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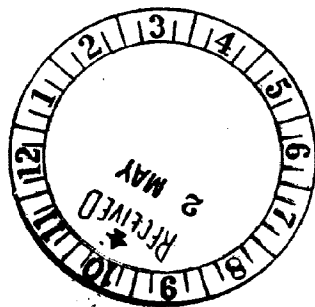
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 SITREP NR 248 FM 012221H TO 310500H MAF CUC - NAPOLEON/S/LINE
 1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
 2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS HAVE BEEN ACTIVE SINCE 10 IS
 AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND OPS.
 3. ENEMY CASUALTIES: NONE
 4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 ONE MIA RPTD BY SITREP NR 247, 8 APRIL, 1968, LIAISON AREA.
 DELETE 1 MIA.
 5. PLANS: 3 CO OF 1ST AVTRAC BN WILL ADVANCE AND SEARCH
 RESETTLEMENT HAMLET VIC YD 342500 8/2/68 WILL SUECH
 FROM PRESENT POSITION IN SOUTHERE DIRECTION ALONG
 NORTH BANK OF RIVER AND LINK UP WITH 8/1/68, 8/1/68
 AND 8/2/68 WILL THEN CLEAR AREA OF 8/1/68 CONTACT
 ON 32 APRIL. 8/2/68 WILL ASSAULT HAMLET OF DAY DO.
 ALL OTHER UNITS WILL CONDUCT ROUTINE DAY ACTIVITIES,
 EMPLOYING AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND OPS.
 6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 FR: 199 KIA, 955 MIA (EVAC), 23 MIA (MINOR), 1 MIA
 EN: 1222 NVA KIA, 44 NVA POW, 50 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, DET 255,
 INN CIV 122, 231 INC, 89 CSWC
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D 020405Z MAY 68
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TO RUMHMA/PCV (TOC)
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OPERATION NAPOLEON SALINE SITREP NR 249 FM 010601H TO 011200H MAY 68.

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT:

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

AT FIRST LIGHT H/2/4 COMMENCED SWEEP IN SOUTHERN DIRECTION ALONG NORTH BANK OF RIVER. AT SAME TIME B/1/3 BEGAN MOVING TOWARD DAI DO (YD 254629). F/2/4 ALSO BEGAN MOVING TOWARD DAI DO FROM NORTHEAST. B/1/3 AND F/2/4 WERE TAKING INCOMING ARTY AND RR FIRE FROM DAI DO. F/2/4 AND B/1/3 HELD UP WHILE FIXED WING WAS CALLED IN ON DAI DO. AT 010750H, H/2/4 OBSERVED 20-30 NVA VIC (YD 255626) AND TOOK THEM UNDER FIRE UNTIL 010840 WHEN NVA BROKE CONTACT. AT 010955 G/2/4 LOADED ON MIKE BOASTS W/2 TANKS AND MOVED TOWARD AREA OF CONTACT. AT 01100 F/2/4 VIC (YD 262632) MOVING TOWARD DAI DO CAME UNDER INTENSE A/W FIRE FROM VILLE. AT 011110 F/W CAME ON STATION AND BEGAN AIR STRIKES ON DAI DO. F/W FOLLOWED BY ARTY CONTINUED TO PREP DAI DO THROUGHOUT THE END OF REPORTING PERIOD. 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3 MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: AT 011020H, TO 011105H, AO CALLED IN ARTY MISSION FROM C-1 ON 20 NVA OPEN AT (YD 267704) LAM XUAN (WEST). AO RPTD 4 NVA K3A.

4. REFER TO PARA 2 ABOVE AND MY SITREP NR 247. SINCE 030230H, ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES SUSTAINED B/1/3, 4 KIA, 12 WIA MEDEVAC, AND 40 WIA (MINOR). NO REORT ON 2/4 AS YET.

5. BDA ON AIRSTRIKE AT DAI DO 100/100, 3 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 150 METERS TRENCH LINE DESTROYED, 1 OP IN BUILDING DESTROYED. 13 NVA K3A RPTD BY AO.

6. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

7. LATE ENTRY: AT 030200H WHILE MOVING TO NIGHT AMBUSH POSITION ELEMENTS OF B/1ST AMTRAC BN FOUND 2 MALE INDIGINOUS

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PERSONNEL OUTSIDE RESETTLEMENT VILLAGE IN VIC (YD 332694) AFTER CURFEW HOURS. PERSONNEL HAD ID'S. DETAINED BOTH MALES WILL FORWARD TO S-2 WITH FIRST AVAILABLE TRANSPORTATION. RESULTS 2 DETAINEES.

B. AT 0010630H, F/2/4 IN VIC (YD 261631) RECEIVED INCOMING ARTY AND ROCKETS FROM 6100 MILS COUNTER BATTERY FIRES REQUESTED FROM 12TH MARINES.

C. -5 010645H, B/1/3 IN VIC (YD 258625) RECEIVED RR AND HEAVY ARTY OF UNK CAL REQUESTED COUNTER BATTERY FIRE AND TAKING ACTION TO NEUTRALIZE RR.

D. AT 010750H, H/2/4 OBSERVED 2 TO 30 NVA IN OPEN IN VIC (YD 255625) MOVING TOWARD B/1/3. H/2/4 TOOK ENEMY UNDER

FIRE, B/1/3 NOT FIRED AND

ALSO TOOK ENEMY UNDER FIRE, AT

010840H, H/2/4 IN VIC (YD 263626) REPORTED BREAKING CONTACT WITH ENEMY IN VIC (YD 255626) B/1/3 REPORTED 20-30 NVA MOVING TOWARD THEM.

E. AT 010906H, F/2/4 SPOTTED APPROX 20 NVA CROSSING RIVER MOVING NORTH IN VIC (YD 255640) CALLED SUPPORTING ARMS.

F. AT 011000H, F/2/4 REPORTED TAKING UNKNOWN CAL. INCOMING IN VIC (YD 262632) AND AT 01010H RECEIVED HEAVY AUTO WEAPONS. FIRE FROM VIC (YD 255630). RETURN FIRE AND CALLED ARTY MISSION

G. AT 011100H, C BLT 2/4 REPORTED THE FOLLOWING LIST OF WEAPONS CAPTURED DURING PERIOD OF CONTACT IN VIC (YD 255630)

22 INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS AND 7 CSWC REPORTED. 11 AK-47, 11 SKS, 2 RPG, 3 RPG LAUNCHERS, 1 IW-MM, B-10 RECOLLESS GUN, 1.7.62

100, 12 RPG ROUNDS, 6 B-10 ROUNDS, 1 AT MINE, 3 DRUM

100, 1 AT MINE, RESULTS: 22 IWC, 7 CSWC.

H. PLANS: UPON COMPLETION OF PREP 2/4 WILL LAUNCH A COORDINATED SWEEP INTO THE VILLAGE OF DAI DO VIC (YD 254629) 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3 WILL CONTINUE TO CONDUCT SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

I. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

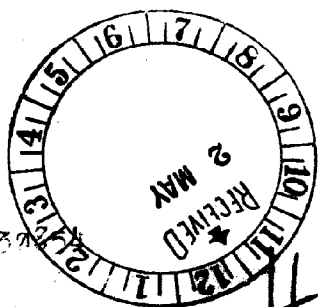
A. FRIENDLY: 203 KIA, 967 WIA (EVAC), 299 WIA (.MINOR).

B. ENEMY: 1239 NA KIA, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 267 DET, 122 INN CIV 253 IWC, 96 CSWC.

44 NVA POW.

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 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 250 FM 011201-011800H MAY 68

1. LOC: 4.3

EXCEPT THE FOLL:

E/2/4 AND CMD GRP YD 257629

H&F/2/4 YD 262632

G/2/4 YD 254629

B/1/3 YD 257629

2. SUM:

EXTENSIVE PREP OF DAI DO YD 254629 CONTD. F&H CONSOLIDATED AT YD 262632. AT 011330H, E/2/4 WAS CHOPPED FROM 3D MARDIV TO 2/4 AND MOVED TO YD 255618. AT 011440H, G SECURED A HOLD IN DAI DO. AT 011535H, H&F BEGAN TAKING LIGHT MEDIUM ARTY FROM 6400 MILS AT YD 260631. AT 1615H, NVA BN BEHIND A FURIOUS ARTY AND MORT BARRAGE, STARTED TO COUNTER ATTACK. IN THE VILLE. H&F WERE HELD DOWN BY ARTY AND MORT. B/1/3 MADE CONTACT AND LINKED UP W/G/2/4 THEY ARE HOLDING THE VILLE. AT 011630H, E/2/4 BEGAN CROSSING THE RIVER AT YD 255632. AND COMPLETED CROSSING BY 011715H. AT 011800H, B/1/3 AND G/2/4 WERE STILL IN HVY CONTACT. E/2/4 MOVED TO REINFORCE THEM.

3. CONTACTS:

AT 011600H, B/1/3 VIC YD 253624 RPTD 5 WIA MED AND CAPTURED 3 AK-47, 3 SKS, 2 RPG, 1 LMG, 9 RPG RDS, 27-60MM AND 5-82MM MORT RDS, 6 CANS 60MM MORT INCREMENTS, 1 RUSSIAN CLAYMORE MINE, 5 AK-47 MAGAZINES, 2 GAS MASKS, AND ASSORTED

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POUNCHES. AT THIS TIME, NVA CAS FIGURES ARE 61 NVA KIA CONFIRMED FROM ALL UNITS IN CONTACT UP TO 011600H. CAS REPORTS INCOMPLETE AT THIS TIME.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 011400H 1ST AMTRAC BN VIC YD 315689 APPREHENDED 1 VN TRYING TO SELL MARIJUANA CIGARETTES. AT 011230H, ANOTHER NV WAS APPREHENDED FOR TRYING TO SELL MARIJUANA CIGARETTES. EACH OF THEM HAD 10 CIGARETTES. THEY WERE BROUGHT TO 3D MAR S-2 FOR INTERROGATION AND WERE CLASSIFIED AS CIV DEF. THEY WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARDIV. RES: 2 CIV DEF

B. AT 011330H, BLT 2/4 ASSUMED OP CON OF E/2/4 FROM 3D MARDIV.

C. AT 011630H, PTL FM 1ST AMTRAC BN FND 17 FIGHTING HOLES IN VIC YD 375656. 3 WERE 3 MAN HOLES, THE REMAINDER WERE 1MAN HOLES. VILLAGERS STATED THE WERE OCCUPIED 10 AYS AGO. THE 3-3 MAN HOLES WERE DESTD.

D. AT 011722, CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED 11 RDS OF LIGHT TO MEDIUM ARTY. 6 RDS WERE DUDS. NEG CAS. EXTENSIVE

DAMAGE TO 1 LVT. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES W/ARTY AND NGF. E. AT 011800H, 85 PER CENT PF3D BN 21ST INF, 196 LIGHT INF BDE WAS IN POS VIC YD 286671. 3D MARINES ASSUMED OP CON AT 011900H.

F. REF TO MY SITREP NR 249 PARA 38, DELETE 37 WIA MINOR. INADVERTENTLY AN ERROR IN REPORTING WIA'S WAS MADE DELETE 37 WIA MINOR FM CUM LOSSES:

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

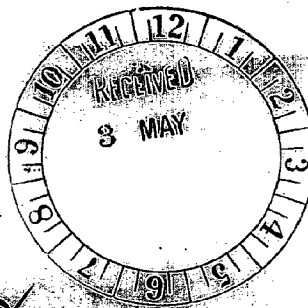
FR: 203 KIA, 972 WIA MED, 262 WIA MINOR,

CN: 1300 NVAKIA, 44 NVA POW, 37 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 262 DET, 4 CIV DEF,

122 INN CIV, 259 IWC, 99 CSWC.

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INFO RUMMWAA/111 MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 251 FM 010301-012400H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME EXCEPT A3/1/3 YD 204634 AND
B/1/3 AND 3/2/4 ARE LOCATED AT YD 258625.

2. SUM:

A. AT 011300H, B/1/3 AND G/2/4 WERE IN HVY CONTACT
W/EST NVA REGT IN DAI DO RECEIVING AUTO AND
SAF WELL AS MORT AND ARTY FIRE. G AND B CO'S
CONSOLIDATED IN VIC YD 254628 AND YD 257629. RESPECTIVELY.
AND REPELLED EN COUNTER ATTACK UTILIZING SAF AND
EXTENSIVE ARTY FIRE. E, F, AND H CO'S WERE UNABLE TO
REINFORCE DUE TO HVY EN ARTY FIRE. COUNTER BTRY
MSNS WERE FIRED CONTINUOUSLY ON EN GUN PSNS.

AT 011925H, B/1/3 BEGAN TO PULL BACK BY OTTER UNDER COVER
OF ARTY FIRE TO JOIN W/E CO. AT 012030H, B CO
WAS IN PSN WITH E CO IN VIC YD 258625 AND EN ARTY
FIRE HAD CEASED. BLT 2/4 (-) REINF, HAD REDUCED EN FIE TO
SPORADIC LEVEL AT THIS TIME AND BEGAN EVACUATING CAS TO
2/4 CP LOCATION VIA OTTER AND SKIMMER BOAT. BY 012110H, ALL
EN FIRE HAD BEEN NEUTRALIZED AND ALL UNITS WERE IN NIGHT
DEF PSNS. ALL OTHER UNITS CONDUCTED ROUTINE NIGHT
ACTS EMPLOYING LP'S AMBS, AND NIGHT PTLS.

B. C4, D15, 16, J11, AA6

3. CONTACTS:

A. RES OF TODAY'S ACTION: 8 KIA, 39 WIA MED, 7 IWC
INCLUDING 2 CHICOM GREN LAUNCHERS, 2 LMG AND 1 75MM.
RR. RES ARE INCOMPLETE AT THIS TIME AND
NVA KIA ARE UNK. SINCE HVY FIGHTING
CONTD INTO DARKNESS AND 2/4 REMAINS IN
CONTACT.

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B. AT 012200H G/2/4 OBS'D 1 NVA PROBING LINE IN VIC YD 256628. FIRED SA AND M-79 AT EN. RES 1 NVA KIA
 C. AT 012301H CAMP KISTLER RECD 50-55 RND'S OF HVY ARTY. BULK FUEL LINE BROKEN, 1 TROPICAL HIT HIT AND BURNED. TOWER OBSERVED AZM OF 5605 MILS AND 5655 MILS, COUNTER BTRY FIRE W/UNK RES. RES 3 USN WIA MED, 1 USN MINOR. NOT CARRIED ON CUM TOTALS.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 011830 H&G /2/4 CAPTURED 1 EN RADIO IN VIC YD 257637 WHILE CLEARING BATTLE FIELD. FORWARD RADIO TO BLT 2/4 S-2. WILL EXAMINE RADIO TO DET TYPE AND FORWARD FREQ'S ORT ONCE INFO HAS BEEN EVALUATED.

B. AT 012245H ELEMENTS OF B/1ST AMTRAC BN OBSERVED 10 TO 15 NVA WITH NIGHT OBSERVATION DEVICE IN VIC YD 293694 AND YD 314702. FIRED LVTH-6 MSN W/UNK RES.

5. PLANS:

A. BLT 2/4 AND 1/3 TO DEFEND CURRENT PSNS. 1ST AMTRAC BN, 1/3 AND 3D BN 21ST INF, 196 BDE TO CONTINUE TO CONDUCT NIGHT AMBS, PLTS AND LP'S.

B. C4, D4, J5, L1, AA3, CC3.

6. CUM LOSSES:

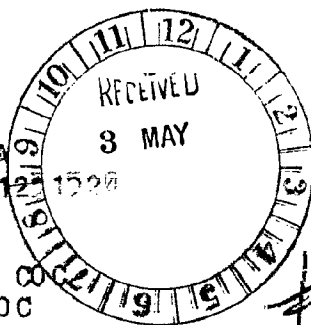
FR: 211 KIA, 1011 WIA MED, 262 WIA MINOR.

EN: 1301 NVA KIA, 44 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 262 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 266 INC, 132 CSWC.

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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 252 FM 02001H TO 020600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED CURRENT POSITIONS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS AND LP'S

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 020430H

12/1¹ REPORTED ENEMY PROBING ALL ALONG PERIMETER IN SMALL GROUPS IN VIC YD 261632. CAPTURED 2 ENEMY WEARING BLACK PJ'S AND CARRYING AK50'S. TOOK GROUPS UNDER S/A THROUGHOUT NIGHT. RESULTS: 2 NVA POW, 2 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 020230H BLT 2/4 REPORTED RIVER PATROL BOAT OBSERVED 20 FIGURES IN BLACK PJ'S WITH WEAPONS IN VIC YD 267627. INITIATED FIRE WITH S/A AND M-79, RESULTS UNK.

B. AT 020442H BLT 2/4 REPORTED RIVER PATROL BOAT DETECTED 5 TP 10 OBJECTS ALONG RIVER BANK IN VIC YD 265627 THAT APPEARED TO BE MINES. RIVER PATROL BOAT OBSERVED ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS GROUPS

OF ENEMY IN BLACK PJ'S. TOOK UNDER FIRE WITH M-79, ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. WILL CONTINUE TO KEEP AREA UNDER

5. PLANS: E AND G/2/4 WILL COMMENCE ATTACK ON DAI DU YD 274029 AT FIRST LIGHT. H/2/4 WILL SWEEP WEST BANK OF CUA VIET RIVER.

F/2/4 WILL REMAIN AT BRIDGE SITE YD 262633 TO PROTECT RIGHT FLANK AND

B/1/3 WILL REMAIN AT YD 257624 AS BN RESERVE, 3D BN, 21ST INF 196 LIGHT INF BDE WILL CONDUCT SEARCH AND DESTROY MISSION IN LAM XUAM/NHI HI AREA. C3/1/3 REMAINS ON SOUTH BANK OF BO DIEU.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: 211 KIA, 1011 WIA (EVAC), 262 WIA (MINOR).

EN: 1301 NVA KIA, 46 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 264 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 263 IWC, 102 CSNC

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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 253 FM 020601-021200H MAY 68

1. LOC:

E/3/21 AND CP YD 285670 E/2/4 YD 253628
 3/21 YD 291686 G/2/4 YD 254630
 1/21 YD 274693 A3/1/3 YD 305654
 1/21 YD 282687
 0/3/21 YD 287675

2. SUM:

E/2/4 MOVED UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS AND JOINED UP W/G/2/4 ON
 SOUTHERN EDGE OF VILLE OF DAI DO, YD 254629. AT FIRST LIGHT THEY
 COMMENCED ATTACK ON VILLE. THEY MADE CONTACT IMMEDIATELY AND CAME
 UNDER HVY SA, AW AND RR FIRE. AT FIRST LIGHT H/2/4
 SWEEP THE WEST BANK OF RIVER IN AREA OF LAST NIGHT'S EN MOVEMENT.
 7/2/1 MAINTAINED POSN AT YD 262623 TO SECURE THE RIGHT FLANK. 3/1/1
 REMAINED AT YD 257624 BATTALION RESERVE ALONG W/2/4 CP. AT
 0500H, H/2/4 COMPLETED SWEEP AFTER FINDING SEVERAL MINES AND A LARGE
 QUANTITY OF TNT. BY 1100H, G&E/2/4 WERE 75 PCT THROUGH THE VILLE
 IN SPITE OF HVY RESISTANCE. AT 1130H, H/2/4 BEGAN MOVING THROUGH DAI
 DO CLEANING UP SCATTERED POCKETS OF RESISTANCE BEHIND G&E.

B. AT 020813H, ALL 3/21 UNITS CROSSED THE LOD AND BEGAN S&D MSNS TOTREUGR AND ASSIGNED JONES CREEK. AT 1055H, 3/1 SWE
OBJ 1 LAM XUAN EAST YD 283688. W/NEG CONTACT. 3/21 CONTD TO
MOVE NORTH TOWARD OBJ. 2& 3.

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 02025H, G/2/4 PSN WAS PROBED BY N
NVA VIC YD 256628 FIRED SA AND M79 KILLING 2 NVA. PICKED UP 1 AK47. 5
VERAL

MAGAINZES AND 16 CHICOM GRENS: RES: 2 NVA KIA.

B. BLT 2/4 RPTD 5 KIA, 10 WIA MED, 81 NVA KIA.

SINCE 011200H, AND CAPTURED THE FOLL EQUIP: 4 AK47,

2 SKS, 1 RPG, 2 FIELD TELEPHONE, 4 PAKCS OF ASSORTED DOCUMENTS,

3 EN MAPS. ALL INTSM WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D VAR S2.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 020645H, 3/1/3 VIC YD 258624 CAPTURED 1 WOUNDED
NVA AFTER A FIRE FIGHT. THE POW WAS MED TO D-MED. RES:
1 NVA POW.

B. AT 020720H, G/2/4 VIC YD 254628 FND PERSONAL LETTERS
AND DIARIES. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MARINES S2.

C. AT 020910H, 3/21 USA RPTD A SEC EXPLO

IN VIC YD 286639 WHILE FIRING ARTY MSN.

D. REF TO MY SITREP NR 241 PARA 43. SEARCHED AREA AT
FIRST LIGHT AND FND FOOTPRINTS.

5. PLANS: BLT 2/4 WILL CONTINUE TO ATTACK ON THE VILLE OF
JAI DO. 3/21 WILL CONTINUE S&D OPN NORTH ALONG JONES CREEK
TO THE LAM XUAN WEST NHI HA AREA. 1/3 AND 1ST AMTRAC S TO
CONTINUE NORMAL DAY ACTS IN ASSIGNED AO. 2D PLT F/2/4
WILL MOVED FROM MY LOC TO REJOIN F/2/4 AT 262633.

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR: 216 KIA, 1021 WIA MED, 262 WIA MINOR.

EN: 1384 NVA KIA, 47 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW,
265 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 275 IWC, 103 CSWC.

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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR. 255 FM 021801H TO 022400H
MAY 68.

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

B/1ST AMTRAC BN (YO 312723)

B/1/1 (YO 349695)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. AT 1800H BLT 2/4 WAS UNDER HEAVY GROUND ATTACK BY
HOLDING THEIR GROUND. BY 1900H, THE ATTACK HAD SLACKENED
AND AT 1910H, THE ATTACK HAD BEEN REPULSED AND 2/4 WAS NO LONGER
IN CONTACT. 2/4 CONSOLIDATED THEIR POSITIONS AND FORMED TWO
DEFENSIVE PERIMETERS. AT 2045H, B/1/3 WAS PROBED FROM THE
EAST AND 2/4 WAS PROBED FROM THE NORTHWEST. BOTH PROBES WERE
REPULSED. AT 2130H, 2/4 AND B/1/3 WERE NO LONGER IN CONTACT.
ALL OTHER UNTIL DEFENSE REPORT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED
ROUTINE AVBUSHES. FETTERALS AND LP'S B/1/3 WAS RELIEVED
AT C-4 BY B/1ST AMTRAC BN AND MOVED TO CUA VIET FOR THE NIGHT.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

PAGE TWO RUMHVP 19380 C O N F I D E N T I A L

A. 3/21 USA CASUALTIES FOR TODAY'S CONTACT SHOULD READ
8 KIA, 14 WIA EVAC, 3 WIA MINOR, 4 MIA AND 17 NVA KIA.
FROM PREVIOUSLY REPORTED CASUALTIES DROP 5 KIA, 1 WIA EVAC
ADD 4 MIA, 3 WIA MINOR, 19 NVA KIA.

B. AT 022110H, B/1/3 IN VIC YD 262628 RECV'D 3 GRENADES
RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A AND GRENADES, RESULTS: 3 WIA MINOR.

C. THE FOLLOWING TOTALS ARE CASUALTIES FOR BLT 2/4
DURING TODAY'S CONTACT. TOTALS ARE ONLY THOSE KIA'S AND WIA'S
WHO CAME TO BLT 2/4 CP POSITION. MANY WERE TAKEN DIRECTLY TO
THE USS TWO JIMA. HOW MANY IS NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME. 7 KIA,
76 WIA EVAC.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 021625H, B/1/3 CAPTURED 1 WOUNDED
NVA IN A BUNKER VIC YD 254628 WITH DOCUMENTS AND WALLET. THE
POW WAS EVACED TO D-MED. RESULTS 1 NVA PW.

B. AT 021830H AO SOUTHER B OBSV'R 100 NVA IN OPEN VIC YD
253637. MOVING TOWARD BLT 2/4 POSITION. AO WAS HIT BY GROUND FIRE
AND DEPARTED AREA. ANOTHER AO CAME ON STATION BUT DID NOT LOCATE
THE ENEMY.

C. AT 022105H RIVER PATROL CRAFT IN VIC YD 255622 RECV'D
MORTAR FIRE FROM NORTH BANK OF RIVER VIC YD 248629. CRAFT
MOVED DOWN RIVER BUT MORTAR FIRE WAS ADJUSTED ON THE CRAFT.
FIRING CEASED WHEN THE CRAFT REACHED VIC YD 260630. 3RD MAR
NOTIFIED AND ARTY MSN FIRED ON ENEMY. NEG CAS, OR DAMAGE

D. AT 022515H CAMP RIFLES COMMENCED RECEIVING LIGHT
AND MEDIUM ARTY. BY 0230H 12 RND'S HAD BEEN RECEIVED AND RND'S WERE
COMING IN EVERY 5-10 MIN. NO CASUALTIES OR DAMAGE AT THIS TIME.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 223 KIA, 1697 WIA EVAC, 265 WIA MINOR

(USA) 8 KIA, 14 WIA EVAC, 3 WIA MINOR

EN: 1427 NVA KIA, 43 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 265 DET, 2 VIC DEF,
122 INN CIV, 275 INN, 175 CSVC

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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 256 FM 030000H - 030600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:
NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 022300H RIVER PATROL BOAT VIC YD 266534
 OBSV'D 2 FIGURES ENGAGED FIGURES WITH S/A FIRE. RES UNK.
 B. FROM 030001H TO 030105H CAMP KSITLER RECV'D 13 RND
 OF LIGHT TO MEDIUM ARTY. NEG CAS OR DAMAGE. REPORTED.
 C. AT 030028 ARVN'D AT A-1 OBSV'D ESTIMATED NVA BN IN
 OPEN MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH TOWARD 3/21 USA POSITIONS. FIRED
 ARTY MSNS. ARTY STOPPED EN MOVEMENT. AT 030058H A-1
 LOST SIGHT OF EN IN VIC YD 268725.

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D. AT 030155H, H/2/4 VIC YD 251627 RECV'D 6 RPG RND.
 FIRED ON SUSP EN PSN WITH ARTY. GOOD TGT COV BUT UNK RES.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

RR: (USMC) 223 KIA, 1097 WIA EVAC, 265 WIA MINOR
 (USA) 8 KIA, 14 WIA EVAC, 3 WIA MINOR, 4 MIA

EN: 1421 NVA KIA, 48 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 265 DET, 2 CIV DEF
 122 CIV DEF, 275 INC, 103 OSVC

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OO RUMHMA RUMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 1932C 1260316
 FM CCCCC
 C 030316Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MAR DIV COC
 TO RUMHMA/PCV (TOC)
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE NR 237 FM 030601H TO 031200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

G AND D/1/3 ARE MOVING TO 2/4 POSN.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: BLT 2/4 HELD CURRENT POSITIONS.

G/2/4 CONDUCTED SWEEP OF AREA (YD 254628) IMMEDIATE NORTH OF P POSITIONS AND FOUND NUMEROUS NVA KIA. D/1/3 MOVED TO 1/3 POSITION AND 1/3 ASSUMED OPCON OF D/1/3 AT 030845H. EXTENSIVE AIR AND ARTY STRIKES WERE FIRED IN SUPPORT OF BLT 2/4 AND 3/21 USA.

D/1/3 MOVED TO G/1/3 POS AND COMMENCED AMPHIBIOUS CROSSING OF RIVER AT 031211H. 3/21 HELD POSITIONS WHILE EXTENSIVE AIRE STRIKES WERE RUN ON NHI HA AND LAM XUAN WEST. APPROX 031100H 3/21 COMMENCED ATTACK ON NHI HA.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. 43705 OF FIXED WING AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 2/4 AND 3/21 USA DURING 030805H TO 031100H IN GRIDS (YD 246635) (YD 270705). (YD 245634). THE AIR STRIKES WERE CONTROLLED BY 40'S SOUTHERN D AND SOUTHERN K. RESULTS: 2 NVA KBA, 17 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 7 BUNKERS AND 2 FIGHTING HOLES DEST, AND 50 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DESTROYED. RESULTS 2 NVA KBA.

B. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 245 PARA 3A: ADD 1 KIA USA AND 2 NVA KIA TO CUMULATIVE TOTALS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 030700H BLT 2/4 OBSERVED 100 TO 150 NVA IN THE OPEN IN VIC (YD 250632). CALLED ARTY FIRE MISSION. AD AD-

JUSTED ROUNDS, CALLED IN FIXED WING, RESULTS UNKNOWN. INTEND 1/3 SWEEP AREA.

B. -5 030810H BLT 2/4 REPORTED FOLLOWING GEAR CAPTURED IN VIC (YD 254628) AND WILL FORWARD TO 3D MAR S-2. 1 12.7MM RMG, 2 7.62 MM HMG, 1 RPG 7, 7 14MM RECOILLESS GUN ROUNDS. 7 RPG 7 ROUND, 10 RPG 2 ROUNDS, AND 27 60MM ROUNDS. RESULTS 4 CSWC.

C. AT 030830H G/2/4 FOUND 67 NVA BODIES IN VIC (YD 254628) WHILE MAKING SWEEP. RESULTS: 67 NVA KIA.

D. AT 031015H ELEMENTS OF H/2/4 IN VIC (YD 278665) RECEIVED 5 TO 6 ROUNDS OF SNIPER FIRE FROM VIC (YD 278660) ALONG GNE RIVER BANK. RETURNED FIRE WITH LAAN'S AND S/A. KEEPING AREA UNDER OBSERVATION. NEG CAS REPORTED.

E. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 255 PARA 3A: CHANGE THE 4 MIA (USA) TO 4 KIA. BODIES WERE RECOVERED MORNING OF 3 MAY. DELETE 4 MIA AND ADD 4 KIA TO CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

F. AT 030845 1ST AMTRAC BN PASSED OPCON OF D/1/3 TO 1/3.

G. AT 031135H ELEMENTS OF 3/21 USA IN VIC (YD 282705) RECEIVED INCOMING ARTYK FROM SUSPECTED VIC (YD 271712), (YD 269735), AND (YD 270720), COUNTER BATTERY FIRE ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS.

5. PLANS: 1ST AMTRAC BN WILL DEFEND CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONTINUE DAY ACTIVITIES. 3/21 USA WILL CONTINUE OPERATION IN NHI HA AREA. 1/3 WILL CONTINUE AMPHIBIOUS RIVER CROSSING AND PASSAGE THRU 2/4'S LINES TO CONTINUE THE ATTACK ON OBJ B AND C. 2/4 WILL BE EXTRACTED AND RETURN TO REAR POSITIONS, VIC

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6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY, USMC: 223 KIA, 1097 WIA (EVAC), 265 WIA (MINOR)

B. USA: 13 KIA, 14 WIA (EVAC), 3 WIA (MINOR)

C. ENEMY: 1492 NVA KIA, 48 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW
265 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 275 IWC, 107 CSWC.

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OO RUMHMA RUMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 19330 1250317
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 050317Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COG
 TO RUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO RUMWAA/III MAF COG
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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 01258 FM 051201H - 051300H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:
 NO CHANGE EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING:

E, F AND CP BLT 2/4 (YD 238516)

G, H/2/4 (YD 252629)

A 3/1/3 (YD 274628)

C/1/3 (YD 253629)

D/1/3 (YD 261631)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

C & D 1/3 COMPLETED APPROXIMATE CROSSING OF RIVER AND
 PASSAGE OF 2/4'S LINES AT 051515H. 1/3 ASSUMED RESPONSIBILITY
 FOR AT 051515H. AT 1615H, A FREE FIRE ZONE WAS
 ESTABLISHED AND PARALLEL TO CREEK RUNNING FROM

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 YD 237633 TO YD 248621. AT 1720H, C&D 1/3 SECURED QBD C
 AND WERE MOVING ON QBD 3.

A&B 2/21 CAN'T ATTACK ON NH1 HA WITH B/3/21 REMAINING
 IN BLOCKING POSITION TO THE WEST IN LAM XUAN WEST. A TOTAL
 OF 6 AIR STRIKES WERE RUN AS PREP ON NH1 HAS ARTY FIXED
 BETWEEN AIR STRIKES. C/3/21 REMAINED ON RESERVE.
 AFTER C & D/1 COMPLETED PASSAGE OF THEIR LINES 2/4 WITH
 2 BREN E & F COMPANIES AND THE 2/4 CP BY BOAT TO MAI XA THI WEST
 YD 286666. G & H REMAINED UNDER BPCON 1/3 TO POLICE THEIR
 BATTLEFIELD.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 031615H, D/1/3 FBT 1 NVA IN A BUNKER VIC YD 262628.
 RESISTED WHEN TOLD TO COME OUT, THREW GRENADE IN, RES: 1 NVA KIA.
 B. BLT 2/4 REPORTED A PARTIAL COUNT OF 65 NVA KIA FOR THE
 CONTACT ON 02 MAY 68.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. BLT 2/4 REPORTED THAT THE FOLLOWING WEAPONS HAVE BEEN
 CAPTURED IN VIC YD 253623: 2 SKS, 1-12, 7 HMG, 1-8-MM MORTAR.
 RES: 2 IWC AND 2 CSWC
 B. REFER TO MY SITREP NY 257 PARA 4G. THE FOLLOWING
 CASUALTIES WERE SUSTAINED: 10 WIA EVAC, (USA). 2 WIA MINOR (USA)
 C. TOTAL CASUALTIES THUS FAR REPORTED FOR BLT 2/4
 CONTACT DURING PERIOD.

OF 031831H APR TO 031800H, MAY 68 ARE
 25 KIA, 212 WIA(EVAC). ADD 3 KIA AND 22 WIA EVAC.
 TO OUR CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

D. 1/3 CAPTURED 1 NVA PV WHILE SWEEPING THROUGH VILLAGE
 OF DAI DO. THE POW WAS PLACED TO 3RD MARINES S-2. MORE
 INFO TO FOLLOW.

RESULTS: 1 NVA PV.

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 E. AT 031715H, C&D 1/3 FBT 1 NVA IN A BUNKER IN SUPPORT
 OF B/2/4. 1/3 FBT 1 NVA IN A BUNKER IN SUPPORT OF B/2/4. THE P-6
 CRASHED WITH NO APPARENT SURVIVOR AND BURNED IN VIC
 YD 249716. THE P-6 CRASHED TO SEA WITH ANOTHER AIRCRAFT WHICH WAS
 POSSIBLY HIT. INDIAN REPORTED THROUGH ALO CHANNELS.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS EXERCISE CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCT
 NIGHT AMBUSHES. INTERDICT ALO LINES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 226 KIA, 1109 WIA EVAC, 050 KIA MINOR

(USA) 13 KIA, 24 WIA EVAC, 5 WIA MINOR

EN: 122 WIA, 410 WIA, 49 WIA, 50 WIA, 50 WIA, 260 DET, 2 CIV DEF,
 122 INN CIV, 277 IWC, 109 CSWC

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TO RUMHMA RUMWAA
 RE RUMHVP 1934C 1260318
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 03182 MAY 68
 FM THIRD MAR DIV (OC)
 TO RUMHMA/PCV (TOC)
 INFO RUMWAA/111 MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE FM 031801 TO 032400HM YA 68

UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT

1/24 IS LOCATED YD (YD 279600)

3/21 D 3/21 USA (YD 282700)

3/21 USA (YD 268699)

3/21 USMC (YD 248633)

3/21 USMC (YD 250632)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. BLT 2/4 COMPLETED EVACUATION OF CASUALTIES AND EQUIPMENT TO THEIR CP AND G AND H COMPANIES ARRIVED AT BLT 2/4 CP BY 032200H. E AND F/2/4 CONDUCTED ROUTINE NIGHT ACTS. 3/21 USA CONTINUED OPERATIONS IN NHI HA RECEIVED SPORADIC INCOMING ARTY AND MORTAR FIRE IN THE EARLY EVENING AND CONSOLIDATED IN NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITIONS. BY 032048H, 3/21 WAS NO LONGER RECEIVING INCOMING AND WAS CONDUCTING ROUTINE NIGHT ACTS. 1/3 CONTINUED SWEEPING AREA OF BLT 2/4'S CONTACT AND CONSOLIDATED IN NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITIONS. 1ST ANTRAC BN CONDUCTED ROUTINE NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

B. C-6, D-11, K-1, J-9, L-1, X-1, AA-4, CC-3

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. FROM 031720H TO 032048H, WHILE CONTINUING THE ATTACK IN NHI HA 3/21 USA RECEIVED SPORADIC INCOMING RKTS. AND MORTAR FIRE. STRONG RESISTANCE WAS MET AND 2 COUNTER ATTACKS WERE REPELLED. S/A, ARTY, AND 9 AIR STRIKES WERE EMPLOYED AGAINST THE ENEMY RESULTING IN 67 NVA KIA. AND 7 WIA (MINOR) USA. ALL UNITS CONSOLIDATED IN NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AND INCOMING WAS CONSOLIDATED IN NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AND INCOMING WAS LIFTED BY 032048H. RESULTS: 1 KIA USA, 7 WIA (MINOR) USA.

67 NVA KIA.

G. G AND H/2/4 OPERATION WITHIN 1/3 CONTINUED SWEEP IN AREA OF PREVIOUS DAYS ENGAGEMENT. 2/4-REPORTED RECOVERING 40 USMC KIA AND CONFIRMED 27 PREVIOUSLY UNREPORTED NVA KIA. ALL USMC KIA RETURNED TO 2/4 CP FOR ID AND EVACUATION.

RESULTS: 40 USMC KIA, 27 NVA KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 031801H, WHILE LOOKING FOR DOWNED AIRCRAFT IN GRID (YD 2672) AIR CRAFT AO (FELIX 125) SPOTTED INDIVIDUAL SIGNALING FOR PICK-UP. C AND C HELO PICKED UP NVA TRYING TO CHIEU HOI, TAKEN TO 3/21 CP AND FORWARDED TO 3 MAR S-2.

RESULTS: 1 NVA RTNED.

B. AT 021810H, A SQUAD PATROL FROM 1ST AMTRAC BN IN VIC (YD 355600) WAS APPROACHED BY 2 VN CIVILIANS WITH A 1 YEAR OLD SICK BOY. ANOTHER CHILD WAS REPORTED SICK. VILLAGERS STATED THAT A SMALL GIRL DIED OF SAME CAUSES. THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF US INVOLVEMENT. THE 11TH COASTAL GROUP MOE EVACUATED THE CHILDREN TO QUANG TRI POB. ON SIR WILL FOLLOW.

C. AT 032120H, B AND D/3/21 USA REPORTED MOVEMENT AROUND PERIMETER IN VIC (YD 268699). 1 NVA POW WALKED INTO PERIMETER TO CHIEU HOI. NVA CLAIMED TO BE MEMBER OF 12 THEOD 5 TH BN 254TH DIV. AND ABANDONED UNIT TWO DAYS AGO AFTER AIR STRIKE. WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3 MAR S-2 ON 8 DAY.

REPORTS 1 NVA POW.

7. PLANNED AND COMPLETED SECURITY LOGS IN VIC OF 1/3. NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. D-7, J-5, AA-1, CC-2.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. USMC: 266 KIA, 1119 WIA (EVAC), 265 WIA (MINOR)

USA: 14 KIA, 24 WIA (EVAC), 12 WIA (MINOR)

C. ENEMY: 1652 NVA KIA, 49 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 265 DET, 2 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV, 277 IWC, 109 OSWC, 2 NVA REFUGEE

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00 RUMHMA RUMMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 19290 1260302
 ZNY CCCCC
 0 050302Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MAR DIV COC
 TO RUMHMA/PCV (TOC)
 INFO RUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 260 FM 040001H TO 040600H MAY 68.

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
 2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS DEFENDED CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND LP'S.
 3. NEMY CONTACTS: NONE
 4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. AT 040225H B/1ST AMTRAC BN REPORTED 6 TO 7 NVA IN OPEN HEADING NORTH IN VIC (YD 297706). FIRED 4.2MM MISSION AND GROUP MOVED TO VIC (YD 298719). FIRED MISSION ON COORDINATE WITH GOOD TGT COVERAGE, MOVEMENT CEASED.
 - B. AT 040300H RIVER PATROL BOAT REPORTED TO 8 ROUNDS OF UNKNOWN TYPE IMPACTING IN VIC (YD 275643). 1/3 WAS NOTIFIED. RIVER PATROL BOAT WILL KEEP AREA UNDER OBSERVATION. NO CAS. OR DAMAGE REPORTED.
 - C. AT 040455H B/1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 SPOTTED 4 TO 5 NVA IN OPEN IN VIC (YD 304724). FIRED 1 ROUND 90MM BEEHIVE. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.
 - D. AT 040500H RIVER PATROL BOAT REPORTED TAKING 2 UNK TYPE RDS NEAR BOAT IN VIC (YD 270640) FROM NORTHBANK OF RIVER. CONTINUED MISSION, NO CASUALTIES OR DAMAGE REPORTED.
 5. PLANS: BL T 2/4 AND 1ST AMTRAC BN WILL CONDUCT ROUTINE DAY ACTIVITIES EMPLOYING PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S. 3/21 WILL CONTINUE THE ATTACK ON NHI HA WITH C AND D COMPANIES LEADING THE ASSAULT TO THE WEST FROM PRESENT LOCATION WHILE B COMPANY PROVIDES BLOCKING IN LAM QUAN (WEST). A COMPANY ACTS AS RESERVE. 1/3 WILL CONTINUE TO SWEEP THROUGH DAI DU COMPLEX WITH C AND D COMPANIES WHILE B COMPANY REMAINS IN RESERVE.
 6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. USMC: 266 KIA, 1119 WIA (MEDEVAC), 265 WIA (MINOR).
 - USA: 14 KIA, 24 WIA (MEDEVAC), 12 WIA (MINOR).
 - C. ENEMY: 1652 NVA KIA, 49 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 265 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 277 INC, 109 CSWC, 2 NVA RETURNEE.
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00 RUMHMA RUMMWAA
DE RUMHVP 2071C 1280710
ZNY CCCCC
O 070710Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO RUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO RUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 261 FM 040601H - 041200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: NO CHANGE
3. BATTY CONTACTS:

AT 041020H D AND C COMPANIES G/3/21 BEGAN TAKING HEAVY
A/W FIRE FROM VILLAGE OF NHI HA YD 70704. D AND C PULLING
BACK AND CALLING MORE AIR. RES: 1 KIA (USA), 3 WIA EVAC (USA)
3 NVA KIA.

4. SIG EVENTS

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 0400H OP FROM A/3/12 IN VIC YD 232705 OBSV'D
3 FIGURES AND HEARD MOVEMENT TO THE NORTH
OF THE POSITION. LOST SIGHT OF THEM BEFORE CONTACT WAS
MADE. SEARCHED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT AND FOUND THE FOLLOWING:
1 82 MM MORTAR RND, 2 RUCK SAKS, 1 GAS MASK, 3 NVA UNIFORMS
AND 2 DOCENTS.

B. AT 041030H, C/1/3 REPORTED THAT AO OBSVR 'D BUNKERS IN
VIC YD 243637. ARTY MSN FIRED. AO OBSV'D NVA CAMO
AND IN BUNKERS. FIXED WING AIR STRIKES WAS RUN. RES: UNK
UNTIL AREA CAN BE SWEEPED.

C. CO 2/4 KEPT A RUNNING COUNT OF NVA KIA IN HIS NOTEBOOK
HE SENT HIS NOTEBOOK TO 2/4 CP. THE CORRECT TOTAL OF NVA KIA
IS 423. ADD 29 NVA KIA TO OUR CUMULATIVE TOTALS.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 266 KIA, 1119 WIA EVAC, 265 WIA MINOR
(USA) 15 KIA, 24 WIA EVAC, 12 WIA MINOR

EN: 1694 NVA KIA, 49 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 267 DET, 2 NVA RTNEE

122 INN CIV, 277 IWC, 109 CSWC

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 DE RUMHVP 20700 1280709
 ZNY CCCCC
 0 070709Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO RUMHA/PCV TOC
 INFO RUMWAA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 262 FM 041200H - 041800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: NO CHANGE
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 241342H C/1/3 RECV'D 5 RND5 OF INCOMING OF
 UNY TYPE IN VIC YD 240632. RES: 1 KIA, 1 NVA EVAC.

B. AT 241522H ELEMENTS OF B/1/3 IN VIC YD 243630 RECV'D 5 RND5
 INCOMING WOUNDING 4 (USMC) ALL MEN EVACED. RES: 4 WIA EVAC.

C. AT 241738H C/1/3 OBSV'D 1 NVA WITH WEAPON IN LANDING IN
 VIC YD 243635. TOOK UNDER FIRE WITH LAAW. RES: 1 NVA KIA.
 1 SKS RIFLE. WIL FORWARD TO 1/3.

D. (LATE ENTRY) AT 041235H 1 USMC BODY FND BY C/1/3
 IN VIC YD 250632 WAS RETURNED TO 2/4 AND IDENTIFIED. MARINE
 HAD SEVERE GSW WHICH APPARENTLY HAD BEEN TREADTED BY THE
 NVA. HE HAD BEEN BLINDFOLDED. HAD HIS ARMS TIED BEHIND HIS BACK
 AND ALSO HAD A SINGLE BULLET WOUND IN HIS HEAD. MARINE
 NAME IS (BINGHAM) WAS A RADIO OPERATOR. HIS RADIO IS MISSING ALSO
 ANY SHACKLES, FREQS, ETC HE HAD ARE ALSO MISSING. THERE WAS NO
 EVIDENCE, AFTER EXAMINATION AT 2/4 CP, THAT AN ATROCITY HAD
 BEEN COMMITED. HE MAY HAVE NEEM SHOT IF HE BCAME
 A BURDEN AS A POW BUT HE WAS IN NO WAY MUTILATED OR ABUSED.
 EVACED BODY AND REPORTED RADIO GEAR LOSS. RES: 1 KIA USMA:.

E. AT 041200H, C/1/3 REPORTED FIXE D WING AIR STRIKE WAS
 CREDITED WITH 3 KBA. C/1/3 SWEPT ARE IN VIC YD 244655 AND
 FND 1 82MM RECOILESS FIELD GUN, 2 62MM MORTS AND WEAPONS

WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MRINES S2. RES 3 NVA KBA, 3 CSWC
 F. COMPLETE CAS FIGURES FOR TODAY'S 3/21 CONTACT WILL BE
 REPORTED ON NEXT SITREP.

5. PLANS: REMAN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 268 KIA, 1124 WIA EVAC, 265 WIA MINOR

(USA) 15 KIA, 24 WIA EVAC, 12 WIA MINOR

EN: 1683 NVA KIA, 49 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW,
 267 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV. 278 IWC, 112 CSWC

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00 RUMHMA RUMMWAA

DE RUMHVP 2068C 1280707

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FM THIRD MARDIV COC

TO RUMHMA/PCV TOC

INFO RUMMWAA/III MAF COC

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1. UNIT LOCATIONS: UNCHANGED

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 042300H D/1/3 IN VIC YD 246674 RECD'D. CHI COM GRENADE RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A AND 1 GRENADE. RES: 1 WIA MINOR.

EN CASUALTIES UNK. WILL COMMENCE SWEEP AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. 3/21 USA REPORTED THE FOLLOWING RESULTS OF THE CONTACT.

FOR PERIOD OF 041200H TO 041930H. 1 KIA USA, 6 WIA (EVAC)

USA, 5 WIA MINOR USA, 53 NVA KIA, 3 IWC

C. AT 041443H, AD SOUTHER "O" CONTROLLED FIXED WING AIR STRIKE VIC YD 240761 AND YF 234764 1004100: BDA THE FOLLOWING

ITEMS WERE DESTROYED: 6 RAFTS, 6 RKTs ON RAFT, 6 HUTS, 1 LARGE TUNNEL. 25 METERS OF TREC NH LINE, AND 13 BUNKERS

APRIL REVEALED ABOVE KBA OMITTED FROM SITREP. ADD

4 NVA KIA (KBA).

4. SIG EVENTS:

3/21 REPORTED AT 041830H THAT A HELO HAD MECHANICAL TROUBLE AND WENT DOWN IN VIC YD 270703. WHILE ON RESUPPLY MSN TO D CO. NO INJURIES SUSTAINED ALL VITAL EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN REMOVED. THE HELO WILL BE EXTRACTED 5 MAY 68

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 268 KIA, 1124 WIA EVAC, 266 WIA MINOR.

(USA) 16 KIA, 32 WIA EVAC, 17 WIA MINOR

REFUGEES: NONE

EN: 1745 NVA KIA, 49 NVA PW, 57 KIA, 5 VC PW,

267 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 281 IWC, 112 CSWC

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DE DIV WITH NR 456-----456

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 DE RUMHVP 2069C 1280708
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 270708Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO RUMHMA/PCV IOC
 INFO RUMMWAA/III MAF COC

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OPN NAPOLEON / SALINE SITREP NR 264 FM 050001H - 050600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 050348H C AND D 3/21 VIC YD 072705

RECV'D 12-15 RND OF A/W FIRE AND GRENADES.

RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A AND THREW GRENADES. RES: 3 NVA KIA. CAPTURED AK-47

4. SIG EVENTS:

AT 050315H 3D MARINES ASSUMED TACTICAL ALERT

CONDITION III ON ORDER OF 3D MARDIV, DUE TO INCREASE IN EN ACTIVITY.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 268 KIA, 1124 WIA EVAC, 266 WIA INOR

(USA) 16 KIA, 32 WIA EVAC, 17 WIA MINOR

EN: 1748 NVA KIA, 49 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 267 DET, 2 CIV DEF,

122 INN CIV, 282 IWC, 112 CSWC

2 NVA RETURNEES.

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DE DIV AND NR 460

OO RUMHMA RUMMWAA
DE RUMHVP 20800 1281200
ZNY CCCCC
O 071000Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO RUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO RUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 265 FM 050600H - 051200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. FROM 050940H TO 051135H 3/21 WHILE SWEEPING NMI HA
FND 35 NVA KIA, MOST OF WHICH WERE KILLED BY SUPPORTING
FIRES. RES: 35 NVA KIA, 3 IWC.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REFER TO SITREP NR 249 PARA 4B 2 CHILDREN EVACUED
TO QHANG TRI HOSPITAL. SYMPTOMS SIMILAR TO C-4 POSITIONING. US
INVOLVEMENT WAS NOT INDICATED. SIR NOT REQUIRED. REPORT
THAT ONE CHILD DIED WAS ERRONEOUS.

B. AT 050800H C/1/3 FND VILLAGE AT YD 240636 WITH LARGE
AMOUNT OF CONCERTINA AND SINGLE STRAND WIRE FOR DEFENSIVE
POSITIONS. DESTROYED AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.

C. AT 050905H, D/1/3 REPORTED VIETNAMESES MALE CIV APPROACHED
THERI LINES YD 275671 WITH REPORT OF VC KILLING
HIS WIFE. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MARINES S-2 FOR FURTHER
QUESTIONING.

E. AT 051045H A/1/3 REPORTED VILLAGER FROM OBJ 6
YD 245651 REPORTED THAT AN NVA BN WITH ALL OF ITS ORGANIC
WPNS ARE IN THE VILLAGE.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 268 KIA, 1124 WIA EVAC, 266 WIA MINOR.

(USA) 16 KIA, 32 WIA EVAC, 17 WIA MINOR.

EN: 1783 NVA KIA, 49 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 265 DET,
2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 285 IWC, 112 CSWC, 2 NVA RTNEE.

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DE RUMHVP 2081C 1281201
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 071001Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO RUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO RUMWAA/III MAF COC

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP R 266 FM 051201H - 051802H DAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

A CO 1ST AMTRC BN (YD 341694)

B CO 1ST AMTRC BN (YD 313723)

F, G, H, AND CP BLT 2/4 (YD 280666)

E/2/4 (YD 259625)

CP: E/2/2 (YD 259625)

A: 0/2/2 (YD 259625)

B/3/2 (YD 280666)

D/3/2 (YD 280666)

B/1/3 AND CMD GRP (YD 246641)

A/1/3 (YD 292643), W/A/3/1/3 (YD 274628)

C/1/3 (YD 247643)

D/1/3 (YD 245644)

I, M/3/4 (YD 248634)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

1ST AMTRAC BN CONDUCTED ROUTINE DAY ACTIVITIES. 3/21

CON'T OPERATION IN NHU HA SWEEPING AND CLEARING

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BATTLE AREA MEETING NO RESISTANCE. E/2/4 CONDUCTED RETRIEVAL OPERATIONS IN DAI DO AREA WHILE 2/4(-) STOOD BY IN AN ALERT CONDITION. AT 1250H, 1/3 REC'D - MAJOR COUNTER ATTACK ON OBJ 4 (YD 248648). CLOSE AIR SUPPORT WAS AND HVT ARTY MSNS WERE FIRED ON THE ENEMY. THE ATTACK WAS REPELLED BY 2 AND COMPANY REMAINED IN CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY ON OBJ E. C COMPANY MANEUVERED TO THE EAST TO FLANK OF THE ENEMY. B CO WAS COMMITTED TO COVER C CO AS THEY MANEUVERED. 2 COMPANIES WERE REQUESTED FROM 3D MARDIV TO COVER EXPOSED 2000 METER GAP ON LEFT FLANK DUE TO 2ND ARVN REGT MAJOR CONTACT TO THE SOUTHWEST. AT 1530H MAND B/3/4 WERE HELD LIFTED TO (YD 258634) AND MOVED TO REINF 1/3. AT 1800H CONTACT WAS BROKEN AND 1/3 (REIN) WAS CONSOLIDATING IN NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITIONS, FR AND ENEMY CASUALTIES FIGURE NOT COMPETE AT THIS TIME. WILL SUBMIT NEXT SITREP.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

051620H AND AT 051702H, CAMP KISTLER

REC'D A TOTAL OF 14 RNDs AND 2 DUDs OF LIGHT TO MEDIUM ARTY FROM UNK DIRECTION. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES ON SUSPECT ENEMY ARTY POSITIONS. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES ON SUSPECT ENEMY POSITIONS. RS: 5 WIA, EVAC, 6 WIA MINOR AND EXTENSIVE DAMAGE TO A COMM SUPPLY TENT. 1 HUT DESTROYED AND 1 LVT DAMAGED.

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4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 263 PARA 4, AT 051530H THE HELD WAS FLOWN OUT.

B. AT 051400H, 1ST AMTRAC BN ASSUMED OPCON OF 3 TANKS 5 ONIOS, AND 11 LVT'S BELONGING TO BLT (3/1)

C. AT 051530H, 3RD MARINES ASSUMED OPCON OF I AND M/3/4 FROM THIRD MARDIV AND PASSED OPCON TO 1/3.

D. AT 051721H, E/2/4 REPORTED FINDING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS: IN THE VIC YD 254629): 1 SIGHT AND BARREL FOR A 12.7 MM GUN, 3 AK-47'S AND 1 ENEMY RADIO, RESULTS: 3 IWC, ALL ITEMS WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL DEFEND PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NORMAL NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

6. CASUALTY REPORTS:

(USMC) 258 KIA, 1129 WIA EVAC, 272 WIA MINOR

(USAF) 18 KIA, 32 WIA EVAC, 17 WIA MINOR.

EN: 1783 NVA KIA, 49 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 267 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 2 NVA RTNNEE.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

PERISHABLE INFORMATION: DU NO SERVICE
 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 267 FM 051801H TO 052400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS NO CHANGE EXCEPT

1/3 YD. CAMP WITH B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z, AA, AB, AC, AD, AE, AF, AG, AH, AI, AJ, AK, AL, AM, AN, AO, AP, AQ, AR, AS, AT, AU, AV, AW, AX, AY, AZ, BA, BB, BC, BD, BE, BF, BG, BH, BI, BJ, BK, BL, BM, BN, BO, BP, BQ, BR, BS, BT, BU, BV, BW, BX, BY, BZ, CA, CB, CC, CD, CE, CF, CG, CH, CI, CJ, CK, CL, CM, CN, CO, CP, CQ, CR, CS, CT, CU, CV, CW, CX, CY, CZ, DA, DB, DC, DD, DE, DF, DG, DH, DI, DJ, DK, DL, DM, DN, DO, DP, DQ, DR, DS, DT, DU, DV, DW, DX, DY, DZ, EA, EB, EC, ED, EE, EF, EG, EH, EI, EJ, EK, EL, EM, EN, EO, EP, EQ, ER, ES, ET, EU, EV, EW, EX, EY, EZ, FA, FB, FC, FD, FE, FF, FG, FH, FI, FJ, FK, FL, FM, FN, FO, FP, FQ, FR, FS, FT, FU, FV, FW, FX, FY, FZ, GA, GB, GC, GD, GE, GF, GG, GH, GI, GJ, GK, GL, GM, GN, GO, GP, GQ, GR, GS, GT, GU, GV, GW, GX, GY, GZ, HA, HB, HC, HD, HE, HF, HG, HH, HI, HJ, HK, HL, HM, HN, HO, HP, HQ, HR, HS, HT, HU, HV, HW, HX, HY, HZ, IA, IB, IC, ID, IE, IF, IG, IH, II, IJ, IK, IL, IM, IN, IO, IP, IQ, IR, IS, IT, IU, IV, IW, IX, IY, IZ, JA, JB, JC, JD, JE, JF, JG, JH, JI, JJ, JK, JL, JM, JN, JO, JP, JQ, JR, JS, JT, JU, JV, JW, JX, JY, JZ, KA, KB, KC, KD, KE, KF, KG, KH, KI, KJ, KK, KL, KM, KN, KO, KP, KQ, KR, KS, KT, KU, KV, KW, KX, KY, KZ, LA, LB, LC, LD, LE, LF, LG, LH, LI, LJ, LK, LL, LM, LN, LO, LP, LQ, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, LW, LX, LY, LZ, MA, MB, MC, MD, ME, MF, MG, MH, MI, MJ, MK, ML, MM, MN, MO, MP, MQ, MR, MS, MT, MU, MV, MW, MX, MY, MZ, NA, NB, NC, ND, NE, NF, NG, NH, NI, NJ, NK, NL, NM, NN, NO, NP, NQ, NR, NS, NT, NU, NV, NW, NX, NY, NZ, OA, OB, OC, OD, OE, OF, OG, OH, OI, OJ, OK, OL, OM, ON, OO, OP, OQ, OR, OS, OT, OU, OV, OW, OX, OY, OZ, PA, PB, PC, PD, PE, PF, PG, PH, PI, PJ, PK, PL, PM, PN, PO, PP, PQ, PR, PS, PT, PU, PV, PW, PX, PY, PZ, QA, QB, QC, QD, QE, QF, QG, QH, QI, QJ, QK, QL, QM, QN, QO, QP, QQ, QR, QS, QT, QU, QV, QW, QX, QY, QZ, RA, RB, RC, RD, RE, RF, RG, RH, RI, RJ, RK, RL, RM, RN, RO, RP, RQ, RR, RS, RT, RU, RV, RW, RX, RY, RZ, SA, SB, SC, SD, SE, SF, SG, SH, SI, SJ, SK, 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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED
 NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. C7, D7, J5, K1, AA1.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. FROM 051000H TO 051820H IN HAMLETS IN VIC (YD 249694)
 (YD243651), (YD239657) AND (YD2566:6), 1/3'S CONTACTS RESULTED
 IN FOLLOWING CASUALTIES AND NVA KIA'S, FRIENDLY. 12 KIA (INCLUDING
 1 BNR). 64 WIA (MEDEVAC), 26 WIA (MINOR). ENEMY 151 NVA KIA

B. REFER TO SITREP NR 261 PARA 3A AND 264 PARA 3: DELETE
 6 NVA KIA'S DUE TO DUPLICATION OF ENTRYIES.

C. REFER TO SITREP NR 265 PARA 3A FURTHER SEARCH OF AREA
 REVEALED FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL NVA KIA AND IWAC: 9 NVA KIA,
 81WC ADD TO CUMULATIVE TOTALS

D. FROM 041903H TO 051729H: AIRSTRIKES FLOWN IN SUPPORT OF
 1/3 AND 3/21 USA IN COORDINATES (YD270705). (YD247656, (YD2486:8).
 AND (YD244651) RESULTED IN 7 STRUCTURES DESTROYED AND 55 NVA KIA
 35 KIA'S WERE PICKED UP ON SITREP NR 265 PARA 3A: RESULTS
 ADD 20 NVA KIA ALL RESULTED FROM SUPPORTING ARMS.

E. AT 051500H IN VIC (YD 242645) NVA SHOT DOWN A CH-46
 HELICOPTER WHICH WAS IN PROCESS OF LANDING IN AND 1/3/4 AT
 1/3 POSITION 3 PERSONNEL FROM 3/4 WERE WOUNDED AND MEDEVACED
 AND INCLUDED IN TOTALS OF PARA 3A OF THIS SITREP HELOS PROVIDED
 OUTSTANDING SUPPORT UNDER HEAVY AND INTENSE ENEMY FIRE. TWO
 EXTRAORDINARY RESCUES WERE REPORTED, WHICH WILL BE SUBJECT OF
 SEPARATE CORRESPONDENCE.

F. AT 052110H CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED 12 ROUNDS OF 85 TO 100MM
 ARTY CAUSING DAMAGE TO 2 HUTS AND WOUNDED 2 NSAD PERSONNEL.
 AZMUTHS OF 5800 MILS TAKEN FROM C-4 AND 5613 MILS FROM CAMP
 KISTLER TOWER ON SUSPECTED ENEMY FIRING POSITION, CONTER BATTER
 MISSION FIRED ON SUSPECTED POSITON WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS:
 RESULTS 2 WIA (MINOR) NOT CARRIED ON CUMULATIVE TOTALS.

J. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

A. AT 051925H A SWEEP TEAM FROM TF CLEARWATER FOUND THE
 FOLLOWING ENEMY ORDNANCE IN VIC (YD256625). 1 B-40 LAUNCHER
 WITH 2 B-40 ROUNDS AND 2 IMPULSE MINES RETURNED OVER TO EOD. RESULTS:

1 CSWC

B. AT 052100H, ELEMENTS OF BLT2/4 COMPLETED SWEEP IN VIC (YD254628) RECOVERING THE FOLLOWING LIST OF ENEMY EQUIPMENT
 16 B-40 ROUNDS 31 RPG2 ROUNDS, 9 RPG7 GOUNDS, 5 82MM ROUNDS.
 60MM ROUNDS, 7 AT MINES 3 APMINES 1 CLAYMORE, 63 CHICOM GREN
 16 PONCHOS, AND 150 LBS OF RICE. WILL BE FORWARDED TO BLT2/4 S-2.
 C. AT 052133H PPS-5 RADAR AT C-4 SPOTTED 17. NVA MOVING SOUTH IN VIC (YD293703). FIRED 10 60MM ROUNDS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL DEFEND PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NORMAL NIGHT PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND LP'S IN ASSIGNED OA.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

(1) DIA	USMC	USA
	278	16
(2) WIA MEDEVAC	1196	32
(3) WIA MINOR	396	17
(4) BMIA		

X. REFUGGES NONE

C. ENEMY

(1) 122 INW CIV 2 NVA RETURDEE

(2) 49 NVA POW

(3) 57 VC KIA

(4) 5 VC POW

(5) 267 DET

(7) 122 INW CIV 2 NVA RETURDEE

(8) 296 IWC, 113 CSWC

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C O N F I D E N T I A L
UPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 268 FM 060001-060600H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 060150H LP FM C/3/21 USA SPOTTED 2NVA MOVING TOWARD THEIR PSN IN VIC YD 263704 ARMED W/AK-47'S. LP WAITED UNTIL NVA WERE 15 TO 20 METERS AWAY AND FIRED M-79 CANNISTER KILLING 1 NVA. SMALL FIRE FITE BROKE OUT AND LP RETD TO FR LINES. WILL CHECK OUT AREA AT FIRST LIGHT. RES: 1 NVA KIA.

B. AT 060249H CAMP KISILEK REC'D APPROX 12 TO 15 ARTY RDS, SOME DELAY FUZE. FIRED COUNTEN BTRY FINES ON EN GUN FLASHES IN GRIDS YD 2280, YD 2381, YD 2282, YD 2382, YD 2383, AND YD 2179. RES: 2 WIA MINOR.

C. AT 060330H, C/3/21 USA LP HARD MOVEMENT IN VIC YD 264720. ILLUM MSN WAS REQ'D AND APPROX 70 NVA WERE SPID. ARTY MSNS WAS FIRED ON THE EN AND ALL NIGHT ACTIVITIES WERE WITHDRAWN BY A AND C COMPANIES. AT 060410H, A AND C CO'S WERE RECEIVING SAF, 60MM MORT RDS, AND CHICOM GREENS LAUNCHER FIRE. ARTY FIRES WERE DIRECTED ON EN. EN ATTACKED AND A AND C CO'S REPELLED THE EN W/SAF AND ARTY FIRE. AT 060550H CONTACT WAS BROKEN. RES: 3 NVA KIA. FURTHER CHECK AT 060550H CONTACT WAS BROKEN. RES: 3 NVA KIA. FURTHER CHECK OF AREA WILL BE MADE AT FIRST LIGHT.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 260500H BLT 2/4 RPTD RECEIVING APPROX 4 INCOMING RDS IN VIC YD 281662 DET LATER TO BE FR TPQ. 3D MAR 14 CHECKED W/3D MARDIV 14C COORDINATES PASSES FROM FSCC TO DASC. WERE COPIED PROPERLY, BUT ON PASSAGE FM DASC TO ASRT, WERE READ AS YD 287659 VIC YD 247659. RES: 1 NBC MINOR

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES

1/3 REINF WILL CONTINUE THE ATTACK TO THE NORTH FM PRESENT LOC. 2/4 WILL OCCUPY PRESENT PSNS, CONDUCT ROUTING ACTIVITIES AND REMAIN IN AN ALERT POSTURE. C/3/21 USA WILL SWEEP AREA OF LAST NIGHT'S CONTACT W/PLT ATTEMPTING TO REGAIN CONTACT W/THE EN. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL CONDUCT ROUTINE PTLS, AMBS, AND OPS.

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 16 USA, 278 USMC
32 WIA MED USA, 1196 WIA USMC
17 WIA MINR USA, 300 USMC WIA MINOR
ENEMY

1961 NVA KIA, 49 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 267 DET,
122 INN CIV, 296 IWC, 113 CSWC.

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 OPERATION NAPOLEON/DALINE SITREP NR 269 FM 060601H TO 061200H
 MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

2/1/3 (YD 248668)

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: 1/3 MOVED OUT IN ATTACK AT 060946H.
 AT 1024H, 1/3 SECURED OBJ 4 (YD 247647). AT 1115H, 1/3 MOVED
 OUT TOWARD OBJ 6. AT 1206H, 1/3 WAS HALF WAY THROUGH OBJ 6
 (YD244651) WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT. 3/21 MAINTAINED POSITIONS
 AND CONDUCTED DAYTIME ACTIVITIES INCLUDING A COMPANY (-)
 PATROL SOUTHEAST TO VILLE OF MY LOC (YD 305679). 2/4 AND
 3/21 AMTRAC CONDUCTED NORMAL PATROLS, AMBUSHES AND OP'S IN
 ASSIGNED AO'S.

2. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 062700H, A & C 3/21 VIC (YD268705) CHECKING AREA
 LAST NIGHTS PROBES ON PERIMETER. THEY ENGAGED A UNK
 NUMBER OF NVA, KILLED 18 NVA AND PICKED UP 11 AK-47, 3 LMG,
 INSTRUCTIONS BOOKLET, ROSTER AND REPORTS BELIEVED TO BE A 1ST
 REGT MONTHLY REPORT. ALL ITEMS WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES
 S-2. RESULTS: 18 NVA KIA, 11 IWC, AND 5 CSWC. 1 WIA (MEDEVAC).

3. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

AT 061024H, 1/3 SECURED OBJ 4 VIC (YD247647) AND
 RECOVERED 6 USMC KIA. 1 PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AS BNR ON MY
 SITREP NR 267 PARA 3A. 5 ADDITIONAL FOR 1/3 DURING 05
 MAY 68 CONTACT. RESULTS ADD 5 KIA TO CUMULATIVE LOSSES.
 REFER TO MY SITREP NR 268 PARA 3A. REVISED COUNT OF
 75-92 ARMY PDS RECEIVED.
 REFER TO MY SITREP NR 255 PARA 3A. THE 1 WIA (MEDEVAC)
 WAS ERRONEOUSLY DELETED. ADD 1 WIA (MEDEVAC) TO CUMULATIVE
 LOSSES. READJUSTMENT BY 1/21 S-1 INDICATES AN ADDITIONAL 16 WIA
 MINOR. RES: ADD 16 WIA MINOR TO CUMULATIVE TOTALS
 PLANS: 1/3 (-) (REIN) WILL CONTINUE ATTACK ON OBJ 6 VIC
 (YD244651), UPON SECURING IT, HOLD UNTIL FURTHER ORDERS, 1ST
 AMTRAC BN, 3/21, BLT 2/4 WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT
 PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

5. FRIENDLY:

USA	USMC
16 KIA	283 KIA
14 WIA (MEDEVAC)	1196 WIA (MEDEVAC)
13 WIA (MINOR)	300 WIA (MINOR)
0 NIA	0 MIA

6. ENEMY:

1959 NVA KIA
49 NVA POW
5 VC KIA
5 VC POW
267 DET
0 CIV DEF
122 INN CIV
307 IWC, 118 CSWC.

GP-4
BT

00 RUMHMA RUMWAA
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 270 FR 061201H-061201H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT

B/1/3 (YD 241636)

B/1/3 (YD 241636)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: 270 CONTINUED TO BE TO THE
3. THE EARLY AFTERNOON, AT 061300H THE OB. WAS SECURE.
D COMPANY OCCUPIED OBJ 4 WHILE B/1/3 AND N AID 2 37A REMAINED
IN POSITION. AT 061340H A/6/21 USA, SWEEPING TO VIC (YD256714),
MADE INITIAL CONTACT WITH NVA SNIPERS. AT 061350H A COMPANY
WAS IN HEAVY CONTACT WITH AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE RECEIVING
SPORADIC ENEMY ARTY AND MORTAR FIRE AS WELL AS HEAVY S/A FIRE.
2 AIR STRIKES WERE RUN ON ENEMY POSITIONS IN VIC (YD257714)
AND WP ARTY FIRE WAS UTILIZED TO SCREEN WHILE A COMPANY
DISENGAGED. AT 061700H CONTACT WAS BROKEN AND AT 061728H
A COMPANY WAS BACK IN POSITION WITH C COMPANY. ALL OTHER
UNITS CONDUCTED ROUTINE DAY ACTIVITIES EMPLOYING PATROLS,
AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACT:

A. AT 061214H CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED 70 TO 76 ROUNDS, 152 MM
AND POSSIBLE 130MM ARTY, DESTROYING 2 HUTS.
2 HUTS DAMAGED, 1 AMTRAC AND 1 TANK SLIGHTLY DAMAGED,
SLIGHT DAMAGE TO 1 TCS-15, AND 1 KIA, 15 WIA. RESULTS: 1 KIA,
11 WIA (MEDEVAC), 4 WIA (MINOR).

B. 3/21 USA REPORTED THE FOLLOWING RESULTS OF THE CONTACTS
FOR THE PERIOD OF 061200H TO 061800H: 5 KIA, 10 WIA (MEDEVAC),
9 WIA (MINOR), AND 10 MIA. ENEMY LOSSES: 62 NVA KIA
(47 BY INF, 10 BY ARTY, 5 BY AIR).

C. AT 061110H WHILE COLLECTING ENEMY EQUIPMENT AND
ORDNANCE IN THE VIC (YD249648), AN 82MM ROUND EXPLODED
WOUNDING A D/1/3 MARINE. RESULTS: 1 WIA (MEDEVAC)

D. CO, 2/4 REPORT THAT ALL EVACUATED UNIT LEADERS
INCLUDING THEIR FORMER CO'S OF 2/4, G/2/4 AND F/2/4 HAVE BEEN
DEBRIEFED ABOARD SHIP. RESULTS OF THIS DEBRIEF REVEAL A GAP
IN THE PROCESS OF VERIFYING ENEMY CASUALTIES WHICH OCCURRED
WHEN SEVERAL UNIT LEADERS WERE EVACUATED WITHOUT TURNING
THEIR RESULTS INN TO THE BATTALION COMMANDER. CO, G/2/4
HAD RECORDS INDICATING 89 NVA KIA THROUGH THE LAST ASSUALT
AFTER WHICH HE WAS EVACUATED. FORMER CO, F/2/4 HAD NOTES
ACCOUNTING FOR 25 NVA KIA PRIOR TO HIS LEAVING THE BATTLE.
BASED ON THIS INFORMATION AND AFTER CONFERRING WITH THE
FORMER CO, 2/4, THE PRESENT CO CLAIMS AN ADDITIONAL 114 NVA
KIA DURING 2/4 CONTACT ON 2 MAY 68, 114 NVA KIA CONFIRMED
ADDED TO TOTALS.

A. AT 061140H B/1/5 AMTRAC BN FOUND ESTIMATED 50 LBS PRESSURE TYPE MINE BURIED 4 INCHES DEEP IN VIC (YD308738). BLOWN IN PLACE.

B. AT 061300H D/2/4 RECOVERED THE FOLLOWING ENEMY EQUIPMENT IN VIC (YD254628) 9 AK-47'S, 5 RPG MG, 1 7.62 LMG, AND 4 BARRELS FOR 7.62 MG: RESULTS: 9 IWC, 6 CSWC

C. AT 061700H BLT 2/4 IN VIC (YD283669) PAID VIETNAMESE CHILD \$1,000.00 PIASTER REWARD FOR TURNING A US M-14 RIFLE AND PAID A VIETNAMESE MALE \$530.00 PIASTER FOR TURNING IN 6 RIFLE GRENADES AND 2 M-26 GRENADES. RESULTS: 1 ISC,

D. AT 061715H 3D MAR ASSUMED OPCON OF 1ST BN 5TH CAV, 1ST AIR CAV DIV.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL DEFEND CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S IN ASSIGNED AO'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA 21 KIA

44 WIA (MEDEVAC)

44 WIA (MINOR)

10 MIA

USMC 824 KIA

1208 WIA (MEDEVAC)

304 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. ENEMY:

2155 NVA KIA

49 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

3 VC POW

267 DET

3 CIV DET

122 INN CIV

317 IWC, 124 CSWC

GP-4

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 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 271 FM 061700H - 062400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. SIG EVENTS:

AT 061700H A SQD AMBUSH WAS SET IN VIC YD 243651. 10-15 NVA MOVING IN WERE OBSERVED. 1000 ENEMY UNDER FIRE WITH S/A, M-16, AND 4.2 MORTAR RND. AMBUSH OBSVD 20-40 NVA CONT TO FIRE 4.2 MORTAR RND. AND S/A FIRE. ENEMY ATTEMPTED TO MOVE IN ON THE AMBUSH. REACTION FORCE MOVED TO NORTH BACK OF RIVER ON STANBY. AN ASSAULT CONTACT WAS BROKEN. RES: 6 NVA KIA, NEG DE CAS REPORT.

4. SIG EVENTS.

A. AT 061950H A SQD PATROL FROM A/1ST AMTRAC BN OBSVD

2-12 NVA DIGGING IN ALONG TREELINE IN VIC YD 232705.

PERED 4.2 MORTAR MSN WITH GOOD TGT COV BEFORE LOSING SIGHT OF THEM. WILL SEARCH AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. AT 062040H C/1/3 COMPLETED SWEEP OF OBJ IN VIC

YD 243651 AND FND 22 NVA KIA BY ARTY AND AIR. 2 NVA

POW FND IN BUNKER. 40 RPG RND, 83-60MM MORTAR RND, 20 CHI COM

GRENADES, 6,000 RND OF 12.7 MG. AND 18-82MM MORTAR RND, 12-82 MM

RECOILESS GUN RND, 600 RND OF OR AK-47, 15 AT MINES, 10 GAS MASKS,

1 AP MINE, 1 CHI COM RADIO, 29 IVC AND 7 CSWC. RES: 22 NVA KIA, 2 NVA P

29 IVC, 7 CSWC. POW'S AND WEAPONS WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2.

C. AT 062045H B/1/3 CAPTURED 1 NVA POW WHILE SWEEPING

IN VIC YD 248648 AND FND THE FOLLOWING NVA EQUIP.

34 IVC, 5 CSWC, 59 CHI COM GRENADES, 200 RPG RND, 100-50MM MORTAR RND, 6 CLAYMORE MINES, 1 AT MINE, AND 722 GEAR.

A CONCENTRATED SEARCH WOULD TURN UP MORE EQUIPMENT BECAUSE

IT IS BURIED UNDER BUNKERS. THE POW WAS EVACED TO D-MED.

WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2.

RES: 1 NVA POW, 34 IVC, 5 CSWC.

D. AT 062135 H A PPS-5 AND VOD AT 5-4 DETECTED 20 NVA IN VIC YD 290718 MOVING SOUTH. FIRED 60MM MORTAR AND 4.2 MORTAR MSNS. RES UNK.

E. AT 062125 H, B/1ST AMTRAC BN OBSV'D. 10-12 NVA MOVING SOUTH IN VIC YD 297708. FIRED 60MM MSN WITH GOOD TGT COV NVA FLED TO THE SOUTHWEST.

F. AT 062208 H, PF UNIT VIC YD 340678 MADE CONTACT WITH EST PLAT OF VC. AFTER A BRIEF FIRE FIGHT THE VC BROKE CONTACT AND FLED TO THE SOUTHWEST. 1ST AMTRAC BN AMBUSH WAS ALERTED AND SIGHTED VC RETREATING TO THE WEST. JUNK FLEET SENT BLOCKING FORCE TO YF 326670. RES UNK.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: 284 KIA, 1208 WIA EVAC, 374 WIA MINOR

(USA) 21 KIA, 44 WIA EVAC, 42 WIA MINOR, 10 MIA

EN: 2183 NVA KIA, 52 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC PW, 267 DET, 122 INN CIV, 380 IWC, 136 CSWC

GP-4

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 ZNY CCCCC
 0 091830Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 272 062401H-070600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS DEFENDED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:
 - A. AT 070100H C/1/3 VIC (YD 244651) RECEIVED 20 RDS OF S/A FIRED AND 15-60MM MORTAR RDS. FIRED COUNTER MORTAR FIRES.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. REFER TO SITREP 270 PARA 3B, 1 MAN REPORTED AS MIA WALKED INTO PERIMETER THIS MORNING. DELETE 1 MIA.
 - B. LATE ENTRY: AT 062200H, 3/21 LIAISON OFFICER AT A-1 REPORTED SPOTTING 40 NVA CARRYING WHAT LOOKED LIKE 8 WOUNDED IN PONCHOS AND DRAGGING SOME DEAD. CALLED IN FIRE MISSION WITH UNKN RESULTS.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 062300H A MARINE FROM C/1/3 WHILE ON WATCH MISTOOK APPROACHING MARINE FOR A NVA AND FIRED ON AND WOUNDED HIM. RESULTS: 1 NCB (MED EVAC).

D. AT 070050H B/1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 OBSR S NVA IN THE OPEN VIC (YD 298715) FIRED 60 MM AND 4.2 MORTAR MSNS. C-47 FLARE SHIP WAS ON STATION. RESULTS UNKN.

E. AT 070110H JUNK FLEET RECEIVED A REPORT THAT RIVER ASSAULT GROUP SIGHTED SWIMMERS IN THE RIVER IN VIC (YD 334689) FIRED COUNTER BATTERY WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

5. PLANS: 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 3/21 MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONTINUE SEARCH OPERATIONS WITHIN AO. 1/3 (-) (REIN) MAINTAIN PRESENT POSITION AND CONDUCT THROUGH SEARCH OF OBJECTIVE AREA AND BE PREPARED TO SUPPORT ATTACK OF 1ST BN 5TH CAV. ON ORDER. 2/4 MAINTAIN PRESENT POSITION AND REMAINED PREPARED TO MOVE ANYWHERE WITHIN THE 3RD MARIN AO. 1ST BN 5TH CAV COMMENCE SEARCH AND DESTROY MISSION WITH OBJECTIVES ASSIGNED IN VILLAGES ALONG THE 66 AND BETWEEN THE 27 AND 25 GRID LINES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

21 KIA

44 WIA (MEDEVAC)

42 WIA (MINOR)

9 MIA

USMC

284 KIA

1208 WIA (MEDEVAC)

304 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2184 NVA KIA

52 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

5 VC POW

267 DET

0 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

381 IWC, 136 CSWC

GP-4

BT

OO UUMMA UUMWAA
 DE RUMVP 2378C 1302045
 ZNY 00000
 O 092045Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMWAA/III MA COC
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 SITREP NR 278 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE 070601-071200H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

EXCEPT:

C/1/3 YD 242651
 A/1/5 CAV USA YD 259659
 B/1/5 CAV USA YD 251660
 C/1/5 CAV USA YD 257646

2. SUM:

AT 070805H, 1ST BN OF 3TH CAV
 COMMENCED ASSAULT ON OBJ 3 YD 267649 AND 2 YD 267660
 W/C AND B CO AND D CO ACTED AS RESERVE. AT 07053H
 OBJ 2 & 3 WERE SECURED. AT 071120H, C CO WAS ON
 OBJ 5 YD 257646 AND B CO WAS ON OBJ 1 YD 251660. NO
 RESISTANCE WAS MET ON THE OBJ. A CO MOVED IN TRACE OF B
 CO AND OCCUPIES OBJ 7 YD 279659. 1/3 HELD PRESENTLY
 OCCUPIED TERRAIN SWEEPING ATHE AREA FOR SIGNS OF EN. ALL
 OTHER UNITS CONDUCTED ROUTINE DAY ACTS.

3. CONTACTS

A. AT 070615H, 1/3 RECOVERED 2 NVA KIA WEARING GREEN UTIL
 AND 1 AK-47 IN VIC YD 279649. KILLED BY SAF ABOUT 062315H
 TO 062330H. RES: 2 NVA KIA 1 IVC.

B AT 070625H 3/21 UASA REPTD OBSERVING UNK NUMBER OF

NVA IN GREEN UNIF IN VIC YD 280682. ARTY MSN FIRED W/GOOD TGT COV. RES 10 NVA KIA.

C. AT 070515H ELEMENTS OF 3/21 USA ORS 15-20 NVA WITH 1 60MM MORT. FIRED ARTY MSN W/GOOD COV. RES: 4 NVA KIA.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REF TO SITREP NR 270 PARA 3B. 1 SOLDIER RPTD AS MIA WALKED INTO PERIM AND WAS MED BECAUSE OF WOUNDS. ADD 1 MED. DELETE 1 MIA USA.

B. AT 070523H C/3/21 RECD IRND FM WHAT THEY BELIEVED TO BE A TRACK VEH. FLARE SHIP MADE DROP BUT NO SIGHTING WS MADE. AO ON STAT IN HAD NEG RES ON LOC VEH. AT 070720H 6 AIR STRIKES WERE MADE ON POSS SUS TGT SITES FOR VEH IN GRIDS YD 2771 AND D 2871.

C. AT 070715H ELEM OF A/1ST AMTRAC BN ON PTL SWEEP TRIPPED DELAY TYPE SURPRIS FIRING DEVICE IN VIC YD 322708. NO CAS RPTD.

D. AT 070825H A PTL FM 3/21 USA PICKED UP 2 DET IN VIC YD 30368. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MAR S-2. RES: 2 DET.

E. AT 071023H 1/3/4 FND 3 RPG RND S W/BOOSTERS IN VIC YD 241636. TURNED OVER TO 1/3 S-2.

F. AT 071030H 1/3/4 FND 1 MUY MG W/TRIPDO, 1 BOX LINKED 7.62 AMMO, 200 LOSS RND S OF 7.2 AMMO, 1 PACK AND 1 CHICOM GREN. RES 1 CSWC.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. OWN LOSSES:

CR:

KIA: 21 USA, 284 USMC

WIA MED: 45 USA, 1208 USMC

WIA MINOR: 42 USA, 304 USMC

8 USA MIA.

ENEMY

2200 NVA KIA, 52 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 122 INN CIV, 382 IWC, 137 CSWC.

GP-4

BT

OO UUMHMA UUMHIAA
 DE RUMHVP 2385C 130234Z
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 092347Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMHMAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 274 FM 071201-071300H MAY 68.
 GQM LOC:

A, B, C&D /1/5 CAV USA YD 051650

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 071349H, A USA C AND C HELO CHECKING ON GRID YD 2672
 FOR POSS TANK SIGHTING RECD GROUND FIRE FM 50 CAL
 MG. 1 RD HIT FULL CELL AND CAUSED A 3 FOOT CRACK IN WALL.
 HELO RETD TO 3/21 CP AND WILL BE EXTRACTED W/FIRST AVAIL
 TRANSPORTATION.

B. AT 071400H, BLT 2/4 ATTACKED A 3.5" RKT SECTION 13 MED W/6
 LAUNCHERS AND AN ENGINEER SWEEP TEAM 7 MEN TO 3/21
 FOR USE W/TANKS, WICH WERE ASSIGNED D/S OF 3/21.

C. FM 071418H, TO 071423H B&C 3/21 EACH REC'D 4 RDS
 UNK SIZE ARTY. NO CAS SUSTAINED. FIRE COUNTER BTRY
 FIRES AND NGF MSN.

D. AT 071630H, 1/5 CAV USA FWD NUMEROUS BUNKERS, TRENCHES
 FM VIC YD 050658 TO YD 263653, YD 257646, AND YD
 265648. ALOS 5-82MM AND 300MM MORT RDS, 4-840 RKTs, 3 CLAYMORE
 MINES, 1 HOME-MADE BANGALORE TORPEDO, AND ASSORTED NVA
 EQUIP.

5. PLANS/ SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA: 21 USA, 284 USMC

WIA MED: 45 USA, 1223 USMC

WIA MINOR: 42 USA, 304 USMC

8 MIA USA.

ENEMY

2200 NVA KIA, 52 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 269 DET, 102 INN CIV,
 382 IWC, 137 CMC.

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BT

00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 2384C 130234G
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 092346Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L
 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 275 FM 071801-072400H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM:

A. ALL UNITS DEFENDED CURRENT PSNS AND CONDUCTED

NIGHT PLTS, AMBS AND LPS.

B. C8, D7, J5, K1, AA1.

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 071800H C/1/3 COMPLETED SEARCH OF AREA FND OBJ
 6 UD 242652 AND FND 6 NVA BODIES KILLED BY AIR AND ARTY.
 ALSO FND 3 AK-47, 3 K-44, 15 RPG RNDs, 6 82MM MORT RNDs
 AND 4 NVA PACKS, WPSNA AND PACKS WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D
 MAR S-2.

AMMO DESTD. RES 6 NVA KIA, 6 IWC.

B. AT 071825H, A AND C 7/3/21 USA OBS'D 150 TO 200
 NVA IN OPEN MOVING NORTH IN VIC YD 255714. FM 071840H
 TO 071940H 4 ARTY BTRYs FIRED VT, FIRECRACKER, HE AND WP
 ON TGT W/EXCEL COV. 106MM RR AND 50 CAL
 MG WERE ALSO FIRED. AREA WILL BE SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT
 RES: 70 NVA KIA RPTD BY FO'S.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 072045H D/3/21 YD 284689 USA REPTD HEARING TRACKED VEH
 YD 293693, LATER RPTD SEEING 2 TKS 1 MOVING NORTH AND
 1 MOVING SOUTH YD 300696 AT 072058H J/3/21 RPTD SEEING 3 TANKS
 AO ON SCENE WITH SPOOKY COULD NOT CONFIRM SIGHTINGS.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA: 21 USA, 284 USMC

45 USA, 1208 USMC

42 USA, 304 USMC WIA MINOR.

ENEMY

2276 NVA KIA, 52 NVA POW, 5 VC POW, 57 C KIA, 269 DET, 122 INN CIV,
 137 CSWC, 338 IWC.

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BT

00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 2391C 1302353
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 092333Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV CO
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE NR 276 FM 080001-080600H MAY 68.

1. LOC:

SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 080040H H/2/4 OBS'D 2 FIGURES W/STARLIGHT
 SCOPE IN VIC YD 273685. FIRED 50MM MORT MSN, WILL SEARCH
 AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 21 USA, 284 USMC

WIA MED: 45 USA, 1208 USMC

WIA MINOR: 42 USA, 304 USMC

8 MIA USA.

ENEMY

2276 NVA KIA, 53 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 5 VC POW, 269 DET,
 122 INN CIV, 388 IWC, 137 CSWC.

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BT

OO UUMSEA UUMSEM
DE UUMHVP 2388C 130235D
ZNY CCCCC
O 092350Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV CQC
TO UUMSEM/PCV CQC
INFO UUMSEA/III MAF CQC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 277 FM 080601H-091200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS CONDUCTED SEARCH AND DESTROY MISSIONS IN ASSIGNED AO.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

LATE ENTRY: AT 072100H, AMBUSH FROM B/1/5 CAV USA VIC (YD 255666) OBS AND FIRED S/A ON 3 NVA MOVING TOWARD THEIR POSITION. SEARCHED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT AND FOUND 1 NVA KIA IN GREEN UTILITIES AND NVA TYPE BOOTS. RESULTS: 1 NVA KIA

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

A. AT 081000H, D/1/5 USA IN VIC (YD 2456700 FOUND 1 - B-40 ROCKET RD, 5-82MM AND 30-60MM MORTARS RDS, 2 AT MINES, 1 AK-50, AND 2 AK-47 MAGAZINES EMPTY, A PIECE OF 82MM MORTAR TUBE, 3 CLAYMORES, 1 HOMEMADE BANGALORE TORPEDO, 1 GAS MASK CANNISTER TYPE NVA WEB GEAR, DOCUMENTS, 4 BUNKERS: 1 STONE BUILDING USED TO TREAT WOUNDED, BANDAGES AND LOSTS OF BLOOD, AND 4 GRAVES WHICH WILL BE UNCOVERED. ALL ITEMS WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3RD MARINES S-2.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS CONTINUE TO SEARCH AND DESTROY MISSION IN ASSIGNED AO'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

21 KIA

45 WIA (MEDEVAC)

42 WIA (MINOR)

8 MIA

USMC

284 KIA

1208 WIA (MEDEVAC)

304 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. ENEMY

2277 NVA KIA

52 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

5 VC POW

269 DET

0 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

388 IWC, 137 CSWC

GP-4

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00 UUMHMA UUMWAA
DE RUMHVP 2386C 130234Z
ZNY CCCCC
O 092348Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 273 FM 081201-081800H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 081000H D/1/5 USA UNCOVERED 8 GRAVES W/2 NVA KIA'S

PER GRAVE. IN VIC YD 240670. BODIES WERE IN GREEN UNIFORM AND APPROX 1 WEEK OLD. FND 300 BUNKERS, ALONG US MAPS WITH CURRENT THRUST POINTS. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MAR S-2.
RES: 16 NVA KIA.

B. AT 081434H B/3/21 USA RECD 10 INCOMING ARTY RND'S FM NORTH. NGF COUNTER ARTY FIRED W/UNK RES.

RES: 1 WIA MED.

C. REF TO SITREP NR 270 PARA 3B, DUE TO ERROR IN RPT MIA SHOULD HAVE READ 14 MIA IN PLACE OF 10 MIA.

D. AT 081200H TO 081700H A/3/21 USA ON RECOVERY SWEEP FND 11 USA MIA. 2 MIA PREV ACCOUNTED FOR.

1 USA MIA IS STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR. RES:

DELETE 11 MIA, ADD 11 KIA.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 081100H 1/3 WHILE SWEEPING AREA IN VIC YD 242634 FND 1 WOUNDED VC SENT TO D MED. RES: 2 VC POW

B. AT 081005H A LOCAL VILLAGER LED B/1/3 TO 2 VC IN VIC YD 255637 WHO WERE ON BLK LIST. WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MAR S-2. RES: 2 VC POW.

C. AT 081500H 3D MAR PASSED OPCON OF I AND M/3/4 TO 3D MARDIV

D. AT 081600H 3D MAR PASSED OPCON OF 1ST BN 5TH CAV, 1ST AIR CAV LIA TO 3D MAR DIV.

E. AT 081630H HELO PASSES OVER C/1/3 PSN YD 243642 AND DROPPD APPROX 300 RND'S OF 81MM AMMO FM 1500 FT. 81MM AMMO WAS UNSERVICEABLE AND WAS DESTD.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA: 32 USA, 284 USMC
46 USA, 1208 USMC WIA MED
WIA MINOR: 42 USA, 304 USMC
1 USA MIA.

ENEMY

2293 NVA KIA, 52 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 260 DET, 122 INH DIV
388 IWC, 137 CSWC.

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 O 092349Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 279 TO 081801H-082000H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.
 - B. B, C12, D10, J11, K1, AA1, CC4.
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY CONTACTS: AT 081530H, C/1/3 VIC (YD 245647) UNCOVERED 5 GRAVES IN RICE PATTIES CONTAINING 5 NVA KIA. ALL DIED OF BULLET WOUNDS, RESULTS: 5 NVA KIA.
4. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. AT 082030H, C/3/21 USA IN VIC (YD258700) OBSR 5 INDIVIDUALS 400 METERS SOUTHEAST OF THEIR LOCATION, FIRED MORTAR MSN. RESULTS UNKN. WILL SEARCH AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.
 - B. AT 2045H, C/3/21 USA REPORTED HEARING CRACKED VEHICLE IN VIC (YD286707). B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN EMPLOYED PPS-5 RADAR TO LOCATE VEHICLE BUT NO SIGHTINGS WAS MADE.
 - C. AT 082130H, PPS-5 AND NOD AT C-4 DETECTED 17 NVA IN VIC (YD293701) MOVING SOUTH. ENEMY MOVED RAPIDLY TO SW BEFORE FIRE MISSION COULD BE CALLED. 3/21 USA WAS ALERTED AND WILL KEEP AREA UNDER OBSERVATION.
 - D. AT 082145H, RIVER PATROL CRAFT OBSR 2 INDIVIDUALS ON RIVER BANK VIC (YD263628). FIRED S/A AND 4-70 OBS INDIVIDUALS DROP DOWN OUT OF SIGHT. WILL KEEP AREA UNDER OBSERVATION.
5. PLANS:
 - A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.
 - B. C7, D7, J5, K1, AA1, BB1, EE2.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRINEDLY

USA
 32 KIA
 46 WIA (MEDEVAC)
 42 WIA (MINOR)
 1 MIA
 USMC
 284 KIA
 1208 WIA (MEDEVAC)
 304 WIA (MINOR)
 0 MIA
 C. ENEMY
 2298 NVA KIA
 52 NVA POW
 57 VC KIA
 9 VC POW
 269 DET
 0 CIV DEF
 122 INN CIV
 388 IWC, 137 CSWC
 GP-4
 BT

00 UUMHMA UUMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 2390C 130235Z
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 092352Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPNNAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 280 FM 090001-090600H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 090355H, 3/21 OBSR 100 NVA

INOPEN VICYD 255685. ARTY MSN FIRED W/UNK RES.

5. PLANS:

ALL UNITS EXCEPT 1/3 AND H2/4 WILL MAINTAIN AND
 IMPROVE PSNS AND CONDUCT D/PTLS, AMBS, AND OPS.

1/3 WILL MOVE TO THE SOUTH BANK OF THE CUA VIET RIVER VIC
 YD 293643 AND ESTB PSNS. H/2/4 WILL CONDUCT A CO

SWEEP TO THE SOUTHWEST AND ESTB FLT PTL
 BASE AT YD 256646, YD 250600, YD 266649.

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR: KIA

32 USA, 284 USMC

WIA MED: 46 UWA, 1208 USMC

WIA MINOR: 42 USA, 1208 304 USMC

1 MIA USA.

ENEMY

2298 NVA KIA, 52 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 269 DET,
 122 INN CIV,

GP-4

BT

UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMHVP 2392C 1302354
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 092354Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 281 FR 091601H-091200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

- A. E/1/3 (YD 292944)
- B. D/1/3 (YD 294653)
- C. C/1/3 (YD 274653)
- D. W/2/4 (YD 267649)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS EXCEPT 1/3 AND W/2/4 CONTAINED TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY ACTIVITIES. 1/3 COMPLETED MOVE TO THE SOUTH BANK OF THE CUA VIET RIVER. VIC (YD 293653) AND ESTABLISHED POSITIONS. W/2/4 CONDUCTED COMPANY SWEEP AND ESTABLISHED PATROL BASE SITE AT (YD 267649)

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE POSITIONS AND CONTINUE TO CONDUCT DAY ACTIVITIES.

A. FRIENDLY

USA

32 KIA

46 WIA (MEDEVAC)

42 KIA (MONOR)

1 MIA

UMC

284 KIA

1208 WIA (EVAC)

304 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY:

2298 NVA KIA

32 092

59 VC KIA

9 VC POW

269 DET

0 VIC DEF

36S WIC, 12CS

G-4

BT

OO UUMHMA UUMWAA
DE RUMHVP 2383 C 13
ZNY CCCCC
O 092245Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMWAA/III MA COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 282 FM 091201-091800H MAY 68.

1. LOC:

V/1/3 YD 309654

C/1/3 YD 324641

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 091135H, D/1/3 FND 13 FRESH PARTIALLY COVERED FOX HOLES AND ASSORTED EN EQUIP. EILL FORWARD 1 HELMET, AK-47 RDS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO 3D MAR S-2.

B. AT 091245H, PLT FM H/2/4 RECD SAF FM 6-7 NVA FM VIC YD 246669. RETD SAF AND CALLED ARTY MSN W/UNK RES.

C. AT 091030H, H/2/4 OBSR MOVEMENT IN PAGODA IN VIC YD 236639. IN GREEN UNIF POSS FO TEAM. SNIPERS FIRED APPROX 15 RDS AND OBS NO MOVEMENT. PTL CHECKED OUT AREA AND FND FRESH TRACKS IN SMALL HARBOR AREA.

D. AT 091345H, H/2/4 OBS'D A HUEY BUNSHIP MAKING STRAPPING RUNS ON 50 CAL MG PSN IN VIC YD 249669. BUNSHIP WAS RECEIVING FIRE, WILL CONTINUE TO OBS.

E. AT 091430H, A PLT FM H/2/4 VIC YD 248661 RECD 10 RDS OF MEDIUM-HEAVY ARTY FM A DIRECTION OF 6,000 MILLS. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES ON SUSPECTED EN PSN. NEG CAS RPTD.

F. AT 091530H, A PLT FM H/2/4 VIC YD 265649. RECD 2 RDS OF MEDIUM-HEAVY ARTY FM DIRECTION OF 5,600 MILL. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES ON SUSPECTED EN PSNS. NEG CAS RPTD.

5. PL USE: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA: 32 USA, 284 USMC

46 USA, 1208 USMC

42 USA, 304 USMC

1 USA MIA.

EV: 2298 NVA KIA, 32 USA POW, 57 C KIA, 10 US POW, 269 DEF, 122 INN CAP, 100 WIC, 107 USMC

GP-4

BT

TO UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMHVP 2428C 1310710
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 100710Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDET CCG
 TO UUMSEM/PCV CCG
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF CCG
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 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP R283 F 091801H TO 092400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

3. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT
 AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

091800Z MAY 68

B. 07-57, J, KI, A, BB, CC2,

5. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 091800H, B/1/3 IN VIC (YD261630) FOUND
 3 NVA BODIES IN FRESH GRAVES: ALSO 2 BELTS 7.62 AK AMMO, 20
 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 CLAYMORE MINE, 1 CHICOM AT MINE, 2 B-40
 POCKET RDS, 1 82MM MORTAR RD. BLEW ORDNANCE IN PLACE.
 RESULTS: 8 NVA KIA.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 090930H, C/1/3 FOUND 3 NVA BODIES IN
 FRESH GRAVES IN VIC (YD 256632). RESULTS: 3 NVA KIA.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 091500H, H/2/4 SPOTTED ESTIMATED 22
 NVA IN VIC (YD 249662) INITIATED FIRE WITH S/A, M-79, AND
 ARTY. DISCOVERED NVA HARBOR SITE, SET UP PERIMETER AT THIS
 POSITION TOOK ESTIMATED 78 MEDIUM ARTY ROUNDS. RESULTS: 4
 WIA(MINOR).

D. AT 092105H, CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED 17 RDS OF LIGHT
 ARTY WOUNDING 3 MEN ON AN LP. C-4 OBSR GUN FLASHES AT
 DIRECTION OF 5696 MILLS. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES, RESULTS:
 2 WIA (MEDEVAC), AND 2 WIA(MINOR).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 091700H, B/3/21 USA WHILE PROBING FOR
 MINE IN VIC(YD268697) FOUND THE FOLLOWING ORDNANCE: 12-60MM
 MORTAR RDS, 5 BOXES 7.62RDS, 5 AK-47 MAGAZINE, 6 CHICOM
 GRENADES, 9-82MM MORTAR INCREMENTS, 27-82MM MORTAR FUZES,
 6 RDS OF 57RR, 1 CAN UNKN CAL RDS, 1 SMALL CAN UNK CONTENTS.
 ALL ORDNANCE WAS DESTROYED IN PLACE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING: 6
 MORTAR FUZES, 2 BOXES 7.62 RDS, 1 CAN UNKN CAL RDS, 1 SMALL
 CAN UNK CONTENTS. WILL BE FWD'D TO 3D MAR -2.

B. AT 092137H, PPS-5 AND MOD AT C-4 SPOTTED NVA IN VIC
 (YD292713) MOVING SOUTH. FIRED 60MM MISSION AND NVA FLED
 NORTH. AT 092201H, PPS-5 AT C-4 SPOTTED 20 NVA MOVING SOUTH
 IN VIC (YD 290701). 105MM ARTY FIRED WITH GOC TARGET

COVERAGE. RESULTS UNKNOWN.

G. AT 092103H, C/3/21 USA IN VIC (YD 268703) REPORTED 10 TO 15 NVA 200 METERS NORTHEAST OF PERIMETER. TAKEN UNDER FIRE WITH ARTY AND M-79'S. AT 092157H, C/3/21 REPORTED 15 NVA RUNNING TO NORTHWEST AWAY FROM PERIMETER. ARTY MISSION FIRED WITH GOOD TARGET COVERAGE. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONTINUE NIGHT AND AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND PL'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR USMC KIA 284 WIA (MEDEVAC 1210 WIA (MINOR) 310 MIA

USA KIA 32 WIA (MEDEVAC) 46 WIA (MINOR) 42 MIA 1

REFUGEES. NONE

ENEMY

NVA KIA 2306 NVA POW 52 VC KIA 57 VC POW 9

NET 260 CIV DEF 2 INN CIV 122

IN 888, CSWC 137

GP-4

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DE RUMHVP 2468C 1311853
ZNY CCCCC
O 101853Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITEP NR 284 FM 100001-100600N 107 00.

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 0014H, C/3/21 SPOTD ESTM 300 NVA IN VIC YD 268707. ARTY MSNS FIRED ON EN AND CONTINUOUS ILLUM REQ. AT 0115H, C CO RECD 2 OR 3 RDS RPG FIRE. AT 0132H, LP RECD SAF AND ALL C CO NIGHT ACTS WERE WITHDRAWN. CO CO CONTINUED TO OBS GROUPS OF NVA MOVING TOWARD THEIR PSN. ILLUM AND ARTY MSNS WERE FIRED ON EN AND FLARE SHIP PRO ADDITIONAL ILLUM. AT 0335H, C CO BEGAN REC INCOMING ARTY AND MORT FIRE. COUNTER BTRY MSN WERE FIRED. AT 0558H, C AND B 3/21 WERE UNDER HWY GROUND ATTACK. AO FIXED WING, AND AIRSTRIKES WERE REQ. AT THISTIME CAS FIGURES ARE UNK. AND C AND B 3/21 REMAIN IN CONTACT.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 100030H, H/2/4 OBS 5 NVA/VC IN OPEN VIC YD 2536500. ARTY MSN FIRED, WILL SEARCH AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.
B. AT 100540H, 2/4 CP AREA YD 275665 RPTD REC 3RDS OF LIGHT ARTY FM DIRECTION OF 6400 MILS. COUNTER

BTRY FIRED. NEG CAS RPTD.

C. AT 100550H, CAMP KISTLER RECD 15 RDS LIGHT TO MEDIUM ARTY FM VIC YD 225825, YD 212863 AND YD 228862 COUNTER BTRY FIRED BY NGF. NEG CAS RPTD.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 32 USA, 284 USMC

VIA MED: 46 USA, 1210 USMC

VIA MINOR: 42 USA, 310 USMC

1 MIA USA.

ENEMY

2306 NVA KIA, 52 NVA POW, 57VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 269 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 388 IWCN 137 CSWC.

GP-4

BT

DE UUMHVP 24500 1011341
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 101841Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 235 FR 100601H-101200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS EXCEPT 3-21 MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND OP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

B & C 3/21 REMAINED IN CONTACT. RECEIVING SPREADS OF SAF UNTIL 100600. BY 0700H, THE GUNSHIPS EXPENDED ALL THEIR ORDNANCE AND RETURNED TO REFUEL. AT THIS TIME THEY WERE REPLACED BY AN AO AND F/W CAME ON STATION AT 0715. BY 0730H, THE 1ST A/S HAD BEEN RUN AND THE GUNSHIPS (2 FLIGHTS OF 2) WERE BACK ON STATION. AT 0815H, THE 2ND A/S WAS COMPLETED AND WAS FOLLOWED BY ARTY AND NGF, ADJUSTED BY AO. AT 0850H, B & D 3/21 WERE STILL TAKING INCOMING MORTARS AND A 3D A/S WENT IN. 3 MORE A/S WERE RUN AT 0945H, 1015H, AND 1106H. GROUND 19.5-15 HAS SUBSIDED ENTIRELY. CASUALTIES FIGURES 10 WIA (MED), 2 WIA (MIN).

3/21 PREPARING TO SWEEP AREA AT THIS TIME.

RESUPPLY IS BEING EFFECTED.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: FROM 100540H TO 100600H, F/2/4 (YD 278665) RECEIVED 5 RDS OF LIGHT ARTY. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES. CRATER ANALYSIS REVEALS THAT THE RDS CAME FROM A DIRECTION OF 0100 MILES. NEG CASUALTIES.

B. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 275 PAR 4A. SEARCHED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEG RESULTS.

5. PLANS: B & C 3/21 WILL SWEEP AREA OF TODAY'S ENEMY CONTACT. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS, WHILE CONDUCTING DAY AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND OP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

32 KIA

56 WIA (MEDEVAC)

44 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

284 KIA

1218 WIA (MEDEVAC)

310 WIA (MINOR)

B. ENEMY

2306 NVA IIA

52 NAVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

269 DET

0 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

333 IWC, 137 CSWC

GP-4

OO UUMSEA UUMSEM
DE UUMHVP 2470C 1311900
ZNY CCCCC
O 101900Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 236 FR 101201H- 101800H MAY68

1. UNITS LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT

D/1/3 (YD 315636)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED ROUTINE DAY ACTIVITIES EXCEPT 3/21, ALL ELEMENTS OF 3/21 DEFENDED IN PLACE: GROUND ATTACK AGAINST A, B, AND C COMPANIES CONTINUED. AT 101115H, C CO RECEIVED HEAVY INCOMING ARTY, COUNTER BATTERY FIRED. AT 1201H, ALL ELEMENTS RECEIVED INCOMING ARTY. AT 1013H, A, B, AND C CO STARTED CLEARING PATROLS. ALL ELEMENTS MET LIGHT RESISTANCE FROM ENEMY POCKETS AROUND PERIMETER & CONTINUED THROUGHOUT AFTERNOON. ENEMY CONTACT BROKEN AT APPROX 101500H. ELEMENTS CONTINUED TO SEARCH AND POLICE BATTLE FIELD.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. FROM 092338H, TO 101540H, A AND C/3/21 USA STARTED RECEIVING PROBING ATTACKS ON PERIMETER IN VIC (YD269705). AT 100600H, AIR STRIKES COMMENCED AND HAD 7 DURING THE DAY ALONG WITH EXTENSIVE ARTY SUUPPORT. A AND C/3/21 BEGAN TO CLEAR AREA AROUND PERIMETER WHILE RECEIVING OCCASIONAL S/A FIRE INFANTRY CREDITED WITH 94 KIA WITH 70 OF THESE ON PERIMETER. WIRE, 25 FRO AIRSTRIKES AND 40 FOR ARTY FOR A TOTAL OF 159 NVA KIA. RESULTS: FRIENDLY 1 KIA, 2 WIA (MEDEVAC), 14 WIA (MINOR) ENEMY 159 NVA KIA, 55 IVC, 18 CSWC.

B. AT 101525H, C/3/21 USA AT (YD269705) REPORTED 1 FRIENDLY TANK ON PERIMETER HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT OF ACTION BY RPG ROUNDS.

C. AT 101310H, C/3/21 USA IN VIC (YD267705) CAPTURED 2 NVA POW'S WHILE CLEARING AREA AROUND THEIR POSITION. WILL FORWARD TO 3RD MAR S-2.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: AT 100930H, AIRSTRIKE IN SUPPORT OF 3/21 GOT A SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

58 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

284 KIA

1210 WIA (MEDEVAC)

310 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. ENEMY

2465 NVA KIA

54 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

269 DET

0 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

443 IWC, 155 CSWC.

GP-4

BT

CO USNSA USNSEM
 DE USMHP 25260 1521414
 ZNY 00000
 O 111414Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COG

TO USNSEM/PCV TOS
 INFO USNSA/III MAF COG
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OPS HAPOLSON/SALINE SITREP NR 287 FM 101800H - 102400H MAY 8

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME.
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. CLATE ENTRY AT 101724H A, B, AND C/3/21 REPORTED
 RECV'ING 15-20 RNDG INCOMING RLTS FROM THE NORTH. AT
 101735H, D CO REPORTED RECV'ING UNK SIZE ARTY RNDG
 FROM THE NORTH. COUNTER NTRY FIRES FIRED. RES: 3 WIA EVAC

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. FROM 091800H TP 101800H /3/12 FIRED TOTAL OF 4055 HR,
 628 ILLUM, AND 895 SMOKE IN SUPPORT OF 3D MARINES REGT, RESULTING
 IN 40 NVA KIA, PREVIOUSLY ADDED TO CUMULATIVE LOSSES.

B. AT 102230H 1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 REPORTED THAT PPS-5 AND
 MGD DETECTED 2 GRPS OF 15-20 NVA EACH. ONE GRP MOVING
 NORTH IN VIC YD 281720 AND THE OTHER MOVING THROUGH VIC
 YD 201730. FIRED NAVAL GUNFIRE MNS WITH UNK RES.

C. AT 102020H C/3/21 REPORTED SIGHTING APPROX 30 NVA IN
 SEVERAL GRPS IN VIC YD 273704. ARTY MNS FIRED ON
 ENEMY AND FLARESHIP PROVIDED ILLUM. AT 102055H, C CO
 LP RECV'D INCOMING CHI COM GRENADES. LP RETN'D FIRE WITH
 M-79 AND LAAN'S. C CO CON'T TO CALL ARTY MSN ON SUSPECTED
 ENEMY POSITIONS. RES: 1 IWO.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

PR: (USMC) 284 KIA, 1210 WIA EVAC, 310 WIA MINOR
 (USMC) 35 KIA, 61 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA

TH: 2404 NVA KIA, 51 VC PW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC PW, 269 DET,
 2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 444 IWC, 155 CSWC.

BT

00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
DE RUMHVP 2540C 132210Z
ZNY CCCCC
O 112102Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE NR 288 FM 110001-110600H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS: AT 110145H LP FM A/3/21 OBSR 4 NVA
IN OPEN VIC YD 272669. FIRED ARTY MSN, CHECKED AREA AND
FND 2 NVA BIDOES. RES 2 NVA KIA.
4. SIG EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS: SAME
6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 33 USA, 284 USMC

61 USA, 1210 USMC

58 WIA MINOR USA, 310 USMC

1 MIA USA

ENEMY

2467 NVA KIA, 54 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 269 DET, 122 INN CIV,
444 IVC, 155 CSWC.

GP-4

BT

00 UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMHVP 2452C 133 21
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 120021Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 289 FR 110601H-111200H MAY 68

1. UNITS LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT:

C/1/3 (YD 274624) H/2/4 (YD 265649)

D/1/3 (YD 335636) H/2/4 (YD 253659)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND NONDUCTED DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 110804H, C/3/21 USA IN (YD 268704) RECEIVED HEAVY SNIPER FIRE FROM NW. C CO PULLED BACK AND OP'S AND AMBUSHES AND ARTY AND AIRSTRIKES CALLED. C CO MADE SWEEP OF AREA AND FOUND 36 NVA KIA BY ARTY, 2 BY AIR STRIKES, 18 BY INFANTRY, RECEIVED 2 WIA. RESULTS:

ENEMY 56 NVA KIA, 9 IWC, 3 CSWC, FRIENDLY 2 WIA (MEDEVAC)

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

AT 110925H, CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED 7-10 ROUNDS LIGHT ARTY AT MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER. C-4 REPORTED 10 ROUNDS LANDING IN OCEAN EAST OF C-4 POSITION. ENEMY GUN POSITIONS SPOTTED AT (YD 5845). COUNTER BATTERY FIRED ON ENEMY GUN POSITIONS BY NGF.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONTINUE TO CONDUCT DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

284 KIA

1210 WIA (MEDEVAC)

310 WIA (MINOR)

6 MIA

ENEMY

2523 NVA KIA

54 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

269 DET

2 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

453 IWC, 158 CSWC

GP-4

BT

OO UUMHMA UUMMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 2454C 1330023
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 120023Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 290 FM 111201-111300H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. BETWEEN 111320H AND 111645H, W/2/4 VIC YD 253659

RECD 13 RDS MEDIUM ARTY FM YD 250815 FIRED COUNTER

BTRY FIRES, RES UNK. NEG CAS RPTD.

B. REFER TO SITREP NR 289, PARA 3A. CLEARING PTLS

FWD 8 ADDITIONAL NVA KIA, AS A RES OF THIS MORNING'S EN
 CONTACT.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 33 USA, 284 USMC

WIA MED: 63 USA, 1210 USMC

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 310 USMC

1 USA MIA

ENEMY

2531 NVA KIA, 54 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA

9 VC PO, 269DET, 122 INN CIV, 453 IWC.

158 CSWC.

GP--4

BT

00 UUMSEA UUMSEM
DE UUMHVP 24770 1330604
ZNY CCCCC

120504Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L
PERISHABLE INFO DO NOT SERVICE
OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE
NITREP NR 291 FM 111801H TO 112400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:
A. 2/4 CP (YD 349695) 1ST AMTRAC BN CP
B. 2/4 CP E F G CO'S (YD 279667) (YD 349695)
C. 2/4 (YD 265649) A/1ST AMTRAC BN
D. 2/4 (YD 335636) (YD 341594)
E. CP, ACO (YD 292644) B/1ST AMTRAC BN
F. 3 (YD 309654) (YD 313723)
G. 3 (YD 274624) 3/21 CP E CO
H. 3 (YD 335636) (YD 286672)
I. C/3/21 (YD 265704)
J. B/D/3/21 (YD 269699)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND L'S.

B. CR, DIA, KI, AAI, BR2, CC1, EE1,

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 111500H, AO FOR 3/21 OBSERVED 50 VIETNAMESE IN VIC (YD 275704). ARTY MSN FIRED AND VIETNAMESE FLED SOUTH.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 111600H H/2/4 OBSR 4 NVA VIC OF (YD 2516600). FIRED 81MM MORTAR MISSION. RESULTS UNK.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 111750H H/2/4 VIC (YD 265649) RECEIVED 1 RND OF HEAVY ARTS, CRATER ANALYSIS INDICATE THE DIRECTION OF FIRE FROM 6100MILLS, SHRAPNEL WAS FORWARDED TO BLT 2/4 S-2. NO CAS SUSTAINED.

D. AT 111810H H/2/4 VIC (YD 254657) RECEIVED 3 RND S OF 75MM RECOILESS RIFLE FROM THE WEST OF THEIR POSITION. FIRED 81MM MORTAR MSN AND 106 RR ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS.

E. AT 112115H B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 REPORTED THA PPS-5 AND NOD DETECTED 10 NVA MOVING SOUTH IN VIC (YD 291717). TANK FIRED 4 RND S OF BEEHIVE AT THE NVA. RESULTS UNK.

F. AT 112032H H/3/21 USA LP IN VIC (YD 266724) OBS 6 TO 7 NVA CRAWLING IN FRON OF THIRE POSITION. ENGAGED WITH AUTO/WPVS AND M-79 FIRE. NO CAS REPORTED.

G. AT 11220H AND ARVN INTELL REPORT STATED THAT A VIETNAMESE HAD BEEN CAPTURED AND SAID HE WAS FORCED TO WORK FOR VC. VIETNAMESE FURTHER STATED THAT 1 NVA BN WITH 4 CHICOM ADVISERS IS SUPPOSED TO MOVE TO VIC 2 (YD 275704) SOMETIMES BETWEEN 10 AND 12 MAY.

5. PLANS: A. ALL UNIT WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHTS ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FR USMC KIA 284, WIA (MEDEVAC) 1210, WIA (MINOR) 310
USA KIA 38, WIA (383--8) 63, WIA (MINOR) 58, WIA (MINOR) 1

B. REFUGEES: NONE

C. EN

2531 KIA

54 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

269 DET

2 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

453 IWC, 158 CSWC

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DE DIV AND NR 905

TO DUNSEA DUNGEN
 DE DUNSEA 2493C 1321144
 C 131144C MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COG
 TO DUNSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO DUNSEA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 292 FM 120001H- 1120600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:
 - A. AT 120330 AMBUSH FROM E/2/4 OBSV'D 5 NVA IN VIC
 - B. 277676. TOOK ENEMY UNDER FIRE AND CAPTURED 1 POW. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MARINES.

RES: 1 NVA PW.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 121239H C/3/21 REPORTED LP HEARD DIGGING SOUTH OF PERIMETER IN VIC YD 267702. FIRED ARTY MSN WITH UNK RES.

B. AT 120356H C/3/21 REPORTED 10 NVA / VC TO NORTH OF POSITION. IN VIC YD 267706 BY TREELINE. ARTY FIRED WITH UNK RES.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

PR: (USMC) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR

(USA) 284 KIA, 1210 WIA EVAC, 310 WIA MINOR, 1 WIA

EN: 2531 NVA KIA, 55 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 270 DET,

2 CIV DEF, 122 INN CIV, 453 IWC, 158 CSWC

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OO UUMSEA UUMSEM
 21 UUMHVP 2509C 1331811
 24Y CCCCC
 3 121811Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV COC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 293 FR 120601-121200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

3/2/4 (YD 253657)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

3/2/4 SWEEP FROM (YD268659) TO THE WEST AND MADE CONTACT WITH 10-15 NVA VIC (YD252658) RETURNED FIRE WITH ALL ORGANIC WEAPONS, UH1E GUNSHIP, ARTY AND MORTARS, 3/2/4 MANEUVERING TO THE NW AND IN CONTACT WITH SCATTERED SMALL GROUP OF NVA. 3/3/21 USA CONDUCTED SEARCH OPERATIONS TO THE SE IN VIC (YD274690) 3/3/21 USA MOVED BY SKIMMER BOAT TO MY LOC VIC (YD306680) AND CONDUCTED SEARCH OF RESETTLEMENT VILLAGE ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED POSITION AND CONDUCTED PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 120725H, 3/2/4 BEGAN TAKING RPG & MG FIRE FROM VIC YD 252658. THEY SPOTTED 10-15 NVA AND BEGAN TO MANEUVER AGAINST THEM. AT 0755H, AO AND UH-1E GUNSHIP WERE ON STATION. ARTY & 81MM MISSIONS WERE CALLED IN AND BY 0855H G CO HAD FLANKED NVA. AO SPOTTED NVA FLEEING TO THE NORTH ONE OF WHOM WAS CARRYING WHAT APPEARED TO BE AN AA WEAPON. GUNSHIP CHASED

AND KILLED THIS NVA, LANDED AND RETRIEVED THE WEAPON. AT 0930H, G/2/4 FOUND TRIPOD POSSIBLE TO A A WEAPON. AT 1000H, G CO TOOK 4 INCOMING ARTY ROUNDS FROM 0800 MILLS. COUNT-BATTERY FIRED. AT 1010H, AO RECEIVING ON STATION HAD HIS LANDING GEAR SHOT OFF POSSIBLE BY RR OF RPG. AT PRESENT G/2/4 STILL IN CONTACT WITH SCATTERED SMALL GROUPS OF NVA IN TRENCH LINES. G/2/4 HAS BEEN RESUPPLIED BY OTHERS. CASUALTY FIGURES UNK AT THIS TIME. RESULTS: 1 NVA KIA, AND 1 CSWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 121000H, BLT 2/4 REPORTED 1 USA HELO SHOT DOWN BY ENEMY GROUND FIRE. HEL O WENT DOWN NEAR U.S. ARMY POSITION. EHLO WAS NOT ASSOCIATED WITH BLT 2/4.

B. 3/21 USA CLEARING PATRCLS HAVE FOUND 3 AK-47, 1 SKS, 3 RPG, 1 60MM MORTAR COMPLETE. 143 705 .4 IWC, 4 CSWC.

5. PLANS: G/2/4 WILL CONTINUE SWEEP TO THE NW TO EXPLOIT CONTACT ALL OTHER UNITS WILL CONDUCT PLANNED DAY ACTIVITIES.

5. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY:

A. USA	USMC
33 KIA	284 KIA
63 WIA (MEDEVAC)	1210 WIA (MEDEVAC)
58 WIA (MINOR)	310 WIA (MINOR)

B. NVA

2532 NVA KIA
 55 NVA POW
 57 VC KIA
 9 VC POW
 269 DET
 2 CIV DEF
 122 INN CIV
 458 IWC, 162 CSWC

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BT

00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 2520C 1340202
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 130202Z MY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 294 FM QWOWPQACWOTPPMAY 68.
 ON LOC:

3D MAR CP YD 349695 3/21 CP E CO YD 286672
 HLT 2/4 CFE, F, CO YD 279666 A, C, D/3/21 YD 267735
 000/4 YD 259658 B, D/21 YD 269700
 000/2/4 YD 256646 1ST AMTRAC BN CP YD 349695
 000/2/4 YD 26649 A/1ST AMTRAC BN YD 313697
 000 CP, A CO YD WOWYRR B/1ST AMTRAC BN YD 313723
 000/3 YD EPOYTR
 000/3 YD 274624
 000/3 YD 335636

1. SUM: SAME

2. CONTACTS:

2. REF TO MY SITREP NR 293 PARA .3. 3/2/4 SWEEP AREA
 OF THIS MORNING'S CONTACT AND REPORT THE FOLL FR AND
 EN CAS: FR: 4XVIA, 4 WIAMED.

ENEMY: 14 NVA KIA, 3 IWC, 1 CSWC.

3. AT 121425H, 3/21 LIASON W/2D ARVN REGT REPORTED 2
 CO'S OF ARVN PATROLLEE IN VIC YD 266718. FND 200/82MM
 MORT RND, 1 SKS, 1 AK-47, 1 RPG 1 MG, 100 60MM MORT
 RND, 2 NVA FIELD PACKS, 200 SA RND, 100 CHOCIM GRENS,
 1 WIRE CUTTER, 1 RPG-7, 1 RPG -2 FND, AND 10AK-47 MAG. MADE
 CONTACT W/SMALL UNIT ANF CONFIRMED 3 NVA KIA, ALSO FND
 5 OTHERS KIA BY AIR STRIKE. DESTROYED AMMO AND TURNED WPMS
 INTO 2D ARVN REGT. 3D MAR WILL ADD 5 NVA KIA
 TO CUM TOTAL. RES 5 NVA KIA. EQUIP NOT PICKED UP.

4. AT 121658H, CAMP KISTLER IN VIC YD 349692 RECD
 31 RDS 81 HVY ARTY FM 5550 MILS FM CAMP KISTLER, 5900
 MILS FM YD 298745 AND 5767 MILS FM YD 298745 COUNTER
 BTRY FIRED BY NGF AND 12TH MAR. RES: 1
 KIA, 1 WIA MED. REACTION TIME BY NGF RPTD AS
 32 MINUTES.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REFER TO SITREP NR 292 PARA 3A. SEARCHED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT W/NEG RES.

B. AT 120900H, A/3/21 USA FND THE FOLLIST OF EN ITEMS WHILE CONDUCTING CLEARING PTL IN VIC 273704. ITMES WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MAR S-2. 2 ID CARDS, A GUARD ROSTER, 1 NOTEBOOK, CONSISTING OF GEOGRAPICK LAND XIVISIONS, 1 HAMMOCK. THE ID CARDS LISTED AS A UNIT THE 20-7 DIV, THE HAMMOCK HAD THE SONG CAV DIV AND ALSO THE 20-7 CIV INSCRIBED ON IT. ALSO FND 6 AX-47'S UND 2 60MMMORTS.
RES: 6 IWC, 2CSWC.

C. AT 111701H, F/2/4 IN VIC YD 277667 HEARD A RR RND WHISTLE OVERHEAD FM N TO S. OBSFD FLASH FM EN PSN IN VIC YD 271669. FIRED 81M M MSNS W/UNK RES.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA: USA 33, USMC 289

WIU MED: USA 63, YUSMC 1215

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 310 USMC

1YMIA USA.

ENEMY

2551 NVA KIA, 55NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 269 DET

122 INN CIV, 467 IWC, 105 CWC.

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 DE UUMHVP 2530C 134000
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 130733Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIC COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SWLINE

SITREP NR 295 FM 121801H TO 122400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT
 AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. C8, D20, J21, K1, L2, R2, AA4, BB1, DD1, EE2,

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 2110H, C/3/21 SPOTTED 2 GROUPS OF 2-3 NVA MOVING
 NORTH EAST IN VIC (YD 270706). ARTY MISSION FIRED ON ENEMY
 WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. AT 2030H, C/3/21 LP HEARD ESTIMATED 3 NVA TALKING IN
 VIETNAMESE IN VIC (YD 269703). ARTY MISSION ADJUSTED ON NVA
 W/ UNKNOWN RESULTS. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

C. AT 122100H, G/2/4 OBSERVED 2-3 NVA IN VIC (YD 258658)
 APPROACHING THEIR PERIMETER. INITIATED FIRE WITH S/A AND M-79.
 WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

D. AT 122050H, PPS-5 RADAR SPOTTED APPROX 16 TO 20 NVA/VC
 IN VIC (YD 288714) MOVING SOUTH. WAITED UNTIL ENEMY ENTERED
 PRE-ARRANGED KILL ZONE AND FIRED 6 ROUNDS 106MM BELEIVED
 AND 3 ROUNDS 90MM BEEHIVE, 10 ROUNDS 81MM. ONLY 4 NVA /VC
 WERE OBS LEAVING KILL ZONE.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITION AND CONTINUE TO CONDUCT
 NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USMC KIA 289 WIA (MEDEVAC) 1215, WIA (MINOR) 312, U
 USA KIA 33, WIA (MEDEVAC) 63, WIA (MINOR) 58, MIA 1

B. REFUGEES: NONE

C. ENEMY

2551 NVA KIA

55 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

269 DET

2 CIV DEF

122 INN CIV

467 IA IWC, 165 CSWC

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00 UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMHVP 2545C 1340839
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 130839Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIC COG
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF CCC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 296 FM & 130001H TO 130600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT ACTIVITIES.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. LATE ENTRY: 122300H LP FROM H/2/4 OBSR MOVEMENT IN FRONT TO THEIR POSITION VIC (YD 275665). 2 LP'S ENGAGED SUSPECTED ENEMY WITH S/A FIRE RESULTS UNKN. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.
 - B. LATE ENTRY: AT 122305H, 0 CO 1ST AVTRAC BN WITH WOD AT C-4 DETECTED 4 NVA MOVING SOUTH VIC (YD 285720) AND AT 130050H 4 : NVA WAS DETECTED VIC (YD 286710) MOVING SOUTH.

FIRE 81MM MORTAR 90MM BEEHIVE AND NGF WNS. RESULTS UNKN.

5. PLANS: D/1/3 WILL CONDUCT A COMPANY SWEEP FROM (YD 335636) TO THE WEST (YD 275645). ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR

USMC KIA 289, WIA (MEDEVAC) 1215, WIA (MINOR) 310
 USA KIA 33, WIA (MEDEVAC) 63, WIA (MINOR) 58, MIA 1
 ENEMY

2551 NVA KIA
 55 NVA POW
 57 VC KIA
 9 VC POW
 267 DET
 2 CIV DEF
 122 INN CIV
 467 IWC, 165 CSWC
 GP-4
 BT

UU UUMHMA UUMMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 2588C 1350317
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 140317Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON /SALINE SITREP NR 297 FM 130000H 131200H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. REF TO SITRE NR 295 PARA 4C. SEARCHED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT AND FND BODY OF 1 NVA. RES 1 NVA KIA.

B. AT 130800H, WHILE APPROACHING BATTLE AREA OF 12 MAY G/2/4 FND 4 NVA BODIES KILLED BY ARTY FIRED ON THEIR WITH-DRAWAL RECOVERED 1 A-47, 1 LMG, DOCUMENTS IN WALLET. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MARINES S-2. RESLTS: 4 NVA KIA, 1 IWC, 1 CSWC.

C. DIV OPERATIONS OFFICER INFORMED 3D MARINES TO PICK UP 76 MOR KBA FOR OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE FROM 02 MAY TO 12 MAY DUE TO BDA REPORTS RECEIVED BY DIV AIR OFFICER. RES: 76 NVA KIA.

D. AT 130310H, G3/2/4 FND NVA IN BUNKER IN VIC YD 264659 AND EXCHANGED SAF REC 1 WIA. SURROUNDED HIM AND AFTER REPEATED ATTEMPTS BY VN INTERPRETER GET NVA TO SURRENDER G/3/2/4 KILLED HIM AT 131200H. RES: 1 WIA MED, 1 NVA KIA, 1 IWC.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 121330H, A/3/21 MADE SWEEP OF PERIM IN VIC YD 268704 AND FND CHICOM RADIO W/FREQ OF 4.35. RADIO WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2.

B. AT 130545H, AMB FROM C1/3 OBS 1 INDIGENOUS MALE MOVING NORTH UP RIVER IN VIC YD 274620. APPREHENDED AND QUESTIONED AT C/1/3 CP. RELEASED AS INN: RES: 1 DET, 1 CIV INN.

C. AT 131015H, A/1/3 RPTD INDIV ACCIDENTALLY SHOT HIMSELF IN LITTLE FINGER WHILE CLEANING M-16. MARINE MED TO D-MED. SIR WILL FOLL THROUGH ADMIN CHANNELS.

5. PLAYS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 289 USMC, 33 USS

WIA MED: 1216 USMC, 63 USA

WIA MINOR: 310 USMC, 58 USA

1 MIA USA

ENEMY

2653 NVA KIA, 55 NVA POW, 57 VC KIAA 0 VC POW, 270 DET, 2 CIV DEF, 123 INN CIV, 469 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
DE RUMHVP 2587C 135 03 16
ZNY CCCCC
O 140316Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 298 FM 131201-131800H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS:
A. AT 131215H, C/3/21 USA VIC YD 266704 OBSR 3NVA
NEAR TREELING TO THE NORTH EAST OF THEIR PSNS. FIRED
ARTY MSN. SEARCHED AREA AND FND 2 NVA KIA.
B. AT 131615H, B/3/21 OBSR 1 NVA IN VIC YD 2657000. ENGAGED
NVA W/SAF. RES: 1 NVA KIA, 1 IWC
4. SIG EVENTS:
A. LATE ENTRY: AT 131100H, A MARINE FM C/1/3 ACCIDENTALLY
DISCHARGED A M-79, RD STRUCK ANOTHER MARINE IN RIGHT ARM BREAKING
IT. THE RD DID NOT EXPLO. INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED.
A SIR WILL FOLL THROGH ADMIN CHANNELS. RES: 1 USM
NBC MED.
5. PLANS: SAME
6. CUM LOSSES:
FR VIAC 289 USMC, 33 USA
WIA MED: 1216 USMC, 63 USA
310 WIA MINOR USMC, 58 USA
1 USA MIA.
ENEMY
2636 NVA KIA
55 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 210 DET,
2 CIV DEF, 123 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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 I FM JUMHMA/III MAR COG
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OWN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 259 FM 131301-132400H MAY 68.

1. LOC:

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2. SUB: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 132240H, AMB FM 1ST ANTRAC BN VIC YD 2937500 OBS 3 NVA MOVING IN VIC YD 345695. ENGAGED NVA W/SAF AND M-79. RES 1 NVA KIA, 1 UNIF HELMET BATTLE DRESSING AND MISC PAPERS.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 131530H 3D MARINES APPREHENDED 2 VC FEMALES AGE 7 AND 12 VIC YD 345695. THEY WERE ATTEMPTING TO SELL MARIJUANA TO MARINES. THEY WERE INTERROGATED BY A DET OF 15 TH CIT. THE YOUNGER GIRL WAS REL AS AN INN CIV. THE OTHER WAS FWD TO 3D MAR AS CIV DEF. RES 2 DET, 1 INN CIV, 1 CIV DEF.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 131830H, PTL FM M/2/4 MOVING ALONG RIVER VIC YD 249642 OBSR 3 VN MALES 1 CARRYING OBJECTS. THE VN SAW THE PTL AND STARTED TO RUN. THE PTL PURSUED AND APPREHENDED 1 VN BURYING HELD PRIS IN HAYSTACK. HE WAS TAKEN TO BLD 2/4 CP FOR INTERROGATION AND WILL BE FWD TO 3D MAR G-2. ALONG W/HELD PARTS FOR FURTHER INTERROGATION. RES:

1 DET.

C. AT 131940H G/2/4 VIC YD 249659 REC'D SPORADIC SAF FM

1-2 NVA VIC YD 263660. REC'D SAF M-79 AND 60MM AND ARMY. SEARCHED AREA AND FND FOOTPRINTS. NEG CAS SUSTAINED.

D. REF TO MY SITREP NR207 PARA 4A. RADIO WAS TAMPERED WITH IN THE FIELD. ORIGINAL PREQ UNK.

E. AT 132050H C/3/21 OBS'D 2 NVA IN VIC YD 268706.

ENGAGED NVA W/M-79. RES UNK. WILL SEARCH AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

F. AT 132443H C/3/21 OBS'D 2 NVA VIC YD 270706. ONE APPREARED TO BE CARRYING A RADIO. FIRED ARTY MSN. RES UNK. WILL SEARCH AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

G. AT 132445H A/3/21 OBS'D 1 NVA IN VIC YD 267705. THREW M-79 GRN. RES UNK. WILL SEARCH AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR KIA: 289 USMC, 33 USA

WI MED: 1216 USMC, 63 USA

WI MINOR: 310 USMC, 1 USA

ENEMY

2637 NVA KIA, 55 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 273 DET, 3 CIV DET, 123 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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 DE UUMHVP 2633C 135 1149
 ZNY CCCCC
 O 141145Z MAY 68
 FM THRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEV/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 300 FM 140001H - 140600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 140135H H&S CO 1ST AMTRAC PTL YD 333669 RECV'D SAS
 BY EST'D 15-20 VC MOVING W TO E VIC YD 332669.

RETURNED FIRE WITH M-79 AND SAF WITH UNK RES. NEG CAS.

4. SIG EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 289 KIA, 1216 WIA EVAC, 310 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2637 NVA KIA, 55 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC PW, 273 DET,

123 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC

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SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS AT SITREP NR 300

1. ENEMY CONTACT: NONE

2. SIG EVENTS: NONE

3. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

00 UUMSEA UUMSEM
DE UUMHVP 2645C 135 1445
ZNY CCCCC
O 141445Z MAY 68

FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 301 FM 140600H 141200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:
 - A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 140130H, TF CLEARWATER REPORTED BOAT ANCHORED AT YD 324684 WAS HIT TWICE WITH RKIS. BELIEVED TO BE B-40'S. FIRED M-79 IN SUSPECTED ENEMY DIRECTION. NEG CAS AND SLIGHT DAMAGE.
 - B. AT 140915H, PATROL FROM B/3/21 RECV'D 2 RND S OF 82MM MORTAR IN VIC YD 260705. NEG CAS.
 - C. AT 141055H, A CO AND 2 /01-599, OF D/3/21 MOVED TO 3/21 BN CP FRO ADMIN PURPOSES.
 - D. AT 140845H, PATROL FROM B/3/21 USA RECEIVED 2 INCOMING MORTAR RND S AT YD 260705. NEG CAS.
 - E. REFER TO SITREP NR 300 APPRA 3 CHECKED AREA AT FIRST AKLIGHT AND FND 1 M-26 GRENADE, 1 SANDAL, NUMEROUS EXPENDED 38 CAL AND AX-47 RND S. FOOTPRINTS INDICATE 13-20 NVA/VC FLED TOWRD HA TAY YD 348682.
 - F. AT 1410300H, G/2/4 OBSV'D 2 NVA IN VIC YD 260571, 1 WEARING GREEN AND 1 BLACK. FIRED 60MM MORTAR MSN, WILL CHECK AREA.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 289 KIA, 1216 WIA EVAC, 310 WIA MINOR
(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA
ENWC 2637 NVA KIA, 55 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC PW, 273 DET, 128 INN CIV,
470 IWC, 167 CSWC

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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 302 FR 141201H-141800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATION: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 302 PARA 4F. SEARCHED AREA WITH NEG RESULTS:

B. AT 141300H, PATROL FROM B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN FOUND 1 140MM ROCKET BURIED IN SAND VIC (YD 298748), IT APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN DAMAGED BY ARTY. DESTROYED ROCKET.

5. PLANS ALL UNITS MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY:

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 WIA

USMC

239 KIA

1216 WIA (MEDEVAC)

310 WIA (MINOR)

1 NVA

2637 NVA KIA

55 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

273 DET

0 CIV DEF

123 INN CIV

170 IWC, 167 CSWC

GP-4

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PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

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 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 303 FM 141801H-122400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT
 AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND OP'S.

B. C14, D18, J21, K2, L1, R1, A45, CC4, DD1, EE3

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: 141730H A MARINE FROM D/1/3 WHILE ON
 PATROL WAS STARTLED, TURNED AROUND AND HAD AN ACCIDENTAL
 DISCHARGE FROM HIS M-16 RIFLE. THE ROUND WOUNDED A VN WOMAN
 IN STOMACH. SHE WAS MEDEVACED TO QUANG TRI. AN INVESTIGATION
 BEING CONDUCTED; AN SIR WILL FOLLOW THROUGH ADMIN CHANNELS.

B. AT 142115H, C/3/21 USA OBSERVED 2 NVA CLOSE TO LIGHT
 IN VIC (YD 269707). ARTY MISSION FIRED, LIGHT WENT OUT.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT
 AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND OP'S..

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

289 KIA

1216 WIA

310 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

USMC

33 KIA

63 WIA

5 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

B. REFUGEES: NONE.

C. ENEMY:

2637 NVA KIA

55 NVA POW

55 VC KIA

9 VC POW

273 DET

3 CIV DEF

123 INN CIV

473 IWC, 167 CSWC

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FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF IOC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 304 FM 150001H-150600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT ACTIVITIES.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.
4. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
A. AT 150015H E/2/1/3 RECEIVED 1 FRAG GRENADE, 2 M-79 ROUNDS, AND APPROX 20 ROUNDS OF S/A FIRE IN VIC (XD326630). ARTY FIRED 1 ROUND OF ILLUM, NEG ENEMY SIGHTING MADE.
5. PLANS: ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S EXCEPT BLT 2/4 WHICH WILL RELOCATE POSITIONS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRINELDY
USMC

289 KIA
1216 WIA (MEDEVAC)
310 WIA (MINOR)
USA

33 KIA
63 WIA (MEDEVAC)
58 WIA (MINOR)
1 MIA

B. ENEMY
2637 NVA KIA
55 NVA POW
57 VC KIA
9 VC POW
279 DET

3 CIV DEF
125 INN CIV
167 IWC 470 CSWC
GP-4
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 305 FM 150601H-151200H

1. UNITS LOSTATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING
 (1) 150601H-151200H

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: E AND F/2/4 PREPARED TO RELIEVE
 C AND B 3/21 USA RESPECTIVELY. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED
 AND IMPROVED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND
 OPS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 150610H, A MARINE FROM G/2/4 ACCIDENTALLY FIRED
 HIS RIFLE. THE ROUND HIT ONE OF HIS TOES ON LEFT FOOT.
 INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED. SIR WILL FOLLOW. RESULT:
 1 MDC (MEDEVAC).

B. AT 150745H, G/2/4 REPORTED THAT AN AO SPOTTED A BODY
 IN SAND DUNS VIC (YD255665). A CLOSE CHECK REVEALED THE
 BODY TO BE NVA SOLDIER. RESULTS: 1 NVA KIA.

C. AT 150900H, B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN FOUND 3 AT MINES VIC
 (YD293756) MINES DESTROYED IN PLACE.

D. ON 14 MAY A CORPSMAN FROM 1/3 TREATED A CHILD FROM
 VILLAGE OF GIA DO VIC (YD274529) WITH POSSIBLE CHOLERA.
 THE CHILD WAS MEDEVAC TO QUANG TRI. WORD WAS RECEIVED 15
 MAY THAT THE CHILD DIED. DOCTOR FROM 1/3 IS INVESTIGATING
 IF CHOLERA DID EXIST AND PREPARING TO TREAT ALL PERSONNEL
 WHO HAVE BEEN AROUND VILLAGE DURING THE PERIOD TO PREVENT
 POSSIBLE EPIDEMIC IF CHOLERA EXISTS.

E. PLANS: F/2/4 WILL RELIEVE B/3/21 USA IN PLACE AND E/2/4
 WILL RELIEVE C/3/21 USA IN PLACE. A, B, C, D/3/21 WILL
 MOVE TO VIC 3/21 CP LOCATION. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN
 AND IMPROVE POSITION AND CONDUCT DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND

OP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

289 KIA

1216 WIA (MEDEVAC)

310 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. ENEMY:

2638 NVA KIA

55 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

273 DET

3 CIV DEF

123 INN CIV

470 IWC, 167 CSWC

GP-4

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 DE UUMHVP 2740C 1361307
 ZNY CCCCC

PCV TOC -I- III MAF COC

O 151807Z MAY 68
 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 306 FM 151201H-151800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING

A/3/21 (YD 238677)	E/2/4 (YD 270705)
B/3/21 (YD 237669)	F/2/4 (YD 268700)
C/3/21 (YD 238668)	G/2/4 (YD 284670)
D/3/21 (YD 283682)	H/2/4 (YD 280607)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: BLT 2/4 AND 3/21 USA COMPLETED RELOCATION OF POSITIONS WHILE ALL OTHER UNITS CONTINUED TO MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. REFER TO NY SITREP NR 305 PARA 4D. NGF SPOTTED SAW 8 NVA FALL. SHORTLY AFTERWARD ADVISOR AT A-1 SAW NVA DRAGGING 8 BODIES AWAY. ADD 8 NVA KIA TO PREVIOUS TOTALS.

B. AT 151840H WHILE 2 AMTRACS WERE MOVING TO F/2/4 POSITIONS HEAD VEHICLE HIT A MINE IN VIC (YD284677) RESULTING IN 1 WIA AND UNDETERMINED DAMAGE TO VEHICLE. VEHICLE IS IMMOBILE AT THIS TIME. 1 RPT FROM G/2/4 IS PROVIDING SECURITY. RESULTS: 1 WIA (MINOR)

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 151145H PATROL FROM 1ST AMTRAC BN IN VIC (YD362668) APPREHENDED 8 CIVILIANS. ONLY ONE HAD ID CARD. HE ALSO HAD TWO MAPS. THE DETAINEES FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2 FOR INTERROGATION. RESULTS: 8 DETAINEES.

5. Ø- : ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN CURRENT POSITIONS AND COMMENCE NIGHT AMBUSHES PATROLS AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

SMC

229 KIA

1215 WIA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

Ø MIA

B. ENEMY

2646 NVA KIA

55 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC POW

281 DET

3 CIV DEF

123 INN CIV

470 IWC, 167 CSWC

GP-4

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 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 160401Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 307 FM 151800-152400H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM:

SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 152215H, LP FM B/1/3 OBS'D 1 NVA VC AND TOOK HIM
 UNDER SAF. SWEEPED AREA IN VICYD 291637. INPROCESS
 OF SWEEPING AREA 1 MARINE WOUNDED BY EN SAF. 81MM
 MSN FIRED W/GOOD TGT COV.
 AREA CHECKED W/NEG RES. 1 WIA MED.

4. SIG EVENTS

A. AT 152215H, C-4 USING PPS-5 AND NOD DETECTED 3 GROUPS
 OF 3-4 NVA EACH IN VIC D 289669 AND YD 295702
 MOVING SW. FIRED 81MM MORT MSN W/UNK RES.

B. AT 152310H, 3/21 USA IN VIC YD 283689 RPTD
 1 NVA WAS SLEEPING INTO PERIM. NVA COULD NOT BE FIRE UPON
 DUE TO PROXIMITY OF FR TROOPS. TRYING TO LOCATE NVA AT THIS TIME.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

KIA: 33 USA, 289 USMC

WIA MED: 63 USA, 1217 USMC

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 311 USMC

1 USA MIA.

ENEMY

2646 NVA KIA, 55 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 281 DET,
 3 CIV DEF, 123 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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DE DIV AND NR 2224V

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DE UUMHVP 2781C 1371206
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PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
O 161206Z MAY 8
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPM NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 308 FM 160001H - 160600H MAY 8

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 152305H, PATROL FM B/1ST AMTRAC BNIN VIC YD 293751 APREHENDED 1 NVA MOVING FM S TO N DRESSED IN UTIL AND PITH HELMET. SEARCH REVEALED MISC PAPERS BUT NO WPN. PW WILL BE FWD'D TO BN S-2. RES: 1 NVA POW.

B. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 307 PARA 4 B D/3/21 SWEEP AREA INSIDE PERIMETER AT 160005H AND 160245H WITH NEG RES.

C. AT 160343H, 1ST AMTRAC BN RPT'D NAVY PATROL BOAT OBSV'D 12 VW ASSEMBLING VIC YD 329697. -7975 HALF OF GROUP MOVED W. REMAINDER STAYED ON RIVER BANK. PATROLS SENT TO CHECK BITH.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 289 KIA, 1217 WIA EVAC, 311 WIA MINR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR

EN: 2646 NVA KIA, 56 NVA PW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC PW, 281 DET, 3 CIV DE, 123 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC

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 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 171004Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
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PERISHABLE INFORMATION DO NOT SERVICE
 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE
 SITREP NR 303 FM 160600H TO 161200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATION: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS EXCEPT B3/21 MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED POSITION AND CONDUCTED DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S. 3/21 COMMENCED HELIFIFT TO QUANG TRI AIRFIELD.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 308 PARA 4C. A PATROL WAS DISPATCHED TO CHECK AREA, PATROL APPREHENDED 11 VN MALE IN AREA. THE DETAINEE WAS FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2 AND INTERROGATED AND RELEASED AS INNOCENT, CIVILIAN. RESULTS: 1 DET AND 1 INNOCIV.
 - B. REFER TO MY SITREP RN 307 PARA 4B. SEARCHED AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.
 - C. AT 161115H, F/2/4 IN VIC (YD 265 762) FOUND THE FOLLOWING OD

ORDNANCE: 11 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 RUSSIAN FRAG GRENADE, 2-82MM AND 1-60MM MORTAR RDS, 500RDS OF 7.62 AMMO, ALL ORDNANCE DESTROYED.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS EXCEPT 3/21 WILL MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S. 3/21 WILL CONTINUE HELIFIFT TO QUANG TRI AIRFIELD.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA MINOR

1 MIA

USMC

289 KIA

1217 WIA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2646 NVA/KIA

56 NVA/POW

57 VC/KIA

9 VC/POW

282 DET

3 CIV DEF

124 INN CIV

470 IWC

167 CSWC

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 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 171005Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

PERISHABLE INFORMATION DO NOT SERVICE
 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 310 FM 161200H TO 161800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED
 CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY ACTIVITIES EXCEPT 3/21
 USA WHICH COMPLETED HELO LIFT TO QUANG TRI AIRFIELD AT 161755H.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: ALT 160800H E/2/4 IN VIC (YD 23780)
 FOUND 2-82MM RECOILESS GUN RDS IN CONTAINERS. RDS WILL BE
 FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2.

B. AT 161400H, 3D MAR PASSED OPCON OF 3/21 USA TO 3D MAR
 DIV.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND COMMENCE NIGHT
 AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC 289 KIA

1217 WIA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2646 NVA/KIA

56 NVA/POW

57 VC/KIA

9 VC/POW

282 DET

3 CIV DEF.

124 INN CIV

470 IWC, 167 CSWC

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 FM UUMSEA/III MAF COC
 171000Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/POV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 311 FM 161801H TO 162400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITION AND CONDUCTED NIGHT

AMBUSHES PATROLS AND LP'S.

B. C18, D23, J13, K1, V1, AA4, BB3, CC9.

C. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 162021H A/1/3 FOUND THE FOLLOWING U.S. AND ENEMY EQUIPMENT IN VIC (YD 252631). U.S. EQUIPMENT, 1 BELT M-60

AMMO 1 CARTRIDGE BELT 5 CANTEEN COVERS 2 CLAYMORE MINES

1-80MM AND 1-60MM MORTAR RDS, 2-26 GRENADES 24-79 RDS

1-3.5 ROCKET RDS 4 LAAW'S. NVA EQUIPMENT 2 RPG RDS 10

CHI COM GRENADES 1 CHI COM GRENADE PUCH 6 HELMETS 3-82MM MORTAR RDS

15 RDS OF 7.2 AMMO. UNSERVICEABLE U.S. AND NVA EQUIPMENT WAS DESTROYED.

ALL SERVICEABLE U.S. EQUIPMENT PUT IN SUPPLY SYSTEM.

B. AT 162255H OP AT OCEANVIEW (YD 298749) OBSR 7 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS

FM ARC LIGHT STRIKE

5. PLANS

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT

AMBUSHES PATROLS AND LP'S.

B. C11, D24, J19, K2, W2 AA8, CC9.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

289 KIA

1217 WIA (MEDVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. REFUGEES: NONE

C. ENEMY

2646 NVA / KIA

56 NVA/POW

57 VC/KIA

9 VC POW

282 DET

3CIV DEF

124 INVCIV

470 IWC 167 CSWC

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PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

O 180202Z MAY 68.

FM THIRD MARDIV COC

TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC

INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC

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OPV NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 312 FM 170001-170600H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 162325H F/2/4 OBSR MOVEMENT OF APPROX

10 NVA IN VIC YD 268699. ENGAGED EN W/SA AND 60MM

MORT MSN AND RECD 4 RDS OF SAF. WILL SEARCH AREA

AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. AT 170015H, F/2/4 DETECTED MOVEMENT IN FRONT OF THEIR

PSN VIC YD 269699. FIRE 60MM MORT MSN. WILL SEARCH

AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR:

VIA: 33 USA, 289 USMC

63 USA, 1217 WIA MED USMC

VIA MINOR: 53 USA, 311 USMC

1 USA MIA.

ENEMY

2546 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 282 DET, 3 CIV DEF,

124 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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 DE UUMHVP 2894C 139067
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 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 180633Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 313 FM 170601H - 171200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

AT 170925H, E/2/4 PATROL IN VIC YD 256774 MADE CONTACT WITH EST
 4 NVA IN BUNYRS. PATROL ENGAGED EN WITH ARTY AND RIMM MSNS WHILE REMAINING

R
 OF E/2/4 WITH 2 TANKS JOINED PATROL E CO RECV'D SAF FROM ADDITION NVA
 VIC YD 253714. AND AO ADJUSTED ARTY MSNS ON ENEMY.
 DIRECT FIRE FROM TANKS WAS UTILIZED. E CO BROKE CONTACT AT
 1155H, AO CONT TO ADJUST FIRES FROM 3 ARTY BTRYS ON SUSP EN
 POS. INITIAL RES: 5 WIA EVAC, 3, : 5 KIA (KBA) 2 VIA (BY ARTY)
 MORE TO FOLLOW

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 312 PARA 4A AND B. SEARCHED
 AREA AT FIRST LIGHT AND FND BLOOD STAINS AND DRAG MARKS
 LEADING TO THE WEST.

B AT 170750H, AN OTHER WITH C/1/3 PERSONNEL ABOARD
 TURNED OVER ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE BO DIEU RIVER VIC YD 267626.
 1 MAN IS MISSING. DIVERS HAVE BEEN DISPATCHED TO SEARCH RIVER.

C. AT 170915H, B/1/3 REPORTED THAT 2 YOUNG VN PICKED UP
 A DUD M-79. THE RND EXPLODED AND WOUNDED THE 2 VN AND THEY
 WERE TREATED AT 1/3 BAS AND WERE MEDEVACED BY HELO TO QUANG TRI.

D. AT 170945H, A/1/3 APPREHENDED 1 VN MALE WHO HAD SERVED
 ONLY ONE YEAR IN THE ARVN. HE WILL BE SENT TO 3D MARINES
 FOR INTERROGATION. RES: 1 DET.

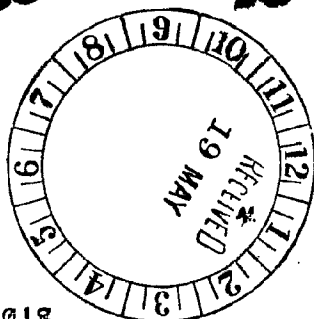
5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 289 KIA, 1222 WIA EVAC, 311 WIA MINOR
 (USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA
 EN: 2653 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 57 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 283 DET
 3 CIV DEF, 124 INN CIV, 470 IWC, 167 CSWC
 GP-4

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 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 C 181018Z MAY 68
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 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

PERISHABLE INFORMATION DO NOT SERVICE
 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 314 FM 171201H TO 171800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED
 POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: REFER TO MY SITREP NR 313 PARA 3. ADDITIONAL
 RESULTS OF THIS MORNING CONTACT. 2 KIA, 8 WIA (MEDEVAC).
 SEE PARA 4 BELOW FOR ADDITIONAL ENEMY LOSSES.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 170755H, H2/4 FOUND 1 SKS IN VIC
 (YD 259674) . SVS WILL BE FORWARDED TO BLT 2/4 S-2. RESULTS:
 1 IWC.

B. LATE ENTRY: 171130H, F2/4 VIC (YD271697) OBSR 3-5
 PEOPLE IN TREE LINE VIC (YD272693) CARRYING WEAPONS: FIRED
 81MM MORTAR MSN WITH EXCELLENT TARGET COVERAGE. CHECKED AREA
 WITH NEG RESULTS.

C. AT 171305H, E/2/4 VIC (YD257713) RECEIVED 3 RDS
 ESTIMATED 130MM ARTY. AO AND OP'S TRIED TO OBSR SOURCE OF
 ARTY. NEG CASUALTIES SUSTAINED.

D. AT 171330H, A/1/3 VIC (YD254629) FOUND THE FOLLOWING
 EQUIPMENT: 6 AT MINES, 4 BLOCKS OF TNT, 3 RPG RDS, 100RDS
 AV-47, 100RDS 7.62AMMO, 1 FEED PLATE FOR 50 CAL MG. ALL
 ITEMS DESTROYED.

E. AT 171336, A SWIMMER BOAT FROM BLT2/4 HIT A SUBMERGED
 OBJ INJURING THE DRIVER AND THE PROPELLER AND MOTOR. RESULTS:
 1 NBC (MINOR).

F. FIXED WING AIR STRIKE ON (YD 255715) DURING THE PERIOD
 171430H TO 171442H. THE RESULTS ARE 1 NVA KBA, 5 FIGHTING
 HOLES DESTROYED. ARTY MSN WAS FIRED BY AO ON THE SAME GRID.

RESULT: 4 NVA KIA. TOTAL 5 NVA KIA

G. AT 171515H, E/2/4 RECEIVED 4 RDS OF UNK SIZE ARTY FROM A DIRECTION OF 6000 MILLS. FIRED NGF ON SUSPECTED ENEMY TARGETS. NEGATIVE CASUALTIES SUSTAINED.

H. AT 171537H, E/2/4 RECEIVE S/A FIRE FROM VIC (YD 263707). FIRED 81MM MORTAR MSN ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS. NEGATIVE CASUALTIES SUSTAINED.

I. REFER TO MY SITREP R 313 PARA 4B. AT 171725H, OTTER HAS BEEN RETRIEVED FROM THE RIVER VIC (YD267625).

RESULTS: 4 BUNKERS AND 30 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DESTROYED.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

1 MC

231 KIA

1238 WIA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2658 NVA KIA

56 NVA POW

57 VC KIA

9 VC PW

283 DET

3 CIV DEF

124 INN CIV

471 IWC, 167 CSWC

GP-4

00 UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMHVP 2898C 1391017
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 181017Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE

SITREP NR 315 FM 171801H TO 172400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT

31/2/4 (YD304680)

H1/2/4 (YD259659)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND COMMENCED NIGHT
 AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. C11, D24, J19, V2, W2, AAR, CCS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 171700H, C/1/3 REPORTED A VIETNAMESE CHILD TRIPPED
 A CHICOM SURPRISE FIRING DEVICE IN VIC (YD278628) RECEIVING
 MULTIPLE WOUNDS ON ARMS AND LEGS. CHILD MEDEVAC AND AREA
 CHECKED FOR SIMILAR FIRING DEVICES.

B. AT 172005H, LP FROM D/1/3 SPOTTED 1 MALE IN WATER
 IN VIC (YD308638), AFTER BEING APPREHENDED, MALE STARTED TO RUN
 AND TWO SHOTS WERE FIRED, HITTING HIM IN BUTTOKS, TOO
 TO D/1/3 POSITION WHERE MALE DIED OF INTERNAL BLEEDING.

HOLDING BODY UNTIL MORNING, WHICH TIME BODY WILL BE RETURNED
 TO FAMILY AND CONDOLENCES WILL BE MADE. NOT REFLECTED IN TOTALS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITION AND CONTINUE NIGHT
 ACTIVITIES.

B. C11, D24, E2, J19, V1, U1, AA7, CC11, EE1

C. CUMULATIVE LOSSES

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

291 KIA

1230 WIA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

E. REFUGEES: NONE

C. ENEMY

2658 NVA/VIA

56 NVA/POW

57 VC/VIA

9 VC/POW

233 DET

3 CIV DEF

124 INNCIV

471 IWC, 167 CSWC

SP-4

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DE UUMHVP 2897C 1391016
ZNY CCCCC
PCV TOC-T- III MAF COC
O 181016Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
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PERISHABLE INFORMATION DO NOT SERVICE
OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE
SITREP NR 316 FM 180001H TO 180600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND

CONDUCTED NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. REFER TO SITREP NR 315 PARA 4B : MALE VIETNAMESE OUT AFTER CURFEW AND RESISTED CAPTURE: RESULTS: IVC KIA

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 180036H ELEMENTS OF F/2/4 SUSPECTED ENEMY MOVEMENT IN VIC (YD 255715). ARTY MISSION FIRED ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. AT 180210H LP FROM F/2/4 OBSERVED 5 NVA/VC WITH WHAT APPEARED A MORTAR TUBE IN VIC (YD 272697). FIRED 60MM MORTAR MISSION AND ENEMY DISPERSED. AT 180255H ENEMY RETURNED TO POSITION (YD 272697). ANOTHER 60MM MORTAR MISSION AND ENEMY DISPERSED AGAIN WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

C. AT 180430H F/2/4 RECEIVED 3 ROUNDS OF INCOMING MORTAR FIRE IN VIC (YD 269695) FROM EAST SIDE OF RIVER. NEG CASUALTIES REPORTED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY AMBUSHES PATROLS AND OPS EXCEPT G(-) 2/4 WHICH WILL CONDUCT SWEEP IN VIC (YD 285689) LAM XUAM.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

53 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

291 KIA

1230 WIA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. ENEMY

2658 VNA KIA

56 NVA POW

58 VC KIA

9 VC POW

283 DET

3 CIV DEF

124 INN CIV

171 IWC, 167 CSWC

00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
DE UUMHVP 2922C 1391310
ZNY CCCCC

PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

0 181810Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC

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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 317 FM 180601-181200H

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S EXCEPT G(-) 2/4 CONDUCTED A SWEEP OF LAN XUAN EAST VIC (YD 285689).
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: AT 181045H, A/1/3 FOUND THE FOLLOWING AMMO IN A TRENCH LINE VIC (YD258545) 12-82MM AND 2-60MM MORTAR RDS, AND 1-155 MM ARTY RD(DUD), ALL AMMO DESTROYED IN PLACE.
5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S, EXCEPT G(-) 2/4 WILL CONDUCT SWEEP OF LAN XUAN EAST. 3/9 (-) ARRIVES IN 3D MAR AO COMMENCING 1500H.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 MIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

295 MIA

1230 QA (MEDEVAC)

311 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

B. ENEMY

2658 NVA MIA

56 NVA POW

58 VC MIA

9 VC POW

283 DET

3 CIV DEF

124 INN CIV

471 IWC, 167 CSWC,

GP-4

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DE DIV AND NR 441

OO UUMSEA UUMSEM
DE UUMHVP 2984C 141013Z
ZNY CCCCC
PCV TOC -I- III MAF CCG

O 200132Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV CCG
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
INFO UUMSEA/III MAF CCG
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OPM NAPOLEON/SLAINE SITREP NR 318 FM 181201H - 1818100H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACT SC NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:
 - A. AT 180930H, WHILE CHECKING AREA IN VIC YD 272696 F/2/4 FND 712 GEAR AND ORDNANCE LAYING ABOUT THE AREA. CHECKED AS MANY CIVILIANS IN AREA AS POSSIBLE AND FND 2 WITHOUT ID CARSS. FOLLWNG ORDNANCE AND EQUIP FND. 1 RIFLE GRENADE, 2 CHI COM GRENADES, 100 RND OF 7.62 AMMO. 1 GAS MASK AND ASSORTED DOCUMENTS. DOCUMENTS AND 2 DET WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2.
 - B. AT 181235H, A/1/3 FND 1 81MM RND, 1 B-40 RT AND 1 ANTI TANK MINES AT VIC YD 268649. ALL BLOWN IN PLACE
 - C. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 313 APARA 4B. AT 181535H, BODY FROM OVER TRUNED OTTER LOCATED AT YD 272625.
 - D. AT 181615H, 3D MARINES ASSUMED OPCON OF 3/9.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 311 WIA MINOR
(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINR, 1 MIA
EN: 2658 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 284 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
124 INN CIV, 471 IWC, 167 CSWC
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1. DIV AND NR 443

1. UUMSEA UUMSEM
 2. UUMHVP 2983 C 1410131
 3. CCCCC
 4. NOV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 5. 06001817 MAY 68
 6. UNTER WARDIV COC
 7. UNTER/PCV TOC
 8. UNTER UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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1. C O N F I D E N T I A L
 2. GEN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 319 FM 181800H - 182400H MAY 68
 3. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
 4. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
 5. ENEMY CONTACT:
 A. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 314 PARA 4F. -AO SOUTHER BRAVO
 REPORTED 11 MORE NVA KILLED BY ARTY. RES: 11 NVA KIA.
 6. SIG EVENTS:
 A. AT 181800H, B/1/3 APPREHENDED 1 VIET MALE WITH OUT I D CARD.
 IN VIC YD 287627. DET WAS SENT TO 1/3 CP FOR QUESTIONING.
 WILL FORWARD TO 3D MARINES S-2.
 RES: 1 DET,

7. AT 182000H, E/2/4 OBSV'D BUNKERS AND SUSPECTED ENEMY
 MOVEMENT IN VIC YD 251716. FIRED 81MM MORTAR MSN WITH
 EXC TGT COV.

8. AT 182030H, LP FROM F/2/4 OBSV'D 4 PERSONS MOVING
 SE DIRECTION IN VIC YD 265700. FIRED 60MM MORTAR
 MSN WITH EXC TGT COV. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

9. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

10. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 311 WIA MINR
 (USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA WIA MINOR, 1 WIA
 EN: 2668 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 285 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
 124 INN CIV, 471 IWC, 167 CSWC

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DE UUMV 29360 141003A
ZNY 00000
PCV TOC -T- III MAP 000
O 220134Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC

INFO UUMSEA/III MAP 000
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OPN NAPLOEON/SALINE SITREP NR 320 FM 190001H - 190600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC 311 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 205 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
124 INN CIV, 471 IWC, 167 CSWC

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00 UUMHMA UUMMWAA
 DE RUHVP 3053C 1420444
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 210444Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE 321 FM 190601-191200H MAY 68

1. LOC: D/1/3 YD 264649

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REF TO SITREP NR 319 PARA 4C. CHECKED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT W/NEG RES.

B. AT 190730H, H/2/4 SPTD CIV IN VIC YD 272682 TO HOLD SPOT CHECK. 1 WAS OF DRAFT AGE AND QUESTIONED BY INTERPRETER, WOULD NOT ANSWER QUESTIONS. DET WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3F MAR S-2. RES: 1 DET.

C. AT 190800H A BN WOMAN WAS INJURED BY WP RND IN VIC YD 272677 WHILE H/2/4 WAS MARKING A CP FOR H CO ELEM. WOMAN WAS TREATED AND FORWARDED TO 2/4 PSN..

D. AT 190850H W/3/9 RPTD 1 CIV REC MINOR WOUND MED AT 190906H FOR FURTHER OBSERVATION. UNIT COMMANDER AND INTERPRETER AT SCENE AND WILL CONDUCT INVEST.

E. PLANS: SAME

F. CUM LOSSES:

PR:

KIA: 33 USA, 295 USMC

WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 311 USMC

1 USA MIA

ENEMY

2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 286 DET,

3 CIV DEF, 124 INN CIV, 471 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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00 UUMHMA UUMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 3047C 1420440
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 210440Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMWAA/III MAF COC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 322 FM 191201-191800H MAY 68.

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:
 - A. AT 191130H, H/2/4 FND 1 HOME MADE BANGALORE TORPEDO IN PERIM WIRE VIC YD 278664. TORPEDO WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MAR S-2. PERIM WIRE CHECKED NO OTHER DEVICES FND.
 - B. REFER TO SITREP NR 319 PARA 4A. THE VN IS A MEMBER OF ARVN ON LEAVE. HE WAS RELEASED.
 - C. AT 191606H, 3D MAR PASSED OPCON OF 3/9(-) TO TF HOTEL.
5. PLANS: SAME
6. CUM LOSSES:
 - FR KIA
 - 33 USA, 295 USMC
 - WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC
 - WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 311 USMC
 - 1 USA MIA

ENEMY

2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 286 DET,
 3 CIV DEF, 124 INN CIV, 471 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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00 UUMHMA UUMWAA
01 RUMHVP 3050C 1420443

ZNY CCCCC

PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

0210443Z MAY 68

FM THIRD MARDIV COC

TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC

INFO UUMWAA/III MAF COC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE

NR 323 FM 191801-192400H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME EXCEPT H/2/4 YD 279667

2. SON: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 191730H, A/1/3 YD 259632 FND 1-250 LB

BOMB DUD SMALL ARMS AMMO, 4 CHICOM GRENS, 3 A"-47

CART BELTS, 1-B40MM R/T, 2 CHICOM GRENS BOUCHES.

ITEMS DESTD IN PLACE.

B. AT 191830H, H/2/4 VIC YD 290661 FND WHAT APPEARED

TO BE A WELL CAMO SLEEPING AREA FOR 1 MAN. THERE WAS

DRIED BLOOD AND DRAG MARKS LEADING TOWARD THE RIVER.

ALSO FND ASSORTED PAPERS IN SLEEPING AREA. PAPER WILL BE SENT

TO 3D MAR S-2.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

DE KIA

33 USA, 295 USMC

VIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC

VIA MINOR: 38 USA, 311 USMC

1 VIA USA

ENERGY

2655 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 38 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 286 DET, 3 CIV DEF,

124 INN CIV, 471 IVC, 167 CSWC.

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 DE RUMHVP 3055C 1420742
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 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
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OPNNAPOLEON/SALIVE 324 FM 200001-200600H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVNTSC: NONE
5. PLANS: SAME
6. CUM LOSSES:

FR VIA

33 USA, 295 USMC

WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 311 USMC

1 USA MIA.

ENEMY

2669 NVA KIA, 56NVA POW, 58 VC MIA, 9VC POW, 286 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
 124 INN CIV, 471 INC, 167 CSWC.

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 DE RUMHVP 305 6C 1420743
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -I- III MAF COC
 O 210743Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALIEN 325 FM 200601-201200H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. A/1ST ANTRAC BN FND 1-541 AT MINE PARTIALLY UNCOVERED
 IN VIC YD 299691. DEACTIVATED MINE AND TURNOVER TO EOD FOR
 DESTRUCTION.

B. AT 200910H, D/1/3 FND IN VIC YD 258658 3 M-16
 REFLES UNSERVICABLE, AND 1 AK-47, A CHECK WILL BE MADE TO
 FIND OUT WHAT ORGANIZATION THE M-16'S BELONG TO. THE AK-47
 WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MARINES S-2. ADD 1 IWC

C. AT 200905H, D/1/3 FND AN EN RADIO IN VIC YD 254659
 W/EXTRA GEAR. WILL FORWARD TO 3D MAR G-2.

5. PLANS: SAME
6. CUM LOSSES:

HR:

33 USA, 295 USMC KIA

MIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC

MIA MINOR: 58 USA, 311 USMC

1 MIA USA

ENEMY

2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 286 DET,

3 CIV DEF, 124 INN CIV, 472 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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00 UUMHMA UUMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 3057C 1420744
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 210744Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE NR 326 FM 201201-201800H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 201240H, A SKIMMER BOAT FM BLT 2/4 HIT A SUBMERGED
 EXPLO DEVICE IN RIVERIN VIC YD 284674, 1 MARINE
 WAS SLIGHTLY WOUNDED AND MORT WAS DESTD. RES 1 WIA MINOR.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 201305H, D/1/3 VICYD 269658 WAS CHECKING ID CARD
 OF VN, FND AN INDIVIDUAL WITHOUT PROPER ID. HE WILL BE FORWARDE
 TO 3D MAR S-2. RES 1 DET

B. AT 201310H, G/2/4 VIC YD 304687 RECD 1 INCOMING
 GREN. SENT SQD TO INVEST THE AREA W/NEG RES.

5. PLANS: SMA

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR: 33 KIA, 295 USAM KIA

WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 312 USMC

Q USA MIA

ENEMY

2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 287 DET, 3 CIV DER, 1

N CIV,

472 IVC, 167 CSWC.

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OO UUMHMA UUMWAA
 DE RUMHVP 3053C 1420740
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 210740Z MAY 68

FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMWAA/III MAF COC
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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALIEN SITREP NR 327 FM 201801-202400H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME
 2. SUM: SAME
 B. E18, D25, J21, V1, U2, AA10, CC4, EEL.
 3. CONTACTS: NONE
 4. SIG EVENTS
 A. AT 201330H, A/1/3 IN VIC YD 269639 FND
 5 CHICOM GREN, 20 7.62 RND, AND ASSORTED FOOD AND LIST OF
 NAMES, DESTD AMMO AND WILL FWD OTHER ITEMS TO 2/3 S-2.
 B. AT 201730H F/2/4 FND PERIM TYPE COMPLEX IN VIC
 YD 272692 CONSISTING OF 30 A-FRAME BUNKERS, 60 FIGHTING HOLES
 AND 6 ABOVE GROUND REINFORCED HOUSES. BUNKERS AND HOLES WERE
 TIED IN A DEFENSIVE PERIM W/THE BUNKERS CONNECTED
 BY TUNNELS. ALL DIGGINGS WERE RECENT AND WELL CAMO.
 PARTIALLY DESTD COMPLEX, WILL DEST THE REMAINDER
 TOMORROW.
 C. AT 201850H E/2/4 RECD 12 RND, INCOMING, MEDIUM ARTY
 IN VIC YD 270704, A1 AND A2 SFTD FLASHES VIC YD 213832.
 YD 226827, AND YD 230830, NGF FIRED 20 RND OF 8 INCH ON
 EACH OF ABOVE GRIDS.
 D. AT 202015H, 1ST AMTRAC BN SCOUTS FND 2 M-26 GREN RIGGED
 AS SURPRISE FIRING DEVICES IN VIC YD 219699, DISARMED FIRING
 DEVICES.
 E. REF MY SITREP NR 306, 5 OF 8 DET REL AS INN CIV.
 5. PLANS: SAME
 6. CUM LOSSES
 FR KIA:
 33 USA, 295 USMC
 WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC
 WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 312 USMC

1 USA MIA.
 ENEMY
 2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 287 DET,
 3 CIV DET, 129 INN CIV 9 VC POW, 472 IWC, 167 CSWC.
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 1E RUMHVP 3076C 1421703
 2NY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC
 O 211703Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE NR 529 FM 210601-211200H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME
 2. SIM: SAME
 3. CNTCTS: NONE
 4. SIG EVENTS: NONE
 5. PLANS: SAME
 6. CUM LOSSES:
 PR KIA
 33 KIA USA, 295 USMC
 WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC
 WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 312 USMC
 : USA MIA

ENEMY

2669 NVA KIA, 56 NVA POW, 58 NVA KIA, 9 VC KIA, 287 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
 129 INN CIV, 472 IWC, 167 CSWC.

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DE UUMHVP 4002C 1431535
TNY CCCCC

PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

O 221535Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 331 211901H-212400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. C18, D24, J23, K1, A410, BB1, CC5,
ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

C. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

1. AT 212050H, F1/2/4 FOUND 1 LARGE "A" FRAME BUNKER REINFORCED WITH BAMBOO AND LARGE ENOUGH FOR 3 OR 4 MEN IN VIC (YD282634). DESTROYED BUNKER WITH DEMO.

2. AT 212250H G/2/4 OBSR 1 FIGURE MOVING IN FRONT OF WIRE VIC (YD271668). FIRED S/A AND CLAYMORE MINES. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

3. AT 212301H, B/1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 REPORTED THAT FOS-5 RADAR DETECTED 9-10 NVA MOVING SOUTH VIC (YD282718). FIRED AGF MISSION WITH RESULTS UNKNOWN.

4. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. C18, D24, J23, K2, U1, A49, CCG7, DD1.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

33 MIA

63 MIA (MEDEVAC)

26 MIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

295 MIA

1230 MIA (MEDEVAC)

312 MIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2669 NVA MIA

58 NVA POW

58 VC MIA

9 VC POW

289 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

475 IWC 168 CSWC

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OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 332, 220001H-220000H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: AT 220000H AMBUSH FROM E/1ST AMTRAC BN IN VIC (YD315692). ENGAGED APPROX 30 NVA WITH S/A AND A/W FIRE. SEARCHED KILL ZONE AND FOUND 2 NVA KIA, 1 AK-47, 1 AK-50, 4 CHI COM GRENS, C-4 EXPLOSIVE, 782 GEAR, ASSORTED DOCUMENTS. ALL ITEMS WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3RD MAR S-2.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: LATE ENTRY: AT 212315H AMBUSH FROM E/2/4 IN VIC (YD274703) OBSR 9 NVA DIGGING POSITIONS IN VIC (YD274702). ENGAGED NVA WITH S/A FIRE. RESULTS UNKN. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S. ELEMENTS OF BLT 2/4 WILL PROVIDE SECURITY FOR PF'S CHICKING ID OF CIVILIANS HARVESTING RICE.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

295 KIA

1230 WIA (MEDEVAC)

312 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2671 NVA KIA

58 NVA POW

58 VC KIA

9 VC POW

289 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

477 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 333 FM 220601H-221200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY ACTIVITIES. ELEMENTS OF BLT 2/4 PROVIDED SECURITY FOR PF'S CHECKING 10 OF CIVILIANS HARVESTING RICE WHILE A CO OF 1ST AMTRAC BN CONDUCTED SWEEP OF RESETTLEMENT VILLAGE IN VIC (YD325696).
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. REFER TO SITREP NR 332 PARA 4: CHECKED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEG RESULTS.
 - B. LATE ENTRY: AT 212100H E/2/4 OBS MOVEMENT IN VIC (YD264705) THREW GRENADE AND MADE CHECK OF AREA WITH NEG RESULTS.
5. PLANS: ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN CURRENT POSITIONS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTIVITIES. ELEMENTS OF BLT 2/4 WILL CONTINUE TO IMPROVE SECURITY FOR PF'S CHECKING CIVILIANS HARVESTING RICE. 1ST AMTRAC BN WILL CONTINUE SWEEP OF RESETTLEMENT VILLAGE IN VIC (YD325696).

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (*MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

295 KIA

1230 WIA (MEDEVAC)

312 WIA (*MINOR)

0 MIA

ENEMY

2671 NVA KIA

58 NVA POW

58 VC KIA

9 VC POW

289 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 334 FM 221200H - 231900H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAINS THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 221900H, A/1/4 FND SAVED BOOK CONTAINING
 FREES, ALSO ACCESSORY BAG FOR RADIO, TWO NVA PACKS, 2 TOOLS
 AND 2 GAS MASKS IN VIC YD 299627. RADIO BOOK AND ACCESSORY
 BAG WILL BE SENT TO 3D MARINES S-2. ALL OTHER GEAR DEST BECAUSE
 IT WAS UNSERVICEABLE.

B. AT 221238H, ELEMENTS OF B/1/ST AMTRAC BN DISCOVERED 1 AT
 MINE IN VIC YD 297746. MINE WAS SMALLER THAN T-41 AND HAD
 BLACK POWDER CHARGE. BLOWN IN PLACE.

C. AT 221330H, "A" CO 1ST AMTRAC BN DETAINED 1 VIETNAMESE
 WHO IS POSSIBLE DRAFT DODGER IN VIC YD 312639. WILL FORWARD
 TO 3D MARINES S-2. RES: 1 DET.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2671 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 290 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
 129 INN CIV, 477 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE STRIKE CR 555 FM 221001N - 222400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:
 - A. (LATE REPORT) AT 221700H BLT 2/4 REPORTED THAT 3 SWIMMER BOATS VIC YD 246615 RECV'D S/A FIRE FROM RIVER BANK VIC YD 246617. AS THE BOATS WERE RETURNING FROM DONG HA, THEY RECV'D SXA FIRE FROM THE SAME LOCATION. NO CAS OR DAMAGE WAS SUSTAINED.
 - B. AT 222040H, B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 REPORTED THAT A DCS-5 RADAR DETECTED 3 NVA MOVING SOUTH IN VIC YD 281716. BLT 2/4 WAS NOTIFIED OF THE 3 NVA.
5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2671 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 294 DET, 129 INN CIV,

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 OPR NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 510 230001N - 230001N MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

AT 230355H, NAVY PATROL BOAT OBSV'D APPROX 8 VN IN BLACK
 PJ'S VN MOVED TOWARD ISLAND
 HAMLET OF DOUNG XUAN YD 306661.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 112 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA

EN: 2671 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 290 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
 129 INN CIV, 477 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINA SITREP NR 337 FM 230601H - 231200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 230655H, XH/2/4 FWD 2 ENEMY EXPO DEVICES
AND 1 AV-47 MAGAZINE POUCH IN VIC YD 265640. BLEW EXPO
DEVICE IN PLACE AND RETURNING ONE EXPO DEVICE AND AV-47
MAGAZINE POUCH TO BLT 2/4 S-2.

B. AT 230730H, WHILE CONDUCTING ROUTINE I-D CARD CHECK ON
VN CIVILIANS IN CIV YD 274676 H/2/4 FWD 2 YOUNG
MEN, AGES 15 AND 23 BOTH WITH ID CARDS. 15 YR OLD HAD FOOT WOUND
WITH U.S. MILITARY BADGE. RETURNING DET TO BLT 2/4/1/94

INTERROGATION, RES: 2 DET

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

PR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR
(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA

EN: 2671 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 292 DET,
3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIVN, 477 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPN NAPLOEDN/SALINE SITREP NR 338 FM 231201H - 231800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 231245H, E/2/4 UNCOVERED 3 NVA BODIES DEAD ABOUT
 THREE WKS IN VIC YD 74707.

RES: 5 NVA KIA AND 1 SKS RIFLE.

5. REFER TO SITREP NR 327 PARA 4D, 2 DET WERE INTERROGATED AND RELEASED
 AS INN CIV. RES, 2 INN CIV.

C. AT 231500H 1ST AMTRC BN IN VIC YD 342097 APPREHENDED
 1 VN FEMALE SELLING MARIJUANA CIGARETTES. SHE HAD IN HER
 POSSESSION 30 CIGARETTES AND 10,900 MPC. SHE WAS TURNED OVER
 TO 3D MARINES S-2. RES 1 DET

6. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

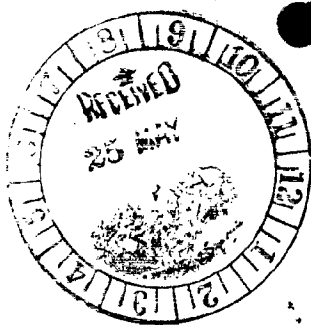
USMC: 295 KIA, 1203 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR

USMC: 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA

EN: 2674 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VN POW, 292 DET, 3 CIV DEF,
 120 INN CIV, 478 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 339 FM 231801H - 232400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 231600H, PATROL FM A/1/3 FND THE FOLLOWING ITEMS: IN VIC YD 250633. 1 NOTEBOOK, 1 60MM MORTAR RND, 2 82MM

MORTAR RND (1 WITH CASE), 1 3.5 RVT RND, 3 LARGE BAGS OF FOOD, 3 NVA E-TOOLS AND SMALL REPAIR KIT. ALL ITEMS WERE DESTROYED EXCEPT THE NOTEBOOK REPAIR KIT AND 1 82MM MORTAR RND.

WILL CASE. WHICH WILL BE SENT TO 3D MAR S-2.

B. AT 232155H, RIVER PATROL BOAT OBSV'D 2 SAMPAHS

ON BEACH AND 3 NVA/VC IN BLACK PJ'S IN VIC YD 266627. BOAT INVESTIGATED AND FND 1 M-1 RIFLE, PACKS AND OTHER GEAR. A/1/3 ELEMENTS SWPT AREA AND

FND SOME EVIDENCE OF POSSIBLE DIGGING. A/1/3 ELEMENTS WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT. ADD 1 IWC

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA

EV: 2674 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 292 DET

3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 479 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPANS OLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 340 FM 240000H - 240600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
2. SUMM OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CO TACTS

A. AT 240315H, 2 INDIGENOUS PERSONNEL CAME OUT OF RIVER IN VIC YD 263626 AND THREW 2 CONCUSSION GRENS AT A/1/1/3 POSIT. A/1/1/3 RETURNED S/A AFIRE AND RIVER PATROL BOAT DROPPED 4 CONCUSSION GRENS ALONG RIVER BANK WITH UNK RES. 1 WIA MINOR

4. SIB EVENTS:

A. AT 240100H A/1/3 MOVED TO VIC YD 263626 AND CHECKED OUT 2 SAMBANS AT REQUEST OF NAVY RIVER PATROL BOAT. FND 3 A/47'S 3 UNK TYPE A/WPNS. 6 GRENADES AND MISC GEAR. ESTIMATED

4 - 5 PEOPLE WERE IN BOATS. UNIT SET UP NIGHT POSIT IN VIC YD 263626 AND WILL CHECK TREE LINE AT FIRST LIGHT. WPNS WILL BE TURNED IN TO 3D MAR S-2. RES 6 IWC

B. AT 240330H ELEMENTS OF 1ST AMTRC BN IN COJUNCTIONS WITH BLT 2/4 APPREHENDED 3 KNOWN VC SYMPATHIZERS AND PARTNER OF 1 MORE. DET WILL BE FORD'D TO 3D MAR S-2.

REF: 2 DAT

5. PLANS: REMAN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USMC (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR

USMC 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

ENL 2674 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 292 DET

3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 479 IWC, 158 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 341 FM 240601H - 241200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACT: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. REFER TO MY SITREP NR 340 PARA 3A. SEARCH OF AREA THIS MORNING FND 1 AK-47 AND 2 SVS RIFLES, 2 PAC'S CONTAINING RICE AND CIVILIAN CLOTHING. RIVER ASSUEL GROUP FND 2 BODIES IN RIVER IN VIC 262625. WPNS WILL BE FWD'D TO 3D MARINES S-2. OTHER ITEMS WERE DEST. RES: 2 NVA KIA AND 3 IWC.

7. AT 240800H E/2/R OBSV'D 6 NVA WITH WPNS MOVING BEHIND GRAVE MOUNDS IN VIC YD 278714. FIRED RIMM MORTA MSN AND SEARCHED AREA WITH NEG RES.

C. AY 240915H, D/1/3 FND 2 NVA BODIES SEVERAL WEEKS OLS AND 1 AK-47 WITH MAG IN VIC YD 259659. WPN WILL BE SENT TO 3D MARINES S-2. RES: 2 NVA KIA AND 1 IWC

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 313 WIA MINOR
(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA
EN: 2678 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW,
288 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 469 IWC, 168 CSWC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 342 FM 241200H - 241600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 240930H, B/1ST AMTRAC BN ON SUPPLY TO OCEAN VI32
FND 2 SOVIET AT MINES (T-41) IN VIC YD 294752. MINES WERE
PLACED SIDE BY SIDE AND IN RECENTLY USED AMTRAC TRAIL. MINES

APPEARED TO BE NEW. DEST IN PLACE.

1. AT 241200H, A/1/3 FND 1 AK-47 WHILE SEARCHING SAMPAN
IN VIC YD 262627. FND 1 VN NOTEBOOK IN BUSHES NEARBY.
WILL FORWARD ITEMS TO 3D MAR S-2. RES: 1 IWC

2. AT 241640H, B/1/ST AMTRAC BN SPOTTED 5 ENEMY IN VIC
YD 285759. COAST GUARD VESSEL EXCHANGED S/A FIRE WITH UN
RES AT THAT PSN. NGF MSN FIRED ON EN POSIT WITH UN RES.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

US: (USAC) 295 KIA, 1230 WIA EVAC, 312 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 KIA

EN: 2674 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 292 DEF

3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 479 IWC, 168 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 503 FM 201801-242400H MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 241745H, E/2/4 FND 1 ENTRENCHMENT TOOL, SMALL AMOUNT OF RIFLE AMMO, ROD OF COMB WIRE, SIX HELMETS IN VIC OF YD 278714. HAD EARLIER SIGHTING OF EN AT THIS VIC EARLIER IN DAY. WILL FOREARD EQUIP TO 30 MAR S-2.
B. AT 241945H, E/2/4 OBS'D ESTIM 2 EN SQD'S MOVING SOUTH IN OPEN TERRAIN IN VIC YD 232717. PERMITTED THEM TO CONTINUE SOUTH AS AMB ARE SET UP IN AREA DUE TO PREVIOUS INTELLIGENCE REPORTS.
C. AT 242020H, H&S/1ST AMTAC BN PSNS ON PERIM OBSERVED 2 SAMPANS APPROX 4000 METERS OFF BEACH IN VIC YD 350689. TOOK UNDER SA AND AWP. 1 BOAT WENT INTO MOUTH OF RIVER A WAS PICKED UP BY CLEARWATER UNITS 1 SAMPAN RETD SA FIRE. 1 BOAT CAPTURED BY CLEARWATER AND SEARCHED WITH NEG RES. 11TH COASTAL GROUP INTERROGATED VIL AND FND OUT THEY WERE FISHERMAN WITH BROKEN MOTOR. SECOND SAMPAN HAS NOT BEEN LOCATED. CLEARWATER UNITS REMAIN AT MOUTH OF RIVER TO GUARD AGAINST EN.
D. AT 242145H, LP FM B/1/3 HEARD NOISE AND OBS'D LIGHTS. LIGHTS WENT OUT AND 5 PEOPLE RAN. FIRED SAF AND COMM ILLUM. RES UNK.

5. PLANS: SAME

B. C13, D28, J18, K1, L2, AA12, BB1, CC6.

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR: KIA

33 USA, 295 USMC

WIA MED: 63 USA, 1250 USMC

WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 313 USMC

1 USA MIA

ENEMY

2678 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 2 VC POW, 296 DET,

3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 490 INC, 166 CSWC.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L
 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREPNR 344 344 FM 250001-250600H MAY 68
 1. LOC: SAME
 2. SUM: SAME
 3. CONTACTS:
 FM 250027H TO 250105H CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED
 111 RDS OF LIGHT AND HWY ARTY.
 FIRED C/BTRY FIRES ON THE FOLL GRIDS:
 YD 226822, YD 235825, YD 236813.
 ARC LIGHT STRIKES HAVE BEEN REQ'D. RES 4 WIA MINOR
 1 BULK FUEL CELL DEST'D, MINOR DAMAGE: 2 TRUCKS GRG, 4 TENTS,
 AND ONE HUT.
 4. SIG EVENTS:
 A. LATE ENTRY: AT 242330H, SQD AMB FM E/2/4 IN VIC
 YD 277715 OBS A LARGE NUMBER OF NVA MOVING SOUTH ABOUT 100
 METERS W OF THEIR PSN. FIRED INTENSIVE MORT AND ARTY
 MANS ON SUSPECTED EN ROUTE.
 B. AT 242335H, A SQD PTL FM HAS 1ST
 AMTRAC BN VIC YD 347681 OBS'D 30-40 EN IN VIC YD 349677.
 CAMP KISTLER PERIM SECURITY AND REACTION FORCE WAS ALERTED.
 NO EN CONTACT WAS MADE.
 C. AT 242340H, A PTL OF PF'S VIC YD 340675
 MADE CONTACT W/A UNK SIZE EN FORCE. SPORADIC SAF
 WAS EXCHANGED AND CONTACT WAS BROKEN BY 250110H. NO CAS
 WERE REPORTED.
 5. PLANS: SAME
 6. CUM LOSSES:
 FR KIA:
 33 USA, 295 USMC
 WIA MED: 63 USA, 1230 USMC
 WIA MINOR: 58 USA, 317 USMC
 1 WIA USA
 ENEMY
 2678 NVA KIA, 58 NVA POW, 58 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 296 DET, 3 CIV DET,
 129 INN CIV, 490 IWC, 168 CSNG.
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 FM 3RD MARDIV COC
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OPN MAPOLCON/SALINE SITREP NR 345 FM 250601HA251200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

A/1/3 (YD 389636)	G/1/2/4 (YD 264660)
E/2/4 (YD 282713)	G/2/2/4 (YD 264660)
F/1/2/4 (YD 268700)	G/3/2/4 (YD 305680)
F/2/2/4 (YD 275699)	H/2/4 (YD 282700)
F/3/2/4 (YD 271703)	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

AT 0600H, H/2/4 MOVED OUT TO NORTH TO LAM XUAN WEST-NH1
 HA AND AT 0725H, G(-) 2/4 MOVED INTO BLOCKING POSITION AT
 (YD 264660). AT 0830H, E CO PATROL CHECKING AREA OF LAST
 NIGHT'S LARGE SIGHTINGS CAME INTO CONTACT WITH LARGE ENEMY
 FORCE VI (YD 282713). E CO PULLED BACK AND BEGAN RUNNING
 EXTENSIVE AIR AND ARTY STRIKES WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. AO
 ON STATION AND STILL RUNNING STRIKES AT THIS TIME. AT 1000H,
 H/2/4 MOVED INTO BLOCKING POSITION 1000M SOUTH OF E AT
 (YD 281702). AT 1130H, H/2/4 MOVED NORTH TO LINK UP WITH E.
 AT 1130H, A/1/3 WAS LIFTED TO (YD 389636). LIFT COMPLETED
 STILL UNDER WAY AT THIS TIME. 1ST AMTRAC BN CONDUCTED NORMAL
 PATROLS AND AMBUSHES IN ASSIGNED AO.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. SEE PARA 2 ABOVE.

B. AT 251200H, H/2/4 HAS KILLED 3 NVA WHILE MOVING TOWARD
 E/2/4 IN VIC (YD 282702). CONTINUE TO MOVE TOWARD E/2/4.
 RESULTS: 3 NVA KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 250645H, E/2/4 OBSERVED 10 NVA IN VIC (YD 281717)
 AND CALLED IN ARTY MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS.

B. AT 250725H, B/1ST AMTRAC NB IN VIC OF (YD 291752)
 OBSERVED 10 NVA MOVING NORTH OF A-1. NGE OBSERVER CALLED
 ARTY MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS.

C. REFER TO SITREP NR 332 PARA 3, AGENT REPT VIA CIT
 INDICATES 2 ENEMY KILLED WERE NOT NVA BUT VC MAIN FORCE. ADD
 2 VC DELETE 2 NVA.

C. ON BASIS OF REPORTS FROM DIVISIONS AND THE 2ND ARVN
 REGIMENT OF UP TP A COMPANY OF NVA IN DAI DO-DINH TO-
 AREA. A TOTAL OF 720 ROUNDS FIRED SO FAR. WILL CONTINUE TO
 FIRE SUPPORTING ARMS IN THIS AREA UNTIL TROOPS CAN BE MOVED

OVER THERE.

5. PLANS: A AND D/1/3 WILL CONTINUE TO CONDUCT HELO ASSAULT TO THANH HOI VIC (YD 585638) AND CONTINUE S/D OPERATIONS. G(-) 2/4 WILL MAINTAIN PRESENT BLOCKING POSITION FOR 2ND ARVN 4385. H/2/4 STANDS READY TO REINFORCE E/2/4 OR TO EXPLOIT ENEMY CONTACT AS SITUATION DEVELOPS. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONTINUE DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

295 KIA

1230 WIA (.333; -)

317 MINOR)

ENEMY

2679 NVA KIA

30 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

9 VC POW

296 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

490 INC

168 CSWC

GP-4

BT

00 UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMVF 07170 1470102
 ZNY 00000

PCV TOC -T-111 MAF COC
 O 260102Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/111 MAF COC
 BT

C O N F I D E N T I A L

PERISHABLE INFORMATION DO NOT SERVICE
 OPERATION NAPOLEON/ALSINE

SITREP NR 346 FM 251201H TO 251800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING:

COMD GRP, A AND D/1/3 (YD 388644)

F (-

/2/4 (YD 268700)

F/3/2/4 (YD 271703)

H/2/4 (YD 278702)

1 AND M AND COMD GRP 3/3 (YD 270650)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

AT 251221H, A, D AND COMD GRP OF 1/3 COMPLETED HELO ASSAULT

AT (YD 385638) AND SWEEPED TO THE NORTH WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT.

E AND H/2/4 CONTINUED IN HEAVY CONTACT NE OF NHI HA UNTIL END

OF PERIOD: ALL AVAILABLE SUPPORTING ARMS HAVE BEEN USED TO

ASSIST E AND H/2/4. G (-)/2/4 PROVIDED A BLOCKING FORCE FOR

THE 2ND ARVN REGIMENT IN VIC (YD 264660). ALL OTHER UNITS

MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: PARTIAL RESULTS OF E AND H/2/4 CONTACT

TODAY: 7 KIA, 33 WIA (MEDEVAC), 103 NVA KIA (MANY AS RESULT

OF AIR AND ARTY) AND 5 NVA POW.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 251355H, A MARINE FROM A/1/3, TRIPPED A SURPRISE

FIRING DEVICE (GRENADE W/TRIP WIRE) IN VIC (YD 289641). RESULTS

2 WIA (MEDEVAC).

B. AT 241415H, A/1/3 FOUND A PUNJL PIT, 17/8/16" DEEP

WITH METAL SPIKES IN BOTTOM OF PIT IN VIC (YD 398641). THE

PIT WAS DESTROYED. SPIKE WIL

155

BE FORWARDED TO 1/3 S-2.

G. AT 1505H, B/1/3 IN VIC (YD288645) REPORTED 1 RD OF UNK SIZE ARTY IMPACTED OUT SIDE PERIMETER. THE RD WAS A DUD, AREA BEING SEARCHED TO FIND DUD.

D. AT 251645H, 30 MAR ASSUMED OPCON OF COMD GRP, M AND I 3/3 FROM 9TH MAR.

E. REFER TO MY SITEREPR NR 344 PARA 3 ADDITIONAL DAMAGE ASSESSMENT: 6 TRUCKS 6X6 DESTROYED, 1 LVT EXTENSIVELY DAMAGED, 120,000 GAL JP-4 AND 67,000 GAL MO GAS DESTROYED, 14 BULD FUEL CELLS, PUMPS AND HOSES FOR HANDLING BULD FUEL.

5. PLANS: E/2/4 WILL WITHDRAW AND CONSOLIDATE NIGHT POSITIONS WITH H/2/4 VIC (YD278708), F AND G/2/4. B AND C/1/3 AND 1ST AMTRAC BN WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT PATROLS, AMBUSHES, AND OP'S. A AND D/1/3 WILL BE HELD LIFTED TO VIC (YD283668) AND THEN MOVE TO GRID (YD 270670). M AND I 1/3/3 WILL MOVE TO GRID LINE (YD 270650). BOTH UNITS WILL SWEEP TO THE WEST UNTIL CONTACT IS MADE.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USA

55 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

USMC

302, 1265 WIA (MEDEVAC), 317 WIA (MINOR)

ENEMY

2782 NVA/KIA

63 NVA/POW

60 VC KIA

9 VC 092

290 DEF

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

190 INN, 168 CSWC

GP 1

BT

DD UUMHMA UUMHMAA
 DE RUMWP 4782C 1480701
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 FROM TOC-111 MAF COC
 O 270701Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COC
 TO UUMHMA/PCP TOC
 INFO UUMHMAA/111 MAF COC
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 OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 547 FM JNTQIPQANTWRPPH MAY 68

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 251815H, E/2/4 RETD TO PREV DEFENSIVE
 PSNS, RPTD 1 KARUN W 60MM MORT RDS, 1 60MM
 MORT IN VIC YD 282713. RES 1 INC, 1 CSWD.

B. FM 252040H TO 252052H, CAMP KISTLER REC'D 9 RDS
 OF MEDIUM ARTY FROM GRIDS YD 225823, YD 220859, YD 225825,
 FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRE WX NGR. RES 1 WIA MINOR.

C. FINAL RES OF EAND H/2/4 CONTACT TODAY: ADD 7
 KIA TO TOT

L 1 BNR INCLUDED IN TOTLA. ADD TONAL 138 NO
 KIA ESTM NOT ADDED TO TOTALS UNIT AREA SWEPD. RES
 ADD 7 US KIA.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 251445H, 3D MAR ASSUMED OPCON OF A/1/9 FM
 1/9 AND PASSED OPCON TO 3/3 AT SAME TIME.

B. AT 252000H F/2/4 RECD INCOMING MORT FM
 UNK DIRECTION. BLT 2/4 OF AREA RECD 1 RND OF

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INCOMIN AT 252004H AND AT 252010H, G/2/4 IN VIC YD 305680
AND H/2/4 IN VIC YD 273703 RECD ARTY AND RKT FIRE
FM UNK DIRECTION. NGF ARTY AND 81MM MORT MSN
FIRED ON SUSP EN POST! W/UNK RES. NO.

CAS REPT'D.

C. AT 252015H, H/2/4 RECD INCOMING MORT AND RKT
IN VIC YD 271703, FOLLOWED BY HWY PROBE OF LINES W/SA
FIRE. COUNTER BTRY ARTY FIRED W/UNK RES. NO
CAS RPT'D.

D. AT 251930H, M/3/3 MADE CONTACT IN VIC YD 262658 W/UNK
SIZE OF EN. ENGAGED IN FIRE FIGHT W/SA AND AUTO
WPSN FIRE, M/3/3 WITHDREW W/CAS EN STILL
BELIEVED TO BE IN PSN. D/3/3 WILL ATTACK AT FIRST LIGHT.

DUE TO CIRCUMSTANCES OF ENGAGEMENT NVA KIA UNABLE TO BE CONFIRMED.
FR CAS NO REPORT AT THIS TIME. ARTY MSN
FIRED ON EN PSN.

E. AT 252015H, B/1ST ANTRAC BN RECD 17 MVA VC IN VIC
YD 287729 OBS W/NO. FIRED 90MM TANK W/UNK RES.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA

309 USMC, 33 USA

WIA MED: 1265 USMC, 63 USA

WIA MINOR: 318 USMC, 58 USA

1 USA MIA

ENEMY

2782 NVA KIA, 63 NVA POW, 91 VC POW, 296 DEY, 3 CIV DEY.

129 INN CIV, 491 IWC, 169 CSWC.

GP-4

BT

OO UUMHMA UUMMWAA
DE UUMHVP 47850 1480704
ZNY CCCCC

PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

O 270704Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC
BT

EPW HAFONEDNESDAY THE 21ST 0800H-260600H MAY 68

1. UNITS LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S. WHILE 5/5 (-) EMPLOYED ILLUMINATION AND SUPPORTING ARMS TO EXPLOIT THE KILLING ZONE ESTABLISHES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 252100H B/1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 OBSERVED MOVEMENT OF 10 NVA/VC WITH NOD IN TREELINE IN VIC (YD 504728) AND (YD 2987141). FIRED 6 RDS BEEHIVE FROM TANKS. ENEMY MOVED TO NW. ALSO OBSERVED APPROX 25 NVA / VC IN VIC (YD 3007100 WITH NOD AND FPS- MOVING NORTH ENEMY PINNED DOWN BY SPOOKY AND FIRED 81MM 4.2 MM MORTARS ON NVA/VC FROM A-1. ENEMY DIAPPERED INTO HILL 25 AREA VIC (YD 280720). RESULTS UNKNOWN.

B. AT 260055H H/2/4 RECEIVED 10 RDS OF 82MM MORTAR FIRE IN VIC (YD 271705) FROM 3000 MILS. CALLED COUNTERBATTERY FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. NEG CASUALTIES REPORTED.

C. AT 265100H F/2/4 IN VIC (YD 267700) TOOK 3/A FIRE AND RIFLE GRENADE FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 10-NVA/VC IN VIC

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(YD 265701). FIRED 60MM MORTAR MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS.

D. AT 260130H 4TH PLT OF B/1ST AMTRAC NXAT

(YD 291754) OBSERVED 10 NVA/VC MOVING SOUTH IN VIC (YD 285749)

AND AT 252230H OBSERVED 2 NVA/VC MOVING SOUTH IN VIC (YD 291755).

TOOK BOTH GROUPS UNDERFIRE WIT 60MM MORTARS NGR ARTY

AND FIRE FROM SWIFT BOAT OF COASTAL GROUP-10. RESULTS UNK.

E. AT 260555H F/2/4 IN VIC (YD 271203) RECEIVED

INCOMING MORTARS FROM VIC (YD 234805) DIRECTION OF 6300 MILLS.

COUNTERBATTERY FIRED ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS.

5. PLANS: BLT 2/4 WILL CONTINUE SEARCH IN THE NHI HA AREA

AND ESTABLISH OP'S IN ASSIGNED AO. 1/3 (-) AND 3/3 (-) WILL

CONTINUE THE ATTACK TO THE WEST. ALL OTHER

UNITS WILL MAINTAIN PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY

AMBUSHES PAT

OLS AND OP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

309 KIA

1265 WIA (MEDEVAC)

318 WIA (MINOR)

0 MIA

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

ENEMY

2782 NVA KI

63 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

9 VCPOW

296 EET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

90 IWC

1689 CSWI

GP-4

BT

00 UUMHMA UUMHMAA
DE UUMHMA 49860 1480705
ZNY 00000

PCV TOC -T- 111 MAF COC

O 270705Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMHMAA/111 MAF COC

BT

C O N F I D E N T I A L

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OPN NIPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 349 260601H-261200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

COMD CRP, A, D/1/3 AND A/1/9 (YD267658)

E/2/4 (YD284680)

G/2/4 (YD268700)

H/2/4 (YD272704)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

1/3(-) MOVED TO VIC (YD267658) AND ESTABLISHED BLOCKING POSITIONS. 3/3 COMMENCED TO SWEEP TO THE WEST AND CAME IN LIGHT CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE ENEMY FORCE UNTIL 251100H WHEN OPCON WAS PASSED TO 9TH MARINES. E AND H/2/4 CHECKED AREA OF 25 MAY 68 CONTACT WITHOUT CONTACT. FIXED WING AIR STRIKES AND ARTY MSN WERE USED IN VIC (YD282713). G/2/4 SWEPT WEST BANK OF JONES CREEK TO (YD268700). F/2/4 AND 1ST AMTRAC BN MAINTAINED CURRENT POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED DAY ACTS.

3. CONTACTS: ADDITIONAL RESULTS OF E AND H/2/4 CONTACT ON 25 MAY 68 AND 2 KIA BNR, 138 NVA KIA, 3 AK-47 CAPTURED. NVA KIA MOSTLY AS RESULT SUPPORT IN ARMS.

A. LATE ETNRY: AT 260555H, F AND H/2/4 CIG YD 271703 WAS UNDER A MORT ATTACK FM A DIRECTION OF 6500 MILS. FIRED COUNTER BTRY FIRES ON SUSP EN MORT PNE.

RES 1 KIA, 2 WIA MED.

4. SIG. EVENTS:

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A. LATE ENTRY: 261215H, 3/3 IN VIC YD-263651 FND 1
 57 RR, 1 SKS, 1 RPD. RES 1 IWC, 2 CSWC.
 WILL BE FORWARDED TO 30 MAR OR 9TH MAR S-2.
 B. AT 260600H, 1 WOUNDED NVA POW SURRENDERED TO H/2/4 IN
 VIC YD 268708. HE CAME IN WAVING A WHITE FLAG. HE WILL BE
 FORWARDED TO 30 MAR S-2. RES 1 NVA POW.
 C. AT 260830H, 8 CO 1ST AMRAC BN IN VIC YD 292754
 CAPTURED 1 NVA IN REN UTIL MOVING NORTH. HE IS WOUNDED,
 AND WILL BE FORWARDED TO 30 MAR S-2. RES 1 NVA POW.
 D. AT 260845H, A MARINE FM A/1/9 IN VIC YD 265648
 TRIPPED A SURPRISING DEVICE. RES 1 WIA MED.
 E. AT 261045H, 3/3 PASSES OPCON OF A/1/9 TO 1/3
 F. AT 261100H, 30 MAR PASSED OPCON OF 3/3 TO 9TH MAR
 5. PLANS: SAME
 6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA 1268 USMC, 33 USA
 WIA MED: 1268 USMC, 63 USA
 WIA MINOR, 318 USMC, 58 USA
 MIA 1 USA

VICE 1268 USMC KIA, CORRECTION TO READ 312 USMC KIA.

ENEMY

2920 NVA KIA, 65 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 98 DEF, 3 CIV DEF,
 129 INN CIV, 494 IWCN 171 CSWC.

GP-4

BT

00 UUMHVA UUMWAA
DE RUMHVP 4781C 1480700
ZNY CCCCC
PCV TOC-T-111 MAF COC
O 270700Z MAY 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHVA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMWAA/111 MAF COC
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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPH NAPOLEON/SALIEN SITREP NR. 350 FM 261201-261800H MAY 68

1. LOC:

3D MAR CO YD 349695 BLT 2/4 CP YD 283668
1ST AMTRAC BN YD 349695 E/2/4 YD 2846800
A CO 1ST AMTRAC BN YD 345657 F/2/4 266700
B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN YD 313723 G(-) 2/4 YD 305681

C/D GRP A D/1/3 YD 275675 G/3/2/4 YD 305681
A/1/9 YD 275665 H/2/4 YD 272704
A/1/3 YD 292644 1/9 CP B/1/9, C/1/9, D/1/9
B/1/3 YD 293644 YD 280668
C(-) 1/3 YD 274625 2/9 CP E/2/9, F/2/9, G/2/9
C2/1/3 YD 268623 YD 273664

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. AT 261255H F/2/4 IN VIC YD 2687000 REC SAF
FFM UNK DIRECTION RES 1 WIA MED

4. SIG EVENTS

A. AT 2615000H F/2/4 VIC YD 260698 RECD 2 82MM MORT
RDS FM UNK DIRECTION. NO CAS SUSTAINED.

B. AT 261345H, 3D MARINES ASSUMED OPCON OF 1/9 FM
3D MAR DIV.

C. AT 261730H, 3D MAR ASSUMED OPCON OF 2/9(-) FIA
3D MARDIV.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR

KIA

312 USMC, 33 USA

WIA MED: 1269 USMC, 58 USA

WIA MINOR: 318 USMC, 58 USA

1 USA MIA

ENEMY

2920 NVA KIA

3 CIV DEF, 134 INN CIV, 494 ING, 171 CSWOL

GP-4

BT

DE UUMHP 4806C 1481314
ZNY CCCCC

PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

O 271314Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMHMAA/III MAF COC
BT

C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 351, 261800H-262400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

G/3/2/4 (YD 285680) 2/9 CP E, G, H(-) 2/9
COMO GRP, A AND D/1/3 (YD 267697) (YD 269701)
A/1/9 (YD 267697)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. 2/9 COMMENCED MOVEMENT NORTH TO NEW LOCATION. 1/3 (-) MOVED IN TRACE OF 2/9 (-), LINKED UP WITH F/2/4 AND SET IN NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITION. 2/9(-) HAS COMPLETED LAISON WITH F/2/4 AND HAS RESUMED MOVE TO NEW POSITION. THEY ARE MOVING AT THIS TIME. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES PATROLS AND LP'S.

B. C9, D9, I2, J9, AA8.

3. ENEMY CONTACT: AT 261620H A FURTHER CHECK WITH E/2/4 SHOWS THEY HAVE 2 ADDITIONAL BNR. THE TOTAL IS NOW 5 BNR. RESULTS: ADD 2 KIA'S TO CUMULATIVE TOTALS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 262250H LP FROM G2/2/4 OBSERVED APPROX 35 TO 45 NVA/VC IN VIC (YD 269708) MOVING TOWARD G CO POSITION CALLED ARTY MISSION ALSO FIRED 60MM MORTAR MISSION. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN PRESENT POSITIONS AND CONTINUE NIGHT ACTIVITIES EXCEPT 2/9 WHILE IS STILL MOVING NORTH TO NEW POSITIONS.

B. C11, C10, J9, K1, U2, AA8, CC1.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

314 KIA

1269 WIA (EVAC)

31 WIANE

USA

35 KIA

63 WIA (EVAC)

58 WIANE

1 MIA

ENEMY

2920 NVA KIA

65 PW NVA

60 VC KIA

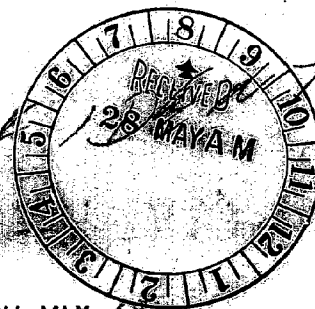
9 VC POW

298 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

100 IWC, 171 CSWC



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ZNY CCCCC

POV TOC -T- III MAF COC

O 271316Z MAY 68
FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/POV TOC
INFO UUMMWAA/III MAF COC

BT

C O N F I D E N T I A L

OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 352 : 270001H-270600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

2/9(-) YD 270703

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT ACTIVITIES EXCEPT 2/9(-) WHICH MOVED TO PRESENT POSITION.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 270230H, B CO 1ST AMTRAC BN IN VIC (YD 292752) ORSR 2 NVA 150 METERS FROM THEIR POSITION MOVING NORTH. ENGAGED ENEMY WITH S/A AND A/W FIRE AND HEARD MOANS FROM THE DIRECTION OF THE ENEMY. WILL SEARCH AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. AT 270310H, G/2/4 VIC (YD 271638) RECEIVED 14 RDS OF ARTY FROM UNKN DIRECTION. NO CASUALTIES SUSTAINED.

5. PLANS:

2/9 (-) WILL COMMENCE THE ATTACK TO THE NORTH VIC LAI AN (YD 246725), WITH 1/3(-) IN TRACE. 3/9 WILL BE REGIONAL RESERVE, BLT 2/4 WILL REMAIN IN PRESENT BLOCKING POSITIONS. 1ST AMTRAC BN WILL PROVIDE 4 LVT'S AS 3RD MAR MOBILE RESUPPLY VEHICLES, MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR KIA

314 USMC, 33 USA

WIA MED: 1269 USMC, 63 USA

WIA MINOR: 319 USMC, 58 USA

1 MIA USA

ENEMY

2920 NVA KIA, 65 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 9 VC POW.

298 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 494 HWC, 171 CSWC.

GP-4

BT



UUMSEA UUMSEM
 DE UUMHVP 48260 149
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TOC -T- III MAF COG
 O 280120Z MAY 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV COG
 TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COG
 BT

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 OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE
 SITREP NR 353 FM 270601H TO 271200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

COMD GRP A, D, 1/3 A, 1/9, F, 2/4 (YD 260725)
 E, 2/4 (YD 285708)
 G, 2/4 (YD 274704)
 H, 2/4 (YD 278718)
 2/9 E, G, H (YD 248715)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: AT 270710H, EXTENSIVE SUPPORTING
 ARTY FIRED IN SUPPORT OF 2/9'S ATTACK. AT 270800H, E, 2/4
 OCCUPIED VILLAGE IN VIC (YD 283690), READY TO MOVE TOWARD
 OBJECTIVE. H, 2/4 STARTED TO MOVE TOWARD IT'S POSITION ON 2/4
 OBJECTIVE, AT 270825H, 2/9 COMMENCED MOVING. 1/3 COMMENCED
 MOVING AT 270936H, IN TRACE OF 2/9, AT 271100H, BLT 2/4 CONTINUED
 TO MOVE TO ESTABLISH BLOCKING POSITION FOR 1/3 ARE ALMOST TO
 THEIR FINAL POSITION.

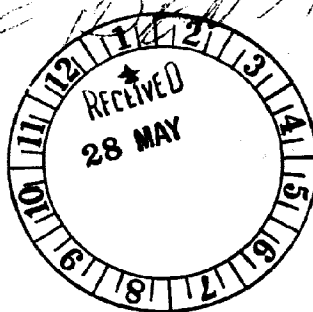
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: REFER TO SITREP NR 352 PARA 4A, CHECKED
 AREA AT FIRST LIGHT AND CAPTURED WOUNDED NVA POW WITH 1 U.S.
 BAYONET, 1 CANTEEN, 1 CARTRIDGE BELT AND 1 CLOTH CAP, WILL
 BE EVACED TO 1ST AMTRAC CP. RESULTS: 1 NVA POW.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 271004H, CPMP KISTLER RECEIVED 8 ROUNDS LIGHT ARTY.
 3/1ST AMTRAC BN ELEMENTS REPORTED SOUND SENSING FROM 5600 TO
 5800 MILS. NEG FLASH SIGHTINGS: PASS SENSING TO 3D MARINES
 FSCC. ARTY FIRED COUNTERBATTERY ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS.
 NEG CASUALTIES AND DAMAGE REPORTED.

B. AT 271020H, 2/9 SPOTTED 20 TO 30 NVA FLEEING NORTH INTO
 VILLAGE OF LAI AN IN VIC (YD 248723). AT SAME TIME 1/3 UNITS
 TOOK MORTARS FROM LAI AN. ALL 2/9 AND 1/3 UNITS HALTED AND
 CALLED ARTY AND AIR STRIKES ON LAI AN.

C. AT 271200H, 3D MARINES PASSED OPCON OF COMD GRP B AND



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07179 TO 9TH MARINES.

D. AT 271120H, 1/3 S COMD GRP RECEIVED 2 ROUNDS OF INCOMING FROM VIC (YD 288647). KEEPING AREA UNDER OBSERVATION FROM TOWER. NEG CASUALTIES REPORTED.

5. PLANS: 2/9 WILL CONTINUE THE ATTACK TO THE NORTH VIC LAI AND (YD 246725) WITH 1/3 (-) (REINF) CONTINUING IN TRACE. BLT 2/4 WILL CONTINUE TO MOVE AND ESTABLISH A BLOCKING POSITION FOR 1/3. N BN WILL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE 4 LVT'S. AS TO MARINES 1ST AMTRACT MOBILE SUPPLY VEHICLES MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USMC 314 KIA, 1269 WIA (MEDEVAC), 318 WIA (MINOR),

USA 33 KIA, 63 WIA (MEDEVAC), 58 WIA (MINOR), 1 MIA

ENEMY

2920 NVA KIA

66 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

9 VC POW

299 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

494 IWC, 171 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITEP NR 354 FM 271201H - 271800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

E/2/4 YD 285710 1/3 COMP GRP A&S/1/3, A/1/9 AND
H/2/4 YD 278718 F/2/4 AND 2/9(-) YD 255707
G/2/4 YD 272705

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 270902H, G/2/9 FND 8 NVA KIA AND 1 NVA POW VIC
YD 259707. POW WAS WOUNDED AND EVACED. RES: 8 NVA KIA, 1 NVA POW.

B. AT 271315H, D/1/3 YD 254707 TOOK INCOMING MORTS RND
SPORADIC ARTY AND SAF. RES: 13 WIA EVAC.

C. AT 271335H, U/1/3 YD 254703 TOOK HWY SAF AND AWF FROM VIC
YD 25710. HAVE CAS WILL SEND ACCURATE COUNT WHEN SIT IMPROVES.

D. AT 271530H, E/2/9 YD 257701 MARINE STEPPED ON A BOUNCING BETTY MINE
VIC YD 257708. RES: 1 WIA EVAC.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 271310H, E/2/4 RECOVERED 5 BND 18 VIC YD 257710. BODIES BEING
EVACED BY OTHER.

B. AT 271255H, ELEMENTS OF B/1ST ARMA 3 DIV CAPTURED 1 NVA POW IN
TREELINE NORTH OF C-4 VIC YD 312722 WHILE SLEEPING SOUTH FROM
OCEAN VIEW. RES: 1 NVA POW EVAC.

C. AFTER BEING IN CONTACT MOST OF THE DAY AND HAVING SUSTAINED NUMEROUS
HEAT CAS, 2/9 HELD UP TO PERMIT 1/3 TO PASS THROUGH. BEFORE PASSAGE
OF LINES COMPLETED D/1/3 BECAME HEAVILY ENGAGED. CO 1/3 THEN ASSUMED
RESPONSIBILITY FOR COORDINATION OF SUPPORTING ARMS FOR BOTH UNITS.
MORE INFO TO FOLLOW WHEN SIT SETTLES DOWN.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR (USMC): 314 KIA, 1283 WIA EVAC, 318 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR

EN: 2928 NVA KIA, 68 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 301 DET,
3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 494 IWC, 171 CAS

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 INFO UUMSEA/III MAF COC
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 355 FM 271801H - 272400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 271200H, 2/9 (YD. 256710 SCOUTS TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY EST NVA BN SUPPORTED BY MORTS AND ARTY. NVA DUG IN TRELIN. PICKED UP FOLLOWING EQUIP: MISC PACKS, AMMO AND MED SUPPLIES. RES: 2 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 42 WIA MINOR. NBC'S NOT COUNTED IN CUM LOSSES.

B. AT 271800H, 1/3 AND 2/9 YD 256710 RECV'D HWY INCOMING CONSISTING OF 82MM ARTY AND 12.7MM HMG RND'S. FIRED COUNTER BTRY OF MORTS ARTY AND CALLED FIXED WING.

C. ADDITIONAL CAS FROM 1/3 AS RESULT OF TODAY'S CONTACT IS AS FOLLOWS:

13 KIA (BNR) 47 WIA EVAC, 3 WIA MINOR, 3 MIA. EN TOTALS N/A AT THIS TIME.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 272345H, RECV'D WARNING ORDER FROM 3D MARDIV TO BE PREPARED TO MOVE 1 CO BACK TO 1/9 ON ORDER.

5. PLANS REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (UMSC) 329 KIA, 1393 WIA EVAC, 323 WIA MINOR., 3 MIA

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR., 1 MIA

EN: 2928 NVA KIA, 69 NVAPOW, 60 VC KIA, 8 VC POW - 1 VC POW RECLASSIFIED AS NVA POW - 301 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 494 IWC., 171 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP N 357 FM 280601H - 281200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. (LATE ENTRY) AT 272000, E/2/4 COMPLETED SEARCH OF AREA OF 25 MAY CONTACT VIC YD 282713. 2 RPG., 4 RPD, 7 AK-47 AND 11 SKS WERE FND AND EVACUATED TO 2/4 S-2 RES: 6 CSWC, 18 IWC

B. AT 280630H, F/2/4 CAPTURED 1 NVAPOW WHO WANDERED BY THEIR POSITION VIC YD 252703. HE WAS ARMED WITH AK-47. THERE WERE 7 OTHER NVA IN AREA TOO FAR AWAY FR CAPTURE. POW EVACED TO 1/3 CP WHERE HES BEING RETAINED FOR USE IN ATTEMPTING TO PERSUADE OTHER NVA TO SURRENDER. PSYOPS SUPPORT WAS REQUESTED. RES: 1 NVA POW, 1 IWC.

C. AT 281000H, 2/9-(-) VIC YD 255707 RECV'D APPROX 12 RND 130MM ARTY COUNTER BTRY ARTY FIRED ON SUSP EN GUN POSIT VIC YD 225829. NEG CAS.

D. AT 281055H, D/1/3 FND 1 NVA BODY WITH 1 AK-47 AND 1 SK-44 RIFLE VIC YD 250706. EVACUATED WEAPONS TO 1/3 S-2

RES: 1 NVA KIA AND 2 IWC

E. BETWEEN 280600H AND 281100H, 1/3(-) VIC YD 255707 RECV'D APPROX 18 SCATTERED RND 85MM ARTY FM UNK LOC. NEG CAS. COUNTER BTRY FIRED WITH AO ON STATION.

F. AT 281145H, ELEMENTS B/1ST AMTRAC BN FND 1 U/I WPN DIGHT VIC YD 288753 WHILE SEARCHING AREA OF PREV CONTACT. SIGHT SENT TO DIV G-2.

G. 1/3 ACCOUNTED FOR ALL ENR/MIA'S FROM YESTERDAYS ACTION.

MY SITREP NR 355 REPORTED 13 KIA (ENR) AND 47 WIA EVAC

3 WIA MINOR AND 2 MIA. CORRECTED FIGURES ARE 7 KIA, 51 WIA EVAC, 10 WIA MINOR, AND 8 MIA.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 326 KIA, 1397 WIA EVAC, 328 WIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2929 NVA KIA, 70 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 8 VC POW,

302 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 515 IWC, 177 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 358 FM 281201H - 281800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

E/2/4 YD 278668

G/2/4 YD 268700

H/2/4 YD 270703

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 281757H, CAMP KISTLER RECD 17 RND OF LIGHT TO MED ARTY FROM 5900 MILS FROM C-4 AND 3610 MILS FROM OCEANA VIEW, SOUND-FLASH REPORTED ACTIVE ARTY AT YD 23778290. 12TH MARINES FIRED ON SUSP EN TARGETS AND 30 MARINES REQUESTED P.Q. RES: 1 WIA EVAC, 1 WIA MINOR.

4. SIG EVENTS:

A. AT 281305H, 30 MAR PASSED OPCON OD C/1/9 TO 30 MARDIV

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR (USMC) 362 KIA, 1398 WIA EVAC, 329 WIA MINOR

(ISA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 58 WIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2929 NVA KIA, 70 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 9 VC POW, 302 DET, 3 CIV DET, 129 INN CIV, 515 INIW 177 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 359 FM 281800H - 282400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS : NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. SIG EVENTS:

AT 262000H, H/2/9 LP VIC YD 257708

OBSV'D 12 NVA/VC IN FRONT OF LINES IN VIC YD 259708 AND
 YD 258708, FIRED SA AND ILLUM. WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USMC) 326 KIA, 1398 NIA EVAC, 329 NIA MINOR

(USA) 33 KIA, 63 NIA 34-4, 58 NIA MINOR, 1 MIA

EN: 2929 NVA KIA, 70 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 8 VC POW,
 302 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 515 INC, 77 CSAC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 300 290001H-290600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARIE OLERA

NS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: AT 232400H (LATE ENTRY), F/2/4 OBSERVED 3 NVA/VC WALKING UPRIGHT IN A COLUMN. THEY WALKED WITHIN 5 METERS OF THE LINES, TOOK EN UNDER FIRE WITH SA. THE EN RETURNED, 1 NVA FELL AND THE OTHER 2 DISAPPEARED IN THE RICE PADDIES. WILL CHECK AT FIRST LIGHT. RESULTS:

1 FR MEDEVAC.

5. PLANS:

1/3 CONTINUES THE ATTACK AT FIRST LIGHT TO SEARCH AND CLEAR ALL AN VIC YD 240722 WITH 2/9(-) INITIALLY OCCUPYING BLOCKING POSITIONS IN PHO CON, YD 250708. 2/4(-) AND 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3(-) CONDUCTS SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES IN ASSIGNED AO'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

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326 KIA

1499 WIA (MEDEVAC)

329 WIA NE

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA NE

1 WIA

B. ENEMY

2325 NVA KIA

73 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

3 VC POW

332 DET

3 CIV DEF

120 INN CIV

515 IWC 177 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP-361 290601H-291200H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. 1/3 COMMENCING TOWARD TAI AN IN VIC YD 248722 AT FIRST LIGHT AND CAME INTO CONTACT AT 290725H, RECEIVED S/A, 82MM AND SOME ROCKETS THE ENTIRE MORNING, CONTINUED TO MANEUVER TOWARD THE ENEMY. 1/3 USING EXTENSIVE AIR AND SUPPORTING ARMS WITH S/A FIRE. 2/9 (-) CONTINUED TO OCCUPY BLOCKING POSITIONS IN PHO CON VIC YD 250708. 2/4(-), 1ST AMTRAC BN, AND 1/3(-) MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 290725H, D/1/3 IN VIC YD 251708 RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM VIC YD 249708. SOME CASUALTIES SUSTAINED WILL REPORT NUMBER AFTER CONTACT. USING SUPPORTING ARMS AND MOVING TOWARD SNIPERS.

B. AT 291100H, G/2/4 RECEIVED UNKNOWN NUMBER OF MORTAR ROUNDS IN VIC (YD 258702). CALLED HUNTER BATTERY AND COUNTER MORTAR FIRE ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS: RESULTS: 4 KIA (MED)

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. REFER TO SITREP NR 349, APR 4. CHECKED AREA AT FIRST LIGHT AND FOUND 1 7.62 H/MG. 1 US M-16 RIFLE, 1 US 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHER, 2 3.5 ROCKET ROUNDS, US 60MM ILLUM ROUND, 8 DRUM MAG, 1 PAIR OF TENNIS SHOES, AND BLOOD TRAILS. WILL FORWARD TO 3RD MARINES S-2. RESULTS: 1 INC, 2 CSWC.

B. AT 290745H, H/2/4 IN VIC (YD 271703) RECEIVED 3 RDS INCOMING 130MM ARTY FROM DIRECTION OF 6100 MILS. A-1 AND A-3 LOCATED ENEMY POSITION AND FIRE COUNTER BATTERY FIRE. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES OR DAMAGE REPORTED:

C. AT 290900H, H/2/4 SPOTTED FLASHES FROM POSSIBLE MORTAR LOCATION IN VIC (YD 263722) ARTY AND 81MM MISSION WITH EXCELLENT TARGET COVER. 1/3 WILL CONTINUE THE ATTACK TO SEARCH AND CLEAR TAI AN (YD 248722) WITH 2/9(-) OCCUPYING BLOCKING POSITIONS IN PHO CON VIC (YD 250708). 2/4(-), 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3(-) TO MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONTINUE SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

326 KIA

1499 WIA (MEDEVAC)

329 WIA

USA

33 KIA

68 WIA (MEDEVAC)

38 WIA

1 WIA

B. ENEMY

2929 NVA KIA

70 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

8 VC POW

302 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

516 INC, 179 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON LINE SITREP 362, 291201H-291800H MAY 68

T. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING

E/2/4 (YD 281672)

G/2/4 (YD 272704)

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: 1/3 CONTINUED TO MANEUVER TOWARD LAI AN VIC (YD 248722). 2/9(-) CONTINUED TO OCCUPY BLOCKING POSITIONS IN PHO CON VIC (YD 258708). 2/4(-), 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3, (-) MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. REFER TO SITREP NR 351 PARA 3A; CASUALTIES SUSTAINED BY 1/3 DURING PERIOD OF CONTACT ROM 290700H TO 291100H. RESULTS: 4 KIA, 14 WIA (MEDEVAC), 1 WIA (MNOR) 4 MIA.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 291100H G/2/4 VIC (YD 258702) RECEIVED UNKNOWN NUMBER OF MORTAR ROUNDS. FIRED COUNTER MORTAR ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS AT (YD 263722 AND YD 262740). RESULTS: 1 KIA 4 WIA (MEDEVAC).

C. AT 291530H G/2/4 IN VIC (YD 274699) RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM NVA APPROX 30 METERS EAST OF FRIENDLY POSITIONS. RETURNED FIRE AND REINFORCING UNIT KILLED 1 NVA. RESULTS: 1 KIA 2 WIA (MEDEVAC), 1 NVA KIA 2 AK-47 CAPTURED AND 1 C.O. CARD FOUND.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 291100H B/1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 NOTICED 10 PERSONNEL DRESSED IN PJ'S IN VIC (YD 324721) DIGGING SEVERAL HOLES ON DUNES OVERLOOKING C-4. FIRED 81MM MORTAR MISSION: PERSONNEL RAN SOUTH. PATROL SENT OUT CHECKED POSITIONS AND FOUND 50-50 HOLES 6-8 FT DEEP, 4-6 FEET WIDE FOUND TREE STUMPS EXTRACTED ALSO FOUND 1 M-26 GRENADE AND ASSORTED PAPERS WHICH APPEAR TO BE SOME SORT OF TABLES. ALL HOLES DESTROYED: PAPER WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3RD MARINES S-2.

B. AT 291430H H/2/4 REPORTED MAN WOUNDED BY ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF .45 PISTOL IN VIC (YD 267705). INCIDENT BEING INVESTIGATED AND SIR WILL FOLLOW. RESULTS: 1 NBC (MEDEVAC).

5. PLANS: 1/3 WILL CONTINUE ATTACK TO SEARCH AND CLEAR LAI AN (YD 248722) WITH 2/9(-) OCCUPYING BLOCKING POSITIONS IN PHO CON VIC (YD 250708). 2 PLT OF G/2/4 WILL CONDUCT SWEEP DOWN EAST AND WEST BANKS OF JONES CREEK. REMAINDER OF 2/4(-) 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3(-) WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES PATROLS AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

322 KIA

1419 WIA (MEDEVAC)

329 WIA (MINOR)

4 MIA

USA

23 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

56 WIA (MINOR)

1 MI

B. ENEMY

2930 NVA KIA

70 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

8 VC POW

302 DET

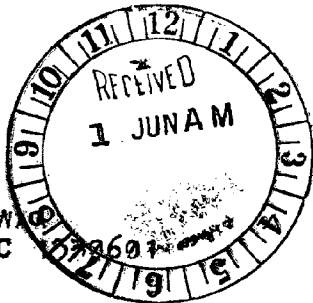
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518 IWC, 179 CSWC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP #63, 291800H-292400H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NONE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. 1/3(-) WITH A/1/9 AND F/2/4 CONTINUED TO ATTACK LAI AN WITH MAXIMUM USE OF SUPPORTING ARMS. AT 291000H, A AND G/1/3 CONTINUED TO MOVE TOWARD VILLAGE, CONTINUED TAKING SNIPER FIRE. 1/3 AND 2/9 CONSOLIDATED POSITIONS AND COMMENCED TO SET IN DEFENSIVE POSITION FOR NIGHT. G/2/4 SWEEP AREA ALONG JONES CREEK AGAINST S/A FIRE FROM SNIPERS THAT INTERFERED WITH RESUPPLY BOATS. REMAINDER OF 2/5, 1ST AVTRAD BN AND 1/5(-) CONTINUED TO MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

B. C9, D8, J9, K1, U2, AA6.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 291815H, WHILE MOVING TOWARD VILLAGE G/1/3 CAPTURED 1 NVA POW IN VIC (YD 252708) WITHOUT WEAPON. STATED HE RAN FROM BUNKER YESTERDAY WHEN NAPALM LANDED NEAR HIM. ALSO STATED HIS BN HAD 200 MEN KILLED SINCE THEY MOVED ACROSS BEN HAI WITH ONLY 100 MEN STILL ABLE TO FIGHT. WILL FORWARD POW TO 3RD MAR S-2.

B. 1/3 REPORTS THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES FOR THEIR CONTACT OF 29 MAY 68: 7 KIA'S (INCLUDING 2 BNR), 11 WIA (MEDEVAC), AND 2 WIA (MINOR). DELETE 4 MIA'S REPORTED ON MY SITREP NR 762 ALL MIA'S ACCOUNTED FOR IN ABOVE-TOTALS. ENEMY CASUALTIES NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 291A. AT 2918H/2/4 OBSERVED 10 NVA INSAND DUNES IN VIC (YD 280718) MOVING NW. FIRED 81MM MISSION AND WILL CHECK AT FIRST LIGHT.

B. AT 292030H, CAMP KISTLER RECEIVED 11 ROUNDS OF UNKNOWN ARTY FROM (YD 295795). SIGHTING 5600 MILS AND 5595 MILS FROM CAMP KISTLER TOWER. NEG CASUALTIES OF DAMAGE REPORTED.

C. AT 292326H. H/2/4 OBSERVED 8 NVA/VC MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH ABOUT 75 METERS TO FRONT OF TINES IN VIC YD 266705. OPEN FIRE W/M-79 AND S/A. WILL CHECK AT FIRST LIGHT.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITION AND CONTINUE TO CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

B. C7, D18, J-17, X1, L1, AA6.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

339 KIA

1430 WIA (MEDEVAC)

331 WIA (MINOR)

USA

33 KIA

63 WIA (MEDEVAC)

58 WIA (MINOR)

1 MIA

1. REFUGEES: NONE

C. ENEMY

2930 NVA KIA

71 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

8 VC POW

303 DET

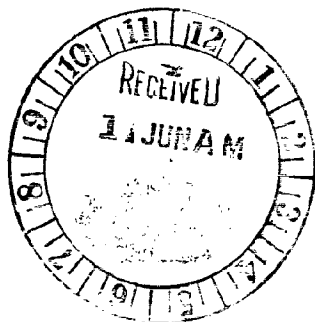
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 364, 300001H-300600H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS AND LP'S.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVETNS:

A. AT 300510H, 1/3 IN VIC (YD 255707) TOOK 12 TO 14 ROUNDS OF INCOMING FROM AZIMUTH OF 355 DEGREES. COUNTER BATTERY FIRED. SPOOKY ON STATION CHECKED AREA. NEG CASUALTIES REPORTED.

5. PLANS: 1/3 (-) (REIN) AND 2/9 (-) WILL CONTINUE THE ATTACK ON LAI AN (YD 28722). BLT 2/4, 1ST AMTRAC BN, AND 1/3 (-) WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLYUSVC

530 KIA

2483 MIA (VEDEVAC)

551 MIA (MINOR)

1 SA

73 KIA

63 MIA (VEDEVAC)

53 MIA

1 MIA

9. ENEMY

2936 NVA KIA

71 NVA POW

40 VC KIA

40 VC POW

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OPN NEPOLEON SAILINE SITREP 355, 500600H-000000H 01 JUN 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: 1/3(-) AND 2/3(-) CONTINUED TO SEARCH AND CLEAR LAI AN YD 247725 WITH USE OF SUPPORTING ARMS, BLT 2/4 1ST AMTRAC BN, AND 5/3(-) MAINTAINED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES. 1/3 HAS BEEN TAKING SPORADIC INCOMING SINCE THEY BEGAN MOVING THROUGH THE AREA OF CONTACT BUT PROGRESS CONTINUED WITHOUT SIGNIFICANT GROUND CONTACT.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 300500H, D/1/3 YD 243707 FOUND 9 NVA KIA, 1 SKS 1 AK-47, 3 NVA PACKS. REFER TO MY SITREP 353, RECOVERED 2 (NONE REMAIN) BNR, RIFLES AND EQUIP TO BE FORWARDED TO 3RD MARINES, RESULTS 9 NVA KIA, 2 IWC.

B. AT 300800H, A/1/3 FOUND 32 NVA BODIES AND CAPTURED 3 NVA POW'S, 3 ENEMY RADIOS, 1 MED BAG, 15 ROUNDS RPG, 5 RDS 82MM MORTAR, 4 SKS RIFLES, 3 AK-47 RIFLES AND 1 LMG, AND 1 TELEPHONE. GEAR AND POW'S WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3RD MAR S-2. RESULTS: 33 NVA KIA, 3 NVA POW, 7 IWC, 1 CSWC.

C. AT 300815H, A/1/9 FOUND 1 NVA BODY WITH 1 AK-47 RIFLE IN VIC YD 25770. WEAPON WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MAR S-2. RESULTS: 1 NVA KIA, 1 IWC.

D. AT 300930H, G/2/4 ENCOUNTERED 2 NVA IN VIC YD 284682 AND KILLED BOTH. RESULTS: 2 NVA KIA.

E. AT 301045H, G/2/4 OBSERVED 1 NVA RUNNING NORTH IN VIC YD 295701, OPENED FIRE W/M-60 MACHINE-GUN FIRE AND KILLED RES: 1 NVA KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 292330H, B/1ST AMTRAC BN AT C-4 SIGHTED 12 NVA/PPS-5. FIRED 62 81MM HE AND 24-81MM WP. CHECKED AREA WITH NEG RESULTS:

B. REFER TO MY SITREP 363, APRA 4C: CHECK OF AREA REVEALED 2 BANGALORE TORPEDOS, 1 SATCHEL CHARGE, 1 BOX OF MG AMMO, 1 NVA PACK AND 3 SETS OF DRAG MARKS LEADING TO RIVER.

C. AT 300815H, 2/9 FOUND 1 M-59 CHICOM GAS DETECTOR KIT, LYING IN BUSHES VIC YD 255708. WILL BE FORWARDED TO 3D MAR.

D. AT 300915H, D/1/4 DOUNF 28 82MM MORTARS ROUNDS INSIDE 5 PACKS, 1 CHICOM CLAYMORE, 1 SKS RIFLE IN VIC YD 247706. 82/TP 3RD MAR S-2. RESULTS: 1 IWC.

E. AT 300945H, A/1/3 YD 255701 REC'D 25 82MM ARTY RDS INCOMING AT 6200 MILS. REQUESTED AN 40. NEG CAS REPORTED.

5. PLANS: 1/3(-) TO CONTINUE MOVING INTO LAI AN YD 247723 WITH 2/3 SWEEPING AREA FOR GEAR BEHIND QXE (A). 9LT 2/4, 1ST AMTRAC BN AND 1/3(-) WILL MAINTAIN POSITIONS AND CONDUCT SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

USMC

339 KIA

1430 WIA (EVAC)

331 WIANE

USA

33 KIA

62 WIA (EVAC)

58 WIANE

1 MIA

ENEMY

2976 NVA KIA

74 NVA POW

60 VC KIA

8 VC POW

306 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

530 IWC, 180 CSWC

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 ZNY CCCCC

POV TOC-T-111 MAF CCG
 C 010608Z JUNE 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV CCG
 TO UUMHVA/0:; 59:
 INFO UUMWAA/111 MAF CCG
 BT

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SITREP NR 366 301205-301800HVA 68 0PM N-POLEON/SALINE

1. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS:

A. 301015H A/1/9 CAPTURED 3 NVA POW'S IN BUNKER IN VIC
 YD 249714. ALSO FND 15 82MM RNDG-110 AK-47 RNDG AND
 1 AK-47 RIFLE. RES 3 NVA POW 1 IWC.

4. SICEVNNTS:

A. REFER TO SITREP NR 358 PARA 4A: WHILE PATOI FM H/2/4
 CHECKED NHI HA IN VIC YD 282717 FND 50 CHICOM GRESN
 10 RPC RNDG, 3 AT MINES 425 NVA MORT RNDG, 5 ABANGALORE
 TORPEDOS AND US AD NVA 782 GEAR. ALSO 2 FRESH

Y DUG GRAVES

4/5 BODIES IN EACH. DESTD ALL ORDNANCE. FS 12
 NVA KIA.

B. AT 301845H A/1/3 IN VIC YD 247717 RECEIVED 15
 RNDG OF 85MM ARTY. AD CHECKED FOR ARTY PSN.

C. AT 301545H SKIMMER BOA RETD TO BLT-2/4 PSN

HIT 18 DUD RND BANG LEW MORTO OFF IN VIC YD 270704. DRIVER
 NOT HURT. UNRETRIEVED CAT AND MOTOR AND RETPUNED TO BLT 2/4
 PSN.

D. AT 301550H H/2/4 IN VIC YD 270705 RECD 25 RNDG
 OF INCOMING ORT FN VIC YD 27714. FIRED COUNTER BTRY
 VALUK RES: NO CAS.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. CUM LOSSES:

FR KIA: 332 USMC, 55 USA

VIA MED: 1450 USMC, 65 USA

VIA MINOR: 331 USMC, 58 USA

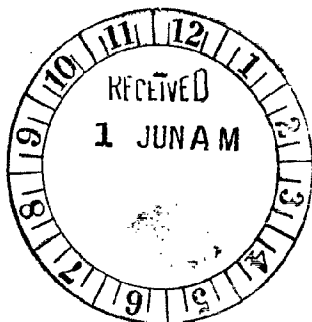
1 MIA USA

ENEMY

2936 NVA KIA, 77 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 3 VC POW,
 309 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 531 TWC, 180 CSWC.

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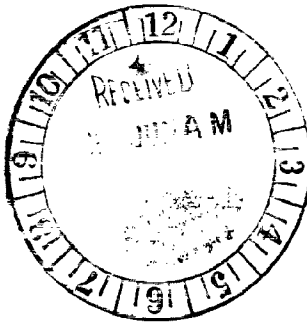
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O 010607Z JUNE 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COG
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMWAA/111 VAF COG
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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP NR 367 FM 301801-302400H MAY 68
1. LOC: SAME
2. SUM: SAME
3. CONTACTS:
A. AT 01700H, 1/4 REPORTED THE FOLL RES DURING
THEIR CONTACT TODAY IN VIC YD 2597110: 12 AK-47, 12 SK'S,
55 82MM RDS, 64 CHICOM GRENS, 6 RIFLE GRENS, 39 RPG
RDS, 22 82MM RDS, 4 60MM MORT RDNS, 2 CASES OF
7/62 AMMO, 2 AP MINES, 38 NVA BODIES. WPND WILL BE FORWARDED
TO 3D MARINES S-2. RES: FR 4 WIA MED,
6 WIA MINOR, EN 38 NVA KIA, 16 IWC.
4. SIG EVENTS:
A. AT 30214H, H/2/4 RECD 2 RNDG INCOMING ARTY OF
APPROX 130 MM IN VIC SYBWUORPPL FM 5900 VILS. NEG CAS.
5. REFER TO SITREP NR 365 PARA 3D: 2 AK-47 RIFLES.
6. PLANS: SAME
7. COM LOSSES:
FR: KIA: 339 USMC, 38 USA
WIA MED: 1434 USMC, 63 USA
WIA MINOR: 337 USMC, 58 USA
1 USA WIA
ENEMY
3024 NVA KIA, 77 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 3 VC POW, 329 DET,
3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 49 IWC, 180 CSWQ.
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 DE RUWHVP 50360 1520626
 ZNY CCCCC
 PCV TCC-T-111 MAF C00
 O 010606Z JUNE 68
 FM THIRD MARDIV C00
 TO UUMHMA/PCV T00
 INFO UUMWAA/111 MAF C00
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SITREP NR 353 FM 310001-310600H MAY 68

1. LOG: SAVE
 2. SUM: SAME
 3. CONTACTS: NONE
 4. SIG EVENTS:
 NONE
 5. PLANS: SAVE
 6. CUM LOSES:

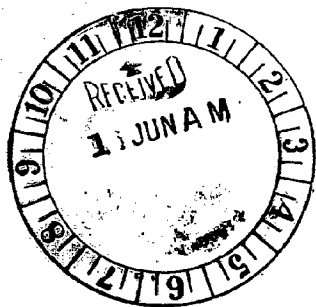
FR: KIA: 330 USMC, 35 USA
 WIA MED: 1484 USMC, 63 USA
 WIA MINOR: 337 USMC, 58 USA,
 1 USA MIA
 ENEMY

3024 NVA KIA, 77 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 3 VC POW, 309 ET, 3 CIV DEF,
 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 549 IWC, 182 CSWD.

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DE RUMHVP 50350 1530605
ZNY CCCCC
PCV TOC-T-III VAF COC
O 010605Z JUNE 68
FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TO
INFO UUMWAA/III VAF COC

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SITREP NR 369 FM 310601-311200H MAY 68
T. LOC: SAME

2. SUM: SAME

3. CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIV EVENTS:

A. AT 310710H, ELEM OF 9/1ST AVTRAC BN
OVSVD 1 NVA IN VIC YD 290750 WITHPACK AND NO WPN
MOVING TOWARD THEIR PSN. TOO UNDER FIRE W/FA. RES
UNK.

B. AT 010730H, 30 MAR PASSED QPCON OF L/2/9 TO 3D MARDIV.

C. AT 311010H, L/3/3 FND THE FOLL GEAR LAND EQUIP
IN VIC YD 242672. ALL WPNS WILL E-FORWARDED TO 3D
MARINES S-2 AND OTHER GEAR DESTO. A 82MM MORT

1 57 MM RR RND, 7 AK-47 MAG, 300 LINED A-47 RDS,
2 NVA HELMETS, P2 RPD LMG, 1 RPG-2 LAUNCHER, 1 12.7 MG WITH
AMMO MOUNT AND SHOULDER HARNESS, 4 M-60 MG'S, 2 M-16 RIFLES,
- M-14 FIFLEN 1 AK-47, 2 SKS, RES: 7 IWC, 8 CSWC.

5. PLANS: SAME

6. GUN LOSSES:

FR KIA:

339 USMC, 33 USA

WIA MED: 1434 USMC, 63 USA

WIA MINOR: 337 USMC, 58 USA, 1 USA MIA

ENEMY

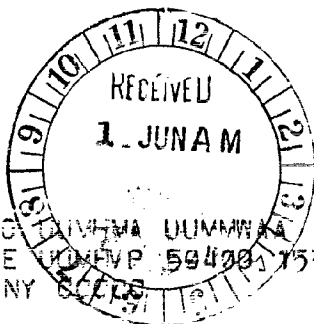
3024 NVA KIA, 77 NVA POW, 60 VC KIA, 8 PVC POW, 390 DET.

3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 556 IWC, 138 CSWC.

8 INN CIV.

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PCV TOC -T- III MAF COC

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FM 3RD MARDIV COC
TO UUMHMA/PCV TOC
INFO UUMHMA/III MAF COC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 370, 311207H-311800H MAY 68

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

B/3/3 YD 261632 C/1/3 YD 274628
A/3/3 YD 265648 L/3/3 YD 282650
V/3/3 YD 258658

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: 2/4 COMPLETED HELO LIFT TO 311454G. CHOPPED TO 3RD MARDIV AT 311145H. 3/3 COMPLETED SWEEP AND CLEAR OF VINH QUANG (K) IN VIC (YD 267660), ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND IMPROVED POSITIONS AND CONDUCTED SCHEDULED DAY ACTIVITIES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: AT 311826H, 1/3 CP FOUND 15 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 60MM RD, 3 AK-47 MAGAZINES, 1 CHICOM GAS MASK, 100 AK-47 RDS, AND 1 UNKNOWN DEVICE. SENDING UNKNOWN DEVICE TO 3RD MAF C-2, ORD AND REST IN PLACE.

5. PLANS: ALL UNITS TO MAINTAIN POSITION AND CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSHES, PATROLS, AND LP'S.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY

USMC

339 KIA

1434 WIA (EVAC)

357 WIA

USA

22 KIA

62 WIA (EVAC)

58 WIA

1 MIA

3. ENEMY

5624 NVA KIA

77 NVA POW

53 VC KIA

3 VC POW

200 DET

3 CIV DEF

129 INN CIV

556, WIC, 188 GSWC

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PCV TOC -T- 111 MAF COC
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FM THIRD MARDIV COC
TO UUMSEM/PCV TOC
INFO UUSEA/111 MAF COC

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OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE SITREP 1A 3710Z 312000H MAY 68

1. UNT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: REMAIN THE SAME

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. SIG EVENTS:

A (LATE ENTRY) AT 311342H L/3/3 RECOVERED 1 NVA BODIES
NOT PREV COUNTED IN VIC XO 24666S ALSO FND 12 75MM RR RND.

1 57MM RR RND AND DEST ORDN IN PLACE. RES: 1 NVA KIA (C).

B. (LATE ENTRY) AT 311430H M/3/3 FND 25 BUNKERS WHILE CHECKING
AREA IN VIC YD 268659. BUNKERS DEST.

C. AT 311300H 30 MARINES PASSED OPCON BLT 2/4 TO 3D MARINE DIVISION.

5. PLANS: REMAIN THE SAME

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

FR: (USVC) 339 KIA, 1443 WIA EVAC, 337 WIA MINOR,

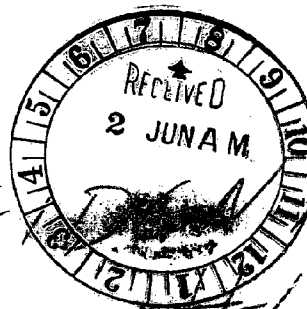
(USA) 33 KIA, 63 WIA EVAC, 53 WIA MINOR

EN: 3028 NVA KIA, 77 NVA PW, 60 VC KIA, 3 VC PW,
309 DET, 3 CIV DEF, 129 INN CIV, 556 IWC, 188 CSWC

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