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Encl: ✓(1) 3d Engineer Battalion Command Chronology

1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a) and (b), enclosure (1) is submitted.
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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA1. DESIGNATION

3d Engineer Battalion
3d Marine Division (Rein) FMF

COMMANDER

LtCol J. H. REID, Jr.
1-20Oct67
LtCol R. C. MCCUTCHAN
7-31Oct67

SUBORDINATE UNITS

None

ATTACHED UNITS

None

2. LOCATION

- 1-31Oct67: Company "A" with detachments of Support Company and H&S
Company located at Dong Ha, RVN
- 1-31Oct67: Company "B" with detachments of Support Company and H&S
Company located at Co Bi Then Tan
- 1-31Oct67: Company "C" with detachments of Support Company and H&S
Company located at Dong Ha, RVN
- 1-31Oct67: H&S Company and Support Company minus detachments, located
at Gia Le, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer

Maj G. B. CORNWALL
1-13Oct67
Maj J. W. PERRIN
14-31Oct67

Adjutant/S-1

2dLt F. P. BACA
1-31Oct67

Personnel Officer

2dLt J. R. EVERETT
1-31Oct67

S-2

2dLt P. R. KNOWLES
1-31Oct67

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Maj J. W. PERRIN
1-13Oct67
Capt J. H. BOWMAN
14-31Oct67

S-4

Maj E. W. GRAEFF
1-31Oct67

4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

<u>USMC</u>	
<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
33	780

<u>USN</u>	
<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
02	8

<u>OTHER</u>	
<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
0	0

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

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A. INTELLIGENCE

1. The Intelligence Officer continued to hold nightly briefings for the Battalion Commander and Section Heads during the month of October. The briefings consisted of significant mine and booby trap incident reports and current VC/NVA activities in the immediate area of Gia Le Combat Base. The Battalion Intelligence Chief and Assistant substituted in the absence of the Intelligence Officer.

2. During the month of October there was a noted decrease in the number of mine and boobytrap incidents reported. A total of 78 mine and boobytrap incidents for October as compared with a total of 94 mine and boobytrap incidents for September. Of the total mine and boobytrap incidents reported, 44 were detonated and 34 were either found and destroyed or disarmed. Again for the month of October the most common type device used was grenades rigged as boobytraps and also AP mines. The highest concentration of incidents was in the area in and around the southwest area of Quang Tri.

B. Training

1. Draining during the month of October consisted of GMS Training outlined in Part II, section B.

2. The 3d Marine Division Land Mine Warfare School, conducted by this Battalion, continued to instruct both Division and non-division personnel in Mines, boobytraps, and demolitions.

a. PHU BAI LMWS

4/12	15
1/13	6
155 guns	9
3d Engr Bn	<u>4</u>
Total	34

3. During October the 3d Marine Division Tunnel Teams continued to train.

C. Operations

1. General. During October the 3d Engineer Battalion remained operational in general support of the 3d Marine Division. Employment of the battalion was in a dual role of Combat Support and Combat service support.

2. General Combat Support

a. A total of 370 deliberate/visual minesweeps were conducted during October for a daily average distance of 33,809 meters. The following MSR segments were covered:

(YD 031549-033563)	(YD 460400-549327)
(YD 033561-033565)	(YD 549327-605310)
(YD 026562-058550)	(YD 549327-527308)
(YD 077570-077523)	(YD 623304-549327)
(YD 114702-135674)	(YD 523539-299566)
(YD 147614-135674)	(YD 525308-508308)
(YD 248605-382489)	(YD 323539-299566)
(YD 842418-821432)	(YD 467273-509290)
(YD 113702-113699)	(YD 547327-468383)

b. In addition sweep teams were provided on an on call bases for sand and gravel hauling operations and by-pass sweeps for tracked vehicles as follows:

(YD 549327)	(YD 527308)
(YD 549286)	(YD 546322)
(YD 499291)	(YD 509309)
(YD 533174)	(YD 495295)
(YD 523347)	(YD 521299)
(YD 509295)	(YD 549282)
	(YD 532342)

3. Direct Combat Support

a. Combat support of infantry operations was provided through task organized engineer units from the 3d Engineer Battalion. This support was primarily provided by the three letter companies, with detachments from H&S Company and Support Company providing communication, medical, and equipment support. The three letter companies provided an average of 371 engineers for close combat support of infantry operations in the QUANG TRI, DONG HA, KHE SANH, COBI THAN TAN and PHU BAI areas of operation. The primary work performed during October was mine sweeping, demolitions, tunnel destruction, and bunker construction.

b. "A" Company continued to support the 3d Marine Regiment in northern Quang Tri Province. One platoon from "A" Company is located at KHE SANH with the general mission of developing and maintaining the base camp.

c. "B" Company continued its support of the 4th Marine Regiment at COBI THAN TAN.

d. "C" Company continued support of the 9th Marine Regiment in the DONG HA and CON THIEN areas. One platoon from "C" Company is at KHE SANH under OPCON of the 1/26 Marines.

e. Ordnance and fortification destroyed by elements of the 3d Engineer Battalion during October are listed in Part IV, Section E. Documentations are found in Part IV, Section A.

4. Combat Service Support

a. Roads and Bridges

No major road construction was conducted during October. Elements from H&S Company and Support Company assisted 1st Plt., 3d Bridge Company, 7th Engineer Battalion in the installation of an M-4 floating bridge across the SONG NONG river South of PHU BAI.

b. Field Fortifications

This unit continued to assist other units in the KHE SANH, DONG HA QUANG TRI, COBI THAN TAN and PHU BAI areas with material and manpower to improve existing field fortification including defensive wire and bunker construction. The largest project in this area was the construction of 7000' of defensive wire and (12) 8'x8' bunkers at the ASP, Phu Bai. 26 October 1967 this unit started construction of a 40'x70' communications bunker at the Div CP, Phu Bai.

c. General Construction

The VIP guest house at the Division CP was completed 16 October. Continued working on road system, drainage and sodding at the Division CP. "A" Company constructed (21) huts and continued construction of gun pads for 8/4th Artillery. "C" Company is constructing a messhall for the 9th Marines. "B" Company constructed the Regimental CO's quarters at Camp Evans.

Construction platoon, Service Company is constructing a 20'x20' water tank at Division CP.

d. Utilities

The Utilities Platoon, Support Company completed wiring and plumbing for the VIP guest house for the Division CP. Ten water points were operated during October. Totals for the month were:

Potable	6,364,150
Raw	1,997,000
Total	<u>8,361,150</u>

e. Drafting and Surveying

The drafting and surveying section continued to support the Division with a drafting, surveying and layout capability.

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D. COMMUNICATIONS

1. COMMUNICATIONS WERE MAINTAINED WITH ENGINEER UNITS LOCATED AT DONG HA AND CAMP EVANS.
2. PROVIDED COMMUNICATION CENTER GUARD FOR ALL UNITS AT GIA LE COMBAT BASE.
3. PROVIDED RADIO COMMUNICATION WITH ALL UNITS WITHIN GIA LE PERIMETER DURING HOURS OF DARKNESS.
4. PROVIDED RADIO COMMUNICATION WITH OBSERVATION POST DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS.
5. PROVIDED 24-HOUR SWITCHBOARD WATCH AT BATTALION HEADQUARTERS.
6. REPLACED LARGE AMOUNT OF CABLED COMMUNICATION WIRE WITH 25-PAIR TELEPHONE CABLE TO SERVE SOUTHERN PART OF COMMAND POST.
7. PROVIDED RADIO COMMUNICATION AND RELAY LINK TO BRIDGE PLATOON DURING REPAIR OF BLOWN BRIDGE ON HIGHWAY 1.
8. ASSEMBLED ELECTRIC ORGAN FOR BATTALION CHAPEL.
9. RELOCATED CHAPLIN'S TELEPHONE.
10. PROVIDED RADIO COMMUNICATION FOR BRIDGE PLATOON CONSTRUCTION BRIDGE ON HIGHWAY 1.
11. PROVIDED RADIO COMMUNICATION FOR SALVAGE OPERATION AT NAM HOA FERRY SITE.
12. PROVIDED SOUND EQUIPMENT TO SUPPORT USO SHOW PRESENTED AT 3rd ENG BN.

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E. LOGISTICS

1. During October 1967 the 3d Engineer Battalion continued to manage and coordinate its logistic support from its Headquarters at the Gia Le Combat Base. Relief of the Battalion Commander as a result of rotation was effected on 2 October.
2. In addition to its other construction tasks, the Battalion replaced five bridges in October, three of which were destroyed by VC action, and two which were rendered unusable because of rains and flooding. Pressing T/E deficiencies required maximum coordination in the use of equipment on hand in order to meet time schedules for placing new bridges in operation. The limited availability of standard bridge components also dictated maximum economy in construction and improvisation whenever possible. As with the last monsoon, the forthcoming wet season can be expected to bring with it very heavy commitments to bridging operations. The availability of support equipment and standard bridging components will therefore be of the utmost importance in sustaining the logistic support of the Division in the next few months.
3. Increased attention was devoted to a variety of equipment problems during October.
 - a. In the area of base development, the matter of generator support was the subject of a visit by Headquarters Marine Corps and BuDocks representatives. The consensus was that there is an urgent requirement to replace tactical generators with larger commercial generators for camp power. The tactical generator is not designed for continuous operation over a period of several months.
 - b. Reporting of deadlined combat essential equipment came under review by Headquarters, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, because of numerous discrepancies in machine printouts which seriously confused the actual deadline situation. Reporting by field maintenance activities appeared to be the major problem area.
 - c. An increasing number of major end items deadlined and on requisition has brought about continuing review by Division representatives to determine what action might be taken to upgrade this organization's equipment readiness. Organic supply management is in excellent condition; therefore, reporting of degraded readiness in the OPSTAT was considered to be the best means of bringing the problem to the attention of higher headquarters for special assistance.
4. As reported for September, there has been no improvement in the availability of timbers for bunker construction and bridge maintenance. Construction in the Phu Bai and Camp Evans areas continues to be held up.

5. Organizations of the Gia Le Combat Base employ approximately 200 Vietnamese civilians under a civil service program managed by the Naval Support Activity, Danang. The monthly payroll amounts to about \$10,000. This represents one Base's contribution to the economic progress of Vietnam. This money is not donated or granted by the American people; it is earned by the Vietnamese. Moreover, through this type of program the Vietnamese people are offered the opportunity to acquire a wide variety of skills, to learn the techniques of management and administration, and to acquire incentive, a sense of progress and accomplishment, and the ability to save. This is progress in the most practical and obvious sense, and one of the goals repeatedly emphasized by the President. Most significant about such a program is that it is happening throughout the Republic of Vietnam.
6. A more detailed analysis of logistic operations during October is provided in the attached Logistics Summary Report.

F. CIVIL AFFAIRS

1. During the month of October no Med Caps were conducted. Med Caps are usually held by 3d Engineer Battalion in the village of Loc Dien. This month the bridges between Gia Le and the village of Loc Dien were destroyed. Therefore 3d Engineer Battalion was unable to conduct their monthly Med Cap Programs as planned.

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SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

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- 10Oct67: Capt Paul R. CATALOGNE, 088796/1302, USMC and SSgt Robert R. FORSHEY, 1695848/1372, USMC were dropped to CONUS.
- 20Oct67: LtCol Robert C. MCCUTCHAN, 044383/1302, USMC was joined from HqBn, 3dMarDiv. PFC Michael D. MCCAFFERTY, 2312757/1371, USMC and LQpl Harold D. RUDOLPH, 2282636/2531, USMC were WIA.
- 30Oct67: PFC Ronald H. MALLOY, 2169849/1371, USMC was WIA.
- 40Oct67: LtCol James H. REID, Jr., 046880/1302, USMC was dropped to CONUS. LQpl Eddie W. ALBERT, 2257219/1345, USMC was awarded the Purple Heart Medal.
- 50Oct67: PFC Robert J. STAPELTON, 2171243/1371, USMC was awarded the Purple Heart Medal.
- 60Oct67: LtCol Gerald B. CORNWALL, 058139/1302, USMC was promoted to present rank.
- 10Oct67: 1stLt William M. RICE, 095016/1302, USMC was joined from CONUS. GySgt Douglas G. CUMMINS, 1435062/1371, USMC was dropped to CONUS. HMC Charles G. HAWS, 2315016, USN was awarded the Navy Commendation Medal with Combat "V".
- 11Oct67: CWO4 William R. MECER, 058554/1310, USMC was dropped to Camp S. D. Butler by SR. LQpl General A. COPE, 2307922/1371, USMC was WIA.
- 120Oct67: PFC Felton M. CHILLIOUS, Jr., 2206708/1371, USMC awarded the Bronze Star Medal. Qpl Richard L. SCHULTZ, 2226890/1371, USMC awarded the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.
- 130Oct67: LtCol Gerald B. CORNWALL, 058139/1302, USMC was dropped to CONUS. 1stLt Daniel J. BARETTA, 092964/1302, USMC was joined from CONUS.
- 160Oct67: 1stLt Leonard E. MILLER, 093302/1302, USMCR was joined from CONUS.
- 180Oct67: PFC Randy G. LANDES, 2226053/1371, USMC awarded the Purple Heart Medal.
- 220Oct67: Capt John P. BURKE, 073623/1302, USMC was dropped to HqBn, 3dMarDiv.
- 230Oct67: 1stLt William R. FORD, 092064/1302, USMC was joined from CONUS. Capt Kenneth J. KIRICOPOULOS, 091808/1302, USMCR was promoted to present rank. Qpl Roger L. ENGLISH, 2115264/1371, USMC was WIA. Qpl James L. OSBORN, 2176871/1371, USMC and PFC Michael G. SHOLL, 2279505/1371, USMC, were awarded the Purple Heart Medal.

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- 24Oct67: PFC Roger D. KELL, 2203909/1371, USMC was MIA.
- 25Oct67: 1stSgt Roy G. NEELY, 899293/9999, USMC and SSgt Victor L. CHAUN, 1609691/1371, USMC were dropped to CONUS.
- 26Oct67: CWO2 Jessie R. CLARK, 083969/0130, USMC joined from CONUS.
- 27Oct67: Major Richard S. KROLAK, 069135/1302, USMC Joined from CONUS.
- 30Oct67: 1stSgt John P. MCCHUGH, 353399/9999, USMC joined from CONUS. LQpl David CASTILLEJA, Jr., 2309633/1371, USMC was MIA.
- 31Oct67: Major Edward E. GRAEFF, 067939/1302/5715, USMC was promoted to present rank. A debriefing of all personnel rotating during the month of November was conducted.

R&R Quotas utilized for the month of October are as follows:

Okinawa - 3; Bangkok - 11; Hong Kong - 16; Manila - 2; Singapore - 4;
Kula Lumpur - 5; Tokyo - 6; Hawaii - 13; Australia - 5.

Non-Judicial punishments awarded during the month of October are as follows: Violation of UCMJ, article 89 -1; article 92 - 1; article 134 - 1.

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S-2 Sequential Listing of Significant Events

- 01 October - S-2 to 2/26 COC to check on activity in the PHU BAI TAOR.
- 02 October - S-2 and S-2 Chief attend chang of command ceremonies. S-2 assistant to Division G-5
- 03 October - S-2 to Camp Evens gathered Intelligence in that area and general familiarization of terrain. S-2 & assistant to 2/26 and CAC Headquarters to gain intelligence on current enemy activity in the PHU BAI TAOR.
- 04 October - S-2 conferred with Division G-2 on current enemy tactics and situation in Gia Le TAOR.
- 05 October - S-2 to 2/26 COC & CAC Headquarters to exchange intelligence.
- 06 October - S-2 assistant to Division S&C to pick up classified material.
- 07 October - S-2 Chief to Division G-5. S-2 Assistant to Division S&C, G-2 and Division Photo.
- 08 October - S-2 to Cumberland area to gain Intelligence. S-2 Assistant to Division G-2, 2/26 COC and Division Photo.
- 09 October - S-2 to Division 2/26 and G-2 to discuss current enemy situation in PHU BAI TAOR. Access list distributed. S-2 to Phu Loc to work on investigation.
- 10 October - S-2 to Cumberland area working on investigation. S-2 Chief to Division S&C to pick up classified material.
- 11 October - S-2 to Division 2/26 COC & S-2 Assistant to Division G-5 & G-2.
- 12 October - S-2 to Division & Loc Dien to gain intelligence on current enemy situation
- 13 October - S-2 to Division Disbursing. Also to Division S&C to pick up classified material.
- 14 October - S-2 to Division 2/26 COC to gain intelligence in the PHU BAI TAOR.
- 15 October - S-2 with "B" Company sweep team. S-2 Chief to Division S&C to pick up classified material.
- 16 October - S-2 Assistant to Division 2/26 COC to pick up ITSUMS and gain intelligence.
- 17. October - S-2 to Division G-2, 2/26 COC and S&C to pick up classified material.

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- 18 October - S-2 to Division G-2 and S&C to pick up classified material.
- 19 October - S-2 to Division G-2, 2/26 COC and CAC Headquarters to gain intelligence on current enemy situation. S-2 Chief to Division S&C files to pick up classified material.
- 21 October - S-2 to Division S&C files to pick up classified material.
- 22 October - S-2 & Chief to Fam Fire T/O weapons .
- 23 October - Language Proficiency/Interpreters Report to Division. S-2 Assistant to CAC-H-1 for the purpose of helping bridge platoon build pontoon bridge located there.
- 24 October - S-2 to Division G-2 and Loo Dien to gain intelligence on current enemy situation. S-2 Chief to Division S&C files to pick up classified material.
- 25 October - S-2 to Division G-5. S-2 Assistant returned from bridge job.
- 26 October - S-2 Assistant to Division G-2 & 2/26 COC to gain any intelligence on enemy situation in the PHU BAI TAOR.
- 27 October - S-2 to Division S&C files to pick up classified material. Also to Division G-2 to gain intelligence. S-2 Assistant to 3d Tank Battalion S&C.
- 28 October - S-2 to Division G-3 and G-2.
- 30 October - S-2 to Division S&C to pick up classified material.
- 31 October - S-2 to Division G-2 & 2/26 COC to pick up any information on current enemy situation.

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- 10Oct67: Completed installation of culvert to drain the bunkers at Div CP, Phu Bai
- 20Oct67: Completed (21) huts for 8/4th Art.
Completed (1) gun pad for 8/4th Art.
- 30Oct67: Continued work on Regt COG bunker at Camp Evans.
Completed installation of culvert in the office area at Div CP, Phu Bai.
Completed construction of Bunker at FLSU, Dong Ha
- 40Oct67: Finished concrete slab for messhall for 9th Marines
Constructed Regt. Showers at Camp Evans
- 60Oct67: Completed bunker roof at 12th Marines
- 80Oct67: Constructed generator hut at Khe SANH
- 90Oct67: Continued construction of bunkers for FLSU, Dong Ha
- 100Oct67: Installed culvert at Khe Sanh
- 110Oct67: Completed installation of air conditioners at Div CP, Phu Bai
- 120Oct67: Continued construction of bunkers for FLSU and Army units, Dong Ha
- 130Oct67: Constructed CO's quarters at Camp Evans
- 150Oct67: Started construction of 7000 feet wire perimeter for ASP, Phu Bai.
- 160Oct67: Finished VIP guest house at Div CP, Phu Bai.
- 170Oct67: Completed 16'x20' bunker for BAS at Dong Ha
- 180Oct67: Started construction of (12) '8x8' bunkers at ASP, Phu Bai
completed (3) 16'x20' bunkers for 1/13
- 190Oct67: Continued construction of gun pads for 8/4th Art at Dong Ha
- 200Oct67: Constructed 300' M-4 floating bridge south of Phu Bai
- 230Oct67: Constructed water tower at Khe Sanh
- 240Oct67: Continued constructing gun pads for 8/4th Artillery
- 260Oct67: Started construction of Communications bunker at Div Cp, Phu Bai

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28Oct67: Constructing huts at Lemon LZ, Camp Evans

29Oct67: Started construction of 20'x20' concrete water tank at Div
GP, Phu Bai

30Oct67: Completed (12) bunkers and wire perimeter at ASP, phu Bai.

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D. S-4 SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 2 Oct 67 Change of command. LtCol J. H. REID, JR., was relieved by LtCol R. C. MCCUTCHAN as Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion.
- 5 Oct 67 Army 515th Transportation Company arrived at Gia Le Combat Base for billeting in the 3d Engineer Battalion Area. This unit is under operational control of 3d Motor Transport Battalion. The parent organization is headquartered at Cam Ranh Bay.
- 5 Oct 67 The Battalion received a staff visit by a representative from Headquarters, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, regarding the purification of the Semi-monthly Report of Deadlined Combat Essential Equipment.
- 6 Oct 67 Coordinated logistic support for replacement of Song Phu Bridge south of Phu Bai on Route 1. Installation was with M6 standard fixed bridge.
- 7 Oct 67 A representative from the Engineer Office, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, visited the Battalion to discuss engineer equipment problems and inquire how that Office might be of assistance.
- 10 Oct 67 Coordinated logistic support for replacement of M4 bridge at Nam Hoa with M4 raft for ferry operation across Perfume River there.
- 11 Oct 67 Coordinated logistic support for refloating ARVN light tactical bridge at Song Nong, south of Phu Bai on Route 1. The bridge had partially submerged because of rain and flood conditions.
- 21 Oct 67 Coordinated Logistic support for installation of M4 bridge as replacement for ARVN bridge across Song Nong. Job was done with components recovered from Nam Hoa site.
- 23 Oct 67 Representatives from Headquarters Marine Corps, BuDocks, and the local Base Development Officer visited the Battalion to discuss requirements for centralized electric power for the Gia Le Combat Base.
- 30 Oct 67 The Division Supply Management Team conferred with the Commanding Officer to discuss reporting degraded OPSTAT readiness in equipment and supply categories.

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- 31 Oct 67 S-4 picked up payroll for Local National Civilians employed on Gia Le Combat Base. Payroll amounted to approximately 800,000 piastres.
- 31 Oct 67 Coordinated logistic support for installation of replacement M4 bridge across Song Rui in Phu Loc area on Route 1.
- 31 Oct 67 It was noted that there were no receipts of bunkers materials during October, which materials have been scheduled for shipment under the Advanced Base Functional Components program.

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PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

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3d ENGINEER BATTALION, Oct 1967

Tab A:

- 1) Co "B": A/A Report, "C", 1/4 support during 28 Sep - 1 Oct 1967
- 2) Co "B": A/A Report, "C", 3d Recon Bn support during 28 Sep - 2 Oct 1967
- 3) "C" Co: A/A Report, "G", 2/4 support in CON THIEN area during 4-5 Oct 1967
- 4) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 4 - 7 Oct 1967
- 5) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 9 Oct 1967
- 6) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 10 Oct 1967
- 7) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT, 20 Sep - 8 Oct 1967
- 8) "C" Co: A/A Report, 2/4 support in CON THIEN area during 8 - 11 Oct 1967
- 9) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 8 - 11 Oct 1967
- 10) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 13 - 14 Oct 1967
- 11) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 15 Oct 1967
- 12) 3d Engr Bn: A/A Report, support of 3d Recon Bn during 11-14 Oct 1967
- 13) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 13 - 16 Oct 1967
- 14) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation FREMONT during 15-17 Oct 1967
- 15) Co "B": A/A Report, Operation GRANITE during 25 - 27 Oct 1967
- 16) "C" Co: A/A Report, 2/4 support in CAM LO area during 24 - 27 Oct 1967

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion (Attn: S-3)
Subj: After Action Report

1. Support Co "C", 1st Battalion, 4th Marines from September 28 to 1 October 1967 at YD465396.
2. 3d platoon, Company "B", 3d Engineer Battalion.
3. 3 man demolition team to be used as needed in the field.
4. Items used: C-4
Time fuze
Blasting caps

Materials Expended: 17 lb of C-4
6 Blasting caps
10 ft of Time fuze

5. Major Equipment: None
6. Items blown: 8-60mm mortars at YD465396
3-81mm mortars

for *K. J. Kiriacopoulos* *ASST.*
K. J. KIRIACOPOULOS
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Tab A-21

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COMPANY "B"
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3 Oct 1967

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

Subj: After Action Report, demolition mission

- Sept 28: Corporal HAMILTON and PFC CRAIG went to Co"C", 3d Recon for a demolition operation.
- Sept 29: Corporal HAMILTON along with the patrol leaders from 3d Recon went on an over flight of the proposed Landing Zone.
- Sept 30: Corporal HAMILTON and PFC CRAIG departed with a patrol from Recon to within 200 meters of the designated objectives. We departed from hueys and walked about 150 meters and set up for the night.
- Oct 1: We walked near the objective and selected a possible sight for a Landing Zone, after finding a possible sight we returned to a designated area and set up camp.
- Oct 2: At approximately 1300, C-4 explosives and detcord was dropped to us by Army hueys. We started blowing the Landing Zone. When we set off the explosions, our position was given away and VC were spotted. Artillery was called in and we continued to blow the Landing Zone. UH34 picked us up and we were returned to Co"C", 3d Recon Battalion area.
- Remarks: There was a mix up in the designated time to set off the explosion. The patrol had the understanding that we were to blow the LZ at 1300 on October 2. Battalion informed him when we returned that we were supposed to set the charge up and blow it October 3.

PFC CRAIG and myself requested bangalore torpedos, our request was denied. The terrain was dense brush and we couldn't get the desired effect with C-4 unless we used a large amount and set off several charges,

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Remarks: The terrain was suited for bangalore torpedos.

We used approximately 380 pounds of C-4 and blew a Landing Zone to their specifications.

for *E. J. Conrad (SFS)*
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 6 October 1967

From: Commanding Officer
 To: S-3

Subj: After Action Report

1. Unit Supported: Golf Company, 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines.
 Area of Operations: Con Thien area (Coor 119665)
 Inclusive dates: 1300, 4 October 1967 - 0930, 05 October 1967.
2. Engineer Task Organization:

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Personnel</u>
"G" COMPANY, 2/4	One NCO & Five enlisted
3. Mission of engineer element:
 - (a) Primary - Close combat support
4. Major items of equipment employed.
 - (a) Three individual demo kits
5. Materials expended.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Compositition C-4	7½ lbs
6. Chronology:

4 October 1967 - 1330 destroyed 3 bunkers (4'x8') and 1 82MM mortar round at yd 119665 (map #6342I)
7. Engineer Observation: None
8. Recommendations: None
9. Lesson Learned: None

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10 Oct 1967

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

Subj: After Action Report; Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: Company "C", 1st Battalion, 4th Marines

2. Engineer task organization: 2nd Platoon, Company "B", 3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC Cpl JT. CHAPPELL
USME ENL: 4

3. Engineer element and missions: Search and destroy mission from 4 October to 7 October 1967.

4. Materials expended:

C-4	50 lbs
Time Fuse	6 ft
Detcord	110 ft
Fuse Lighters	5
Bangalore Torpedoes	12
Non-Electric caps	10

5. Major Equipment: None

6. Chronology:

4Oct67: infantry personnel turned in (2) two M-25 hand grenades, (1) one WP handgrenade and continued to YD495287 and set up CP.

5Oct67: Ordered demolitions and received at 1300 all demolitions. Moved CP to YD 494287

6Oct67: At YD486275 destroyed the following: 45 rolls single strand barbed wire, 42 rolls of concertina, 187 - 2 1/2 ft stakes, eleven 6ft stakes, and sixteen 8 ft stakes. At YD483268 destroyed (1) one 106 recoilless rifle dud rounds.

7Oct67: Returned to Camp Evans with no results this day.


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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion (Attn: S-3)
Subj: After Action Report; Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: Company "M", 3d Battalion, 26th Marines

2. Engineer task organization: 2nd Platoon, Company "B",
3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC: PFC J. R. CARLSON
USMC ENL: 2

3. Engineer element and mission: To give Engineer Support
to a patrol around Camp Evans perimeter

4. Major Equipment: None

5. Materials Expended: C-4 20 Lbs
Non-Electric Caps 5
Time Fuse: 5 Ft.
Detcord 10 Ft.

6. Chronology:

9Oct67: At YD546302 destroyed (1) one 105mm fuse and (1)
one 60mm mortar dud.

9Oct67: At YD546295 destroyed one (1) concrete bunker size
4ft high, 6ft wide, and 2ft thick.

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11 Oct 1967

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

Subj: After Action Report: Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: 3d Battalion, 26th Marines
2. Engineer task organization: 3d Platoon, Company "B",
3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC: Cpl D. D. GREEN
USMC ENL: 8
3. Engineer mission and element: Engineers mission was to
destroy downed CH-34 helicopter.
4. Major Equipment: None
5. Materials Expended:

C-4	25 lbs
Time Fuse	10 ft
Non-Electric Caps	8
Detcord	50 ft
43 lb Cartering Charge	2
Incendary gernades	10

6. Chronology

a. 100730Oct67 departed Lemon LZ at Camp Evans, arrived
at YD646378 at 100750Oct67 where downed helicopter was located.
Engineers placed charges on the Ch-34 and completely destroyed
the body. Incendary gernades were placed on engine and rotor
assemblies. The Ch-34 helicopter was completely destroyed.
Returned to Camp Evans CP at 101115Oct67.


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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion (Attn: S-3)
Subj: After Action Report; Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: Company "A" & Company "B", 1st Battalion,
4th Marines.

2. Engineer task organization: 3d Platoon, Company "B",
3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC - Cpl H. WILSON
USMC ENL - 8

3. Engineer element and mission: To conduct daily roads
sweep south from YD307554 to YD323539, and road sweep north
from YD307554 to YD298566; and destroyed dud rounds. Period
covered from 20Sep-8Oct67.

4. Major Equipment: Two (2) P-153 mine detectors

5. Materials expended: C-4 50 Lbs.
Time Fuse 30 Ft.
Non-Electric Caps 25

6. Chronology

20Sep67: At 1500 LCpl KAULLER and PFC MOTON went to blow dud
81mm's. They proceeded to YD558313 and found six 81mm mortars,
5 of the 6 were in cannisters, the other mortar had safety pins
still in place. The demolition team was not allowed to blow the
mortars in place but carried them back to the perimeter instead.
At 1545 six 81mm mortars were brought to Engineers to blow.

21Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south
0640 Cpl POFF started sweep north
0800 Cpl CARRAGHAN completed sweep with negative results
0830 Cpl POFF completed sweep with negative results
1000 LCpl GREEN went out and blew six 81mm mortars, one incendiary
gerrnade, one M-26 hand gerrnade, at 1430 LCpl GREEN went out and
blew three 81mm mortars with saftey pins.

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22Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep north and LCpl GREEN started sweep south. 0800 LCpl GREEN finished sweep with negative results. 0830 Cpl CARRAGHAN completed sweep with negative results. 0900 LCpl GREEN and (2) 1371's went and blew in place: two 105 illumination rounds, 2 rows sandbags on sides, 5 rows sandbags on top.

23Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGAN started sweep south and LCpl POFF started sweep north. 0730 Cpl CARRAGHAN completed sweep south negative results. 0900 LCpl POFF completed sweep north, negative results.

24Sep67: 0700 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep north and Cpl POFF started sweep south. 0830 Cpl POFF blew M-79 round at YD318554. Cpl POFF finished sweep south at 0850. 0900 Cpl CARRAGHAN finished sweep north, negative results. 1000 LCpl KINNISON and two men worked on bunkers, Cpl CARRAGHAN and two men sweep area for CB's. 1430 Cpl CARRAGHAN returned from sweep, negative results. LCpl HARRINGTON and one man bled the following: Two M-79 rounds and one 81mm mortar.

25Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south and Cpl POFF started sweep north. 0830 Cpl CARRAGHAN finished sweep, negative results. 0900 Cpl POFF finished sweep north, negative results. 0945 Cpl POFF and five men went to work on bunkers. 1445 Cpl CARRAGHAN and 3 men went and blew three 81mm mortars and one 4.2 WP round.

26Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep north and Cpl POFF started sweep south. 0840 both returned with negative results. 0900 Four men checked for dud mortars. 1000 Dud mortars hunt

27Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south and Cpl POFF started sweep north. 0815 Cpl CARRAGHAN completed sweep south negative results. 0850 Cpl POFF finished sweep north negative results. Two men went on CB's sweep. 0925 CB's sweep secured with negative results.

28Sep67: 0630 Cpl POFF started sweep north and Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south. 0800 Cpl CARRAGHAN completed sweep with negative results. Two men for CB's sweep. Cpl POFF completed sweep north, negative results. 0915 Two men to blow duds 2 each 81mm mortars and 1 M-72 LAW. 0930 Completed CB's sweep negative results. 1000 secured from blowing dud rounds.

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29Sep67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south and Cpl WILSON started sweep north. 0800 Cpl CARRAGHAN completed sweep with negative results. 0830 CPL WILSON completed sweep with negative results.

30Sep67: 0630 Cpl WILSON started sweep south and Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep north. 0800 both sweeps completed with negative results.

10Oct67: 0730 Cpl WILSON started sweep north and Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south. 0800 Cpl CARRAGHAN finished sweep with negative results. 0830 Cpl WILSON completed sweep with negative results.

20Oct67: 0645 Cpl WILSON started sweep south and Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep north. 0730 blew 1 60mm mortar. 0830 both sweeps finished with negative results.

30Oct67: 0630 Cpl CARRAGHAN started sweep south. 0645 blew 1 60mm mortar. 0730 finished sweep south with negative results. Cpl WILSON started sweep north. 0830 finished sweep north with negative results.

40Oct67: 0645: Cpl CARRACHAN started road sweep north and and Cpl WILSON started road sweep south. 0730 Cpl WILSON completed road sweep south with a negative results. 0830 Cpl CARRACHAN completed road sweep north with negative results. 1230 Cpl WILSON went out and blew (2) 81mm mortars.

50Oct67: 0645 Cpl WILSON started road sweep north and Cpl CARRAGHAN started road sweep south. 0800 finished road sweep south with negative results. 0830 completed road sweep north with negative results. 1230 LCpl SZYMANSKI went and blew (1) 60mm mortar.

60Oct67: 0630 Cpl WILSON started road sweep south and LCpl SZYMANSKI started road sweep north. 0815 both sweeps completed with negative results.

70Oct67: 0630 Cpl WILSON began road sweep north and LCpl SZYMANSKI started road sweep south. 0750 both sweeps completed with negative results.

80Oct67: 0630 Cpl WILSON started road sweep south and LCpl SZYMANSKI started road sweep north. 0745 road sweep south completed with negative results. 0800 road sweep north completed with negative results. 1030 LCpl SZYMANSKI went and bles four (4) 81mm mortars.



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 12 October 1967

From: Commanding Officer
To: S-3

Subj: After Action Report

Ref: BA0 3100.1B

1. Unit Supported: 2/4
 Area of Operation: Con Thien area (Coor yd 119695)
 Inclusive dates: 1600 8Oct67 - 1300 11Oct67
2. Engineer Task Organization:

Unit	Personnel
"F" Company 2/4	1 Officer and 5 Enlisted
"E" Company 2/4	1 NCO and 3 Enlisted
3. Mission of Engineer Element:
 - (A) Primary - close combat support
4. Major items of equipment employed:
 - (a) Three individual demo kits
 - (b) Three grappling hooks
 - (c) One P-153 Mine detector
5. Materials expended:

Item	Amount
Composition C-4	75 lbs
6. Chronology:
 - 8 October 1967 - Proceeded to Con Thien by Helicopter where we sat in for the night.
 - 9 October 1967 - Operation cancelled until 10Oct67. So we stayed at Con Thien.
 - 10 October 1967 - 0400 departed Con Thien for yd 142703. Arrived this position 0900. 0930 received 8 82MM mortar rounds. Received 1 WIA (C-1922) 1100 9 man demo team destroyed 7 bunkers, and 10 Chi-Com grenades and 1 Chinese Claymore mine, at yd 142703. (See Enclosure 1). Used 25½ lbs of C-4. 1130 destroyed 2 LAAWS, 1M-79 rd, 600 rds 7.62 ammo, and 2 helmets. Used 2½ lbs C-4. 1500 3 man demo team destroyed 2 bunkers (4'x8') at yd 138695. Used 10 lbs C-4. 1900 returned to Con Thien yd 119695.

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11 October 1967 - 1300 Helilifted from Con Thien yd119695 to Dong Ha.

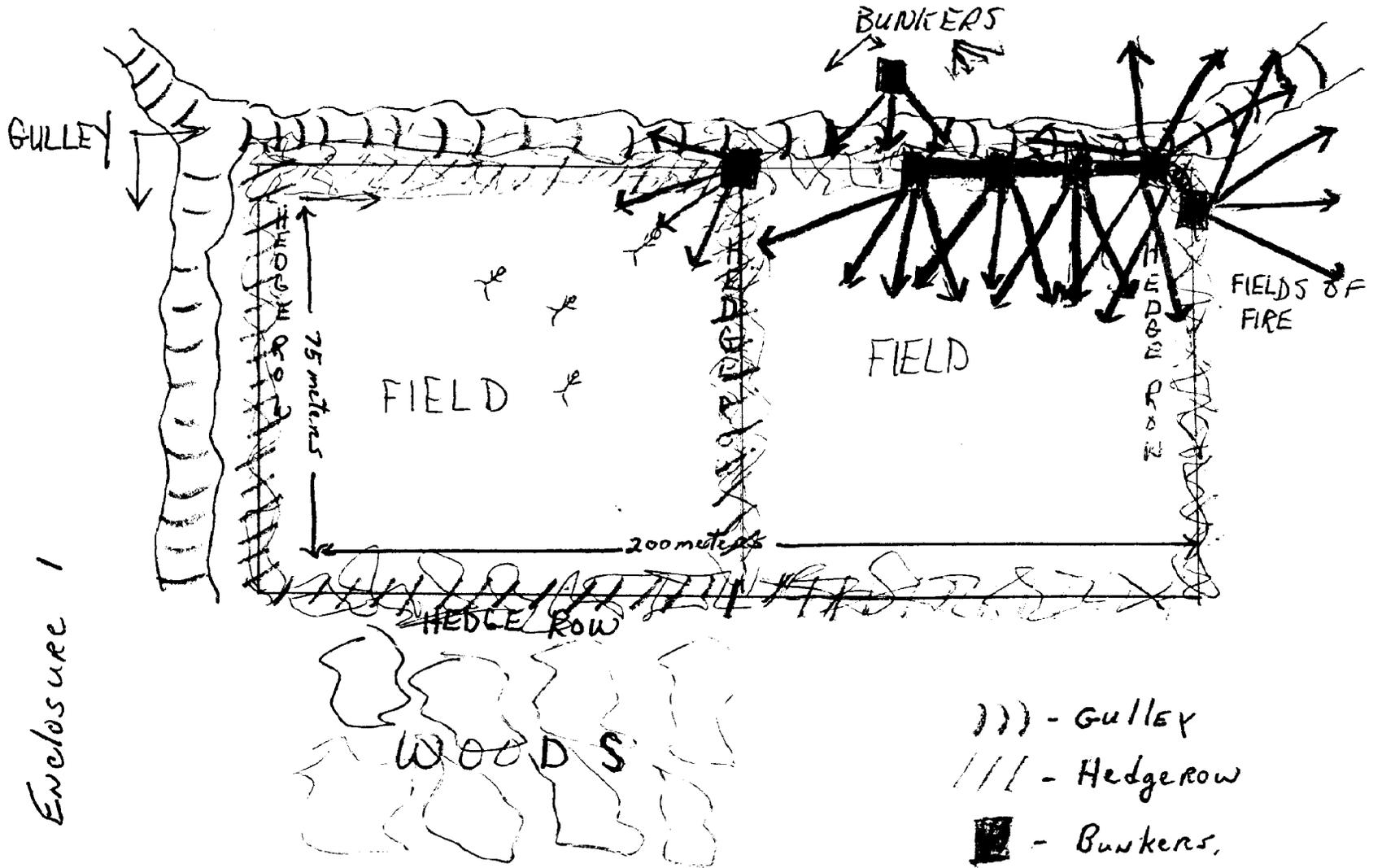
7. Engineer Observation: None

8. Recommendations: None

9. Lessons Learned: None

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Enclosure 1

-))) - Gully
- /// - Hedgerow
- - Bunkers,
- - Comm & Fighting Trenches
- - Fields of Fire

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 13Oct67

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

Subj: After Action Report: Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: Co"D", 1st Battalion, 4th Marines
2. Engineer Task Organization: 3d Platoon, Company "B",
 3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC: LCpl L. R. KINNISON
 USMC ENL: 2
3. Engineer mission and element: To give Engineer support to
 infantry going to hill 674.
4. Major Equipment: None
5. Materials Expended:

C-4	15 lbs
Time Fuse	5 ft
Fuse Lighters	12
Non-Electric Caps	12
6. Chronology
 - a. 8Oct67 at YD513274 destroyed (2) dud 105mm rounds in
 place
 - b. 10Oct67 at YD517268 destroyed (1) chi com M1A1 mine.
 Mine was found hidden in bushes and was destroyed in place
 - c. 11Oct67 returned to Camp Evans CP.


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16 Oct 1967

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

Subj: After Action Report; Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: ARVN's
2. Engineer task organization: 3d Platoon, Co"B", 3d Engineer Battalion:
NCOIC - Cpl D. D. GREEN
USMC ENL - 4
3. Engineer mission and element: Search and destroy mission of 15Oct67.
4. Major Equipment: None
5. Materials Expended: C-4 1 lb
Time Fuse 1 ft
Non-Electric Caps 2

6. Chronology:

151010Oct67 at YD599308 was helolifted to YD592347 in which destroyed (1) one 8" illumination dud. Returned to Camp Evans.


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17 October 1967

From: Corporal A. L. HENRY
To: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion

Subj: After Action Report

1. Unit Supported: 3d Recon Battalion
2. Task Organization:
 - a. NGOIC - Corporal A. L. HENRY
 - b. Two (2) enlisted men
3. Mission: Clear LZ to facilitate air traffic to and from crash site.
4. Major Equipment: None
5. Materials Expended:
 - 120 lbs C-4
 - 60 ft Det Cord
 - 50'ft Time Fuze
 - 15 ea Fuze Lighters
 - 45 ea Blasting Caps
6. Chronology:
 - 111330 Oct Arrived crash scene (YD 145048). Repelled from H-53 Helicopter with supplies. Commenced clearing LZ; continued until nightfall.
 - 120700 Oct Continued work on LZ
 - 121000 Oct LZ cleared
 - 121100 Oct First Helicopter landed, brought in investigating team USAF. 4th Helicopter crashed upon take-off. Wrecked Helicopter blocked LZ - all attempts to remove the Helicopter failed.

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- 13 Oct No further work on LZ. Assisted in removing mail and bodies from crash site.
- 140830 Oct Ordered to move off of hill. Assisted by "E" Company, 3d Recon Battalion, destroyed wrecked Helicopter with improvised charges and LAW's..
- 141400 Oct Arrived pick-up point. Convoy returned to PHU BAI.

7. Observations: Request for resupplies of explosives needed was denied. Also chain saw and bangalores due to extremely heavy cover. Did not have knowledge of size or type of job to be done until arriving at crash site.

8. Recommendation: That some form of reconnaissance be conducted of the areas selected for LZ's, to determine type and amount of explosives required to properly perform task, plus such other required equipment as may be needed. If such reconnaissance is not feasible prior to commencement of task, definite arrangements for re-supply of necessary explosives or equipment should be considered. Bangalores would have been a definite asset to accomplishment of the job, but all other requests for tools or additional explosives were denied, so no bangalores were requested.

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19 Oct 1967

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

Subj: After Action Report; Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: Company "C", 1st Battalion, 4th Marines
2. Engineer Task Organization: 3d Platoon, Company "B", 3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC: Cpl D. R. CARRAGHAN
USMC ENL: 4
3. Engineer element and mission: Search and destroy mission of 13-16Oct67.
4. Major Equipment: None
5. Material Expended: C-4 25 lbs
Time Fuse 9 ft
Non Electric Caps 9

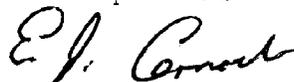
6. Chronology

13Oct67 left camp Evans CP at 1215. At YD498363 dismounted trucks and advanced to YD484339 and established CP.

14Oct67 at YD482337 found VC graves in which contained (1) Chicom grenade and (2) pine-apple grenades, destroyed in place. At YD491324 found (100) feet of barbed wire and one abandoned hut. Engineers placed barbed wire in the hut and destroyed both at the same time.

15Oct67 at YD486321 found (1) M2 AP mine, destroyed in place.

16Oct67 at YD464309 destroyed (1) basket of rice. Also at this position a spotter plane said he saw a pontoon bridge, Engineers found at this location (6) 8 ft pieces of tin, destroyed in place. Returned to Camp Evans at 1800.



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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion (Attn: S-3)
 Subj: After Action Report: Operation Fremont

1. Unit Supported: Company "D", 1st Battalion, 4th Marines
2. Engineer Task Element: 3d Platoon, Company "B", 3d Engineer Battalion: NCOIC: Cpl P. G. STROSNIDER
 USMC ENL: 6
3. Engineer mission and element: Search and destroy mission of 15-17Oct67.
4. Major Equipment: None
5. Materials Expended:

C-4	20 lbs
Fuse Lighters	7
Time Fuse	20 ft
Non-Electric Caps	30
Detcord	1500 ft
15 lb shape charges	30

6. Chronology:

15Oct67 at YD283485 destroyed (3) 81mm mortar duds. At YD283485 destroyed (1) LAAW (M-72).

16Oct67 at YD280504 destroyed (1) 81mm WP round and (1) 60mm mortar round.

17Oct67 at YD493254 destroyed (20) 3'x4' bunkers and fighting holes. Returned to Camp Evans at 1700.

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 30 Oct 1967

From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion (Attn: S-3)
 Subj: After Action Report; Operation Granite

1. Unit Supported: 1st ARVN Regiment
2. Engineer Task Element: LZ clearing team, 1st Platoon, Company "B", 3d Engineer Battalion: OIC: 1stLt D. J. BARETTA
 USMC Enl: 15
3. Engineer Mission: To clear Landing Zone for ARVN's - 25-27 October 1967.
4. Major Equipment: (2) one man chain saws and LZ clearing hand tools.
5. Materials Expended:

Strip Charges:	2
Non Electric Caps:	2
Fuse Lighters:	2
C-4:	300 lbs

6. Chronology

25Oct67 at 1400 departed Lemon LZ at Camp Evans - 1420 arrived at PK-17 (YD647283) and remained over night.

26Oct67 at 1530 departed PK-17 (YD647283) - 1600 arrived at Eagle LZ (YD543185). Eagle LZ was large enough to accomodate only one helicopter safely. At this time Engineer team began enlarging the LZ. 1700 Eagle LZ was large enough to accomodate three helicopters safely. 1745 departed Eagle LZ. 1800 arrived at PK-17 (YD647283), waited for transportation back to Camp Evans, remained over night.

27Oct67 at 1130 helilifted back to Lemon LZ at Camp Evans.

7. Engineer Observation

a. The Engineer LZ clearing team was hindered due to the large number of ARVN troops that were in the LZ at all times. The work was also hindered by the fact that the air control liaison man was no in the LZ but landed in another LZ. The Engineer team did not know the difficulties the helicopter pilots were having with Eagle LZ. The Engineers were separated

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from much of the demolitions that they had because it was set down in another LZ. Security of the LZ was very good as approximately three hundred troops were landed before the Engineers were brought in to clear the LZ.

8. Recommendations

a. That liaison be made with the infantry units involved prior to D-Day and tell them to get out of the LZ as soon as possible.

b. That all possible precautions be taken to prevent the Engineers and their gear from being seperated.

9. Lessons Learned

a. Before going in to clear an LZ, the area of the LZ should be Reconed by and Engineer. Reconnaissance of the LZ area is a great help in estimates of materials and tools needed and also familiarizes the team leader with the area to be cleared.



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 30 October 1967

From: Commanding Officer
 To: S-3
 Subj: After Action Report
 Ref: BnO 3100.1B

1. Unit Supported: 2/4
 Area of Operation: CamLo
 Inclusive dates: 1100 24Oct67 - 1300 27Oct67
2. Engineer Task Organization:

Unit	Personnel
2/4 Bn CP	One NCO and three Enlisted
3. Mission of Engineer Element:
 (a) Primary - close combat support
4. Major items of equipment employed:
 (a) One individual demo kit
5. Materials expended:

Item	Amount
Composition C-4	45 lbs
6. Chronology:

24 October 1967 - Moved to 2/4 CP area. 1400 left CP for grid coor yd 149613 where we dug in for the night.

25 October 1967 - Moved 6000 meters northwest to coor yd 090660. At first night we got hit, this lasted throughout the night.

26 October 1967 - 1000 blew 9 mortar rds and two 3.5 rockets at coor yd 090660. 1100 two engineers moved with half CP group to coor yd 084-665. Two engineers left behind at yd 090660 to blow.
 440 lbs C-4, 6 boxes claymores, 12 boxes 5.56 rds, 10 boxes 7.62 rds, 500 M-26 frag grenades, 8 sleeves of consentina, 2000 mortar rds (60's & 81's), 3 boxes of 40 MM, and 75 plastic water containers.

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At 1145 we got hit while waiting for other company and two engineers to return to CP. We were pinned down by rockets, mortars, and smallarms. We stayed here for the night and were pinned down throughout.

27 October 1967 - We set charge to be blown by fixed wing as our blasting caps would not detonate. 0900 we moved to coor yd 135-645 and continued to yd 149612. This completed the sweep. Arrived at Dong Ha at 1300.

7. Engineer Observation: None
8. Recommendations: None
9. Lessons learned: Be sure demo is usable prior to leaving Engineer C.P.


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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Joined 1 enlisted man
				Dropped Capt Paul R. CATALONE, 088796/1302, to CONUS
				Dropped SSgt Robert R. FORSHEY, 1695848/1372, to 9thMAB
				Promoted 55 - LPl's, 2 - PFC's, 36 - Cpl's

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 6 enlisted men to CONUS
				WIA - Pfc Michael D. MCCAFFERTY, 2312757/1371
				WIA - LCpl Harold D. RUDOLPH, 2282636/2531
				Joined LtCol Robert C. MCCUTCHAN, 044383/1302, USMC fr
				HqCo, HqBn, 3dMarDiv.
				Joined 3 enlisted men.

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 TO: 3 Oct 1967 2400H

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Joined 2 enlisted men
				WIA - Pfc Ronald H. MALLOY, 2169849/1371

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 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 4 Oct 1967 0001H
 TO: 4 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped LtCol James H. REID, Jr., 046880/1302, to CONUS
				Dropped 6 enlisted men to CONUS
				LtCol Eddie W. ALBERT, 2257219/1345 awarded the Purple Heart Medal.

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 5 October 1967 0001H
 TO: 5 October 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 1 Enlistedman to Camp Butler
				Joined 1 Enlisted man from CONUS
				PFC Robert J. STAPLTON, 2171243/1371 awarded the Purple
				Heart Medal

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 6 October 1967 0001H
 TO: 6 October 1967 2400H

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 1 enlisted man to CONUS
				Joined 1 enlisted man
				LtCol Gerald B. CORNWALL, 058139/1302 USMC promoted to present rank.

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 8 Oct 1967 0001H
 TO: 8 Oct 1967 2400H

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 1 enlisted man to CONUS
				Joined 2 enlisted men

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PLACE: GI LA LE COMBAT BASE (PIU DAL)
 FROM: 10 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 10 Oct 1967 2400H

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 5 enlisted men to COMUS
				Dropped GySgt Douglas G. CUMMINS, 1435062/1371, to COMUS
				Joined 1stLt William M. RICE, 095016/1302, from COMUS
				Dropped 1 USN enlisted man
				HMC Charles G. HAWS, 2315016, USN awarded Navy
				Commendation Medal with Combat "V".

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 11 Oct 1967 0001H
 TO: 11 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				WIA - LOpl General A COPE, 2307922/1371
				Dropped CWO4 William R. MECER MECER, 058554/1310
				by SR to Camp S. D. Butler.
				Joined 1 enlisted man

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 FPO San Francisco 96602

SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 12 Oct 1967 0001H
 TO: 12 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 11 enlisted men to CONUS
				PFC Felton M. CHILLIOUS Jr., 2206708/1371, awarded Bronze Star Medal.
				Cpl Richard L. SCHULTZ, 2226890/1371, awarded Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIA LE COMBAT BASE (PHU BAI)
 FROM: 13 Oct 1967 0001H
 TO: 13 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Joined 1st Lt Daniel J. BARETTA, 092964/1302, from
				CONUS
				Droped Lt Col GERALD B. CORNWALL, 058139/1302
				To CONUS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIEMAR COMBAT BASE (FIM BAY)
 FROM: 15 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 15 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Joined 1 USN enlisted man
				Dropped 8 enlisted men to CONUS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIL LE COMBAT BASE (FMF BAI)
 FROM: 17 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 17 Oct 1967 2400H

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
				Dropped 3 enlisted men to CONUS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GI JAY DE JOSEPH BASE (H&M BAY)
 FROM: 18 Oct 1967 3401E
 TO: 18 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
				Dropped 9 enlisted men to CONUS
				PFC Randy G. LANDES, 2226053/1371, awarded Purple
				Heart Medal.

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIULI DE COMBAT BASE (PHI RAB)
 FROM: 19 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 19 Oct 1967 2400H

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 3 enlisted men to CONUS

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 3d Marine Division (Rein) FMF
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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GI LAIE COMBAT BASE (FMF BATT)
 FROM: 21 Oct 1967 0601H
 TO: 21 Oct 1967 2400H

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			GROUP	
					Dropped 25 enlisted men to COMVS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIAR LE COMBAT BASE (HMF BAK)
 FROM: 23 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 23 Oct 1967 2100H

JOURNAL

TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
				Joined 1stLt William R. FORD, 092064/1302, from CONUS
				Capt Kenneth J. KIRICCOPOULOS, 091808/1302 promoted to present rank
				WIA - Cpl Roger L. ENGLISH, 2115264/1371
				Cpl James L. OSEBORN, 2176871/1371 and PFC Michael G. SHOLL, 2279505/1371, were awarded the Purple Heart Medal.

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 PLACE: GIATIE COMBAT BASE (FMF BATT)
 FROM: 24 Oct 1967 0601Z
 TO: 24 Oct 1967 2400H

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			WIA - Roger D. KELL, 2203909/1371
			Dropped 6 enlisted men to CONUS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GLI DE COMBAT BAGE (SIST BAI)
 FROM: 25 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 25 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 4 enlisted men to CONUS
				Dropped 1stSgt Roy G. NEELY, 899293/9999 and SSet Victor
				L. SCHAUN, 1609691/1371 to CONUS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GLA 1E COMBAT BASE (S1E 2A1)
 FROM: 26 Oct 1967 0600H
 TO: 26 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Joined CWO-2 Jessie R. CLARK, 083969/CL30, USMC from
				CONUS
				Joined one enlistedman from CONUS
				Dropped 2 enlistedmen to Camp S. D. Butler

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 PLACE: GIAM LE COMBAT BASE (FMF BATT)
 FROM: 27 Oct 1967 0601H
 TO: 27 Oct 1967 2400H

JOURNAL

TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Joined Major Richard S. KROLAK, 069135/1302, USMC
				from CONUS
				Dropped 1 enlistedman to CONUS

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIAR LE COMBAT BASE (FPO DAL)
 FROM: 28 Oct 1967 801E
 TO: 28 Oct 1967 240CH

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			GROUP	
					Joined 1 enlistedman from 1stBn, 9thMar this Division.

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SECTION: S-1
 PLACE: GIARIE COMBAT BASE (FMF BAI)
 FROM: 30 Oct 1967 CMJH
 TO: 30 Oct 1967 240CH

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 4 enlistedmen to CONUS
				Joined 1stSgt John P. MCCHUGH, 353399/9999, USMC from
				CONUS
				WIA - LCpl David CASTELLEIA Jr., 2309633/1371, USMC

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 PLACE: GI LA COMBAT BASE (FMF BAI)
 FROM: 31 Oct 1967 CHOLE
 TO: 31 Oct 1967 THOCH

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBE	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
				Dropped 1 enlistedman to CONUS - Emergency Lv/PCS
				Joined 1 USN enlisted man from CONUS
				Major Edward W. GRAEFF, 067939/1302/5715 promoted to present rank.

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020001H OCT 1967
 022400H OCT 1967

TIME	DATE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION TAKEN
1	0001	Log Opened	
2	0700	message traffic routed	
3	0900	S-2 assistant to G-5	
4	1045	S-2 assistant returned	
5	1500	S-2 and S-2 chief attend Change of Command Ceremony	
6	1600	S-2 and S-2 chief returned	
7	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
8	2400	Log Closed	

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030001H OCT 1967
 032400H OCT 1967
 032400H OCT 1967

NO.	TIME	DESCRIPTION	ACTION TAKEN
1	0001	Log Opened	
2	0745	message traffic routed	
3	0830	S-2 to Camp Evans	
4	1330	S-2 and S-2 chief to 2/26 COC and CAC Headquarters	
5	1600	S-2 and S-2 chief returned	
6	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
7	2400	Log Closed	

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK
 FROM: 040001H OCT 1967
 RE: 042400H OCT 1967
 SUBJECT: CIA, NY

TYPE	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0745	message traffic routed	
	3	0830	S-2 to Division and returned	
	4	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	5	2400	Log Closed	

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FROM 050001H OCT 1967
 TO 052400H OCT 1967
 PLANS 052400H OCT 1967

Serial Number	Date/Time	INCIDENT, MESSAGE, ORDER, ETC.	ACTING COMMANDER
1	0001	Log Opened	
2	0715	message traffic routed	
3	0905	S-2 to CAC and 2/26 COC	
4	1045	S-2 returned	
5	1500	Command Chronology completed	
6	1505	M/BT Reports to G-2 and Division Engineer	
7	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
8	2400	Log Closed	

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 UNIT AXI-10001
 FROM 060001H OCT 1967
 TO 062400H OCT 1967
 PLACE SEAL IN BOX

TIME	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0730	message traffic routed	
	3	1345	S-2 assistant to Division	
	4	1415	S-2 to MCB 3	
	5	1530	S-2 assistant returned	
	6	1600	S-2 returned	
	7	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	8	2400	Log Closed	

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070001H OCT 1967
 FROM 070001H OCT 1967
 TO 072400H OCT 1967
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TIME	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGE, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0730	message traffic routed	
	3	0810	S-2 chief to Division G-5	
	4	1000	S-2 chief returned	
	5	1550	S-2 assistant to Division S&E and Division Photo	
	6	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	7	1710	S-2 assistant returned	
	8	2400	Log Closed	

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FORM 080001H OCT 1967
 TO 082400H OCT 1967
 FROM 082400H OCT 1967

NO.	TIME	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MEMORANDA, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
1		0001	Log Opened	
2		0830	S-2 to Cumberland Area	
3		1100	Command Chronology to S-3	
4		1430	S-2 assistant to 2/26 COC and Division Photo	
5		1700	S-2 assistant returned	
6		1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
7		2400	Log Closed	

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090001H
 FROM 090001H OCT 1967
 TO 092400H OCT 1967
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TIME	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0715	message traffic routed	
	3	0810	S-2 to Division G-2	
	4	0900	Access List distributed	
	5	1035	S-2 returned	
	6	1330	S-2 to Investigation	
	7	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff (chief)	
	8	1730	S-2 returned	
	9	2400	Log Closed	

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100001H OCT 1967
 102400H OCT 1967

TIME	SPECIAL EVENTS	DATE/TIME	NOTE: ALL, ADVANCES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0715	message traffic routed	
	3	0900	S-2 assistant to Cumberland Area	
	4	1500	S-2 assistant returned	
	5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	6	2400	Log Closed	

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SECURITY
 FROM 110001H OCT 1967
 TO 112400H OCT 1967
 PLACE CIA LE, USA

TIME	SERIAL	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0730	message traffic routed	
	3	0840	S-2 to Division G-2 and returned	
	4	1500	S-2 assistant to Division G-5 and G-2 and returned	
	5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	6	2400	Log Closed	

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 DATE 120001H OCT 1967
 FROM 120001H OCT 1967
 TO 122400H OCT 1967
 PLACE CIA BLD, RVN

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TIME GMT	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0730	message traffic routed	
	3	1330	S-2 to Division and Loc Dien	
	4	1630	S-2 returned	
	5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	6	2400	Log Closed	

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FROM 130001H OCT 1967
 TO 132400H OCT 1967
 PERIOD CIA LA, 1967

DATE	TIME	EVENT	DESCRIPTION, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0730	message traffic routed	
	3	0845	S-2 to Division S&C and Disbursing	
	4	1000	S-2 returned	
	5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	6	2400	Log Closed	

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 FROM 140001H OCT 1967
 TO 142400H OCT 1967
 PLACE VIA LR, HQ

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TIME	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
	1	0001	Log Opened	
	2	0700	message traffic routed	
	3	0800	S-2 to Division G-2	
	4	1100	S-2 returned	
	5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
	6	2400	Log Closed	

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150001H OCT 1967

152400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0710	message traffic routed
3	0715	S-2 with "B"Co Sweep Team
4	1445	S-2 returned
5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff
6	2400	Log Closed

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160001H OCT 1967

162400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0730	message traffic routed
3	1400	S-2 to Division G-2
4	1600	S-2 returned
5	1700	S-2 chief briefed CO and staff
6	2400	Log Closed

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180001H OCT 1967
182400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0730	message traffic routed
3	1300	S-2 to Division G-2 and S&C Files
4	1600	S-2 returned
5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and Staff
6	2400	Log Closed

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190001H OCT 1967
192400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0730	message traffic routed
3	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff
4	2400	Log Closed

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200001H OCT 1967
202400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0730	message traffic routed
3	0800	S-2 to Division G-3 and G-2
4	1025	S-2 returned
5	1530	S-2 chief to Division S&C Files
6	1630	S-2 chief returned
7	1700	S-2 briefed CO and Staff
8	2400	Log Closed

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210001H OCT 1967
212400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0730	message traffic routed
3	1300	S-2 chief to Division S&C Files
4	1430	S-2 chief returned
5	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff
6	2400	Log Closed

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220001H OCT 1967
222400H OCT 1967

1	0001	Log Opened
2	0830	S-2 and S-2 chief to Fam Fire
3	1130	S-2 and S-2 chief returned
4	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff
5	2400	Log Closed

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FROM 240001H OCT 1967
TO 242400H OCT 1967
PLACE CIA LE, RVN

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TIME		SERIAL NUMBER	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.,	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
		1	0001	Log Opened	
		2	0730	message traffic routed	
		3	0830	S-2 to Loc Dien and Division G-5	
		4	1130	S-2 returned	
		5	1315	S-2 chief to Division S&C Files	
		6	1515	S-2 chief returned	
		7	1700	S-2 briefed CO and staff	
		8	2400	Log Closed	

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Unit or Section 9-3 , 3d Engineer Battalion
 Place: Gia Le, RVN
 From: 020700 Oct67
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 To: 030700 Oct67
 (Date and hour)

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TIME		SER.	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION
IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal Opened	TAKEN
0800				Obtained permission from 2/26 for 3dTankBn to FAM fire.	
1330				3dTankBn completed FAM firing.	
1540				Shove COC requested and was granted permission to use sniper range on 30Oct67.	
0700	0700			Journal Closed.	

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Unit or Section 3-3, 3d Engineer Battalion
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 To: 040700 Oct67
 (Date and hour)

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TIME		SER.	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION
IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
1120				Shove COC completed firing at sniper range. Also requested and was granted permission to use range on 4 Oct 67.	
1530				3d A. Tbn granted permission to FAM fire .45 Caliber pistol.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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 To: 060700 Oct67
 (Date and hour)

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TIME		SER.	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
	0700			Journal Opened.	
	1255			OP#3 reported incoming SAF from direction of Shore Party Bn.	
	1305			Contacted Shore Party Bn S-3 and found out SAF was coming from bunker in their area.	
	1330			Established liason between 3dA.T.Bn and MCB-10 for use of A.T. gate for MCB-10 to check new area.	
	1630			Received operational overlay from 2/26 of ARVN unit on operation in area.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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 To: 100700 Oct67
 (Date and hour)

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TIME		SER.	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION
IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
0845				Capt SHAW, 2/26 COC called and said that bridge personnel at Nam Hoa bridge needed assistance ASAP.	
0900				Informed bridge platoon commander of above message.	
1520				Message from Capt SHAW, 2/26 COC. Bridge personnel request Water Pumps ASAP in order to save bridge at Nam Hoa.	
1620				Message from 2/26 COC, ARVN personnel would be operating in grid squares (Y08414)(Y08415) from 1930-2330 using live ammo.	
		0700		Journal Closed.	

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 Place: Gia Le, RVN
 From: 100700 Oct67
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TIME		SER. NO.	DATE/TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
0800				Received spot report from 3dTankBn at 0020 patrol observed and fired on 4VC. Received no return fire, results unknown.	
			100850	3/26 to SR3 - request for 3 water pumps. GySgt STEWART A.T.Bn S-3 request permission to FAM fire 106MM guns from OP#3 on 15Oct.	
0700				Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
0940				GySgt STEWART A.T.Bn S-3 requested permission to FAM fire M-14 rifles, permission granted.	
1420				Directed COC to plot check points on Route#1 and 547 from C.P. to Nam Hoa bridge site.	
1605				Bulk fuel detachment requested and was granted permission to FAM fire M-14 rifles.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
			130820	SR3 to LL1 - Instructions for LL1 to have ferry operational by 1600.	
0920				Requested from 2/26 OOC length of time A2VH would be operating in area - no one knew.	
			131101	LL1 to SR3 - Progress report Nam Hoa ferry	
1130				Advised A.T.Bn that request to FAM fire 106 denied due to operations in area.	
1200				GySgt SMITH requested to FAM fire .50 caliber M.G. on 14Oct67. Request relayed to	
				2/26.	
			131246	LL1 to SR3 - equipment request for Nam Hoa ferry site.	
1505				3dA.T.Bn cancelled night patrol.	
			131730	SR3 to LL1 - Instructions on reporting work status on Nam Hoa ferry.	
			132205	LL1 to SR3 - Progress report Nam Hoa ferry.	
		0700		Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
			140745	LL1 to SR3 - Bridge operation summary.	
			140820	LL1 to SR3 - Request instructions wheather bridge boat to be held LL1 position.	
			141217	LL1 to SR3 - Equipment request for low bed to pick up TD-18.	
			141335	SR3 to LL1 - Notification of 2, 12 volt batteries to LL1 postion.	
1535				Received fast freight from 2/26 COC. Set conditions III at 1600 to remain in effect	
				until notification of 2/26 COC.	
1550				Shove COC cancelled condition.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal opened	
0815				Lt McKee requested and was granted permission to FAM fire small arms at CP#3	
0835				GySgt Stewart 3dAT Bn cancelled FAM firing 106's	
0840				Capt Sales 3dAT Bn requested and was granted permission to FAM fire small arms	
			151005	SR3A to SR3- Request 3" rock to build up approaches to bridge at NAM HOA	
			151020	SR3 to SR3A- Permission granted to obtain rocks from MCB-3 rock quarry	
1335				Lt MCKEE MCB-10 cancelled FAM firing	
			151440	SR3A to SR3 Progress report on bridge NAM HOA.	
	0700			Journal Closed	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal opened	
0915				3dTks Bn requested and was granted permission to FAM fire small arms at OP#3	
			161225	SR3 to L11- Request to know when bridge will be passable	
			161255	L11 to SR3- Progress report on bridge. River not receded enough to make bridge passable	
1420				Sgt Kruger Tks Bn requested permission to fire 90 MM and 50 Cal MG from OP3	
				on 21 Oct 67. Request relayed to 2/26.	
1440				CySgt Stewart 3dAT Bn requested permission to fire M-79 and 106's on 17 Oct 67	
				request relayed to 2/26	
	0700			Journal Closed	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal opened	
			170730	SR3 to L11 Instructions to leave bridge in operation until 1400	
			170927	SR3 to L11 Request to know ETD vehicles your position	
			171025	L11 to SR3 Progress report on bridge. Bridge passable. Vehicles dispatched to your positions.	
	0700	67		Journal Closed	

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 To: 190700 Oct67
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TIME		SER. NO.	DATE/TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
0700				Journal Opened	
			180101	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on bridge removal. Two Rays out.	
			180150	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on bridge. One ramp section and two normal sections banded.	
			180730	LL1 to SR3 - request prime movers this position to pick up bridge trailers.	
			181415	SR3 to LL1 - Instructions on what to do with loaded bridge trailers	
1515				Comm section 3dEngrBn FAM fired M-14's at OP#3.	
0700				Journal Closed.	

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 To: 200700 Oct67
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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
0900				Capt KERTH 2/26 informed COC that patrol from H 2/26 would be passing through Gia Le Combat Base 100-1300.	
			190920	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on loading of bridge trailers .	
0955				OP#3 reported sighting 5 VC running 2000 meters at 2600 from OP. Informed 2/26 COC.	
			191130	SR3 to LL1 - Instructions to expedite movement landed trailers to OP.	
			191220	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on bridge and request for additional trucks to haul bridge trailers.	
			191630	LL1 to SR3 - Fuel tankers arrived to fill eqp at bridge site.	
			192045	LL1 to SR3 - Progress report on bridge.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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TIME		SER. NO	DATE/TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
	0700			Journal Opened.	
			200025	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on bridge. Two more Bays disassembled and loaded on trailers.	
	0735			3dTkBn granted permission to FAM fire small arms OP#3	
			200800	SR3 to LL1 - pl Request progress report on bridge.	
			200845	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on bridge. Nine more bays remain to be disassembled, in addition to 2 float sections. pl	
	0900			Established Liaison w/11 ARVN Capt on opening of road to DONG DA training area.	
			201340	LL1 to SR3 - request to know what time bridge construction on south bridge to begin.	
			201350	SR3 to LL1 - Bridge construction to begin at 210900.	
			201450	SR3 to SR3 - progress report on bridge. 4 Bays remain.	
			202245	LL1 to SR3 - progress report on bridge. Bridge completely disassembled.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal Opened	
0800				MCB-10 requested and was granted permission to FAM fire small arms at OP#3	
0930				Informed by 2/26 COC that patrol from 2/26 operating in Gia Le area	
1445				Army Motor Transport company billeted Gia Le FAM fired weapons.	
	0700			Journal Closed	

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TIME		SR.	DATE/TIME	INCIDENTS -- MESSAGES -- TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS -- ORDERS -- REPORTS	ACTION
IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened	
0805				Capt Kurth 2/26 informed CUC that patrol from 2/26 would be operating in area from 1000-1300	
0920				Base defensive coordinator called and said to set Condition III	
		231055		SR3 to LL1 - request progress report on bridge assembly	
		231447		LL1 to SR3 Progress report on bridge, 5 Bays completed	
		231625		SR3 to LL1 instructions to stack pile bridging	
		231652		LL1 to SR3 Division Engineer at bridge site said he might be able to get time extension on bridge completion	
		232012		LL1 to SR3 Progress report on bridge. 6 Bays completed	
0700				Journal Closed	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal Opened	
0920				GySgt Surilly informed COC that 3d Tks Bn would test alert system at 0730	
			240745	LL1 to SR3 Request two more loads desk panel. 10 Bays completed and in water	
			240805	LL1 to SR3 Progress report on bridge. Can be ready to replace A2VN bridge at 1600	
1400				MCB#3 granted permission to fire 6 rounds 81 MM rounds for registration	
			241410	LL1 to SR3 Progress report on bridge. Construction held up due to lack of pontoons.	
			241844	LL1 to SR3 Motor Transportation request 26 Oct 67.	
			242000	SR3 to LL1 Instructions to be prepared to exchange bridges with ARVN	
	0700			Journal Closed	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened	
			250700	LL1 to SR3 Progress rpt on bridge	
			250813	SR3 to LL1 Two trucks loaded with deck signal in route your position	
1020				3dAt Bn requested and was granted permission to FAM fire M-44's and M-60 at OP#3	
			251308	SR3 to LL18 Have recon personnel arrive your position	
			251315	LL18 to SR3 Recon personnel have arrived this position	
	0700			Journal Closed	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal Opened.	
0830				3dTkBn granted permission to FAM fire small arms at OP#3.	
		260840		SR3 to TH1 - Instructions for two bridgemen at bridge site. Remain on site until we arrive there tomorrow.	
		261055		SR3 to LL1 - request your truck requirements for wild drousel from Nam Hoa.	
		261122		SR3 to LL1 - request your return all ff CMP pumps this CP.	
		261715		SR3 to LL1 - was ferry operational today. Imperative that Ferry operate tomorrow.	
		261750		LL1 to SR3 - Be advised ferry operational today.	
0700				Journal Closed,	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
0700				Journal Opened	
			270842	SR# to LL1 Be advised SR 6 and SR3 will arrive your position approximately 0920	
			270910	SR3 to LL1 Have ARVN Bridge personnel arrived your position Have your commercial Bridge exchange	
			270920	SR3 to SR3A Contact DivEngr Advise Bridge exchange commenced.	
			271325	LL1 to SR3 Progress report 2 sections in. ETE 1500.	
			271830	LL1 to SR3 Bridge completed. Traffic moving across bridge.	
	0700			Journal Closed	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened	
0755				Capt SHAW 2/26 COC informed EngrBn COC that element of 2/26 and ARVN unit would be sweeping village north of GIA LE TADR.	
			291030	SR3 to SR35 - request progress report on truck recovery	
			291145	LL1 to SR3 - will attempt at winch decking on to shore. Request extra truck.	
			291150	SR3 to LL1 - survey possibilities recovery sunken ferry. It is required to have operational ferry by tomorrow evening.	
			291210	SR3 to LL1 - am sending two M-51's with bridge trailers your position FTA 1245.	
			291331	SR3 to LL1 - arrange for rations, water, and bridge personnel for security on ferry.	
			291920	SR3 to LL1 - request estimated time of completion of ferry.	
0700				Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
			300100	SR3A to SR3 - progress report, all 6 floats in water commencing to lay deck panels.	
			300400	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. 2 sections of deck panels in place.	
			300605	SR3A to SR3 - request 1200 ft. PSP for use as end sections	
			300716	SR3 to SR3A - Two loads deck panels will depart this e. p. ASAP. Wreckers and PSP will follow.	
			300830	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. Ferry erected but with out ramp section.	
0730				3dAthen reported patrol leaving area by west gate.	
			301112	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. 1000 Estimate raft will be operational 1000.	
			301200	SR3A to SR3 - Progress report. Have begun to lay PSP as approached for crane.	
			301730	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. Ramps recovered.	
			301915	SR3A to SR3 - Bridge boat running on power of one engine. Is sufficient for 6 float ferry.	
			302230	SR3A to SR3 - No further work can be done as sunken ferry is dark. Will begin first light tomorrow.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		
				Journal Opened.	
			300100	SR3A to SR3 - progress report, all 6 floats in water commencing to lay deck panels.	
			300400	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. 2 sections of deck panels in place.	
			300605	SR3A to SR3 - request 1200 ft. PSP for use as end sections	
			300716	SR3 to SR3A - Two loads deck panels will depart this e. p. ASP. Wreckers and PSP will follow.	
			300830	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. Ferry erected but with out ramp section.	
				3dATH reported patrol leaving area by west gate.	
			301112	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. 1611 Estimate raft will be operational 1000.	
			301200	SR3A to SR3 - Progress report. Have begun to lay PSP as approached for crane.	
			301730	SR3A to SR3 - progress report. Ramps recovered.	
			301915	SR3A to SR3 - Bridge boat running on power of one engine. Is sufficient for 6 float ferry.	
			302230	SR3A to SR3 - No further work can be done as sunken ferry is dark. Will begin first light tomorrow.	
			0700	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP		TAKEN
0700				Journal Opened.	
			310640	SR3A to SR3 - Ferry will begin operating 0700.	
			310840	SR3 to SR3A - Instructions to continue Ferry operations.	
			311700	SR6 to SR3 - Instructions to hold trucks at bridge site over night if cannot return prior to 1900.	
			311900	LL1 to SR3 - Low boy with TD-18 arrived this position 1815. Discharge hose for water pump defective, request replacement.	
			312100	LL1 to SR3 - Progress report - 3 full floats in water.	
			312200	LL1 to SR3 - Progress report - 5 full floats in water.	
			312300	LL1 to SR3 - Progress report - 7 full floats in water.	
	0700			Journal Closed.	

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UNIT: Axehandle 4
 FROM: 310001H Oct 1967
 TO: 312400H Oct 1967
 PLACE: Phu Bai, Vietnam

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SER# IN DTG OUT DTG INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, TELECONS, AND DAILY SUMMARY ACTION

1	0930		S-4 to Phu Bai to pick up Vietnamese payroll. Payroll amounted to approx 800,000 \$VN.
2	1400		S-4 to G-4 for briefing on LCB report. No changes. Except they feel reports aren't detailed enough, they want memo attached whenever there is a change in allowance or on hand balance. We will show it in following format:
			ID# ALLOWANCE ON HAND REMARKS RUC
3	1700		Commanding Officers meeting. Announced that Vietnamese will not work tomorrow because of National Holiday. Support Co requests 2 army trks and 1 army water trk for support tomorrow. Priority of transportation to Phu Loc bridge. Supply received approx 2500' of 18" culvert. Also total receipts were 3 Lowbeds and 4 cargo trks. Filter Sleeves and fitness report forms received.
4	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration.

MESSAGES

1	270457Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	CONSERVATION OF SOCKS AND LIGHTWEIGHT UTILITIES
2	281636Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
3	281636Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
4	290610Z Oct 67	3d ENGR BN	COMM-ELECT EQUIP ON LOAN
5	290635Z Oct 67	3d ENGR BN	REPORT OF M-127, M172 SEMI-TRAILERS, AND M198 DOLLY
6	290933Z Oct 67n	3d FSR	NORS MILSTRIP REQUISITION REJECT
7	291147Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UPS
8	291203Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	AMMUNITION SUSPENSION
9	291624Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
10	291640Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
11	300300Z Oct 67	3d ENGR BN	COMM-ELECT EQUIP ON LOAN
12	300455Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MISSING VEHICLE, AN/MRC-110 USMC# 328152
13	300806Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER

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UNIT: Axehandle 4
 FROM: 30000LH Oct 1967
 TO: 302400H Oct 1967
 PLACE: Phu Bai, Vietnam

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<u>SER#</u>	<u>IN MTG</u>	<u>OUT MTG</u>	<u>INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, TELECONS, AND DAILY SUMMARY</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
1	0825		Maj SCRUGGS concurred with submitting controlled Maint. Request to NSA for repair parts for 150 KW gen 402090. Sgt BROWN is prepared to accompany request to DaNang.	
2	0845		Maj FINNEY advised that cutting torch was returned Saturday as requested. Confirmed same with HE.	
3	0905		DSO reports they have two Mine Detectors for us delivered to them by courier. S-4 will pickup.	
4	0915		S-4 to Phu Bai to pick up Vietnamese payroll.	
5	1035		S-4 returned from Phu Bai. Vietnamese payroll not in yet.	
6	1110		Maj KROLAK indicated his platoons report they are not getting prompt notification of cancelled requisitions. SupO should implement better system of notification. Asst S-4 will check with SupO.	
7	1115		Div Ex Chief was advised we do not require separate pickup point for Korean Laundry.	
8	1125		SupO reports his trip to FLSC-A turned up no rubber boots. Green shirts are a control-issue item to infantry units. Walk through where didn't turn up much of value yet. Directed SupO again to prepare HE Package of reqns for walk-through 1st FSE. Another 50 gallons of electrolyte on hand. Apparently 2500' of 18" culvert is on RUC line., SupO reports that DSO reps will be here afternoon to look into critical repair parts deficiencies.	
9	1445		Lt FORD called Div Eng request status on 2-20 KW gen we pickup from Hdq Bn Supply Officer, 1 for Evans and one for 3d SP Bn.	

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10 1400 Staff visit to HE to review condition fo equipment records with Maj KROLAK. Numerous discrepancies noted in Opn Log and Service Record for indiv items. Some indication that daily PM's have been preformed but not recorded, and other indications that PM's not being consistantly performed. Opn Log and Serv Record not being used for equipment going to field for more than one day. Worksheets not being used for weekly and monthly PM. In short Supply. Dispatching procedures need tightening. Some instances where hours not being correctly recorded on Opnl Records, other discrepancies in Opn Log and Serv Record were that services performed or required to be performed were incorrectly or incompletely entered.

11 1515 2 rep from Division Supply met with SupO, S-4 and Asst S-4, discussed reclass this RUC from C-2 to C-3 supply status. This matter referred to Bn CO, gave permission to start paper work on reclass.

12 1700 Commanding Officers meeting. XO requested info on sail pipe, do we have any? P's will be sold at Company Supply 1 - 3 Nov. We have aprox 2000' of 18" culvert to pick up from FLSS-A. Const needs 425' of reinforcing bar-water tank job. S-4 read Division message on proper Supply economy. Culvert is still needed for the Med Bn job 2-150' sections. All the Vietnamese Employees were TB Skin tested today.
 Transportation: Supply - Lowbed, Const - 1 army trk, Utilities - 1 water trk and 1 M54, Heavy Equip - 1 trk, Sgt Maj - 1 trk, Mess - M54, Trash/IRO - 1 trk, IRO meeting in Hue - 1 vehicle to marry up with a second military vehicle going to Hue.
 Any extra trks we will send to Med Bn job.

13 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration.

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1	0800		Brunch until 11 00 .	
2	0930		Church Call.	
3	1145		XO indicates he will talk to MCB-121 about well casing for second well for Bn. He will also ask for concrete mesh for S-2 security cage. He indicates DEO will try to obtain 10" well casing from 11th Engr Bn for Korean Laundry, and that we can give Koreans whatever we have available.	
4	1300		2 advisors for ARVN Bn training in Dong Da reported to pick up scrap wood at supply for cooking fires.	
5	1415		Directed SupO to order remaining TD-18 authorized by spl allowance. To use advice Code 5D and cite ForO 4441.1D and III MAF T/E P.4960 and Div ltr as authorities.	
6	1420		Construction reports they have two 20' lengths of well casing on hand.	
7	1515		S-4 conferred with Mess Sgt who had just returned from R&R, concerning messhall matters: Payment for meals by Koreans, Personnel situation, setting up field grade table, food preparation, working hours for Vietnamese messmen.	
8	1700		Commanding Officers meeting. Spt Co Cdr advises he will represent all his platoons at the daily meeting henceforth. 2 aluminum boats are to go to Dong Ha for "A" & "C"Co. XO advises FLSG has many rubber boats, green shirts, and advised SupO to screen their stocks for other items we need. Transportation: Construction - 2 Army trks, Water Runs - 1 Army trk and M54 Supply - Truck all day, Trash/IRO - M54 & M51, then M54, Mess - M54, To Nam Hoa: M60 Crane, Floodlight, 2 55GPM pumps, 150T46 Crane, 2 TD18. Most of this is already there.	

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9 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. Discussed Staff relationship with Maj KRCLAK. If he is in area, S-4 should work through him. In his absence, deal with sections on commitments, but keep him advised. This is not meant to interrupt flow of normal information.

MESSAGES

1	232221Z	Oct 67	ADMIN MCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
2	240032Z	Oct 67	JCS	ALMILACT 19/67
3	240030Z	Oct 67	MCB-10 DETAIL HOTEL	WEEKLY SIT REP
4	240143Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	RESOURCES REPORT
5	240204Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
6	240235Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	TRUCK EARTH BORING V-18A1 MTQ
7	240932Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
8	240933Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	WATER PURIFICATION UNITS WUF 1160 3000GAL
9	241507Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	TYPE WRITERS REQUISITIONING OF
10	251341Z	Oct 67	3d MARDIV	ID NUMBERS FOR MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
11	241401Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REPORT OF LOSS OF CAPTURED URC 12/PRC25 SERIES RADIOS
12	260321Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	CHANGE OF COMMAND CEREMONY 2/9
13	260342Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
14	260956Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
15	261604Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
16	261606Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
17	152148Z	Sep 67	CNO	NAVY FUNDING
18	270653Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MOTOR TRANSPORT SUPPORT FOR PHU BAI
19	270945Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	ICP MUMMS CUSTOMER BACK-ORDER RECONCILIATION
20	271143Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SEMI-TRAILERS, M127 AND M172, AND M198 DOLLY TRAILER
21	280113Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
22	280300Z	Oct 67	3d ENGR BN	LUBE SVC UNIT TWO AND ONE HALF TON T/A
23	280810Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
24	281031Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER CORRECTIONS
25	281047Z	Oct 67	cg, 3d MARDIV	MEDICAL SUPPLY STOCKAGE OBJECTIVES
26	281227Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	COMM-ELECT EQUIP ON LOAN

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1 0805 Lt BYRNE phonee in the Resources Report as follows:

Line 1 - a. 3/37
 b. 2/18

Line 2 - Chain Saw 4 hrs
 M54 40 hrs
 TD-15 4 hrs
 M60 Crane 4 hrs

Line 3 - None
 Line 4 - None
 Line 5 - None (a & b)

2 1000 S-4 and Maj KROLAK to Phu Bai. Turned in Log Sum.

3 1215 S-4 briefed Maj KROLAK on technical, supply, and logistic problems and general posture of the Battalion.

4 1345 Maj FINNEY regarding physical examination of prospective Vietnamese employees.

5 1415 S-4 met with Surgeon to discuss procedures for administration of physical examinations to prospective Vietnamese employees.

6 1500 GySgt BANKS. Requested one housekeeping trk for constfuction tomorrow, and one trk for preload to Dong Ha tomorrow evening. (2) trks should be here tomorrow afternoon for preload of lumber for A-1 at Quang Tri. All will depend on whether Rough Rider gets back from DaNang.

7 1610 G-4 plans requests documentation on two special allowances we had cited to them.

8 1615 Maj FINNEY on medical care for Vietnamese. Agree to procedures suggested by S-4.

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- 9 1700 Commanding Officers meeting. Relaxed routine Sunday with brunch ~~0800-1100~~.
 Work at Nam Hoa, Div CP to continue as usual. Early chow for these men.
 Transportation: Construction - 2 Army trks
 Water - Army trk
 Mess - M54
 Trash - M54 (Messhall pickup only, 0900 & 1300)
 Supply Needs trk Monday. Lowbed and TD18 to "A"Med.
 XO directs publication of instructions regarding recovery of monsoon gear.
 S-3 indicates (2) loaded and (2) empty brg trlrs are still at Truoi bridge
 site and should be brought back.
- 10 1845 S-3 indicates two rafts must be constructed at Nam Hoa. Needs 2-4 5-ton
 trucks. Contacted Div MTO, and none available. Advised S-3. Will have
 to use organic vehicles.
- 11 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. Vietnamese medical care for prospective
 employees will be handled as follows:
 Applicant will be taken immediately to surgeon for physical examination.
 Stool and blood samples will be taken at BAS and processed in routine
 fashion. Same day as physical is taken, applicant will be taken on
 regular run to "A"Med for X-Ray, then instructed to report back in 48
 hours for yea or nay. If applicant is qualified but VDRL not available
 he may be put to work immediately in any job not requiring food handling.
 If VDRL is negative or treatment has been given after positive VDRL,
 he may then be put to work food handling.

MESSAGES

1	251339Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	ID NUMBER FOR MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
2	230039Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	ALUMINUM BOATS
3	231013Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	COMM-ELECT CONTACT INSTRUCTION TEAM
4	230626Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
5	230955Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MORATORIUM ON EXCESS PROPERTY TURN-IN

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| 1 | 1300 | Asst S-4 to construction, MT, and utilities to discuss justification for changes in allowances. |
| 2 | 1430 | MSgt ORSALS, Div Food Serv, visited to check on problems and see new messhall. Advised him that messhall cleaning gear is still in very short supply. Again pointed out that electric power is critical problem area. |
| 3 | 1700 | <p>Commanding Officers meeting. Recieved report that Nam Hoa ferry had partially sunk with 3 loaded M51 aboard. 2 Had been pulled out and one is in the river. (3) M51 and (1) Lowbed are stranded on the west side of the river. (1) Lowbed with TD-18 w/winch from Div CP, (1) M51 with security, (1) PC with floodlight trailer, 150T46 and the wrecker were immediately dispatched to Nam Hoa. Lt RICE in charge, also assigned to the investigation.</p> <p>Transportation: Construction - 2 M35 from 515th, housekeeping trk from Div MTO.</p> <p>Water runs - 1 water trk from 515th, 1 M52</p> <p>Mess - M54 Trash/IRO - 2 M51, then 1</p> <p>Supply - M35 from 515th (FM)</p> <p>Transportation remaining in area tomorrow: 3 M51, 1 M54, 1 Lowbed, 1 M52.</p> |
| 4 | 2400 | <p>DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. XO approved draft of October Log Sum, but challenged basis for OPSTAT C2 in supply readiness based on total number of requisitions over 60 days old. He feels it should be only 02 and 05 documents. S-4 feels that ability to provide continuing support is key factor in supply readiness also.</p> |

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| 1 | 251327Z Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | ID NUMBER FOR MILSTRIP FOLLOWUP |
| 2 | 251329Z Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP |
| 3 | 251333Z Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP |
| 4 | 251335Z Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | ID NUMBER FOR MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP |
| 5 | 251337Z Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | ID NUMBER FOR MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP |

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1 1700 Commanding Officers meeting.
 Transportation: Construction - 3 M51(O645), Lowbed & TL-16 to pick up lumber.
 Heavy Equip - 4 M51, Lowbed to take 5 kniferests to ASP. Mess - M54
 Trash/IRO - 2 M51, then 1
 Sgt Maj - Army Trk for EM Clubb
 H&S - M51 after IRO for rock and sand to SNCO Club site.
 Nam Hoa (PM) Lowbed w/TD15 to rock quarry
 Div CP Grader, TD18, 105 Compressor
 3d MT Bn TD18
 In lot - 2 TD18, 4 Scrapers, 2 M37 Cranes, 150T46, MRS100.

2 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. Entire day spent in preparing Log Sum and Memo for Engr O, FMFPac.

MESSAGES

1	2007 15Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SUMMER REQUIREMENTS
2	211018Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
3	230951Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	LIGHTWEIGHT UTILITIES
4	231255Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	AN/PRC-25 SPARE PARTS
5	230117Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	TECHNICAL MANUAL PROBLEMS
6	201805 Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	LUBE SERVICE UNIT 21/2 TON
7	231323Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	LUBE SERVICE UNIT 21/2 TON
8	261956Z Oct 67	ADMIN MCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
9	270949Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REQUEST SUPPLY ASSISTANCE
10	270951Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
11	250321Z Oct 67	COM SER PAC	DEFECTIVE AERSOL SPRAY PAINT
12	250916Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
13	251315Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	NUCLEAR SAFETY OFFICERS COURSE
14	251325Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	ID NUMBER FOR MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP

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1	0800		Lt JOHNSON, Bulk Fuel, requests additional real estate for dispersing 6 fuel bags. Wants 100' between fuel bags. Says MCB-121 is wiring his huts now.	
2	0855		Captain RODINECKI, DSO, regarding advice Codes 4G, 4H, 5D, and DIC. A01 versus A05. Would still like letter of justification on end item requisitions. Some confusion exists on use of 4G and 4H, CG, 3d MarDiv 231259Z Oct refers.	
3	0855		Const reports chain saws 1278, 3333, and 3342 on hand and D/L. Also reports 6-18 foot pcs 12x12 on hand.	
4	0905		Major Stauch, FLSS-A. Advised him we need about 12,000 bf 12x12 in 16, 18, 22, foot lengths. He will check his assets.	
5	0915		Advised CWO DUNCAN that we need to know how much usable material is in 12x12 delivered from Hue ramp and his piece length requirements for rest of job.	
6	1340		S-4 and SupO briefed XO on contents of October Div Supply Newsletter. He wants CO certificate prepared for Col REID signature, and change to BnO 4400.4A regarding period for length of temporary loans.	
7	1700		Commanding Officers meeting. Transportation: Construction - 2 M51, will also haul sand all day. Heavy Equip - 4 M54, Lowbed for TD-15 to CP area Mess - M54. Supply - Lowbed Trash/IRO - 2 M51, then 1 Water - M51 after IRO- if not needed then to HE Both fuel tankers up/ Heavy Equipment, Division CP: 105 Compressor, TD-18, TD-15, 550 Grader, MRS-100 should go to 3d MT Bn. Pit - M37 with shovel front TD-18	

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3D MT Bn - 550 grader, unless MRS-100 becomes available.

Lot: (3) TD-18

M37 with backhoe

150T46

TL-16

(1) 10 yd scraper

(3) 8 yd scrapers

(1) 550 grader if it does not go to 3d MT Bn

Seabees should be working sand pit for us tomorrow.

MT Chief reports he delivers about 4800 gal water daily by M107 trailer and 5200 gal by 6000 gal tanker and M52. Also reports 3d M52 may be up in near future.

8 2015

Major STAUCH reports we can begin picking up 12x12. Says he has enough in 16' lengths or longer. Notified CWO DUNCAN.

9 2045

3d MT Bn reports road runner returned but left lowbed behind. An Lo ferry approaches in very bad conditions. Semi's had to be towed off exit. Lowbed with 125 compressor left behind because convoy could not wait on ferry crossing. Notified MT Chief. Lowbed remaining in area will move TD-15 first, then M52 will haul water in morning, and lowbed will 12x12 in PM. MT Chief to notify CWO DUNCAN. 3-4 notified 3-3.

10 2400

DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration.

MESSAGES

1	161224Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
2	161232Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
3	171202Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	REWORKED AMMO PROCESSED BY MAERM
4	171601Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MarDiv	OBLIGATION OF FUNDS
5	181232Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
6	181654Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
7	200217Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REHAB PROGRAM. BODY ARMOR UPPER TORSO

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- 1 0740 Gy VANBUSHIRK advises he has two lowbeds available for picking up 12x12 at Hue Ramp. He will dispatch them.
- 2 0830 Ltjg KUNKA, MCB-3, visited to determine locations for four 8-hole heads. One each to H&S, Spt, B, and old C-11 area. Also discussed shower buildings. We get three. MCB-10 already built one with MCB-3 material, so only two left (H&S and Spt areas). Discussed projects for 5.58 miles of road in Gia Le. Ltjg KUNKA will provide list of plumbing materials he needs to complete our showers to see if we can make up deficiencies. Together, we will draw up list of priority projects for upgrading roads and undertake them on joint basis. He will survey streamline below culvert at wash pad to permit realignment of channel there and will see about replacing culvert with 2-60" pipes.
- 3 1035 Cdr ECKLUND, 32d NCR, regarding two live-in house maids. Will be furnished and charged against ceiling for 3d NCR. Primarily to work in Officers Mess. He had previously contacted Division IRO and IRD Hue in this regard. Notified SSgt Valys to pick up loose ends. Also learned that MCB-3 desires bar girl on live-in basis. Qtrs for all three should be completed in about two weeks.
- 4 1100 Division MTO fraged four Army trucks for bridge work tomorrow. All to go to Cumberland. One truck for Construction and two for preload to Evans also requested, but held in obedience.
- 5 1115 Captain BACHE. Advised him about generators at FLSS-A. He did not know about PU-482. (1) PU-239 is slated for Khe Sanh and (1) for Evans. S-4 mentioned we would like to have them here first.
- 6 1540 Captain MURPHY on release of MILSTRIP messages. With each MILSTRIP provide separate note showing nomenclature of item concerned. Do not put DTG or drafter information on top of message format. Leave blank.

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7 1700

Commanding Officers Meeting. Transportation: Mess - M54 Supply - Lowbed (PM)
 Construction - M51 (3), then maybe (1) Trash/IRO - M54 and M51, then M51
 Heavy Equip - M51 (4) to haul fill Mt - M52 early for water - then lowbed
 Evans - Lowbed and grader. to HE to move TD-15 from 1/44 to
 M51 (2) still at M4 at this Div Comm Bunker.
 time. May be back tonight.

Acceptance checks on (2) other M51's will be completed tonight.

Heavy Equipment: 15 loads of snad needed at ASP

1 load of fill needed at CP septic tank

TL-16 back in lot with forks on

150T46 at Cumberalnd

105 Compressor to Division Comm Bunker with mall saw, but saw
 not working.

Lessons Learned due on 28th.

Construction reports 12x12 from Hue Ramp isin 14, 16, and 22 foot lengths. Needs
 16, 18, 20, and 22 foot lengths. S-4 to coordinate with Major STAURK in drawing
 12x12 from FLGG. Must find out what they have first.

Needed to move fuel drums at messhall to safer location.

8 2030

Crisis on chain saws. Review of D/L status shows A-C. with 5, C-Co with 2, B-Co
 with 4. Reported same to S-3 and XO at 2145.

9 2400

DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration.

MESSAGES

1	150026Z Oct 67	MOSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
2	150037Z Oct 67	CG, MOSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
3	150830Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
4	150852Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
5	150900Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP
6	151606Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP

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- 1 0815 Major SCHULTZ advises MAF desires to know whether Division requires additional WUF-1160. Requested 2 additional units to provide backup now lacking, establishment of projected water points, and allowance deficiencies. Requested him to see if additional 3000 gal tanks could be obtained. Also indicates we may be sending some 1x6 and 1/2" plywood to A-1 at Quang Tri.
- 2 0930 S-4 visited Lt jg BAUTZ at Base Development to obtain as built maps of Gia Le Combat Base.
- 3 1045 Mrs VO THI YEN, 3d AT Bn Concessionaire, submitted request to open another Bn Barber Shop.
- 4 1400 XO disapproved above request to open additional barber shop.
- 5 1430 Mr OLERMAN (HQMC), Mr ODDEN (Bureau Docks), Ltjg WILLIAMS, and Ltjg BAUTZ (Base Development) visited to discuss Base requirements for centralized electric power. Indicated that ABFC contains generator assets up to 500KW, and that MUSE must be MilCon procured. Nothing can be done until Division submits the request. Also learned that maintenance support is not available for ABFC generators.
- 6 1600 S-4 interviewed LCpl SIANO for possible transfer to "B" Co to cook in 4th Marines messhall. Advised S-1 to transfer him.
- 7 1700 Commanding Officers meeting. Transportation: Construction - M51 (3), then 2 Heavy Equipment - M51 (2), then M4 Bridge Site - M51 (2), (PM)
 Trash/IRO - M54 (2), then 1 Supply - M54 (PM), TL-16 early
 Mess - M54 Cumberland - M51 (2)
- 550 grader to Evans on lowbed 25th, bring back 125
 M51 with 100 sacks cement on 27th.
 150T46 to Cumberland 24th.
 TL-16 to ASP with bucket.
 Lowbed to HUE to pick up 12x12 on 24th.
 Utilities advises FLSG-A has PU-482 #306149 M/F FLSG-A and 2 PU-239 on hand.

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8	1800		Discussed Vietnamese medical care with Surgeon. For time being, will extend it only to employees because of hospital being built near Phu Luong. Will advise on whether he wants to hire a female practical nurse. He will develop plan for medical care.	
9	2155		Phoned "C" Co Resources report to controller, Sgt YATES took call.	
10	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. Lt FORD joined Battalion today and was assigned to duty as assistant S-4. Mud-Hogs were delivered to Air Freight FFT to Dong Ha. Gy VEGA signed receipt and will deliver.	

MESSAGES

1	172214Z Oct	CG, MCSA PHILA	Tractor MRS-100
2	190551Z Oct	CG, 3D MAR DIV	Truck Earth Boring V-18A/MTQ
3	191925Z Oct	CG, MCSA PHILA	Milstrip Supply Status
4	191932Z Oct	CG, MCSA PHILA	Milstrip Supply Status
5	201108Z Oct	CG, III MAF	Technical Manual Problems
6	201928Z Oct	SMCEB	Joint Armed Forces Publications
7	202012Z Oct	CMC	Audio Tape of CMC's 192 Birthday msg
8	210912Z Oct	III MAF	Storm Warning
9	220506Z Oct	CG, III MAF	Assignment of msg Precedence
10	220801Z Oct	CG, 3d MARDIV	Unauthorized Conversion of Ponchos and Liners
11	221219Z Oct	CG, 3D MARDIV	Request Supply Assistance
12	221221Z Oct	3D MARDIV	Tractor MRS-100
13	221457Z Oct	CG, 3D MARDIV	Abandonment of Ammo
14	221555Z Oct	CG, 3D MARDIV	Weekly Civic Action Report

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1	0730		S-4 toured area checking on utilization of personnel and work projects.	
2	1100		S-4 met with S-3 to discuss ways of achieving better coordination and scheduling of work from Battalion level.	
3	1500		S-4 met with XO to discuss control of Battalion operations, major problem area, and other construction matters.	
4	1700		Commanding Officers meeting. Transportation: Trash truck only - two pickups at messhall. Sunday to be relaxed routine because of Vietnamese elections.	
5	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration.	

MESSAGES

1	171520Z Oct	CG, FORLOGCOMD	STATUS OF COMPASS
2	181559Z Oct	CG, 3d MAR DIV	INNERSOLE FOR JUNGLE BOOTS
3	190741Z Oct	CG, 3d MAR DIV	IDENTIFICATION CARD SYSTEM TO AUTHORIZE PICKUP OF SUPPLIES
4	200354Z Oct	CG, FORLOGCOMD	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
5	200418Z Oct	CG, MCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
6	200427Z Oct	CG, MCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
7	201714Z Oct	CNO	DATA PROCESSING DURING MINIMIZE
8	210130Z Oct	CG, III MAF	TIME OFF TO VOTE IN VN NATIONAL ELECTIONS
9	220030Z Oct	CG, III MAF	TYPHOON WARNING
10	220659Z Oct	SUB ZONE COORD NORTHERN SECTOR/ CG, 3d MAR DIV	QUANG TRI OFF LIMITS

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- 1 0815 S-4 met with Mr. KC of Korean Laundry. Advised him his temporary workers must be hired from IRD, Hue, and will not be permitted aboard Base without proper clearances. Informed him we will not permit or provide any more oxygen. He agreed to purchase good grade gravel for Bn in lieu of repairing lumber he had borrowed. We could use his 80KW generator for emergency power, but it could not be moved. There would be too much line loss in hooking up reefers to it.
- 2 1015 Major SCRUGGS directed we reserve 2000 cubic meters 2-3" rock for Div CP.
- 3 1310 Major SCHULTZ requests S/Sgt BROWN contact LtCol MULFORD prior to his departure for Okinawa. DEO wants him to pick up some parts for 60KW and 150 KW generators. Advised him we have no more mudhogs available. Advised him we have about 1200 sheets of tin, but 1000 are oged to MCB-3.
- 4 1320 Mr. CHIEU from Orphanage Laundry visited, and presented two happiness bells from Mother Superior. Explained economical straits laundry is in because they are losing business from FWMAF. S-4 advises he will continue to seek source of firewood for them.
- 5 1330 S-3 advises M4 bridge south of TRIOR RIVER will be installed commencing tomorrow. 15 man crew (5 from Brg Plt, 5 from SptCo, & 5 from H&SCo). 25T crane being provided by MCB-121. Will require 2-5T trks there and 2 for CUMBERLAND (also 2M51 already assigned to CUMBERLAND). Fldlt trlr to go, and MRS-100. Turn around site is available. Will require water, 21 cases of C-rations and heat tabs, and 4 drums each of diesel and MOGAS. S-3 also requested additional socks for men at CUMBERLAND.
- 6 1415 Lt SHIVER, DivOrd, visited to inspect condition of ammo bunkers in readiness for monsoon. No discrepancies.
- 7 1620 150KW generator on-line again.
- 8 1700 CO's meeting. Transportation: Construction: M51 (3) then (2)
 HE: M51 (3) initially, then 5
 Mess: M54
 Trash/IRO: M54, M51 then M54
 Supply: Lowbed, PM

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- 8 1700 Breaker boxes for generators an urgent requirement. Studs on rear wheel of 150T46 broken. MTO requests chock blocks for larger vehicles, CO emphatically concurred. PW Detachment, Phu Bai, is hold (7) bundles of 3x12 for us for Dic CP.
- 9 2400 DAILY SUMMARY- Normal Administration.

MESSGAES

- 1 19012730Oct67 CG, 3dMarDiv- Motor Transport Support for Dong Ha.
- 2 19014630Oct67 CG, III MAF ICorps- Typhoon Carla.
- 3 19020520Oct67 CG, 3d FSR- Milstrip Supply Shipment Status
- 4 19054130Oct67 CO, 4th Mar- Engineer TERO's

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1	0910		Met with Mrs. LE THI CHUONG to discuss further details of her agreement to police trash dump. Discussed matters of obtaining temporary passes for her employees. We will issue temporary gate passes until such time as CIT clearances are available for her 4 laborers and driver, who will report to Div IRO to initiate the paperwork.	
2	0915		Accident at generator pad. Trash truck, unattended, lost parking brake by Supply. Coasted downhill and hit 150 KW generator. 2 LNC injured, one returned to duty, one with broken arm. Capt O'REAR assigned investigation.	
3	0950		Submitted following distribution of 8-hole heads to S-3, MCB-3: (4) to 3d EngrBn (3) each to 3d TKBn, 3dATBn, 3dSPBn.	
4	1010		Completed contract for 2-3" rock with Mr. PHAN VAN TRAP.	
5	1045		Received report HE had cut two water lines feeding the messhall.	
6	1230		Commenced cleanup and preparation for Typhoon CARLA.	
7	1245		Arranged for 3dATBn, MOGAS refueler to make refuelling run to Cumberland. M51 supplied as shotgun vehicle.	
8	1350		Requested two trks from 515th for Cumberland. Have none.	
9	1405		Requested two trks from Div for Cumberland. None available.	
10	1430		Pulled two M51's for Cumberland. Reported to org plt to pick up empty bridge trailers.	
11	1650		MCB-121 advises they have no generator to lend us.	
12	1700		MAG-36 advises no generators available.	
13	1705		No results on borrowing generator from MCB-3.	
14	1710		S-1 requests transportation for 24 rotatees to Air Freight in morning.	

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15 1730 Transportation for 20 October: (3) M51's Construction
 (2) M51's Air Freight
 M54 and M51 Trask/LNC
 Supply, M54 and bridge trailer
 Mess, M54

16 2400 DAILY SUMMARY- Normal administration. Generator still not up, because no
 voltage. Expedient water line hooked up to messhall. Food
 in reefers not jeopardized, because will be used tomorrow.

MESSAGES

1 162036ZOct67 CG, MCSA Phila- Milstrip Supply Status
 2 170155ZOct67 3d FSR- Milstrip Follow-up Reply
 3 170825ZOct67 CO, 3d Engr Bn- Resources Report for Div Comptroller
 4 171646ZOct67 CG, ForLogCmd- Milstrip Passing Order
 5 180034ZOct67 3d FSR- Milstrip Shipment Status
 6 181212ZOct67 3d FSR- Flag 5-67 NORS Reqs
 7 181605ZOct67 CG, 3d Mar Div- Annex to 3d Mar Div Admin Plan
 8 182208ZOct67 CG, MarCorSupCen Barstow- Milstrip Shipment Reports

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1	0910		Lt KIRIACOPOULIS, regarding CG, 3d MarDiv msg 021039Z Oct 67, wants to know location of bunkers a signed to Evans. Feels there are 20 involved. Only 10 allocated to Evans on this msg. DivO 11000.1B establishes unit allowances for bunkers.	
2	0800		S-4 met with Capts O'REAR and MARKANTHONY to discuss increased role of companies in area police, relationship of Sgt Major to 1st Sgt's, and enhancing internal security (bunkers, revetments, etc). The S-4 will handle only trash collection and burying of heads. The S-4 and the Sgt Maj will tour the camp and produce a plan for bunkers, revetments, and trenches. Also increased the role of Hq Cndt.	
3	1300		Met with XO and Mme LE THI CHUONG to finalize arrangement for her to police dump and remove scrap. Will commence after workers have passes. Will necessitate limiting ARVN's to Sunday, and eliminating Orphanage laundry, unless another solution can be found.	
4	1530		GySgt BANKS advises our trks not required for Rough Rider to Danang. We will receive 4 Army trks requested by Maj SCHULTZ for tomorrow.	
5	1645		MCB-10 requested assistance in lighting guts being used in Shore Party area. Suggested floodlight trlr. They will advise.	
6	1430		Lt KUNKA requests to know the distribution of 13 8-hole heads, with concrete decks. We will advise.	
7	1700		Commanding Officers meeting. Transportation: Construction - 3M51, then 2 Mess - M54 Supply - M54 (PM)	Heavy Equip - 4 M51 Trash/LNC - 2M54, then 1 Utilities - M54 (AM), after LNC.
8	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration.	

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1	0830		S-4 paid staff visit to S-4, 3d TK Bn, to discuss availability of huts for MCB-10 (4 available), IRC Matters and general logistic matters. Returned 1030.	
2	1100		S-4 to visit CO, 515th Trk Co, to discuss bulleting arrangements and conflict with Erg Plt regarding showers. Some indication given that Company may be departing shortly. Company requested some copies of "Stars and Stripes" (referred to Spl Serv O)	
3	1400		S-4 met with XO to discuss general matters. Discussed possible agreement with regard to removal of scrap wood from and policing of trash dump by Mr. BUU NGO, concessionaire. Discussed medical care program for LNC employees and dependents as means of aiding Vietnamese and fostering community relationship.	
4	1700		Commanding Officers meeting, Transportation - Construction - 3 M51, then 2 Heavy Equip - 4 M51, then 5 Mess - M54 Trash/LNC - M54 & M51, then M54 Supply - M54 (PM)	
5	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. S-4, S-2, and Surgeon will undertake necessary plans to provide medical care for LNC employees and dependents. S-4 will contact MCB-3 to see if that org can make scrap lumber available to orphanage laundry to permit giving sole right for policing dump to Mr. BUU NGO. H&S Co and "B"Co will make 3 huts each available to MCB-10 for billeting additional Hq elements. This done to permit "B"Co to remain in present area.	
			MESSAGES	
1	160203Z Oct 67		CG, 3d MARDIV	REVISION OF TABLE OF ALLOWANCES (T/A USMC)
2	160337Z Oct 67		CG, 3d MARDIV	RELOCATION OF UNITS AND TRANSFER OF FACILITIES
3	160657Z Oct 67		CG, 3d MARDIV	TACTICAL EQUIPMENT RECORD PROCEDURES
4	161312Z Oct 67		CG, III MAF	TYPHOON CARLA WARNING
5	161649Z Oct 67		CG, 3d MARDIV	BODY ARMOR ALLOWANCES

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1	0750		MCB-10 visited S-4 to discuss arrival of next groups from Okinawa. Needs 6-8 huts in Bn area for remainder Hq personnel. Also like to park equipment in our area (over flow from what will be parked at MCB-3). ETA next week via convoy from Danang. Also need huts for 140 men for equipment elements for about (1) week. Will check 3d TK Bn & 3d SP Bn onlast. Will absorb Hq elements, probably in Spt Co area. Will park equipment as it arrives. XO concurs.	
2	0815		Lt ARCHBOLD. Directed that "C" Co receive (5) M274A2. "A" Co (7), and "B" Co (6). Will advise him on pickup of cement today. He has trk & brg trlr standing by.	
3	0830		Lt GROSS has 250 bags of cement we can pick up from Project yard. Contact SKI FRITCHARD. Wants to know if this is a loan.	
4	0845		Lt RICHARDSON, Div ExchO, about hiring of LNC for Korean Laundry. Mr KO should hire only thru IRO, Hue. No more temporary hiring. Lt will talk to MSgt TREZEVANT and Mr. KO about this.	
5	0855		Lt BEYER will have 20 loads of sand delivered today. Gave locations desired.	
6	0915		S-4 met with XO - discussed Bn defensive measures, police responsibility, function of Sgt Major, rotational deployment, reassignment of officers in H&S Co.	
7	1030		S-4 paid staff visit to S-4, 3d AT Bn, to discuss IRO matters, cantonment construction, base coordination, and general logistic matters. Stayed for lunch. Returned 1330.	
8	1430		S-4 and XO to Phu Bai. Coordinated with FL3G-A to pick up 500 bags cement. Visited Maj SCRUGGS to discuss ABFC bunker program and cantonment construction. Returned 1630.	

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8 1700 Commanding Officers meeting.
 Transportation: Construction - 3 M51, then 2
 Heavy Equip - 4 M51
 Mess - M54
 Trash/LNC - 2 M54, then 1
 Supply - M54 (PM)
 Util - M54 (AM, after LNC)
 Hue for LMWS - 2 M51
 2 trks required for Nam Hoa.

9 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. XO concurred that CommO can act as COC Officer and H&S Co Cdr can be a 1stLt. XO further agreed that S-4 should require Co's to have more active hand in area police. Deemphasize Bn Maint. Sgt Major to handle development of Bn defenses, objective of ltr on rotational deployment to advise regarding critical problems. Overall goal to maintain integrity of A-5 assets minus what is afloat at any given time.

MESSAGES

1	061102Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
2	130839Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	ADVICE CODES
3	130957Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP REPLY
4	131129Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	40MM M79 AMMUNITION
5	131311Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MISSING PERSONAL EFFECTS
6	131615Z	Oct 67	CG, MCGSA PHILA	TRACTOR TD-15
7	140454Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP REPLY/SHIPMENT STATUS
8	140601Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SHIPMENT STATUS
9	141422Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
10	141432Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	GENERATOR SET PU-239 E/G
11	150011Z	Oct 67	CG, MCGSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
12	150638Z	Oct 67	OIC COMM CTR, III MAP	TRANSMISSION OF MESSAGES
13	151121Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	INITIAL ISSUE REPAIR PARTS FOR TRUCK PLATFORM M274A2
14	151511Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	COMBAT AFTER ACTION REPORTS

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| 1 | 0800 | | S-4 advised Maj SCHULTZ we are unable to get two 5-ton trucks to support Brg Plt at Nam Hoa. Requested his assistance. Also advised stocks of soda ash are almost exhausted - need 2000# here, 2000# at Dong Ha and 1000# at Khe Sanh ASAP. Recommended he contact III MAF for further assistance. | |
| 2 | 0810 | | Discussed internal problems of Engr Equip Plt with XO. Recommended SSgt STIRNAR be returned to plt and replaced as Club mgr by SSgt PADDOCK. Recommended GySgt DOUGLAS function as Equip Chief vice Maint Chief. | |
| 3 | 0930 | | Church Call. | |
| 4 | 1330 | | Directed SupO to cancel all documents for 1x6, 2x8, 2x10, 4x6, since stocks are well above that authorized by III MAF. | |
| 5 | 1620 | | GySgt BANKS advises trk for preload is on the way, and we will have trks for brg tomorrow. | |
| 6 | 1700 | | Commanding Officers meeting.
Transportation: Construction - 3 M51, then 2
Heavy Equip - 5 M51
Mess M54
HE reports 1 M37 Crane Trash/LNC - 2 M54, then 1
repaired. Supply - M 54 (PM) | |
| 7 | 2400 | | DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. | |

MESSAGES

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|---|-----------------------------|---------------|---|
| 1 | 100121 20 Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | HIGH IDLE SETTING LDS465-1 and LA ENGINES |
| 2 | 120640 02 Oct 67 | 3d ENGR BN | STATUS OF ORDANCE EQUIPMENT |
| 3 | 122030 02 Oct 67 | JCS | COMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS |
| 4 | 130001 13 Oct 67 | CG, FMFPAC | SPECIAL COMMANDERS ASSISTANCE REQUEST |
| 5 | 130040 03 Oct 67 | COMUS MACV | PIASTER PURCHASE RATE |
| 6 | 130837 03 Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | EMBARKATION REPORTS |

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- 1 0920 Lt BYRNE phoned in Special cost report. Gave status of demo kits. Needs 11 bags (Suggested using knapsacks or bags from M37 kits), 2 cap boxes, and 9 rolls electric tape. Crimpers no problem.
- 2 1700 Commanding Officers meeting.
 Transportation: Construction - 3 M51 & brg trlrs for ASP
 Heavy Equip - 5 M51
 Mess M54
 Trash - M54
 Supply - M54 (PM)
 Lowbed D/L. TL-16 down for 500 hr pm.
 Requested delivery of sand for sandbags.
- 3 2130 S-4 had 2 hour guidance session with Engr Equip Plt Cdr. Recommended he relax, use Gy DOUGLAS as equipment chief rather than just Maint. Chief, and quit doing job of plt sgt.
- 4 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. Spent day working on typhoon preparations. Sandbagged roofs of key bldgs, moved galley into new messhall, struck old galley, moved reefers, began drainage improvement around east wing of new messhall. Advised MCB-3 that proposed grease trap is totally inadequate. Ltjg METCALF indicates they will redesign.

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- 1 102354Z Oct 67 SEC NAV RECOMMENDATION FOR PROMOTION TO MAJOR

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1	0730		S-4 was advised of his selection for Major.	
2	1020		Capt BACHE requests use of M60 crane tomorrow at 0900 to move SSCT gear to new bunker. Asked him to check if Hq Bn wrecker could do job. If not, M60 operator to report to him NLT 0830 tomorrow for further instructions. Job to be completed tomorrow morning. Will advise after checking with S-3.	
3	1055		Directed Sup0 to regn 50 lengths each of 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/2, and 2 inch galvanized pipe. Priority 17.	
4	1320		Maj SCHULTZ asked if we were engaged on any road jobs which could support the use of refugee labor. Negative reply. Indicated we had no such jobs, were already using refugee labor, and were skeptical about the management of refugees on road jobs.	
5	1400		MSgt TREJEUANT advises authority for report on Vietnamese employees by grade/step rating, number on board, and number required is CG, III MAF ltr LE/KLF over 12700 of 3 Oct 1967. Report on appropriated fund and ALK employees. He needs it morning of 14th.	
6	1450		S-3 says no on M60 crane for SSCT. Will probably be required at Nam Hoa tomorrow. Maj SCHULTZ notified.	
7	1505		Maj SCHULTZ in ref to CG, 3d MARDIV msg 120739Z Oct (c): We do not regn the chlordan. We must do what we can to obtain the spragers. May be Class II Type 2 item.	
8	1530		Construction reports arrival of trucks with lumber from Hue ramp. Called MCB-3 for forklift.	

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9 1700 Commanding Officers meeting.
 Transportation: Construction - 2 M51
 Heavy Equip - 6 M51
 Mess - M54
 Trash/LNC 2 M54, then 1
 Supply - M54 after LNC
 (AM) lowbed to deliver TD-18 to ASP and TD-15
 to Div CP.

CO directs all possible action to ready Bn area for tropical disturbance on night of 14th.

10 1930 Sgt SANCHELLO advises Army trks not returned from Cumberland. Checked it out. One had been returned. See radio traffic for circumstances concerning other two.

11 2130 Lt BROWN, S-4A, 2/26, requests chain saws for clearing LZ around site of C-130 crash, GS 1505; in Phu Loc District. Advised we did not know enough of actual situation to judge Engr requirements, and requested add'l info. Lt BROWN later advised decision was made to pull out rescue party and not try to salvage aircraft parts at present time.

12 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration.

MESSAGES

1	120016Z Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
2	121235Z Oct 67	CNO	MARINE CORPS ACTIVITIES
3	121241Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	CRYPTO EQUIPMENT REPAIR PARTS
4	121245Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	ALUMINUM BOATS

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LATE ENTRIES

- 1 132035H Oct 67 Telecon - LLI to SR4 - Be advised we have two Army Trucks at this position, there numbers are 515-8, 515-9.
- 2 132045H Oct 67 Telecon - SR4 to LLI - Missappropriation of Government property will not be tolerated those trucks were to have been back in there compound tonight. You have embarassed this Battalion. Please Explain ASAP.
- 3 132055H Oct 67 Telecon - SR4 to LLI - Army trucks will be returned to their compound not later than ~~0800~~ 14 Oct. Army trucks scheduled for 14 Oct have been cancelled. Contact SR3 if you need help.
- 4 132115H Oct 67 Telecon -,LLI to SR4 - Be advised that bridge boat was loaded on Army truck, supplies and cables on other vehicle and trucks did not arrive our position until almost dark. Platoon Cdr was under assumption that 3 vehicles were to be under operational control of this unit for termination of the project and by the time trucks could have been unloaded it was dark. Could not spare any men for shotguns and were without another radio to send with them.

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1	1830	Sgt SANCELLO (Yacht 3) called asking where the 2 trucks sent for preload were. After checking with "B" Co advised him that trucks were on their way back.
2	1831	To the club. Free Night.
3	1700	<p>Commanding Officers Meeting.</p> <p>Transportation: Construction - 2 M51 Heavy Equip - 2 M51 Trash/LNC - 2 M54, then 1 Mess - M54 Supply - (PM) M51 & brg trlr to pick up sandbags Utilities - M51 (AM) Korean Ldy - 2 M51 and TL-16 for gravel Diesel tanker to top off boiler at messhall Lowbed to pick up brg boat at Hue and deliver to Nam Hoa. (Should be back by noon) Lowbed (PM) to move TD-15 to Div CP.</p> <p>CO briefedalcon about installing 3500 meters of wire and 11 6x6 bunkers at ASP. Priority 1 task. Construction to supervise and support with some of personnel required. Wire to consist of triple concertina on outside then 10' tanglefoot, then double apron fence. Bunkers to be of lightest construction possible consistent with safety. We will provide concertina. Will try to have FLSG-A provide all other mat'ls.</p>
4	2400	DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration.

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1	0700		S-4 talked to Brg Plt SNCO's about use of external transportation.	
2	0815		Lt BYRNE will prepare weekly cost report pursuant to Div AdminO 48-67 and send it down every Saturday. Told him to obtain accurate appraisal of his assets of indiv and squad demo kits to find how critical his situation actually is, then take detailed action thru supply and advise S-4 on general results.	
3	1445		S-4, S-4 Chief, SgtMaj, IRO Chief met with Lt GUZZIO to discuss administration of LNC. Was agreed that we would take care of all physical examinations, we will do all admin processing, and we will take nobody who has not been processed by IRD, Hue. Emphasized that all complaints or problems from 3d SP Bn will be referred to S-4 by S-4 3d SP Bn or S-4 Chief.	
4	1515		Received notice from S-3 that Brg Plt is tasked to re-float ARVN light tactical bridge south of M6 site. To depart Gia Le 1600. Require C-Rations, ammo, and water. Brg Plt will provide transportation. M60 Crane to go.	
5	1545		S-4 secured to clean up and assume duty as COD.	
6	1700		Veh requirements for 12 Oct: (2) Dumps and (1) Cargo to construction (1) Truck for Med Cap (1) Lowbed For Supply (3) Dumps to S-3	
7	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. Worked 5 hours on memo for EngrO, FMFPac.	

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1	061940Z	Oct	67	CG, FLC	SPECIAL COMMANDERS ASSISTANCE REQUEST (SCAR)
2	081403Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	AN/PRC-25 ACCESSORIES
3	092153Z	Oct	67	CINC PAC FLT	DOWNTIME SKED
4	100005Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	RESOURCES REPORT
5	100017Z	Oct	67	CG, MCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
6	100022Z	Oct	67	AREA COORDINATOR	ASSIGNMENT OF MESSAGE PRECEDENCE
7	100438Z	Oct	67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
8	100801Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SERVICEABILITY OF FUEL HOSE, FLAME THROWER M8
9	100805Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	BATTERY ELECTROLYTE
10	101635Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	M-16 REPAIR PARTS
11	101056Z	Oct	67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
12	101134Z	Oct	67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
13	101421Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	COMTRAPAC MILITARY JUSTICE COURSE
14	101503Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	CANCELLATION OF AERIAL PHOTO REQUESTS
15	110009Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REC (9) ANTENNA, AT-271A; 4 HAND SETS, H-189
16	110523Z	Oct	67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
17	110805Z	Oct	67	CG, 3d MARDIV	DEADLINE COMBAT ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT UPDATE
18	110902Z	Oct	67	3d FSR	SUPPLY ACTION PENDING
19	111320Z	Oct	67	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS, 3d FSR	
20	111758Z	Oct	67	CGMCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS

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1	0645		Discussed messhall problems with Mess Sgt: Urgently need grease trap. Cannot move galley until it is in. Needs other doors to storeroom and door to Staff Mess. Cooks from 515th are derelict. Will talk to their 1st Sgt. Fed 120 in lieu of 60 at late chow last night. Place was a mess. Urgently needs clearing gear.	
2	0735		Requested (3) M54 for bridge platoon for today, and (4) for tomorrow, from Shove 35.	
3	0745		Discussed conduct of late chow and dereliction of Army cooks with Sgt Major. He will take action.	
4	0800		XO requested MCB-3 start on grease trap immediately.	
5	0835		515th will provide (3) M54 to Bridge Platoon to contact Operations Office there, Sgt LEGARRETA. Bridge Platoon notified.	
6	0840		GySgt SAWYER, Division Food Service Office, regarding critical shortages of mops, brooms, squeegeas, and scrub brushes. Asked if he could try his friends at FLC.	
7	0855		LtJG KUNKA, MCB-3. Asked for delivery of tables and benches to messhall today. Asked for installation of door to storeroom and to Staff Mess today. Asked him to get grease trap formed ASAP.	
8	1030		Lt REEVES visited from S-4, 26th Marines. Loaned him (1) 4' drill rod, (1) pneumatic drill sinker, and (1) airline oiler. Advised him to insure engineer requirements in Khe Sanh area are passed through engineer channels.	
9	1235		GySgt BANKS - Cannot frag two trucks for MCB-10 to Quang Tri and one for Evans until tomorrow. Maybe able to send Mudhogs to Dong Ha tomorrow if they will fit in M105 trailers. Will advise.	
10	1620		Bridge Platoon reported that two Army trucks sent to M6 site took off without being secured, and bridge personnel were left behind. Advised Bridge Platoon to pick up personnel in their vehicle. Will get M54 to return to bridge trailers tomorrow.	

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11 1700 Commanding Officers Meeting. Transportation: Construction - (2) M51, then (1)
 Heavy Equip - (5) M51
 Supply - Lowbed for picking up M274A2 Trash/LNC - (2) M54, then (1)
 KOREAN LAUNDRY- Wrecker to haul trk to HUE. PX - M54 (AM) after LNC
 Mess - M54

Heavy Equipment picked up 800 pieces of PSP from MCB-3. To be controlled by S-4.
 Will need lowbed and TD-18 to Cumberland on 12th.
 Will need (2) M51 and TL-16 for Korean laundry on 12th to pick up gravel for club.
 S-3 needs (4) trucks for Bridge Platoon - already requested - (3) to haul 6 Bridge
 trailers to Cumberland, (1) for M6 site.

12 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration.

MESSAGES

1	090 212Z Oct 67	3d FSR	GENERATOR - MILSTRIP REFERRAL
2	090 505Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MONSOON REQUIREMENTS
3	090 725Z Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
4	090 735Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REPAIR PARTS KIT, GASOLINE LANTERN
5	091 302Z Oct 67	CMC	REVISION OF TABLE OF ALLOWANCES
6	091 752Z Oct 67	CG, LFC	NORS MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP

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1	0700	S-4 to messhall to survey damage from storm last night. Staff Club tent down. 2 eating tents and stores tent down. 2 milk machines inoperable. CO and XO approved moving into new messhall today. Contacted MCB-3 to speed up wiring, construction of tables and benches, and installation of doors to storeroom. Contacted Construction for construction of temporary tables, and Utilities for temporary wiring, water hook up and sewage connection into old grease trap. Staff Club into west wing. Staff Mess into east wing.								
2	0830	Brg Plt requests two cargo trks. Request relayed to Shove 35.								
3	1000	S-4 inspected progress at new messhall.								
4	1315	Brg Plt did not receive its trks. 515th to provide. They were dispatched to wrong place, two others dispatched. To go to Cumberland.								
5	1415	S-4 inspected progress at new messhall.								
6	1515	Lt BYRNE - Discussed improvement of his weekly operations report to S-3. Also discussed its relationship with the Resources Report per Div Admin Plan 48-67. Report for past week essentially negative. He didn't do much.								
7	1540	Phoned Resources Report to Gy/Sgt OLDHAM. Msg report to follow.								
8	1700	<p>Commanding Officers Meeting. Transportation:</p> <table border="0" style="margin-left: 40px;"> <tr> <td>Construction - (2)M51</td> <td>Heavy Equip - (4)M51</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mess - M54</td> <td>Trash/LNC - (2)M54</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Korean Ldy - (2)M61</td> <td>then (1)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Supply - M54(PM)</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>S-3 - Lowbed & TD 18 to lay comm trunk line for Army dial system. Lowbed then to HE to pick up PSP at MCB-121. EM Club - M54(AM) after LNC</p>	Construction - (2)M51	Heavy Equip - (4)M51	Mess - M54	Trash/LNC - (2)M54	Korean Ldy - (2)M61	then (1)	Supply - M54(PM)	
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			Send one jackhammer to Khe Sanh. See about spl allowance for (1) pneumatic tool outfit.
9	1900		Gy/Sgt VANBUSKICK reported M54 carrying LNG to Hue involved in accident with ARVN, who was allegedly hit at jct of Dong Da Road and Rte 1. Suffered slight abrasions. MP's were called in. Apparently some question as to whether trk actually hit him. No further action indicated at this time. XO notified.
10	2220		Lt JOHNSON briefed S-4 on brg requirements for next two days. Needs one M54 for Truoi River site to return brg trlrs. Needs two M54 for Cbrld to take out brg trlrs. Will be dismantling M4T6 and installing raft. Needs 4 M54 for llth. Would like (2) 55gpm pumps for Cumberland tomorrow to pump out pontons. Will be taking his 150T46 to Cumberland. Has 125 compressor there. Wants M60 crane at Truoi site.
11	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. CO approved concept for memo to EngrO, FMFPac.

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1	0815		Gy/Sgt BANKS reports that three trks are shuttling bridge trlrs from Truoi bridge site to Gia Le. Advised Brg Plt and MTU to get trlrs properly parked.	
2	0930		Church Call.	
3	1315		S-3 reports FLSG-A has on hand undetermined qty of 36" culvert. To be picked up and delivered to Div CP. SupO advised, told him not to forget nuts and bolts.	
4	1320		S-4 met with SSgt VALYS to discuss IRO matters. Will be necessary to initiate correspondence to Div regarding availability of forms and delays in processing paperwork. Briefed SSgt VALYS on control of Vietnamese personnel. Instructed him to check periodically with S-2 to insure no black-listed personnel are on our rosters. Also, to keep a record of all people we discharge in order to prevent their being hired by other orgs here.	
5	1330		S-4 Chief briefed on-coming Dump Watch from AT Bn.	
6	1545		CO indicates 10x10 required at Truoi bridge site because for shore bank is collapsing, and abutment needs more cribbing. Advised Construction to send out 4 pcs 10x10x20 (creosoted), 50# 60d nails, 25 3/8 or 1/2 drift bolts, 20 pcs 4x12x8 if already cut, and 20 cases C-Rations and heat tabs. Assigned Lt ARCHBOLD to take charge.	
7	1635		Lt ARCHBOLD reports timbers are now being loaded. Has to use wrecker. Finally got TL-16 started. 10x10 are on bottom of heap. Should be on way by 1700.	

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8 1700 Commanding Officers meeting.

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 Mess - M54
 Trash/LNC - (2) M54, then (1)
 LMWS - (1) M54 after LNC
 Supply - Trk (PM)

9 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. Sent concept to CO for composition of memo to Engr O, FMFPac, regarding problem areas.

MESSAGES

1	050936Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSED ORDER
2	061055Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SHORT SLEEVE UTILITY SHIRT
3	061519Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	M-16 BUFFER
4	062142Z Oct 67	CG, MCSA PHILA	SILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
5	070420Z Oct 67	3d ENGR BN	MISSING TRAILERS WATER TANKS
6	070546Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
7	070707Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	QUARTERLY PREVENTIVE MAINT SERVICE M274A2
8	070901Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	RECOVERY OF AMMUNITION PALLET'S AND EXPENDED CTG CASES
9	071306Z Oct 67	CG, III MAF/I CORPS COORDINATOR	TROPICAL DEPRESSION
10	080315Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	FREQUENCY OF ENGINE OIL AND OIL FILTER CHANGES
11	080838Z Oct 67	CG, III MAF/ AREA COORDINATOR	UNNUMBERED TROPICAL STORM/FLOOD WARNING
12	081410Z Oct 67	CG, III MAF/I CORPS COORDINATOR	TROPICAL DEPRESSION NO.34 FORECAST/FLOOD WARNING

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| 1 | 0805 | <p>Lt GILES - Advised him to assemble equipment for Quang Tri water point. Lacks 3000 gal tanks, which may be obtained from Hq Bn (the 3 used for showers are no longer required because showers now have piped water). Also may be short suction hose. Told him to ready bath unit just in case.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 0810 | <p>Maj SCHULTZ - Requested his assistance in recovering 3 tanks from Hq Bn. Call Lt PRITCHETT, Shape 4.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 0820 | <p>S-3 says Quang Tri water point will not be established because it will consume all reserve equipment. (Note: Bn is supposed to have capability for 12 points. Personnel the greater problem.)</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 0840 | <p>Shape 4 indicates they are aware we are going to pick up tanks. Notified Lt GILES to pick them up, but to check in with Shape 4 first.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 1000 | <p>S-4 to Truci Bridge site with chow, water, and 4 trks to bring back bridge trlrs. Returned 1315.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 1700 | <p>Commanding Officers meeting.</p> <table border="0" style="margin-left: 100px;"> <tr> <td>Transportation - Afternoon only</td> <td>Construction -(2) M51</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Heavy Equip -(5) M51</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Mess - M54</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Trash - M54</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Supply - M54</td> </tr> </table> <p>3-3000 gal tanks were recovered from Hq Bn.</p> <p>Brunch will be served tomorrow from 0800 - 1100. Half day of work for troops.</p> | Transportation - Afternoon only | Construction -(2) M51 | | Heavy Equip -(5) M51 | | Mess - M54 | | Trash - M54 | | Supply - M54 | |
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7	1745		S-4 with CO and XO hosted LtCol ANNAS, from FMFPac Engr Office, here to evaluate our problems. CO arranged for S-4 to prepare memo setting forth problem areas.	
8	2100		Brg Plt requests 12 trucks in morning to remove brg trlrs. Trks which had brought them from Dong Ha are presently staged Phu Bai to leave on Cowboy tomorrow morning. Advised Div MT O, who will make necessary arrangements.	
9	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration. S-4 set policy that no more Vietnamese will be hired from Hue area. (Already bringing in 61 employees from there).	

MESSAGES

1	150130Z Sep 67	26th MARINES	REQUEST FOR TOOLS
2	271504Z Sep 67	CG, FLC	LUBRICATING OIL, SEMI-FLUID
3	031245Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MISSING TRAILERS, WATER TANKS
4	050939Z Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS
5	051013Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	COMMUNICATIONS CENTER READDRESS
6	052010Z Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP REQUISITION
7	052100Z Oct 67	CG, MCSA PHILA	MILSTRIP STATUS
8	060023Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SUBMISSION OF QUARTERLY MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT REPORT
9	060541Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	LUBRICATION FOR MULTI-FUEL ENGINES
10	060735Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	UNIT SUPPLY SOURCE
11	060814Z Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER

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1	0730		Provided Major SCHULTZ with the special allowance authorizations for T/A # 20520, 83190, and 83310.	
2	0745		S-4 met with XO to discuss candidates for IRO Chief. SSgt VALYS was approved by CO. Was briefed by S-4. S-1 will transfer him effective today. Also Div has assigned one MP here on a permanent basis to assist in security control of Vietnamese. Should be here today or tomorrow.	
3	0945		S-3 laid on commitments to effect replacement of Truoi River bridge, blown last night. 2 days rations, water, and ammo for 45 men. 6 trucks for hauling bridge trailers, Lowbed and TD-18. Bridge Platoon sending M54, M37B1 and floodlight trailer, and M60 crane. 130' of M6 bridge being brought down from Dong Ha today for this bridge.	
4	1000		Major MAYSILLES - Requested (6) 5-ton trucks. To return today, security all set. Will advise.	
5	1005		Supply has necessary C-rations and small arms ammo on hand.	
6	1020		515th Truck Company will provide 6 trucks, per Major MAYSILLES.	
7	1045		S-4 reviewed plans for bridge operation with Platoon Leader Lt JOHNSON. Contacted 515th and set up trucks. Further discussed administrative matters with 1stSgt KIRBY.	
8	1315		Check status of convoy bound for Truoi River. All set. MTO indicates 3d SP Bn has relocated enlisted shower to area inaccessible to vehicles because of mud, also that they can use their M107 trailer and pump instead of ours to fill their shower tanks.	
9	1445		Commander BARTLEY MCB-10, indicates he will establish CP in area contiguous to 3d AT Bn and MCB-3. He will initially pool his equipment in MCB-3 area and his construction material on site. Advised him 3d SP Bn will have 14 huts material on site. Advised him 3d SP Bn will make these available to him, after 13 Oct, if MCB-3 finishes them. Also that 3d AT Bn has 6 huts available.	

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- 10 1500 Lt GUZZIO. Advised him to consider commitment of 14 huts for MCB-10 after 13 Oct as firm. Also advised that MCB-10 will not require an equipment area and will provide cooks and messman. Requested he move his enlisted shower, that we will not deliver water until he does so. Also requested he use his own M107 for filling Officer shower tank.
- 11 1700 Commanding Officer's Meeting. Transportation: Construction - (2) M51, then 1
 Supply - M51 (PM) Utilities - M51
 Mess - M54 Heavy Equip - (5) M51, then (6)
 PX - M51 Trash/INC - M54
 Post Office - M54
 S-3 advised that convoy with M6 bridge will spend night at Evans. Truoi bridge should be in tomorrow evening. Published new hours for evening meal for general mess.
- 12 2400 DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. SSgt VALYS designated by CO as new IRO Chief effective today. XO directed IRO set up daily search of Vietnamese with assistance from other units. 3 men/day at 1615, and directed preparation of directive. Draft letter of effect of resumption of rotational deployment to XO.

MESSAGES

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| 1 | 230247Z | Sep 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | CALIBRATION OF TORQUE WRENCHES |
| 2 | 032345Z | Oct 67 | (TO) CG, 3d MARDIV | INVENTORY OF GARRISON PLANT ACCOUNT GALLEY AND MESSHALL EQUIP |
| 3 | 040412Z | Oct 67 | 3d FSR | MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER |
| 4 | 040829Z | Oct 67 | 3d, MARDIV | REQUEST SUPPLY ASSISTANCE |
| 5 | 041500Z | Oct 67 | FLSG-ALPHA | PALLETS |
| 6 | 050349Z | Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | M-16 REPAIR PARTS |
| 7 | 050645Z | Oct 67 | CG, 3d MARDIV | ENGINEER ASSISTANCE |
| 8 | 042232Z | Oct 67 | JCS | ALMILACT 17/67 - TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE |
| 9 ^m | 050758Z | Oct 67 | CG, FLC | SEARCH FOR MESSAGE |
| 10 | 050936Z | Oct 67 | 3d FSR | MILSTRIP SUPPLY STATUS |
| 11 | 050936Z | Oct 67 | CG, FLC | MILSTRIP PASSED ORDER |
| 12 | 050937Z | Oct 67 | 3d FSR | MILSTRIP FOLLOW-UP REPLY |

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- 1 0745 Lts RADOW and INCANINCH reported for briefing on S-4 matters. Concluded at 1030.
- 2 1015 CWO MERCER reports 26th Marines has given authority for cannibalization of our TD-15, # 305937, at Khe Sanh, for the repair of artillery tractors, and that parts have been removed from it. Was initially down for fuel pump, apparently it and statement from knowledgeable individuals will be required. Will advise Capt. DUMONT on this.
- 3 1045 S-4 and Chief to IRO to discuss employee problem being experienced with 3d SP Bn. Since SP has registered no formal complaint, decided to let matter ride.
- 4 1115 Major SCHULTZ indicates order governing equipment for rotational BLT's is FMFPACO 04400.8.
- 5 1120 Lt ARCHBOLD requests assistance in borrowing sideboards for M54 so he can put canvas on 2d M54 for Post Office.
- 6 1122 "A" Company phoned in report of available chemicals as follows:
- | | DONG HA | CAMP CARROLL | 3/3 |
|----------|------------|--------------|--------|
| ALUM | 5 Pallets | 4 BAGs | 2 BAGs |
| SODA ASH | 0 | 2 BAGs | 1 Bag |
| CHLORINE | 55 Cans | 2 BAGs | 3 Cans |
| DE | 60 Pallets | 10 BAGs | 4 BAGs |
- 7 1225 Division Food Service Officer advised that 515th Transportation Company, USA, will arrive our area P.M. 5 Oct and will require billeting and messing for period of 30-60 days. Notification came from Division MTO.
- 8 1250 LtCol CAMPORINI - Shove 4 - advises we do all coordinating with MTO reports 515th Transportation Company. Gy BANKS advises unit has 65 5-ton vehicles, and is here to materials for Project X.
- 9 1300 MT advises they have covered vehicle until 1530 for mail run.

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10	1305	Major MAYSILLES advises, we will provide facilities support to 515th Transport Company are north, however, a few men were left behind and will be out this afternoon, accompanied by Capt REARDON from 3d MT Bn, to begin initial preparations.
11	1310	Lt BYRNE. Asked him to check on discrepancy in amount of soda ash reported by "A" and "C" Company for Dong Ha area ASAP.
12	1340	Sgt SANCHELLO, 3d MT, advises all platoons of 515th Transportation Company are north, however, a few men were left behind and will be out this afternoon, accompanied by Capt REARDON from 3d MT Bn to begin initial preparations.
13	1345	Called Division MT for 2 trucks so they can be preloaded for Evans.
14	1700	<p>Commanding Officers Meeting. Transportation: Construction - 3 M51 initially then (2) Heavy Equip - 3 M51 " , then (4) Supply - M51 Post Office - M54 Mess - M54 Trash/LNC - M54 Bridge Plt - Lowbed and TD-18 for tramway at Nam Hoa EM Club - M51 When available</p> <p>MedCap for tomorrow because of blown bridge south of Phu Bai.</p>
15	2030	Capt DUMONT advised that he will obtain thorough It and list of material deficiencies for TD-15 at Khe Sanh, with statement of circumstances. To be on his next visit in two days.
16	2400	DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration. CO convened investigation to inquire into conduct of IRO chief and management of Vietnamese employees.

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1	0730		Gave instructions for police of CP area. Pulled all H&S Vietnamese for working parties.	
2	0745		S-4 and Chief to main gate and dump to inspect.	
3	0900		M/Sgt WHITE, 3d SP Bn, advises TD-18 on way to dump.	
4	0930		Major SCHULTZ - advised him only enough Soda Ash available to support Division water points for one week, and that Lt HARRIS will coordinate with DSO regarding necessary MILSTRIP data.	
5	0935		Directed Sup0 to coordinate with BSO on Soda Ash as soon as possible. He reports that T/E requirements for (2) steam cleaners have been placed on new requisition. Former one was cancelled.	
6	0950		Lt JOHNSON - Bridge Platoon.- advised him M51 has been dispatched from MTO to him for taking bridge trailer to Cumberland to add extra bay to bridge at Nam Hoa. Cleared through Captain BURKE. Directed him to return M51 ASAP today.	
7	1005		GySgt BANKS Division MT has M37 trucks rebuilt coming in soon - give Division MT Vehicle number of M37 we want to exchange.	
8	1035		Gy MORROW, Division Ordnance - will stop by on 4 Oct to check armory and make recommendations.	
9	1100		Major MAYSILLES, Division MTO, advises he has no objection to sending Gy VAMBUSKIRK to Okinawa as courier to pick up repair parts.	
10	1105		Major SCHULTZ interposed no objection to returning lumber erroneously received that belongs to FLSG-A club. Advised Sgt HYDER to pick up tomorrow. He will bring forklift, too. 2 bdl. 2x4, 4 bdl. 2x6, 1 bdl. 1x6, 1bdl. 1x12.	
11	1425		Phoned "C" Company CostReport to Major MAYS, Division Comptroller Office.	

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12	1500		Change of command ceremony.	
13	1700		Commanding Officers Meeting. Transportation:	Construction - M51 (3) initially, then (1) Heavy Equipment - M51 (3) Utilities - Lowbed on call Trash/LNC - M54 Post Office - M54 Hue Tour - M54 Supply - Lowbed (for FLSG-a pickup) Mess - M54
14	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration.	

MESSAGES

1	300658Z Sep 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY/FOLLOW UP REPLY STATUS
2	300733Z Sep 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	CHANGE OF COMMAND 3d ENGINEER BATTALION
3	301435Z Sep 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	INITIAL ISSUE FOR REPAIR PARTS FOR TRUCK PLATFORM M274A2
4	301509Z Sep 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REQUEST FOR SUPPLY ASSISTANCE
5	010345Z Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	WEAPON RECORD BOOK

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1	0920		S-4 departed to pick up LtCol MC CUTCHAN.	
2	1115		S-4 returned with LtCol MC CUTCHAN. While at DEO, S-4 accomplished following matters - 4th Mar Comm bunker in danger of collapsing. 10x10 needed. Bunker not checked by "B" Company, should be. Be prepared to send 5 pieces 10x10x10 as soon as possible. Discussed ABFC bunkers with Major SCRUGGS. Advised him 7th Engr Bn cutting lists provided by III MAF do not conform to materials being received. Discussed impact of rotational deployment with Major SCHULTZ. Apparently Col MENTZER had discussed this with G-4. He indicates we will receive authority to requisition deficiencies for rotational platoon.	
3	1140		Discussed problems of rotational deployment and Division water-supply with S-3. Arrived at joint position.	
4	1250		LtCol MULFORD advises requirements for 4th Mar Comm bunker are 6 pieces 10x10x10, 29 pieces 3x12x16, 50 lbs of 60D nails, 25 drift pins. Notified alcon to bad these items. Truck from 3d MT Bn which secured too quickly.	
5	1700		Commanding Officers Meeting. Transportation: Construction - M51 (3) initially, then (1) Trash/LNC - M54 Heavy Equip - M51 (5) Supply - M54 (PM) Mess - M54 "B" Company advises lumber for 4th Mar Comm Bunker is preloaded. Grader will not be sent to Evans until bridge and river conditions at An Lo make it safe to do so.	
6	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal administration.	

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1	0820		S-4 Chief reports SSgt WATERS has expressed interest in becoming IRO Chief. Passed this on to XO. Tent will be moved to rear of new IRO hut. Area being policed this morning.	
2	0825		Comm will relocate IRO phone into new hut today.	
3	0830		Called Yacht 3 in regard to 515th Transportation Co. 515th will provide own maintenance capability; reported 6 Officers, 7 SNCO's in group of 160. No generator available.	
4	0855		Lt CROSS, MCB-3, authorized the pickup of 200' of unassembled 36" culvert. To be repaid. Can contact the "A"Co dispatcher.	
5	1120		Capt MURPHY reverified info previously submitted regarding D/L TD-15's. Apparently FMFPac has realized their info was incorrect, and is trying to figure out why. They are just beginning to visualize the problems inherent in present procedures for D/L reporting. Apparently this problem has also had repercussions at MCSA Phila.	
6	1315		S-4 to MCB-3 to check on culvert. HE Equipment reports difficulty in obtaining what was cleared this A.M. Learned that only 36" available is the un-flanged type, which will not work for the purpose intended at the Div CP. Spot checks revealed some stocks of 45", contrary to MCB-3 inventory. Lt CROSS will re-check inventory and advise whether we can have 200' of 48" culvert. Maj PERRIN advises it can be used.	
7	1430		Div Embark reports 2" pipe and chemicals are staged at heliport for shipment to Khe Sanh. Doesn't know when they will leave.	
8	1430		Maj SCHILHAB from FMFPac arrived to verify deadline status against FMFPac printout. Audit completed at 051810.	

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9	1500		515th Transportation Company arrived. Liaison provided by MSgt HINGST.	
10	1900		S-4 met with Capt JAECKEL, CO, 515th. He will not open own messhall, has 5 cooks to make available. Will provide 1 messman.	
11	1700		Commanding Officers Meeting.	
12	2400		DAILY SUMMARY: Normal Administration.	

MESSAGES

1	010149Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	GENERATOR REQUIREMENTS
2	010621Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	RETROFIT PROGRAM M16A1 RIFLE BUFFER
3	020221Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	EMPLOYMENT OF REFUGEES
4	021240Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP FOLLOW UP
5	030058Z	Oct 67	CG, FMPPAC	DEADLINED WATER PURIFICATION UNIT
6	031834Z	Oct 67	CG, FLC	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
7	031331Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	RETROFIT PROGRAM M16A1 RIFLE BUFFER
8	032316Z	Oct 67	CNO	ASSIGNMENT OF MESSAGE PRECEDENCE
9	032317Z	Oct 67	CNO	COMMUNICATIONS DISCIPLINE
10	040525Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP PASSING ORDER
11	040827Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	REQUEST FOR SUPPLY ASSIST
12	040852Z	Oct 67	3d FSR	MILSTRIP SUPPLY
13	040927Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	MULTIFUEL INSTRUCTION TEAM
14	041337Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SUPPLY READINESS
15	041419Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	BUNKER MATERIALS
16	042257Z	Oct 67	CG, 3d MARDIV	SCHOLIE WATER CONTAINERS

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The following is a list of mines and booby-traps detonated or found and destroyed in the Division TAOR. Both DONG HA and PHU BAI enclaves are included in this report. Incidents are numerical order as they were reported. This report covers the period 1 - 31 October 1967.

<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>D T G</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCIDENT REPORTED</u>
1.	ArtyBn	011300	YD214726	Truck detonated unk mine.
2.	3/26	011815	YD548315	Destroyed rigged explosive device.
3.	3/26	011835	YD546313	Destroyed 81mm round rigged w/trip wire.
4.	3/4	020735	YD129654	Destroyed Chicom AP mine.
5.	3d EngrBn	041015	YD468383	Destroyed (2) box type mines.
6.	3/26	051400	YD520448	Destroyed bouncing type mine.
7.		041700	YD518348	VN male & Children turned in to Marines (14) bouncing type mines, (1) plastic mine.
8.	CAC-H-6	072150	YD137001	Destroyed (2) 20 Lb mines, (1) 4 lb mine.
9.	3/4	080840	YD132660	Destroyed (2) unk type AT mines.
10.	2/26	080730	YD931061	Destroyed Chicom grenade rigged.
11.	1/4	081310	YD279558	Detonated unk explosive device w/trip wire.
12.	2/1	081514	YD311479	Destroyed rigged mine & Chicom grenade
13.	2/1	081600	YD329474	Detonated tomato can type mine rigged
14.	1/9	091030	YD280576	Truck detonated unk type mine.
15.	1/1	091145	YD295533	Detonated M-26 grenade rigged w/trip wire.
16.	2/1	091310	YD332470	Detonated M-26 grenade rigged as mine.
17.	1/1	101130	YD384448	Detonated AP mine.
18.	1/12	101130	YD331472	Vehicle detonated box type mine.
19.	2/9	101315	YD103494	Destroyed Chicom grenade w/trip wire that was attached to 57mm round.
20.	1/12	101810	YD334690	Detonated unk type mine.
21.	2/9	111400	YD098481	Detonated unk type explosive device.
22.	12th Mar	111321	YD318542	Vehicle detonated electrical mine.
23.	3/9	131000	YD006460	Destroyed M-26 Grenade rigged w/trip wire.
24.	1/12	131000	YD343483	6X6 truck detonated unk mine. Extensive damage to truck and bridge at same location.
25.	1/3	121600	YD361444	Detonated WP round rigged as mine.
26.	1st EngrBn	121600	YD333488	Destroyed Chicom Grenade rigged as mine.
27.	1st EngrBn	121300	YD334469	Destroyed 105mm round rigged as mine.
28.	1/3	131620	YD362444	Detonated M-26 grenade rigged as mine.
29.	1st EngrBn	130830	YD342479	Destroyed unk type mine.
30.	2/1	130858	YD336474	Destroyed 201B AT mine.
31.	(UNKNOWN)	140855	YD591309	Destroyed AP mine.
32.	3/26	141115	YD583307	Destroyed AP mine.
33.	1/4	141215	YD282518	Detonated Chicom grenade rigged as mine.
34.	1/4	141415	YD285525	Detonated unk type mine.
35.	3d ATBn	151003	YD690232	Truck detonated unk AT mine.
36.	1/4	150928	YD463328	Detonated unk type explosive device.
37.	1/4	150830	YD486329	Destroyed unk type AP mine.
38.	1st AmTraqBn	171130	YD372658	Detonated Chicom boobytrap.
39.	1/3	161730	YD373438	Detonated homemade boobytrap explosive.
40.	1/3	180700	YD374432	Destroyed homemade firing device w/block of TNT & blasting cap.
41.	ARVN	181010	YD468386	Destroyed 40 lb box type mine.
42.	2/26	150900	YD877099	Destroyed AT mine washed out of hole in road.

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43.	1/4	180800	YD284524	Destroyed (4) Chicom grenades rigged.
44.	UNK	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	Destroyed M-26 grenade rigged in tree as mine.
45.	2/26	191415	YD803146	Truck detonated unk type mine.
46.	RedDangerF	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	Destroyed block TNT tied with electric wires.
47.	1st AmT	191220	YD288712	LVT while in logistic support of ARVN unit detonated unk type mine. (COMMENT: mine sweep team had swept area where LVT hit mine just prior to the tractor detonated the mine. Mine detectors made no indication there was a mine in the area, indicating the possibility of a plastic mine being used.
48.	1/4	201400	YD556337	Destroyed (15) punji pits, one of which had AP mine rigged as explosive device
49.	1/1	203155	YD82514	Destroyed Chicom grenade w/trip wire & punji pit.
50.	3/26	201320	YD561291	Detonated Chicom grenade explosive device.
51.	1/1	201225	YD285526	Detonated unk grenade rigged w/trip wire.
52.	1/1	201400	YD282522	Detonated Chicom grenade rigged w/trip wire.
53.	2/1	201800	YD326460	Destroyed french type mine.
54.	1/3	211155	YD421435	Destroyed AK-47 round inserted in bamboo shoot.
55.	1/1	210735	YD280156	Destroyed (2) Chicom grenades rigged w/trip wire.
56.	1/1	210945	YD261544	Detonated Chicom Grenade rigged.
57.	MCB 121	231125	YD856095	Detonated AT mine.
58.	2/1	221030	YD354475	Destroyed (2) AP mines rigged on road.
59.	2/1	221520	YD343448	Destroyed AP mine
60.	2/1	221600	YD309457	Detonated Chicom grenade rigged as mine.
61.	2/9	220845	YD022558	Detonated unk type explosive device w/trip wire.
62.	1/3	231140	YD461374	Detonated Chicom grenade explosive device.
63.	1/1	220200	YD283523	Detonated (3) Chicom grenades rigged as mines.
64.	2/1	221045	YD354462	Detonated AP mine rigged w/trip wire.
65.	2/1	220945	YD345475	Detonated Chicom Grenade rigged as mine.
66.	2/1	231215	YD347441	Detonated Chicom grenade rigged as mine.
67.	2/1	231715	YD359445	Destroyed Chicom AP mine rigged w/trip wire.
68.	1/1	232101	YD336485	Detonated M-26 grenade rigged.
69.	2/1	241610	YD314457	Detonated box type mine - 20 lbs TNT.
70.	GAC-A-6	241950	YD824180	Detonated unk type mine.
71.	3/26	251015	YD480374	Truck detonated unk type mine.
72.	3/26	251022	YD561289	Destroyed (2) Chicom grenades & (1) Claymore type mine rigged.
73.	1/1	232101	YD336485	Detonated M-26 grenade rigged.
74.	2/1	241610	YD314457	Detonated box type mine approximately 20 lbs TNT.
75.	2/1	270805	YD431391	Detonated Chicom grenade explosive device.
76.	2/1	261215	YD246476	Detonated Unk type & size of mine.
77.	2/9	291320	YD119495	Detonated Unk explosive device believed to be AP mine.
78.	2/1	301300	YD347320	Detonated M-26 grenade rigged as mine w/trip wire.

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3d Marine Division (Rein) FMF
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BATTALION BULLETIN 1500

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Battalion Training Schedule

Ref: (a) DivO 1500.1
(b) DivO 1500.3
(c) BnO 1500.4

Encl: ✓(1) H&S Company Training Schedule
✓(2) Support Company Training Schedule
✓(3) "A" & "C" Company Training Schedule
✓(4) "B" Company Training Schedule
✓(5) Officers' and SNCO Training Schedule

1. Purpose: To publish the weekly training schedule for the week of 1 - 7 October 1967.

2. Action.

- a. The enclosed will be followed by applicable sections of this command.
- b. Companies will conduct MOS and General Military Subjects Training to the maximum extent consistent with combat support missions.
- c. Training conducted daily will be reported on the Daily Summary. Training conducted after the submission of the Daily Summary will be reported to battalion S-3 by telephone prior to 2030 daily. The above report will include topic, period of instruction, and number of personnel present. Units not required to submit the Daily Summary will report training prior to 2030 daily.

3. Self-Cancellation: 31 December 1967


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H&S COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 1 - 7 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCA SITING	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
10Oct	1300-1400	S-1	Admin Procedures	#3	SSgt GREEN	Inst Notes
20Oct	1300-1400	S-4	Technical Publications	#3	GySgt POLLIARD	Inst Notes
30Oct	1500-1600	BAS	Transportation of the Injured	#3	HMC HAWS	HBMC Ch III
4Oct	1300-1400	Bn Supply	Formal Accounting	#3	LCpl BRIONES	Inst Notes
5Oct	1500-1600	BAS	Fractures and Dislocations	#3	HM1 SMITH	HBMC Ch III
6Oct	1300-1400	Bn Supply	Admin Procedures	#3	Cpl LIEDELL	Inst Notes
7Oct	1300-1400	Co Office	Admin Procedures	#3	1stSgt EVERETT	Inst Notes

NOTE: #3 Denotes Work Area

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SUPPORT COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 1-7 OCTOBER 67

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
20Oct	0700-0715	All Hands	Vietnamese History, Culture and Customs	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	MCO 1510.10A
30Oct	0645-0700	Const Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
	0700-0715	All Hands	Bayonet Fighting	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 1-1
40Oct	0645-0700	HE Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
	0700-0715	All Hands	Bayonet Fighting	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 1-1
50Oct	0645-0700	MT Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
	0700-0715	All Hands	Interior Guard	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	LHM Ch 5
60Oct	0645-0700	Util Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
	0700-0715	All Hands	Interior Guard	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	LHM Ch 5
70Oct	0700-0715	All Hands	Hand & Arm Signals	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
	1230-1330	Const Plt	OJT MOS 1371	Plt Area	As Assigned	Inst Notes

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"A" & "C" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 1-7 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
30Oct	0700-0900	Co Office	Admin Procedures	Co Office	LCpl LOTT	Inst Notes
50Oct	1300-1400	DONG HA Pers	Rifle & Personnel Inspection	Co Area	SSgt JOHNSON	N/A
	1400-1500	-do-	Malaria Prevention	Co Area	HM2 ADELMAN	LEM Ch 7
60Oct	1600-1700	DONG HA Pers	Interior Guard	Co Area	LCpl CAIN	LEM Ch 5
	1900-2000	DONG HA Pers	MCI Study Class	Co Area	GySgt ARMSTRONG	N/A
70Oct	1300-1330	DONG HA Pers	Vietnamese History, Culture and Customs	Co Area	1stSgt NEELY	MCO 1510.10A

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"B" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 1 - 7 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
10 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	VC Mines & Boobytraps	Plt Area	Plt Sgts	NAVMC 2614
20 Oct	2000-2030	All Hands	Malaria Prevention	Plt Area	Plt Corporals	LPM Ch 7
30 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Map Reading/Use of Compass	Plt Area	Plt Leaders	FM 21-26
4 Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Squad Tactics	Plt Area	Sqd Leaders	FM 6-5
5 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Guerrilla Warfare	Plt Area	Plt Sgts	FM 6-5
6 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Ambushes	Plt Area	Plt Leaders	FM 6-5
7 Oct	1900-1915	All Hands	Hand & Arm Signals	Plt Area	Sqd Leaders	FM 6-5

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OFFICERS' & SNCO TRAINING SCHEDULE 1-7 OCTOBER 67

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
6 Oct 67	1800-1830	All Off/SNCO	H.E. Maintenance	Off/SNCO Mess	CySgt JOHNSON	Inst Notes

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✓ (5) Officers' & Sergeants Training Schedule

1. Purpose: To publish the weekly training schedule for the week of 8 - 14 October 1967.

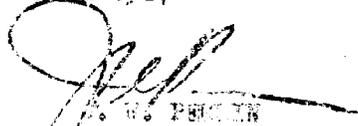
2. Action:

a. Paragraphs (1) through (5) will be followed by applicable sections of this manual.

b. Commanders will conduct MOS and General Military Subjects training to the maximum extent consistent with combat support missions.

c. Training conducted daily will be reported on the Daily Summary. Training conducted after submission of the daily summary will be reported to the Battalion S-3 by telephone prior to 2030 daily. The above report will include topic, period of instruction and number of personnel present. Units not required to submit the daily summary will report training prior to 2030 daily.

4. Self-Cancellation: 31 December 1967


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HAS CONTAM TRAINING SCHEDULE C - 14 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	IN CHARGE	REMARKS
0900h	1300-1400	S-4	Technical Publications	#3	Cyona FORD	Inst Notes
0900h	1500-1600	BAS	Facility Sanitation	#3	1st Sgt SMITH	Inst Ch VI
1000h	1500-1600	S-1	Admin Procedures	#1	1st Sgt GREEN	Inst Notes
1100h	1700-1800	En Supply	Medical Administration	#2	1st Sgt RICHARD	Inst Notes
1200h	1500-1600	BAS	Vector Control	#3	1st Sgt HANS	Inst Ch VI
1300h	1330-1430	En Supply	Admin Procedures	#3	Cpl SIMON	Inst Notes
1400h	1500-1600	Co Office	Admin Procedures	#3	1st Sgt BURNETT	Inst Notes

Note: #3 denotes work area

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ENGINEER SUPPORT COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 3 - 14 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	TRAINER	REFERENCE
09Oct	0700-0715	All Hands	MACV Mission & Objectives	Pit Areas	Plt Sgts	MCO 1510-100
10Oct	0645-0700	Const Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	1st Area	Plt Sgt	NA
	0700-0715	All Hands	M18 (Claymore) Mine	Pit Areas	Plt Sgts	FM 20-32
11Oct	0645-0700	HE Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Pit Area	Plt Sgt	NA
	0700-0715	All Hands	M18 (Claymore) Mine	Pit Areas	Plt Sgts	FM 20-32
12Oct	0645-0700	MT Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Pit Area	Plt Sgt	NA
	0700-0715	All Hands	Use of Protective Mask	Pit Areas	Plt Sgts	FM 21-41
13Oct	0645-0700	Util Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Pit Area	Plt Sgt	NA
	0700-0715	All Hands	Riot Control Agents	Pit Areas	Plt Sgts	FM 21-41
14Oct	0645-0700	Hq Sect	Rifle & Equip Insp	Co Area	1st Sgt	NA 22-100
	0700-0715	All NCO	Leadership	Co Area	1st Sgt	FM 22-100
	1230-1345	HE Plt	QTY MOS 1316-1341-1345	Pit Area	As Assigned	Inst. Notes

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"A" & "C" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 8 - 14 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
8Oct	0730-0800	DONG HA Personnel	Rifle Inspection	Co Area	SSgt LAWLESS	LEM
11Oct	1300-1400	DONG HA Personnel	Rifle & Personnel Insp	Co Area	Pt Sgts	LEM
	1400-1500	-do-	M16 Fam Fire	Range	LCpl McDONNELL	FR 23-9
	1500-1600	-do-	M60 Machine Gun	Co Area	Pfc BADENKOR	NA
	1600-1700	-do-	Co CO's Time	-do-	-----	-----
	1900-2000	-do-	MCI Study Class	-do-	Sgt FULKERSON	NA

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"B" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 8 - 14 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCA- TION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
8Oct	0700-0800	All Hands	Rifle & Personnel Inspection	#1	Plt Ldrs	LHM Ch 3 Sec 9
9Oct	1900-1955	All Hands	Use of Protective Mask	#1	Plt Sgts	FM 21-41
10Oct	1920-2000	All Hands	First Aid for Wounds	#1	Plt Corpman	LHM Ch 7
11Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Security at Work Sites & on Road Sweeps	#1	Plt Ldrs	FRFM 6-5
	1900-1930	All NCO's	Basic Communications		Co Area Comm Man	Guidebook for Marines
12Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Scouting and Patrolling	#1	Plt Sgts	FRFM 6-5
13Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Rifle, 5.56 MM M16	#1	Rt Cnld	FM 9-1005-249-14
14Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Pistol, .45 Cal M1911A1	#1	Sqd Ldrs	FM 23-35

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OFFICERS AND CREW TRAINING SCHEDULE 8 - 14 APRIL 1967

NAME	UNIT	GRADE	LOCATION	TRAINING	REMARKS
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UNIT: 101ST AIRBORNE AIRBORNE DIVISION (AVIATION BRIGADE) 67

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Headquarters
3d Engineer Battalion
3d Marine Division (Rein) MAF
APO San Francisco 96602

BnBul 1500
3/LGH/jwl
10 October 1967

BATTALION BULLETIN 1500

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List
Subj: Battalion Training Schedule

Ref: (a) DivO 1300.1
(b) DivO 1500.3
(c) BnO 1500.4

Encl: ✓(1) H&S Company Training Schedule
✓(2) Support Company Training Schedule
✓(3) "A" & "C" Company Training Schedule
✓(4) "B" Company Training Schedule
✓(5) Officers' and SNCO Training Schedule

1. Purpose. To publish the weekly training schedule for the week of 15 - 21 October 1967.

2. Action.

a. Enclosures (1) through (5) will be followed by applicable sections of this command.

b. Companies will conduct MOS and General Military Subjects Training to the maximum extent consistent with combat support missions.

c. Training conducted daily will be reported on the Daily Summary. Training conducted after the submission of the Daily Summary will be reported to battalion G-3 by telephone prior to 2030 daily. The above report will include topic, period of instruction, and number of personnel present. Units not required to submit the Daily Summary will report training prior to 2030 daily.

3. Self-Cancellation: 31 December 1967



Commanding Officer

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H&S COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 15 - 21 OCT 67

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
15Oct	1300-1400	Co Office	Admin Procedures	Work Area	1st Sgt EVERETT	Inst Notes
16Oct	1500-1600	BAS	Dental Emergencies	Work Area	1st SAITH	HEMC Ch III
17Oct	1300-1400	S-1	Admin Procedures	Work Area	SSgt GREEN	Inst Notes
18Oct	1330-1430	Bn Supply	Requisition Procedures	Work Area	GySgt WROBEL	Inst Notes
19Oct	1300-1400	S-4	Technical Publications	Work Area	GySgt POLLIARD	Inst Notes
20Oct	1400-1500	Bn Supply	Formal Accounting	Work Area	Cpl LLEDDELL	Inst Notes
21Oct	1500-1600	BAS	Foreign Bodies & Removal Technique	Work Area	EMC EAWS	HEMC Ch III

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EMPLOYMENT CLASSIFICATION TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 15 - 24 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
0645-0700	All Hands	Nature of the Enemy	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	PMO 3510.10A
0645-0700	Const Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	Security at Work Sites & On Road Sweeps	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
0645-0700	RE Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	Security at Work Sites & On Road Sweeps	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
0645-0700	MT Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	Security at Work Sites & On Road Sweeps	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
0645-0700	Util Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	Security at Work Sites & On Road Sweeps	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
0700-0715	All NCO's	Technique of Inst	Co Area	SSgt SPINNER	FM 21-6
1230-1330	MT Plt	OJT 3516-3531	Plt Area	As Assigned	Inst Notes

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"A" & "C" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 15 - 21 OCTOBER 67

TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
0730-0800 1900-2000	DONG HA Personnel -do-	Rifle Inspection MCI Study Class	Co Area -do-	SSgt SOWERS Sgt CONAHAN	LHM
1300-1400 1400-1600 1600-1700	DONG HA Personnel -do- -do-	Personnel Inspection Radio Procedure and Care Co Commanders' Time	Co Area -do- -do-	Flt Sgts Sgt HARDIN & Sgt MARSHAL - - - -	LHM Inst notes - - - -

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"B" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 15 - 21 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
15Oct	0700-0800	All Hands	Rifle & Personnel Insp	Plt Areas	Plt Ldrs	LHM Ch 3 Sec 9
16Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	LAAW M-72	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	FM 23-33
17Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Rifle, 5.56 MM, M16	Plt Areas	Sqd Ldrs	FM 9-1005-249-1d
18Oct	1900-1915	All Hands	USMC Civic Action Program	Plt Areas	Company, CO	Inst Notes
19Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Code of Conduct	Plt Areas	Plt Ldrs	MCO 1510.20
20Oct	1900-1915	All Hands	What individual Marines can & can't do for civic action	Plt Areas	Plt Ldrs	Inst Notes
21Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Bayonet Fighting	Plt Areas	Rt Guide	FMPM 1-1
18Oct	1900-1930	All NCO's	Map & Aerial Photograph Reading	Plt Areas	Co Const Foreman	FM 21-26

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OFFICERS' & SNCO TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 19 - 2 OCT 67

NO	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REMARKS
01	1800-1950	All Off/SNCO	Supply Procedures	Off/SNCO Mess	RDJ LARRIS	Instructor's Notes

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PO Box 15000
San Francisco 96502

HqBul 1500
3/IGA/jwl
17 October 1967

BATTALION BULLETTIN 1500

From: Commanding Officer

To: Distribution List

Subj: Battalion Training Schedule

Ref: (a) HqBul 1500.1
(b) HqBul 1500.2
(c) HqBul 1500.3

Encls: ✓(1) M55 Company Training Schedule
✓(2) Support Company Training Schedule
✓(3) M1 & M2 Company Training Schedule
✓(4) "E" Company Training Schedule
✓(5) Officers' and SNCO Training Schedule

1. Purpose: To publish the weekly training schedule for the week of 22 - 29 October 1967.

2. Action:

a. Enclosures (1) through (5) will be followed by applicable sections of this command.

b. Companies will conduct MOS and General Military Subjects Training to the maximum extent consistent with combat support missions.

c. Training conducted daily will be reported on the Daily Summary. Training conducted after the submission of the Daily Summary will be reported to battalion S-3 by telephone prior to 2000 daily. The above report will include topic, period of instruction, and number of personnel present. Units not required to submit the Daily Summary will report training prior to 2030 daily.

3. Self-Inspection: 31 December 1967


John P. Burke
By Direction

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HEAD COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 02 - 28 OCT 67

TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
1350-1450	Bn Supply	Medical Accounting	Work Area	Cpl LINDELL	Inst Notes
1400-1400	S-1	Technical Publications	Work Area	CySgt POLLARD	Inst Notes
1500-1600	BAS	Immunizations, types & methods	Work Areas	HMC HAWS	HBMC Ch VI
1330-1430	Bn Supply	Admin Procedures	Work Area	LCpl BRIONES	Inst Notes
1300-1400	Co Office	Admin Procedures	Work Area	1stSgt EVERETT	Inst Notes
1500-1600	BAS	Field Sanitation	Work Area	HMC HAWS	HBMC Ch VI
1300-1400	S-1	Admin Procedures	Work Area	SSgt GREEN	Inst Notes

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SUPPORT COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 22 - 28 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
20-07-67	All Hands	Map Reading and in Vietnam	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	MDO 1510.10A
21-07-67	Const Plt	Rifle & Equipment Inspection	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
22-07-67	All Hands	First Aid for Wounds	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	LHM Ch 7
23-07-67	HE Plt	Rifle & Equipment Inspection	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
24-07-67	All Hands	First Aid for Wounds	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	LHM Ch 7
25-07-67	HE Plt	Rifle & Equipment Inspection	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
26-07-67	All Hands	Cleanliness	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	LHM Ch 7
27-07-67	Util Plt	Rifle & Equipment Inspection	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
28-07-67	All Hands	Cleanliness	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	LHM Ch 7
29-07-67	Eq Section	Rifle & Equipment Inspection	Co Area	1st Sgt	N/A
30-07-67	All NCO's	Technique of Instruction	Co Area	SSgt STIRNER	FM 21-6
31-07-67	Util Plt	OST MOS 1121 - 1141	Plt Area	As Assigned	Inst Mater

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"A" & "C" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 22 - 28 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
28 Oct	0730-0800	DONG HA Personnel	Rifle & Equip Inspection	Co Area	Plt Sgts	N/A
	1600-1700	-do-	Bayonet Fighting	Co Area	Rt Guides	FMFM 1-1
	1900-2000	-do-	MCI Study Class	Co Area	Sgt CONANAN	N/A
29 Oct	1300-1400	DONG HA Personnel	Field Sanitation	Co Area	Co. Corpsman	HBMC Ch VI
	1400-1500	-do-	Code of Conduct	Co Area	Plt Idrs	MCO 1510.20
	1500-1600	-do-	Rifle, 5.56 MM M16	Co Area	LCpl McDOWELL	FM 23-9
30 Oct	0730-0830	DONG HA Personnel	Admin Procedures	Co Office	LCpl RHODES	Inst Notes
	1300-1400	-do-	Use of Protective Mask	Co Area	Plt Sgts	FM 21-41
	1415-1445	-do-	Basic Communications	Co Area	Sgt HARDIN	Guidebook for Marines
31 Oct	0700-0800	DONG HA Personnel	Scouting & Patrolling	Co Area	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
	0815-0845	-do-	Transportation of the Injured	Co Area	Co. Corpsman	HBMC Ch III
	1530-1630	-do-	Company Commanders Time	Co Area	- - - - -	- - - - -

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"B" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 22 - 28 OCTOBER 1967

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
10 Oct	0700-0800	All Hands	Rifle & Personnel Inspection	Plt Area	Plt Adrs	LHM Ch 3 Sec 9
10 Oct	1900-1915	All Hands	Ambushes	Plt Area	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
10 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Pistol, 45 cal, M1911A1	Plt Area	Sqd Ldrs	FM 23-35
10 Oct	1900-2000	All Hands	Map Reading/Use of Compass	Plt Area	Plt Ldrs	FM 21-26
10 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	First Aid for Wounds	Plt Area	Plt Crpan	LHM Ch 7
10 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Squad Tactics	Plt Area	Plt Ldrs	FMFM 6-5
10 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Security at Work Sites & on Road Sweeps	Plt Area	Plt Ldrs	FMFM 6-5
10 Oct	1900-1930	All NCO's	Operations Against Guerrilla Forces	Co Area	Co. C.O.	FMFM 8-2

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OFFICERS' AND SNCO TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 22 - 28 OCTOBER 1967

TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
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-----NO OFFICERS' AND SNCO TRAINING CONDUCTED FOR WEEK 22 - 28 OCT 67-----

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subject: Battalion Training Schedule

- Ref (a) DivO 100000
- (b) DivO 100000
- (c) DivO 100000

- Encl. (1) MOS Company Training Schedule
- (2) Support Company Training Schedule
- (3) "A" & "B" Company Training Schedules
- (4) "E" Company Training Schedule
- (5) Officers' & SMO Training Schedule

1. Purpose: To publish the weekly training schedules for the week of 29 October - 4 November 1967.

2. Action

a. Enclosures (1) through (5) will be followed by applicable sections of this command.

b. Companies will conduct MOS and General Military Subjects Training to the maximum extent consistent with combat support missions.

c. Training conducted daily will be reported on the Daily Summary. Training conducted after the submission of the Daily Summary will be reported to Battalion G-3 by telephone prior to 2000 daily. The above report will include time period of instruction and number of personnel present. Units not required to submit the Daily Summary will report training prior to 2000 daily.

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J. H. BOGREN
By directing

NAC COMMAND TRAINING SCHEDULE 29 OCTOBER - 1 NOVEMBER 67

TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
1300-1400	S-1	Admin Procedures	Work Area	SSgt GREEN	Inst Notes
1400-1500	BAS	Nuclear Disaster	Work Area	Lt1 SMITH	NAVPERC 10669
1400-1430	Gc Office	Admin Procedures	Work Area	1stSgt EVERETT	Inst Notes
1500-1400	S-4	Education	Work Area	CySgt ROLLJARD	Inst Notes
1500-1600	BAS	NAC Self-ADM	Work Area	EMC EAWS	NAVPERC 10669
1600-1400	Bn Supply	Formal Accounting	Work Area	Ltj. BRIONES	Inst Notes
1630-1430	Bn Supply	Use of SL Manuals	Work Area	CySgt WROBEL	Inst Notes

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SUPPORT COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 29 OCT - A RV 67

TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
0700-0715	All Hands	Courtesy to Vietnamese Nationals	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	MOO 1510.10
0645-0700	Const Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	LAAW M-72	Plt Areas	Plt Sgt Assign	FM 23-55
0645-0700	HE Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	Hand Grenades & Pyrotechnics	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	FM 23-30
0645-0700	MT Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	VC Mines & Boobytraps	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	NAVMC 26-14
0645-0700	Util Plt	Rifle & Equip Insp	Plt Area	Plt Sgt	N/A
0700-0715	All Hands	VC Mines & Boobytraps	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts Assign	NAVMC 26-14
0700-0715	All NCO's	Interior Guard	Co Area	SSgt VALYS	LPM Ch 5

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"A" & "C" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 29 OCT - 4 NOV 1967

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TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
1300-1400	DONG HA Personnel	Rifle Inspection	Co Area	SSgt SOWERS	LPM
1430-1500	-do-	Field Fortification	-do-	Plt Sgts	LPM Ch 9
1500-1600	-do-	Heat Stroke/Head Exhaustion	-do-	Co Corpman	LPM Ch 7
1600-1700	-do-	Company Commanders' Time			

0700-0715	DONG HA Personnel	Hand & Arm Signals	Co Area	Plt Sgts	FMFM 6-5
1630-1645	-do-	Interior Guard	-do-	-do-	LPM Ch 5

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"B" COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE 29 OCT - 4 NOV 67

DATE	TIME	PERSONNEL	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
29 Oct	0700-0800	All Hands	Drill & Personnel Inspection	Plt Areas	Plt Leaders	LPM Ch 3 Sec 4
30 Oct	1900-1930	All Hands	Senior Guard	Co Area	Const Foreman	LPM Ch 5
31 Oct	1930-2000	All Hands	Squad Tactics	Plt Areas	Plt Leaders	FMFM 6-5
1 Nov	1900-2000	All Hands	Map Reading, Use of Compass	Plt Areas	Plt Leaders	FM 21-26
2 Nov	1900-2000	All Hands	M-16 Rifle	Plt Areas	Plt Sgts	Div Lesson Plan
3 Nov	1900-1930	All Hands	Bayonet Fighting	Plt Areas	Plt Leaders	FMFM 1-1
4 Nov	1900-1930	All Hands	Malaria Prevention	Plt Areas	Plt Corpomen	LPM Ch 7
4 Nov	1900-1930	All NCO's	Basic Communication	Co Area	Co Comm Men	Guidebook for Marines

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OFFICERS & CREW TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR WEEK 29 NOV - 5 NOV 67

OFFICER/CREW	TIME	SUBJECT	LOCATION	INSTRUCTOR	REMARKS
OFFICER/CREW	1800-1900	CLAS	OPS/OPS Room	DATA CENTER	1800-1900

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E. Ordnance and Fortifications Destroyed

Bomb, 500 Lb.	1
105MM rds	9
57 MM rds	3
M2A1 A.P. Mine	5
60 MM rds	124
81MM rds	180
82MM rds	20
30 cal. ammo	1800 rds
120MM rds	4
Box A.P. Mines	5
M-79 rds	6
CHIGOM grenades	26
CHIGOM Claymore A.P. Mines	8
Bunkers	61
Huts	1
Defensive Wire	100'
3.5 rockets	2
CHIGOM TNT	440 Lbs
M-26 grenades	502
Plastic Water Cans	75
LAAW's	4
106 MM rds	1

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

4/EMG/309
 4000
 27 Oct 1967

From: Commanding Officer, 3d Engineer Battalion
 To: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF (SCI-4)

Subj: Logistics Summary Report as of 31 October 1967

Ref: (a) DIVO 4000.6A

- Incl: (1) Status of Communication-Electronics Equipment
 (2) Status of Engineer Equipment and Engine Generators
 (3) Status of Motor Transport Equipment
 (4) Status of Ordnance Equipment

1. SUPPLY SITUATION

a. Requisition performance for October through the 25th is as follows:

	02	05	12	17	TOTAL
Number requisitions outstanding	212	158	3328	1377	5075
Number requisitions outstanding more than 60 days	120	120	2628	673	3541
Number requisitions submitted	62	21	639	294	1006
Number requisitions completed	64	36	572	238	910

b. Number of line items in the organic accounts managed during October is as follows:

ACCOUNT	LINE ITEMS
Formal.	410
Informal.	4959

c. Some improvement in requisition performance is noted in that submissions and fills were approximately the same volume. Number of items managed in organic accounts has decreased slightly because of transfer of some stock record cards to inactive files for lack of demand. Receipt of requisition status cards has improved greatly.

2. Not Applicable.

3. CLASSES II AND IVa. Summary

(1) Material deficiencies constitute the only significant problem confronting this organization. The effect of deadline equipment is far more acute because of the quantity of major end items on requisition as noted below. Filling of higher priority requisitions more than 60 days old would raise this organization's supply readiness posture to C1 category. The majority of major end item requisitions fall into this category.

(2) A continuing shortage of timbers for bunkers construction is holding up almost all construction of this type in the Division, especially in the Phu Bai-Gia Le-Camp Evans area. This organization holds Division stocks of these timbers for the repair and replacement of bunkers. At present stocks of 6x, 8x, and 12x lumber are exhausted. A small quantity of 10x12 is on hand, but no 10x10. An adequate stock of 4x6 is available, and a small quantity of 4x8. A small stock of 3x12 is available, but there is vast demand for this dimension. As for Advanced Base Functional Component bunkers, this organization has received only a partial shipment of the first package scheduled for delivery.

b. Not applicable.

c. Critical Items (Mandatory items for reporting)

<u>FSN</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>STATUS</u>
5965-892-0972	Handset H-138	Non-critical
6140-889-1027	Battery BB-451	Non-critical
6140-057-2554	Battery 6TN	Critical
(NOTE: In short supply and used on all major engineer items and 5-ton vehicles. Needed for maintenance of equipment now in use. As equipment becomes deadlined, batteries are removed and used for servicing vehicles in operating condition.)		
6140-160-7795	Wire WD-1/TT (MX 306)	Non-critical
6145-226-8812	Wire WD-1/TT (DRB)	Non-critical
6145-243-8466	Wire WD-1/TT (RL-159)	Non-critical
6810-249-9354	Electrolyte acid	Critical
(NOTE: Cannot service lead-acid batteries without the acid. Affects all engine driven equipment in the Battalion. Receipts have not been adequate for the total requirement.)		
8340-543-7787	Tent GP Medium	Non-critical
6005-846-7618	Compass Magnetic	Non-critical
6240-635-9800	Lamp incandescent	Not rated
8470-576-419	Body armor upper torso	Non-critical
7210-227-1524	Green towel	Non-critical
All sizes	Green underclothing	Non-critical
6830-264-6755	Acetylene	Non-critical

FSN	ITEM	STATUS
6830-169-0800	Oxygen	Critical
(NOTE: Priority O2 requirements still outstanding. Used in welding and repair operations extensively. Consumed at faster rate than acetylene.)		
All sizes	Lightweight Utilities	Non-critical
2610-262-8653	Tire 1100x20	Critical
2610-051-9450	Tube 1100x20	Critical
(NOTE: Tires and tubes 1100x20 are needed for maintenance of all organic 5-ton vehicles. This organization has not been able to obtain sufficient operating stocks.)		
2610-204-4008	Tires and Tubes 900x20	Non-critical
2610-569-0815	Tire 750x10	Critical
2610-569-0817	Tube 750x10	Critical
(NOTE: While criticality is mitigated by introduction and present administrative deadline of M274A2 vehicles, this organization has not been able to acquire operating stocks for the older M274A2 vehicles on hand.)		
	Valve core for automotive inner tubes	Critical
(NOTE: Needed for continuing repair of inner tubes. In short supply.)		
All sizes	Sock, black, cushion sole	Non-critical
8466-242-4804	Identification Tgas	Critical
(NOTE: 1000 are on Priority O2 requisition for members of this organization.)		
8105-965-2509	Sandbags	Non-critical
0000-006-1530	NAVMC 10627 Trip Ticket	Critical
(NOTE: Stocks for vehicle dispatching are almost exhausted.)		
5960-902-0468	Planar triode	Not rated

d.

ITEM	ON HAND	SERV	UNSERV	IN USE
Tent GP Medium	85	85	0	85
CONEX Container	6	6	0	6

e. Major E/E and Special Allowance deficiencies. All of the below items are critical because their non-availability constitutes a significant reduction in engineer capability.

T/A #	DESCRIPTION	QTY ON RECD
30070	Bath Unit	11
30350	Compressor SP 125 CFM	2

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<u>T/A #</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>QTY ON RECN</u>
30445	Crane 3-ton M60	1
30410	Crane-shovel Crawler Bay City M37	1
30670	Grader Road Motorized 550	1
30815	Loader, Scoop type TL-16	1
31220	Saw Chain McCulloch (2-man)	4
None	Saw Chain (1-man)	17
31240	Saw Radial overarm, non-portable	1
31275	Scraper 8 cuyd, H-82	1
31700	Tractor TD-15	6
31730	Tractor MRS-100	4
50300	Semi-trlr Lowbed 25-ton M172A1	1
51545	Truck-Tractor 10-ton M123A1C	1
31470	Tank Fabric 3000 gal	9

f. The following blank forms are in shor supply, and if not made available in the near future, will seriously complicate internal management:

Administrative Forms

0000-002-1803 Officer's Fitness Report NAVMC 10147
 0000-002-6804 NCO Fitness Report NAVMC 10233

Supply Forms

0101-804-9501 DD-1150 Request for Issue or Turn-in
 0101-806-2250 DD-1348 MILSTRIP Requisition
 0101-806-2350 DD-1348-1 MILSTRIP Issue
 0000-000-9502 Stock Record Card, NAVMC-708

Engineer Maintenance Forms

0000-000-9302 Vehicle Record Jacket NAVMC-696
 0000-001-6100 Daily Dispatching Record NAVMC 10031
 0000-002-7901 TERO NAVMC 10245
 0000-003-6801 Item Age and Cost Record NAVMC 10332
 0000-005-6302 Engr Equip Operational Record NAVMC 10529
 0000-005-6400 Engr Equip Opn Log and Svc Record NAVMC 10524

g. The following items are critically needed for Division water production. Those marked with an asterisk (*) represent the chemicals for the 600GPH Erdlator units, needed at such time as this new equipment is placed in service.

FSN

NOMENCLATURE

4610-592-4252 Filter Sleeve for Water Purification Unit 1500GPH
 6810-174-5134 Ammonium Aluminum Sulfate Dodecahydrate

FSN

NOMENCLATURE

6810-233-1715 Sodium Carbonate Anhydrous
 *6810-264-6575 Charcoal
 *6810-664-0283 Ferric Chloride

4. Not Applicable

5. Not Applicable

6. MAINTENANCE SITUATION

a. The following items of deadlined equipment are those that most significantly affect the engineer capability of this organization. All critical repair parts are on valid priority O2 requisition for those items deadlined at second echelon.

DESCRIPTION	QTY D/L	
	2D ECH	3D ECH
Tractor TD-15	2	2
Tractor TD-18	1	4
Tractor MRS-100	0	1
Crane Mobile 150T46	1	0
Scooploader TL-16	1	0
Compressor 105 CFM	1	0
Compressor 125 CFM	1	0
Bath Unit	1	1
Water Purification Unit 1500 GPH	0	1
Water Purification 3000 GPH	0	2
Chain Saws	7	9
Mine Detector P-153	0	21
Truck, Dump 5-Ton M51A2	2	3

b. Supply response for repair parts is very gradually improving as procedures for passing requisitions up through supply channels are being refined. The exceptions appear to be chain saws and mine detectors. There does not appear to be any parts support for chain saws, and very long leadtimes in the repair of mine detectors by field maintenance has been encountered consistently.

c. Overall performance of the direct exchange program for non-depot secondary repairable items is shown below. Again, there has been a slight improvement. It is noted that all requisitions for DX-type items must now be submitted through the Shop Store outlet providing local management of the DX program.

- (1) Number DX requests turned in. 63
- (2) Number DX requests filled 36
- (3) Number DX requests outstanding. 45

7. Not Applicable.

8. OTHER MAJOR ITEMS OF EQUIPMENT. See enclosures (1) through (4).

9. SERVICES SITUATION

a. Property Disposal. Letters of unserviceable property were received for nine major items of equipment.

b. Laundry. All laundry service is provided by indigenous concessionaires and has been satisfactory. The major cause of delay in opening the Korean laundry is the drilling of a well for water supply.

c. Bath Units. Shower points were operated in accordance with the T/O mission.

d. Bakery. Bread continued to be the only bakery product available from FLSC-A. A shortage of flour early in October curtailed issues of bread, but normal supply has resumed. All other bakery products, also curtailed temporarily by lack of sugar and flour, were prepared internally.

e. Ice. Quantities from authorized sources in Hue were adequate for basic needs.

f. Food Services

(1) An average of 675 men were fed daily at the Battalion messhall in Gia Le. This included the Army 515th Transportation Company and elements of MCB-10, temporary tenants in the Battalion area. Companies "A" and "C" share a messhall with the 3d Force Reconnaissance Company in Dong Ha, and Company "B" subsists in the 4th Marines' messhall at Camp Evans.

(2) Continuing shortages of fresh produce, dry stores, and staples limited the amount of "A" rations in the menu and necessitated greater use of "B" rations. The situation is gradually improving as commissary stores at FLSC-A return to normal inventory levels.

g. Mortuary Services. This organization had no personnel KIA as of 25 October.

h. Graves Registration. Not applicable.

i. Potable Water. Ten Battalion water points produced a total of about 8,013,000 gallons of potable water during October in support of Division units.

10. SERVICES: SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM AREAS: None

11. Not Applicable.

12. Not Applicable.

13. TRANSPORTATION: SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM AREAS: None

14. Not Applicable.

15. MISCELLANEOUS

a. Logistics Personnel

<u>RELIEF</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>RTD</u>
S-4	M. W. GRAEFF	Capt	Dec 67
Supply Officer	A. L. HARRIS	2dLt	Aug 68
MT Officer	R. P. ARCHBOLD	1stLt	Mar 68
S-4 Chief	R. L. POLLIARD	Gy/Sgt	Jan 68
Supply Chief	H. J. WROBEL	Gy/Sgt	May 68
MT Chief	W. V. VANBUSKIRK	Gy/Sgt	Aug 68

b. Statistical Data on Priority O2 Requisitions

(1) Number outstanding at 30 September	215
(2) Number submitted during October	62
(3) Total (1) and (2).	277
(4) Number filled during October	64
(5) Number outstanding at 31 October	212

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COMMUNICATIONS-EQUIPMENT

<u>T/A</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>T/E</u> <u>QTY</u>	<u>SPECIAL</u> <u>ALLOW QTY</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>O/H</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>OR</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>NOBS</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>NORM</u>
22040	AN/MRC-83	6	0	5	5	0	
22101	AN/PRC-25 (2) NOBS at FL90-A in Jun 67 (1) NOBS in Jun 67 Critical Repair Parts: 5820-973-1622	43	0	49	46	3	
22670	AN/TGC-14 A/V	1	0	1	1		
22770	AN/CGC-3	1	0	1	1		
22783	AN/TGC-6	0	0	0	0		
	AN/MTC-1						EQUIPMENT NOT RATED OR HELD
	AN/UPS-1B and 1C	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TPN-7	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TRN-14	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/UGC-20	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TPS-22	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TRC-27	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TPS-34	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TPS-37	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/GRG-63	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/TRC-97	"	"	"	"	"	"
	AN/FGC-100	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TT-333A						EQUIPMENT NOT RATED OR HELD

ENCLOSURE (1)

ENGINEER/GENERATORS

<u>T/A #</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>T/E</u> <u>QTY</u>	<u>SPECIAL</u> <u>ALLOW QTY</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>O/H</u>	<u>OR</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>NORS</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>NORM</u>
20800	Gen Set 60KW	4	0	1	1		
30670	Grader 550	4	0	3	3		
31700	Tractor TD-15 (1) NORS at FLSG-A in Sep 67 (1) NORS at FLSG-A in Oct 67 (1) NORS in May 67 (1) NORS in Oct 67 Critical Repair Parts: 5340-682-1421 2920-964-6718	15	1	10	6	4	
31710	Tractor TD-18 (2) NORS at FLSG-A in Jul 67 (3) NORS at FLSG-A in Sep 67 (1) NORS in Oct 67	0	23	13	7	6	0
31730	Tractor Industrial MRS-100 (1) NORS at FLSG-A in Sep 67	7	0	3	2	1	
	Tractor TD-24						
	Tractor Eimco M64						
	Tractor MRS-200						
	PU-278						
	Generator Set PU-346						
	Generator Set PU-482/M						
	Generator Set PU-587/M						
	RTF 3000 LB						
	RTF 6000 LB						

ENCLOSURE (2)

MOTOR TRANSPORT

<u>T/A #</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>T/E</u> <u>QTY</u>	<u>SPECIAL</u> <u>ALLOW QTY</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>O/H</u>	<u>OR</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>NORS</u>	<u>QTY</u> <u>NORM</u>
22040	AN/MRC-83 (1) NORS at FLSG-A in Jan67 (1) NORS at FLSG-A in Apr67 (1) NORS in Jul67 (1) NORS in Oct67 Critical Repair Parts: 5340-737-2551	6	0	5	1	4	
51230	Trk, Dump M51A2 (2) NORS at FLSG-A in Aug67 (3) NORS at FLSG-A in Oct67 (2) NORS in Oct67 Critical Repair Parts: 2910-860-5417 2910-860-5418	24	1	26	20	6	
51530	Trk, Tractor M52	3	0	3	3		
51590	Trk, Utility M422 (1) NORS at FLSG-A in Jun67	13	0	11	10	1	
	Trk, Refueler, MC1A						Equipment Not Rated Or Held
	Trk, Crash Rescue, MB-1	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Trk, Crash Rescue, MB-5	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Trk, Cargo, M35 Series	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Trk, M38A1	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Trk, Cargo, M36	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Carrier, Amphibious, M76	"	"	"	"	"	"

ENCLOSURE (3)

ORDNANCE/TRACKED VEHICLES/EQUIPMENT and AMPHIBIOUS EQUIPMENT

<u>T/A #</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>T/E</u>	<u>SPECIAL</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>QTY</u>
		<u>QTY</u>	<u>ALLOW</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>O/H</u>	<u>OR</u>
					<u>NCRS</u>	<u>NORM</u>
61360	Rifle, M16	679	0	54	54	
	LVTE1	EQUIPMENT NOT RATED OR HELD				
	LVTR-1A1	"	"	"	"	"
	LVTP-5A1	"	"	"	"	"
	LVTP-5A1 (CMD)	"	"	"	"	"
	M48, Tank	"	"	"	"	"
	M51, VTR	"	"	"	"	"
	M53, 155mm Gun (SP)	"	"	"	"	"
	M55, 8" How (SP)	"	"	"	"	"
	M109, 155mm How (SP)	"	"	"	"	"
	M110, 8" How (SP)	"	"	"	"	"
	M114, 155mm How (Towed)	EQUIPMENT NOT RATED OR HELD				

ENCLOSURE (4)