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OF 190910Z AUG 68
FM FIRST MARINES
TO CG THIRD MARDIV
INFO ZEN/FIRST BN FIRST MAR
ZEN/SECOND BN FIRST MAR
ZEN/THIRD BN FIRST MAR

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SITREP NO 198

1. SCOUT/SNIPEER

2. BOX SCORES

USMC

KIA 0

WIA 5

MIA 0

VC

KIA 1

WIA 0

VCC 0

VCS 5

3. NAVAL GUNFIRE. NEGATIVE.

4. FIRST BN FIRST MAR

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY

(1) LATE ENTRIES

(2) CONTACTS

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- (A) AT 190820H A SQD PATROL FROM CO C VIC BT 098634 DETONATED TWO BOOBY TRAPPED PUNJI PITS. THE EXPLOSIVE CHARGE WAS BELIEVED TO BE CHICOM GRENADES. TWO WOUNDED, ONE MARINE AND ONE USN WERE MEDEVACED. THE MEDEVAC CHOPPER RECEIVED SOME S/A FIRE ON WAY TO LZ. ARTY MISSION FIRED ON MINEFIELD WITH GOOD TARGET COVERAGE.
- (B) AT 190930H A SQD PATROL FROM CO C VIC BT 098634 ATTEMPTED TO APPREHEND A MALE WHO WAS SURVEYING AREA WHERE MINES HAVE BEEN ENCOUNTERED. THE VC WAS KILLED WHEN HE RAN FROM PATROL. VC KIA HAD NO IDENTIFICATION.
- (C) AT 190945H A SQD PATROL FROM CO D VIC BT 068627 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM VC VIC BT 068623. MARINES RETURNED FIRE AND SEARCHED AREA WITHOUT FURTHER CONTACT. ONE MARINE WOUNDED, NOT MEDEVACED.
- (D) AT 191015H A SQD PATROL FROM CO A VIC BT 178578 LOCATED TWO BOOBY TRAPPED GRENADES. ONE WAS A M-26 GRENADE TIED TO A GATE POST, ACTIVATED BY CORD TIED TO GATE. THE OTHER, A CHICOM GRENADE WITH TRIP WIRE TIED TO A TREE. BOTH MINES DESTROYED IN PLACE.

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- (3) MISCELLANEOUS. AT 191800H 3D PPB CO E VIC BT 096600 FOUND TUNNEL 1 1/2 FT BY 4 FT BY 3FT. FOUND WATER AND RICE IN TUNNEL. TUNNEL BLOWN IN PLACE.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT. NEGATIVE

5. SECOND BN FIRST MARINES

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY

(1) LATE ENTRIES

- (A) AT 182050H PATROL RCVD SNIPER FIRE VIC BT 025579. SHORT TIME LATER RCVD A/W FIRE. CALLED 60MM MORTAR MISSION. CHECKED AREA FOUND NOTHING.
- (B) AT 182241H 1ST PLAT CO H VIC BT 027573 HEARD DIGGING VIC BT 024580. ALSO SAW SQD MOVING ALONG TREE LINE. FIRED S/A AND M79, S. RESULTS UNK.

(2) CONTACTS

- (A) AT 190950H PATROL FROM CO E VIC BT 015625 RCVD S/A FIRE FROM UNK POSITION. CHECKED AREA NEG RESULTS.
- (B) AT 190950H PATROL FROM CO F VIC AT 994626 RCVD S/A FIRE FROM NEARBY HOUSE. CHECKED AREA NEG RESULTS. 1 USMC KIA BY PUNJI STAKES.
- (C) AT 191010H CO F CP VIC AT 999546 RCVD S/A FIRE. RETURNED 50 CAL, 105, S AND S/A FIRE. NEG RESULTS.
- (D) AT 191030H PATROL FROM CO E VIC BT 014624 FOUND

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2 BOOBY TRAPPED SATCHEL CHARGES. BLOWN IN PLACE.

- (E) AT 191050H CO H AMBUSH VIC BT 018582 RCVD S/A FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 2 VC VIC BT 016583. RETURNED S/A AND M-79, S. NEG RESULTS.
- (F) AT 191310H A VEHICLE VIC BT 015627 FROM 2/1 RCVD S/A FIRE. E CO SENT PATROL TO CHECK AREA. FOUND BUNKER WITH TUNNEL ENTRANCE.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS. AT 191440H OTTERS ON RESUPPLY VIC AT 989578 HIT UNK TYPE MINE. 4 WIA, S FROM OTTERS.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT. NEGATIVE

6. THIRD BN FIRST MARINES

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY

- (1) LATE ENTRIES. AT 182215H VIC AT 182215H VIC AT 967665 CO I PATROL ENCOUNTERED 2 VIETNAMESE MALES. RF WITH PATROL INTERROGATED THE VIETNAMESE AND CONF THEM VCS. BOTH WERE APPREHENDED AND FORWARDED TO REGT S-2.

(2) CONTACTS

- (A) AT 190850H VIC BT 035676 CO M PATROL SAW VIETNAMESE MALE RUNNING FROM PATROL ACROSS RICE PADDY VIC BT 035683. FIRED WARING RDS AND M-79. VCS HALTED AND WAS APPREHENDED. STRAY RDS WOUNDED VN GIRL. GIRL MEDEVAC, VCS FWD TO ITT.

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(B) AT 191510H A PATROL FROM CO I VIC AT 999669 APPREHENDED 1 VCS WITHOUT ID CARD. VCS SENT TO BN CP AND FWD TO REGT S-2.

(C) AT 191630H A PATROL FROM CO M VIC BT 037664 SAW 3 FEMALES WHO HAVE BEEN ZLVNNGTRS IN DEMONSTRATION AGAINST MARINES IN PAST. 3 VCS WERE APPREHENDED AND FWD TO BN CP.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS

(A) AT 191510H A MARINE FROM CO I WAS WOUNDED BY ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE WHILE AIDING PF UP RIVER BANK. MARINE WAS MEDEVAC.

(B) PROGRESS OF CLEARING BAMBOO, VIC HOA PHONG VILLAGE; APPROXIMATELY 35 PER CENT CLEARED.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT

QUANG NAM

(1) AT 999669; 191530H; SQD; CLR; CO I; NONE; UNK;

1 UVS; USMC; 0; 0; 0

(2) BT 037664; 191630H; SQD; CLR; CO I; NONE; UNK;

3 VCS (FEMALE); USMC; 0; 0; 0

C. COUNTERMINE OPN REPORT. NEGATIVE

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 1st BN 1st REGT DATE: TAOR
 PERIOD: 190000H 01Z 1966 TO 200000H 00Z 1966

19 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 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	Y Z	AA BB	CC
CLEARING (CLR)		1 EE	1 GG	II JJ	KK

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CONTACT ACTION REPORT

FOR PERIOD

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 ORGANIZATION _____ 01Z _____ TO _____ 00Z _____ DATE _____

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION +		FRD UNIT/ LOSSES	ENM UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT BY	MATERIAL CAPTURED		
		SIZE	TYPE				WEAPONS IW	CSW	OTHER
Quang Nam				Co. C	UNK.				
BT 098634	190820H	SQD	CLR	2 WIA	0	VC	0	0	0
				Co. C	UNK				
BT 098624	190930H	SQD	CLR	0	1 VC KIA	USMC	0	0	0
				Co. D	UNK.				
BT 068637	190945H	SQD	CLR.	1 WIA	0	VC	0	0	0
				Co. A	UNK				
BT 178578	191015H	SQD.	CLR.	0	0	VC	0	0	0

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PLANS [REDACTED] SUMMARY					
ORGANIZATION: <u>1st REGT 1st TAOR</u> <u>10 August 1956</u> DATE					
PERIOD: <u>20 0000Z</u> <u>012</u> <u>TO</u> <u>21 0000Z</u> <u>1956</u>					
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 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	Y Z	AA BB	CC
CLEARING (CLR)		13			
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ORGANIZATION: _____ BN _____ REGT _____ TAOR
 PERIOD: _____ OIZ _____ TO _____ OOZ _____

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SCOUT SNIPER (SS)	A B				
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RECON PATROL (REC)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	Q R	S T	U V		
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CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK

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CONTACT ACTION REPORT

FOR PERIOD

2nd Bn, 1st Marines
ORGANIZATION 190001H 000 AUG TO 192400H 000 AUG 1966 DATE 19 AUG 66

MATERIAL CAPTURED

PROVINCE/
COORDINATESDATE/
TIME

ACTION + SIZE	TYPE
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FRD UNIT/
LOSSES

ENM UNIT/
LOSSES

INIT
BY

WEAPONS
IW

CSW

OTHER

~~CHLANGE~~ ~~TEAM~~

BT 015627

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CONTACT ACTION REPORT

2nd Bn, 1st Marines
 ORGANIZATION 190001K ENK AUG TO 192400H ENK AUG FOR PERIOD 1966 DATE 19 AUG 66

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION +		FRD UNIT/ LOSSES	ENM UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT BY	MATERIAL CAPTURED		
		SIZE	TYPE				WEAPONS IW	CSW	OTHER
CHANG KAM				CO H	UNK				
BT 023576	182050H	SOD	SEC	0	0	VC	0	0	0
				CO H	UNK				
BT 027578	182241H	FT	OP	0	0	USMC	0	0	0
				CO H	UNK				
BT 015625	190950H	SOD	SEC	0	0	VC	0	0	0
				CO F	UNK				
BT 994626	190950H	SOD	CLR	1 WIA	0	VC	0	0	0
				CO F	UNK				
AT 999546	191010H	SOD	CLR	0	0	VC	0	0	0
				CO E	UNK				
BT 014624	191030H	SOD	SEC	0	0	VC	0	0	0
				CO H	UNK				
BT 018582	191050H	SOD	CLR	0	0	VC	0	0	0

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PLANS

SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: _____ BN _____ REGT _____ TAOR

PERIOD: _____ 01Z _____ TO _____ 00Z _____

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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CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK

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COUNTERMINE OPERATION REPORT

ORGANIZATION: 2d BN 1st REGT DA NANG TAOR

19 AUGUST 1966
DATE

PERIOD: 190001 H AUGUST TO 192400 H AUG 1966

- Col 1 TAOR identification if out of assigned TAOR report grid coord
Col 2 Number of sweep/cir teams
Col 3 Total number of personnel involved during 24 hour period in sweep/cir activities
Col 4A Number of visual sweeps
Col 4B Number of deliberate sweeps
Col 5 Number of enemy emplaced mines found
Col 6 Number disarmed/deactivated
Col 7 Number destroyed in place

Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4A	Col 4B	Col 5*	Col 6	Col 7
2/1	1	14	2	0	2	0	2

*FOOTNOTE

Location:

Environment:

Grid Coord: Bt 014624

Method detected: Visual

Type: (2) Satchel Charge

Size:

Firing device: Trip Wire

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: _____ BN _____ REGT _____ TAOR
 PERIOD: _____ 01Z _____ 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 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	Y Z	AA BB	CC
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK

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ORGANIZATION 190007H OIIXANS TO 192400H OIXX ANN 1966 DATE 19 ANN 66

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SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 3rd BN 1st REGT TAOR

19 August 1966

PERIOD: 200000Z 01Z Aug TO 202000H 00Z Aug 1966

DATE

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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 8 D				
AMBUSH (AMB)	E 1 F	G 9 H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	2 G 3 R	12 S 3 T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X	Y Z	AA BB	CC
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK

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200600H 200600H 200600H 200600H

NAME	TYPE	TOO	TOH	SIZE	DATE/TIME/REMARK
<u>COMPANY 1</u>					
WESG	OP	200600H	210600H	SQD	
HORSE	PATROL	200830H	201530H	COMBINED SQD	
PANTHER	PATROL	200845H	201445H	SQD	
COWBOY	PATROL	200915H	201530H	COMBINED SQD	
JAGUAR	PATROL	200930H	201630H	SQD	
KING	PATROL	201000H	201415H	FT	
TIGER	PATROL	201300H	201700H	FT	
TIGER-B	AMBUSH	201945H	210555H	COMBINED FT	202030H-210500H
SWAHORSE	PATROL	202000H	210600H	FT	
B/ADMMASTER	PATROL	202015H	210645H	FT	
PRATIRLOS	PATROL	202015H	210515H	SQD	
TIGER	PATROL	202015H	210600H	COMBINED FT	
BULL DOG	AMBUSH	202030H	210545H	SQD	202130H-210430H
COW BOY	AMBUSH	202100H	210530H	COMBINED SQD	202200H-210430H
BIG HORN	AMBUSH	202115H	210545H	COMBINED SQD	202200H-210500H
KITE	PATROL	202130H	210530H	SQD	
BEAR	AMBUSH	202145H	210615H	SQD	202230H-210530H

COMPANY 2

THOUT	PATROL	200730H	201200H	SQD	
LAGR	PATROL	200900H	201200H	SQD (REIN)	
PACKERIN	PATROL	201400H	201600H	SQD (REIN)	
PIRANHA	AMBUSH	201830H	202200H	SQD (REIN)	201930H-202130H
HACKSAL	AMBUSH	202000H	210130H	SQD (REIN)	202100H-210030H
CRAB	LP	202000H	210300H	FT (-)	
CLAM	LP	202030H	210400H	FT (-)	
LOBSTER	LP	202300H	210600H	FT (-)	
GOD	AMBUSH	210200H	210600H	SQD (REIN)	210145H-210515H

COMPANY 3

EAST	OP	200600H	210600H	SQD	
SPOONBILL	PATROL	200700H	200900H	SQD	
CANARY	PATROL	200800H	201300H	SQD (REIN)	
CROW	PATROL	201200H	201530H	SQD (REIN)	
BLACKBIRD	PATROL	201200H	201630H	SQD (REIN)	
YELLOW BELL					
SAP SUCKER	AMBUSH	201930H	202230H	SQD (REIN)	202030H-202130H
BLUE JAY	AMBUSH	202000H	202400H	SQD (REIN)	202045H-202315H
OWL	LP	202300H	210600H	FT	
PARAKEET	LP	202130H	210500H	FT	
REDWINGED					
BLACKBIRD	PATROL	210200H	210500H	SQD (REIN)	

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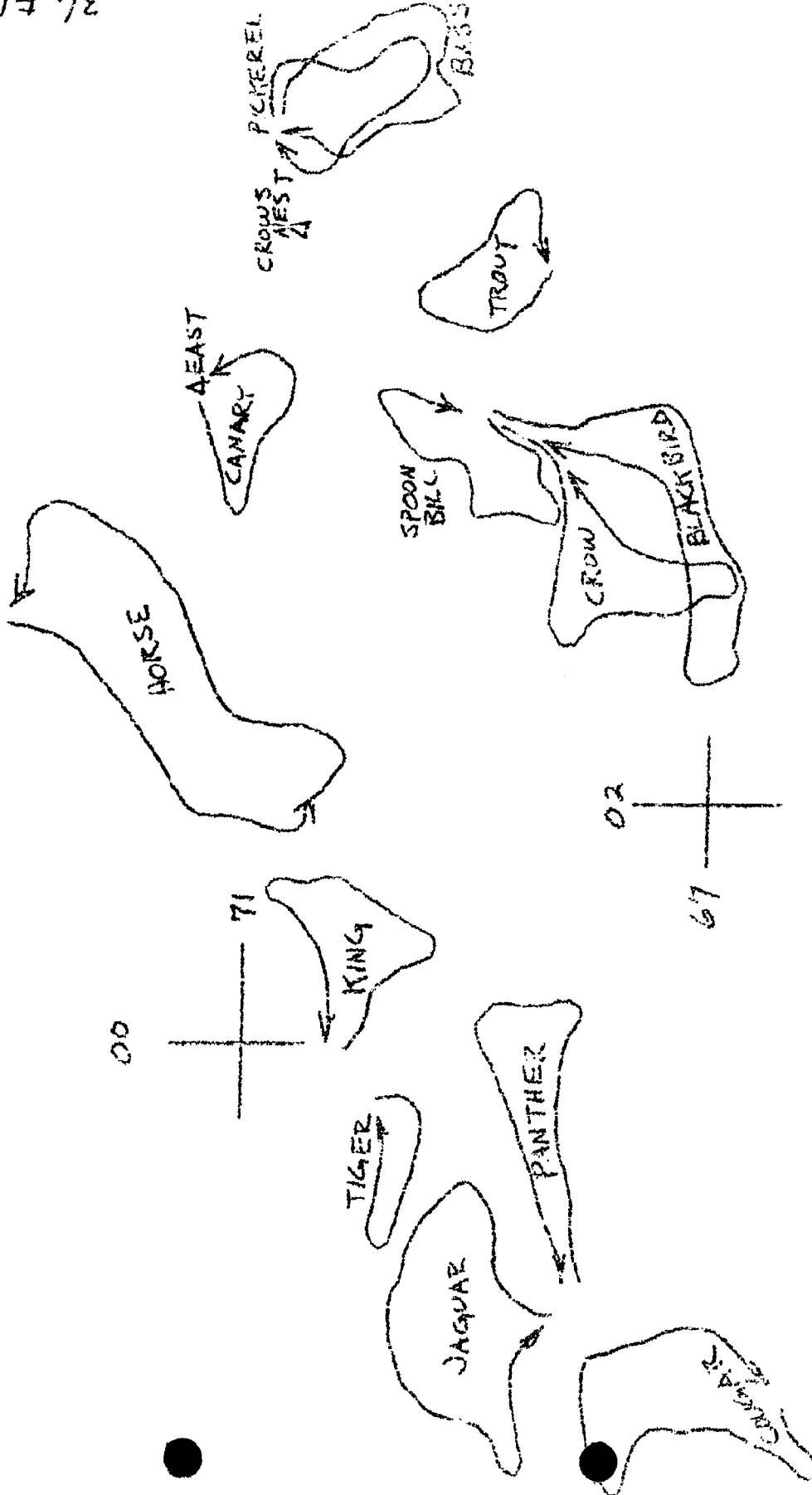
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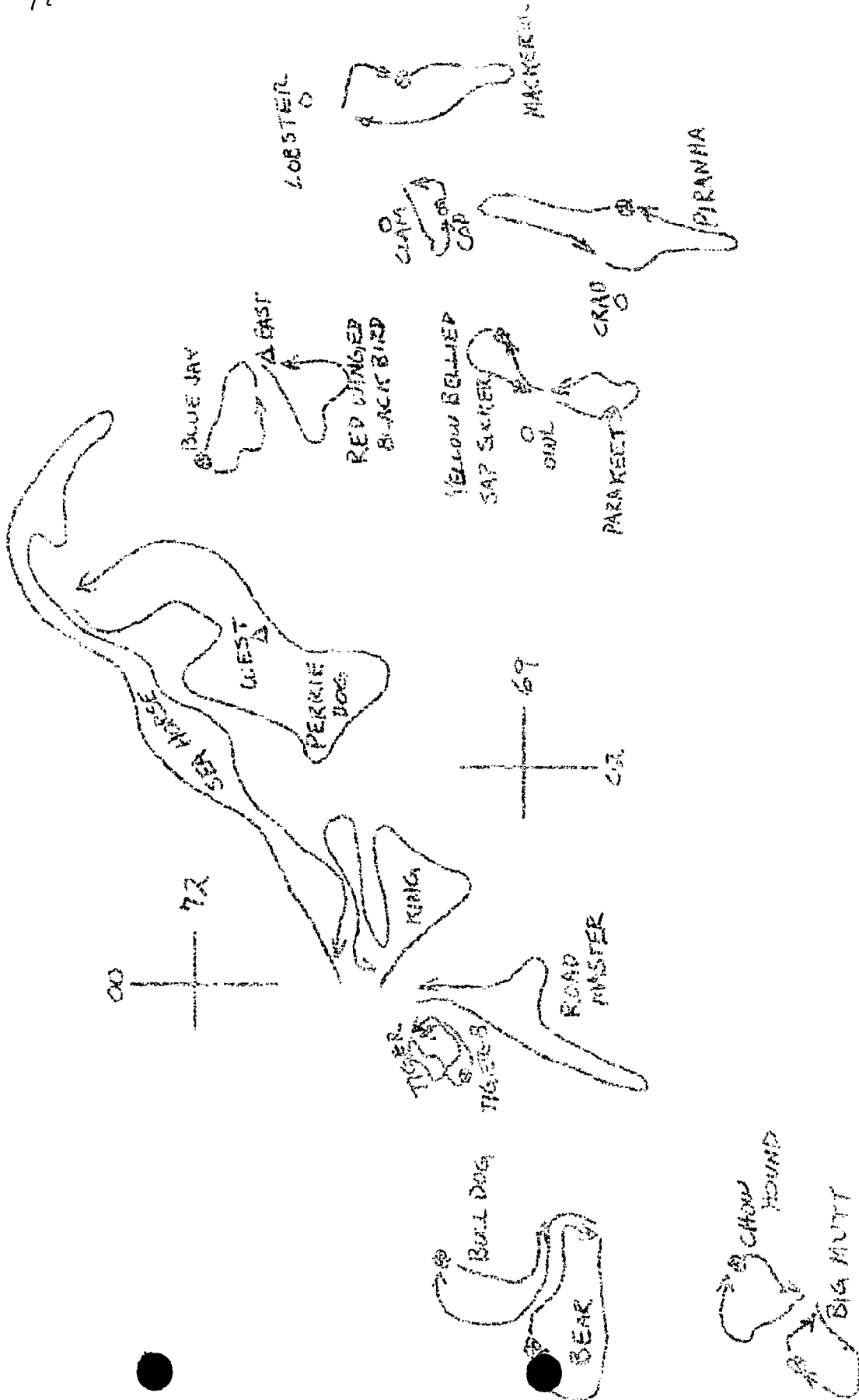
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NIGHT PATROLS FOR PERIOD 005500-210500Z



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