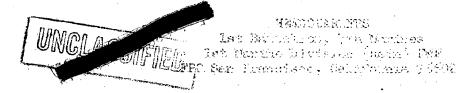
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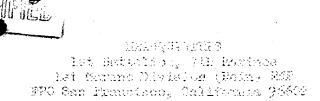
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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

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COMMANDER

1st Battalion, 7th Marines

LtCol T. P. RIEGERT (01-18Sep70)
Maj JOHN J. SHERIDAN (19-22Sep70)

SUBORDINATE UNITS

Headquarters and Service Company

1stLt L. D. ROTH

Company "A"

lstLt S. MARTINEZ Jr. (01-13Sep70) lstLt J. R. TREVATHAN (14-22Sep70)

Company "B"

1stLt R. P. KIMENER (

Company "C"

lstLt J. A. HAGAN (01-13Sep70) lstLt L. S. GRANT (14-22Sep70)

Company "D"

lstLt W. W. CHAPMAN (01-13Sep70) lstLt R. E. JACKSON (14-22Sep70)

2. LOCATION

1-22 September 1970, Quang Nam Province, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer

Major J. J. SHERIDAN (01-18Sep70)

S-1

Capt S. G. IADA

S-2

Istit D. L. D'ARIENZO

S-3

Major T. B. LECKY (1-13 70) 1stLt T. C. HAYDEN (12-22Sep70)

1stLt R. F. MARYE (1-4Sep70)

S-4

Capt L. WALLACE

CommO.

1stLt M. L. GLAS

SupplyO.

1stLt R. R. EMERY

MTO

FAC -

lstLt f. J. MABHY

FSCC -

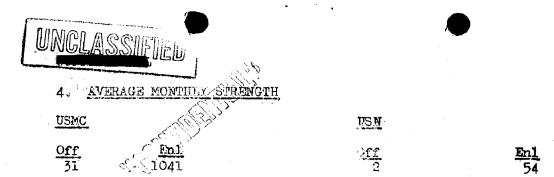
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Lt F L. CRAVENS

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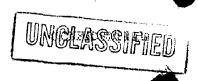
5. CASUALTIES SUSTAINED (Including Company A)

USMC			
WIA	5	<u>usn</u>	
NBC	7	No casualties	sustained
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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

During the first seven days of Betpember, the Battalion's mission was to actively patrol the Northeastern postion of the 7th Marines AO. Through highly effective employment of the two symilable rifle companies no major incidents occurred during the high threat period (1-4 Sept). National Police Force actively participated with the rifle companies and were of assistance to them. Several small unit contacts were made resulting in fove (5) enemy killed and eleven (11) more captured/detained. Company "D" was OPCON to the 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines from Olooolh Sept to Ogosooh Sept. Company "B" was OPCON to the 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines from O41600k Sept to O30800h Sept. The Battalian began standing down on 07 September and with the return of Company B on O8 September the remainder of the Battalian stood down. By 09 September the Battalian was located in the 9th Engineer contonment in Danang preparing for embarkation on 20 September. The Battalian embarked all personnel and gear on board USS Mabile, LKA-115 and departed RVN 22 September 1970.





PART III

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L. PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION

reported:

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- b. The average rifle company strength from 1-7 September was 4 Officers and 168 Enlisted. The present offective average rifle company strength is 7 Officers and 8 Mulisted, due to Esttalian Administration. The remainder of Battalian Personnel, 7 Officers and 52 Mulisted are assigned to Headquarters and Service Company.
- o. Administration for the month included processing 1 meritorious combat promotion and 7 personal swands.

2. WEATHER AND PERILAIN

Maximum Temperature: 102%F

3. KNYELLIGENCE

- a. Significant Enemy Activity
- (1) A total of 9 sightings and 11 contacts were reported by this Battalion. Of the 11 contacts reported by this Battalion, 5 were en enemy initiated (consisting of 1 small arms and M-79 attacks and 2 harassing small arms attacks) while 8 were initiated by friendly troops. Of the 9 sightings, the majority consisted of small groups of enemy numbering between 5 and 10. In addition to the sightings and contacts, there were a total of 3 mine and booby traps incidents of which three were found and none were unintentionally detonated.
 - b. Analysis of enemy Situation
- (1) The period ended with reports of the enemy units in the amea preparing for increased offensives in the villes during the late summer.
 - (2) Enemy units located in and as and the 1/7 AO included the
 - (a) General Que Son Mountai s

CONFIDENTIAL ENCLOSURE (1)

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Barrier Island

70th MF Bn 72nd LF Bn

V-15 LF Co.

c) Southeast of LZ Baldy

105th LF Bn

(d) Northeast of LZ Baldy

V-25th Bn

- c. Enemy Capabilities: Based on continued evaluation of the enemy situation and disposition of enemy forces with or adjacent to the 1/7 AO, the course of enemy activity are expected to be:
 - (1) Increase offensive activities at the beginning of Sept.
 - (2) Maintain and defend his present positions.
 - (3) Continue to emplace mines and booby traps.
 - (4) Continue to attemp to disrupt the Pacification Program.
 - d. Enemy casualties

VC/NVA/ KIAs Detainees Company A (CUPP)

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

WEAPONS

Personal Gear

3 Individual weapons

2 Wallets

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Enemy Gear

8 M-26 Grenades

1 Set NVA Utilities 1 Cartridge belt Assorted documents

PROVISIONS

U. S. CEAR

600 Pounds rice

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MEDICAL SUPPLIES

1 Marine Dog Tag

1 Battle Dressing

5. ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION

a. Emphasis was placed on small unit patrols and ambushes throughout the AO in close coordination with village officials and RF-units.

b. Fire Support

(1) Artillery. During the menth India and Mike Batteries 3rd Battalion, 11 Marines supported 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.

ENCLOSURE (1)



6. PLANS

Durant the month of October the Battalion will be reconstituted at Month Pendleton, California.

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a. During the reporting period of 1-22 September, no formal training was scheduled to standdown, and subsequent embarkation. Two classes concerning career planning and VA Benefits were conducted at 9th Engr compound.

8. LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY

- a. During the reporting period, logistical efforts continued to be wentered on resupply of the line companies which continues to go well with no significant shortages of supplies or equipment.
- b. Preparations were made for embarkation and all gear was moved to the standdown point, for further transport to the USS Mobile LKA-115.

9. CIVIAL AFFAIRS AND CIVIC ACTION

a. During the reporting period, the Battalion conducted continuous psychological operations in support of Marine Activities in the operational area.

10. COMMUNICATIONS

- a. Radio. The Radio Section continued to provide personnel and equipment in the field and rear command post, the Radio Section also continued to prepare for re-deployment.
- b. Wire. The Wire Section continued to maintain internal wire communication at Baldy as well as at 9th Engineer Area.
- c. Message Center. The message center continued to make three message runs to Regimental Message Center, and also several priority message runs when called to do so. Scheduled message runs were made to Division Communication Center from 9th Engineer Area.
- d. Supply/Maintenance. The Supply and Maintenance Section continued to prepare for the pending re-deployment.
- e. The Communications Platoon moved its people and equipment into the 9th Engineer Area commencing on the 8th of September and continued as men and equipment came in from the field.



11. MEDICAL

and attended the month of September, the Battalion Aid Station was adequately staffed.

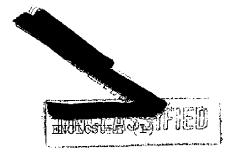
- b. The Hospital Corpsman of Alpha CUPP held medcaps daily, treating approximately 250 Vietnamese civilians from 1 to 7 September. There were no medcaps held during standdown.
- c. The malaria rate for the month of September is below normal for the season.
 - d. There is an adequate amount of medical supplies on hand.
 - ε. Sanitation has been satisfactory during the reporting period.
- $f_{\:\raisebox{1pt}{\text{\circle*{1.5}}}}$ Medical evacuation of both battle and routine casualties was adequate.
- g. Breakdown of personnel treated at the Battalien Aid Station during the month:

Gastro-intestinal disturbances (nausea, diarrhea, cramps, ect.) 6
Fevers 2
Physical exams
Heat Exhaustion
Routine medovacs
Miscellaneous (headaches, colds, imersion foot, fractures sprains, veneral diseases, jungle unclers, ect.) 410
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PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

TAB "A" DAILY JOURNALS



HEADQUARTERS 1st Battalion, 7th Marines 1st Marine Division (Rein) FMF FPO San Francisco, Galifornia 96602

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Place: Qua Son, HVN From: 01001H Sept To: 03100H

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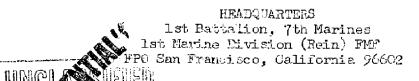
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FPO San Francisco, California 96602

Place: Que Son, RVN From: 631000H

To: 062015H

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