
CROCODILE	AMBUSH	012000H	020600H	SQD	012100H-020500H
BAMBOO	AMBUSH	012100H	020500H	FT (REIN)	012130H-020430H
HIDE	AMBUSH	012030H	020600H	COMBINED SQD	
WINDER					
ROAD	PATROL	012000H	020600H	FT	
MASTER					
GOAT	AMBUSH	012030H	020600H	SQD	012030H-020500H
SEAHORSE	PATROL	012000H	020600H	FT	
PYTHON	AMBUSH	012000H	020600H	SQD	012100H-020515H
TIGER	PATROL	012300H	020400H	COMBINED SQD	
FROG	LP	012030H	020530H	FT (-)	
NEWT	LP	012030H	020530H	FT (-)	
TOAD	LP	012030H	020530H	FT (-)	
<u>COMPANY M</u>					
TURKEY	PATROL	010930H	011230H	SQD (REIN)	
HAWK	PATROL	010800H	011600H	SQD	
CONDOR	PATROL	011100H	011700H	SQD (REIN)	
EAST	OP			FT (-)	TWENTY-FOUR HOURS
WEST	OP			FT (-)	TWENTY-FOUR HOURS
ROOSTER	PATROL	011830H	012100H	SQD (REIN)	
FALCON	PATROL	012000H	020630H	SQD (REIN)	
KINGFISH	LP	012300H	020530H	FT	
OWL	LP	012200H	020600H	FT	
<u>COMPANY I</u>					
DOG	PATROL	010800H	011730H	SQD (REIN)	

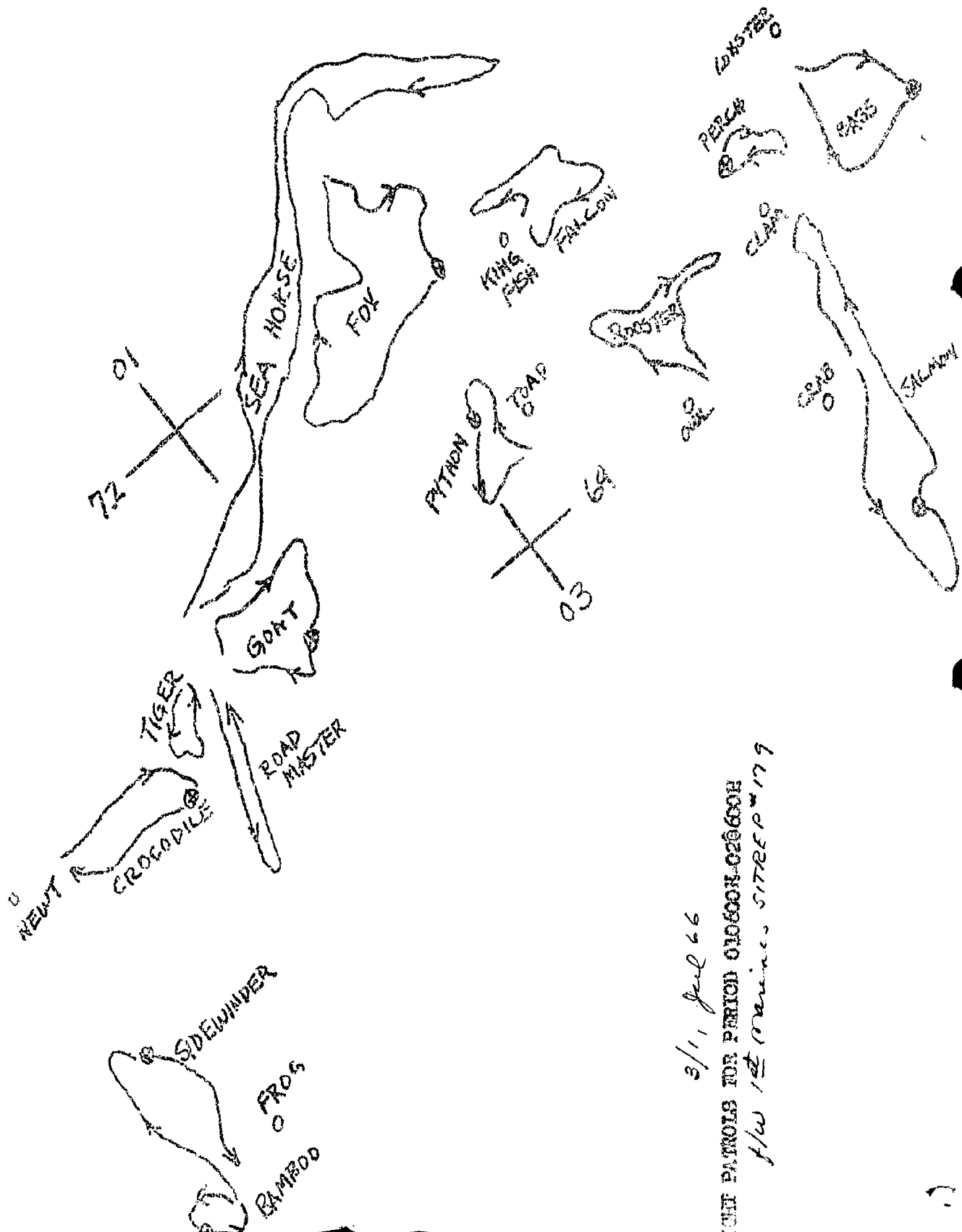
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<u>NAME</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>LAYOVER/ANHUSH</u>
FOX	ANHUSH	012030H	020630H	SQD (REIN)	012145H-020500H
CROWNEST	OP			PT (REIN)	TWENTY-FOUR HOURS



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 THE PATROLS FOR PERIOD 010600H-020600H
 f/w 1st Marine, SITE P 179