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3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO, San Francisco 96602

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(b) FMFPACO 5750.8
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

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PART I
ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

3d Antitank Battalion

H&S Company
Executive Officer

Company "A"
Executive Officer

1st Plt.
2nd Plt.
3rd Plt.

Company "B"

Executive Officer
1st Plt.
2nd Plt.

3rd Plt.

SUBORDINATE UNITS

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COMMANDER

LtCol C. R. CASEY

2dLt C. P. WAGER
Unassigned

CAPT B. HASTINGS
1stLt R. F. PINION
(1-12 Feb)
Unassigned
(13-28 Feb)
2dLt H. J. RILEY
2dLt F. X. LAWLER
2dLt D. E. RUSH
(1-10 Feb)
2dLt W. T. KOOT
(11-28 Feb)

CAPT S. L. CAMBY
(1-12 Feb)
1stLt R. F. PINION
(13-28 Feb)

Unassigned
2dLt R. L. GIBSON
1stLt D. D. EGAN
(1-12 Feb)
SSGT F.A. DICKINSON
(13-28 Feb)
2dLt M. L. BAILEY
(1-10 Feb)
2dLt D. E. THOMPSON
(11-28 Feb)

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Company "C"
Executive Officer
1st Plt.
2nd Plt.

3rd Plt.

CAPT S. T. FLYNN
Unassigned
2dLt W. H. MONAGHAN
2dLt J. B. BROCK
(1-16 Feb)
2dLt J. L. HICKMAN
(17-28 Feb)
2dLt F. H. RIVERO
(1-9 Feb)
2dLt F. G. MISEMER
(10-28 Feb)

2. LOCATION

3d Antitank Battalion
H&S Company
Company "A"
Company "B"
Company "C"

1-28 Feb DANANG TAOR
1-28 Feb DANANG TAOR
1-28 Feb DONG HA TAOR
1-28 Feb PHU BAI TAOR
1-28 Feb DANANG TAOR

3. STAFF OFFICERS

BATTALION HEADQUARTERS

Commanding Officer.....	LtCol C. R. CASEY
Executive Officer.....	Maj C. R. STIFFLER
S-1 / Adj.....	2dLt F. A. GUILÉ
S-2 Officer.....	1stLt A. W. HOOF
S-3 Officer.....	CAPT J. J. SUCHA
S-3A Officer.....	1stLt A. W. HOOF
Liaison Officer.....	Unassigned
S-4 Officer.....	CAPT D. C. SATCHER
Supply Officer.....	1stLt R. U. BOKELMAN
Motor Transport Officer.....	2dLt R. H. SOKOLOWSKI
Ordnance Maintenance Officer.....	W.O. L. C. SHOLPP
Communications Officer.....	1stLt J. L. WEIS
Medical Officer.....	HM-1 A. D. McDOLÉ, USN

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	<u>USMC</u>	
	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
3d Antitank Bn	23	360
H&S Company	11	135
Company "A"	3	65
Company "B"	4	80
Company "C"	4	80

	<u>USN</u>	
	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
	0	7
	0	4
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	0	1
	0	1

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. H&S COMPANY. The Company remained in the Battalion CP (AT 989711) throughout the month. The reaction platoon conducted forty-seven (47) night patrol/ambushes and twenty-one (21) daylight patrols in the 3d AT Battalion TAOR. These patrols apprehended 7 detainees; found 3 cave/tunnel complexes; and captured 1 frag grenade, 1 Chinese claymore mine, 1 Chinese stick mine, 2 U.S. .30 cal carbines, 2 fourteen inch diameter bear traps. One combat casualty was incurred as a result of a gunshot wound inflicted during a firefight with an estimated 3-5 VC. Enemy casualties were undetermined. Perimeter improvements included the construction of tangle foot wire between the inner and outer rows of concertina and the emplacement of an additional 8 claymore mines. A daylight and night alert drill was conducted during the month. During the TET stand down perimeter security was increased from 30% to 50%. (Ref: Enclosure 3, H&S Co Command Chronology)

2. COMPANY "A". Company "A" continued to support the 3d Marines on Operation Prairie II throughout the month. On 1 February the third platoon supported 2/3 on a battalion size search and clear operation in the Cua Vally. No contact was made by the platoon. On 6 February the Ontos platoon from BLT 1/9 was joined as the 1st platoon, Company "A" replacing the old 1st platoon which was attached to BLT 1/3 on 31 January. On 20 February a section of Ontos from 1st platoon conducted an Ontos/Infantry patrol in vicinity of (YD 0245). Twelve 106mm rounds were fired at suspected VC positions with undetermined results. On the 21st and 28th of February two Ontos from the 1st platoon escorted a MED CAP team to THON KHE MEO Village (YD 996480). During the month 510 - 106mm rounds were fired as H&I with unknown results. (Ref: Enclosure 4, Company "A" Command Chronology)

3. COMPANY "B". On 1 February the heavy section from the first platoon in support of M/3/26 observed and fired on 4 VC (YD 487323) utilizing the .30 cal machine gun resulting in 4 VC KIA (prob). On 5 February two Ontos from the 3d platoon supported a M/3/26 search and destroy operation in vicinity (YD 498275). During the night of 5 February the Company CP and 1st platoon CP received 7 - 8 rounds of 81/82mm mortar fire. A GP tent and M-49 truck were damaged, but no casualties were incurred. On 6 February 2 Ontos from the 1st platoon in support of K/3/26 fired 18 - 106mm rounds at an unknown number of VC (YD 575245) and YD 557243) resulting in 3 VC KIA (prob). On 10 February the heavy section of the 2d platoon with 3 Ontos were displaced from the Phu Bai Vital area (YD 894143) to the Chinook Operating area (YD 531315).

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On 12 February the 1st and 2d platoons and Company Command group were proceeding in convoy to a blocking position (YD 585270 - YD 584275) to support a search and destroy operation to be conducted by I and M Companies 3/26. The lead vehicle with the Company Commander, 2d Platoon Commander, 4 Ontos crewman and one infantryman struck a land mine believed to be a 250# bomb detonated by one or more 155mm rounds at (YD 586269). All personnel were KIA and the vehicle was completely destroyed. The remainder of the month all platoons were utilized as CP security for 3/26 and Companies of 3/26. During the month 10 H&I missions were fired for a total of 192 - 106mm rounds; results of all missions were undetermined. (Ref: Enclosure 5, Company "B" Command Chronology)

4. COMPANY "C". From 1 through 8 February, Ontos C-23 and C-25 from the heavy section of the 2d platoon participated as part of blocking force for Operation Independence at (AT 865573). These two vehicles then reverted to the direct support of H/2/4 (AT 876577) on 9 February. On 14 February the light section (2 vehicles) from the first platoon provided a blocking force (AT 874733) for a platoon sweep by E/2/26 with negative contact. On 18 February C-22 from the light section of the second platoon fired 3 - 106mm rounds at snipers while supporting a sweep by G/2/4 (AT 938543) with undetermined results. On 20 February C-23 from the second platoon fired 5 - 106mm rounds at a boat with 4 VC in it at (AT 865570) resulting in 4 VC KIA (prob) and destroying the boat. On 24 February C-21 and C-24 from the light section, second platoon fired a total of 12 - 106mm rounds at VC sniper positions (AT 946642). Two houses were destroyed, enemy casualties unknown. The third platoon remained in direct support of 1/26 throughout the month. No significant fire missions were achieved. (Ref: Enclosure 6, Company "C" Command Chronology)

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SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS1. COMBAT MISSION ASSIGNED.

- a. Direct support of Marine Infantry, by providing direct and indirect fire support, H&I fires, and CP security.
- b. Engineer road sweep security.
- c. Convoy escort.

2. SEGNIFICAT OPERATIONS CONDUCTED.

- a. Company "A" was in support of the 3d Marines on Operation Prairie II.
- b. Company "B" was in support of the 4th Marines on Operation Chinook.
- c. Company "C" was in support of the 9th Marines.

3. CASUALTIES INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY.

- a. 4 VC KIA (Conf); 7 VC KIA (Prob)

4. CASUALTIES SUSTAINED.

- a. 6 KIA
1 WIA (evac)

5. NEW TECHNIQUES EMPLOYED.

- a. None

6. COMMAND RELATIONS.

- a. Battalion Headquarters and H&S Company OPCON to 1st Marine Division; ADCON to 3d Marine Division.
- b. Company "A" direct support 3d Marine Regiment; OPCON 3d Marine Division.
- c. Company "B" direct support 4th Marine Regiment; OPCON 3d Marine Division.
- d. Company "C" direct support 9th Marine Regiment; OPCON 1st Marine Division.

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7. EQUIPMENT

- a. 43 M50A1 Ontos available on 28 February 1967.
- b. 40 M50A1 Ontos were operationally ready on 28 February 1967.

8. LOGISTICSa. Motor Transport

- (1) 991 trips were dispatched for a total of 14,019 miles.

b. Supply

- (1) One Ontos platoon was invoiced to the Second Battalion, Third Marines as part of BLT 2/3.
- (2) One Ontos platoon was received by invoice after rehabilitation on Okinawa.
- (3) A total of 27 G.P. tents and additional class IV material were received in preparation for displacement of the Battalion Command Post.
- (4) A total of 254 requisitions of all priorities were submitted and a total of 380 were received.

c. Ordinance Maintenance

- (1) Five ONTOS were received under the FY-67 R&E program and one replacement ONTOS for a T/E deficiency was received.
- (2) Three work orders were accepted during the month. Four work orders were completed. Two contact teams were sent out to the companies.

9. COMMUNICATIONS

- a. A "Hot Line" from battalions alternate command bunker to 3d Tank Battalions command bunker was installed.
- b. An MRC-110 radio jeep was located at Company "C" CP to be used for communication between the Battalion CP and the Company upon displacement of the Battalion CP to the Phu Bai TAOR.

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a. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE. The Medical Contact Team dispensed a total of 246 treatments to the inhabitants of Yen Bac (AT 985708) and Cam Hoa (AT 970704). During this month a new concept to the MED CAP was initiated. An American civilian doctor from USOM Hospital, Danang, and ARVN Corpsmen from Hoa Cam Training Center accompanied this Battalions MED CAP Team into the Cam Hoa Villages. This innovation proved highly successful and will be continued.

b. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT. Construction of two new pig pens was completed in Yen Bac. Materials were provided by this battalion, labor was performed by the inhabitants.

c. COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION. Fifteen pounds of soap and approximately 100 pounds of clothing were distributed throughout the hamlets of Yen Bac and Cam Hoa.

11. ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNELa. Awards

- (1) One, Purple Heart Medal
- (2) One, Meritorious Mast

b. Recommendations

- (1) One Bronze Star, Officer (Posthumously)

c. Promotions

- (1) One to PFC
- (2) Thirty - Three to Lance Corporal
- (3) Twenty - Nine to Corporal
- (4) One to Staff Sergeant

d. Personnel Joined.

- (1) One Officer
- (2) Sixty Enlisted

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- e. Personnel Transferred To Conus.
 - (1) Officers - One
 - (2) Enlisted - Fourteen
- f. NJP - Article 15 UCMJ. One Violation.
 - (1) Violation Article 113: Awarded \$45 Fine and Reduced to Private.
- g. R&R - 31 Personnel
- h. Overseas Tour Extensions Requested - One (1)
- i. Overseas Tour Extensions Approved - Two (2)
- 12. INTELLIGENCE. The Battalion received information on enemy and terrain from USMACV, III MAF, 1st and 3d Marine Divisions, Hoa Vang District Headquarters, 3d Tank Battalion and AF sources operating in the battalions AOR.
- 13. WEATHER. With the decrease of monsoon rains trafficability increased steadily throughout all TAOR'S.
- 14. FIRE SUPPORT.
 - a. Ontos fired 35 - 106mm rounds in direct fire missions.
 - b. Ontos fired 624 - 106mm rounds as H&I missions.
- 15. REDESIGNATIONS
 - a. 1st Platoon Company "A" was redesignated, Antitank Platoon, H&S Co BLT 1/3.
 - b. 2d Platoon Company "A" was redesignated Antitank Platoon, H&S Co BLT 2/3.
 - c. Antitank Platoon, BLT 2/4 was redesignated 1st platoon, Company "A".

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16. TRAINING. Classes were conducted in General Military Subjects on Company level. In-Country-Troop indoctrination lectures for all personnel reporting aboard were held in the Battalion CP prior to assignment. Familiarization firing with the M-14, M1919A3 .30 caliber machine gun, M-60 machine gun and M-24b .50 caliber machine gun was conducted both under field conditions and on the ~~MOA~~ CAM rifle range. Practical application of scouting, patrolling and ambush techniques was conducted for H&S Company personnel in the Battalion ACR.

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010001H Feb 67

012400 Feb 67

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN	
IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
0003		1		Patrol #2 departed CP.		F
0420		2		Patrol returned to CP.		F
0500		3		Dream reported possible VC in there hut area between them and smokeroom.		F
0700		4		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.		F
Late Entry		5		SitRep A TA "BN" B 30-800H/310800H C YD402316/YD496328 D Fired 57 major rounds as recon by fire results unknown.		F
Late Entry		6		SitRep A TA "BN" B 310800H/010800H C YD495287/YD48284827 D Fired 64 major rounds 1500 Cal 30 rounds as recon By fire results unknown number of structures destroyed.		F
Late Entry		7		SitRep A TA "AN" B 310800H/010800H C Unkn wn D Fired 15 major rounds as H-I results unknown.		F
1926		8		Sounded alert drill.		F
1945		9		Secured from alert drill.		F
2100		10		Patrol departed CP Via south gate.		F
2110		11		MSG from Alpha Co 1 Cpl KIA when vehicle overturned on slope, 2 others slight injured. Vehicle is probley going to be code X LT Pinion XO Alpha (O) will be down tomorrow with report. Capt. Haslin-s (Co Alpha CO will conduct investigation No definite info on activities of vehicle when incident occured.		F

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IN	OUT				
0130		1		Patrol #1 reported tripwire.	F
0145		2		Check out same patrol LDR reported neg on tripwire.	F
0200		3		Patrol #1 returned to CP Via north gate.	F
0200		4		Patrol #2 departed CP Via South gate.	F
0440		5		Patrol #2 returned to CP Via north gate.	F
0700		6		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.	F
0915		7		MT patrol departed CP Via south gate.	F
0955		8		MT patrol returned to CP Via south gate.	F
1240		9		MedCap patrol departed CP Via north gate.	F
1345		10		MedCap patrol returned to CP Via south gate.	F
Late Entry		11		Spot Rep A TA "B" in support of seal team B 011600H Feb 67 C YD489319/YD487323 D 4 VC uniformed with helmets pack, and weapon running into treeline. E Fired 31 major rounds 600 cal 30 rounds good area coverage F to N none. G estimated VC Bn P Many more VC in area covered by fire.	F
Late Entry		12		SitRep TA "A" 1 010800H/020800H 2 Fired 22 major rounds H&I with unknown results.	F
2050		13		Patrol left CP.	F
2300		14		Patrol spotted movement near Yen Bac #4, shots fired neg. results.	F

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IN	OUT				M—Maps S—Staff	T—Troops F—File
0225		1		Platoon #1 returned to CP.		F
0230		2		Platoon #2 departed CP.		F
0255		3		Platoon called in for 3d time requesting that amtracs illumination be turned off. Platoon is being illuminated by amtracs spot light.		F
0455		4		Platoon returned to CP.		F
0730		5		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.		F
0915		6		Physops patrol departed CP for Yen Bac #4.		F
0940		7		Physops patrol returned to CP.		F
Late Entry		8		SitRep TA "B" 1. 030800H/040800H 2. Fired 9 major rounds as H-I fire. 3. Results unknown.		F
1210		9		Recen patrol departed CP Via south gate.		F
Late Entry		10		SitRep TA "A" 1/ 030800H/040800H 2. Fire 10 major rounds Fired as H-I. 3. Results unknown.		F
1500		11		Recen patrol returned to CP.		F
1555		12		Wire man reported four men in paddy he thought one had rifle also what appeared to be a motor tobe also heard a shoot.		F
1558		13		Bunker #6 reported sighting four men also heard two shots.		F
1600		14		Smokeroom notified.		F
1615		15		Reaction force departed CP.		F
1805		16		Reaction force returned to CP.		F
2100		17		Patrol departed CP.		F

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IN	OUT				
0645		1		Heavy Fist #5 departed CP for Dong Ha.	F
0700		2		Guard of the day secured CP posted on bunker #6.	F
1145-1235		3		G. F. #6 received call from Shave GOC of mine incident involving 7 H. F. personnel all KIA. one was HQ Bravo-6. Later info confirms 2 of KIA's to be Capt Gamby and LTegan. LT Finion des designated to assume command of Bravo Company upon arrival from Dong Ha. HQ-5 also on way to Bravo CP info received from shave GOC at 1220 states time of incident to be 0900 at YD 581262 Mine believed to be 4-5 155rds detonated simultaneous. All personnel believed F to be on 1 vehicle.	
1655		4		1st Sgt, "B" Co reports there were 6 KIA vice 7 noted earlier.	F
2015		5		Received call from smokeroom intelligence indicates that on one of the next three nights (tonight included) 1st Marines are to be hit.	F
2250		6		Patrol departed CP, dream, Smokeroom notified.	F
2255		7		Gunc 6 reports saw man near windmill when tanks illuminated.	F
2255		8		Patrol called in Dream is illuminating them Dream notified, Smokeroom notified of Sgt #7.	F
2250		9		Smokeroom called asks us to divert our patrol to the area of the windmill. They also observe something.	F
2255		10		Patrol instructed to proceed from checkpoint #1 to windmill. Patrol reported and repeated basic back instructions.	F
2305		11		Patrol at CP #1 report someone near bulletin board. Advised again of true role and instructed to check it out.	F
2310		12		Patrol checked out area of bulletin board. Neg results instructed to proceed to area of windmill. Gunc 6 notified SMC	F

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IN	OUT				
00010		1		Patrol at CP #2.	F
0115		2		Patrol at CP #4 to be at south gate in about 10 min. gun 6 and smoke room notified.	F
0130		3		Patrol returned to CP no enemy contact.	F
0700		4		Secured guard except gun 6 day watch.	F
Late entry		5		Sit Rep TA "A" 1. 110000H/120000H 2. Fired 16 major rounds as H-I 3. Results unknown	F
Late entry		6		Spot Rep A TA "B" B 120000H C (CYD 571339) D M50M1 destroyed by land mine. E Capt. C 7742, 1st Lt E 9491, Cpl B. 2479 L/Cpl. S 7133, PFC H 2454 Pvt S 0946 G. to. n None. F TA TA "B" R O All people on one vehicle.	F
Late Entry		7		Sit Rep TA "B" 1. 123000H 2. Have Assumed Command 3. Have Insured TA "B" R 4. Situation well in hand 5. TA "B"-6 and TA 15 will depart for TA "B" forward early tomorrow.	F
Late entry		8		Sit Rep TA "A" 1. 130000H/130000H 2. Fired 13 major rounds as H-I 3. Results unknown	F
1930		9		Heavy fist 5 returned to CP.	F

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IN	OUT				M—Maps S—Staff	T—Troops F—File
0100		1		Patrol departed CP.		F
0410		2		Patrol returned to CP.		F
0645		3		Heavy Fist #3 departed CP for 3d MarDiv.		F
0700		4		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.		F
0730		5		HVYTI 6 departed CP for dental clinic.		F
1030		6		Heavy Fist #6 returned to CP.		F
1240		7		MedCap patrol departed CP.		F
1300		8		Heavy Fist #6 departed CP.		F
1445		9		Heavy Fist #6 returned to CP.		F
Late Entry		10		Sit Rep TA "B" 1. 130800H/140800H 2. Fired 57 major rounds 2400cal 30 rounds as M&I 3. Results unknown		F
1445		11		MedCap patrol returned to CP.		F
1545		12		Spot Report A Heavy Fist B 141545H C 987711/987710 D PF Came to bunker #6 stated that they had what was believed to be VC in house in ville. E. Reaction force alerted smokegren notified 1450 reaction force departed CP for Yen Mac. F to K none L Six (1) M I K Bar 2 carhine 1 stick mine 1 claymore mine 1 mag of ammo N numerous documents		F
1730		13		Detainee documents turned in to 3d MAF POW Compound.		F
1900		14		Patrol departed CP Via north gate.		F
2320		15		Patrol returned to CP Via north gate.		F

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IN	OUT					
0850		1		Patrol departed CP Via south gate.	F	
1120		2		Patrol returned to CP Via south gate.	F	
1900		3		Platoon departed CP.	F	
1940		4		Platoon engaged unknown no. f enemy. Received S/A fire and returned same. Fire fight took place at platoon checkpoint #3.	F	
1943		5		Reaction force mustered.	F	
1944		6		Smokerroom notified of proceedings.	F	
1950		7		Platoon requests medevac chopper.	F	
1954		8		Reaction force departs CP.	F	
2000		9		Medevac chopper requested by Smokerroom.	F	
2007		10		Smokerroom reaction force mustered and standing by.F	F	
2010		11		Platoon reports WIA is PFC Hawkins, H&S MT.	F	
2015		12		Medevac chopper will not be sent until emergency is verified.	F	
2025		13		Platoon reports WIA is "Doing Fine"	F	
2040		14		Medevac by chopper is accomplished. Platoon returning to CP. Reaction force also returning.	F	
2105		15		COC watch called 3d Med Bn. Hawkins condition is serious. Prognosis is guarded.	F	
2110		16		Platoon and Reaction force returned toCP.	F	

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IN	OUT				
0010		1		Bunker #1 received 1 round s/a fire and returned 3-4 rounds s/a fire. Observed movement to front of bunker in area of grass shack.	F
0015		2		Bunkers 1&2 reported LVT's was illuminating our lines. COC watch notified Dream-3.	F
0630		3		Platoon departed CP to search area of fire fight which occurred last night.	F
0700		4		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.	F
0840		5		Patrol returned to CP with documents found on paddy near area where we had WIA.	F
0950		6		S-3 chief to 3d MAF pow compound.	F
1102		7		S-3 Chief returned to CP.	F
1200		8		S-3 Chief departed for G-3 and 3d MAF ITT.	F
1233		9		Patrol departed CP Via south gate.	F
1500		10		S-3 Chief returned to CP.	F
1515		11		Patrol returned to CP.	F
Late Entry		12		Sit Rep TA "A" 1 130800H/140800 2 Fired 8 major rounds as H-I 3 Results unknown	F
Late Entry		13		Sit Rep TA "A" 1 Fired 26 major rounds as H-I 2 Results unknown	F
1810		14		Four PF came to south gate, stated that there were four VC with to carbines in a house at Cam Hoa.	F
1815		15		Reaction force alerted.	F
1815		16		Heavy Fist #6, Smokeroom #3 notified.	F
1820		17		Reaction force departed CP via south gate.	F

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
0150		1		Message from Bravo 1st Sgt Via telephone. Bravo #6 admitted to "A" med. Approx 1735 18 Feb. Will be in hospital approx 14 days reason acute neckles diverticulities. Bravo #6 operated on in good condition. Request advise Bravo #6 RTD April.		F
0300		2		Pa.rol returned to CP Via south gate.		F
0700		3		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.		F
1110		4		PF platoon from Phong Bac reported they found two cave and land mine at AT98870Z.		F
1120		5		Patrol departed CP EOD notified.		F
1310		6		Caves blown mine retived by EOD.		F
1330		7		Patrol and DOD team returned to CP smokeroom notified.		F
2200		8		Bunker #1 reported spotting man rear wires in frount of bunker #2 illuminated, area. 1 Cpl Hammend fired 3 sqots at individual from bunker #2 results unknown.		F
2300		9		Bunker #3 reported spotting man following patrol Sqd leader contacted one fire team dropped to ambush any agent who might be following.		F
2300		10		Fire team detached failed to make contact, rejoined squad Sqd continuing patrol.		F

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
0630		1		Patrol departed CP.		F
0300		2		Patrol returned.		F
0700		3		Guard of the day secured CP posted on bunker #6.		F
0810		4		Patrol departed CP Via south gate.		F
0930		5		Heavy #1st 6 departed CP for "C" CO CP.		F
0945		6		MedCap patrol departed CP.		F
1100		7		MedCap patrol returned to CP.		F
1140		8		Patrol returned to CP.		F
1500		9		Heavy Fist #6 returned to CP.		F
Late Entry		10		SitRep TA "A" 1 180800H/190800H 2 Fired 48 rounds as H+I 3 Results unknown.		F
2105		11		Platoon departed CP.		F
2110		12		SitRep from TA "C" a TA "C" 2; b 201945H; c AT 865573 d C23 sighted 4 VC in boat on river. Fired 5 106 mm AT 865570. e Sank boat f, g, h, none or neg. i 4 VC KIA (Conf). j-n none or neg		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
0010		1		Patrol at CP 3.		F
0025		2		Patrol at CP 4.		F
0045		3		Patrol at CP 5.		F
0105		4		Patrol at CP 6, Smokebroom Dream and gun one notified.		F
0110		5		Patrol returned CP one enemy contact neg results.		F
0650		6		Patrol departed CP Via south gate.		F
0700		7		Guard of the day secured OP posted on bunker #6.		F
Late Entry		8		Spot Rep TA "G" A TAG9A B 241135H C 1970585 D TA 3A Spotted 3 VC I carrying weapon moving north cord 985590 E C32 fired 1 major round dud also fired five (5) cal 50 rounds		F
1115H		9		Spot Report TA "G" A. TA C-2A B. 242145H C. (fr 935635), (on 946642) D. G/2/4 squad patrol received approx 100 rounds of S/A fire from 4 VC. Patrol requested supporting fire from onto at C company. E. C-21 fired 4-106 rounds at suspected enemy pan. Sniper fire ceased. Search revealed 2 huts destroyed no evidence of casualties F-H Neg I-J Unknown L-Q Neg		F
1120		10		Patrol returned to CP Via south gate.		F
Late Entry		11		Spot Report TA "G" A C2A B 242030H Feb 67 C 935635 D C 21 and C24 returned fire at 3 snipers at 943644 E C21 fired 1 major round, C-24 fired 2 major rds F to Q Neg		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
	x	191	011600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	192	011600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		193	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAC6 concerning inspection of 106mm Rifles		F
x		194	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning fighting hole covers		F
x		195	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning flak jackets		F
x		196	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAB concerning flak jackets		F
x		197	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning 106 Rifles		F
x		198	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning inspection of 106 Rifles, M-100 trailers, fighting hole covers		F
x		199	020800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning ammo fired		F
	x	200	0800	Sub msg to companies concerning M-14 rifle		F
x		201	1000	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
	x	202	021300	Sub ltr to S-1 concerning accountable mail		F
	x	203	021300	Sub Shipping request to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	204	021400	Sub request for engr assist to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	205	021400	Sub request for engr assist to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	206	021600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	207	021600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	208	031000	Sub request for engr assist to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		209	031300	Rec'd SPOT REPORT fr TAB		F
x		210	031300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
x		211	031300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F

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IN	OUT				
x		212	031300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB	F
x		213	031300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB	F
x		214	031300	Rec'd SPOT REPORT fr TAC	F
	x	215	031600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	216	031600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
	x	217	031600	Sub Ammo rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
x		218	040800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
x		219	040800	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning arrival of cargo	F
	x	220	040800	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning Ammo rpt	F
x		221	041000	Rec'd msg concerning shortage of radios	F
x		222	041000	Rec'd msg fr TAB28 concerning 60ft cable	F
xx		223	041000	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning vent bushings	F
x		224	041000	Rec'd msg fr TAB28 concerning radio	F
	x	225	040000	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning GP tent and beer	F
x		226	041000	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB	F
x		227	041000	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning M50A1	F
x		228	041000	Rec'd msg fr TAA referencing msg 030935Z	F
	x	229	041300	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning M-14 rifles	F
x		230	041400	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
x		231	041400	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB	F
	x	232	041600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	233	041600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
	x	234	051600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	235	051600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG 1st MarDiv		F
x		240	060800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning M-14 Rifles		F
x		241	060800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning arrival of pallets and msg traffic		F
	x	242	060800	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning axle housing		F
x		243	060800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
x		244	060800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning missing man		F
x		245	060800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
	x	246	060800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning PRC-25 and R&E M50A1		F
	x	247	061300	Sub msg to Companies requesting no. of flak jackets		F
	x	248	01300	Sub msg to Companies concerning axles for M50A1		F
	x	249	061300	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning msg traffic		F
	x	250	061400	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning final drive housing		F
	x	251	061500	Sub msg to Companies concerning School Trained Embark Report		F
	x	252	061500	Sub ltr to Companies concerning Mod of 106's		F
	x	253	061600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	254	061600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	255	061600	Sub msg to CG, 3d MarDiv concerning AN/PRC-6		F
x		256	070800	Rec'd msg fr TAB concerning parts for M50A1		F
x		257	070800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		258	070800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F

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FROM (Date and hour)

070800H Feb67

TO (Date and hour)

081100H Feb67

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops F-File
IN	OUT				
x		259	070800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning mod M-14's Towing Cables, and PP-388, and M-100	F
	x	260	070800	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning R&E M50A1	F
	x	261	070800	Sub msg to TAC6 concerning R&E M50A1	F
x		262	070800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning Special Service items	F
x		263	070800	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning School Trained Embark Personnel	F
x		264	071300	Rec'd Embark Trained Personnel Rpt fr H&S Co.	F
x		265	071300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
	x	266	071600	Sub Deadline rpt CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	267	071600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
	x	268	071600	Sub Command Chronology rpt to S-3	F
	x	269	071600	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning R&E program	F
	x	270	080800	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning towing cables	F
x		271	080800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning LTI on Ontos	F
x		272	080800	Rec'd msg fr TAB concerning M422A1 Mod Kits	F
x		273	080800	Rec'd SPOT REPORT fr TAB	F
x		274	080800	Rec'd msg fr TAA requesting parts for M422 and M37	F
x		275	080800	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning Flax Jackets	F
x		276	080800	Rec'd msg from TAB6 concerning R&E Ontos	F
x		277	080800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning LTI of Ontos	F
	x	278	081100	Sub First Endorsement on SMCO Club to CO	F

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081100H Feb67	101300H Feb67

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops F-File
IN	OUT				
	x	279	081600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	280	081600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
	x	281	090900	Sub School Trained Embark rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	282	090900	Sub msg to CG, 3d MarDiv (Attn: G-4) concerning Body Armor	F
x		283	090900	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning Body Armor	F
x		284	090900	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
x		285	090900	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB	F
x		286	090900	Rec'd msg fr TAA36 concerning Deadline Ontos	F
x		287	090900	Rec'd msg fr TAC reporting casualty	F
	x	288	091400	Sub Air Lift request to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
x		289	091400	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning Body Armor, Final Drive Housing and Embark rpt	F
x		290	091400	Rec'd msg fr TAB36 and TAA requesting info on UER for an axle	F
	x	291	091400	Sub msg to TAB6 and TAC6 concerning LTI of M50A1 Ontos	F
x		292	091400	Rec'd msg fr TAB35 concerning radiator	F
x		293	091400	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB	F
x		294	091400	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
	x	295	091600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	296	091600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
x		297	101300	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning carburetor	F
	x	298	101300	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning OP tents	F
x		299	101300	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning cots and air mats	F

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101300H Feb/67	

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
IN	OUT					
x		300	101300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
	x	301	101600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	302	101600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		303	111300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		304	111300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
x		305	111300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
x		306	111300	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		307	111300	Rec'd msg fr TA21 concerning towing cables		F
	x	308	111600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	309	111600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		310	121600	Rec'd msg fr TAA concerning cots and air mat		F
	x	311	121600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	312	121600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	313	130800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning msg fr 2/3		F
x		314	130800	Rec'd msg fr TAA referencing our msg concerning msg fr 2/3		F
x		315	130800	Rec'd S. OT REPORT fr TAB		F
x		316	130800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		317	130800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
	x	318	130900	Sub Surface Shipping request to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	319	130900	Sub Surface Shipping request to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	320	131000	Sub MT Personnel status ltr to CG, 3d MarDiv		
	x	321	131100	Sub request for bunkers to CG, 3d MarDiv		

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131100H Feb 67

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151600H Feb 67

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN	
IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
	x	322	131300	Sub msg to CG, 3d MarDiv concerning search for M38A1		F
	x	323	131400	Sub msg to CG, 3d MarDiv concerning M107		F
	x	324	131500	Sub msg to TAB concerning status of weapons		F
	x	325	131500	Sub msg to Co's requesting nom for Embark		F
	x	326	131500	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning Air Shipment		F
	x	327	131600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	328	131600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		329	140800	Rec'd msg fr TAB containing Deadline Ontos		F
	x	330	140800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning 2/3 msg		F
x		331	140800	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning 782 gear		F
	x	332	140800	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning M50A1		F
	x	333	140800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning 782 gear		F
	x	334	141600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	335	141600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		336	150800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning SITREP		F
x		337	150800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning M50A1 Ontos		F
	x	338	150800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning air shipment		F
	x	339	151600	Sub Combat Essent rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	340	151600	Sub UER to CMC		F
	x	341	151600	Sub UER to CMC		F
	x	342	151600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	343	151600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps T-Troops S-Staff F-File
IN	OUT				
	x	344	161000	Sub Vehicle Deadline rpt to 1st MarDiv	F
	x	345	161000	Sub Air request to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	346	161000	Sub Surface Shipping request to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	347	161300	Sub Nominations for Embark School	F
	x	348	161400	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning Ontos	F
	x	349	161400	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning track	F
	x	350	161400	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning USMC# on Ontos	F
	x	351	161400	Sub msg to companies concerning body armor	F
x		352	161430	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning USMC#	F
x		353	161500	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
x		354	161500	Rec'd Ammo rpt fr TAB	F
x		355	161500	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB6	F
x		356	161500	Rec'd msg fr TAA2 requesting slit doc	F
	x	357	161600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	358	161600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
x		359	170800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning USMC# on Ontos	F
	x	360	170900	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning Ammo rpt	F
x		361	171000	Rec'd msg fr TAB concerning Ontos	F
	x	362	171100	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning Ontos	F
	x	363	171600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	364	171600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
	x	365	181100	Sub Class V rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
x		366	181100	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 containing Ammo rpt	F

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
	x	367	181600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	368	181600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
x		369	190800	Rec'd msg fr TAB concerning Deadline Ontos		F
	x	370	191100	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning Air shipment		F
	x	371	191100	Sub msg to TAB6 concerning Ontos		F
	x	372	191600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	373	191600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	374	201600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	375	201600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	376	201600	Sub License request to 7th Engineer Bn		F
x		377	210800	Rec'd msg fr TAG containing SPOT REPORT		F
x		378	210800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
x		379	210800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		380	210900	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning air shipment		F
x		381	210900	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning supply		F
x		382	211500	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		383	211500	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
	x	384	211600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	385	211600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	386	211600	Sub Maintenance Bulletin to Companies		F
	x	387	220800	Sub msg to Companies concerning Suspended Ammo		F
	x	388	221600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	389	221600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F

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221600H Feb67	270900H Feb67

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops F-File
IN	OUT				
	x	390	230800	Sub msg to CG, 3d MarDiv concerning body armor	F
	x	391	230800	Sub msg to TAB concerning air shipment	F
	x	392	230800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning AIR SHIPMENT	F
	x	393	230800	Sub ltr to CG, 3d MarDiv on Entertainment Funds	F
x		394	230900	Rec msg fr TAB concerning Exp Ammo	F
x		395	230900	Rec msg fr TAA6 concerning air shipment	F
x		396	231000	Rec msg fr TAA2 concerning supply	F
x		397	231000	Rec msg fr TAA6 concerning Exp Ammo	F
x		398	231000	Rec msg fr TAA concerning Slip Documents	F
x		399	231100	Rec msg fr TAB6 concerning body armor	F
x		400	231130	Rec msg fr TAB21 concerning body armor	F
	x	401	231600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	402	231600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
x		403	240800	Rec'd msg fr TAB6 concerning Ontes	F
	x	404	241600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	405	241600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
	x	406	251600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	407	251600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
	x	408	251600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv	F
	x	409	261600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv	F
x		410	270800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA	F
x		4111	270900	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning Air Shipment	F

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270900H Feb67	281600H Feb67

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN	
IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troop F-File
x		412	270900	Rec'd msg fr TAC containing SPOT RPT		F
x		413	270900	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		414	270900	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
	x	415	271600	Sub Deadline RPT to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	416	271600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F
	x	417	280800	Sub msg to TAA6 concerning radio's		F
	x	418	280800	Sub msg to TAA6 and TAB6 concerning Deadline rpt		F
x		419	280800	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning R&E		F
x		420	280800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		421	280800	Rec'd SITREP fr TAB		F
x		422	280800	Rec'd msg fr TAB36 requesting 10 actuators		F
	x	423	281400	Sub Lessons Learned rpt to S-3		F
	x	424	281400	Sub Log Sum to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	425	281500	Sub Deadline Combat Essential rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	426	281500	Sub REDOPS to S-3		F
x		427	281500	Rec'd acknowledgement of UER fr CMC		F
x		428	281530	Rec'd SITREP fr TAA		F
x		429	281530	Rec'd msg fr TAA6 concerning GP Tents		F
	x	430	281600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 3d MarDiv		F
	x	431	281600	Sub Deadline rpt to CG, 1st MarDiv		F

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H&S COMPANY
3d Antitank Battalion
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO, San Francisco 96602

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28 Feb 1967

From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding Officer, 3d Antitank Bn (Attn: S-3)
Subj: Command Chronology Report; submission of
Ref: (a) BnO 5750.1

1. In accordance with reference (a), the following information is submitted:

a. Reaction Force

During the month of February, the Reaction Platoon conducted forty-seven (47) night patrol/ambushes, and twenty-one (21) day light patrols in the 3dATBn TAOR. These patrols netted seven (7) detainees who were interrogated and subsequently escorted to the III MAF PW Compound for classification. The results of the classification are not known. The Reaction Platoon also discovered three (3) cave/tunnel complexes, one of which contained one (1) frag grenade, one (1) Chinese claymore mine, one Chinese stick mine, two (2) 30 cal. carbines and numerous documents which were turned over to ITT, also two (2) fourteen inch diameter "bear" type spring traps were found "set" along a local trail. The Reaction Force suffered one WIA who was helo medivaced to 1stMedBn, with serious abdomen wounds, during the month. The Reaction Force was called upon by Smokerroom to act as a blocking force in a combined unit operation four times during the month.

b. C.P. Security

Construction of "tangle foot" wire between the double rows of perimeter defensive wire, was completed during this month and an additional 8 claymores were positioned in the perimeter defensive positions.

One (1) day light and one (1) twilight training alert was conducted during this month and the Battalion had one (1) emergency 100% alert during the month. During the TET holidays, the perimeter guards were increased 30% with 50% alert at all times and 100% alert for an hour at twilight and dawn.

Due to the anticipated move of the Battalion in the very near future, further construction projects were halted and only repair type work was conducted.

/s/ C. P. WAGER

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COMPANY "A"
 3d Antitank Battalion
 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
 FPO, San Francisco 96602

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 11 Feb 1967

From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, 3d Antitank Battalion
 Subj: Command Chronology
 Ref: (a) BnO 5750.1

Period Covered: 010001H To 102400H Feb67

Company "A"

Commanding Officer	Capt. BARCLAY HASTINGS
Executive Officer	1stLt. R. F. PINION
1stPlt. Commander	2ndLt. H. J. RILEY
2ndPlt. Commander	2ndLt. F. X. LAWLER
3dPlt. Commander	2ndLt. D. E. RUSH

UNIT	GRID LOG	MISSION	UNIT SUPPORTED
CoA	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines
1stPlt	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines
2ndPlt HySec	XD975561	D/S	L/3/3
LtSec	XD982544	D/S	3/3
3rdPlt HySec	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines
LtSec	YD026561	D/S	F/2/3

1. Operations.

a. During the reporting period this company continued in support of the 3d Marines. A total of 122 rounds of 106mm H&P-T were expended as H&I fires, with unknown results. There were no direct fire missions.

b. Statistics.

1st Platoon was dropped to BLT 1/3 on 31 January 1967. New 1st Platoon was joined on 6 February 1967 from BLT 1/9.

2nd Platoon supported L/3/3 with three (3) Ontos located at XD975567; fired a total of 12 rounds of 106mm H&P-T as H&I with unknown results. The light section still maintained its defensive position at XD982544 in support of 3/3

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3rd Platoon supported F/2/3 with a light section of Ontos at Khe Gio Bridge (YD026561); no rounds expended. On 1 February 1967, the 3rd Platoon supported 2/3 in a search and clear operation in the Cua Valley. On 1 February 1967 while recovering a vehicle from the operating area, two of the vehicles were involved in an accident, resulting in the death of Cpl. CATA. On 2 February 1967, the light section returned to Khe Gio Bridge. On 3 February 1967, an Ontos broke an axle, causing it to run into a 2½ Ton truck.

c. Cross country trafficability continues to improve due to the continuation of good weather.

2. Training.

- a. Maintenance, preventative maintenance and OJT - 60 hours
- b. Field Fortifications - 15 hours
 - Inspections, living quarters - 2 hours
 - Inspections, vehicular (concurrent)
 - Troop leadership responsibility (concurrent)
 - First Aid - 1 hour
 - M-60 7.62 Machine Gun - 1 hour
 - Supply Economy - 1 hour

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ENCLOSURE (4)

COMPANY "A"
 3d Antitank Battalion
 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
 FPO, San Francisco 96602

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 22 Feb 1967

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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, 3d Antitank Battalion

Subj: Command Chronology; report of

Ref: (a) BrO 5750.1

Period Covered: 110001 to 202400H Feb67

Company "A"

Commanding Officer
 1st Plt Commander
 2nd Plt Commander
 3d Plt Commander

Capt BARCLAY HASTINGS
 2ndLt H. J. RILEY
 2ndLt F. X. LAWLER
 2ndLt W. T. KOOT

UNIT	GRID LOG	MISSION	UNIT SUPPORTED
CoA	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines
1st Plt LtSec	XD975567	D/S	M/3/3
" "	XD982544	D/S	3/3
Provisional LtSec	YD014455	D/S	K/3/3
2nd Plt	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines
3d Plt Minus	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines

1. Operations

a. During the reporting period this Company continued in support of the 3d Marines. A total of 237 rounds of 106mm HEP-T were expended as H&I fires, with unknown results.

b. Statistics

(1) 1st Platoon replaced 2nd Platoon at XD982544 on 13 Feb 67 with two (2) Ontos at XD982544, two (2) Ontos at XD975567 in support of M/3/3, Provisional light section at YD014455 in support of K/3/3, with one (1) M50A1 attached to 1st Platoon from the 3d Platoon to form provisional light section at YD014455. Fired a total of 237 rounds of 106mm HEP-T as H&I with unknown results.

(2) 2nd Platoon replaced 1st Platoon at CP YD060541 from support of 3/3 at XD982544 and M/3/3 at XD975567 to support of 3d Marines at YD 060541 on call.

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(3) 3d Platoon presently undergoing maintenance and rebuilding at CP YD060541, with one (1) M50A1 attached to 1st Platoon to form light section at YD014455.

c. Cross country trafficability continues to improve due to the continuation of good weather.

d. Have newly constructed and tested a tow bar assembly for use on the Ontos. This will provide for rapid, yet safe emergency recovery of a disabled Ontos by another Ontos under combat conditions. This has greatly enhanced our ability for recovery under combat conditions.

2. Training

a. Maintenance, preventative maintenance and GJT - 80 hours

b. Field fortification and construction - 50 hours

c. Inspection, living quarters and troops - 3 hours

d. Troop leaders responsibility (concurrent)

- (1) Supply economy - 1 hour
- (2) Radio and Radio Telephone procedures - 6 hours
- (3) Mapping and compass - 3 hours
- (4) Types of Lubrication - 1 hour
- (5) Gun and Log book procedures - 1 hour
- (6) Boresighting procedures - 2 hours
- (7) Driving training - 3 hours

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W. T. KOOT
By direction

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ENCLOSURE (4)

COMPANY "A"
3d Antitank Battalion
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
P.O., San Francisco, 96602

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding Officer, 3d Antitank Battalion (Attn: S-3)

Subj: Command Chronology; report of

Ref: (a) BnG 5750.1

Period Covered: 210001h to 282400h Feb67

Company "A"

Commanding Officer
1st Plt Commander
2d Plt Commander
3d Plt Commander

Capt Barclay HASTINGS
2dLt H. J. KELLY
2dLt F.A. LOWMYER
2dLt W.L. KOOT

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>GRID LOC</u>	<u>AIRBORNE</u>	<u>UNIT SUPPORTED</u>
CoA	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines
1st Plt Light Sec	XD975567	D/S	M/3/3
1st Plt One Ontos	XD982544	D/S	3/3
Light Sec	YD014455	D/S	K/3/3
2d Plt	YD060541	D/S	2/3
3d Plt	YD060541	D/S	3d Marines

1. Operations

a. During the reporting period this company continued in support of 3d Marines. A total of 151 rounds of 106mm H&F-T were expended as H&I fires with unknown results. Twelve (12) rounds of 106mm H&F-T were fired at suspected VC positions with unknown results. On 20 February 1967, vehicle proceeding west on route 9(YD042566) drew four (4) rounds of sniper fire (Carbine) from vicinity YD042568. Seven (7) rounds 7.62mm returned. What resembled a body was seen to fall, and roll downhill. Area searched, evidence of a body rolling found. No other findings.

b. Statistics

(1) 1st platoon continued in support of 3/3 with two (2) Ontos located at XD975567 in support of M/3/3, one (1) Ontos located at XD982544 in support of 3/3, and two (2) Ontos located at YD014455 in support of K/3/3.

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On 27Feb67, one (1) Ontos displaced from AD982544 to YD014455, and the one (1) Ontos attached from 3d Platoon was detached. On 20Feb67, the two (2) Ontos located at YD014455 conducted an Ontos/Infantry patrol (See overlay #1). At check point 5, fired twelve (12) rounds of 106mm H&P-T ammunition at suspected VC positions in vicinity of YD058420. On 21Feb67 and 26Feb67 conducted escort for MLC&F at Thon Khe Meo (See overlay #2). Platoon fired a total of 151 rounds of 106mm H&P-T as H&I fires with unknown results.

(2) 2d Platoon remained in CP preparing for embarkation and was dropped to LIT 2/3 on 25Feb67.

(3) 2d Platoon undergoing maintenance, rebuilding and Ontos recovery procedures.

c. Cross country trafficability continues to improve due to the continuation of good weather.

2. Training

- a. Maintenance, preventive maintenance and CWT - 64 hours
- b. Field fortification and construction - 40 hours
- c. Inspection, troops and living quarters - 2 hours
- d. Troop leader responsibility - (concurrent)
 - (1) Supply economy - 1 hour
 - (2) Radio and radio telephone procedures and radio logs - 4 hours
 - (3) Mapping and compass - 3 hours
 - (4) Types of lubrication - 1 hour
 - (5) Gun and Logbook procedures - 1 hour
 - (6) Boreighting procedures - 1 hour
 - (7) Driver training and Ontos recovery procedures - 4 hours

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CONFIDENTIALCOMMAND CHRONOLOGY

Period covered: (010001 to 102400 Feb67)

Company ("B")

Commanding Officer
Executive Officer
1st Plt Cdr
2nd Plt Cdr
3rd Plt Cdr
3rd Plt Assistant Plt Cdr

Capt. S. L. CAMBY
Unassigned
2nd Lt GIBSON
1st Lt EGAN
2nd Lt BAILEY
2nd Lt THOMPSON

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>GRID LOC</u>	<u>MISSION</u>	<u>UNIT SPTD</u>
Co("B") fwd	(YD531315)	(D/S)	(3/26)
rear	(YD895146)		
1st Plt (H Section)	(YD578282)	(D/S)	(K/3/26)
(L Section)	(YD531315)	(D/S)	(3/26)
2nd Plt	(YD531315)	(D/S)	(3/26)
3rd Plt (H Section)	(YD485279)	(D/S)	(M/3/26)
(L Section)	(YD531315)	(D/S)	(3/26)

1. Operations

a. The Company (fwd) continued in D/S of 3/26 on Operation Chinook. Two H Sections have been operating at Infantry company patrol bases, while the remainder of vehicles have been positioned as a reaction force and manning defensive positions on the Battalion perimeter. On 5 February the Company (fwd) area recieved 7-8 rounds of mortars from unknown number of Viet Cong. No casualties-damaged M-49 Tanker-4 flat tires, 64 holes in right side of cab.

The 1st Plt, on 1 February, provided a H Section in D/S of 2/M/3/26 on a search and destroy patrol to YD473304. At these coordinates, the section set up positions overlooking a village, and commenced to search the village at YD472309. However, a sighting of VC by another unit resulted in the patrol being ordered to YD489319. Upon reaching the position, 4 VC were sighted at YD487323 wearing Khaki uniforms, helmets, packs and rifles. The Ontos delivered 300 rounds .30 Cal, resulting in 4 VC KIA probable. The Ontos continued a recon by fire with 15 rounds 106MM. On 2 February the platoon dispatched a H Section in D/S of K/3/26 at YD578282. On 4 February this section fired 10 rounds 106MM as H7I into Grid Squares 5728, 5826, and 5726 with unknown results. On February 5 the H Section reported one MIA, PFC S. P. SCHUMANN, 2226408, USMC.

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An investigation was commenced by 1stLt EGAN. On 7 February, PFC SCHUMANN walked into the Company rear CP. The investigation is proceeding. On 5 February during the enemy mortar attack the Platoon suffered over 200 holes in their CP tent - no casualties. On 6 February the H Section with K/3/26 fired 18 rounds 106MM from YD572279 at VC coordinates YD575245 and YD567243. Resulted in 3 VC KIA probable. On 6 and 7 February the section fired 50 rounds total as H&I into Grid Squares 5827, 5826, 5926, 6027, 6026, and 5927 with unknown results.

The 2ndPlt continued to operate in two separate sections until 10Feb, when the H Section departed PHU BAI for the Operation Chinook area. The H Section Maintained defensive positions at PHU BAI 1-9Feb. The L Section, in the Operation Chinook area, was with K/3/26 until 2Feb when 1stPlt effected a relief in place. The remainder of the reporting period was spent in defensive positions in the chinook area.

The 3rd Plt, on 1Feb, dispatched a H Section in D/S on 2/M/3/26 to YD465314. The Section later moved to YD 489314 with H Section 1st and 2/M/3/26, where the section fired 4 rounds 106mm as recon by fire into YD487323. The platoon maintained defensive position on the Battalion perimeter from 2 to 4Feb. On 4Feb a H Section, with M/3/26, departed for a company patrol base at YD485279. Their defensive positions were set up. On 5Feb the section accompanied a search and destroy patrol to YD498275 where 80 rounds .50cal were expended in killing 10 water buffalo, in line with the Battalion policy of "scorched earth" in this operating area. During the same day 6 rounds were fired (106mm) as H&I into YD522227. On 6Feb 12 rounds H&I 106mm were fired into YD473282 and YD461081. The Section also went on S&D patrol with negative results. On 7Feb 36 rounds 106mm were fired as H&I. The remainder of the reporting period was spent in defensive positions until 10Feb, when the section went on a S&D patrol with negative results.

b. Statistics

- 1) Company fwd in Operation Chinook
- 2) Patrols - 1stPlt - (H Section) - 1Feb - spotted 4 VC
(H Section) - 2Feb - neg results
3rdPlt - (H Section) - 1Feb - neg results
(H Section) - 4Feb - to Co. patrol base
- 5Feb - neg results
- 6Feb - neg results
- 3) None
- 4) 7 KIA probable
- 5) none
- 6) none
- 7) Ontos - 8 missions - H&I - 114 rds 106mm HEPT - unknown results

c. Effectiveness remains excellent - good terrain - no limitations

d. none

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2. Training

- a. OJT - 60
- b. Informal
 - 1) 3
 - 2-4) None
- c. FAM - M-14 - 10
 - M1911A1 - 6
- d. None

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ENCLOSURE (5)

CONFIDENTIALCOMMAND CHRONOLOGY

Period Covered: (110001-202400 Feb67)

Company ("B")

Commanding Officer (110001-120915)
 (120915-202400)
 Acting (191000-201400)

Executive Officer

1stPlt Cmdr

2ndPlt Cmdr

(110001-120915)
 (120915-202400)

3rdPlt Cmdr

Capt S. L. CAMBY

1stLt R. F. PINION

2ndLt R. L. J. GIBSON

Unassigned

2ndLt R. L. J. GIBSON

1stLt D. J. EGAN

SSgt F. A. DICKINSON

2ndLt D. E. THOMPSON

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>GRID LOC</u>	<u>MISSION</u>	<u>Unit Sptd</u>
Co"B" (fwd)	YD535319	D/S	3/26
(rear)	YD875149		
1stLt	YD535320	D/S	3/26
2ndPlt	YD537317	D/S	3/26
3rdPlt	YD530321	D/S	3/26

1. Operations

a. The company (fwd) continued in their assigned mission in D/S of 3/26 on Operation Chinook with elements participating in one mechanized patrol, one search and destroy operation and providing perimeter security for 3/26 and 4th Marines C. P. and outlying patrol bases. Upon commencement of Operation Chinook II at 170001 Feb67, 12 M50A1's were actively employed in the direct support role. On 12 Feb67, 10 M50A1's participated in a search and destroy operation in support of "I" and "M" Co's, 3/26. During the initial move into the objective area, the lead vehicle with 6 Co"B" personnel and 1 infantry personnel aboard, hit a land mine at YD586269, resulting in almost total destruction of the vehicle and the death of all persons aboard, as reflected further in this report. The mission continued with 9 vehicles employed on the high ground in a blocking position in conjunction with M42 and M48 tanks from YD585270 to YD584275. During the night, 3 vehicles were returned to assist in the perimeter security of 3/26 C. P. (rear), while 6 vehicles were employed as night security for blocking force and 3/26 C. P. (fwd) on hill 56 GS 5728. On 13 Feb67, the search and destroy operation was resumed with 6 vehicles employed in essentially the same positions as the previous day. Missions fired throughout the sweep are as noted in para 2(7).

b. 1st Platoon - From 110001H-141200H, H Section 1stPlt continued to provide security for Co"I" patrol base on hill 56 GS 5728, participating in the search and destroy operation as outlined in para 1a. At 141200H, the H Section returned to perimeter to provide security for 3/26 and 4th Mar C. P.

c. 2nd Platoon - H Section, 2ndPlt participated in search and destroy operation on 12 Feb as outlined in above. During the course of the operation, one vehicle was destroyed by a land mine and 4 personnel killed as described

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in para 1a and 2(f). At 1700, the remaining 2 vehicles with one vehicle from 1stPlt returned to perimeter to assist L Section 2ndPlt and infantry units in security of 3/26 and 4th ar C.P. H Section, 2ndPlt relieved H Section, 1stPlt as security of "I"Co 3/26 patrol base from 141200 to 151600H. Then, providing convoy security for "I"Co 3/26, H Section 2ndPlt returned to perimeter base camp at 151600 where remainder of reporting period were retained to assist in security for 3/26 and 4th ar C.P.

d. 3rd Platoon's Section continued to provide security for Co"K" 3/26 patrol base at YL485279 from 110001-111900H participated in patrol activities as outlined in para 1a. 12 and 13Feb, H Section 3rdPlt participated in search and destroy operation in conjunction with 1st and 2ndPlt's as outlined in para 1a. For remainder of reporting period assisted in security of 3/26 and 4th ar C.P.'s. H Section 3rdPlt conducted patrolling activities with two platoons Co"K" 3/26 from Co"K" patrol base at YD485279 to YD473302 with negative contact.

2. STATISTICS

- (1) Company (fwd) in Operation Chinook 1 and II
12-13Feb Search and destroy operation-1 vehicle destroyed - 6 KIA - no positive results
- (2) Patrols - 3rdPlt - 12Feb - negative results
- (3) Friendly casualties - 12Feb67

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ser#</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
CAMBY, S. L.	Capt	087742	Co"B" Cmdr	KIA
EGAN, D. J.	1stLt	089491	2ndPlt Cmdr	KIA
BUTLER, A. L.	Cpl	2052479	SectLdr, 2ndPlt	KIA
NILMI, R. L.	PFC	2202454	Driver, B25	KIA
SAITAGO-ARZQUIZ, .	PFC	2320146	Loader, B25	KIA
SYLWANOICZ, C. S.	LCpl	2202133	RadioOperator	KIA

All personnel listed above KIA 12Feb67 when vehicle on which they were riding detonated a land mine. Evaluation of explosive device by L.C.B. personnel revealed one 250 lb. bomb detonated by one or more 155mm projectiles. Of 18 106mm HEPT rounds carried on the vehicle, none were detonated by the explosion.

- (4) None
- (5) Weapons lost or evacuated: (List submitted to Battalion Supply Officer on 20 February 1967.)
- (6) None
- (7) Ontos - 2 missions - HEI - 78 rds as HEI - HEPT - unknown results-106mm
2 missions - recon by fire - 2200 rds .30Cal - unknown results

3. No change from previous report. As end of monsoons draw near terrain limitations in the objective area continually decrease - Effectiveness excellent.

4. Although officially transferred from the command, 2ndLt M. L. BAILEY volunteered to participate in the operation of 12 and 13 February 1967 and was instrumental in maintaining the tactical efficiency of the company when the two senior officers were killed. Assisted by SSgt L. K. SAUTHERMAN, PltSgt, 1stPlt, he organized and supervised the location, identification, and evacuation of the KIA's with a minimum of confusion, time, and loss of morale.

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TRAINING

- a. OJT - 60 hrs.
- b. Internal
 - (1)-(4) None
 - (5) .30 Cal Machine Gun - 1 Hr. - 1st Plt
- c. None
- d. Problems areas encountered
 - (1) Positive communications between forward C.P., rear C.P., and Battalion continue to present a problem in that message traffic must be relayed through Company "A". Although a "roger" is obtained from the operators concerned, oftentimes messages, if received at their final destination, are garbled or incomplete.
 - (2) Although not a significant problem, with the death of one Commander and the hospitalization of his successor during the reporting period, the frequency of change of command is noteworthy.

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ENCLOSURE (5)

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COMPANY "B"
 3d Antitank Battalion
 3d Marine Division (Rein), MAF
 FPO, San Francisco 96602

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 5750
 1 Mar 1967

From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, 3d Antitank Battalion

Subj: Command Chronology

Ref: BnO 5750.1

Period Covered: 210001H Feb67 to 280400H Feb67

Company "B"

Commanding Officer
 Executive Officer
 1stPlt Commander
 2ndPlt Commander
 3rdPlt Commander

1stLt R. P. RINTON
 Unassigned
 2ndLt R. I. J. GIBSON
 Sgnt F. A. DICKINSON
 2ndLt D. E. THOMPSON

UNIT	GRID LOC	MISSION	UNIT SUPPORTED
CoB (Fwd)	YD535319	D/S	4th Marines
(Rear)	YD875146	D/S	
1stPlt	YD535319	D/S	3/26
2ndPlt	YD535319	D/S	3/26
3rdPlt	YD535319	D/S	3/26

1. Operations.

a. During the reporting period this company continued in support of the 4th Marines. There were no rounds fired. On 16 February 1967, Chinook terminated and Chinook II commenced on 17 February 1967 at 0001H. Operations planned during the period were postponed due to weather.

b. First and Second platoons remained in the Forward CP and were in a stand-by status as a reaction force with 3/26.

Third Platoon provided a heavy section to maintain defensive positions on the perimeter.

c. Cross country traversability remains good to excellent over most of the terrain.

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2. Training.

- a. Maintenance, preventive maintenance and QIT - 60 hours
- b. Communications - 1 hour
Inspections, vehicular (concurrent)
.30 Caliber Machine Gun - 1 hour
- c. FAW Firing - M-14 - 7, .20 Caliber Machine Gun - 8, .45 Caliber
Sub-machine Gun - 1, M1918 - 3.

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ENCLOSURE (5)

COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

Period Covered: 010001 February 1967 to (24)000 February 1967

Company "C", 3dATBn

Commanding Officer

1st Plt Comdr

2nd Plt Comdr

Asst Plt Comdr

3rd Plt Comdr

Waiting Trans

Capt. S. T. FLYNN

2ndLt W. H. MONAGHAN

2ndLt J. B. BROCK

2ndLt J. L. HICKMAN

2ndLt F. G. MISEMER

1stLt F. H. RIVERO

1. OPERATIONS

a. The general disposition of the Company was 1st Platoon D/S of 2/26. 2nd Platoon D/S of 2/4. 3rd Platoon D/S of 1/26. The Company CP was forward of Hill 55.

b. SUMMARY OF PLATOON ACTIONS

(1) 1st Platoon. The 1st Platoon commenced this reporting period with 1-1 & 1-3 D/S E 2/26 coord 905718 providing CP security. 1-2 & 1-5 D/S H 2/26 coord 892772 providing CP security. Positions remained the same through the 10th.

(2) 2nd Platoon. The 2nd Platoon commenced this reporting period with 2-1 & 2-2 D/S G 2/4 coord 938643 providing CP security, & security for road sweeps. 2-3 & 2-5 acted as a blocking force at coord 865573 for Operation Independence. 2-4 D/S H 2/4 coord 878577 On the 8th 2-3 & 2-5 D/S H 2/4. Position remained the same through the 10th.

(3) 3rd Platoon. The Platoon commenced the reporting period with 3-1 & 3-5 D/S B 1/26 coord 919545 providing CP security. 3-2 D/S 1/26 coord 968616, & 3-4 deadlined at Battalion Maint. On the 4th 3-1 & 3-2 D/S of B 1/26 3-4 & 3-5 D/S 1/26. On the 7th 3-5 deadlined at B Battalion Maint. Positions remained the same through the 10th.

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c. STATISTICS

(1) Operations - 1st Platoon - None
 2nd Platoon - Operation Independence
 3rd Platoon - None

(2) Patrols - None

(3) Friendly Casualties - None

(4) Enemy Casualties - None

(5) Weapons or equipment lost or evacuated - None

(6) Destroyed or captured enemy material - None

(7) Ontos - None

d. Terrain Limitations - None

e. Noteworthy achievements by members of this command - None

f. Training - Personnel of Company Headquarters and 3rd Platoon fired
.30 cal MG, M60, 50 Cal MG and T/S weapons for familiarization.

S. T. FLYNN

ENCLOSURE (6)

COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

Period Covered: 110001 February 1967 to 202400 February 1967

Company "C", 3dATBn

Commanding Officer

1st Plt Comdr

2nd Plt Comdr

3rd Plt Comdr

Capt. S. T. FLYNN

2ndLt W. H. MONAGHAN

2ndLt J. B. BROCK relieved by

2ndLt J. L. HICKMAN on 16Feb67

2ndLt F. G. MISEMER

1. OPERATIONS

a. The general disposition of the Company was 1st Platoon D/S of 2/26. 2nd Platoon D/S of 2/4. 3rd Platoon D/S of 1/26. The Company CP was forward of Hill 55.

b. SUMMARY OF PLATOON ACTIONS

(1) 1st Platoon. The 1st Platoon commenced this reporting period with 1-1, 1-3 & 1-4 D/S of E 2/26 coord 905718. Providing CP security. 1-2 & 1-5 D/S of H 2/4 coord 892772. Providing CP security. On the 13th H 2/26 relieved by E 2/26. On the 14th light section acted as blocking force for Plt sweep coord 874733. On the 15th 1-3 to Bn Maint for survey. On the 17th received replacement vehicle for 1-4. On the 18th received R&E vehicle 1-3. Positions remained the same through the 20th.

(2) 2nd Platoon. The 2nd Platoon commenced this reporting period with 2-1 & 2-2 D/S of G 2/4 coord 938643 providing CP security. 2-3 & 2-5 D/S of H 2/4 CAC unit coord 876574 providing CP security. 2-4 D/S of H 2/4 coord 878577. On the 18th 2-2 fired 3-106mm HEP-T at V.C. snipers while on sweep with G 2/4. Negative results. On the 19th 2/4 moved to G 2/4. On the 20th 2-3 fired 5-106mm HEP-T destroyed 1 boat 4 V. C. KIA (confirmed). Positions remained the same through the 20th.

(3) 3rd Platoon. The 3rd Platoon commenced this reporting period with 3-1 & 3-2 D/S of B 1/26 coord 919545 providing CP security. 3-4 D/S of 1/26 at "C"Co 3dATBn CP. 3-5 deadlined at Bn Maint. On the 20th 3-4 & 3-5 D/S of B 1/26. 3-1 & 3-2 "C"Co 3dATBn. Positions remained the same through the 20th.

ENCLOSURE (6)

c. STATISTICS

- (1) Operations - 1st Platoon - None
2nd Platoon - None
3rd Platoon - None
- (2) Patrols - None
- (3) Friendly Casualties - None
- (4) Enemy Casualties - 4 V.C. KIA (Confirmed)
- (5) Weapons or equipment lost or evacuated - None
- (6) Destroyed or captured enemy material - 1 boat destroyed
- (7) Ontos - Ontos fired 2 missions for a total of 8-106mm HEPT

d. Terrain Limitations - None

e. Noteworthy achievements by members of this command - None

f. Training - Personnel of 1st Platoon fired .30 cal MG, M60, 50 Cal MG and T/O weapons for familiarization.

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ENCLOSURE (6)

COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

Period Covered: 210001 February 1967 to 282400 February 1967

Company "C", 3dATBn

Commanding Officer
1st Plt Comdr
2nd Plt Comdr
3rd Plt Comdr

Capt. S. T. FLYNN
2ndLt W. H. MONAGHAN
2ndLt J. L. HICKMAN
2ndLt F. G. WISEMER

1. OPERATIONS

a. The general disposition of the Company was 1st Platoon D/S of 2/26. 2nd Platoon D/S of 2/4. 3rd Platoon D/S of 1/26. The Company CP was forward of Hill 55.

b. SUMMARY OF PLATOON ACTIONS

(1) 1st Platoon. The 1st Platoon commenced this reporting period with 1-1, 1-2, & 1-4 D/S E 2/26 coord 905718, providing CP security. 1-3 & 1-5 D/S E 2/26 coord 892772, providing CP security. On the 26th E 2/26 relieved by F 2/26. Positions remained the same through the 28th.

(2) 2nd Platoon. The 2nd Platoon commenced this reporting period with 2-1, 2-2, & 2-4 D/S G 2/4 coord 938643, providing CP security. 2-3 & 2-5 D/S H 2/4 CAC unit coord 876574. On the 24th 2-1 fired 10-106 HEP-T, 2-4 fired 2-106 HEP-T at V.C. sniper positions. Results 2 houses destroyed. On the 28th 2-3 received sniper fire, fired 3-106 HEP-T. Positions remained the same through the 28th.

(3) 3rd Platoon. The 3rd Platoon commenced this reporting period with 3-1 & 3-2 D/S C 1/26 coord 967585, providing CP security. 3-4 & 3-5 D/S B 1/26 coord 920545 providing CP security. On the 24th 3-2 fired 1-106 HEP-T DUD Lot #912. Positions remained the same through the 28th.

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c. STATISTICS

- (1) Operations - 1st Platoon - None
 2nd Platoon - None
 3rd Platoon - None
- (2) Patrols - None
- (3) Friendly Casualties - None
- (4) Enemy Casualties - None
- (5) Weapons or equipment lost or evacuated - None
- (6) Destroyed or captured enemy material - None
- (7) Ontos - Ontos fired 3 missions for a total of 15-106 HEP-T

d. Terrain Limitations - None

e. Noteworthy achievements by members of this command - None

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ENCLOSURE (6)

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HEADQUARTERS
3d Antitank Battalion
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO, San Francisco, 96602

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1 Mar 1967

From: S-4
To: S-3

Subj: Command Chronology; report of

Encl: (1) S-4 Journal for Month of February 1967

1. During the month of February the following highlights occurred in sections under the auspices of the S-4.

2. Supply

a. One ONTOS platoon was invoiced to the Second Battalion, Third Marines as part of BLT 2/3.

b. One platoon was received by invoice after rehabilitation on Okinawa.

c. A total of twenty-seven tents, general purpose were received along with some class IV material in preparation for displacement of the Battalion Command Post.

d. A total of 254 requisitions of all priorities were submitted, while a total of 380 were received.

3. Communications

a. A Yagi antenna was installed at "A" Company's position for establishment of more reliable communications.

b. A test was conducted at "C" Company's position to determine if communications between there and Phu Bai will be possible after the Battalion Command Post displaces. Communications will be possible.

4. Ordnance Maintenance

a. Five ONTOS were received under the FY-67 R&E program and one replacement ONTOS for a T/E deficiency was received.

b. Three work orders were accepted during the month and four were completed. Two contact teams were sent out to the companies.

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5. Motor Transport

- a. A total of 991 trips were dispatched for 14,019 miles.

D. C. SATCHER

ENCLOSURE (2)