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1st Marine Division (Rein) FMF
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1-30 June 1970

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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

1st Battalion, 7th Marines

COMMANDER

LtCol C. G. COOPER

SUBORDINATE UNITS

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Headquarters and Service Company | 1stLt I. D. ROTH |
| Company "A" | Capt J. K. VANRIPER |
| Company "B" | Capt J. C. WILSON |
| Company "C" | Capt T. D. STOUTER |
| Company "D" | 1stLt W. W. CHAPMAN |

2. LOCATION

1-30 June 1970, Quang Nam Province, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

| | |
|-------------------|---|
| Executive Officer | Major J. R. CURNUTT (1-29 June) Major J. J. SHERIDAN (30 June) |
| S-1 | Capt S. G. LADA |
| S-3/S-2 | Major A. LEE |
| S-3A | 1stLt J. D. DEARE |
| S-4 | Capt C. W. J. STANAT (1-8 June) Capt L. WALLACE (9-30 June) |
| CommO | 1stLt M. L. GLAS |
| SupplyO | 1stLt R. R. EMERY |
| MTO | 1stLt R. F. MARYE |
| ALO | 1stLt R. H. BOEHM (1-8 June) 1stLt L. W. GRASMAN (9-30 June) |

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1stLt D. D. DUNN (1-20 June)
1stLt P. J. MABEY (21-30 June)

BnChaplain

Lt. J. J. PIERCE

BnMedO

Lt. D. C. URBAN

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4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTHUSMCUSNOff
LIEnl
1098Off
2Enl
535. CASUALTIES SUSTAINED (Including Company A)

| | | |
|---------|----|-----|
| USMC | | USN |
| KIA | 12 | 2 |
| DOW | 5 | 1 |
| MIA | 61 | 0 |
| WIA | 18 | 0 |
| NBC | 40 | 0 |
| ACCDINJ | 3 | 0 |

PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

The Battalion's operations for the month of June were conducted in the Eastern portion of the 7th Marines A. O. The emphasis remained on small unit ambushes and patrols. A number of cordon and search operations were conducted by the companies working with Regional and Popular Force troops, Village Officials, and Counter intelligence personnel from LZ Baldy. On 7 June a Company C Observation Post observed several enemy on a hill near the mouth of the Pagoda Valley. A fixed wing air strike and helicopter gun ships pinned the enemy down and a platoon sweep of the area resulted in five NVA KIA and eight POWs. The Division Pacifier package was used in the Battalion A. O. twice during the month. Enemy terrorist activity increased during the month, characterized by a massive attack on Than My village in the Northeastern portion of the A. O. During the local elections held 28 June the Battalion provided a screen against possible enemy attacks on polling places. Zulu Platoon (H&S Co. Provisional Platoon) continued to operate as an additional maneuver element. During the elections Zulu was used as a mechanized reaction force utilizing M-116A1 "Huskies". Company A continued to operate in the Combined Unit Pacification Program under operational control of the 7th Marine Regiment.

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SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS1. PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION

a. During the month of June 1970 the following gains and losses are reported.

| | USMC | | USN | |
|---------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| | Off | Enl | Off | Enl |
| Joined | 3 | 171 | 0 | 12 |
| Dropped | 9 | 179 | 0 | 14 |
| | -6 | -8 | 0 | -2 |

b. The average rifle company strength is 6 Officers and 205 Enlisted. The present effective average rifle company strength is 4 Officers and 169 Enlisted.

c. Administration for the month included processing 6 meritorious combat promotions and 67 personal awards.

2. WEATHER AND TERRAIN

Maximum Temperature: 99° F.
Minimum Temperature: 72° F.

3. INTELLIGENCE

a. Significant Enemy Activity

(1) A total of 97 sightings and 65 contacts were reported by this Battalion. Of the 65 contacts reported by this Battalion, 15 were enemy initiated (consisting of 1 Sapper attack and 14 harassing small arms attacks) while 50 were initiated by friendly troops. Of the 97 sightings, the majority consisted of small groups of enemy numbering between 2 and 6 with the larger sightings numbering between 15 and 40. In addition to the sightings and contacts, there were a total of 27 mining/booby trap incidents of which 15 were found and 12 unintentionally detonated.

b. Analysis of Enemy Situation

(1) The period ended with reports of the enemy units in the area preparing for a summer offensive.

(2) Enemy units located in and around the 1/7 A. O. included:

(a) Central Que Son Mountains

91st Sapper Bn
Q 81 LF Bn
69th Replacement Bn
160th Transportation Bn

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| (b) Barrier Island area | 70th MF Bn 72nd LF Bn V-15 LF Co |
| (c) Southeast of LZ Baldy | 105th LF Bn |
| (d) Northeast of LZ Baldy | V-25 Bn |

c. **Enemy Capabilities:** Based on continuous evaluation of the enemy situation and disposition of enemy forces within or adjacent to the 1/7 AO, the courses of enemy activity are expected to be:

- (1) Increase offensive activities at the beginning of July.
- (2) Maintain and defend his present positions.
- (3) Continue to emplace mines and booby traps.
- (4) Continue to attempt to disrupt the Pacification Program.

d. **Enemy Casualties**

| | <u>1/7(-)</u> | <u>A Company (CUPP)</u> |
|--------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| VC/NVA KIA's | 69 | 16 |
| POW's | 5 | 00 |
| Detainees | 53 | 10 |

4. **CAPTURED ENEMY WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT 1/7(-)**

WEAPONS

20 Individual weapons

ORINANCE

47 Chicoms
60 AK rounds
02 Chicom fuses

782 GEAR

15 Hammocks
09 Ponchos
03 Helmets
08 Packs
07 AK magazines
01 9mm magazine
05 Belts

U. S. GEAR

02 Poncho liners
01 Spool claymore wire
02 Pair socks
01 Canteen cup
01 Bottle insect repellent
02 Bottles Malaria pills
02 Utility covers
01 Canteen
02 Cartridge belts
01 Sewing kit
01 Ammo pouch
01 Pistol belt
12 M-26
22 M-33
01 Hell box
01 LAAW
60 M-1 rounds
01 105 round
04 Blasting caps

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Rice 100 lbs
 Tobacco 1 lb
 Salt 15 lbs
 Potatoes 5 lbs

PERSONAL GEAR

02 Wallets
 03 Mirrors
 04 Toothbrushes
 01 Toothpaste
 02 Razors
 01 Pen
 04 Transistor radios
 01 Watch
 01 16mm camera
 01 ID Card
 02 Pair sandals

MEDICAL GEAR

01 Syringe
 01 Bottle Iodine
 02 Bottles cough syrup
 02 Pair scissors
 03 Rolls gauze
 01 First Aid Kit
 09 Battle dressings
 08 Vials Glucose
 10 Vials of Streptomycin
 04 Bottles sleeping pills

MISCELLANEOUS GEAR

05 SVN Plasters
 02 Boats
 01 Rice bowl
 02 Bamboo knives
 05 Sets black pajamas
 Women's clothing
 Assorted green uniforms
 Assorted documents

5. ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION

a. Emphasis was placed on small unit patrols and ambushes throughout the Area of Operation.

b. Fire Support

(1) Artillery. During the month of June, 3,859 rounds were fired by Golf and Hotel Batteries, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines in support of the 1st Battalion, 7th Marines. The number of fire missions was 167.

(2) Air Support

(a) The number of scheduled close air support missions decreased over last month to 6. However only 4 of these missions were completed.

(b) The Battalion scheduled seven troop lift missions during the month. Of these, all seven were completed. Helicopter support moved over 213,100 pounds of cargo. More than 1,120 troops were helilifted during the month.

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(c) Medivac helicopters evacuated 104 battle and non-battle casualties, of which 38 were emergency cases, 43 priority, 13 routine and 10 permanent routine.

(d) There were 26 observation and 5 flareship missions flown during the month for the Battalion.

6. PLANS. Continued emphasis by the enemy on the employment of small units has reduced planning for large scale operations by the Battalion to a minimum. Instead, planning for operations falls predominately into the following categories:

a. Area Domination - The majority of planning effort is devoted to planning for small unit, diversified operations designed to dominate the populated area to the East and West of National Route 1 within the assigned area of operations. These operations must be carefully coordinated actions if they are to be successful.

b. Vietnamization - A portion of the Battalion planning effort is consistently dedicated to plans for increasing the participation of Regional and Popular Force elements. Through participation in joint operations, it is hoped that these local forces can gain in overall combat efficiency.

c. Aerial Operations - Beginning in July, planning will be initiated to increase the number of aerial operations conducted by the companies of the Battalion. This planning will include determination of required training, preparation and coordination for the effective use of the aerial assault package. It is planned to coordinate this type of effort with the rehabilitation period of the companies.

d. Contingency Planning - Throughout, the Battalion must continue to plan for contingency operations. Contingencies that are considered pertinent include reinforcement of the CUPP Units, reaction to enemy attacks on villages and hamlets, assignment to assault operations elsewhere in the Regimental area of operations, and possible assignment to combat in other areas inside or outside of the 1st Marine Division Area.

7. TRAINING

a. Normal training was held during the month. Additionally 16 men completed training on Prisoner Escort.

b. Formal schools attended by 1st Battalion, 7th Marines personnel during June were as follows:

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| Career Planner | 1 |
| Land Mine Warfare School | 59 |
| NCO Leadership School | 6 |
| Officer Advance Orientation | 2 |
| SNCO Advance Orientation | 1 |

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a. During the month of June logistical efforts have centered on resupply and rehabilitation of the line companies which continues to go well with no significant shortages of supplies or equipment.

b. The construction of recreational facilities has also received much attention. Two concrete deck basketball courts have been completed, one in the rehabilitation area and one behind the messhall.

c. The Battalion has shown marked improvement in the area of sanitation, especially noteworthy is the messhall and surrounding area.

d. No significant difficulties have been encountered with air or ground transportation.

e. 1st and 2nd echelon maintenance and supply continues to go well, reflected by the Battalion being in C-1 status in equipment on hand and C-1 status in equipment readiness.

f. The major problem in the logistics field is embarkation. Particular emphasis is being placed on embarkation and all discrepancies should be corrected during the month of July.

9. CIVIL AFFAIRS AND CIVIC ACTION

a. Throughout the month, the Battalion conducted continuous psychological operations in support of Marine activities in the operational area. The civil population was targeted with leaflet drops and aerial broadcasts emphasizing cooperation with both Marine and Vietnamese Government Forces. Additionally a Culture Drama team, Political Warfare team, Armed Propaganda team and seven HE and HB Teams with ground portable loud speakers were deployed with the Battalion and Alpha CUPP during the month of June.

b. During the month of June, in conjunction with Alpha CUPP, many Civic Action projects were completed. All of these projects had special human interest appeal and were very effective in bettering the relationship between the Marines and local populace. The Battalion supported Alpha CUPP in the following projects:

- (1) Constructed one footbridge at (140460)
- (2) Two classes in English were presented at Phu Hiep School.
- (3) Food, clothing and construction material were delivered to Phu Thanh village for rehabilitation.

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c. Medical personnel within the Battalion conducted medcaps particularly in the Phu Thanh village as part of the Medical Civic Action Program. 350 personnel were treated from hostile action.

d. Battalion wide training was conducted detailing individual participation in the Personal Response Program.

10. COMMUNICATIONS

a. The Radio Section continued to provide personnel and equipment in support of Battalion operations. Personnel and equipment were provided to all rifle companies and the Provisional Rifle Platoon of H&S Company.

b. The Wire Section continued to provide personnel for operation and maintenance of the Battalion Internal Wire Communication System. New land lines were added by the Wire Section to improve the defensive perimeter communications.

c. The Message Center continued making courier runs to the 7th Marines Regimental Message Center for pickup and delivery of message traffic.

d. The Supply and Maintenance Sections continued operations in accordance with current directives.

11. MEDICAL

a. During the month of June, the Battalion Aid Station was Adequately staffed.

b. There were (4) medcaps held during the month of June by Battalion Aid Station personnel treating approximately one hundred and ninety-eight (198) Vietnamese civilians.

c. The Hospital Corpmen of Alpha CUPP held medcaps daily, treating approximately one hundred thirty five (135) Vietnamese civilians daily, from 27 May through 30 June 1970.

d. The malaria rate for the month of June is normal for the season.

e. The request for the erection of a triage and mass casualty bunker adjacent to the Battalion Aid Station has not yet been granted.

f. There is an adequate amount of medical supplies on hand.

g. Sanitation has been satisfactory during the month of June.

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h. Medical evacuation of both battle and routine casualties has been handled rapidly and efficiently with no reduction in the quality of treatment of the sick and injured.

i. Breakdown of personnel treated at Battalion Aid Station during the month:

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| Gastro-intestinal disturbances (nausea, diarrhea, cramps, etc.) | 23 |
| Shrapnel wounds | 01 |
| Fevers | 103 |
| Psychiatric problems | 06 |
| Physical exams | 06 |
| Routine medevacs | 79 |
| Priority medevacs | 79 |
| Miscellaneous (headaches, colds, immersion foot, fractures, sprains, venereal disease, jungle ulcers, etc.) | 844 |
| Military personnel treated at BAS | 1137 |
| Civilian personnel treated at BAS | 01 |
| Total personnel treated at BAS | 1138 |
| Civilians treated on medcaps | 198 |

PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

✓ TAB "A" DAILY JOURNALS (1-30 JUN 70)

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Place: Que Son, RVN
From: 010001H Jun 70
To: 011315H

JOURNAL

| Time in Time Out column | Serial No. | DTG of msg | Message | Action |
|----------------------------|------------|----------------------------|---|--------|
| 010740H | 1 | 010645H | D1-(108382) rec'd AK & RPG rounds. Ret'd s/a, M60, M79 and LAAs. | F/S |
| 011232H | 2 | Follow up to 010645H | D1 rec'd fire from ville 300 meters to SE. Ret'd fire called gunships. Swept area, 01 NVA KIA 01 pack ride. 02 USMC WIAE, 04 USMC WIANE. | F/S |
| 011320H | 3 | Follow up to 010645H | 01 conducting sweep detained 02 VCS and sent to ITT by CIT. | F/S |
| 011225H | 4 | 010645H | D2-(115373) sptd 15-20 enemy flee S-E from D1. Engaged w/s/a, M79, M60, LAAs. 01 VC WIA, 01 VN child WIA. 01 chicom, 50 AK rds, 03 | |
| 010930H | | | hammocks, 02 pouches pol rice, 01 first aid kit and documents. Also detained 01 VN female. | F/S |
| 011015H | | | | |
| 010830H | 5 | 010800H | 1/7 OP obs 01 enemy w/Ak47 at (093462). Called 81mm mortars. Unk results. | F/S |
| 010910H | | | | |
| 010945H | 6 | 010850H | B OP-(037473) moving to pos sptd 03 enemy run to rocks. Search area found 02 caves. Fraged caves. Fd 01 USMC poncho liner. | F/S |
| 011020H | | | | |
| 011340H | 7 | 011045H | B13-(090493) found 01 booby trap 105 rd buried w/elec blasting cap. Blew rd in place w/C-4. | F/S |
| 011450H | | | | |
| 011707H | 8 | 011140H | B22-(029466) fd 02 caves. Fd 06 NVA KIA apprx 3-4 wkd old. Neg gear. Possible A/C KIAs. | F/S |
| 011348H | 9 | 011315H | B31-(037473) fd 01 cave showing recent use. Fraged cave. Fd 02 NVA KIA, 01 SKS w/10 rds, 02 NVA pith helmets, 01 spool Claymore wire. | F/S |
| 011450H | | | | |

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Place: Que Son, RVN
 From: 011316H
 To: 022400H

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| Time in Time Out column | Serial No. | DTG of msg | Message | Action |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|--|--------|
| 011915H | 10 | 011845H | 1/7 OP- obs 40 NVA w/wpn/packs at (090462) called 81mm FM. Unk res. | F/S |
| 012055H | | | | |
| 020150H | 11 | 020030H | B22-(098360) obs 03 enemy to NE. Blew claymore, engaged w/s/a, M79, M60. Rec'd 01 chicom. 01 USMC WIANE | F/S |
| 020295H | | | 01 VC KIA. | |
| 020535H | 12 | 020445H | B13-(092507) obs 02 enemy to SW. Blew claymore killing 01 VC. Other fled engaged w/s/a. Res 02 VC KIA. | F/S |
| 020705H | | | 01 poncho, 02 bags rice, insect rep. | |
| 021000H | 13 | 020655H | B1-(090500) detonated 01 155 or 8" rd boobytrap. Res: 02 USMC KIA and 02 USMC WIAE, 01 USMC WIANE. | F/S |
| 021035H | | | | |
| 021030H | 14 | 020745H | B23-(052457) obs 05 enemy to SE with packs and 01 weapon. engaged w/s/a, M79. Enemy ret'd fire. Swept area | |
| 021127H | | | 02 VC KIA, 03 packs, 04 blasting caps, 01 chicom, 01 M26, 02 chicom | |
| //// | //// | //// | fuses, documents, 02 ponchos, 02 NVA hammocks, 01 bag medical gear. | F/S |
| 021700H | 15 | 021645H | 1/7 OP-sptd 02 VC&01 NVA w/rifle. Engaged with 50 cal and called 81 FM. Unk res. | F/S |
| 021815H | | | | |
| 021837H | 16 | 021700H | 1/7 Provisional Security Plt-sptd 09 VC at (098447). Engaged w/s/a | |
| 021902H | | | Rec'd AK fire. Swept area w/neg. results. | |
| 021725H | 17 | 021735H | B31-(049477) w/PF sqd found 01 NVA KIA body approx 02 wks old. Searched area w/neg/res. | F/S |
| 021840H | | | | |
| 022145H | 18 | 021915H | D1-(120371) sptd 15-20 VC to NE. Called arty. Unk results. | F/S |
| 022204H | | | | |

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Place: Que Son, RVN
From: 030001H
To: 050700H

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| Time in Time Out column | Serial No. | DTG of msg | Message | Action |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|--|--------|
| 031055H | 19 | 030930H | D Co-(103378) sptd 01 NVA run from spider hole. Engaged w/s/a. 01 NVA KIA, 01 chicom, medical gear, 1 lb polished rice. | F/S |
| 031140H | | | | |
| 031206H | 20 | 031030H | D2-(096367) detained 04 VN males in ville. | F/S |
| 031315H | | | | |
| 032000H | 21 | 031700H | C3-(114415) detained 01 VN who was washing in stream. Neg ID card. | F/S |
| 032040H | | | | |
| 032000H | 22 | 031930H | H&S Provisional Security Platoon-(105456) found 02 105 booby trapped rds. 100 meter apart. Blew in place | F/S |
| 032040H | | | | |
| 032145H | 23 | 032045H | C12-(110413) nite PFB sptd 02 enemy to E. Engaged w/claymore, s/a, M60. called arty ill. 02 NVA/VC KIA, 01 AK50, 01 M33 grenade. | F/S |
| 032240H | | | | |
| 032150H | 24 | 032115H | C 32-(123407) sptd 02 enemy to SW. Engaged w/s/a, M60, M79. 60 ill swept area w/neg/res. | F/S |
| 032240H | | | | |
| 031430H | 25 | 031430H | D Co ret'd to LZ Baldy for REHAB. | F/S |
| | | | | |
| 041044H | 26 | 042200H | C13-(132424) nite A/C rec'd 02 incoming chicoms. Ret'd s/a, M60, M79. Swept area neg res. 04 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 042300H | | | | |
| 050740H | 27 | 050700H | B21-(087482) checking area found 02 VC KIA, 02 M26, 01 Chicom. Blew grenades w/C-4. | F/S |
| 050800H | | | | |
| | 28 | 050700H | C Co-(117420) day def pos questioned VN's, found VC documents in hootch. Detained 02 VN. | F/S |
| 050800H | | | | |

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Place: Que Son, RVN
 From: 050701H
 To: 071920H

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| Time in Time Out column | Serial No. | DTG of msg | Message | Action |
|----------------------------|------------|----------------------------|---|--------|
| | 29 | 050910H | B1-(126504) patrol found 01 claymore w/wire leading across river to trench. Found hellbox and another length of wire. Check area neg/res. | F/S |
| 051100H | | | | |
| 051700H | 30 | 051700H | D Co. ret'd to field from REHAB. | F/S |
| | | | | |
| 052230H | 31 | 052100H | D3-(125421) setting in obs 03 enemy moving to pos. Engaged w/s/a. Res. 01 NVA KIA, 01 pack, documents, medical gear, 2 1/2 lbs pol rice. | F/S |
| 052258H | | | | |
| 060630H | 32 | Follow up to 052100H | D3-(125421) reswept area found 01 NVA KIA, 01 chicom, 01 hammock, 01 poncho, misc gear. | F/S |
| 060800H | | | | |
| 060250H | 33 | 060015H | D3-(127425) nite pos man detonated possible booby trap. 01 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 060210H | | | | |
| 060844H | 34 | 060730H | D3-(123422) detained 01 VN male in ville w/neg/ID card. | F/S |
| 060900H | | | | |
| 061040H | 35 | 060930H | D2-(102466) patrol found 04 K44s buried in paddies, inoperable. also found 01 LAAW hidden in brush. | F/S |
| 061100H | | | | |
| 071500H | 36 | 070900H | C Co-(094464) day pos obs 2-4 enemy on hill. Called AO. Swept area. Sighted several groups, engaged w/s/a. 05 NVA KIA. Captured 08 VC POW. Found many holes & caves. Captured 01 AK50, 01 9mm pistol, 03 chicoms, 25 M33 frags, documents, medical gear and personnel gear. | F/S |
| | | | | |
| 072000H | 37 | 071920H | B11-(143487) pursued 01 VN to bunker, threw 01 M26 causing secondary explo searched bunker found 01 VC KIA, 01 chicom. | F/S |

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Place: Que Son, RVN
From: 071850H
To: 092400H

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| Time in Time Out column | Serial No. | DTG of msg | Message | Action |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|--|--------|
| 071945H | 38 | 071850H | C Co-(104461) nite def pos sptd enemy near hootch. Called arty on hootch causing 03 secondary explo. Did not sweep area. | F/S |
| 080630H | 39 | 080600H | C32-(108464) blocking pos obs 01 VN male run from Marines. Pursued and detained 01 VN male. | F/S |
| 080817H | | | | |
| 081055H | 40 | 081000H | B23-(092493) checking ville w/S-2 & KCS. Detained 01 VN female. | F/S |
| 081112H | | | | |
| 081103H | 41 | 081045H | B13-(116483) patrol found 01 155 HE dud. Blew in place. | F/S |
| 081115H | | | | |
| 082019H | 42 | 081915H | C Co-(089455) nite def pos obs 02 enemy w/packs/weapons to NE. Engaged w/60mm, M60 and sniper fire. Swept area neg res. | F/S |
| 082032H | | | | |
| 082054H | 43 | 081955H | B12-(150472) nite A/C obs 01 Vn pursued rec'd 02 s/a rds. Killed 01 VC, 02 battle dressings. | F/S |
| 082159H | | | | |
| 082120H | 44 | 082025H | B23-(068488) moving to A/C last man tripped M26 bt w/trip wire. 01 USMC WIAE, 01 USMC WIANE. | F/S |
| 082213H | | | | |
| 090300H | 45 | 090200H | D12-(115404) nite A/C 01 Marine failed to recognize Marine on watch and engaged w/s/a. Res. 01 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 090335H | | | | |
| 091100H | 46 | 091100H | C2-C3-(085453) searched hill found 01 M26, 01 trip flare, 01 kerosene stove, cooking utensils, miscellar clothing. | F/S |
| 091130H | | | | |
| 091945H | 47 | 091945H | C2-(137499) nite PPB engaged enemy w/a/s. 01 NVA KIA, 01 9mm pistol, 05 mags, 01 16mm camera, medical gear, 10 lbs pol reice. cart belt. | F/S |
| 092100H | | | | |

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| 100820H | 48 | 100500H to 100800H | Summary of Operation-C Co-A CUPP blocking pos-B Co sweeping thru area engaged w/enemy at (121519) 02 NVA KIA, 01 USMC WIAE. Rec'd | |
| //// | //// | //// | sniper swept area 01 NVA KIA, B2 at (124517) rec'd sniper fire. Swept area 02 NVA KIA. Found 01 250 lb dud at (136516) blew in place. | |
| //// | //// | //// | Captured 02 AK47, 03 AK47 mags 12 chicoms. | F/S |
| 100914H | 49 | 100745H | C Co-(135504) blocking pos detained 01 VN male. Neg ID card. | F/S |
| 100922H | | | | |
| 100935H | 50 | 100910H | B2-(126516) located rein bunker. Capt 02 carbine mags, 60 rds carbine ammo, 10 AK rds, food. Blew bunker and gear w/C-4. | F/S |
| 101002H | | | | |
| 101515H | 51 | 101440H | B2-(127516) obs enemy flee to E. Engaged w/s/a, 01 VC KIA, 02 chicoms, documents, blew chicoms. | F/S |
| 101528H | | | | |
| 101555H | 52 | 101515H | B CP-(115513) searching bank of river dug up 02 sand bags containing a total of 79 chicoms w/neg/blastng caps. Blew all chimoms. | F/S |
| 101915H | | | | |
| 101755H | 53 | 101645H | B Co-(115513) discovered 02 boats submerged in water, good condition. Blew boats w/C-4. | F/S |
| 101810H | | | | |
| 102110H | 54 | 102050H | B1-(110514) nite A/C sptd 01 enemy on trail. Blew claymore, 01 NVA KIA. Neg gear. | F/S |
| 102200H | | | | |
| 102355H | 55 | 102250H | C2-(127500) nite def pos obs 03 enemy moving to lines. Engaged w/ claymore, rec'd 01 chicom. Swept area rec'd s/a. Swept area neg/res | F/S |
| 110230H | | | | |

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To: 111930H

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| 111007H | 56 | 110930H | C1-(081498) day PPB pt man detonated boobytrap. 01 USMC WIANE. Boobytrap was chicom w/tripwire. | F/S |
| 111025H | | | | |
| 111035H | 57 | 110945H | B1-(117517) S&D mission found 03 rein bunkers, 01 SKS. Destroyed bunkers w/C-4. | F/S |
| 111100H | | | | |
| 111215H | 58 | 111045H | B CP-(118511) digging in sand found 01 lantern in exec condition. | F/S |
| 111225H | | | | |
| 111410H | 59 | 111200H | C13-(090507) obs 02 enemy w/rifles flee from hootch. Engaged w/s/a & M79. Swept area w/neg/res. | F/S |
| 111500H | | | | |
| | 60 | 110800H to 111500H | B Co-(120515) S&D mission discovered 27 rein bunkers. Destroyed bunkers w/C-4. | F/S |
| 111620H | | | | |
| | 61 | 111550H | C2-(097513) discovered 03 M26 booby traps w/tripwires. Blew all in place. | F/S |
| 111640H | | | | |
| 111753H | 62 | 111700H | C1-(081497) sptd 01 enemy running to SE. Engaged w/s/a. 01 VC KIA, 01 pack, personnel gear, radio. | F/S |
| 111815H | | | | |
| 111700H | 63 | 111500H to 111800H | B1-(1151 grid) destroyed 09 rein bunkers w/C-4) | F/S |
| | | | | |
| 112230H | 64 | 111930H | B Cp-(114515) sptd 02 NVA crossing field. Engaged w/s/a. Search area found 01 NVA KIA, 01 hiding in brush. Would not surrender. Engaged w/s/a, 01 NVA KIA, documents, instruction booklet on US 81 mortar written in Vietnamese. | F/S |
| 112315H | | | | |
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| 112250H | 65 | 112100H | D1*(116411) nite pos obs 01 NVA to W. Also sptd 03 NVA following behind pt man. Engaged w/s/a, M60. Called ill. swept area. 01 NVA Hel. | F/S |
| 112323H | | | | |
| 122034H | 66 | 121935H | B12-(081451)sqd ptl on trail obs 02 enemy 200m to the north movn NE. Sqd persued for 200m until lost sight, spot 01 in bush fired on with small arms. result 01 KIA a second enemy ran from bush fired on w/small arms res 01 KIA. | F/S |
| 122104H | | | | |
| 121235H | 67 | 121155H | C32(096496) while on sqd ptl obs 03 VN males in white clothing 50 meters to E. Told to halt enemy ran to E engage w/s/a swept area fnd 01 chicom. | F/S |
| 121247H | | | | |
| 120155H | 68 | 120015H | D-(121413) while siting in nite a/c obs 01 VC movng south on trail. Opened up with 60 res 01 VC KIA. | F/S |
| 120230H | | | | |
| 121230H | 69 | Follow Up To 120015H | 01 Hammock, 20lbs rice, 01 sewing kit 1 pr underwear, 01 can milk, 01 set green utilities, cigarette papers. wallet/ID and picture. | F/S |
| 121230H | | | | |
| 130700H | 71 | 130555H | B3-(088478)while mvng NW blocking Point element obs 01 VN dressed in grn util. Chall to stop when fail to do so eng w/s/a res 01 VN. | F/S |
| 130720H | | | | |
| 131000H | 72 | 130915H | B-(107470) while blocking, MPB rec sa and aw fire from appx. 400m N. Also rec 03 rounds M-79..Contacted M-16 w/RF unit and req cease fire. enemy was between RF & MPB. 01 USMC KIA from shrapnel. swept area with negative results. | F/S |
| 131108H | | | | |

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| 130955H | 73 | 130915H | MPC-(053476) while sit in day pos Marine attempted to blow frag in can pulled pin in attempt to throw res 01 KIA. M-26 grenade | F/S |
| 131032H | | | | |
| ////////// | 74 | Follow up to 130915H | can with frag inside anchored in place by sand bag trip wire 18" long tied to bambo stake sign said step over trip wire. | F/S |
| ////////// | | | | |
| 131325H | 75 | 131200H | MPC-(053477) C2 while departing fm day pos fnd 12 M-79 & 02 M-26 frag duds lying on ground. Blew in place. | F/S |
| 131906 H | 76 | 131505H | B3-(065457) while mvng W obs 04 VN mvng E on out skirts of ville. Check revealed 03 males w/no ID 01 female ages 15,20,50 female 23. | F/S |
| 131910H | | | | |
| 131840H | 77 | 131520H | GRB-(011483) while on Co sweep 01 man detonated SFD. BT appeared to be arty rd burried 8" underground pressure detonated, res 01 WIA (routine) | F/S |
| 131925H | 78 | 131745H | MPZ-(053477) seeking shelter under over hanging boulder 01 USMC fm MPZ tripped booby trap emer medevac. evidently M-26 frag rigged for pres release burried approx 1 1/2 under boulder. | F/S |
| 132010H | | | | |
| ////////// | ////////// | | | F/S |
| ////////// | ////////// | | | |
| 13 June 1970 | | | Company B operated as a blocking force for 2 companies of PF's. | F/S |
| ////////// | ////////// | | | |
| 141130H | 79 | 140910H | GRB-(024487) While on ptl fnd 01 clay more BT burried in ground with Chieu Hoi paper covering it. claymore was off trail in bushes. | F/S |
| 141320H | 80 | 140930H | MPB3(057463) plt op obs 03 females leav mtn area, traveling south east each carrying filled sand bag. B3 apprehended but bag were empty. | |

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| | 81 | 141000H | MPC(080494) while on sqd day ptl C32 accompanied by 01 plt PF & 01 POW fnd 03 wpns in underground bunker 3ft wide 7ft long 4 ft deep. | F/S |
| 141124H | | | | |
| 141205H | 82 | 141010H | GRB\$ (01493) while on patrol detained 02 males ages 44 and 13. Turned over detainees to MPC. | F/S |
| 141208H | | | | |
| 141540H | 83 | 141300H | MPC(079477) while on sqd day ptl C32 accompanied by RF ptl and POW fnd 01 wpn in spider hole wpn was returned by RF's. | F/S |
| 141550H | | | | |
| 142037H | 84 | 141930H | MPC(077496) while set in nite PPB C3 obs 02-03 small boats w/03-04 pass each crossing river. Called Arty Fire mission w/excellent cov. | F/S |
| 142047H | | | | |
| 142358H ///// | | | | |
| 14 June 70 | 85 | | C Co operating with platoon RF's | F/S |
| 142358H | 85 | 141950H | B2(102479) while B2/BCP were mvng S-E thru ville to nite pos, B2 point element obs 03 men dressed in dark clothing run from hootch 25 meters to S-E 02 ran to NE 01 ran SE. Chal men to stop they fail to stop took under fire killed 01 remaining ran to treeline .At this time civilian ran from all directions they rec 01 grenade from treeline B2 return grenade mvnt still heard B2 continue firing killing 01 other VC and killing 01 10 yr old civilian in process as she ran in the line of fire. | F/S |
| 150053H | | | | |
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| 150009H | 86 | 142225H | B21(103480) while mvng sqd amb point heard voices intree line. appr w/ caution to approx 20m obs 02 siting in spider hole threw frag wounded | F/S |
| 150105H | | | | |

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| //////////////// | 87 | FOLLOW UP TO 142225H | took enemy under s/a fire killing 01 second VN fell but got up and continued to run called lumination swept are sighted second enemy | |
| //////////////// | | | killed him w/s/a fire when he started running again both approx 25 yrs old wearing dark green utilities. Shifted | |
| //////////////// | | | ambush sight to 107479 will check area again at first light. | F/S |
| //////////////// | | | Search reaveled ol nva battle dress papers turned in to S-2 Scout. | |
| 15 June 70 | 88 | 150630H | B1/5 went CHOP OPCON to 1/5 | F/S |
| 151426H | 88 | 150800H | D2-(154497)mvng SE direction enemy opened up with s/a auto and semiauto from a distance of 300m to 500m away | |
| 151545H | | | D2 returned fire with M-16, M-79 and LAAWS and maneuvered into position to gain max fire power enemy then fired 03 RPG's and spray column w/ auto AK-47 fire. D2 spotted 20 VC/NVA 500m fleeing into treeline called arty mission then secured LZ for MPZ and D2 and MPZ conducted a joint sweep of area res 01 VN | F/S |
| //////////////// | | | Detainee 32 yrs. old forwarded to ITT | |
| 151935H | 89 | 151830H | DCP & MPZ(168491) while sitting in nite pos Zulu rec 01 M79 incoming Fired 04 60mm on area swept w/neg res. Priority medevac req.and comp. | F/S |
| 151950H | | | B32(095473) sqd ptl while mvng SE obs Olman standing beside hootch man ran to bushes. Chall to stop failed to do so opened up res 01 VC KIA | F/S |
| 150055H | 90 | 150025H | | |
| 150125H | | | | |

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 To: 161710H

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| 161033H | 91 | 160900H | MPD(150468) while mvng SW to block pos. D3 rec sniper fire & auto AK-47 from W and NW. Eng w/s/a after fight find 01 VN female w/rock fragmentation in stomach due to rocks flying cross fire. | F/S |
| 161125 | | | | |
| 162140H | 92 | 161035 | B21(104482) while in day pos prov security for Pha Din Hai heard fire from NW and rec some incoming s/a moved 75 meters to north to obs, RF reported contact 1000 meters NW later 04 people obs running NW to SE approx 300m away. rds were hitting around the rear person who was dressed in black PJ's person fell got fell in rice paddy S2 scout and members near went to check body it was girl 15 yrs old with minor left buttock wound cause of death appeared to be drowning body returned to ville and identified then return to mother other 3 were older man and teenage boys running | F/S |
| 161345H | | | | |
| 161305H | 93 | 161700H | DOPAS-2(167491) searched ville at above grid and questioned villagers detained 07 people 2 men 67-47 yrs who admitted helping 1 Bn VC cross river will send detainees to ITT on first available aircraft. The 67 yr old man had stated he bought a boat from VC. | F/S |
| 161950H | | | | |
| 161950H | 94 | 161710H | B12(077469) sqd ptl obs 07 enemy in column approx 800m N traveling NW 01 carrying rifle. Called arty f/ mission of 25 rds HE good coverage on target. Swept area & find below listed items. 01 blood trail leading 100m NW swept area 300m radius. | F/S |
| 161950H | | | | |

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| 160900H | 95 | | B Company in on LZ Baldy for REHAB | F/S |
| 171945H | 96 | 171915H | MPC(084489)C Cp day op obs 05-07 enemy w/packs & rifles wearing blk PJ's blue and grn utilities. Fired 106RR excellent coverage 05 HEPT rds. | F/S |
| 172024H | | | | |
| 172230H | 97 | 172145H | MPC(092504)while in nite PPB C1 obs 04-05 enemy in shorts carrying wpns 75m S mvng E to W. eng w/sa, M-60 M-79, went area under 81mm ill. | |
| 172245H | | | | |
| 182425H | 98 | 172240H | MPC(090512)Marine in C12 fired 10-15 rds of M-16 fire into friendly position 25m away when heard movement res 01 USMC KIA and 02 USMC WIA | |
| 180127H | | | | |
| ////////// | 99 | FOLLOW UP to 172240H | Evac(emergency). 81MM ill called and Medevac called and completed. complete investigation of circumstances was ordered. | F/S |
| ////////// | | | | |
| ////////// | | | E-2 who joined C Co in field on 11 June, was set in night sqd amb on are about 172240H when he heard mvnt to flank. Marine reported noise to man next to him and was informed that friendlies were in that area and not to fire in that direction shortly thereafter for no reasons | |
| ////////// | | | PFC Garland fired an automatic burst of 10-15 rds into position. | F/S |
| ////////// | | | | |
| 18 June 1970 | 100 | | Platoon of RF operating w/Co | F/S |
| ////////// | | | | |
| 170657H | 101 | 170530H | MP22(136500)while set in nite AC obs 02 NVA in grn util and packs mvng E to W on trail. Engaged s/a res 02 NVA KIA both apprx. 20 yrs. | F/S |
| 170720H | | | | |

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| 180830H | 102 | 172000H | MPC2(070490)while setting in nite | F/S |
| 180850H | | | PPB fnd 01 DUD 105HE rd. At first lite determined it was booby trapped Blew in place. | |
| 180800H | 103 | 180715H | MPC(090501)while on sqd day ptl C12 | |
| 180830H | | | enroute to Ccp tripped 01 press release M-26 frag all wearing flak and helmet called emer Medevac | |
| 180910H | 104 | 180745H | D21(112509)D21 mvng frm nite AC | F/S |
| 180945H | | | 5th men back stepped in punji pit w/3 sticks destroyed it check for additional pits Marine Medevac on | |
| 180915H | 105 | 180800H | MPD23(107509)D23 searching river | F/S |
| 180945H | | | obs 15 yr old boy in blue PJ's in boat mvng N to S. D23 investigate fnd 2800 pistons S-2 recon Detaining | |
| 181245H | 106 | 181000H | MPD(117507)MPD young VN male age | F/S |
| 181322H | | | 10 came and informed D2 that his father was VC chief of Phu Phong say father left when Marines entered area | |
| 181620H | 107 | 181000H | MPC(092504)while set in PPB 03 | F/S |
| 181645H | | | women brought 01 male VN age 40 into perimeter male had gunshot leg wound claimed shot by PF on Hill 45. False ID | |
| 181539H | 108 | 181300H | D32(110484)D32 APT were searching | F/S |
| 181557H | | | out day pos questioned 02 females age 31-45 wearing black trou white blouse other VN said they were VC | |
| 181900H | 109 | 181800H | MPC(091503)while setting in day PHB | F/S |
| 181917H | | | 01 fnd 01 DUD 105 rd apparently rigged for fuse booby trap. Blew in place. | |
| 181910H | 110 | 181815H | MPC(082493)C21 sqd day ptl enroute | F/S |
| 181924H | | | to 01 w/blasting caps to Blow DUD 105 rd fnd 01 BT rigged for press detonation couldnt identify Blew in pl | |
| 18 June 70 | 111 | | B Co returned to field and C Co come in to LZ Baldy for REHAB | F/S |

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| 192000H | 112 | 191845H | D2(123506)mvng to nite pos obs 01 | |
| 192025H | | | VC with grenades on shore of island. took under s/a and M-79 fire res 01 | |
| //// | 113 | 192135H | VC Kia dragged away by two other VC | F/S |
| //// | | | before D2 could cross river to recover the body. | |
| 192345H | 113 | 192135H | MPD2(133501)D 2 while mvng to nite | |
| 190015H | | | pos stopped to N of aville 200m away and sent 05 man security element to check out ville prior to entering | |
| //// | 114 | 190718H | and passing through it. Whe n ptl | |
| //// | | | was 50m away to the N the man grabbed a weapon lying beside him and ran | |
| //// | 115 | 190630H | woman ran into ville. Took man | F/S |
| //// | | | under fire with small arms res 01 Kia didn't fire at woman for fear of hiting innocent civilians. | |
| 190803H | 114 | 190718H | MP TOWER(129452)obs 07 NVA in green | F/S |
| 190704H | | | utilities with AK-47's. No packs or other equipment noted. At 0743 | |
| 190802H | 115 | 190630H | obs additional 03 enemy. Notified MPD13 | |
| 190930H | | | MPC(092504)while set in day PPB C | |
| 191006H | 116 | 190800H | found 01 DUD 105MM round. Blew in palce. | F/S |
| 200815H | | | MPC(090497)while mvng to LZ for | |
| 200852H | 117 | 200510H | lift 01 Marine detonated booby | |
| 200930H | | | Trap 105mm pressure detonated. 02 | |
| 200945H | 118 | 200800H | usmc emergency and 02 priority Med. | F/S |
| | | | D2-(144497)blocking pos obs 01 VC | |
| | 118 | 200800H | w/wpn run into bunker. Fraged bunker. | |
| | | | Res: 02 VC KIA, 04 VC WIA, 02 det. | |
| | 118 | 200800H | 01 AK47, 03 chicoms, documents. | F/S |
| | | | D23-(166504) obs 01 VN run from | |
| | 118 | 200800H | spider hole. Engaged w/s/a. Results | F/S |
| | | | 01 VC KIA, 01 poncholineer, clothes, various documents. | |

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To: 221030H

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| 201050H | 119 | 200845H | B2-(160497) detained 03 VN, 01 male 02 female. Captured: 01 grenade fuse, medical supplies, 01 screw- driver. | F/S |
| 201114H | | | | |
| 202018H | 120 | 201730H | D CP-(087476) going thru villes, detained 04 VNs w/neg/ID card. | F/S |
| 202042H | | | | |
| 201800H | 121 | 201800H | C Co returned to the field. | F/S |
| | | | | |
| 202202H | 122 | 202100H | C Cp-(093467) moving into nite def pos, rec'd s/a, Auto fire and M79 rds. Res: 02 USMC KIA, 01 USMC WIA. | F/S |
| 202220H | | | | |
| 211505H | 123 | 211500H | C2-(093467) day OP obs 15-20 enemy w/packs&rifles. Called helos, who rec'd fire and damaged. Air strike called. Swept area found 08 VC KBA | |
| 211545H | | | | |
| ////// | ////// | ////// | and 01 detainee w/shrapnel wounds. | F/S |
| ////// | ////// | ////// | ////// | ////// |
| 211937H | 124 | 211835H | D Co-(084489) sptd 15 enemy moving NE at (058499). Called arty and 106s. Will sweep in morning. | F/S |
| 212008H | | | | |
| 212210H | 125 | 212108H | 1/7 A/C-(119459) sptd 03 enemy to s. Engaged w/s/a, M60 and frags Called ill. Swept area w/neg/res. | F/S |
| 212250H | | | | |
| 220900H | 126 | 220555H | B3-(125508) mvg along river, sptd enemy, engaged, 03 VC KIA, 01 AK47, 03 chicoms, 02 AK47 loaded mags, 01 battle dressing, poncho. | F/S |
| 220925H | | | | |
| 221030H | 127 | 221030H | C Co ret'd to LZ BALDY for rehab. | F/S |
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| 221530H | 128 | 221415H | B3-(114477)obs 01 enemy run from hootch. Engaged w/s/a, 01 VC KIA, 03 M26, 02 battle dressings, 02 bandoliers of rice, 01 hammock. | F/S |
| 221600H | | | | |
| 231700H | 129 | 231700H | C Co returned to the field. | F/S |
| | | | | |
| | 130 | 231710H | 1/7 OP-obs 04 enemy w/weapons at (103452). Called arty w/excel/ovov. | F/S |
| 231830H | | | | |
| 232122H | 131 | 231910H | B11-(087498) mvg to A/C, pt man found tripwire. Further investigation had 105 rd to right of trail. Will blow in morning. | F/S |
| 232130H | | | | |
| 232045H | 132 | 231930H | D12-(082503)A/C sptd boat moving down river. Engaged w/s/a, M60, M 79. Res. 02 VC KIA. | F/S |
| 232103H | | | | |
| 232243H | 133 | 231940H | B32-(096474)mvg to A/c, rec'd approx 40 rds auto fire. Ret'd fire and sent react. Swept area neg results. Res. 01 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 232303H | | | | |
| | 134 | 240930H | B23-(106478)patrol rec'd 01 chicom from near hootch. Could not return fire cause of civilians. Swept area neg/res. 02 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 241105H | | | | |
| 242130H | 135 | 241950H | B3-(087476)setting in nite PPB had 01 corpsman detonate possible pres release BT 250 or 500 lbs bomb. Results: 01 USN KIA, 07 USMC WIAE, 03 USMC WIANE. | F/S |
| 242155H | | | | |
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| 242110H | 136 | 241955H | B22-(104478)nite A/C obs 01 enemy in treeline. Threw M26, engaged w/s/a. Swept area found 01 VC/NVA KIA, 02 chicoms, 01 battle dressing | F/S |
| 242145H | | | | |

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| 250835H | 137 | 250630H | B2-(097473)sptd 02 enemy run into bunkers. Fraged bunker, 01 VC KIA neg gear. Fraged second bunker, 01 VC KIA, 02 chicoms. | F/S |
| 250900H | | | | |
| 251100H | 138 | 250915H | B21-(092449)blocking pos rec'd 15-20 auto rds from treeline. Engaged w/suppressing fire. Swept area with neg res. 01 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 251120H | | | | |
| 251520H | 139 | 251330H | SON PHU-(146457) H&S Co flame team clearing brush. Fire caused explo believed to be M26. 03 USMC WIAE by RAS vehicle. | F/S |
| 251816H | 140 | 251800H | G2-(075486) day pos found 02 dud 105 rds. Blew in place. | F/S |
| 251852H | | | | |
| 252000H | 141 | 250500H to 252000H | B, C Cos, H&S 1/7, CUPP units 7,8, and 9 were a blocking force for the 101, & 703 RF Cos and the 120 RF Command Group. | F/S |
| * 30430H | 142 | 130430H to 131900 | B Co operated as blocking force for 2 companies of RF's. | F/S |
| * 142000H | 143 | 142000H | C Co had 01 platoon of PF's that operated with them all day. | F/S |
| * 182000H | 144 | 182000H | 01 Platoon of RF's worker with B Co. | F/S |
| 261400H | 145 | 261245H | 1/7 Provisional Platoon-(104447) set in PPB had 01 Marine in bushes wrestle w/VC. Chicom went off, rec'd auto fire. Ret'd fire. 01 USMC KIA | F/S |
| 261435H | | | | |
| 261840H | 146 | 261745H | B21-(116475)pt man sptd enemy mvg down trail. Engaged w/s/a. 01 VC KIA, 02 chicoms, pack, 01 hammock, 02 ponchos, 5 lbs rice. | F/S |
| 261905H | | | | |

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| 262207H | 147 | 262005H | B21-(108469)nite pos rec'd heavy volume of machinegun fire, 02 frags. | |
| 262300H | | | Ret'd fire swept area w/neg. res. 03 USMC KIA, 01 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 270350H | 148 | 262345H | B2-CP-(107471)nite pos hit by sappers rec'd apprx 20-25 chicom, frags. | |
| | | | Fired claymores, frags, M79. Arty and 81 ill called. Started to sweep area, rec'd 05 more grenades. Saturated area w/s/a. Called gunships, flare ships. Swept 100 meter area with negative results. 01 USMC KIA | |
| | | | 07 USMC WIAE, 05 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| | | | | |
| 270630H | 149 | 270555H | B1-(098458) obs 01 enemy moving to SW. Engaged w/s/a, auto fire. Res: | |
| 270708H | | | 01 VC KIA. | F/S |
| 271300H | 150 | 270632H | Summary of ROAD TEST CHARLIE* | |
| 271315H | | to 271246H | Initial insertion at 0632, second 0644, Last element removed at 1246H. Results: 05 VC KIA, 02 VCS WIA. | |
| | | | 26 detainees and 01 chicom, 300 lbs of rice. | F/S |
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| 270800H | 151 | 270800H | D Co returned to the field from rehab. | F/S |
| 270830H | 152 | 270800H | C2-(098492) blocking pos 01 RF that was attached to C2 tripped 01 105 rd Booby trap. Res: 01 RF KIA. | |
| 270935H | | | | F/S |
| 271145H | 153 | 271030H | C2-(098492) blocking pos discovered 105 Booby trap w/trip wire across trail. Blew in place. | |
| 271155H | | | | F/S |

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| 271210H | 154 | 271150H | C Co-(098492) blocking pos had 01 VN child trip 105 BT. Noone was injured. | F/s |
| 271300H | | | | |
| 271410H | 155 | 271330H | B2-(107470) swept area from contact of 26 June. Detained 01 VN male, approx. 60 years old. Sent detainee to 9th ITT. | F/S |
| 271545H | | | | |
| 271815H | 156 | 271400H | D3-(108484) searching well discovered 01 cartridge belt w/01 M26 attached. Blew M26 in place, also detained 02 VN in area. 01 blte of codein. | F/S |
| 271852H | | | | |
| 280725H | 157 | 280715H | D2-(079488) moving to day pos, found 01 105 arty dud. Blew in place. | F/S |
| 280730H | | | | |
| 281055H | 158 | 281000H | D CP-(085489) setting out mines, 01 RF set off booby trap. Results: 02 RF WIAE. | F/S |
| 281110H | | | | |
| 281915H | 159 | 281645H | B2-(112467) moving to OP, sptd 03 enemy 450 meters to SW. Called in arty and 81s. B1 swept area and detained 01 VN male. | F/S |
| 282130H | | | | |
| 281950H | 160 | 281845H | D2-(087488) moving to nite pos found 01 BT M26 w/tripwire acting as a firing mechanism for 105 rd. Blew in place. | F/S |
| 281952H | | | | |
| 281905H | 161 | 281905H | 1/7 OP-observed 02 enemy at 105430, called arty with good coverage. Observed 03 enemy at 107454, B Co in area was notified. | F/S |
| 282030H | | | | |
| 282015H | 162 | 281950H | C3-(113486) nite pos obs 03-04 enemy 1100 meters to NE. Called arty, will sweep area at first light. | F/S |
| 282135H | | | | |
| 282233H | 163 | 282145H | C12-(1145475) nite A/C observed 01 enemy to S. Engaged w/s/a. 01 NVA KIA, 01 pouch w/personal effects, 01 battle dressing, 01 blasting cap. | F/S |
| 282250H | | | | |

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| 290954H | 164 | 290700H | D13-(084499) Point man detonated tripwire attached to 60mm. Round partially detonated. 01 USMC WIAE. | F/S |
| 291410H | 165 | 291350H | 1/7 Provisional Platoon-(105445) mechanized patrol discovered 01 81 booby trap w/pressure release. Blew in place. | F/S |
| 291500H | | | | |
| 291835H | 166 | 291835H | 1/7 OP-sptd 04 enemy w/packs moving around hootch. Called 81 mission with good coverage. | F/S |
| 291914H | | | | |
| 291930H | 167 | 291915H | 1/7 OP- sptd 04 enemy moving from area of last fire mission (092459) Called 81 mission. with good coverage. | F/S |
| 292003H | | | | |
| 300001H | 168 | 300001H | Major J. J. SHERIDAN has been assigned as XO of 1/7. Major J.R. CURNUTT is rotating. | F/S |
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| 301105H | 169 | 300835H | B23-(108469)patrol sptd 03 enemy run to tunnel. Engaged w/s/a, 01 VC KIA, 02 POWs, 01 105 rd. | F/S |
| 301355H | 170 | 301130H | D CP-(084490)sptd groups of 3 & 4 enemy moving NE. Called 105 FM. Enemy fled to NW. | F/S |
| 301700H | | | | |
| 301400H | 171 | 301200H | D32- (122506)OP sptd 09 enemy mvg to N. Called 105 FM and gunships. Gunship report 01 VC KIA. D3 mvg to area. sptd 01 VC in tree. Engaged w/s/a, M79 & M60. Res: 01 VC KIA. | F/S |
| 301640H | | | | |
| 301353H | 172 | 301315H | D3-(122506)searching ville, uncovered 85cc Glucose, 5cc streptomycin, 8 oz blt of iodine, cough syrup, empty 16, 14, 79 casings. Sent to S-2. | F/S |
| 301500H | | | | |