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FM FIRST MARINES
 TO CG FIRST MARDIV (REIN)
 INFO ZEN/FIRST BN FIRST MARINES
 ZEN/SECOND BN FIRST MARINES
 ZEN/THIRD BN FIRST MARINES
 NINTH MARINES
 ELEVENTH MARINES

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 SITREP NO. 391 (PERIOD 270001H TO 272400H FEB 67).

A. FIRST MARDIV 03480.1

1. IAW REF A THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED.

2. MAJOR OPNS

A. NAME: LAFAYETTE: PART I

B. TYPE: SEARCH AND DESTROY

C. AREA: VIC HOI AN TO HORSESHOE AREA

D. UNITS: CO A, ONE PLAT CO B, CO C, CO M, CO K.

E. CONTROLLING HQTRS: FIRST BN FIRST MARINES

F. DATE INITIATED: 260700H FEB 67

G. DATE TERMINATED: CONTINUING

H. ENEMY SITUATION. INFORMATION PROVIDED BY HIEU NHON CADRE TEAM
 INDICATES THAT VC ARE LOCATED WITHIN CORDON AREA.

I. ARTY:

TOTAL MISSIONS FIRED: 9

OBSERVED: 9

UNOBSERVED: 0

H&I 9 (ILLUMINATION)

TOTAL AMMO EXPENDED: 106 RDS

HE: 105MM RDS 78 HC SMOKE: 11

WP: 8

ILL: 9

J. CAS AND NGF:

NGF: NEGATIVE

CAS: 4 FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING

D5	D24	D20	D1A	D9
4	10	1600	16	4

K. CASUALTIES CUMULATIVE: SEE SPCL SITREPS

3. OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS:

A. HQ CO:

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S-3A

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SUMMARY: FT LP,S AND SEC POSTS AROUND REGT CP AND IN DUONG SON (2).

PLANS: FT LP,S AND SEC POSTS AROUND REGT CP AND IN DUONG SON (2).

B. FIRST BN:

SUMMARY: CO A, CO C, ONE PLAT CO B, OPN LAFAYETTE I. CO B (-) CO D PATROLS, AMB AND LP,S WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

PLANS: CO A, CO C, ONE PLAT CO B, OPN LAFAYETTE I. CO B (-) CO D PATROLS, AMB AND LP,S WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

C. SECOND BN:

SUMMARY: CO E, CO G, CO H, H&S CO, PATROLS, AMB, LP,S OP,S AND SEC POSTS WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

PLANS: CO E, CO G, CO H, H&S CO, PATROLS, LP,S OP,S, AMB AND SEC POSTS WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

D. THIRD BN:

SUMMARY: CO I, SEC FOR MORTAR BELT, SEA ANCHOR AND NUI KIM SON BRIDGE. CO K STAGING IN BN CP FOR OPN LAFAYETTE. CO L S&D OPN IN SOUTHERN PORTION TAOR VIC PHONG HO.

CO M OPCON 1/1 271800H.

PLANS: CO I, SEC FOR MORTAR BELT, SEA ANCHOR AND NUI KIM SON BRIDGE. CO K, CO M OPCON 1/1 OPN LAFAYETTE. CO L ESTABLISHING CPB IN MAN QUAN (2) FROM WHICH TO COMMENCE S&D OPN.

E. NUI LAC SON/VIET AN

SUMMARY: CONTINUED TO IMPROVE POSTION, PATROLS, AMB AND LP,S WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

PLANS: CONTINUE IMPROVEMENT OF POSTION, PATROLS, AMB AND LP,S WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

	SCOUT/SNIPE PLAT:	NO TMS	NO EMPL	RESULTS
4. SCOUT/SNIPE PLAT:				
A. FIRST BN:	3	3		ATTACHED TO BN SCOUTS FOR EMPLOYMENT ON OPN LAFAYETTE
B. SECOND BN:	2	2		ACCOMPANIED CO G ON PATROL
C. THIRD BN:	6	2		2 W/CO I, 2 W/CO K, 2 W/CO M
D. NUI LAC SON:	2	2		NEG
E. REMAINDER OF PLAT CONDUCTS TRNG IN REGT CP.				
5. KIT CARSON	NO INDIVI	NO EMPL		RESULTS
A. FIRST BN:	3	3		1 W/CO A, 1 W/CO C ON OPN LAFAYETTE I, 1 W/CO D ON PATROL (TRAINEE)
B. SECOND BN:	1	0		NOT EMPLOYED TODAY, DUE TO ORIENTATION WITH CO G.
C. THIRD BN:	1	0		NOT EMPLOYED, BN CP FOR ADMIN TIME.

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- D. NUI LAC SON 1
 6. NAVAL GUNFIRE. NEGATIVE.
 7. WEATHER EFFECTS: NO CHANGE.
 8. BOX SCORES

NEW KCS IS UNDERGOING TRNG.

USMC	VC
KIA 0	KIA (CONF) 1
WIA 2	KIA 0 (PSOB)
MIA 0	POW 0000
	DTNE 2
	CIVIL DEFENDENTS 0

FIRST BN FIRST MARINES**A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY.**

(1) LATE ENTRIES. NONE.

(2) CONTACTS.

(A) AT 270830H, CO D SQD CMBT PATROL, VIC BT 013574, APPREHENDED 2 VN FEMALES IN ZONE RESTRICTED TO CIVILIAN PERSONNEL BY DIEN BAN DIST. DETAINEES FWD TO BN CP FOR INTERROGATION.

(B) AT 270900H, CO D SQD CMBT PATROL, VIC BT 014561, (1) MARINE STEPPED ON PUNJI STAKE. WIA TREATED BY CORPSMAN AND PATROL
CONTINUED.

(C) AT 270915H, CO D SQD CMBT PATROL, VIC BT 015575, RCVD 15 RDS S/A FIRE FROM EST 4 VC, VIC BT 012578. UNIT RETD 75 RDS S/A AND 81MM MORTAR MISSION. SEARCHED AREA FOUND (1) VC KIA (CONF).

(3) MISCELLANEOUS. NONE.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT. HAS BEEN SUBMITTED.**SECOND BN FIRST MARINES****A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY.**

(1) LATE ENTRIES. NONE.

(2) CONTACTS.

(A) AT 270945H, CO E SQD CMBT PATROL, VIC BT 032612, RCVD 50 DS S/A FIRE FROM UNK NUMBER OF VC, VIC BT 027606, RESULTING IN (1) USMC WIA. UNIT RETD 150 RDS S/A AND (4) M-79 RDS. MEDEVAC CALLED WITH FIXED WING ESCORT. FIXED WING MADE STRAFFING RUNS WITH NAPLAM AND 20MM CANNONS. MEDEVAC COMPLETED AT 271027H. UNABLE TO REESTABLISHED CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS. NONE.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT. HAS BEEN SUBMITTED.**THIRD BN FIRST MARINES****A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY**

(1) LATE ENTRIES. NONE.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L FINAL SECTION OF TWO
(2) CONTACTS. NONE.
(3) MISCELLANEOUS. NONE.
B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT. NEGATIVE. .
NUI LAC SON/VIET AN
A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY.
(1) LATE ENTRIES. NONE.
(2) CONTACTS. NONE.
(3) MISCELLANEOUS. NONE.
B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT. NEGATIVE.
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TOD; 1810Z/27FEB67/CCN; 258/GWP/RCV

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BATTALION SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS SUMMARY

FORM GA 25/608 (REV 1-67)

DATE PREPARED 27 FEB 1967 INITIALS fms

ORGANIZATION 1st Bn, 1st Marines BN RGT TACTICAL AREA DA NANG

PERIOD 270600H 01H FEB TO 280600H 00H FEB 1967

TYPE ACTION

FIRE TEAM
DAY NITESQUAD
DAY NITEPLATOON
DAY NITECOMPANY #2
DAY NITE

SCOUT SNIPER (SS) #1

A	B

LISTENING POST (LP)/
OBSERVATION POST (OP)

	6
C	D

E	F

AMBUSH (AMB)

	11
G	H

	1
I	J

K	L

PATROLS

RECON (REC)

M	N

O	P

Q	R

SECURITY (SEC)

	11
S	T

U	V

W	X

COMBAT (CMB)

Y	Z

3	
AA	BB

2	
CC	DD

OPERATIONS

SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)

EE	FF

CLEARING (CLR)

GG	HH

REMARKS:

Companies 1, C and 1 platoon from Company B participating in Operation LAPAVETTE.

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PATROLS AND AMBUSHES

~~280600 - 010600~~~~27 FEB 1967~~

(DATE)

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
R-CR-1	280900	281600	Sqd	Combat
R-CR-2	281000	281400	Sqd	Combat
D-CR-1	280800	281300	Sqd	Combat
D-CR-2	281400	281800	Sqd	Combat
D5-CR-1	280900	281000	Sqd	Combat
D4-CR-1	280900	281300	Sqd	Combat
R-CR-1	281800	282400	Sqd	Sec
R-A-1	281800	282400	Sqd	Sec
R-CR-2	010300	010400	Sqd	Sec
R-A-2	010400	010800	Sqd	Sec
R-LP-1	282200	010300	FT	LP
R-LP-2	282200	010300	FT	LP
D-CR-1	281900	010030	FT	Sec
D-A-1	281900	010030	FT	Sec
D-CR-2	281900	010030	FT	Sec
D-A-2	281900	010030	FT	Sec
D-CR-1	010300	010700	FT	Sec
D-A-1	010300	010700	FT	Sec
D-LP-1	010030	010700	FT	LP
D-LP-2	282200	010200	FT	LP
D5-CR-1	282100	010100	Sqd	Sec
D5-A-1	282100	010100	Sqd	Sec
D5-LP-1	010100	010400	FT	LP
D5-CR-1	281900	282200	Sqd	Sec
D5-A-1	281900	282200	Sqd	Sec
D5-LP-1	282340	010130	FT	LP
D5-LP-2	010112	010400	FT	LP
D5-LP-1	010100	010130	FT	LP

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BATTALION SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS SUMMARY

FORM OA 25/008 (REV 1-67)

DATE PREPARED 27 Feb 1967 INITIALS hln

ORGANIZATION 2nd BN 1st RGT TACTICAL AREA BAWANG

PERIOD 270001H OIH Feb TO 272400H OOH Feb 1967

TYPE ACTION

FIRE TEAM
DAY NITE

SQUAD
DAY NITE

PLATOON
DAY NITE

COMPANY #2
DAY NITE

SCOUT SNIPER (SS) #1

A	B

LISTENING POST (LP)/
OBSERVATION POST (OP)

11	13
C	D

E	F

AMBUSH (AMB)

G	H

2	9
I	J

K	L

PATROLS

RECON (REC)

M	N

O	P

Q	R

SECURITY (SEC)

	1
S	T

	13
U	V

W	X

COMBAT (CMB)

Y	Z

	12
AA	BB

CC	DD

OPERATIONS

SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)

EE	FF

CLEARING (CLR)

GG	HH

REMARKS: 4 Sqd/Sec Post; 1 Ft/Sec Post
9 Sqd/Sec Post; 1 Ft/Sec Post
2 ONTOS conduct Sec Patrol with FT.

ENCLOSURE (1)
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CONTACT ACTION REPORT

FOR PERIOD

27 Feb 1967

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2/1
ORGANIZATION- 270000H OIH Feb TO 271200H OIH Feb 1967

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ACTION
NO

PROVINCE/
COORDINATESDATE/
TIME

ACTION +	
SIZE	TYPE

FRD UNIT/
LOSSES

ENM UNIT/
LOSSES

INIT
BY

WEAPONS, MATERIAL CAPTD. & BRIEF
DESCRIPTION OF V.C. INIT CONT

QUANG NAM

270945H

Sqd

GP

B2

Unknown

VC

Patrol received S/A fire
causing 1 U.S. KIA. Returned
fire and called air strike.

BT 027606

I WIA

Unknown

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+ USE TYPE ACTION ABBREVIATIONS SHOWN ON BOX SCORE FORM.

USE REMARKS SECTION FOR ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION OF CAPTURED MATERIAL IF NECESSARY. ENCLOSURE (2)

REMARKS:

ENCLOSURE (2)
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Sec. VTS

N/Sec Post/1	Sqd	280600-281800
D-4/CP/1	3-FT	280600-281800
E1/CP/2	3-Sqd	281900-281800
E2/CP/1	3-Sqd	280600-281900

N/Sec Post/2	Sqd	280600-010600
D-4/LP/1	3-FT	280600-010600
E1/A/1	3-Sqd	281800-010600
E2/CP/3	3-Sqd	281900-282000
E2/CP/4	3-Sqd	010600-010600

Sec. VQ

G/CP/1	Sqd	280630-281200
A-T/CP/1	2 ONTOS	281000-281700
G3A/A/1	Sqd/Amb	280530-280800
G3B/A/2	Sqd/Amb	280530-280800
G3/CP/1	3-Sqd	280800-282000

G3A/A/3	Sqd/SP	282030-282100
	Amb	282100-282200
	SP	282200-282230
G3/CP/1	3-Sqd	282230-282330

Sec. VI

N/Sec Post/1-3	3-Sqd	280600-281800
N/Sec Post/4	FT	280600-281800
N/CP/1	3-FT	280600-281800
N1A/CP/1	Sqd	280900-281100
N1B/CP/2	Sqd	280900-281100

N/Sec Post/5-7	3-Sqd	281800-010600
N/Sec Post/8	FT	281800-010600
N/LP/1	3-FT	281800-010600
N1A/A/4	Sqd/SP	010630-010900

	Amb	010630-010630
	SP	010630-010700
N2A/A/2	Sqd/SP	282000-282030
	Amb	282030-282330
	SP	282330-282400

N2B/A/3	Sqd/SP	282400-010630
	Amb	010630-010530
	SP	010530-010600

N3A/A/1	Sqd/SP	281930-282000
	Amb	282000-010600
	SP	010600-010630

N3B/A/2	Sqd/SP	281930-282000
	Amb	282000-010600
	SP	010600-010630

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Artical 32/SP/1	FT	281900-010530
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NR-2 Coa

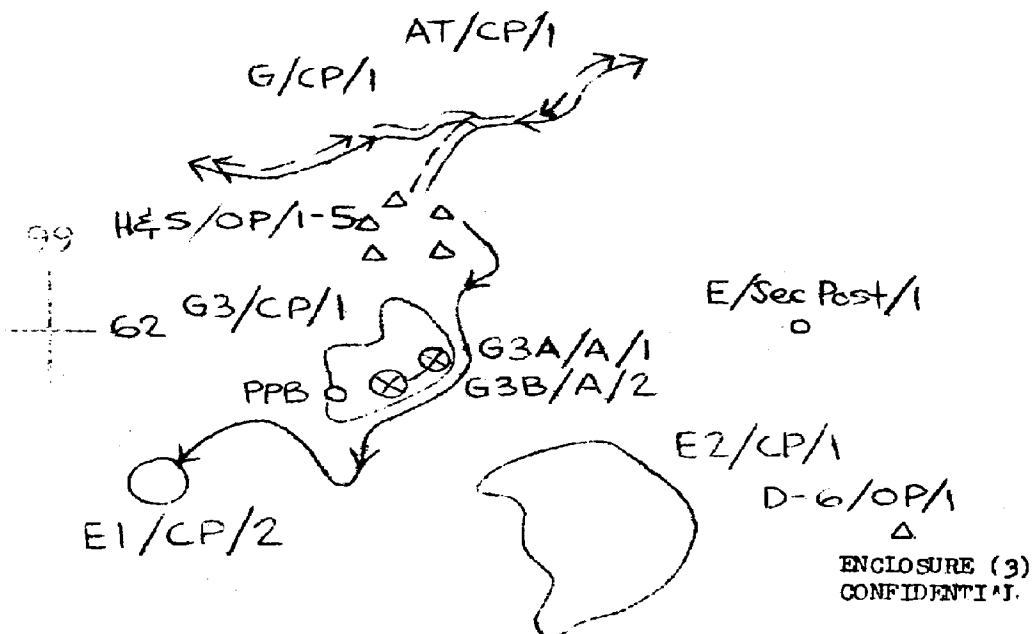
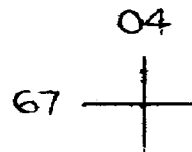
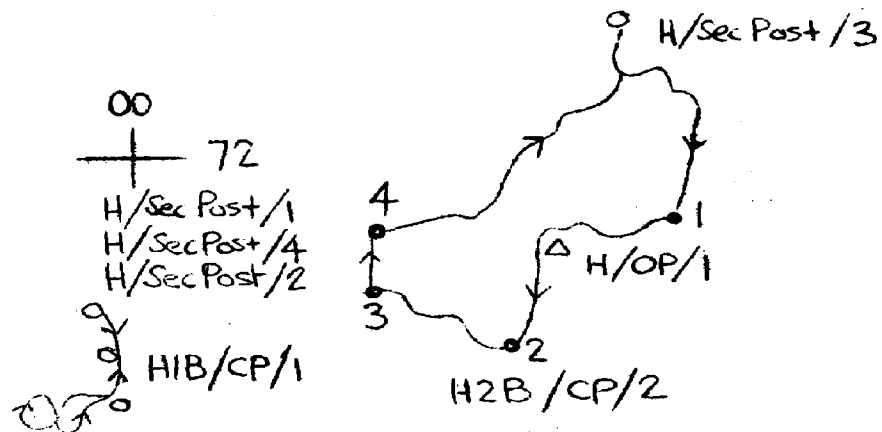
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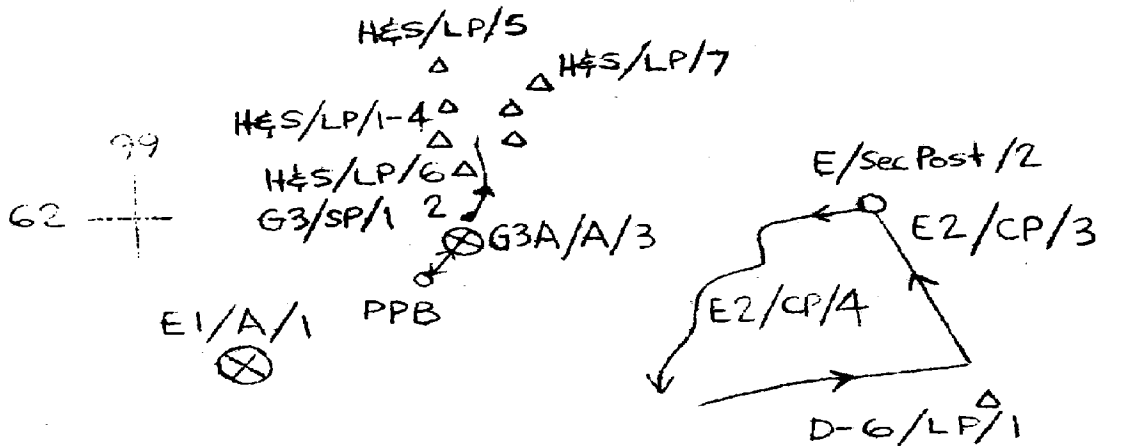
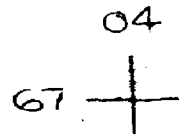
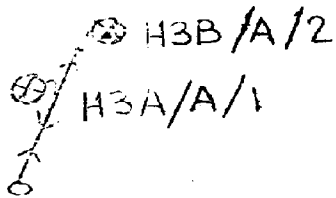
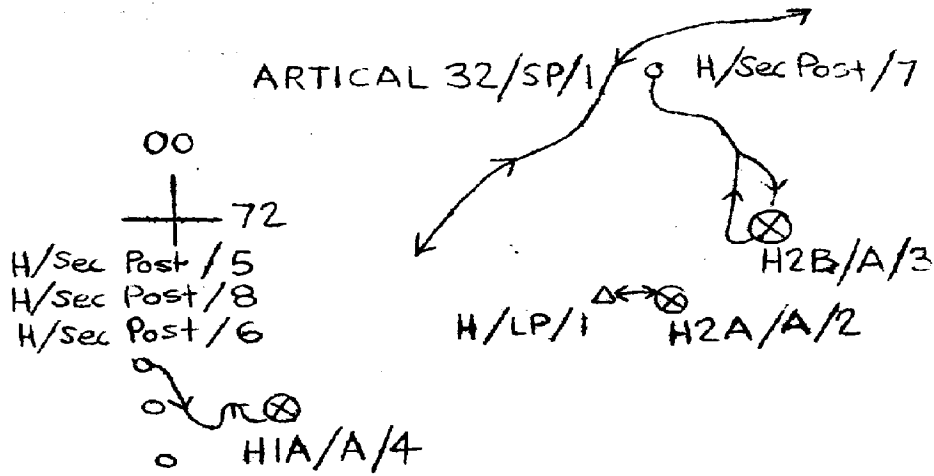
Activity Overlay for period 280600H to 281800H
February 1967

DAY TIME ACTIVITIES



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Activity Overlay for period 281800H to 010600H
February 1967 NIGHT TIME ACTIVITIES



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BATTALION SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS SUMMARY

FORM QA 25/008 (REV 1-67)

ORGANIZATION

PERIOD

2700 OIH

Feb

3d

BN

1st

REGT

2724

TO

OOH

TACTICAL AREA

Feb 1967

DATE PREPARED

Dennis

27 Feb 67

INITIALS

BOG

TYPE ACTIONFIRE TEAM
DAY NITESQUAD
DAY NITEPLATOON
DAY NITECOMPANY #2
DAY NITE

SCOUT SNIPER (SS) #1

A	B

LISTENING POST (LP)/
OBSERVATION POST (OP)

	22
C	D

4	4
E	F

AMBUSH (AMB)

G	H

	8
I	J

K	L

PATROLS

RECON (REC)

M	N

O	P

Q	R

SECURITY (SEC)

	44
S	T

19	18
U	V

W	X

COMBAT (CMB)

Y	Z

AA	BB

CC	DD

OPERATIONS

SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)

EE	FF

CLEARING (CLR)

GG	HH

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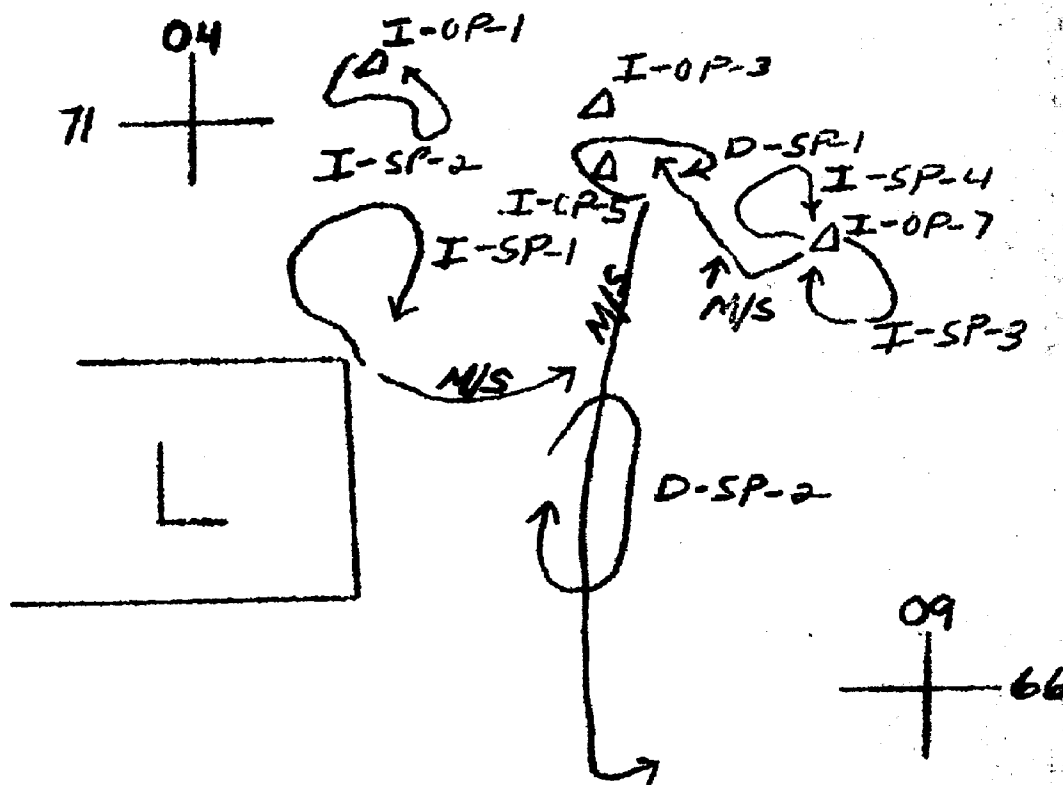
PATROL FROM HILL 10 280600H EX RELAY TO 010600H MARCH

DATE	TIME	TIME	SIZE	MISSION	LAT/LONG	REMARKS
RELAY 1						
1-1-1	280600H	281800H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-2	280600H	281800H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-3	280600H	281800H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-4	280600H	281800H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-5	280600H	281800H	S-D	SP		w/radio
1-1-6	280930H	281230H	S-D	SP		w/radio
1-1-7	281100H	281300H	S-D	SP		w/radio
1-1-8	281600H	281900H	S-D	SP		w/radio
RELAY 2						
1-1-9	281800H	010600H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-10	281800H	010600H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-11	281800H	010600H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-12	281800H	010600H	S-D	OP		w/radio
1-1-13	281800H	282130H	S-D	SP		w/radio
1-1-14	281900H	010600H	FT	LT's		w/10 FT SP
1-1-15	281900H	282200H	S-D	SP		w/radio
1-1-16	280930H	010930H	S-D	AMB	079693	w/2 S-D SP
1-1-17	010930H	010930H	S-D	AMB	050697	w/2 S-D SP
1-1-18	010930H	010930H	S-D	AMB	045713	w/2 S-D SP
RELAY 3						
1-1-19	281900H	010600H	FT	LT's		w/6 S-D SP
RELAY 4						
1-1-20	281400H	281530H	S-D	SP		w/radio
1-1-21	281600H	281800H	S-D	SP		w/radio
RELAY 5						
1-1-22	281900H	010600H	FT	LT's		w/10 FT SP
1-1-23	282100H	282300H	S-D	SP		w/2 S-D
1-1-24	010100H	010200H	S-D	SP		w/radio
RELAY 6						
1-1-25	280700H	280930H	S-D (R)	SP		D-1 to HILL 10
1-1-26	280930H	281000H	S-D (R)	SP		D-1 to HILL 10
1-1-27	280700H	280730H	S-D (R)	SP		D-1 to HILL 10
1-1-28	280730H	280730H	S-D (R)	SP		D-1 to HILL 10
1-1-29	280700H	280830H	S-D (R)	SP		D-1 to HILL 10
1-1-30	280830H	280900H	S-D (R)	SP		D-1 to HILL 10

Company 1 will be conducting S/D in those grid squares.

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DAY PATROLS FOR PERIOD 280600H TO 0100600H

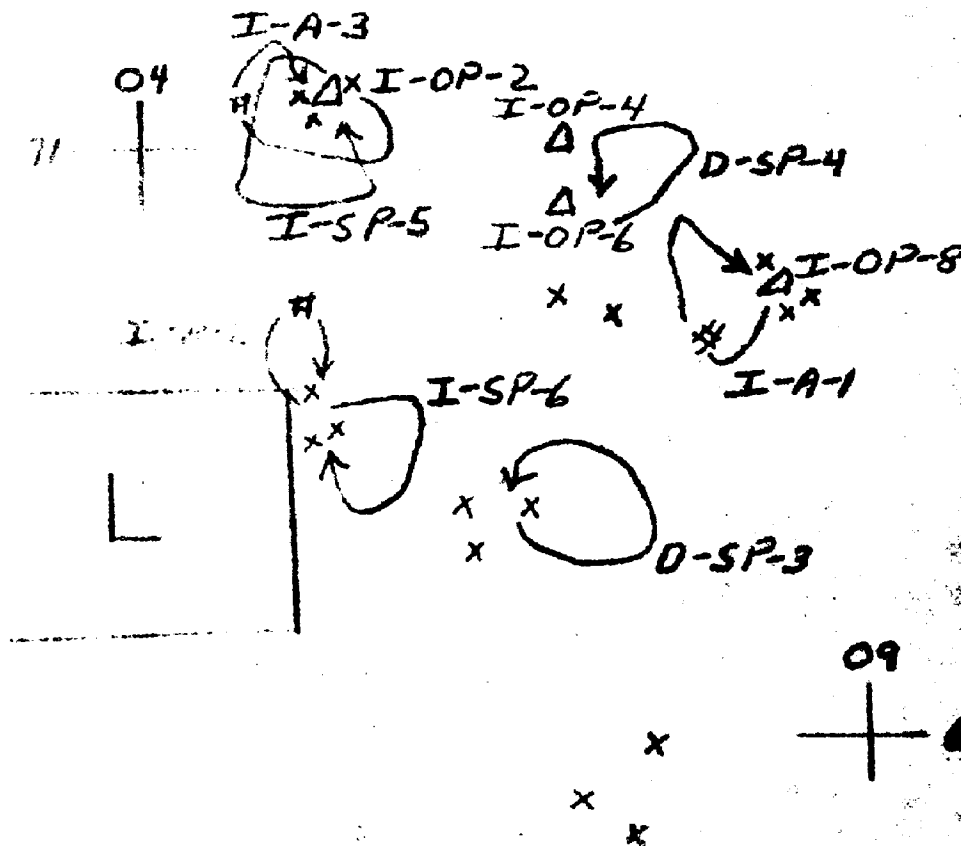


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PERIOD 280600H TO 010600H

X indicates Lr's



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BATTALION OPERATIONS SUMMARY

FORM OA 25/008

ORGANIZATION: Fox Co 1st BN RGT/ACSON TACTICAL AREA27 FEB 67PERIOD: 06 01H 27 FEB TO 06 00H 28 FEB 67

DATE PREPARED

INITIALS

TYPE ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY / NIGHT	SQUAD DAY / NIGHT	PLATOON DAY / NIGHT	COMPANY #1 DAY / NIGHT	BATTALION #1 OPNS/DAYS #2
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	3 S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X (COMBAT PATROL)	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)		2 EE FF	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

REMARKS:

#1 All Company and Battalion size operations will be reported and will be classified as either S/D or CLR as is most appropriate.

#2 Report the number of Battalion size operations terminated during report period and the days of operation.

FORM OA 25/007

PLANS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: Fox BN 1st REGT ACSON TACTICAL AREA

27 FEB 67

PERIOD: 06 01H 28 FEB TO 06 00H 01 MAR 67

DATE PREPARED

INITIALS

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 (COMBAT PATROL)	 Y Z	 AA BB	 CC
CLEARING (CLR)		/ EE FE	2 GG HH	 II JJ	 KK

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Fox Company
 280601 - 010601
FIB SQD COMBAT PATROL W/P.F.'S

TOD 280700
 CBT PTL 280700 - 281200
 TOR 281200

Company Operation w/P.F.'S

F3

TOD 282300
 TOA BLOCKING POS 010600

F1(-)

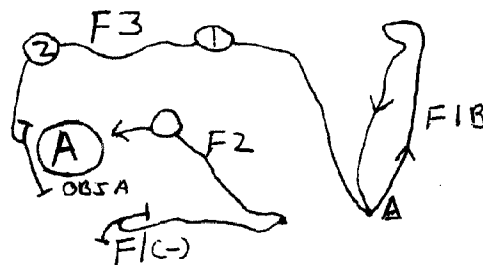
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