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FM FIRST MARINES
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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. 393 (PERIOD 010001H TO 012400H MAR 67).

A. DIVO 3480.1

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 PLT CO B, CO C, CO M AND CO K
- E. CONTROLLING HQTRS: FIRST BN FIRST MARINES
- F. DATE INITIATED: 260700H FEB 67

G. DATE TERMINATED: CONTINUING.

H. ENEMY SITUATION ESTIMATE: LOCAL GUERRILLAS AND POSSIBLE
ELEMENTS OF THE Q-15TECO IN SQD TO PLT SIZE UNITS LOC WITHIN AREA
OF OPN.

I. ARTY:

- 1. TOTAL MSNS FIRED: 3
- OBSERVED 3
- UNOBSERVED 0
- H&I 0

- 2. TOTAL AMMO EXPENDED 49
- 105MM ILLUM TIME 49

J. CAS AND NAVAL GUNFIRE. NEGATIVE.

K. CASUALTIES (CUMULATIVE): SEE SPCL SITREPS

L. OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS.

A. HQCO

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, 1 PLT CO B OPN LAFAYETTE. CO B (-), CO

D PTLs, AMB AND LP,S WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

PLANS: CO A, 2 PLT CO B, 1 PLT CO C, 1 PLT CO D, ON ORDER WILL

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COMMENCE PART II OPN LAFAYETTE, CO C (-), CO D (-), & PLT CO B
PTLS, AMB AND LP,S WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

C. SECOND BN:

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

PLANS: CO E, CO G BLK PSN AT 020700H FOR OPN LAFAYETTE II. CO H,
H&S CO PTLS, 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, CO M OPCON 1/1 FOR OPN LAFAYETTE I CHOPPED TO
3/1 011800H MAR 67. CO L S&D OPN IN WESTERN PORTION TAOR IN
MAN QUAN (2).

PLANS: CO I SEC FOR MORTAR BELT, SEA ANCHOR AND NUI KIM SON
BRIDGE. CO K, CO L, CO M OPN LAFAYETTE II.

E. NUI LAC SON/VIET AN

SUMMARY: CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT OF PSN, PTLS, AMB AND LP,S WITH
EMPHASIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

PLANS: CONTINUE IMPROVEMENT OF PSN, PTLS, AMB, AND LP,S WITH
EMPH
SIS ON SMALL UNIT NIGHT OPNS.

	NO TMS	NO EMPL	RESULTS
1. SCOUT/SNIPLER			
A. FIRST BN:	3	3	ATTACHED TO BN SCOUTS OPN LAFAYETTE.
B. SECOND BN:	2	2	1 WITH CO E, 1 WITH CO G OPN LFAYETTE.
C. THIRD BN:	4	4	1 WITH CO I ON PTL AS TRAIL GUIDE. 1 WITH CO K, 1 WITH CO M OPN LAFAYETTE. 1 WITH CO L ON SEARCH FOR MIA.
D. NUI LAC SON	1	1	NEG
E. REMAINDER OF PLAT IN REGT			CP CONDUCTING TRNG.
5. KIT CARSON	NO INDIV	NO EMPL	RESULTS
A. FIRST BN:	3	3	1 WITH CO A, 1 WITH CO C, OPN LFAYETTE 1 TRNEE WITH CO D.
B. SECOND BN:	2	2	1 WITH CO G OPN LAFAYETTE. 1 ACCOMPANIED CO H ON PTL AS TRAIL GUIDE.
C. THIRD BN:	1	1	BEING EMPLOYED BY BLADE. SCREENING POTENTIAL KCS.
D. NUI LAC SON	1	0	NEW KCS UNDERGOING TRNG.
6. NAVAL GUNFIRE. NEGATIVE.			
7. WEATHER EFFECTS. NO CHANGE.			
8. BOX SCORES			

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USMC VC
 KIA 0 KIA CONF 6
 MIA 0 KIA PROB 0
 MIA 0 DTNE 7
 POW 0

FIRST BN FIRST MARINES

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY.

(1) LATE ENTRIES. NONE.

(2) CONTACTS.

(A) AT 010020H CO D SQD SEC PTL VIC 118602 APP 1 VN MALE APPROX 25 WITH FALSE ID CARD. DTNE FWD TO BN CP FOR INTERROGATION.

(B) AT 010145H CO D SQD SEC PTL VIC 119609 PICKED UP 3 MALES, NO ID CARDS, APPROX AGES 30-35 WEARING BLACK UNIFORMS UNDER CLOTHES. FWD 3 DTNE, S TO BN CP.

(C) AT 010200H CO D SQD SEC PTL VIC 117602 OBS 1 VC RUN FROM HOUSE, OPENED FIRE WITH 10 RDS S/A, KILLING 1 VC. VC HAD 1 CARTRIDGE BELT, DOCUMENTS, 1 CHICOM GREN, 2 M-26 GREN, 1 M-14 POUCH, 1 PONCHO, FWD GEAR TO BN CP.

(D) AT 010415H CO D SQD AMB VIC 113603 OBS 1 VC MOVING TOWARDS LINES WITH 1 GREN. OPENED FIRE WITH 25 RDS S/A KILLING 1 VC, APPROX AGE 25, NO ID CARD. FOUND 1 CHICOM

GREN WITH ASSORTED DOCUMENTS, 1 BOOK WITH VC EMBLEM ON COVER FWD GEAR TO BN CP.

(E) AT 011405H CO D SQD CMBT PTL VIC 017564 RCVD 2 RDS S/A FIRE FM AN EST 2 VC VIC 017560. RETURNED 25 RDS S/A AND 4 M-79 RDS. SEARCHED AREA, FOUND 1 VC KIA (CONF).

(F) AT 011830H 3/1 CAD D-1 SQD CMBT PTL VIC 058667 RCVD 1 DUD GREN FM 3 VC IN CAVE UNDER HOUSE. KIT CARSON SCOUT ENTERED CAVE TO PERSUADE VC TO SURRENDER W/O SUCCESS. THREW 1 CS GREN IN CAVE. VC FAILED TO COME OUT. CAVE WAS BLOWN WITH C-4 AND DUG UP. FOUND 3 VC KIA, 1 US M-1 RIFLE, 6 CHICOM GREN, 3 M-26 GREN, DOCUMENTS, UNIFORMS AND 50 RDS S/A AMMO. APP 1 VN MALE WHO LIVES IN HOUSE. WPN, EQUIPMENT AND DTNE FWD TO BN CP.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS.

(A) AT 011100H FIRST BN CAC D-5 SQD CMBT PTL VIC 100597 FOUND 2 CAVES WELL CAMOUFLAGED AND REINF WITH BAMBDOO AND STEEL STAKES. CAVES WERE SEARCHED AND DESTROYED. FOUND 1 CHICOM GREN.

E. CONTACT ACTION REPORT.

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- (1) BT 058607; 011830H; SQD; CMBT; CAC D-1; NONE; UNK; 3K1; CONF;
VC; 4 U.S. M-1 RIFLE; 6 CHICOM GREN; 3 M-26 GREN,
DOCUMENTS, UNIFORMS, 50 RDS S/A AMMO.

SECOND BN FIRST MARINES

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY.

- (1) LATE ENTRIES. NONE.
(2) CONTACTS. NONE.
(3) MISCELLANEOUS. NONE.

B. CONTACT ACTION RPT. NEGATIVE.

THIRD BN FIRST MARINES

A. NARRATIVE SUMMARY.

- (1) LATE ENTRY. AT 281630H TKS WITH CO I VIC 085658 TK HIT A
20 LB BLACK POWDER MINE. CRATER WAS EST AT 3 FT WIDE BY 3 FT DEEP.
TKS, S ROAD WHEEL AND ARM ASSEMBLY ON RIGHT SIDE DAMAGED, TRACK ON
RIGHT SIDE DAMAGED, TK WAS TOWED BACK TO BN CP FOR REPAIR. NO
USMC CASUALTIES.

(2) CONTACTS.

- (A) AT 010045H CO I PLAT CP VIC 071711 RCVD 2 GREN
SHORTLY THEREAFTER RCVD 3 S/A RDS. RETURNED 20 RDS S/A, DISPATCHED PTL TC

TO INVESTIGATE.

- (B) AT 011330H CO L SQD CMBT PTL VIC 040679 APP 1 VN FEMALE AT-
TEMPTING TO EVADE PTL. DTNE SEARCHED, FOUND DOCUMENTS.
DTNE AND DOCUMENTS FWD TO BN CP.

- (C) AT 011615H CO I SQD CMBT PTL VIC 053698 APP 1 VN MALE WITH
2 ID CARDS. DTNE FWD TO BN CP FOR INTERROGATION.

(3) MISCELLANEOUS, NONE.

B. CONTACT ACTION REPORT.

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- (1) BT 040679; 011330H; SQD CMBT; CO L; NONE; UNK; 1 DTNE;
USMC; DOCUMENTS.

- M (2) BT 053698; 011615H; SQD; CMBT; CO I; NONE; UNK; 1 UNK; 1 DTNE;
USMC; 0

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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SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS SUMMARY

DA 25/008 (REV 1-67)

DATE PREPARED 01 Mar 67 INITIALS fms

ORGANIZATION 1st Bn. 1st Marines BN RGT

TACTICAL AREA DA NANG

PERIOD 010600H 01H March TO 020600H 00H March 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)

	8
C	D

E	F

AMBUSH (AMB)

	4
G	H

	4
I	J

K	L

PATROLS

RECON (REC)

M	N

O	P

Q	R

SECURITY (SEC)

	4
S	T

	4
U	V

W	X

COMBAT (CMB)

Y	Z

7	
AA	BB

CC	DD

OPERATIONS

SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)

EE	FF

CLEARING (CLR)

GG	HH

REMARKS:

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

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CONTACT ACTION REPORT

FOR PERIOD

1/1
 ORGANIZATION 010001 OIH MAR TO 012400 OOH MAR 67

01 Mar 67

DATE PREPARED

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ACTION NO	PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION + SIZE TYPE	FRD UNIT/ LOSSES	ENM UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT BY	WEAPONS, MATERIAL CAPTD. & BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF V.C. INIT CONT
	MIANG NAM			CO D	UNE		
BT 118602		010020H	200 500	NONE	1 DTKA	U 1	0
				CO D	UNE		
BT 119609		010145H	100 0	NONE	3 DTKA	U 1	000
				CO D	UNE		1 CHICOF GREN, 1 M-14 pouch
BT 117602		010300H	100 800	NONE	1 DTKA DOME	U 1	2 M-25gren
				CO D	UNE		0 M-25gren
BT 117603		010415H	300 400	NONE	1 DTKA DOME	U 1	1 CHICOF GREN, 1 M-14
				CO D	UNE		DOCUMENTS, 1 NOTEBOOK
BT 017560		011405H	800 01200	NONE	1 DTKA DOME	U 1	0

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PATROLS AND AMBUSHES

020600 - 0306001 March 1967

(DATE)

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>TOP</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
B-CP-1	020800	021200	Sqd	Combat
B-CP-2	020900	021300	Sqd	Combat
B-CP-3	021330	021730	Sqd	Combat
B-CP-1	020600	021100	Sqd	Combat
B-CP-2	021300	021700	Sqd	Combat
B5-CP-1	021000	021300	Sqd	Combat
B4-CP-1	020800	021200	Sqd	Combat
B4-CP-1	021950	022400	Sqd	See
B4-A-1	021950	022400	Sqd	Amb
B4-LP-1	022200	030140	PT	LP
B4-LP-2	030300	030500	PT	LP
B5-CP-1	022200	030200	Sqd	See
B5-A-1	022200	030200	Sqd	Amb
B5-LP-1	021930	022300	PT	LP
B-A-1	022100	030100	PT	See
B-A-1	022100	030100	PT	Amb
B-A-2	022100	030100	PT	See
B-A-2	022100	030100	PT	Amb
B-A-3	030200	030700	PT	See
B-A-3	030200	030700	PT	Amb
B-A-4	030200	030700	PT	See
B-A-4	030200	030700	PT	Amb
B-LP-2	022000	022400	PT	LP
B-LP-3	030300	030630	PT	LP
B-CP-1	022000	030030	Sqd	See
B-A-1	022000	030030	Sqd	Amb
B-CP-2	022200	030300	Sqd	See
B-A-2	022200	030300	Sqd	Amb
B-LP-1	022100	030200	PT	LP
B-LP-2	022100	030200	PT	LP
B&S-LP-1	022400	030330	PT	LP

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BATTALION SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS SUMMARY

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DATE PREPARED 01 March 1967INITIALS hln

ORGANIZATION

2nd BN 1st RGT

TACTICAL AREA

DAMANGPERIOD 010001H

OIH

March

TO

012400H

OOH

March 1967TYPE ACTION

FIRE TEAM

DAY NITE

SQUAD

DAY NITE

PLATOON

DAY NITE

COMPANY #2

DAY NITE

SCOUT SNIPER (SS) #1

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A B

LISTENING POST (LP)/
OBSERVATION POST (OP)

11	13
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C D

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E F

AMBUSH (AMB)

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G H

	9
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I J

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K L

PATROLS

RECON (REC)

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M N

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O P

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Q R

SECURITY (SEC)

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S T

	4
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W X

COMBAT (CMB)

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Y Z

9	
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AA BB

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CC DD

OPERATIONS

SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)

2	2
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EE FF

CLEARING (CLR)

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GG HH

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REMARKS: 4 Sqd/Sec Post; 1 FT/Sec Post
 9 Sqd/Sec Post; 1 FT/Sec Post
 2 ONTOS & FT conduct Sec patrol.

ENCLOSURE (1)
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Co "E"

E/Sec Post/1	Sqd	020600-021800
E/Block/1	Co.	020600-021800
D-6/OP/1	3-FT	020600-021800
E/Sec Post/2	Sqd	021800-030600
E/Block/2	Co.	021800-030600
D-6/IP/1	3-FT	021800-030600

Co "H"

H/Sec Post/1-3	3-Sqd	020600-021800
H/Sec Post/4	FT	020600-021800
H/OP/1	3-FT	020600-021800
H1B/OP/1	Sqd	021400-021700
H/Sec Post/5-7	3-Sqd	021800-030600
H/Sec Post/8	FT	021800-030600
H/IP/1	3-FT	021800-030600
H1A/A/1	Sqd/SP	021900-021930
	Amb	021930-030500
	SP	030500-030530
H1B/A/4	Sqd/SP	022000-022030
	Amb	022030-022330
	SP	022330-022400
H2A/A/2	Sqd/SP	021930-022000
	Amb	022000-030600
	SP	030600-030630
H2B/A/3	Sqd/SP	021930-022000
	Amb	022000-030600
	SP	030600-030630
H3A/A/5	Sqd/SP	022230-022300
	Amb	022300-030130
	SP	030130-030200
ARTICAL 32/SP/1	FT	021930-030530

H&S Co.

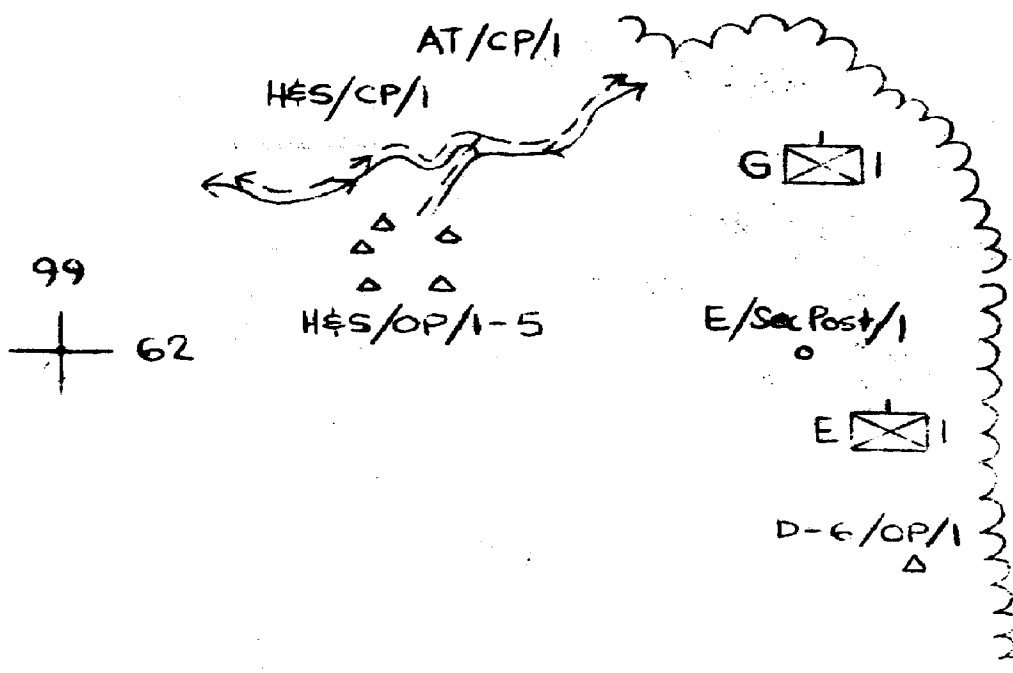
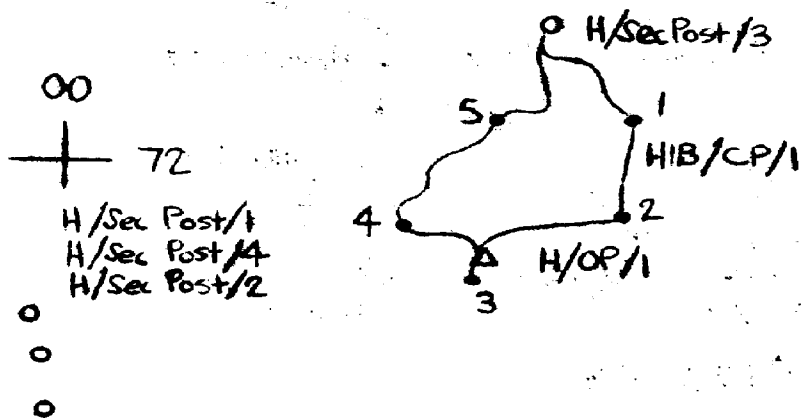
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H&S/Sec Post/1	5-Sqd	021800-030600
H&S/IP/5	FT	022130-030430
H&S/IP/6	FT	022200-030500
H&S/IP/7	FT	022200-030500

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H&S/A/1	Sqd/SP	022000-022030
	Amb	022030-030530
	SP	030530-030600
H&S/A/2	Sqd/SP	022000-022030
	Amb	022030-030530
	SP	030530-030600
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Q/Block/1	Co.	020600-021800
Q/Block/2	Co.	021800-030600

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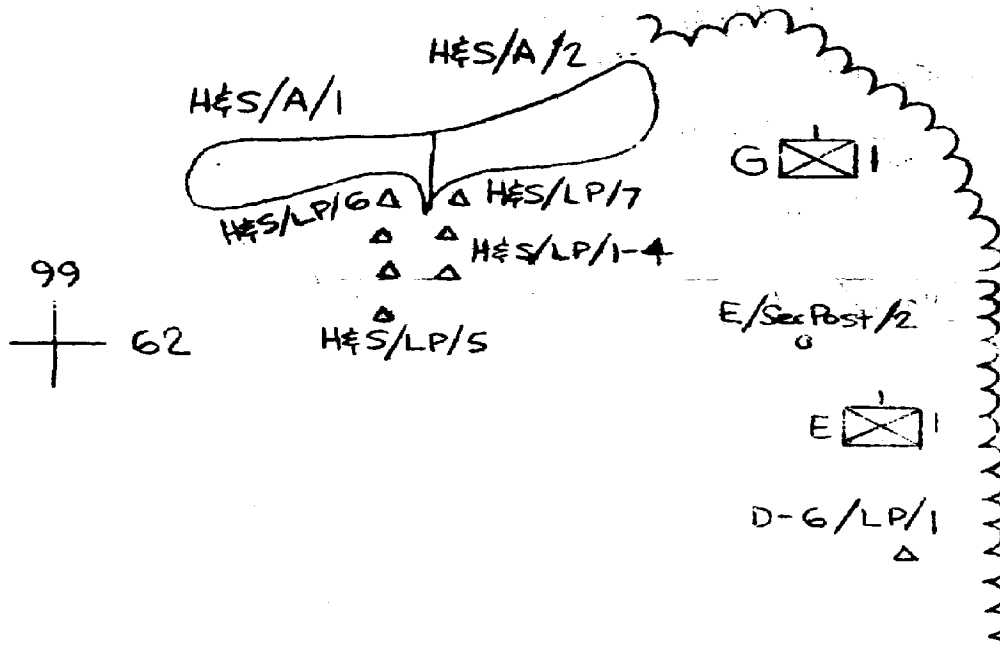
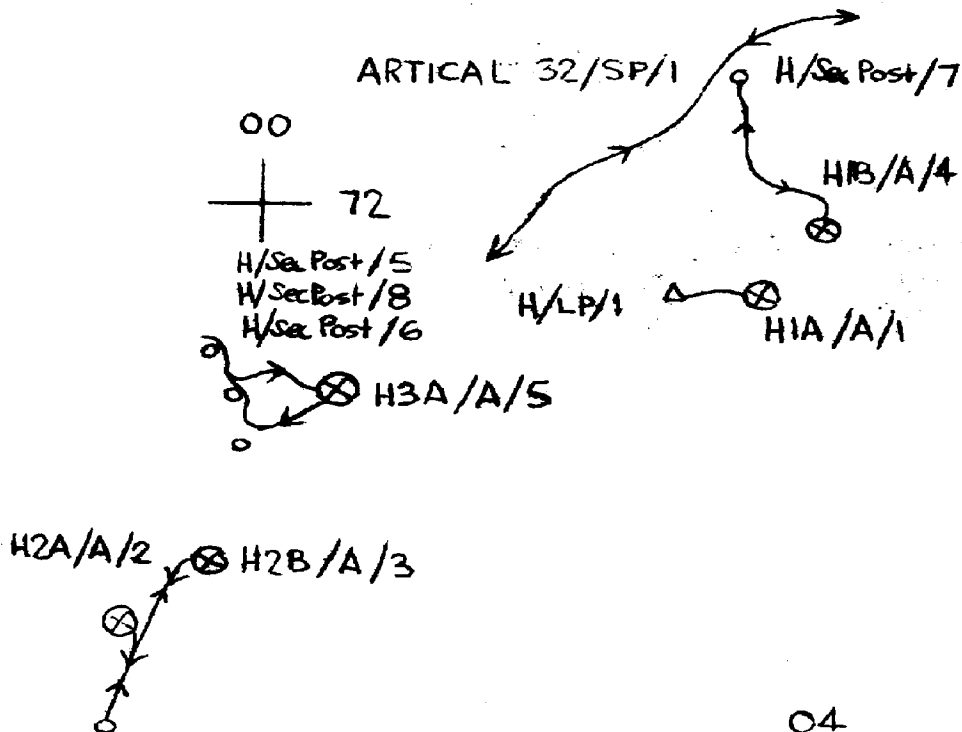
Activity Overlay for period 020600H to 021800H
March 1967
DAY TIME ACTIVITIES



ENCLOSURE (5)

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Activity Overlay for period 021800H to 030600H
March 1967
NIGHT TIME ACTIVITIES



ENCLOSURE (5)

OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 3d Battalion, 1st Marines - Danang TAOR
 PERIOD: 01 0001H Mar TO 01 2400H Mar 1967

DATE: 1 March 1967

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)	19 C D	4 4			
AMBUSH (AMB)	E F	3 G H	I J		
RECON PATROL (RP)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SP)	38 Q R	12 11 S T	U V		
SEARCH AND DESTROY (S&D)		W X	Y Z	3 3 AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FF	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

- #1 All company and battalion size operations will be reported and classified as S/D or CLR, as most appropriate
 #2 Report the number of battalion size operations terminated during reporting period and the days of operation

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FOR PERIOD

01 MAR 67

3/1
ORGANIZATION

01000101H

MAR

TO

012400

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MAR

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ACTION
NOPROVINCE/
COORDINATESDATE/
TIMEACTION +
SIZE TYPEFRD UNIT/
LOSSESENM UNIT/
LOSSESINIT
BYWEAPONS, MATERIAL CAPTD. & BRIEF
DESCRIPTION OF V.C. INIT CONT.

QUANG NAM

CO I

UNK

BT 085658

261630H

TKG

SUP

DET

NONE

NONE

VC

NONE

BT 071711

010045H

PLAT

DET

CO I

NONE

UNK

NONE

VC

NONE

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PATROLS FOR PERIOD 020600H TO 030600H

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>MISSION</u>	<u>LAYOVER</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
<u>COMPANY I</u>						
I-OP-1	020600H	021800H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-OP-3	020600H	021800H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-OP-5	020600H	021800H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-OP-7	020600H	021800H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-Sr-1	020900H	021300H	SQD	SP		w/radio
I-SP-2	021030H	021330H	SQD	SP		w/radio
I-SP-3	021200H	021500H	SQD	SP		w/radio
I-SP-4	021700H	021900H	SQD	SP		w/radio
I-OP-2	021800H	030600H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-OP-4	021800H	030600H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-OP-6	021800H	030600H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-OP-8	021800H	030600H	SQD	OP		w/radio
I-LP's 1-9	021900H	030600H	FT	LP's		w/18 FT SP
I-A-1	022000H	022300H	SQD	A/B	055700	w/2 SQD SP
I-SP-5	022000H	022200H	SQD	SP		w/radio
I-A-2	030100H	030600H	SQD	A/B	079692	w/2 SQD SP
I-Sr-6	030300H	030600H	SQD	SP		w/radio
<u>COMPANY L</u>						
L-SP-1	020800H	021500H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-SP-2	020930H	021130H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-SP-3	021100H	021300H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-SP-4	021415H	021615H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-SP-5	021530H	021730H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-LP's 1-4	021900H	030600H	FT	LP's		w/8 FT SP
L-OP-1	021945H	022345H	SQD	A/B	053675	w/2 SQD SP
L-SP-6	022100H	022330H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-SP-7	030215H	030545H	SQD	SP		w/radio
L-A-2	030300H	030530H	SQD	A/B	042693	w/2 SQD SP
L-SP-8	030400H	030530H	SQD	SP		w/radio
<u>CAC COMPANY</u>						
D-SP-1	021230H	021400H	SQD	SP		w/radio
D-SP-2	021700H	021800H	SQD	SP		w/radio
D-LP's 1-5	021900H	030600H	FT	LP's		w/10 FT SP
D-SP-3	022100H	022200H	SQD	SP		w/radio
D-SP-4	030100H	030200H	SQD	SP		w/radio
H&S-LP's 1-3	021900H	030600H	FT	SP		w/6 FT SP

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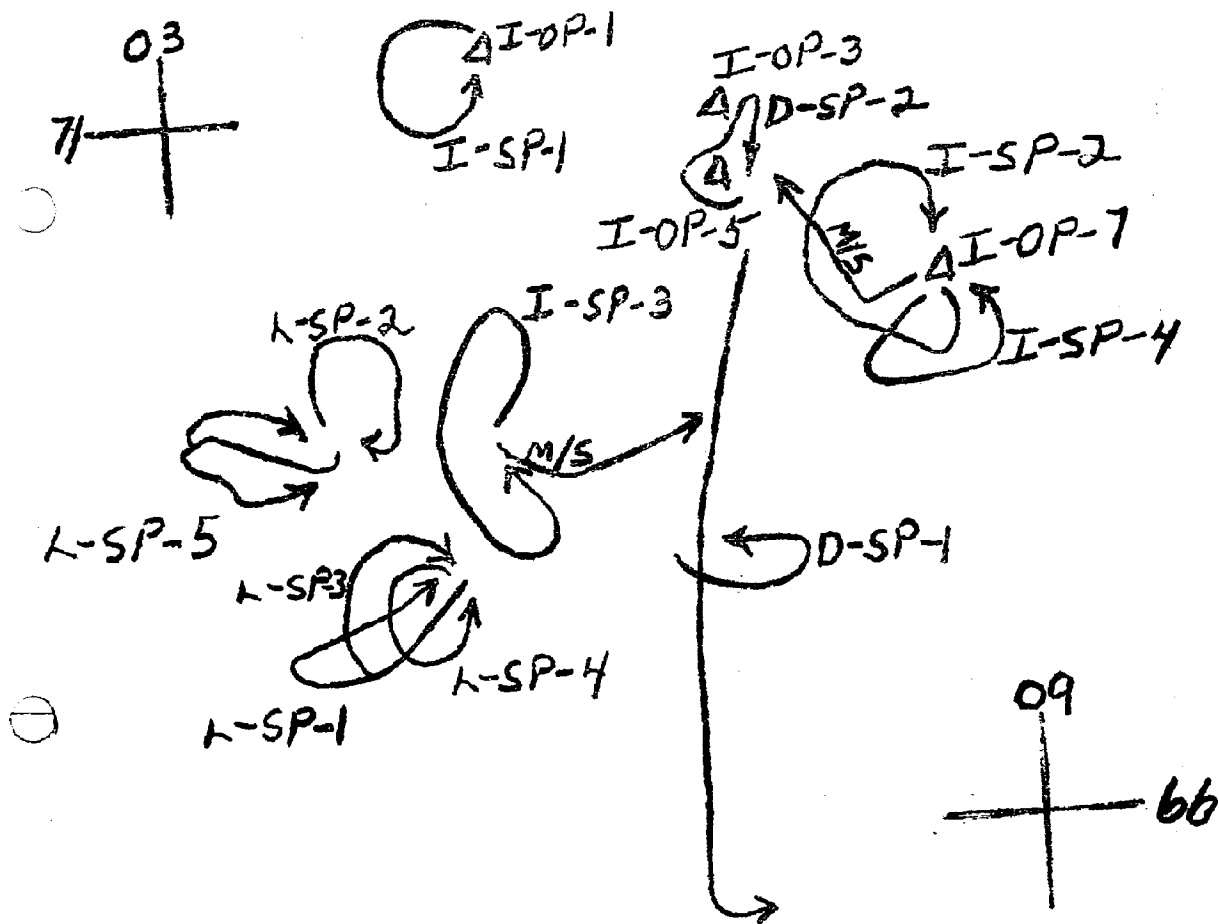
MINUTES FOR PERIOD 020600H TO 030600H

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>MISSION</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
I-SP-M/S-1	020700H	020930H	SQD (R)	SP	D-1 to BN CP
I-SP-M/S-2	020930H	021000H	SQD (R)	SP	BN CP to D-1
I-SP-M/S-3	020700H	020730H	SQD (R)	SP	Hill 10 to D-1
I-SP-M/S-4	020730H	020750H	SQD (R)	SP	D-1 to Hill 10
I-SP-M/S-5	020700H	020830H	SQD (R)	SP	I-3 to MSR
I-SP-M/S-6	020830H	020900H	SQD (R)	SP	MSR to I-3

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DAY PATROLS FOR PERIOD 020600H TO 030600H

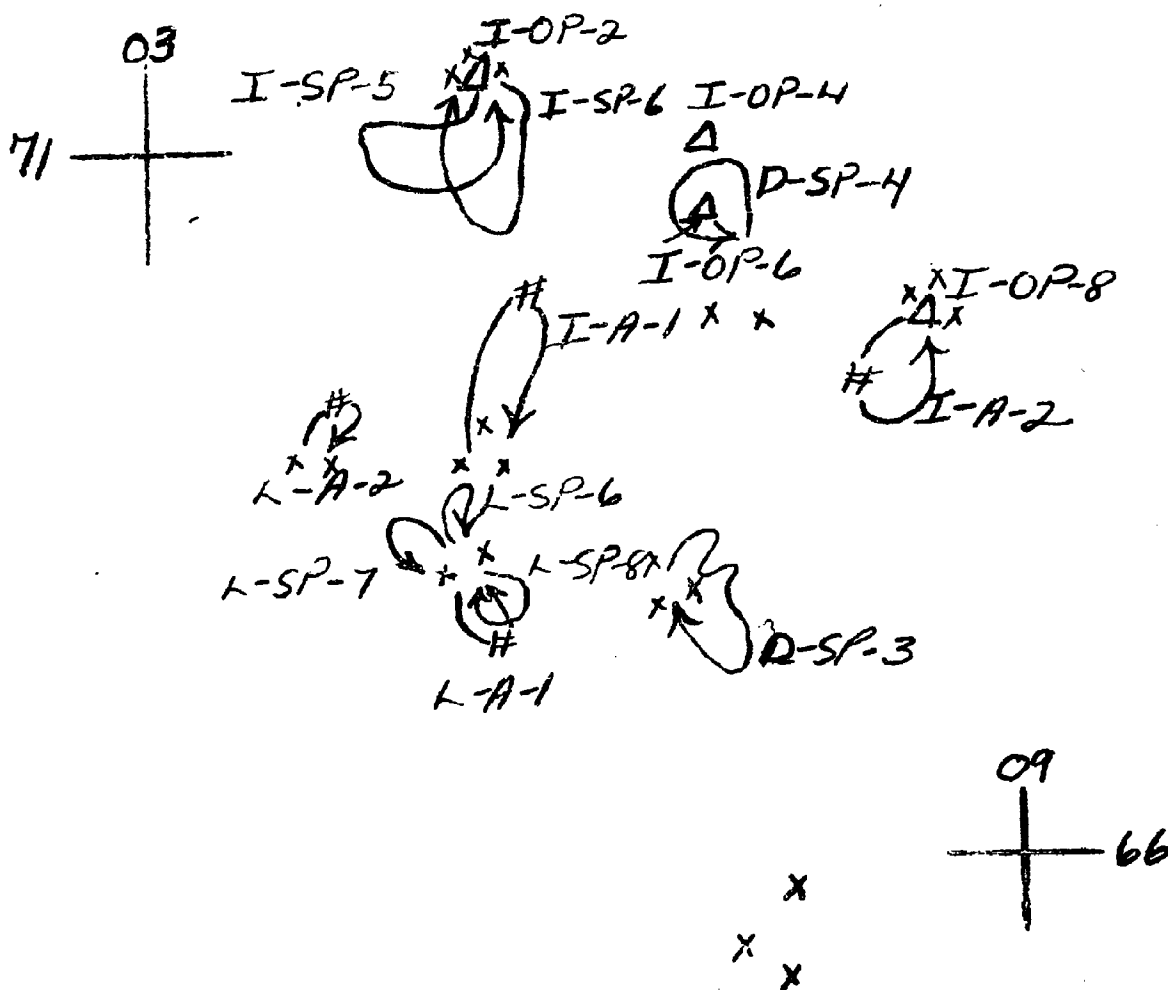


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NIGHT PATROLS FOR PERIOD 020600H TO 030600H

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BATTALION OPERATIONS SUMMARY

FORM OA 25/008

ORGANIZATION: For Int ^{Co} BN 1st RGT La Son TACTICAL AREAPERIOD: 01 06 OIH Mar TO 02 06 OOH Mar 19671 March 67
DATE PREPAREDJS
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	2 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 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

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BRIEFING NOTES FOR 02 Mar 671st Bn., 1st Mar

- Co. A Summary: Opn LAFAYETTE
 Plans: On order will commence Part II Opn LAFAYETTE.
- Co. B Summary: 1 plt Opn LAFAYETTE, Co B(-) ptls, amb and LP's with
 emphasis on small unit night opns.
 Plans: 2 plt on order will commence Part II Opn LAFAYETTE,
 1 plt ptls, amb and LP's with emphasis on small unit night opns.
- Co. C Summary: Opn LAFAYETTE.
 Plans: 1 plt on order will commence part II Opn LAFAYETTE.
 Co C (-) ptls, amb and LP's with emphasis on small unit
 night opns.
- Co. D Summary: Ptls, amb and LP's with emphasis on small unit night opns.
 Plans: 1 plt on order will commence part II Opn LAFAYETTE.
 Co D(-) ptls, amb and LP's with emphasis on small unit night opns.

2nd Bn., 1st Mar.

- Co. E Summary: Amb, ptls, LP's, OP's and sec posts with emphasis on
 small unit night opns.
 Plans: Block position at 020700H for Opn LAFAYETTE II.
- Co. G Summary: Same as Co. E.
 Plans: Same as Co. E.
- Co. H Summary: Same as Co. E.
 Plans: Ptls, LP's, OP's, amb and sec posts with emphasis on
 small unit night opns.
- H&S Co. - de -

3rd Bn., 1st Mar.

- Co. I Summary: Defense for mortar belt, SEA ANCHOR and NUI KIM SON bridge.
 Plans: - de -
- Co. K Summary: OpCon to 1/1 for Opn LAFAYETTE, Chopped to OpCon 3/4
 011800H Mar 67.
 Plans: Opn LAFAYETTE.II
- Co. L Summary: S&D opn in western portion TAOR in MAN QUAN (2).
 Plans: OPN LAFAYETTE.II
- Co. M Summary: Same as Co. K
 Plans: Opn LAFAYETTE II

NUI LAC SON/VIET AN

- Summary: Continued improvement of position, ptls, amb and LP's with
 emphasis on small unit night opns.
- Plans: Continue - de -

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY
010001H - 012400H

3120
1 Mar 1967

1. Operations Summary. Companies A, C and one platoon of Company B are participating in Operation LAFAYETTE. Company B (-) and Company D are conducting routine patrols, ambushes, and LP's. See OP summary.
2. Significant Events. None
3. Countv Fair. None
4. Kit Carsons. 3 - One with Alfa and one with Charlie employed in Operation LAFAYETTE, also one trainee employed with Delta Company.
5. Scout/ Sniper. 3 - Attached to the Battalion Scouts to be used in Operation LAFAYETTE phase III.
6. Attached/Supporting Unit Status Report.
 - a. Tanks: 4 Operational, 0 Deadlined
 - b. Tanks (flame): 2 Operational, 0 Deadlined
 - c. LVTP5: 9 Operational, 2 Deadlined
 - d. LVTE-1: 7 Operational, 1 Deadlined
 - e. ONTOS: 4 Operational, 0 Deadlined
 - f. Engineers: 0 Officers, 11 Enlisted
 - g. Scout Dog Teams: 4 - Employed in Operation LAFAYETTE
7. Effects of Weather. No significant effects.
8. Planned Activities. On order Company A, two platoons from Company B, and one platoon from Company C and D jump off in Operation LAFAYETTE II. Two platoons Company C, two platoons Company D, and 1 platoon of Company B will conduct routine patrols, ambushes, and LP's. See plans summary.

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03400
01 March 1967

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Period 010001H to 012400H

1. Operations Summary

Co E - Search and Destroy Operation in phase II of Operation LAFAYETTE. 1 squad day and night security post THANH QUIT Bridge with 1 Co. of RF's.

Co G - Search and Destroy Operation in phase II of Operation LAFAYETTE. Security posts, listening posts and ambushes on East Anderson Trail.

Co H - Two platoons man security posts on bridges, mortar tower and island positions. Mortar tower manned with seven RF's from 59th RF Bn. One platoon conducts patrolling and ambush activity in assigned area with emphasis on night time activity.

H&S Co - Patrols, ambushes, LP's, OP's and security posts in assigned area with emphasis on night time activity. Ambushes on East Anderson Trail.

2. Significant Events. A forward command group displaced from 2/1 CP with Co "E" and Co "G" to commence phase II of Operation LAFAYETTE.

3. Kit Carsons Scout Report

a. Unit employed with:

- (1) Co "G": 1
- (2) Co "H": 2

b. Capacity:

- (1) Employed in Operation LAFAYETTE
- (2) Point on day and night activities

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- c. Results achieved: negative
- d. Problems: negative
- e. Comments/Recommendations: negative

4. Attached/Supporting Units Status Report

- a. Tanks 1 ;operational 1
- b. LVT 0
- c. ONTOS 3 ;operational 3
- d. Engineer: 7 men
- e. OTTER 6 ;operational 6

5. Scout Snipers

<u>Cmd Grp/OP</u>	<u>Tms</u>	<u>Empl</u>	<u>Coords</u>	<u>Results</u>
Co G, 2/1	1	Opn	LAFAYETTE	
Co E, 2/1	1	Opn	LAFAYETTE	

<u>Weapons</u>	<u>Weapons in use</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
2	2	

6. Effects of Weather. No adverse effects.7. Planned Activities:

Co E, G - Blocking position at 020700H for Operation LAFAYETTE.

Co H - Two platoons man security posts on bridges, mortar tower and island positions. Mortar tower manned with seven RF's from 59th RF Bn. One platoon conducts patrolling and ambush activity in assigned area with emphasis on night time activity.

H&S Co - Patrols, ambushes on East and West Anderson Trail, security patrols, road sweep, LP's, OP's and security posts in assigned area with emphasis on night time activity.

for R.B. Robinson
 C. F. FITCHFORD
 Major, U.S. Marine Corps

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01 Mar 67

NARRATIVE SUMMARY
PERIOD 010001H TO 012400H

1. Operations Summary

a. Company I. Continue to defend mortar belt, Sea Anchor; provide security for old CP and MSR minesweep. Conduct normal patrolling operations in assigned TAOR.

b. Company K. Operation LAFAYETTE. Returned OPCON 3/1 at 011800H.

c. Company L. Continue search of area vicinity BT 0666, 0667 and 0567 grid squares for MIA.

d. Company M.(-) Operation LAFAYETTE. Returned OPCON of 3/1 at 011800H. One platoon OPCON Company I.

2. Significant Events

a. LVT's. Two OPCON Company L and seven OPCON to S-3.

b. Tanks. Five OPCON Company M.

c. Ontos. Four OPCON Company I.

d. Engineers. Two man demolition team Company L. Two Man team OPCON S-3, two team and one squad OPCON Company I.

e. Sparrow Hawk. Company L, LZ Buzzard.

3. Kit Carson

a. Being utilized by Blade.

b. Assisting in screening potential Kit Carsons.

c. N/A.

d. N/A.

e. N/A.

4. Snipers

<u>Cmd Group</u>	<u>Teams</u>	<u>Employed</u>	<u>Coords</u>	<u>Results</u>
Co I, K, L, and M	4	4		Neg

5. Attached/Supporting Unit Status Report

- a. Tanks. 4 operational 1 deadlined
- b. LVT's. 8 operational 1 deadlined
- c. Ontos. 3 operational 1 deadlined
- d. Engineers. Three teams and one squad totaling nineteen personnel.

6. Weather. No adverse effects.7. Planned Activity

- a. Company I. No change.
- b. Company K. Operation LAFAYETTE, Phase II.
- c. Company L. Operation LAFAYETTE, Phase II.
- d. Company M. Operation LAFAYETTE, Phase II.

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Period 010001H to 012400H March 1967

1. Operations Summary/

Co F. - Company F conducted combat patrols, security patrols and ambushes. Manned LP's, OP's and defensive positions. One squad (rein) assisting in defense of Viet An, constructing positions, and coordinating with RP's and PF's. Engineers continued construction of new LP.

873rd RF Co. - Security patrols, ambushes and defensive positions.

Dinh Lam RF Plat. - Security patrols, ambushes and defensive positions.

Lac Son RF Plat. - Security patrols, ambushes and defensive positions.

2. Significant Events. None

3. Hit Carsons.

One selected sight and guided ambush.

4. Scout snipers.

One team participated in ambush.

5. Attachments/Supporting Units Status Report.

a. 107mm Howtar 1; operational 2.

b. 61mm mortar 2; operational 2.

c. 106 RR 2; operational 2.

d. Engineers 3 men.

e. H&T 5 men.

6. Effects of Weather. None

7. Planned Activities.

Co F. - Company F will conduct combat patrols, security patrols and ambushes and man LP's, OP's and defensive positions. Engineers will continue construction of helo platform and are ready to start construction of bunkers upon arrival of materials. One squad (rein) assisting in defense of Viet An, constructing

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positions and coordinating with 87th and 88th.

873rd Co. - Security patrols, ambushes and defensive positions.

Minh Lam PF Plat. - Security patrols, ambushes and defensive positions.

Lac Son PF Plat. - Security patrols, ~~defensive~~ ambushes and defensive positions.

GENG L. DUCAN

Reptel Company

020600H - 030600H March

P3A-538

Two squad ambushes & Combat patrol

TOD Ambush 0100 - 021030H

CLT R.T. 021030 - 021230H

TOR FICP 021230H

Kit Caravan and Scout Sniper with P3A

P1M

Two squad coordinated CLT R.T. / 4 Ambush

TOD FICP 022045H

TOD Ambush 0100 - 022230H

Ambush 022230H

