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SITREPS #35-145, Opn DEWEY CANYON

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PART I
ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

<u>1. Designation</u>	<u>Commander</u>	<u>Date</u>
9th Marine Regiment	Col R. H. BARROW	1-28 Feb
<u>Subordinate Units</u>		
Headquarters Company	Capt A. A. PIERCE	1-28 Feb
1st Bn, 9th Marines	LtCol G. W. SMITH	1-28 Feb
2nd Bn, 9th Marines	LtCol G. C. FOX	1-28 Feb
3rd Bn, 9th Marines	LtCol E. R. LAINE Jr.	1-28 Feb
<u>Attached Units</u>		
2nd Bn, 3rd Marines	LtCol J. J. MCMONAGLE	17-28 Feb
Co "A", 3rd MT Bn	Capt T. K. FARRAR Sr.	1-28 Feb
Det 3rd Recon Bn	Capt H. W. COURTER	1-14 Feb
	1stLt W. BAKER	15-28 Feb
Det 1st Radio Bn	1stLt J. S. RAYBURN	1-28 Feb
Det 15th ITT Sub-team	1stLt J. G. WHEELER	1-28 Feb
<u>Direct Support Units</u>		
2nd Bn, 12th Marines	LtCol J. SCOPPA Jr.	1-28 Feb
Co "C", 3rd Engr Bn	1stLt J. D. SWINSON	1-13 Feb
	1stLt J. D. WINTERSTEEN	14-28 Feb
Det 3rd MP Bn (Scout Dog Plat) N/A		1-28 Feb
Co "A", 3rd Shore Party Bn	Major G. G. ABEL	1-28 Feb
2. <u>Location</u> Headquarters, 9th Marines, VCB		1-28 Feb
3. <u>Staff Officers</u>		1-28 Feb
Executive Officer	LtCol D. E. WOOD	1-28 Feb
S-1	Capt J. D. FITZPATRICK	1-28 Feb
S-2	Major L. L. ETCHO	1-28 Feb
S-3	Major J. B. KNOTTS	1-28 Feb
S-4	Major C. G. BRYAN	1-28 Feb
S-5	1stLt B. W. RAY	1-28 Feb
FSC	Major K. E. SOESBE	1-28 Feb
ALO	Major F. L. GATZ	1-28 Feb
Communications Officer	Major B. E. PAFFORD	1-28 Feb
Supply Officer	1stLt S. R. VANTYLE	1-28 Feb
Det 3rd Recon Bn		1-14 Feb
Det 1st Radio Bn		1-28 Feb
Det 15th ITT Sub-team		1-28 Feb
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Det 3rd MP Bn (Scout Dog Plat) N/A		1-28 Feb
Co "A", 3rd Shore Party Bn	Major G. G. ABEL	1-28 Feb

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MT Officer	1stLt G. M. FREENEY	1-28 Feb
Scout Sniper Plat Cmdr	SSgt J. P. TOMOLONIS	1-28 Feb
Regimental Chaplain	LtCdr D. F. BROCK	1-28 Feb
Regimental Surgeon	Lt R. I. MINTZ	1-28 Feb

4. Average Monthly Strength

USMC	
OFF	ENL
19	204

USN	
OFF	ENL
2	4

OTHER	
OFF	ENL
0	0

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PART II
NARRATIVE SUMMARY

During February, the 9th Marines advanced to the final phase of Operation DEWEY CANYON, in what is believed to be one of the most productive short term operations of the Vietnam conflict.

The early part of the month saw 2/9 and 3/9 completing that phase of the operation north of Phase Line Red which involved saturation patrolling and the establishment of the final Fire Support Base necessary to support the southward thrust to the Laotian border.

On 11 February, 1/9 joined the operation, and soon thereafter, began the payoff phase. As the units moved south, resistance stiffened, and it became apparent that the Regiment would fight its way to the border. From Phase Line Red south, the Regiment operated in a relatively conventional posture with three battalions abreast sweeping overland 4-5 miles to the Laotian border.

Aggressive action led to the capture of numerous large caches and artillery pieces, the most significant of which were two large ammunition/weapons caches which were estimated to be 70 and 286 tons respectively. Other significant captures included six 122mm and four 85mm artillery pieces.

The end of the month saw the final southward movement of artillery to Fire Support Base Turnage-"Tiger Mountain"-a one time enemy stronghold. Additional 105mm artillery support was thus extended to operations along the Laotian border.

It is estimated that the month's action accounted for the probable destruction of at least one enemy artillery regiment and one enemy infantry regiment. In addition, the enemy's capability to initiate offensive or resupply operations against Hue, Quang Nam Province, Gia Thien Province and Southern Quang Tri Province was effectively disrupted.

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PART III
SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

Combat Missions Assigned

a. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 32-69

(1) No change from Frag Order 31-69 (Jan Command Chronology)

b. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 33-69

(1) Prepare to assume OPCON of C/1/9 and D/1/9 on order. Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON. Prepare to close FSB SHILOH on order. Continue development of FSB ERSKINE (YD 164107).

c. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 34-69 through 39-69

(1) No change from Frag Order 33-69.

d. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 40-69

(1) No change except prepare to assume OPCON of D/1/9 on order.

e. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 41-69

(1) Prepare to assume OPCON of B/1/9 on 11 Feb 69 on order. Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON.

f. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 42-69 through 44-69

(1) No change from Frag Order 41-69.

g. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 45-69 through 47-69

(1) Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON.

h. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 48-69

(1) Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON. Prepare to assume OPCON of 2/3 during the period from 17 through 23 Feb 69.

i. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 49-69 through 54-69

(1) Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON.

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1. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 55-69

(1) Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON. Continue Operations from FSB CUNNINGHAM and ERSKINE. Establish FSB TURNAGE (YD 243045).

k. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 56-69

(1) No change except effective 251700H Feb 69, 9th Marines relieved of Sparrow Hawk/Bald Eagle mission vic TF HOTEL

1. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 57-69

(1) No change from Frag Order 56-69.

m. CG TF HOTEL Frag Order 58-69 and 59-69

(1) Continue Operation DEWEY CANYON. Prepare to assume OPCON of H and F/2/3 on 1 Mar 69 on order.

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2. Operational Details

1. Feb

At 1020H, 1/9 assumed OPCON of C/1/9 from TFH. At 1104H, F/2/9 vic YD 143134, found 4 strand comm wire, running in 230 degree/50 degree direction, on poles 50 meters apart. Did not destroy. At 1115H, L/3/9 vic YD 183116 observed 6 NVA in open. Fired small arms, 1 NVA returned fire. Called in 81mm mission and arty, results unknown. At 1130H, K/3/9, vic YD 195132, found 1 shelter, 1 U.S. carbine, 1 Luger pistol, assorted S/A rounds, 183 personal letters, 1 rifle, 3 tubex cartridges with 19 gauge needles, 14,000 units of penicillin, and misc military gear and documents. Intelligence gear to be forwarded. At 1245H, K/3/9, vic YD 202145, found 5 shelters, misc military gear, 200 lbs of rice, 100 lbs of cream, 100 lbs of potatoes and misc household gear. All destroyed. At 1252H, G/2/9, vic YD 105116, had 4-5 NVA open up on them with a claymore, light automatic weapon fire, and S/A fire. G/2/9 returned fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1440H, M/3/9, vic YD 191180 found 1 military radio, 2 generators, (150) 82mm rds, and misc gear. At 1455H, H/2/9, vic YD 125157, found 9 graves, 1 NVA per grave. 9 NVA KIA. At 1302H, M/3/9, vic YD 184194 found 3 shelters, 150 lbs of rice, 1 SKS rifle, 1 chicom grenade and many broken bottles of medicine. At 1500H, M/3/9, vic YD 191118, found 4 shelters, 9 bunkers, 2 RPG boosters, 3 ceramic insulators, 10 sticks of TNT, 1 NVA switchboard, 2 instruments which appeared to be signal multiplexers, 100' of NVA comm wire and 1000' of U.S. comm wire. At 1545H, H/2/9, vic YD 124158 found remains of burnt out hospital, 1 AK-47, 2 empty medicine boxes. One detainee held at FSB SHILOH, classified POW. (SitRep 36, 37, 38)

2. Feb

At 0845H, L/3/9, vic YD 198123 found large NVA encampment 25 bunkers and 15 shelters. Bunkers and shelters destroyed. At 1115H, L/3/9, vic YD 183116 after contact had 1 USMC WIAE. At 1130H, K/3/9, vic YD 197123 found shelter and bunker and 20 vials of penicillin, 110 rolls of gauze, 2500 iodine tablets, 1000 quinine tablets, tape, cotton and various vitamins and drugs. Also detained 1 female nurse and 1 male. Medical supplies will be retained. At 1430H, H/2/9, vic YD 125153 found 16 graves and some documents. 16 NVA KIA. At 1525H, CP/3/9, at FSB CUNNINGHAM received 2 rds of incoming. Rounds hit in vic of K/3/9 and I/3/9. Arty estimated to be 75mm pack howitzer, shooting from YD 143075 (smoke observed). Fired suppressive fires at 1605H, loud secondary observe at YD 143075. 4 USMC KIA, 5 USMC WIAE (2/12).

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At 1600, 1/3/9, vic YD 172128, found 4 shelters and 4 bunkers, 2200 lbs of rice, assorted clothing, 3/A rds, and explosives. At 1900H, 1/9 assumed OPCON of D/1/9. (SitRep 40, 41, 42, 43)

3 Feb At 1450H, 1/3/9, vic YD 183124 found 1 shelter with 1000 lbs of rice, 20 lbs of corn, 15 lbs of tobacco, 20 yds of cloth and 3 machetes. At 0815H, an AO with call sign "BARKY" reported vic YD 209034, 3 vehicles moving east to west. AO "Colorado Romeo", also described vehicles moving east to west, lead vehicle as 2½ ton truck and other two as large half track trucks, all carrying cargo. Fixed wing was run. One 2½ ton truck and one half track destroyed, one half track damaged. 6 NVA KIA. At 1600H, 1/3/9, vic YD 174126 found 3 shelters, 2000 lbs of rice, 30 lbs of tobacco, 50 lbs of potatoes. Shelters were destroyed. At 1220H, 6/2/9, vic YD 108103, found 4 strandwire running east to west. Insulators on upper 2 strands, runs down center of 5' wide trail, 12' off deck, in excellent condition. Will destroy wire. At 1340H, 6/2/9, vic YD 154096, sighted 3 elements on far side of river. 6/2/9 opened fire, enemy returned fire and broke contact moving south. Results 1 USMC WIAE. (SitRep 44, 45, 46)

4 Feb At 1340H, 6/2/9, vic YD 108103, lead elements of unit made contact with lead elements of estimated 20 NVA. S/A fire exchanged, arty and 61's called in on area. Area checked and 3 NVA bodies found along with large amount of blood. Results 3 NVA KIA. At 1042H, 6/3/9, vic YD 190124, point of unit observed 3 NVA approximately 100 meters away. Opened fire and checked area finding 1 AK-47. At 1045H, 6/2/9, vic YD 102102 initiated contact with an ambush. NVA fired 1 rifle grenade and S/A. Area searched with negative results. Results 1 USMC WIAE. Female nurse held by this command, re-classified as CHIEU HOI. At 1340H, 6/2/9, vic YD 102100, spotted 2 NVA. Opened fire with S/A, killing 1 NVA and capturing 1 AK-47. At 1340H, 6/2/9, vic YD 102155, saw 6 NVA heading north. Opened fire on enemy, killing 1 NVA and capturing 1 SPS rifle. At 1530H, 6/2/9, vic YD 168104, found 3 huts, 1 Chinese .30 cal rifle and assorted gear. At 1600H, 1/3/9, vic YD 188124 made contact with unknown size NVA units. Received S/A fire, returned S/A fire, and fired 60mm mortars. Results 1 NVA KIA, 3 USMC WIA. (SitRep 48, 49)

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- 5 Feb At 1300H, L/3/9, vic YD 185107, found 4 shelters, 40 lbs of rice, 25 lbs of corn, 30 hand tools and misc gear. At 1315H, E/2/9, vic YD 107127, made contact with 5 NVA moving east. E/2/9 trying to regain contact. Results 1 USMC KIA and 2 USMC WIAE. At 1400H, G/2/9, vic YD 104100, lead elements made contact, then started to receive enemy fire from right and left front from estimated 15-20 NVA. Enemy were concealed and dug in. Enemy withdrew into well constructed supplementary positions. Results 5 USMC KIA, 17 USMC WIA and 2 NVA E (SitRep 53, 54)
- 6 Feb New LZ at YD 202130 named LZ SALEM. At 1600H, E/2/9, vic YD 107138, had chicom grenade (rigged as a booby trap) go off, slightly wounding 1 man with fragments. 1 USMC WIAE. (SitRep 57)
- 7 Feb At 0940H, E/2/9, vic YD 108132, initiated contact with estimated 3 NVA. Enemy fled, 1 marine triggered booby trap. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1530H, E/2/9, vic YD 107125, while setting up an ambush had 1 person trip a chicom grenade rigged as a booby trap. Results 1 WIAE and 1 WIAE. At 2100H, 3/9, vic YD 184136, reported receiving approximately (5) 82mm mortar rds and 3 arty rds. Negative casualties. Arty missions fired on suspected arty and mortar sites with unknown results. (SitReps 60, 61, 62)
- 8 Feb At 1100H, L/3/9, vic YD 189139, found 2 shelters and 50-75 lbs of rice, 50 baskets, 20 chickens, 1 chicom rifle. At 1330H, 3/9, vic YD 184136, reported approximately 3 rds of 82mm mortar incoming from a southern direction. Arty mission was fired. At 1600H, 3/9, vic YD 184136, received 6 rds of arty believed to be 122mm enemy grid YD 143077. Fired arty mission on area. Results 2 WIAE USMC. At 1915H, 3/9, vic YD 184136, received 3 rds of 122mm arty from YD 143077, 2 rds hit position, 1 rd went over position. Fired arty on suspected enemy position. 155mm site damaged, 5 USMC WIAE from 2/12. (SitRep 64, 65, 66)
- 9 Feb At 0720H, 3/9, vic YD 184136, received 4 rds of 122mm arty. Arty mission fired. Negative casualties. At 0915H, F/2/9, vic YD 163100, point ambushed by 5-6 NVA. F/2/9 returned S/A fire, pushed through. NVA fled southwest. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1010H, K/3/9, vic YD 187124 received S/A fire from estimated 2-3 NVA. K/3/9 returned S/A fire and continued mission with neg casualties. Later, while checking out area, NVA fired on rear elements, S/A fire was returned and 60mm called in. Results 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIAE, 1 NVA KIA and 1 AK-47 captured.

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Boundary change went into effect at 0917H, in southwest portion of 3/9 AO, giving it to 1/9 for use as Bn staging area. At 1155H, F/2/9 vic YD 161100, made contact with 4-5 NVA that moved southwest. Contact broke F/2/9 pursuing. Results 2 NVA KIA, 1 IWC and 1 USMC WIAE. At 1445H, M/3/9, vic YD 174154, found 1 shelter and 1 bunker, 2 French carbines. At 1440H, H/2/9, vic YD 154185 found 1 hut and 1 bunker, 1 mauser rifle and 1 SKS rifle. At 1510H, K/3/9 vic YD 191120 sighted 1 NVA on trail. Fired S/A fire, checked out area. Results 2 NVA KIA and 2 IWC. At 1530H, 3/9, vic YD 184136 (FSB CUNNINGHAM) took 3-5 rds 122mm arty fire from southwest. Arty was fired against suspected position. Negative casualties. At 1700H, H/2/9, vic YD 150189, found 3 huts and 3 bunkers, 1 LMG, 1 60mm mortar tube and 2 new SKS rifles. At 1600H, F/2/9, vic YD 162097 found road running northeast - southwest along river. Portions of road 30' wide with drainage ditch on side. Appears able to support nearly any vehicle, clearance 12'-13'. Will checkout further in AM. At 1710H, H/2/9, vic YD 150180, found additional gear, 10 new SKS rifles, 1 mauser rifle, 2 SK-44 A/W, 104 cases 7.62 rds, 100 per case, 15 cases WPG rds, 14 cases 12.7mm rds, 100 rds per case, 17 sticks TNT, (49) 82mm rds, 17 AK-47 mags, 6 lbs documents, 1 sniper scope. At 1920H, 3/9 vic YD 184136 received approximately 20 rds of 82mm mortar from a position south of FSB CUNNINGHAM. Fired arty and mortar missions on suspected enemy position. Two secondary explosions observed vic YD 194109. At 1945H, L/3/9, vic YD 185154, received 2 rds of 82mm mortar from south. Fired counter mortar fire with mortars and arty. Neg casualties or damage. (Sit Rep 68, 69, 70)

10 Feb At 0130H, A/1/9, vic YD 181269 received 2 rds arty (short rds fired by 2/12) 3 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIAE. At 0800H, 1/9, assumed OZON or D/1/9 from TFH. At 0845H, E/2/9, vic YD 113124 had light contact with small enemy force. 1 USMC WIAE. At 1050H, L/3/9, received S/A fire from estimated 5-6 NVA. Returned fire and called 81mm mission. 1 USMC KIA. At 1220H, 1/9(-), commenced lift from V03 to FSB ERSKINE, will be completed 11 Feb. CP/2/9 commenced lift from LZ DALLAS to FSB ERSKINE at 1724H, and will be completed on 11 Feb. At 1700H, A/1/9, commenced lift from SHILOH to ERSKINE, will be completed on 11 Feb. At 1145H, L/3/9, vic YD 180153 received S/A fire from 6-8 NVA, set in V-shaped ambush. After setting in defensive position and returning fire, L/3/9 received more S/A fire from left front by 15 NVA.

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Called in 81mm mission, requested AO and gunships. Negative casualties. At 1440H, E/2/9, vic YD 111121, made contact with 2 NVA snipers. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1630H, 3/9, vic YD 184136, received 4 122mm arty rds. Fired arty mission at suspected enemy positions, vic YD 091044. Negative casualties. At 1700H, M/3/9, vic YD 169112 received S/A and A/W fire from unknown size enemy force. Medevac birds received fire as they approached the zone and were unable to pick up medevacs. Results 2 USMC KIA, 3 USMC WIAE. At 0930H, H/2/9, vic YD 150180, found 4 SKS rifles, 1 AK-47, 6 SKS-44's with magazines and cleaning gear, 34 cases of 7.62 (100 rds per case), (25) 82mm rds, 2 BMG bolts, 1 rifle grenade launcher, 60 one lb sticks of TNT, 4 chicom grenades. At 1130H, H/2/9, vic YD 155179, found 363 RPG rds, 120 60mm rds, 12 82mm rds, 10 cases of TNT blocks, 69 cases of 7.62 ammo, 9 SKS-44's and 16 batteries. At 1800H, 3/9, vic YD 184136 received approximately 8 60mm mortar rds. Arty and mortar mission returned to vic YD 159137, negative casualties. At 1130H, I/3/9, vic YD 184124, received fire from 3 NVA, returned fire. Results 1 RPG launcher, 2 RPG rds and 1 NVA KIA. At 1815H, 27th VI, YD 164107 had U.S. Army CH-47 approach LZ with engine veered off to east and crashed about 350 meters from LZ. Results 1 KIA and 2 WIA. (SitRep 72, 73, 74)

11 Feb At 0630H, M/3/9, vic YD 191121, medevac birds shot at with S/A and 60mm. Unable to get medevacs out. At 0650H, D/1/9, vic YD 163110, received 4-5 RPG rds and S/A fire. Returned S/A fire and mortar and arty. Results 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIAE and 1 USMC WIANE. At 0725H, 1/9, vic YD 184135, received 2 rds 122mm arty. Fired arty mission. At 0800H, M/3/9, engaged unknown size NVA force for 3 hrs vic YD 199118. Fired S/A, mortars, arty and called in fire support. Results 3 USMC WIA, 1 NVA KIA, 1 NVA WIA POW. At 1020H, 3/9, vic YD 185134, received 2 rds of 122mm arty, results 2 USMC WIA, 3 USMC WIAE. At 0900H, 9th Mar assumed OPCON of B/1/9 from TFH. At 1145H, M/3/9, vic YD 199111, continued to receive S/A fire. Results 3 USMC KIA. At 1300H, 9th Mar advance party commenced lift to FSB CUNNINGHAM from FSB RAZOR and was completed at 1340H. A/1/9(-), commenced lift from RAZOR to FSB ERSKINE and completed at 1445H. At 1325H, M/3/9, vic YD 199144 checked out area of last night's contact, results 3 NVA KIA and 2 AK-47. At 1440H, I/3/9, vic YD 207119, received S/A fire from 5-6 NVA.

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Results 4 USMC WIA and 2 NVA KIA. At 1440H, CP/2/9 lift commenced from LZ DALLAS to FSB ERSKINE and was completed at 1515H. At 1605H, AO call sign "Colorado Yankee" vic YD 095045 reported 5 NVA KIA, KBA. At 1530H, B/1/9, lift from VCB to ERSKINE and was completed at 1700H. At 1530H, CP/1/9, lift from VCB to ERSKINE commenced and was completed at 1715H. At 1645H, 9th Mar/CP lift from RAJOR to CUNNINGHAM commenced and was completed at 1830H. At 1815H, M/3/9, vic YD 193112, received 15-20 60mm mortar rds. Fired 60mm and arty mission. Results 10 USMC WIAE. At 1500H, I/3/9, vic YD 205120 searched area and found fresh pools of blood and 1 AK-47. At 2145H, E/2/9, vic YD 162107 had an LP make light contact. Results 2 USMC WIAE. At 2200H, A,C,D /1/9, vic YD 163110, received chicom grenades, S/A fire and RPG's, from estimated company in coordinated attack. 1/9 responded with heavy volume of fire, frags, arty and illum. Results 1 USMC KIA, 8 USMC WIA and 12 NVA KIA. (Sitrep 75, 76, 77)

12 Feb At 0700H, E/2/9, vic YD 134108, received A/W fire and rifle grenades from 4 NVA. Returned fire and enemy broke contact. Results 2 USMC WIAE and 2 USMC WIAE. 1 detainee, 2 NVA KIA. At 0900H, M/3/9, vic YD 193111, received R rds from undetermined number of NVA in bunkers. Fired S/A, M-79, and LAWS. Results 1 AK-47 and 2 RPG rds. At 1430H, M/3/9, vic YD 196114, received A/W fire. Called fixed wing. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1035H, M/3/9, vic YD 196111 received S/A fire. Results 1 bolt action rifle. At 1050H, K/3/9, vic YD 199111 received S/A fire from unknown number of NVA. Results 7 USMC WIAE. At 0915H, B/1/9, vic YD 161609, found 1 NVA body under brush and grass. 1 NVA KIA. At 1230H, K/3/9, vic YD 193113 received A/W fire from 5-7 NVA in bunkers. Called fixed wing. Results 1 USMC WIA and 2 NVA KIA. At 1400H, I/3/9, vic YD 208117 made contact with unknown number of NVA. Results 1 USMC WIA and 2 NVA KIA. At 1400H, I/3/9 while checking area of contact received S/A and A/W fire. Results 1 USMC KIA and 3 USMC WIAE. Temp boundary change in northern AO effective 0600H, was approved. At 1800H, M/3/9, vic YD 205115, received S/A fire from unknown number of NVA. Results 4 USMC WIA. At 0900H, M/3/9 vic YD 193115 found 1 body and 2 graves with bodies. Took fire from gunship while setting up perimeter. Results 1 USMC WIAE and 3 NVA KIA. At 1630H, C/1/9, vic YD 167094, received sniper fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1440H, C/1/9, vic YD 167094, 2 NVA walked into perimeter, taken under fire and went into cave where they were killed by frags. Results 2 NVA KIA. Also 4 IWC. At 1500H, CP/1/9, vic YD 167098, while on move found 8 graves. Results 8 NVA KIA.

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13 Feb. At 0940H, K/3/9, vic YD 195110, made contact in large bunker and hut complex. Results 1 NVA KIA. At 0845H, F/2/9, vic YD 147100, searching area of 12 Feb contact found 1 body and 1 AK-47. At 1015H, M/3/9, vic YD 206110, reported 6 USMC WIA not previously reported from night of 10 Feb. At 1150H, AO with call sign "Chisel II" reported a BDA vic YD 063157, 1 NVA KIA. At 1230H, K/3/9, vic YD 203107, made contact with unknown number of NVA. Results 1 USMC WIA. At 1330H, K/3/9, vic YD 203107, still in contact, received 60mm mortar and RPG fire. Results 2 USMC KIA, 2 USMC WIA and 5 NVA KIA. Also 1 CSW. At 1415H, I/3/9, vic YD 213115, found 1 human head and 1 grave with 2 bodies. Results 3 NVA KIA. At 1445H, AO call sign "Chisel II" vic YD 092122 spotted 6 NVA in water. Results 3 NVA KIA. At 0911H, 2/12, vic YD 234069, AO reported truck and 3 NVA. Fired on with S/A. Results 1 NVA KIA. At 1425H, C/1/9, vic YD 194085 made contact with estimated NVA platoon. Results 6 WIA and 12 NVA KIA. At 1650H, 1/9, G-3A (arty) vic YD 195078, reported 3 NVA KIA. At 1700H, I/3/9, vic YD 215113, found 2 NVA bodies killed by S/A. K/3/9, vic YD 197112, found 3 NVA bodies. At 2330H, C/CP/1/9, vic YD 190084, were attacked by estimated Co (-) using 60mm mortars, 120's and S/A. Returned S/A and A/W fire, call in mortars and arty. Results 3 USMC KIA, 17 USMC WIA and 10 NVA KIA. (SitRep 83, 84, 85, 86)

14 Feb. At 0115H, C/1/9, vic YD 194085, was attacked by NVA squad. Results 2 NVA KIA. At 0930H, K/3/9, in contact with unknown number of NVA, receiving mortars fire from YD 209099. Results 2 USMC KIA and 7 USMC WIA. 3/9 reported contact on of LZ vic YD 208110, 40 meters by 40 meters, accommodates 1 OH-53, designated SUNEAM. 2/9 reported contact on of LZ vic YD 195078, 75 meters by 100 meters, accommodates 1 OH-53, designated DEAD EYE. K/3/9, still in contact, reported 4 USMC WIA. At 1730H, recon team "JOHN BROWN", vic YD 170152, reported 1 NVA KIA. At 1405H, I/3/9, vic YD 216110, point ambushed resulting in 1 USMC KIA. At 1530H, G/2/9, vic YD 134107, received sniper fire. Results 1 USMC WIA. At 1630H, A/1/9, vic YD 196084, received 1 grenade dropped from tree by 1 NVA. Results 1 USMC KIA, 3 USMC WIA, 1 USMC WIA and 1 NVA KIA. At 0930H, K/3/9, vic YD 205105 reports 3 NVA KIA. At 1330H, K/3/9, vic YD 206104, found 2 NVA bodies. 2 NVA KIA. At 1400H, C/1/9, vic YD 191085 probed by NVA squad. Results 2 NVA KIA.

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At 1500H, A/1/9, vic YD 195086, made contact resulting in 3 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 1815H, I/3/9, vic YD 215110, made contact resulting in 2 USMC WIAE. (SitRep 86, 87, 88 and 89)

15 Feb At 0940H, I/3/9, vic YD 189124, found 1 NVA body. At 1300H, I/3/9, vic YD 217107, received 60mm mortar fire. Results 4 USMC WIAE. At 1230H, I/3/9, vic YD 213105, made contact. Results unknown. At 1445H, F/2/9 vic YD 153082, received sniper fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1228H, CP/1/9, arty rep vic YD 196076, reported 3 NVA killed by arty. At 1412H-1612H, "Colorado Mike" AO, vic YD 144082, spotted NVA in tree. Results 1 NVA KIA. At 1230H, I/3/9, vic YD 213105, found 1 grave with 2 bodies 2 NVA KIA. At 1820H, Protractor "A" reported destroying 122mm arty piece at YD 075031. I/9 reported finding 1 NVA body killed by arty. "Kat Killer 12" spotted 2 1/2 ton NVA truck vic YD 075031, destroyed truck. At 1515H, Seaworthy 97-6, vic YD 994032, spotted NVA, killed 3 NVA. At 1845H, M/3/9, vic YD 208119 found 6 IWC. At 2000H, C/1/9, vic YD 194085, had contact results 13 NVA KIA. (SitRep 91, 92, 93)

16 Feb At 0900H, E/3/9, vic YD 207100, received probe. Results 4 USMC WIAE. At 1100H, I/3/9, vic YD 220075, received 10 rds 60mm mortars. Results 3 USMC WIAE. At 0930H, I/3/9, vic YD 215105, found 3 NVA bodies. At 1125H, D/1/9, vic YD 182065, received sniper fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1015H, B/1/9, vic YD 184075, made contact resulting in 2 NVA KIA. At 1605H, D/1/9, vic YD 177059, received sniper fire. Results 2 USMC WIAE. At 1740H, M/3/9, vic YD 208100, received 7/A fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1005H, G/2/9, vic YD 130071, received sniper fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1810H, E/2/9, vic YD 126070, received sniper fire from all directions. Results 9 USMC WIAE and 8 NVA KIA. At 0845H, K/3/9, had contact lasting to 1400H, at vic YD 215095. Results 6 USMC WIAE, 11 NVA KIA and 5 IWC. At 2210H, B/1/9, vic YD 184076, saw light, fired M-70 and threw M-26's. Results 1 NVA KIA. Recon team Mayade reported 1 NVA KIA, vic YD 118127. "Chisel 7" (Air Cav), reports 2 NVA KIA KBA, vic YD 145024.

17 Feb At 0405H, FSB GUNNINGHAM was attacked from 3 sides, perimeter was penetrated by at least 13 sappers, who were killed.

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Contact broken at 0700H. Results 4 USMC KIA, 46 WIAE, 8 WIAE, 37 NVA KIA and 11 IWC. At 0900H, K/3/9, vic YD 217094, received fire from light MG. Results 2 USMC WIA. At 0930H, G/2/9, vic YD 125075, made contact. Results 2 USMC KIA, 1 NVA KIA. At 0915H, M/3/9 vic YD 208100, received fire. Results 2 USMC WIAE. 2/9 reported LZ constructed vic YD 158048, can only accommodate double sling. At 1415H, H/2/9, vic YD 158045, received fire on left flank. Results 3 USMC WIAE. At 1445H, K/3/9, vic YD 218094, received 1 sniper rd. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 0930H, A/1/9, vic YD 195084, took S 4 fire. Results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1700H, 3/9 assumed OPACON of E/G/2/3. At 1830H, M/3/9, vic YD 208100, received fire. Results 5 USMC WIAE. At 1450H, A/1/9, vic YD 198070, saw 2 LVA, took them under fire. Results 2 NVA KIA. At 2300H-2400H, G/2/9, vic YD 131100, heard movement and called in arty. Results 4 NVA KIA. At 170805H, G/2/9, vic YD 128079, received fire. Results 5 USMC KIA, 12 USMC WIAE, and 39 NVA KIA. At 1445H, G/2/9, vic YD 133098, marine sniper observed 3 NVA in open. Results 2 NVA KIA. At 1640H, G/2/9, vic YD 159038, received fire from bunkers. Results 2 USMC KIA, 2 USMC WIAE. At 1700H, C/1/9, vic YD 195059, made contact. Results 2 USMC WIAE and 7 NVA KIA. At 1730H, C/1/9, vic YD 195059, had 3 NVA approach lines. Results 1 USMC WIAE and 1 NVA KIA. At 1715H, L/3/9, vic YD 181134, had 3 USMC WIAE, when fire set off 60mm rd. At 1800H, L/9 FO, vic YD 188068, fired arty mission on active mortar position, destroying mortar and killing 2 NVA KIA. At 1800H, M/3/9, vic YD 208100, took 3 RPG rds and returned fire. Results 1 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 2315H, C/1/9, vic YD 183107, heard movement and threw 1 frag grenade. Results 1 NVA KIA. (SitRep 99, 100, 101, 103)

18 Feb At 0850H, A/1/9, vic YD 197064, received sniper fire. Results 2 USMC WIAE. At 0900H, C/1/9, vic YD 197064 saw 2 NVA and opened fire. Results 1 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 0940H, A/1/9, vic YD 194026, made contact with well dug in enemy. Results 2 USMC WIAE and 20 NVA KIA. At 1045H, L/3/9, vic YD 228089, found a mass grave with 185 bodies, and 8 cases of 12.7mm ammo. At 1100H, L/3/9, left from YD 184136 to vic YD 230094, commenced and was completed at 1455H. At 1310H, C/2/9, vic YD 164107 received approximately 30 rds of mortars. Results 6 USMC WIA.

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At 0915H, C/1/9, vic YD 197057, made contact with NVA in a large bunker complex. Results 2 USMC WIAE and 7 NVA KIA. At 1230H, B/1/9, vic YD 176055, received 1 RPG rd. Results 3 USMC WIAE. At 1345H, G/2/9, vic YD 124077 received heavy sniper fire. Results 3 USMC WIAE and 7 NVA KIA. At 1100H, D/1/9, vic YD 176054, made contact with NVA platoon. Results 3 USMC KIA, 3 USMC WIAE and 10 NVA KIA. At 1520H, A/1/9, vic YD 198061, received 8 rds of 60mm mortar. Results 2 USMC WIAE. At 1515H, L/3/9, vic YD 231092, found tunnel and (222) 60mm mortar rds, 16 boxes of 60mm mortar fuses and 35 cans of increments, 24 chicom grenades, 100' of det cord, 100 vials of penicillin, and 100 blasting caps. At 1610H, C/2/9, vic YD 127078, still in contact. Results 2 USMC WIAE and 11 NVA KIA. At 1625H, M/3/9, vic YD 223086, was hit with 8 RPG rds and S/A fire. Results 1 USMC KIA and 6 USMC WIAE. At 2100H, CP/2/9, vic YD 164112, LP spotted 3 NVA, threw frags and fired S/A. Results 1 NVA KIA. At 0920H, "SEAWORTHY" 98-1, vic YD 195055, reported 3 NVA KIA. At 1845H, A/1/9, vic YD 189056, received S/A fire and RPG fire, C/1/9, received sniper fire from YD 195053. Results 9 USMC WIAE, 2 NVA KIA. At 2315H, B/1/9, vic YD 186062, observed 1 lights. Called arty mission. Results 3 NVA KIA. At 1417H, D/1/9(6-4), reported 11 KBA vic YD 17160485, and 6 KBA vic YD 17170506. (SitRep 103, 104, 105, 107)

19 Feb At 0600H, 1/9, vic YD 196037, reported heavy tracked vehicle movement from YD 182400H to approximately 190530H. Fired 155mm arty mission. Unknown results. CP/2/9 left from FSB ERSKINE to vic YD 194070 commenced at 1520H, and was completed at 1630H. At 0900H, C/1/9, vic YD 198077, made contact with NV in heavily entrenched area. Received MG fire and A fire. Results 4 USMC WIAE, 19 NVA KIA, and 2 IWC. At 0900H, C/1/9, vic YD 198078, received sniper fire. Co C snipers employed. Results 2 NVA KIA. At 0945H-1210H, C/1/9, vic YD 198077, continued attack on bunker complex. completed assault. Results 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIAE and 13 NVA KIA. At 1620H, C/1/9, vic YD 195065 received sniper fire from trees vic YD 195053. Co C snipers returned fire. Results 2 NVA KIA. At 1400H, D/1/9, vic YD 182052, was ambushed. Results 3 USMC KIA, 17 USMC WIAE, 2 USMC WIAE, 8 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 1530H, M/3/9, vic YD 223086, had contact. Results 2 USMC KIA and 1 USMC WIAE.

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At 1435H, A/1/9, vic YD 196069, made contact. Results 4 USMC WIAE, 11 NVA KIA, and 1 IWC. At 1707H, A/1/9, vic YD 197062, NVA attacked OP. Results 1 NVA KIA. At 1210H, A/1/9, vic YD 196063, found 5 bodies, 2 B-40 rocket launchers, and 3 satchel charges. At 1300H, 6/2/9, vic YD 123077, found bunker complex and 1 ton of explosives. At 1545H, H&S/3/9, vic YD 215095, received 7 60mm mortar rds. Results 1 USMC WIAE. Recon team DESERT SANDS reports 4 NVA KIA. At 2240H, M/3/9, vic YD 210086, received approximately 3 RPG rds. Results 2 USMC WIAE. At 2240H, M/3/9, vic YD 230087 received 8/1 and 8/2 fire. Results 3 USMC KIA and 7 USMC WIAE. At 2200H, M/3/9, vic YD 225092 reported 1 man missing. At 1130H, 6/2/9, vic YD 123077, found 1 M16 rifle, 3 boxes blasting caps, 300 det cord, 200 60mm mortar rds and 7 NVA KIA. At 1535H, recon team JOHN BROWN, vic YD 119110, took 2 male prisoners. At 2330H, M/3/9, vic YD 210086, was probed by NVA. Probe lasted 1 1/2 hrs. Results 4 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. (SitRep 107, 108, 109, 111

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20 Feb At 0350H, L/3/9, vic YD 240096, received 10 rounds of 60mm mortar fire. Results 2 USMC KIA, 2 USMC WIAE. 1/9 reports 1 NVA KIA all by air strike. 3/9 reported construction of LZ, 25x30 meters capacity 1 CH46 at YD 224089. At 1021H lift of H/S/3/9 from vic YD 215095 to vic 223088 began and was completed at 1206H. At 1210H, Recon Team HAYRIDE, via YD 128151, made contact. Results 1 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 1220H, E/2/9, made contact with 5 NVA, results 1 USMC WIA, 2 NVA KIA, 3 NVA KIA and 2 IWC. From 0830H to 1600H, G/1/9, via YD 197053, attacked and seized bunker complex, results 1 USMC KIA, 22 USMC WIAE, 2 USMC WIANE, and 2 NVA KIA. Effective 2000H open of E and G/2/3 assumed by 2/3. Boundary change, area north of PHASE LINE RED to 2/3 at 2200H, B/1/9, vic YD 181052, made contact with 1 NVA in bunker complex, results 1 NVA KIA 25 tons rice. At 1915H, A/1/9, via YD 195042, assaulted bunker complex, results 1 USMC KIA, 2 USMC WIA, 17 NVA KIA, 1 truck, 2 20mm barrel for AA gun, 241 rounds of 20mm ammo, 80 122mm rounds, 9 cases of 12.7 ammo (60 rounds per case) and various other gear. At 1830H, M/3/9, via YD 230086, observed 1 NVA in grass. Called in 60mm mortar mission, results 1 NVA KIA. 1/9 FO, via YD 186046, reports 7 NVA KIA. At 1400H, F/1/9, vic YD 119048, found 1 SKS, 210 lbs rice, 1 bag of medical gear and documents. At 1030H, AO, via YD 215049, reports (1) 122mm gun destroyed. (Sit Reps 110, 111, 112, 113)

21 Feb At 0650H, G/1/9, via YD 197053, received prob by approx 7 NVA, results 3 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 0830H, H/2/9, via YD 213045, made contact with 1 NVA on trail, results 1 NVA KIA, 1 IWC. At 1120H, F/2/3, via FSB ERSTINE received 27 122mm arty rounds. Neg casualties. At 1015H, M/3/9, via YD 232083, received RPG and S/A fire, results 1 USMC WIAE. At 0930H, S/WORTHY 99-1 and 2 (air) vic YD 026362, reports 1 NVA KIA. At 1100H, A/1/9, via 196038 found 1 SKS. At 1130H, M/3/9, via YD 232033, found garage with mechanics gear. At 1130H, M/3/9, via YD 232081, found in bunkers, 800 12.7 rounds, 30 blasting caps, 300 ft of time fuse, and 5 50 gal drums. At 1115H A/1/9, via YD 193043 found 100 A-frame bunkers and aid station with 3 stretchers, 12 bags rice, (18) 122mm rockets, 1 Russian radio (destroyed), assorted military gear. At 1500H, B/1/9, via YD 194033 found (48) 122mm arty rounds. Also sensed CS gas in area. At 1550H, A/1/9, via YD 201051, found (142) 60mm mortar rounds, 45 RPG rounds, 2 cases of TNT. At

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1615H, M/3/9, SEAWORTHY 9745 (air), vic YD 172139, reports 1 NVA KIA. At 1015H, M/3/9, vic YD 232083, fired on 2 NVA, results 1 USMC WIA, 1 NVA KIA. At 1350H, B/1/9, vic YD 195030, made contact, results 2 USMC WIA and 1 NVA KIA. At 1550H, A/1/9, vic YD 201051, made contact, results 2 USMC KIA, 4 USMC WIA, and 10 NVA KIA. At 1530H, M/3/9, vic YD 232083, found 300 empty 50 gal drums, 43 50 gal drums heavy grease, 43 50 gal drums of gas, 1 bulldozer without tracks, 1 gas tank with bullet holes, 12 tires, 60 pounds TWT, 1 front end loader, partially disassembled gas engine (6 cyl), 3 5 ton trucks. 1430H, B/1/9, vic YD 195035, found 122mm arty rounds, 3 RPG rockets, 12 empty 50 gal drums. At 1700H, B/1/9, vic YD 191027, found rifle range, 2 destroyed 5 ton Russian trucks, 400 rounds of 47 mm ammo. (Sit Rops 114, 115, 116, 117).

22 Feb At 0240H, B/2/9, vic YD 139027, initiated ambush, destroying 2 trucks, results 5 NVA KIA. Checking out area of ambush found 1 more truck loaded with 5 tons of S/A cooking off, and 5 more NVA KIA. At 0930H, B/1/9, vic YD 193025, found 52 82mm mortar rounds, and 1 AK-47. At 1715H, B/3/9, vic YD 237071, made contact, results 1 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 1100H, A/1/9, vic YD 202052, made contact in bunker complex. Results 1 USMC KIA, 2 USMC WIA, 7 NVA KIA and 1 IWC. At 0930H, M/3/9, vic YD 231059, found 200 rounds of 37mm ammo and 2 trucks destroyed by air. At 1500H, H/2/9, vic YD 199022, saw 8 NVA, called arty mission, results 2 NVA KIA. At 1727H, L/3/9, vic YD 233054, made contact with NVA, results 1 USMC KIA, 9 NVA KIA. At 1300H, C/1/9, vic YD 202053, made contact, results 13 USMC WIA, 1 USMC KIA and 9 NVA KIA. At 1500H, C/1/9, vic YD 197053, saw 2 NVA at vic YD 202051, fired 60mm mortar mission, results 1 NVA KIA. At 1300H, A/1/9, vic YD 199049, made contact, results 10 USMC KIA, 32 USMC WIA, 105 NVA KIA, 4 LMG, 2 BMO launchers, 17 40mm, and 2 Sniper Rifles. At 1245H, M/3/9, vic YD 235093, found 4 graves with 1 body per grave. At 1600H, B/1/9, vic YD 196036 received 40mm mortar rounds, results 4 USMC KIA, 7 USMC WIA and 8 USMC WIA. At 2230H, L/3/9, vic YD 234050, saw 2 NVA in front of perimeter, results 2 NVA KIA. (Sit Rops 118, 119, 120, 121, 123).

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23 Feb At 0950H, H/2/9, vic YD 148045, made contact, results 1 USMC WIAF. At 1230H, L/3/9, vic YD 235075, made contact, results 1 USMC WIAF, 1 NVA POW and 1 IWC. At 1830H, CP/2/9, vic YD 134071, received incoming mortar rounds from vic YD 126076, fired mortars and 106's, results 6 NVA KIA and (2) 60mm mortars destroyed. At 2305H, A/1/9, vic YD 197055, made contact, results 1 USMC WIAF and 3 USMC WIAF. At 1005H, 3/9 FO reports 2 NVA KIA. At 0950H, H/2/9, vic YD 150044, made contact, results 1 NVA KIA. (Sit Reps 123, 124, 125, 126).

24 Feb At 0530H, W/3/9, vic YD 240039, sprung ambush, results 4 USMC WIAF and 3 NVA KIA. At 0730H, L/3/9, vic YD 240039, made contact, results 2 NVA KIA. At 1145H, C/2/9, vic YD 195078, made contact, results 1 USMC WIAF. At 1100H, H/2/9, vic YD 139025, sprung ambush, results 4 NVA KIA, 4 IWC. At 1100H, A/1/9, vic YD 197055, made contact, results 8 NVA KIA. At 1200H, H/2/9, vic YD 148022, called 81mm mortars, results 2 NVA KIA. At 1230H, A/1/9, vic YD 196055, OP received fire, results 2 USMC WIAF. At 1030H, L/3/9, vic YD 240040, found bunker complex and (8) 140mm rockets, (5) 122mm arty rounds, 240 rounds of 12.7mm, 2880 rounds of 7.62mm and assorted gear. At 1610H, C/1/9, found 50 spent 122mm arty rounds, 10 cases 12.7mm ammo and documents. At 1600H, E/1/9, vic YD 196040, received (68) 60mm rounds, results 1 USMC WIAF. Boundary change went into effect 2000H, between 1/9 and 3/9. Boundary change went into effect 2400H, between 1/9 and 2/9. At 1500H, W/3/9, vic YD 243043, made contact, results 2 USMC WIAF, 4 NVA KIA and 2 CSWC (122mm arty pieces). At 2030H, CP/3/9, vic YD 239039, made contact, results 1 USMC KIA, 14 USMC WIAF and 14 NVA KIA. At 1900H, E/2/3, vic YD 151112 and YD 147108, found bunker complex and documents, 2 tons rice and potatoes, 8 SKS's, 3 bolt action rifles. At 1610H, C/1/9, vic YD 197057, 20 cases of 12.7mm ammo (100 rounds per case) and FDC documents. At 1307H, W/3/9, vic YD 247035, fired arty on NVA in open, results 2 NVA KIA. (Sit Reps 128, 129, 131).

25 Feb At 0300H, G/2/9 LP, vic YD 136075, made contact, results 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIAF and 1 NVA KIA. At 0845H, I/3/9, vic YD 250093, found ammo cache. At 0825H, W/3/9, vic YD 138045, made contact, results 1 NVA KIA. At 0900H, K/3/9, made contact, vic YD 242038, results 1 USMC KIA. At 1015H, K/3/9, vic YD 247035, made contact, results 2 USMC WIAF. At 0800H, E/2/3, vic YD 164107, found 1 NVA Body, 1 AK-47. At

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0900H, M/3/9, vic YD 242038, found large cache, 63 IWC. At 0845H, I/3/9, vic YD 254093, found large cache. At 0930H, L/3/9, vic YD 234043, found cache. At 1210H, H/3/9, vic YD 245029, made contact, results 2 USMC KIA. At 1320H, 1/9 1-4 (air) reports 6 NVA KIA. 1000H, H/2/9, vic YD 148022, made contact, results 2 USMC KIA, 4 USMC WIAE, 8 NVA KIA and 1 CSWC. At 1555H, K/3/9, vic YD 242022 made contact, results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1415H, H/3/9, vic YD 242003, found cache and 6 boxes, total results 10 NVA KIA and 3 IWC. 1130H, M/3/9, vic YD 243043, found cache. At 1700H, G/2/9, vic YD 129074, gunship made emergency landing. At 0830H, C/1/9, vic YD 196057, found enemy battery position and bunker complex, ammo and 3 NVA KIA and 3 IWC. At 1630H, L/3/9, vic YD 240039 found 2 Soviet 7.62 heavy MG. At 1700H, H/3/9, vic YD 146021, made contact, results 3 USMC KIA, 5 WIAE and 2 NVA KIA. At 1300H, M/3/9, vic YD 250043, made contact, results 4 NVA KIA. At 1000H, H/2/9, vic YD 148022 found 5 IWC. (Sit Reps 130, 131, 132, 134).

26 Feb LZ at vic YD 239039, named MADISON. At 1000H, H/2/9, vic YD 150020, made contact, results 2 USMC WIAE. At 1720H, K/3/9, vic YD 247025, received S/A and RPG fire, results 3 USMC WIAE and 1 NVA KIA. At 0800H, L/3/9, vic YD 239039, found 1 AK-47. At 0900H, K/3/9, vic YD 244038, found large cache. At 1330H, D/1/9, vic YD 216033, made contact, results, 2 USMC KIA, 9 USMC WIAE, 34 NVA KIA, 5 IWC and 2 CSWC. At 1530H, H/2/9, vic YD 149024, received 8 rounds of 60mm mortars and S/A fire, results 3 USMC WIAE. At 1500H, M/3/9, vic YD 243043, reports 1 full tracked vehicle destroyed. At 1200H, K/3/9, found cache vic YD 244040. At 1530H, F/2/9, found arty position and large amount of gear and ammo. At 1730H, E/2/9, vic YD 145024, found (1) 23mm AA gun and destroyed it. At 2020H, K/3/9, vic YD 238037, made contact, results 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIAE. At 2200H, K/3/9, vic YD 238039, made contact, results 2 USMC WIAE. At 1200H, K/3/9, vic YD 244040, found cache. At 1700H, M/3/9, vic YD 251038, found 8 graves (1 body per grave). At 1700H, L/3/9, vic YD 217017, found large cache. At 1330H, D/1/9, vic YD 216033, made contact, results 15 NVA KIA. At 1615H, AO call sign SEAWORTHY 98-14, vic YD 218033, reported 15 NVA KIA. At 1329H, D/1/9, vic YD 215034, reports 5 NVA killed by arty. Recon report vic YD 170152, made contact, results 3 NVA KIA. (Sit eps 135, 136, 137, 139).

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27 Feb At 0900H, I/3/9, vic YD 223047, found small cache. At 0945H, E/2/9, vic YD 153022, found 1 bulldozer, destroyed it. At 0945H, K/3/9, vic YD 238067, found 5 lb satchel charge vic last night's contact, 1 NVA KIA. At 1230H, H/2/9, vic 158025, found small bulldozer destroyed, and vic 159025, found 1, 122mm gun. At 1200H, F/2/9, vic YD 164036, found bunker complex (possible PDC) cache, and 8 graves (1 body per grave). At 1130H, M/3/9, vic YD 23042, found cache. At 1325, F/2/9, vic YD 164024, found ~~artillery~~ position, (1) 12.7mm gun and 1000 rounds 12.7 ammo. At 1410H, H/2/9, found cache. At 1420H, I/3/9, vic YD 253090, bulldozer hit mine damaging dozer, results 4 USMC WIAE. At 1400H, I/3/9, vic YD 233043, found cache. At 1630H, H/2/9, vic YD 167032, found arty position and bunker complex, (2) 85mm arty pieces, 1 MG, 8 IWC. At 1100H, D/1/9, vic YD 215032 found large cache, 272 IWC, 45 CWC. At 1130H, A/1/9, vic YD 205035, found cache. At 1300-2400H, G/2/9, vic YD 123037, in contact, results 3 USMC KIA, 12 USMC WIA and 12 NVA KIA. At 2205H, K/3/9, vic YD 237011, made contact, results 2 USMC KIA, 3 USMC WIAE, 7 NVA KIA and 3 IWC. At 0723H, 2/9 FO, vic YD 135079, called arty mission, results 3 NVA KIA. (Sit Reps 139, 140, 141, 142).

28 Feb At 0055H, G/2/9, vic YD 134078, made contact, results 4 USMC WIAE and 6 NVA KIA. At 0930H, K/3/9, vic YD 235055, made contact, results 3 NVA KIA, 1 IWC. At 1000H, H/2/9, vic YD 167032, found (2) 85mm guns. At 1000H, G/2/9, vic YD 136078, found 5 NVA bodies in arty and mortar impact area and 2 IWC. At 1600H, F/2/3, vic YD 131091, made contact, results 1 NVA KIA and 2 IWC. At 1215H, I/3/9, vic YD 255096, found 3 NVA bodies in graves. At 1215H, I/3/9, vic YD 255094, found cache. At 1530H, K/3/9, vic YD 226014, called 81mm mission on 12 NVA, results 2 NVA KIA. At 2130H, I/3/9, vic YD 241039, sprung ambush, results 6 NVA KIA. A and D/1/9 continue to exploit very large cache. At 1705H, B/1/9, vic YD 205029, received 15 rounds 82mm mortar, results 1 USMC WIAE. At 1215H, G(-)/2/9, vic YD 134075, at L7 took (8-10) 82mm mortar round, CH53 took shrapnel, results 3 USMC WIAE. BDA reports 5 NVA KIA. (Sit Reps 142, 143, 144, 145).

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3. Training

a. Continual movement of the 9th Marines Headquarters and its integral battalions precluded an extensive training program; however, formal schools were utilized as well as small unit instruction and on the job training.

b. In country indoctrination was held as new men joined units.

c. Formal schools attended by Headquarters Company personnel were:

<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>NO DAYS</u>	<u>LOC</u>	<u>ATT</u>
Embarkation School	30	OKINAWA	1
Scout Sniper School	4	QUANG TRI	4
Personnel Response Course	2	DONG HA	1

4. Statistical breakdown by units of the operational action of the 9th Marines during the reporting period.

<u>a. Activities</u>	<u>Fire Tm</u>	<u>Squad</u>	<u>Platoon</u>	<u>Company</u>
LP/OP	452	21		
Ambush		138	3	
Security Patrol		96	10	
Combat Patrol			90	
Search and Destroy				35
Search and Clear				53
Recon Patrol			2	

b. From 1-28 Feb the 9th Marines continued Operation DEWEY CANYON utilizing all organic Battalions plus 2/3(-).

5. Casualties and Damage Inflicted on the Enemya. Personnel

NVA KIA	1333
POW	3
Detainees	1
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b. Weapons Captured

Individual	914
Crew Served	143

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c. Munitions

140mm rockets	8	60mm rds	26,579
RPG rds	10,691	60mm warheads	96
S/A rds	208,901	75mm rds	952
20mm rds	65	82mm rds	17,385
23mm rds	1,930	85mm rds	210
37mm rds	21,730	120mm rds	4,096
40mm rds	14	122mm rockets	770
57mm rds	4		

d. Structures Destroyed

Bunkers 1,041
Structures 229

e. Foodstuff

Rice	137,985 lbs	Salt	20 lbs	Tobacco	210 lbs
Corn	425 lbs	Lard	20 lbs		
Wheat	469 lbs	Oil	2 gal		
Potatoes	60 lbs	Herbs	200 lbs		

f. Breakdown of Weapons Captured(1) Individual:

Pistols	2	RPG	15
SKS	649	M-1	1
AK-47's	135	M-16	1
PPS	41	Machine Pistol	43
Mauser	6		

(2) Crew Served:

	<u>Captured</u>	<u>Dest</u>	<u>Damaged</u>
30 cal MG	2		
RPG	66		
60mm Mort	8		
82mm Mort	11		
120mm Mort	1		
50 cal MG	3	1	
12.7mm AA gun	15	9	
20mm	4	2	
23mm		4	
37mm		1	
40mm		1	
57mm RR	15		
85mm RR	4		
122mm Arty	6	5	1

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g. Livestock

	<u>Captured</u>	<u>Killed</u>
Pigs	13	75
Chickens	16	83
Water Buffalo		6

h. Ordinance Equipment

Rifle scopes	19	20mm tripod	2
Field glasses	2 pr	57mm RR sights	2
AK-47 mags	637	12.7 carriage w/wheels	2
82mm tripod	3	Gas masks	220
82mm tube	2	Helmets	81
57mm RR barrel	1	122mm rocket sights	2
57mm RR tripod	15	Arty plotting sets	1
20mm barrel	3	Plastic arty tables	2
122mm barrel	5		

i. Communications Equipment

Radios	5	Multiplexes	2
Telephones	2	Wire (no of feet) 6000	
Switch boards	1	Headset	1

j. Motor Transportation Equipment and Supplies

	<u>Captured</u>	<u>Destroyed</u>	<u>Damaged</u>
Trucks	16	28	7
Prime Movers	5	1	
Tractors	5	10	1
Armored Personnel Carriers		3	
Truck engines	3		
Front loader	1		
Air compressor	1		
Tractor cab	1		
Fuel	2,530 gal		
Fuel drums empty	347		
Grease	307 gal		
Tires	12		
Tool Kit	1		
Hydraulic pump	1		
Bicycle parts	20 frames		
	52 rims		
	36 tires		

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k. Explosives Captured and Destroyed

Explosive	1,332½ lbs	Fuses	594
Detonators	462	Blasting caps	462
Det cord	1,950 ft	Satchel charges	13
Grenades	26,228	Increments	168
R/Grenades	6,540	RPG boosters	449
Mines AT	500		
Mines AP	835		
Claymore	439		

l. Medical Equipment and Supplies Captured and Destroyed

Plasma	4 btl
Streptomycin	21,000,000
Penicillin	27,000,000
Strichnine	10 mg
Atropine	20 mg
Vitamin B	55 mg
Vitamin K	308 mg
Micuriror	802 mg
Bandages	620 rolls
Ginsene	12 tablets
Iodine	1,000 tablets
Vitamin B-12	1,000,000 units
Needles Inj	14
Syringes	2
Surgical kit complete	

m. Caches

<u>Date</u>	<u>Coordinates</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Cache</u>
2 Feb	YD 197123	K/3/9	Hospital
18 Feb	YD 231092	M/3/9	Small cache of food and ammo
21 Feb	YD 232083	M/3/9	Motor Pool
25 Feb	YD 250900	M/3/9	Ammo and weapons
26 Feb	YD 244040	B/1/9	Messhall and ammo
27 Feb	YD 215032	D/1/9	Ammo and weapons
28 Feb	YD 215032	A/1/9	Ammo and weapons

6. Friendly Casualties Sustained During the Reporting Period

KIA - 108; WIAE - 483; WIANE - 128; MIA - 1

7. New Techniques Employed.

a. ASRT was employed, on a forward FSB (CUNNINGHAM), for the first time by this unit. Results were excellent and significantly extended out WPQ range in the operating area.

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b. A Tactical Air Fuel Dispensing System (TAFDS) was employed on a FSB (LIGHTING), for the first time by 9th Marines units. Only emergency refueling was authorized because of limited capacity. On several occasions aircraft were saved by this available fuel.

8. Equipment

a. The following is a report of the readiness of major items of combat essential equipment.

(1) <u>Motor Transport</u>	<u>ALLOWANCE</u>	<u>OH</u>	<u>OP-READY</u>
<u>ITEM</u>			
Truck, Utility, M151A1	15	14	10
Truck, Cargo, M37	2	1	1
Trailer, Water, M-107	3	2	2

(2) <u>Communications</u>	<u>ALLOWANCE</u>	<u>OH</u>	<u>OP-READY</u>
<u>ITEM</u>			
MRC-83	2	1	1
MRC-87	2	1	0
AN/GRA-39	8	4	4
KY-8	6	6	6
TRC-27B	10	8	8
PU-278	20	18	18
PRC-25	9	9	8
RT-524	4	4	4

b. Major end items previously evacuated to higher echelon maintenance facilities that have not been returned.

(1) <u>Motor Transport</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
<u>ITEM</u>		
Decontamination unit M-8	1	FLSG-B

(2) <u>Communications</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
<u>ITEM</u>		
AN/GGC-3	2	FLSG-B
AN/TSC-14	1	FLSG-B
TS-1324	1	FLSG-B
TS-102B	1	FLSG-B
ME-25A	1	FLSG-B
TD-101	2	FLSG-B
C-2328	4	FLSG-B
MRC-83	1	FLSG-B
MRC-87	1	FLSG-B
RT-505	1	FLSG-B

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c. Battle losses not replaced

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY</u>
AN/GGC-3	2
AN/TGC-14	1
ME-25A/U	1
RT-252	2
C-2328	3

9. Logisticsa. Supply and Distribution

(1) Force Logistics Support Group Bravo was the primary source of supply and maintenance for Headquarters Company, 9th Marines and Infantry Battalions under the OPCON of 9th Marines.

(2) Supply point distribution was in effect to the Battalion rear level. From there to deployed units, unit distribution was in effect.

b. Resupply

(1) Resupply figures, by class, of supply to Battalions under OPCON to the 9th Marines were as follows:

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POUNDS</u>
I	534,343
II	9,736
III	8,580
IV	23,941
V	297,277

(2) Total resupply figures for OPCON Battalions are as follows:

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POUNDS</u>
1st Bn, 9th Marines	97,347
2nd Bn, 9th Marines	309,817
3rd Bn, 9th Marines	325,348
2nd Bn, 3rd Marines	113,274
Hq Co, 9th Marines	28,091

(3) Hot meals were provided by Battalions rears located at VCB to units in the field, as the tactical situation permitted.

c. Supported Strength. The average supported strength for the 9th Marines for the Month of February was 3,134.

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d. Transportation

(1) Surface transportation utilized Route 1, between QUANG TRI and DONG HA and Route 9, between DONG HA and VCB.

(2) Hq Co, 9th Marines organic transportation has been satisfactory.

(3) Third Motor Transport Battalion provided support to 9th Marines. Motor Transport support was satisfactory.

(4) Air transportation was provided by TF HOTEL from MAG-36 and MAG-39. Helicopters were used for resupply, medical evacuation and troop lifts under routine and emergency conditions.

(5) A total of 436.8 tons of resupply was moved by helicopter during February.

e. Engineer Support. Company "C", Third Engineer Battalion provided direct support to 9th Marines. Engineer support continued to be very satisfactory.

f. Shore Party Support. An average of 14 Shore Party Battalion HSTs were deployed down to the Company/Battery level during the entire month. Resupply support was provided from three Shore Party operated LSAs.

g. Services Situation

(1) This Regiment used showers, bakery, ice and laundry services located at DONG HA and VCB.

(a) Electrical power provided by 11th Engineer Battalion at QUANG TRI Combat Base was adequate to support 9th Marines facilities.

h. Headquarters Supply Situation

(1) Headquarters Company supply is currently short one 3041 Sergeant, one 3052 Corporal and is utilizing three Marines to fill two 3051 billets, however, letters have been submitted that two be retrained in another MOS. The third individual is an 0311 undergoing OJT as a warehouseman.

(2) Statistical data on Priority 02 requisition.

(a) 75 Priority 02 requisitions remained unfilled at the end of the last reporting period.

(b) 28 Priority 02 requisitions were submitted during the reporting period.

(c) 38 Priority 02 requisitions were completed during the reporting period.

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(d) 65 Priority 02 requisitions remained unfilled at the end of the reporting period.

(3) Priority 02 requisitions unfilled consisted of the following general categories:

- (a) Communications T/E items and repair parts
- (b) Motor Transport repair parts
- (c) Messhall Equipment

i. Medical

(1) Casualties requiring treatment beyond organic RAS and BAS level were evacuated to Third Medical Battalion, QUANG TRI, and "C" Company, Third Medical Battalion, located at VCB.

(2) There were no significant medical problems encountered during this reporting period.

10. Civic Action. The 9th Marines were temporarily relieved of the responsibility for Civic Action in the 3d Marine Division AO with the 12th Marines assuming the responsibility in the interim period.

11. Psychological Warfare

a. During the reporting period, 15 psyops missions were flown including 13 leaflet drops and 2 tape missions. In addition, 91 105mm leaflet rounds were fired into suspected enemy positions and along infiltration routes.

b. Weather and inability to get the Air Force to fly missions south of the 10 EW grid line severely limited the quantity of propaganda material distributed. No direct results of psyops operations in the AO can be cited.

12. Headquarters Personnel and Administration

a. Personnel

(1) Enlisted MOS Shortages

MOS	RANK	SHORTAGE
0311	E-4/E-5	22
0351	E-3	2
0369	E-6	1
2533	E-3/E-2/E-1	4
2542	E-2/E-1	1
2831	E-3	5
2847	E-3	1
3041	E-4	1

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(2) Rotation during the Month (CONUS)

<u>MC OFF</u>	<u>MC ENL</u>	<u>NAVY OFF</u>	<u>NAVY ENL</u>
2	12	0	0

(3) Replacements received during the Month

<u>MC OFF</u>	<u>MC ENL</u>	<u>NAVY OFF</u>	<u>NAVY ENL</u>
0	8	0	0

(4) Casualties KIA 1; WIA 2; WIA (Non Hostile) 1(5) Promotions

<u>Capt</u>	<u>1stLt</u>	<u>GySgt</u>	<u>Sgt</u>	<u>Cpl</u>	<u>LCpl</u>
1	4	1	1	1	7

(6) Awards Purple Heart - 1b. Administration

(1) Special Services During the month of February, the Regimental Special Services program provided weights, recreational facilities, and pre-recorded tapes for all personnel. Sweat shirts, shower shoes, pop corn, beer and soda, and assorted games were also available for all personnel.

(2) Discipline

- (a) No unusual problems.
- (b) Courts-Martials: None
- (c) Regimental Commanders Office Hours: None
- (d) Company Commanders Office Hours: None

(3) Marine PX, Postal Affairs, and R&R

(a) PX. The branch of the 3d Marine Division PX located at Division Headquarters for the use of the 9th Marines stocks an adequate supply of health and comfort items and some luxury items.

(b) Postal. Postal service during the month of February between Division and the 9th Marines was very good.

(c) R&R. Headquarters Company, 9th Marines was allocated the following quotas for R&R during the month of Feb.

HAWAII - 3	OKINAWA - 1	HONG KONG - 2
SYDNEY - 3	KUALA LUMPUR - 1	TAIPEI - 2
TOKYO - 1	BANGKOK - 3	PENANG - 1

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(4) Chaplain Services. During the month of February the Regimental Chaplain conducted Catholic Divine Services at the Regimental Headquarters and in the battalions organic to the Regiment. Protestant Divine Services were arranged by the Regimental Chaplain and conducted by Protestant Chaplains from the battalions. 14 Sunday Masses and 24 weekly masses were conducted with an over all attendance of 221 and 305 respectively. The Regimental Chaplain held 10 religious instruction periods and administered Last Rites to 9 men.

13. Air Support

a. Fixed Wing Support

(1) During this period, fixed wing support was extremely effective. It was timely, and proved devastating against large enemy forces encountered in well fortified strong points, located north of the ASHAU Valley. Support consisted of attacks against troops, vehicles, AA positions, active artillery and other targets of opportunity. Aerial observation support was especially effective and contributed immeasurably to the success of operations conducted. Other fixed wing support included TA-4, C-117 "Spooky", C-130 flareship, C-117 Radio Relay, C-117 Sniffer, and Psywar, Red-Eye and C-130 paradrop missions. TPQ support was particularly noteworthy, with a marked increase in number of missions flown. Missions were timely and accurate. TPQ drops both day and night denied the enemy freedom of movement regardless of weather.

(2) 234 night TPQ missions were flown; 154 day TPQ missions flown expending a total of 1,550 tons of ordnance on NVA roads, installations and troop concentrations.

(3) 354 missions/550 flight hours were flown by aerial observers.

(4) 53 TA-4 aerial observation missions were flown in support of Laotian surveillance.

(5) 4 C-117 "Spooky" missions were flown.

(6) 23 C-117 Radio Relay missions were flown.

(7) 5 C-117 "Sniffer" missions were flown.

(8) 2 Psywar missions were flown.

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- (9) 2 C-130 paradrop missions were accomplished.
- (10) Numerous Red-Eye missions were accomplished.
- (11) Numerous A6-A "Radar Tracker" missions were accomplished.

b. Close air support missions totaled 271 flights; accounting for the following BDA:

(1) GAS

- (a) 187 bunkers destroyed; 14 damaged.
- (b) 20 structures destroyed.
- (c) 29 enemy positions destroyed; 2 damaged
- (d) 200 meters of trenchline destroyed.
- (e) 140 secondary explosions.
- (f) 145 KBA (confirmed).
- (g) 36 POL drums destroyed.
- (h) 1 supply cache destroyed.
- (i) 24 trucks destroyed; 3 damaged.
- (j) 11 road cuts; 2 partial cuts.
- (k) 2 vehicle revetments destroyed.
- (l) 7 122mm artillery guns destroyed; 4 damaged.
- (m) 3 armored personnel carriers destroyed.
- (n) 3 50 cal guns destroyed.
- (o) 2 27mm AA guns destroyed.
- (p) 1 bulldozer damaged.

c. Helicopter Support

(1) Support, although limited intentionally by the ground scheme of maneuver, was relatively effective and timely, although hampered by weather. Significant numbers of troops and cargo were transported. Most noteworthy were the large numbers of wounded evacuated, both day and night, under the most adverse of combat conditions.

(2) 2000 troops transported, involving 10 company size, or larger, tactical lifts.

(3) 3 artillery batteries were displaced.

(4) 771,466 pounds of cargo were transported.

(5) 190 medevac missions flown; evacuating 665 personnel.

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(6) 625 helicopters flew in support of Regimental operations.

d. Personnel and Equipment

(1) All battalions have 1 ALO and 1 FAC assigned.

(2) Beacon flights, for the most part, proved to be ineffective. The primary cause was the limited and inconsistent performance of the PRC-41 for ground to air UHF communications. At this time no unit in the regiment has an operable PRC-41 radio. All radios are in for repair.

(3) Experience with C-130 paraprojects indicate that it is effective for inclement weather resupply. However, close coordination between ground and air is a must for effective drops.

14. Artillery

a. Supporting Forces

(1) The 2nd Bn (Rein), 12th Marines continued its mission of Direct Support 9th Marines. Displacements occurring during the month were as follows:

10 Feb F/2/12 from FSB RAZOR to FSB ERSKINE.
11 Feb Hq/2/12 from FSB RAZOR to FSB CUNNINGHAM.
13 Feb 1st Prov 155 from FSB CUNNINGHAM to FSB ERSKINE.
28 Feb E/2/12 from FSB CUNNINGHAM to FSB TURNAGE.

b. Significant events. All 9th Marines operations listed in PART III of this chronology were supported by 2/12.

c. Types of missions fired

Observed - 782; Unobserved - 871; H&I - 832

d. Number of rounds fired

105mm-66,395 107mm-5,816 155mm-8,635 175mm-1,446

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e. Significant surveillances

(1)	KIA	104
(2)	Vehicles destroyed	6
(3)	Vehicles damaged	4
(4)	122mm Field Guns destroyed	2
(5)	82mm mortars destroyed	1
(6)	Secondary explosions	123
(7)	Bunkers destroyed	57

15. Regimental Communications Platoon Support

a. General. During this period the Communications Platoon continued to provide communication support for Operation DEWEY CANYON from FSB RAZOR and FSB CUNNINGHAM. Normal communication operations continued at VCB and QUANG TRI. Additionally a detachment of personnel was placed on Hill 819 (TD 097378) for relay purposes when needed. At FSB RAZOR VHF radio communication to higher and subordinate units was excellent utilizing AN/PRC-25s and AN/PRC-77s with KY-38s. UHF communication became intermittent during this period when trying to utilize AN/PRC-41s for beacon missions. Four AN/PRC-41s which op-checked well were utilized in this effort, but none were reliable throughout the period. At FSB CUNNINGHAM, VHF communication to the subordinate units was loud and clear. An override problem experienced at RAZOR was partially corrected by strict control of antenna spacing and placement at CUNNINGHAM. At both FSBs, override and interference from Laotian and Vietnamese stations were experienced. Frequency shifts brought some relief to this problem. A low frequency homer at FSB CUNNINGHAM cut through many VHF frequencies when in use. As a result, the low frequency homer was used only for emergency situations.

During periods of inclement weather BA-386s were supplied to all units from the Regiment's forward and rear positions via medevac or emergency resupply helicopters. This resulted in a total expenditure of seventy cases of BA-386 batteries which Division Supply considered as excessive and created a small problem in restocking our supplies. Conservation programs were established at all units. VHF radio communication from FSB CUNNINGHAM to 9th Marines Rear at VCB was improved to loud and clear with the arrival of an AN/MRC-110 at CUNNINGHAM. During the period 11-15 February, direct radio communication to TF HOTEL was impossible. Communication was maintained via 9th Marines Rear acting as a relay station for TF HOTEL.

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When TF HOTEL put a radio on Signal Hill direct communication was reestablished with this unit.

The AN/MRC-110 maintained communication with the Rear and/or TF HOTEL during the daylight hours but during the daily period 1100-1500 considerable overheating of the KY-8 occurred. The PRC-77 with KY-38 was able to maintain communications after sunset until sunrise each day. After the 18th the portable equipment was again able to maintain communications on a 24 hour basis with the AN/MRC-110 acting as back up. The UHF problem continued to exist while utilizing six different AN/PRC-41s, which were op-checked as satisfactory. An MRC-87 was requested and received after a long delay. The MRC-87 arrived in extremely poor mechanical and electronic condition. It was not able to transmit to another station. Replacement of the ARC-55 was requested but not received. Repair of the ARC-55 was not accomplished and plans were made to evacuate it.

Upon arrival at FSB CUNNINGHAM the AN/TRC-97 with AN/MRC-62 as back-up was wired and activated. These systems proved marginal to unsatisfactory until the 25th. This was due to several factors, ie. generator failures, equipment failures and apparent inexperience of the crews. A Tech Rep was requested on 17 Feb but never arrived at the field terminal. All requests for technical assistance with these problems were either not filled or were filled after excessive delays. TF HOTEL Communication Officer stated the repair of other TRC-97 circuits took priority over this circuit and was utilizing the services of the Tech Rep. After the 25th the TRC-97 circuit showed improvement but still continued to experience outage due to power problems at each terminal.

The AN/MRC-62 was activated each time the TRC-97 was down. The MRC-62 experienced much interference from other VHF nets and from the Low Frequency Homer. Also a wiring problem of the MRC-62 Van at the distant end developed and remained throughout the month. This wiring problem prevented the rapid employment of the MRC-62 as an effective back-up of communication since it often required three to four hours to install the wiring system. A request for new frequencies for the MRC-62 initially requested on 14 Feb, was not filled. The MRC-62 on Hill 819 was also unsatisfactory due to generator failures. Communication resupply support (batteries, antennas, spare parts, handsets, remotes, etc) was provided to all attached and supporting units as requested and within our capabilities.

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b. Message Center. Message Center personnel maintained a courier service from the 9th Marines rear at QUANG TRI to 9th Marines forward at VCB. Traffic received at VCB message center from both the rear and TF HOTEL was promptly processed and delivered to S-1 for further distribution. At the beginning of February, the TF HOTEL Communication Center suggested installing a teletype circuit between themselves and 9th Marines communication center. A circuit was installed but due to lack of back-up equipment and power fluctuations we were not able to maintain the circuit. On the 20th of February, TF HOTEL suggested installing a circuit from VCB to the 9th Marines jump CP at FSB CUNNINGHAM. This did not come about due to lack of equipment and unreliable circuits. The total incoming messages received were 1,488. The total outgoing messages were 116. On the 9th Marines COG to 3d Marine Division COG circuit we had 8 messages received and 0 sent. 9th Marines communication center total traffic handled for the month of February was 1,604. This is an increase of 444 messages over the month of January 1969.

c. Wire

(1) The Wire Section at VCB minus two wire teams, maintained satisfactory communication during the month of February. At the beginning of February the VCB wire section completed the rewiring of the 9th Marines CP, laying 6 major cables to different strategic locations for better control and maintenance of the 9th Marines wire system. Also installed at the communication bunker was a main frame where every wire belonging to 9th Marines is strapped through for easier troubleshooting.

(2) Communication on the cable to Signal Hill, which contains the radio remote lines for 9th Marines has been outstanding. Some trouble was encountered with TF HOTEL wire section on the maintenance and trouble shooting of lines. Communication with the 2/9 and 3/9 switchboards was down several times due to line failure on TF HOTEL cables. VCB wire section has had very little trouble with wire lines under our wire system. Troubleshooting was kept to the minimum inside the 9th Marines CP.

(3) The wire team in 9th Marines rear at QUANG TRI maintained satisfactory communication during the month of February. The rear wire team received 140 miles of communication wire on RL-159's. Wire communication between the Rear, QUANG TRI, and VCB has remained satisfactory with the usual amount of radio relay troubles and shut downs.

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UNCLASSIFIED ENCLOSURE (1)

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Upon arrival on FSB RAZOR, wire communication was set up for all local subscribers. No land lines were available to the rear areas. Communication was up loud and clear on all locals.

(4) Upon completion of FSB CUNNINGHAM, the advance party set up two 5 procables; the purpose: communication to the rear areas by means of radio relay (TRC-97 and MRC-62)

On the arrival of the CP from FSB RAZOR, hotlines and remote lines were installed before switchboard subscribers. On the completion of hot lines and remotes all locals were installed and a 24 hour switchboard watch was activated. After all local and hot lines were installed, alternate cables were laid to the TRC-97 and MRC-62 vans. Individual alternate lines were also installed for local subscribers. Communication during the operation was up loud and clear with all locals.

(5) Expenditure of wire was tallied at six miles with two RL-159's not used. Preventive maintenance was carried out weekly. Faulty gear was rotated to the rear section and replaced as soon as possible. Two SB-22s were stacked and contained locals.

d. Radio

Radio communication was maintained with the organic battalions and TF HOTEL, from two jump CPs. The radio section utilized 100% of its men and equipment in an effort to keep reliable plain and cipher voice communication between the battalions and VCB.

From FSB RAZOR communications were maintained on Regimental Tac 1, Division Tac 2A, and HF Administrative Net. All units had plain and cipher communication with the regimental CP. There was a frequency override problem between Regimental Tac 1 and the Regimental Air Net. This was due to antenna location in the CP area and was corrected by movement of antennas.

On 3 February, the Regimental CP advance party left FSB RAZOR for FSB CUNNINGHAM. Communications were maintained with the CP until the arrival of the Alfa Command Group.

Communication with the battalions was loud and clear in both plain and cipher. Communications with VCB were poor during the daytime but gained during the hours of darkness. There was negative communication with TF HOTEL for a period of five days, due to the fact that TF HOTEL had no antennas on Signal Hill.

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There was no direct communication with 3d Marine Division due to distance and terrain. An MRC-110 was brought to FSB CUNNINGHAM to insure secure voice communication with the VCB area. A MRC-110 to give Regimental Air better communications was found to be defective mechanically and electronically. Two new nets were added to facilitate the handling of logistics. These were a Regimental Logistics or Administrative Net, which provided communication with VCB, and a Battalion Logistics Net which provided communication to the battalions.

e. Radio Relay

The organic radio relay section was dormant during the month of February, with no shots planned or installed. A PM schedule was followed to insure the operational efficiency of the AN/TRC-27 equipment. Four new RT-252s were received by the section during the month as replacements for combat losses and X-coded sets. An AN/TRC-97 and AN/MRC-62 had been emplaced prior to the arrival of the CP at FSB CUNNINGHAM. The performance of the TRC-97 was unsatisfactory. From the 11th to the 25th the communications was of a very poor quality. The location of the van with respect to the artillery batteries and the LZ may have contributed to this problem. Poor technical assistance from TF HOTEL was also a problem. The TRC-97 remains in operation with fair communication to the rear at the end of the month. The AN/MRC-62 has had fair communication with TF HOTEL. The MRC-62 was used as back-up for the TRC-97. Poor planning was apparent on the TF HOTEL end when the MRC-62 was first activated. No wire lines were laid to the MRC-62 van on Signal Hill. TF HOTEL wire lines were a continuing problem. The MRC-62 experienced a serious override from a low frequency honing device set up near it's position and had an override from various units in the area. The MRC-62 on Hill 819 was not utilized due to generator problems.

16. Regimental Scout Snipers

a. During the month of February the Scout Snipers were utilized by the 9th Marines organic battalions. A total of 12 teams were employed resulting in 13 NVA KIA (C), and 2 NVA KIA (P).

b. The remainder of the platoon was utilized for CP Security while the 9th Marines Headquarters controlled operations from FSB CUNNINGHAM throughout the month. Three teams were employed at night utilizing Infra-Red, and Starlight scopes accounting for 2 of the kills.

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ENCLOSURE (1)
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FROM: NINTH MAR

27FEB69/1000Z/FPB/CCN:2166

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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INFO: 1ST BN, 9TH MAR
 2ND BN, 9TH MAR
 3RD BN, 9TH MAR
 2ND BN, 3RD MAR

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1. IAW REF A, THE FOLLOWING INFO IS SUBMITTED EFFECTIVE
 202400H FEB 69.

UNIT	STATION	STRENGTH
9TH MAR (REIN)	VCB	20/201
1ST BN, 9TH MAR	QTCB-VCB	37/1169
2ND BN, 9TH MAR	QTCB-VCB	41/1159
3RD BN, 9TH MAR	QTCB-VCB	38/1178
2ND BN, 3RD MAR (MINUS)	VCB	20/368
CO C, 3RD SP BN	VCB	C/10
CO C, 3RD ENGR BN	VCB	3/63
DET D/2/12	VCB	5/11
DET F/2/12	VCB	9/28
SCOUT DOG HANDLERS	VCB	0/4
TACP DET, MAG-39	VCB	2/0
G-5 (INTERPRETER)	VCB	0/3
G-5 (KIT CARSON SCOUT)	VCB	C/9

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FROM: NINTH MAR

3 FEB 69 0750Z/TEM/CON:156

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 35 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 312400H-010600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

G/2/9 YD 111121

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. B/1/9 LIFTS FROM FSB CATES & HILL 691 TO VCB.

C/1/9 PLT LIFTS FROM HILL 950 TO VCB.

C/D/CP/1/9 LIFTS FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE (YD 164107).

9TH MARINES CP(B) LIFTS FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB CUNNINGHAM (YD 184136). ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS DURING DAY ACTS.

A/1/9 LIFTS FROM FSB SHILOH TO FSB CUNNINGHAM.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 4 WIAE 11 WIANE 5-

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 55 DETAINÉES: TOTAL 6

C. IWC 11 CSWC 2

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061915H

FROM: NINTH MAR

6FEB69 1015Z/FEB/CON:363

TO: CG, TP HOTEL

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SITREP 36 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 010600H-011200H FEB 691. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP, C/1/9 VCB

A/1/9 FSB SHILON

CP, E/2/9 LZ DALLAS

E/2/9 PLT YD 099160

E/2/9 PLT YD 101142

F/2/9 YD 097126

G/2/9 YD 111121

G/2/9 PLT YD 104119

H/2/9 FSB RAZOR

H/2/9 PLT YD 124164

CP, L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM

I/3/9 YD 164136

K/3/9 YD 201156

M/3/9 YD 190163

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. AT 1020H, C-1/9 CHOPPED OPCON FROM TP HOTEL TO 9TH MAR, AND CHOPPED TO 1/9 SAME DTG.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 4 WIAE 11 WIANE 5

B. ENEMY: KIA 55 DETAINEES: TOTAL 6

C. IWCH CSWC 2

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AT 061915H

FROM: NINTH MAR 6 FEB 69 1015Z/TEM/CCN:364

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP BR 37 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 011200H-011800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

9TH MARS CP YD 143186

CP/C-/1/9 VCB

A/1/9 YD 107267

CP/E-/2/9 YD 104146

E/2/9 PLT YD 107124

F/2/9 YD 164123

G/2/9 YD 103117

H/2/9 YD 143186

H/2/9 PLT YD 126165

CP/L/3/9 YD 184136

I-/3/9 YD 170136

I/3/9 PLT YD 174136

K/3/9 YD 191156

M-/3/9 YD 190163

M/3/9 PLT YD 194168

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1252H, G/2/9 VIC YD 105116 HAD 4-5 NVA OPEN UP ON THEM WITH A CLAYMORE, AND LIGHT A/W FIRE AND ALSO S/A FIRE. G/2/9 RETURNED FIRE, AND IS SEARCHING AR 'A'. RESULTS: 1 PR WIANE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1104H, F/2/9 VIC YD 143134 FOUND 4 STRAND COMM WIRE. WAS RUNNING IN 230 DEG/50 DEG DIRECTION, ON POLES 50 METERS APART. DID NOT DESTROY.

B. AT 1115H, L/3/9 VIC YD 183116 OBSERVED 6 NVA IN OPEN: FIRED S/A FIRE, 1 NVA RETURNED S/A FIRE. ENEMY 300 METERS AWAY. REINFORCED SQUAD WITH REST OF PLATOON, CALLED IN 81MM & ARTY.

C. AT 1130H, K/3/9 VIC YD 195132 FOUND 1 SHELTER WITH 2 ROOMS, POSSIBLE MEETING PLACE, 1 US CAL CARBINE, 1 LUGER PISTOL, ASSORTED SMALL ARM RDS, AND MILITARY GEAR, VARIOUS CLOTHING, DOCUMENTS. ALL INTELLIGENCE GEAR TO BE FORWARDED. ADD 2 INC.

D. AT 1245H, K/3/9 VIC YD 202145 FOUND 5 SHELTERS, MISC MILITARY GEAR, 200 LBS OF RICE, 100 LBS OF CREAM, 100 LBS OF POTATOES, MISC HOUSEHOLD GEAR. ALL DESTROYED.

E. AT 1130H, K/3/9 VIC YD 195132 FOUND 138 PERSONAL LETTERS (OPENED & UNOPENED), 1 RIFLE (MAS-1936), 1 NEW FUEL LINE FILTER (US) 68-18550-REV-B, 3 TUBEX CARTRIDGES WITH 19 GA NEEDLES, 14,000 UNITS OF PENCILLIN. ALL INTELL ITEMS TO BE FORWARDED. ADD 1 INC.

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✓ F. AT 1440H, M/3/9 VIC YD 191180 FOUND 1 MILITARY RADIO (TYPE UNKNOWN), 2 GENERATORS (SIZE & TYPE UNKNOWN), 150 82MM RDS. BLOWING ROUNDS.

✓ G. AT 1455H, H/2/9 VIC YD 125157 FOUND 9 GRAVES, 1 NVA PER GRAVE, 6-8 MONTHS OLD. ADD 9 NVA KIA (C).

✓ H. AT 1302H, M/3/9 VIC YD 184194 FOUND 3 SHELTERS 9x12x30 FT, 150 LBS OF RICE, 1 CHICOM GRENADE, ASSORTED CLOTHING, 1 SKS BOLT, ASSORTED POTS AND PANS & TOOLS & MANY BROKEN BOTTLES OF MEDICINE.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 4 WIAE 11 WIANE 6

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 64 DETAINEES: TOTAL 6

C. IWC 47 CSWC 2

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FROM: NINTH MAR

6 FEB 69 1015Z/TEM/CCN:365

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 38 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 011800H-012400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/E-2/9 LZ DALLAS

H-2/9 FSB RAZOR

E/2/9 PLT YD 108123

H 2/9 PLT YD 127156

F/2/9 YD 162117

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

G/2/9 YD 108114

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

✓ A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1500H, M/3/9 VIC YD 191183 FOUND 4 SHELTERS, THREE 20x40x8 FT AND 9 BUNKERS ONE OF WHICH WAS 15x12 FT, 2 RPG BOOSTERS, 3 CERAMIC INSULATORS, MISC COOKING GEAR, 10 STICKS OF TNT, 1 NVA SWITCH BOARD & 2 INSTRUMENTS WHICH APPEAR TO BE SIGNAL MULTIPLEXERS MADE IN BUDAPEST, 100 FT. OF NVA COMM WIRE, 1001 US COMM WIRE, 5 BUREAU BANNERS, 1 1/2 T. OF...

✓ B. LATE REPORT: AT 1545H, H/2/9 PATROL VIC YD 124158 FOUND REMAINS OF BURNT OUT HOSPITAL, 3 BUNKERS 4x5x10 FT, AND 4x5x8 FT, AND 1 AK-47, 3 NVA CANTEENS, 1 US CANTEN, AND 2 EMPTY MEDICINE BOXES. ADD 1 IWC.

C. DUE TO 1 OF DETAINEES HELD AT FSB SHILOH BEING CLASSIFIED AS A POW, CHANGE DETAINEES COLUMN TO READ 6 DETAINEES TOTAL, ADD 1 POW.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRI'D ONLY: KIA 4 WIEB 12 WIANE 6

B. Enemy: KIA 64 DETAINEES: TOTAL 6 PW (NVA) 1

C. IWC 18 CSWC 2

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR	TMS	EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1		1	VCS	NEG
E/2/9	1		1	YD 104146	NEG
F/2/9	1		1	164123	NEG
G/2/9	1		1	103117	NEG
I/3/9	1		1	164136	NEG

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FROM: NINTH MAR

6 FEB 69 1015Z/TEM/CCN:366

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 39 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 012400H-020600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
 - A. A COMMAND, 9TH MAR LIFT FROM LZ RAZOR TO LZ CUMMINGHAM, CP,C,D/1/9 LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE. CP/2/9 LIFT FROM LZ RAZOR TO LZ ERSKINE.
 - B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 1 WIAE 11 WIANE 6
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 64 DETAINEES: TOTAL 6 PW (NVA) 1
 - C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

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061915H

FROM: NINTH MAR

6FEB69 1015Z/TEM/CCN:367

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 40 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 020600H-021200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0845H, L/3/9 VIC YD 198123 FOUND LARGE NVA ENCAMPMENT CONTAINING APPROX 25 BUNKERS 4x4x8' AND 25 LEAN-TO SHELTERS. AREA APPEARS NOT TO HAVE BEEN OCCUPIED FOR 1 YR. BUNKERS AND SHELTERS DESTROYED.

B. AT 1130H, R/3/9 VIC YD 197123 FOUND SHELTER 15x30' WITH BUNKER 4x4x8' INSIDE. ALSO FOUND MISC MEDICAL GEAR INCLUDING 20 VILES OF PENICILLIN, 110 ROLS OF GELUZE, 2500 INODINE TABLETS, 1000 QUININE TABLETS, TAPE, COTTON AND VARIOUS VITAMINS AND DRUGS. ALSO DETAINED 1 FEMALE NURSE. ADD 1 DETAINEE. MEDICAL GEAR WILL BE RETAINED. ALSO FOUND 3 SHELTERS 10x25', AND 3 BUNKERS CONTAINING ASSORTED DOCUMENTS, 4 AK MAGS AND COOKING GEAR.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 4 WIA 11 WIANE 6

B. ENEMY: KIA 61 DETAINEES: TOTAL 7 PW (NVA) 1

C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

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SITREP NR 41 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 021200H-021800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C-1/9 VCB	CP/1/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM
A/1/9 FSB SHILOH	I-3/9 YD 164136
CP/E-2/9 LZ DALLAS	I/3/9 PLT YD 164134
E/2/9 PLT YD 108125	K-3/9 YD 201156
F/2/9 YD 163108	K-3/9 PLT YD 203142
G/2/9 YD 109116	M-3/9 YD 190163
H/2/9 LZ RAZOR	M/3/9 PLT YD 194168

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

✓ A. LATE REPORT: AT 011115H, L/3/9 VIC YD 183116 AFTER CONTACT HAD 1 FR WIA. 1 FR WIA. TO CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1400H, K/3/9 VIC YD 205137 FOUND 1 VERY RUSTY 82MM MORTAR BIPOD LEANING AGAINST TREE.

✓ B. AT 1525H, CP/3/9 AT FSB CUNNINGHAM RECEIVED 2 RDS OF INCOMING. SHORTLY THEREAFTER REPEATED RDS KEPT COMING TO ESTIMATED 30-35 RDS. ALSO HIT IN VIC OF K/3/9 & I/3/9. ARTY ESTIMATED TO BE 75 PACK HOWITZER, SHOOTING FROM YD 143075 (SMOKE OBSERVED). FIRED SUPPRESSIVE FIRES AT 1605H, LOUD SECONDARY OBSERVED AT YD 143075. ADD 4 KIA, 5 WIA FRIENDLY (ARTY).

✓ C. AT 1430H, H/2/9 VIC YD 125153 FOUND 16 GRAVES, ALL OLD, SEVERAL PIECES OF INTEL. MATTER, A MAP OF UPPER QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH WRITING ON IT, PIECES OF PAPER ON PERSONAL HYGIENE, LIST OF PEOPLE KILLED AND UNITS, SCRAPS OF PAPER DEALING WITH PROMOTIONS AND WITH 86TH FIELD HOSPITAL. ADD 16 KIA(C).

D. AT 1500H, F/2/9 VIC YD 164108 SPOTTED ENEMY MORTAR FIRE FROM YD 193111. called in arty.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8	WIA 16	WIA 7
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 80	DETAINÉES: TOTAL 7	PW(NVA) 1
C. IWC 48	CSWC 2	

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AT 061914H

FROM: NINTH MAR 6FEB69 1015Z/TEM/CCN;309

TO: CG, TP HOTEL
BTCONFIDENTIAL: PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP 42 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 021800H-022400H FEB 691. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE
CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:A. AT 1508H, K/3/9 VIC YD 207136 FOUND 1 NVA PACK LYING
ON TRAIL, CONTAINED 2 CHICOM GREN, 100 7.62 RDS, BAG OF RICE,
ASSORTED PERSONAL GEAR. APPEARED PERSON WAS PREPARING FOOD
SHORTLY BEFORE. ALL GEAR DESTROYED.✓B. AT 1600H, I/3/9 VIC YD 172128 FOUND 4 SHELTERS, 4
BUNKERS, 2200 LBS OF RICE, ASSORTED CLOTHING, S/A ROUNDS,
EXPLOSIBES, 1 NVA OFFICER'S UNIFORM, 1 UMBRELLA. CLOTHING AND
UMBRELLA RETURNED, RICE TO BE EVACED TOMMOROW.✓C. IN REFERENCE TO SITREP 40 PARA 4B, K/3/9 VIC YD 197123
PICKED UP 1 ADD MALE. ADD 1 DETAINEE. NURSE PICKED UP IS
CARRIED AS POW INSTEAD OF DETAINEE.5. PLANS:A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE
CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

B. D-9, F-3, J-8, U-5, CC-3.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAF 16 WIANE 7

B. ENEMY: KIA 80 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2

IWC 48 CSWC 2

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS	EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1	1		VGB	NEG
E/2/9	1	1		YD 104146	NEG
F/2/9	1	1		YD 163108	NEG
G/2/9	1	1		YD 109116	NEG
I/3/9	1	1		YD 164136	NEG

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P.C. Thomas
061914H

FROM: NINTH MAR

6FEB69 1015Z/TEM/CON;370

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 43 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 022400H-030600H FEB 691. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:A. EFFECTIVE 021900H, 4TH MARINES PASSED OPCON OF D/1/9 TO TFH. OPCON PASSED TO 9TH MARINES AND TO 1/9 SAME DTG.
B. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. A COMMAND, 9TH MAR TO LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB CUNNINGHAM VIC YD 184136. B/1/9 TO LIFT FROM FSB CATES AND HILL 691 TO VCB. C/1/9 PLT TO LIFT FROM HILL 950 TO VCB. 1/9(-) TO LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE YD 163108. CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM VIC YD 104146 TO FSB ERSKINE. B COMMAND, 9TH MAR TO LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB CUNNINGHAM. A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM FSB SHILOH TO FSB ERSKINE.

B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 16 WIANE 7

B. ENEMY: KIA 80 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2

C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

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RELEASED BY:M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 071445

Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

7 FEB 69 1450Z/ELA/CCN-457

A/R G-3

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

AT 072330

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SITREP NR 44 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 030600H-031200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C-7/D/1/9 VCB
 A/1/9 FSB SHILOH
 CP/E/2/9 FSB DALLAS
 F-/2/9 YD 164106
 P-/2/9 PLT YD 160110
 G-/2/9 YD 109114
 G/2/9 PLT YD 107109

H-/2/9 FSB RAZOR
 H/2/9 PLT YD 130165
 CP/L/3/9 YD 164136
 I/3/9 YD 164136
 K/3/9 YD 201156
 K/3/9 PLT YD 203142
 M-/3/9 YD 187149
 M/3/9 PLT YD 190163

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0815H, AN AO WITH CALL SIGN "BARKY" REPORTED VIC YD 209034, 3 VEHICLES REPORTED MOVING EAST TO WEST. AO "COLORADO ROMEO", ALSO DESCRIBED VEHICLES MOVING EAST TO WEST, LEAD VEHICLE AS 2½ TON TRUCK, AND SECOND AND THIRD AS LARGE HALF TRACK TRUCKS, ALL CARRYING BOXES A CARGO. FIXED WING WAS RUN. 6 KIA. ONE 2½ TON TRUCK DESTROYED, ONE HALF TRACK DESTROYED, ONE HALF TRACK DAMAGED. ADD 6 NVA KIA.

B. LATE ENTRY: 021455H, 2/12 SHOT MISSION VIC YD 240134 FOR ARVNS AT NVA IN OPEN. 2 NVA KIA, NOT TO BE COUNTED ON TOTALS OF THIS OPERATION.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. IN REF TO SITREP 42, PARA 4C, ADD 1 PW DUE TO CLASSIFICATION OF DETAINEE AS A PW. ADD 1 PW (NVA). TOTAL REMAINS SAME (8).

B. AT 0910H, K/3/9 VIC YD 209135 FOUND STAKES ABOUT 2' LONG FLATTENED ON 1 SIDE, NUMBERED 1-8. STAKES WERE DIFFERENT DISTANCES APART RANGING FROM 50 METERS TO 100 METERS APART.

C. AT 1145H, H/2/9 VIC YD 130165 FOUND 2 HUTS, 1 INCOMING BUNKER. TRAILS FROM AREA END ABRUPTLY, COOKING WAS DONE THIS AM. FOUND 5 82mm FUSES AND 1 RUSTY 82mm RD.

D. AT 0450H, L/3/9 VIC YD 183124 FOUND 1 SHELTER BUILT 3' OFF GROUND IN SHELTER WAS 1000 LBS OF RICE, 20 LBS OF CORN, 15 LBS OF TOBACCO, 20 YDS OF CLOTH, 3 MACHETES.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAF 16 WIANE 7

B. ENEMY: KIA 86 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 3

C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW:jef

RELEASED BY: G.L. WIESCAMP 1/LT. *5-3*IMMEDIATE 071450 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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A/R G-3 *Q.2 R-220*

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

AT 072329

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SITREP 45 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 031200H-031800H FEB 691. UNIT LOCATIONS:

0/9 YD 142186	F PLT/2/9 YD 160110	I PLT/3/9 YD 177118
CE, C, D/1/9 VCB	G(-)/2/9 YD 109112	K(-)/3/9 YD 203142
A/1/9 YD 107269	G PLT/2/9 YD 108106	K PLT/3/9 YD 201155
CP, E(-)/2/9 YD 104146	H/2/9 YD 142186	M(-)/3/9 YD 196129
F(-)/2/9 YD 164107	CP, L, /3/9 YD 184136	M PLT/3/9 YD 190163
E PLT/2/9 YD 117126	I(-)/3/9 YD 164136	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1340H, F/2/9 VIC YD 154096 SIGHTED 3 ELEMENTS ON S SIDE OF RIVER. F/2/9 OPENED FIRE, ENEMY RETURNED FIRE AND BROKE CONTACT MOVING S. RESULTS 1 FRIENDLY WIAE. ADD 1 FR WIAE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1030H, H/2/9 VIC YD 130165 FOUND HUTS BELIEVED TO BE MESSING AREA. SMALL AMOUNT OF CORN AND FLOUR, 3 PIGS, LARGE ASSORTMENT NVA CLOTHING AND MILITARY GEAR. WILL RETURN WHAT CAN BE CARRIED OUT.

B. AT 1100H, I/3/9 VIC YD 174126 FOUND 3 SHELTERS, 2000 LBS RICE, 30 LBS OF TOBACCO, 50 LBS OF POTATOES, 1 NVA MESS KIT. DESTROYED SHELTERS.

C. AT 1220H, G/2/9 VIC YD 108103 FOUND 4 STRAND WIRE RUNNING E TO W. INSULATORS ON UPPER 2 STRANDS, RUNS DOWN CENTER OF 5' WIDE TRAIL, 12' OFF DECK. IN EXCELLENT CONDITION. WILL DESTROY WIRE.

D. AT 1630H, F/2/9 VIC YD 162108 PATROL FOUND CHICOM GREN RIGGED AS BOOBY TRAP WITH VINE USED FOR TRIP WIRE. GREN APPEARED TO BE NEW.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 17 WIANE 7

B. ENEMY: KIA 86 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 3

C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

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IMMEDIATE 071500 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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A/R G-3 071500

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 46 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 031800H-032400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. BDA FOR 03 FEB INCLUDES 5 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS IN STAG-
ING AREA VIC YD 212023. TRUCK PARK HIT VIC 209036 RESULTING IN
2 TRUCKS DESTROYED AND ONE DAMAGED AND STAGING AREA HIT VIC YD
225045 WITH NO BDA GIVEN.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS. CC-2, GG-5, D-18, E-1, J-1, W-4

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 17 WIAE 7

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 86 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 3

C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR	TMS	NR	TMS	EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1		1			VCB	N/A
E/2/9	1		1			YD 104146	N/A
F/2/9	1		1			YD 164107	N/A
G/2/9	1		1			YD 109112	N/A
I/3/9	1		1			YD 164136	N/A

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IMMEDIATE 071505 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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A/R G-3 07232TO: CG, TF HOTEL
BTAT J. O. Reed[REDACTED]: PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP 47 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 032400H-040600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
 - A. HQ 9TH MAR LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB CUNNINGHAM.
 - B. 1/9(-) TO LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE.
 - C. CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM LZ DALIAS TO LZ ERSKINE.
 - D. A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM SHILOH TO ERSKINE.
 - E. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 17 WIANE 7
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 86 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 3
 - C. IWC 48 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW:rjk

RELEASED BY: G.L. WEISCAMP 1/LT.

IMMEDIATE 061040

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AT 061913H

FROM: NINTH MAR

6FEB69 1015Z/TEM/CCN;371

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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STREP NR 48 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 040600H-041200H FEB 69**UNCLASSIFIED**1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

G/2/9 YD 108103

M/3/9 YD 198121

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

* A. AT 0700H, F/2/9 VIC YD 164107 RECEIVED S/A FIRED INCOMING CHICOM & A RIFLE GRENADE FROM ABO T 4 NVA. NEG RESULTS. CHECKED AREA FINDING 5-6 SETS OF FOOTPRINTS HEADING WEST.

✓ B. AT 0930H, G/2/9 VIC YD 108103 LEAD ELEMENTS OF UNIT MADE CONTACT WITH LEAD ELEMENTS OF ESTIMATED 20 NVA. SMALL ARMS FIRE EXCHANGED AND ARTY & 81'S CALLED IN ON AREA. AREA CHECKED AND 3 NVA BODIES FOUND ALONG WITH LARGE AMOUNT OF BLOOD. WILL CONTINUE TO CHECK AREA & CONTINUE ON MOVE. ADD 3 NVA(C).

✓ C. AT 1042H, M/3/9 VIC YD 198124 POINT OF PATROL OBSERVED 3 NVA APPROXIMATELY 100 METERS AWAY. OPENED FIRE AND CHECKED AREA FINDING ONE AK-47. ADD 1 IWC.

✓ D. AT 1120H, L/3/9 VIC YD 191124 PATROL OBSERVED 4 NVA MOVING SOUTHEAST. OPENED FIRE WITH SMALL ARMS AND ONE BELIEVED HIT. ADVISED M/3/9 ENEMY WERE MOVING TOWARD THEIR POSITION. CHECKED AREA BUT FOUND NOTHING OF SIGNIFICANCE.

✓ E. AT 1045H, G/2/9 VIC YD 102102 INITIATED CONTACT WITH AN NVA AMBUSH. NVA FIRED 1 RIFLE GRENADE & SMALL ARMS. AREA SEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS. ADD 1 USMC WIA NOVEVAC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

* A. AT 0955H, L/3/9 VIC YD 177151 PATROL FOUND ONE FRESHLY DUG BUNKER, 3 PICKS & ONE SPEAR.

B. AT 1130H, L/3/9 VIC YD 176152 FOUND 6 SHELTERS 30x10x6 FT. AND 3 BUNKERS 10x3x3 FT. ALSO FOUND 4 FRENCH RIFLES, 4 CROSS BOWS, 75 LBS OF RICE & WHEAT & 50-60 SHOVEL & PICKS HEADS. ADD 1 IWC.

* C. AT 1015H, E/2/9 VIC YD 099148 FOUND 1 HUT 12x25, 1 HUT 10x12, ONE 6x10, AND ONE 8x10 AND SIX BUNKERS. ALSO FOUND 30 LBS OF HERBS. CHECKED OUT AREA & RECEIVED 15 RDS OF AW FIRE FROM SOUTH. ALSO FOUND 250 RDS OF 7.62 AMMO (BELTED), 1 M-16 BIPOD, & ONE 30 CAL BIPOD.

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D. FEMALE NURSE BEING HELD BY THIS COMMAND, RE-CLASSIFIED AS CHIEU HOI. CHANGE PW STATUS FROM 3 TO 2.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIA 17 WANE 8

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 89 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 53 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM:rjk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 071455

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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A/R G-3 *Qn R-3*TO: CG, TF HOTEL
BTAT 072331

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SITREP NR 49 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 041200H-041800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C-D/1/9 VCB
A/1/9 FSB SHILOH
CP/E-2/9 LZ DALLAS
E/2/9 PLT YD 130125
F-2/9 YD 163105
F/2/9 PLT YD 168105
G/2/9 YD 106098
H/2/9 YD FSB RAZOR

CP/L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM
I-3/9 YD 177118
I/3/9 PLT YD 164136
K-3/9 YD 205129
K/3/9 PLT YD 201155
M-3/9 YD 197123
M/3/9 PLT YD 190163

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1340H, G/2/9 PATROL VIC YD 102100 SPOTTED 2 NVA. OPENED FIRE WITH S/A, KILLING ONE. ADD 1 NVA (C). ALSO ONE AK-47 WAS FOUND. ADD 1 IWC.B. AT 1340H, E/2/9 VIC YD 102155 SAW 6 NVA HEADING NORTH. OPENED FIRE ON ENEMY, KILLING ONE & CAPTURED ONE SKS RIFLE IN AREA. ADD 1 NVA (C) & 1 IWC.

C. AT 1600H, L/3/9 VIC YD 188124 MADE CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN SIZE NVA UNIT. RECEIVED S/A FIRE, RETURNED S/A FIRE, FIRED 60MM MORTARS. RESULTS 1 NVA KIA, 3 FR WIA (1 FROM D/2/12, 1 FR L/3/9, 1 FR H&S/3/9).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1500H, G/2/9 VIC YD 106098 REACHED THEIR OBJECTIVE.
B. AT 1530H, F/2/9 VIC YD 168104 FOUND 3 HUTS IN POOR CONDITION WITH INCOMING HOLES. FOUND 2 CROSSEBOWS, 1 CHINESE 30 CAL RIFLE, ASSORTED HOUSEHOLD GEAR. ADD 1 IWC.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 20 MIANE 8
B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 92 DETAINEES: TOTAL 6 PW (NVA) 2
C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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IMMEDIATE 130151

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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 SITREP-50 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 041800H-042400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

E-/2/9 LZ DALLAS F/2/9 PLT YD 162105
 E/2/9 PLT YD 111126 ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE
 F-/2/9 YD 163108

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1700H, G/2/9 VIC YD 107099 FOUND AND DEST'D 200
 TO300 MTRS OF COMM WIRE.

B. AT 1600H, F/2/9 VIC YD 166103 FOUND 6 FRAME BUILDINGS
 IN PROCESS OF BEING BUILT, FLOOR SIZE 30x12', BUNKERS &
 FIGHTING HOLES BESIDE RIVER, 2 COOKING AREAS THAT COULD HOLD
 150 MEN. BUILDINGS & BUNKERS DEST'D.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 NIGHT ACTS.

B. C-4, D-18, J-9, U-9, CC-5.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 20 WIANE 8

B. ENEMY: KIA 92 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2

C. IWC 56 CSVC 2

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 51 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 042400H-050600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
 - A. HQ 9TH MAR TO LIFT FROM RAZOR TO CUNNINGHAM.
1/9(-) TO LIFT FROM VCB TO ERSKINE.
CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM SHILOH TO ERSKINE.
A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM SHILOH TO ERSKINE.
 - B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 20 WIANE 8
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 92 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
 - C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MMM:jef

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 13049 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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 SITREP 52 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 050600H-051200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C-D/1/9 VCB	G/2/9 YD 106102
A/1/9 FSB SHILOH	H/2/9 FSB RAZOR
CP/E-2/9	CP/L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM
E/2/9 PLT YD 110127	I/3/9 YD 175127
F-2/9 YD 163107	K/3/9 YD 205129
F/2/9 PLT YD 158107	M/3/9 YD 197123

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1000H, M/3/9 VIC YD 202115 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM NVA. RETURNED S/A FIRE, INDIVIDUAL LEFT AREA. FOUND 2 AK-47 MAGS, 2 CHICOM GRENS, ASSORTED MILITARY GEAR.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 041640H, A/1/9 VIC YD 118286 FIRED AN ARTY MSN AND OBS 2 SMALL SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, ESTIMATED TO BE SMALL ARMS CACHES.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 8 WIAE 20 WIANE 8
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 11 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2
 C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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RELEASED BY: G.L. WIESCAMP 1/LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

TO: CG, IF HOTEL

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SITREP 53) OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 051200H-051800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

9TH MAR CP, H-2/9 YD 142186	H/2/9 SQD YD 143177
CP, C-1/9 VCB	CP, I, L/3/9 YD 184136
A/1/9 YD 107269	K-3/9 YD 206130
CP, E-2/9 YD 104146	K/3/9 YD 190164
E/2/9 FLT YD 117127	M-3/9 YD 197123
F/2/9 YD 162107	M/3/9 PLT YD 190164
G/2/9 YD 104102	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1400H, G/2/9 VIC YD 104100 LEAD ELEMENTS MADE CONTACT THEN STARTED TO RECEIVE EN FIRE FROM RIGHT & LEFT FRONT FROM EST 15-20 NVA. EN WERE CONCEALED & DUG IN. EN HAS WITHDRAWN INTO WELL CONSTRUCTED SUPPLEMENTARY POS. ADD 5 FR KIA, 17 FR WIA, 2 EN KIA.

B. AT 1315H, E/2/9 SQD SIZE PATROL VIC YD 107127 MADE CONTACT WITH 5 NVA MOVING EAST. E/2/9 TRYING TO REGAIN CONTACT. 1 FR KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1145H, M/3/9 VIC YD 205115 FOUND 2 INCOMING HOLES, 2 82mm MORT PITS, 5 57mm RR RD CANNISTERS, 1 57mm RR PIT, 3 57mm RD CASINGS, 1 EMPTY GREEN CAN, 1 AMING STAKE ORIENTED TOWARDS CP/3/9 POS, ALL 2 DAYS OLD, 4 FRESH FOOTPRINTS HEADING SOUTHWEST.

B. AT 1300, L/3/9 VIC YD 185107 FOUND 4 SHELTERS, 30 HAND TOOLS, 4 CROSS BOWS, 40 LBS OF RICE, 25 LBS OF CORN, 1 M-16 MAG.

C. AT 1515H, K/3/9 VIC YD 221135 PATROL FOUND A TRAIL RUNNING EAST TO NORTHEAST TOWARD HIGH GROUND VIC YD 226136. TRAIL WAS APPROX 4 M WIDE AND SPOTTED WITH ELEPHANT TRACKS. TRAIL CHECKED OUT WITH NEG FURTHER RESULTS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 37 WIANE 8B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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FROM: NINTH MAR

13FEB69 0200Z/ELA/CCN-810

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP 54 OF DEWEY CANAYON FROM 051800H-052400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
A. PARA 3B OF SITREP 53 SHOULD INCLUDE 2 WIAE SUSTAINED IN E/2/9 CONTACT. ADD 2 WIAE TO TOTALS.
5. PLANS:
A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
B. D-19, J-2, U-5, W-3, GG-3.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 39 WIANE 8
B. ENEMY: KIA 04 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
C. IWC 56 CSWC 2
7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1	1	VGB	NEG
E/2/9	1	1	YD 104146	NEG
F/2/9	1	1	162107	NEG
G/2/9	1	1	104102	NEG
I/3/9	1	1	184136	NEG

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM:rjk

RELEASED BY: N.B. WINTER 2/ET.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

11FEB69 1350Z/TEA/CCN:680

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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 SITREP 55 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 052400Z-060600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:
 G/2/9 YD 109102 ALL OTHER NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
 A. HQ 9TH MAR TO LIFT FROM MAZOR TO CUNNINGHAM.
 CP, C-D/1/9 TO LIFT FROM VCB TO HASKINE.
 A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM SAULON TO HASKINE.
 CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM DALLAS TO HASKINE.
 B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN A DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 39 WIAE 8
 B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
 C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW:rjk

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FROM: NINTH MAR

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 56 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 060600H-061200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 39 WIANE 8

B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2

C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MEM:dlh

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 100304 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

10FEB69 0308Z/ELA/CON-626

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 57 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 061200H-061800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP, C-/1/9 VCB	G/2/9 YD 108110
A/1/9 FSB SHILOH	G/2/9 LZ RAZOR
CP, E-/2/9 LZ DALLAS	CP, L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM
E PLT YD 111126	I, M/3/9 YD 183140
E PLT YD 108115	K-/3/9 YD 185134
F/2/9 YD 164106	K PLT, M PLT/3/9 YD 188152
F PLT YD 167105	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

- A. AT 1630H, D/1/9 WAS CHOPPED OPCON TO TFH AND IN TURN CHOPPED TO 4TH MAR.
- B. NEW LZ NAMED AT 202130H LZ SALEM.
- C. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

- A. AT 1600H, E/2/9 VIC YD 107138 HAD A CHICOM GREN RIGGED AS A BOOBY TRAP GO OFF, SLIGHTLY WOUNDING 1 ELEMENT WITH FRAGMENTS. ADD 1 PR WIANE.

5. PLANS:

- A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

- A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 39 WIANE 9
- B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DEATHLINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
- C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM:jef

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

13FEB69 0200Z/ELA/CCN-811

TO: CG, HOTEL
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SITREP 58 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 061800H-062400H FEB 69

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1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

E/2/9 PLT YD 108132

F/2/9 YD 163108

E/2/9 PLT YD 108115

ALL OTHERS NO CHANGE

G/2/9 YD 108115

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 39 WIAE 9

B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2

C. INC 56 CSWC 2

7. SCOUT SNIPERS REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	EN	BMS	EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1			1	VCH	NEG
E/2/9	1			1	YD 104146	NEG
F/2/9	1			1	164106	NEG
G/2/9	1			1	108112	NEG
I/3/9	1			1	183140	NEG

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW:jef

RELEASED BY: G.L. WIESCAMP 1/LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

10FEB69 0309Z/ELA/CGN-627

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SIDESEP 59 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 062400H-070600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEFYD POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
- PLANS:
 - A. 9TH MAR CP TO LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB CUNNINGHAM. CP/1/9 TO LIFT FROM DALLAS TO ERSKINE. A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM FSB SHILOH TO FSB ERSKINE.
 - B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 1L WIAE 39 WIANE 9
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 9L DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
 - C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 130143 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR:

13FEB69 0200Z/ELA/CCN-812

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP 60 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 070600H-071200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP, C-7/1/9 VCB	F/2/9 YD 163108	K/3/9 YD 185134
A/1/9 FSB SHILOH	F/2/9 FLT YD 158109	
CP, E-2/9 LZ DALLAS	M-3/9 FSB RAZOR	
E/2/9 FLT YD 108132	CP/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM	
E/2/9 FLT YD 108115	L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM	
G/2/9 YD 108115	I, M/3/9 YD 183140	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0940H, E/2/9 VIC YD 108132 INITIATED CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED 3 NVA. EN FLED, 1 FR TRIGGERED BOOBY TRAP. ADD 1 FR WIAE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0945H, K/3/9 VIC YD 188123 FOUND 5 BUNKERS 4x6x3', 3 BUNKERS 2x2', 3 BUNKERS 3x3', 2 UNFINISHED SHELTERS 20x20', 2 FISHNETS, 2 SHIRTS, 1 EMPTY 60mm BOX U.S., 2 BOTTLES OF UNK MEDICINE. ALL GEAR DEST.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 40 WIANE 9
B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM:rjk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT

IMMEDIATE 111450 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

11FEB69 1350Z/TEM/CCN:679

TO: CG, TF HO TEL

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 SITREP 61 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 071200H-071800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

9TH MAR CP YD 142186 F-/2/9 YD 163108 I, M/3/9 YD 183140
 CP, C-/1/9 VCB F/2/9 PLT YD 160110 K/3/9 YD 185131
 A/1/9 YD 107146 G/2/9 YD 108122
 CP, E-/2/9 YD 104146 G/2/9 YD 142186
 E/2/9 PLTS YD 108122 CP, L/3/9 YD 184136

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1145H, K/3/9 VIC YD 194123 FOUND 3 BUNKERS, 6x4",
 1 SHELTER 10x20', 2 CULTIVATED AREAS, INSC MILITARY GEAR.
 DEST BUNKERS, SHELTERS, AND GEAR.

B. AT 1345H, K/3/9 VIC YD 185118 FOUND SEVERAL PARTS OF
 SUSPECTED DOWNED AIR CRAFT. DURING SEARCH RECEIVED SEVERAL
 RDS OF AK-47 FIRE FROM ABOUT 150M, NORTHWEST. NEG RESULTS.

C. AT 1530H, E/2/9 VIC YD 107125 WHILE SETTING UP AN
 AMBUSH HAD 1 PERSON TRIP A CHICOM GREN LEGGED AS A BOOBY
 TRAP. RESULTS: 1 WIAE & 1 WIANE.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 41 WIANE 20

B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 1 PW (NVA) 2

C. IWC 56 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW:rjk

RELEASED BY: G.L. WIESCAMP 1/LT.

IMMEDIATE 100308 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

10FEB69 0510Z/ELA/CCN-628

TO: CG, TP HOTEL
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SITREP 62 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 071800H-072400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. AT 2100H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 REPORTED RECEIVING APPROX 5 82mm MORTAR RDS AND 3 ARTY RDS. NEG CASUALTIES. ARTY MISSIONS FIRED ON SUSPECTED ARTY AND MORTAR SITES WITH UNK RESULTS.
5. PLANS:
 - A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 41 WIANE 10
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
 - C. IWC 56 CSWC 2
7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1	1	VCB	NEG
E/2/9	1	1	YD 104146	NEG
F/2/9	1	1	YD 163108	NEG
G/2/9	1	1	YD 108122	NEG
I/3/9	1	1	YD 183140	NEG

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM:rjk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 100310 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP 63 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 072400H-080600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP, E-12/9 LZ DALLAS G/2/9 YD 11121
E/2/9 PLT YD 109132 H/2/9 LZ RAZOR
F/2/9 YD 163107 ALL OTHERS NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. A COMMAND 9TH MAR TO LIFT FROM RAZOR TO CUNNINGHAM.
CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM DALLAS TO ERSKINE. A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM SHILOH TO
ERSKINE.

B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY
ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 41 WIANE 10
B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2
C. IWC 56 GSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW:jef

RELEASED BY: G.L. WIRSCAMP 1/LP

IMMEDIATE 111455 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

11FEB69 1250Z/TEM/CCN:673

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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 SITREP 64 GP DEWEY CANYON FROM 080600H-081200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1030H, A/1/9 VIC YD 100267 FOUND DOD 500 LB BOMB, WAS BLOWN BY ENGR.

B. AT 1100H, L/3/9 VIC YD 169139 FOUND 2 SHELTERS, 15X20' AND 10X15'; 50-75 LBS OF RICE, 50 BASKETS & MISC CLOTHING & COOKING GEAR, ALSO 20 CHICKENS & 1 CHICOM RIFLE. ADD 1 IWC.

C. AT 1100H, E/2/9 VIC YD 101114 SEARCHED ABANDONED HUTS FINDING 3 RPG BOOSTERS, SMALL AMOUNT OF MEDICINE & 2 RESISTERS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 MAE 43 WIANE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA 91 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW (NVA) 2

C. IWC 56 CSVC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM:pjk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 11 1500 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP 65 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 081200H-081800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
A. AT 1330H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 REPORTED APPROX 3 RDS OF 82MM MORTAR COMING FROM A SOUTHERN DIRECTION. ARTY MSN BEING FIRED.
B. AT 1600H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 RECEIVED 6 RDS OF ARTY BELIEVED TO BE 122MM. EN GRID YD 143077. FIRED ARTY MSN ON AREA. FR CASUALTIES WERE 2 WIAE FROM 2/12. ADD 2 WIAE.
5. PLANS:
A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 13 WIAE 10
B. ENEMY: KIA 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 6 PW (NVA) 2
C. IWC 36 USMC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/GAM:rjk

RELEASED BY: G.A. MILLER 2/LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

11 FEB 69 0416Z/ELA/CCN-653

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 66 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 081800H-082400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 VCB	H/2/9 YD 142186
A/1/9 FSB SHILOH	CP/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM
C-/1/9 VCB	I/3/9 YD 183140
CP/E/2/9 LZ DALLAS	K/3/9 YD 185134
F-/2/9 YD 164107	L/3/9 YD 184136
F/2/9 PLT YD 156105	M/3/9 YD 183140
G/2/9 YD 104146	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ADD 5 WIAE TO CUM LOSSES.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 081915H VIC YD 184136 3/9 RECEIVED 3 RDS OF 122MM ARTY FROM YD 143077, 2 RDS HIT POS. 1 RD WENT OVER POS. FIRED ARTY ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION. RESULTS WERE 155MM SITE DAMAGED & 5 WIAE'S FROM 2/12.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 48 WIAE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 57 CSWC 2

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1	1	VCB	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 104146	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 163108	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 108122	N/A
I/3/9	1	1	YD 183140	N/A

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DRAFTER: 3W/BWR:rjk

RELEASED BY: B.W. RAY 1/LT.

IMMEDIATE 11442 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

11 FEB 69 0415Z/ELA/CON-654

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 67 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 082100H-090600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. 9TH MARS CP TO LIFT TO FSB CUNNINGHAM.

B. A/1/9 TO LIFT FROM SHILOH TO ERSKINE.

C. CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM DALLAS TO ERSKINE.

D. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 14 WIAE 48 WIANE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 94 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 57 CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM: jk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/1T.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

11FEB69 0415Z/ELA/CCN-655

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 68 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 090600H-091200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C-1/9 VCB

H/2/9 FSB RAZOR

A/1/9 FSB SHILOH

CP/L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM

CP/E/G/2/9 LZ DALLAS

I/M/3/9 YD 183140

F/2/9 YD 161107

K/3/9 YD 185134

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0915H, F/2/9 VIC YD 163100 WAS ON CO(-) PATROL, POINT AMBUSHED BY 5-6 NVA F/2/9 RETURNED S/A FIRE, PUSHED THROUGH AMBUSHED. NVA FLED SW. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIAE.

B. AT 1010H, K/3/9 VIC YD 187124 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 2-3 NVA. K/3/9 RETURNED S/A FIRE, CONTINUED MISSION WITH NEG RESULTS. LATER WHILE CHECKING OUT AREA, NVA FIRED ON REAR ELEMENTS, S/A FIRE RETURNED, 60MM CALLED IN. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA, 1 FR WIA, 1 NVA KIA (C12 1 IWC(AK-47), ALSO 2 AK-47 MAGS, 2 CHICOM GRENADES CAPTURED.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0720H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 RECEIVED 4 RDS OF 122MM ARTY. AN ARTY MISSION WAS FIRED. NEG CASUALTIES.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 15 WIAE 50 WIAE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 95 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 58 CSWC 2

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 69 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 091200H-091800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

0/9 184136
1/9 CP, C(-) VEB
2/9 CP, G 104141
2/9/E 109132
2/9/F- 163100
2/9F PLT 156105

2/9/H 142186
3/9/CP, L 184136
3/9/I 183140
3/9/K 185134
3/9/M 183140

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. BOUNDARY CHANGE WENT INTO EFFECT AT 091700H IN S.W. PORTION OF 3/9 AO, GIVING IT TO 1/9 FOR USE AS BN. STAGING AREA.
B. EFFECTIVE 091715H 9TH MARINES ASSUMED OPCON OF 1/9 C PLT FROM TFH AND PASSED OPCON TO 1/9 SAME DTG.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1155H F/2/9 VIC 161100 MADE CONTACT WITH 4-5 NVA THAT MOVED SW. CONTACT BROKEN, F/2 /9 PURSING. RESULTS: ADD 2 NVA KIA(C) 1 FRIENDLY WIA(E). (1 GREASE GUN)

B. AT 1510H K/3/9 VIC 191120 SITED 1 NVA ON TRAIL. FIRED S/A FIRE, CHECKED OUT AREA. RESULTS, 2 NVA KIA(C), 2 IWC.

C. AT 1530H 3/9 AT 184136 (FSB CUNNINGHAM) TOOK 3-5 RDS 122MM ARTY FIRE FROM SE. ARTY WAS FIRED AGAINST SUSPECTED POSITION. NEG RESULTS OR CASUALTIES REPORTED.

D. AT 1540H K/3/9 VIC 191120 RECEIVED WHAT WAS BELIEVED TO BE RPG ALSO AW FIRE. A MORTAR MISSION WAS CALLED IN ON SUSP. ENEMY POS. RESULTS, ADD 1 FRIENDLY KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 091320H L/3/9 VIC 170122 FOUND WILL USED TRAIL, 2' WIDE RUNNING SW TO NE, FIGHTING HOLES ALONG TRAIL.

B. AT 1445H M/3/9 VIC 174154 FOUND 1 SHELTER 15x10x10', 1 BUNKER 15x3x4', 2 RUSTY FRENCH CARBINES, 2-3 YRS OLD. ADD 2 IWC.

C. AT 1440H H/2/9 VIC 154185 FOUND 1 HUT 10x20' AND 1 STORAGE BUNKER 10x20' APPROX ONE MONTH OLD. ALSO FOUND 1 CHICOM GRENADE, 1 MAUSER RIFLE, 1 SKS RIFLE AND MISC. HOUSEHOLD GEAR. ADD 2 IWC.

D. BOMB DAMAGE ASSISMENT FOR 09 FEB INDICATE ONE AW POSITION AND 1 TRUCK DESTROYED IN VIC 231081 BY HELLBORNE 276.

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E. 21100H H2/9 PATROL VIC 150180 FOUND 3 HUTS 10x20' AND
 3 BUNKERS 10x6'. ALSO FOUND 1 LIGHT MACHINE GUN, 1 60MM MORTAR TUBE
 AND 3 NEW SKS RIFLES. ALSO ASSORTED MAGAZINES AND ROUNDS.
 ADD 2 CSWC AND 3 IWC.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL ~~MAINTAIN~~ AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES: -

A. FRIENDLY : KIA 16 WIAE 51 WIANE 10
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 99 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2
 C. IWC68 CSWC 4

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SITREP NR 70 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 091800H-092400H FEB 69

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

A. LATE ENTRY, AT 1230H F/2/9 VIC 163101 MADE CONTACT WITH ANOTHER SMALL ENEMY UNIT. ENEMY RETREATED NE. F/2/9 CONT. TO SEARCH AREA RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIA, 2 EN KIA(C), 1 IWC. (GREASE GUN)

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1920H 3/ VIC 184136 RECEIVED APPROX 20 RDS 82MM MORTAR FROM A POSITION SOUTH OF PSB CUNNINGHAM. FIRED ARTY AND MORTAR MISSION ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION. TWO SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS OBSERVED VIC 194109.

B. AT 1945H L/3/9 VIC 185134 RECEIVED 2 RDS OF 82 MM MORTAR FROM SOUTH. FIRED COUNTER MORTAR FIRE WITH MORTARS AND ARTY.

G CASUALTIES OR DAMAGE REPORTED AT THIS TIME.

C. AT 1710H H/2/9 VIC 150180 FOUND FOLLOWING GEAR IN ADDITION TO THAT LISTED IN SITREP # 69 PARA 4E: 10 NEW SKS RIFLES, 1 MAUSER RIFLE, 2 SKH4 AUTOMATIC WEAPONS, 104 CASES 7.62 RDS 100 RDS PER CASE, 15 CASES RPG RDS, 14 CASES 12.7 RDS 100 PER CASE, 17 STICKS TNT, 49 82MM MORTAR RDS, 17 AK-47 MAGS 6 LBS DOCUMENTS, 1 SNIPER SCOPE. DELETE 1 CSWC FROM SITREP 69 PARA 4E, ADD 13 IWC.

D. AT 1600H F/2/9 VIC 162097 FOUND ROAD RUNNING NE/SW ALONG RIVER. PORTIONS 30' WIDE WITH DRAINAGE DITCH ON SIDE, APPEARS ABLE TO SUPPORT NEARLY ANY VEHICLE, CLEARANCE 12-13' WILL CHECK OUT FURTHER IN AM.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES: -

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 16 WIAE 51 WIANE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 101 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 82 CSWC 3

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR	TMS	NR	TMS	EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1		1			YD VCB	N/A
E2/9	1		1			YD 109132	N/A
F/2/9	1		1			YD 163100	N/A
G/2/9	1		1			YD 104141	N/A
I/3/9	1		1			YD 183140	N/A

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SITREP NR 72 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 092400H-100600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: NO CHANGE
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. AT 100130H A/1/9 VIC 107269 RECIEVED 2 RDS OF ARTY WITH 3 KILLED AND 1 WIA(E). RDS WERE SHORT RDS FIRED BY FOXTROT BATTERY. ADD 3 FR KIA 1 FR WIAE.
5. PLANS:
 - A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 19 WIAE 52 WIANE 10
 - B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 101 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2
 - C. IWC 82 CSWC 3

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RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 114412 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

11 FEB 69 0412Z/ELA/CON-659

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 72 OP DEWEY CA NYON FROM 100600H-101200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

1/9/CP, C, D VCB
1/9/A FSB SHILOH
2/9/CP, G LZ DALLAS
2/9/E- 108137
2/9/E FLT 111123
2/9/H FSB RAZOR

3/9/CP, F FSB CUNNINGHAM
3/9/I 186136
3/9/K 185134
3/9/M 183140
2/9/F FSB ERSKINE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. EFFECTIVE 100800H D/1/9 CHOPPED OPCON FROM TFH TO 9TH MAR AND IS FURTHER CHOPPED OPCON TO 1/9 SAME DTG.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0830H E/2/9 VIC 108136 HAD A SMALL GROUP OF NVA APPROACH LINES AND OPEN FIRE. E/2/9 RETURNED FIRE. 81MM AND ARTY CALLED IN RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIAE.

B. AT 0845H E/2/9 VIC 113124 HAD A LIGHT CONTACT WITH A SMALL ENEMY UNIT ACROSS RIVER. E/2/9 RETURNED FIRE, ENEMY FLED. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIAE.

C. AT 1050H L/3/9 VIC 180150 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM EST. 5-6 NVA L/3/9 RETURNED FIRE, FIRED 81MM MISSION. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 20 WIAE 51 WIAE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 101 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 82 CSWC 3

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM: rjr

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 120936 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 73 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 101200H-101800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/C/D/1/9 FSB ERSKINE	H/2/9 FSB RAZOR
CP/G/2/9 LZ DALLAS	CP/L/3/9 YD 184136
E/2/9 YD 108137	I/3/9 YD 205127
E/2/9 PLT YD 111123	K/3/9 185134
F/2/9 FSB ERSKINE	M/3/9 YD 197122

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

- A. 1/9(-) LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1220H, WILL BE COMPLETED ON 11 FEB 69.
B. CP/2/9 LIFT FROM LZ DALLAS TO ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1724, WILL BE COMPLETED ON 11 FEB 69.
C. A/1/9 LIFT FROM SHILOH TO ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1700H, WILL BE COMPLETED ON 11 FEB 69.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

- A. AT 1115H, L/3/9 VIC YD 180153 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM 6-8 NVA SET IN U-SHAPED AMBUSH. AFTER SETTING IN DEFENSIVE POSITION AND RETURNING S/A FIRE, L/3/9 RECEIVED MORE S/A FIRE FROM LEFT FRONT BY ESTIMATED 15 NVA. MEDEVAC BIRD RECEIVED GROUND FIRE. 81MM MISSION CALLED IN, REQUESTED AO GUNSHIPS. NEG CASUALTIES.
B. AT 1440H, E/2/9 VIC YD 111121 MADE CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED 2 NVA, POSSIBLY SNIPERS. E/2/9 PUSHED THROUGH AREA. RESULTS: 2 FR KIA, 1 FR WIA.
C. AT 1630H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 RECEIVED 4 122MM ARTY RDS. NEG CASUALTIES. ARTY MISSION FIRED AT SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION AT VIC YD 091044.
D. AT 1700H, M/3/9 VIC YD 169112 PLATOON PATROL RECEIVED S/A AND A/W FIRE FROM UNKNOWN SIZED NVA FORCE. ANOTHER PLT SENT TO REINFORCE ALSO RECEIVED S/A FIRE. MEDEVAC BIRDS RECEIVED FIRE AS THEY APPROACHED THE ZONE & WERE UNABLE TO PICK UP THE MEDEVACS. RESULTS: 2 FR KIA, 3 FR WIA. FIRED MORTARS & ARTY AND WILL CALL FOR FLARE SHIP.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: LATE REPORTS:

- A. AT 0930H, H/2/9 VIC YD 150180 FOUND 4 SKS'S (1 NEW, 3 OLD), 1 AK-47 (OLD), 6 SKS-44'S WITH MAGAZINES & CLEANING GEAR, 34 CASES OF 7.62 RDS (100 PER CASE), 12 CASES OF 12.7MM RDS (100 PER CASE), 25 82MM MRS, 2 LMG BOLTS, 1 RIFLE GRENADE LAUNCHER, 60 1 LB STICKS OF TNT, 4 CHICOM GRENADES. ADD 11 INC.

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B. AT 1130H, E/2/9 VIC YD 155179 FOUND 363 RPG RDS, 120 60MM RDS, 12 82MM RDS, 10 CASES OF TNT BLOCKS, 69 CASES OF 7.62MM RDS, 9 SKS-44 WEAPONS, 16 BATTERIES, BOOSTERS FOR RPG'S AND INCREMENTS AND FUSES FOR MORTAR RDS. ADD 9 IWC.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 22 WIAE 58 WIANE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 101 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 102 GSWC 3

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DRAFTER: 3W/GLW: rjk

RELEASED BY: G.L. WIESCAMP 1/LT.

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SITREP NR 74 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 101800H-102100H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

E/2/9 YD 120117

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. LIFT OF A/1/9 FROM SHILOH TO ERSKINE NOT COMPLETED DUE TO LZ AT ERSKINE BEING BLOCKED; ALL ELEMENTS OF SHILOH AT PSE RAZOR (COMPLETED AT 1934H).

B. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1810H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 RECEIVED APPROX 60 MORTAR RDS, BELIEVED TO BE 82MM AND TO BE FROM NORTHWEST DIRECTION. ARTY & MORTAR MSN RETURNED TO VIC YD 159137. NEG CASUALTIES.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1130H, I/3/9 VIC YD 184124 RECEIVED FIRE FROM 3 NVA. AFTER INITIAL CONTACT AREA WAS SEARCHED AND 1 RPG LAUNCHER, 2 RPG RDS AND 1 NVA(C) WERE FOUND. ADD 1 NVA(C), 1 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1815H, 2/9 VIC YD 164107 HAD A USA CH-47 APPROACH LZ WITH EXTERNAL, VEERED OFF TO EAST AND CRASHED ABOUT 350 METERS FROM LZ. F/2/9 ELEMENTS REACHED HELICOPTER. 1 DEAD & 2 WOUNDED NOW AT ERSKINE. REST PICKED UP BY OTHER HELICOPTERS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 22 WIAE 58 WIANE 10

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 102 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 103 CSWC 3

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

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 SITREP NR 75 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 102400H-110600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. B/1/9 TO LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE.

CP/1/9 TO LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE.

A-1/9 TO LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB ERSKINE.

CP/2/9 TO LIFT FROM LZ DALLAS TO FSB ERSKINE.

9TH MAR CP TO LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO FSB GUNNINGHAM.

H/2/9 TO LIFT FROM FSB RAZOR TO ERSKINE.

B. 3/9 TO ATTACK SOUTH ACROSS PHASE LINE RED.

C. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 22 WIAE 58 WIANE 10

ENEMY: KIA(C) 102 DETAINEES: TOTAL 8 PW(NVA) 2

IWC 103 CSWC 3

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 75 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 110600H-111200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 YD 163110	F/2/9 YD 164107
A/1/9 YD 163108	G/2/9 YD 107147
A/1/9 PLT YD 143186	H/2/9 YD 143186
B/1/9 YD VCB	CP/3/9 YD 184136
C/1/9 YD 163112	I/3/9 YD 206120
D/1/9 YD 163109	K/3/9 YD 185134
CP/2/9 YD 164107	L/3/9 YD 184136
E/2/9 YD 126114	M/3/9 YD 197114

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. AT 0900H, WF ASSUMED OPCON OF B/1/9 AND PASSED IT TO 9TH MAR SAME DTG.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0630H, M/3/9 VIC YD 191112 MEDEVAC BLINDS SHOT AT, UNABLE TO GET MEDEVACS OUT. NVA USED S/A & 60MM.

B. AT 0650H, D/1/9 VIC YD 163110 RECEIVED 4-5 RDS OF RPG & S/A FIRE FROM 4-5 ENEMY. RETURNED S/A FIRE WITH MORTARS & ARTY FIRE. ADD 1 FR KIA, 4 FR WIAE, 1 FR WIANE.

C. AT 0725H, 3/9 VIC YD 184136 RECEIVED 2 RDS 122MM ARTY FROM SW. FIRED ARTY MSN.

D. AT 0800H, M/3/9 ENGAGED IN VIC YD 199118 UNK SIZE NVA FORCE FOR 3 HRS. FIRED S/A, ARTY, & FIXED WING AND MORTARS. RESULTING IN 3 FR WIA'S, 1 NVA CONFIRMED, AND 1 POW WIA. ADD 3 FR WIA'S, 1 NVA KIA, 1 NVA POW.

E. AT 0820H, I/3/9 VIC YD 200127 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM UNK SIZE NVA UNIT. RETURNED S/A FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS.

F. AT 1020H, 3/9 VIC YD 185134 RECEIVED 2 RDS OF 122MM ARTY ADD 2 FR WIAE, 3 FR WIANE, FROM L/3/9.

G. AT 0915H, I/3/9 VIC YD 201122 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 5 NVA. I/3/9 RETURNED S/A.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0800H, D/1/9 VIC YD 162108 FOUND 2 TRAILS RUNNING E TO W. TRAILS WERE WIDE ENOUGH FOR ONLY ONE PERSON AND ONE SHOWED SIGNS OF RECENT ACTIVITY.

B. AT 1055H, E/2/9 VIC YD 126114 FOUND A TELEGRAPH WIRE RUNNING IN A SE DIRECTION. DESTROYED 150 METERS OF WIRE.

5. PLANS:

A. B/1/9 TO LIFT FROM VCB TO FSB ERSKINE. CP/1/9 TO LIFT FROM VCB TO ERSKINE. A-/1/9 TO LIFT FROM RAZOR TO FSB ERSKINE. 9TH MAR CP TO LIFT TO CUNNINGHAM FROM RAZOR. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 23 WIAE 67 WIANE 14

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 103 DETAINEES: TOTAL 9 PW(NVA) 3

C. IWC 103 CSWC 3

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 76 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 111200H-111800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 YD 163110	G/2/9 YD 109139
A/1/9 YD 163108	H/2/9 YD 143186
B/1/9 YD 161101	GP/3/9 YD 197122
C/1/9 YD 163112	I/3/9 YD 207119
D/1/9 YD 163109	K/3/9 YD 197122
E/2/9 YD 131109	L/3/9 YD 184136
F/2/9 YD 164107	M/3/9 YD 193111

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. 9TH MAR CP ADV PARTY LIFTS FROM RAZOR TO CUNNINGHAM
BEGAN AT 1300H, AND WAS COMPLETED AT 1340H.B. A-1/9 LIFT FROM RAZOR TO ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1355H, AND
WAS COMPLETED AT 1445H.C. GP/2/9 LIFT FROM DALLAS TO ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1440, AND
WAS COMPLETED AT 1515H.D. B/1/9 LIFT FROM VCB TO ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1530H, AND WAS
COMPLETED AT 1700H.E. CP/1/9 LIFT FROM VCB TO ERSKINE BEGAN AT 1530H, AND WAS
COMPLETED AT 1715H.F. 9TH MAR CP LIFT FROM RAZOR TO CUNNINGHAM BEGAN AT 1645H,
AND WAS COMPLETED AT 1830H.G. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1145H, M/3/9 VIC YD 199114 CONTINUED TO
RECEIVE S/A FIRE; KILLING 3 MARINES. ADD 3 FR KIA'S.B. AT 1325H, M/3/9 VIC YD 199114 CHECKED OUT AREA OF LAST
NIGHTS CONTACT FINDING 3 DEAD NVA AND 3 AK-47'S. ADD 3 NVA, 3 IWC.C. AT 1140H, I/3/9 VIC YD 207119 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM
5-6 NVA. RESULTS: ADD 4 FR KIA, 2 EN KIA(C).D. AT 1605H, AO CALL SIGN "COLORED YANKEE" VIC YD 095045,
REPORTS 5 KBA. ADD 5 KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1155H, D/1/9 VIC YD 161110 FOUND TRAIL
RUNNING NORTH TO SOUTH. TRAIL SHOWED 2 SETS OF FOOTPRINTS.B. AT 1225H, D/1/9 VIC YD 161110 FOUND SLEEPING AREA FOR
ONE. ALSO SMALL AMOUNT OF SOFT RICE.C. AT 1630H, E/2/9 FOUND WIRE AT FOLLOWING POSITIONS: 128108,
117103, 098096, 095086, 091082.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 26 WIAE 77 WIAE 14

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 143 DETAINEES: TOTAL 9 PW(NVA) 3

C. I.D. 142 CSWC 1

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7TH COMM 2110/2

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DRAFTER: 3W/MBM: rjh

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 130139

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FROM: NINTH MAR

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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13FEB69 0200Z/ELA/CCN-814[REDACTED]: PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 77 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 111800H-112400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 YD 163110	F/2/9 YD 164107
A/1/9 YD 163108	G/2/9 YD 115131
B/1/9 YD 161101	H/2/9 YD 143186
C/1/9 YD 163112	CP/3/9 YD 197122
D/1/9 YD 163109	I/3/9 YD 207119
CP/2/9 YD 164107	K/3/9 YD 197122
E/2/9 YD 132109	L/3/9 YD 184136
	M/3/9 YD 193111

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1815H, M/3/9 VIC YD 193111 HAD A SQUAD THAT WAS CHECKING OUT ROUTE FOR TOMORROW, RECEIVED S/A FIRE. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIA.

B. AT 1900H, M/3/9 VIC YD 193112 RECEIVED 15-20 60MM MORTAR RDS. FIRED 60MM AND ARTY MSN. RES: ADD 10 FR WIA'S.

C. AT 1500H, I/3/9 VIC YD 205120 AFTER SEARCH OF AREA FOUND FRESH POOLS OF BLOOD & 1 LOADED AK-47. ADD 1 IWC.

D. AT 2145H, F/2/9 VIC YD 162107 HAD A LP MAKE LIGHT INITIAL CONTACT WITH ABOUT 5 ENEMY ELEMENTS, 2 FR REC'D MINOR WOUNDS. CHECKED OUT AREA WHEN FURTHER CONTACT WAS MADE. RES: ADD 2 FR WIA.

E. AT 2200H, A/C/D/1/9 VIC YD 163110 REC'D CHICOM GRENADES, S/A FIRE, & RPG'S FROM ESTIMATED COMPANY IN COORDINATED ATTACK. 1/9 RESPONDED WITH HEAVY VOLUME OF S/A FIRE, FRAGS, AND ARTY HE, & ILLUM. RES: ADD 1 FR KIA, 8 FR WIA, 12 EN KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1650H, L/3/9 VIC YD 183136 HAD A HELICOPTER SET OFF TRIP FLARE IN GRASS CAUSING FIRE THAT SET OFF AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE. RES: 1 FR WIA.

B. AT 0945H, L/3/9 VIC YD 183141 FOUND AN OBSERVATION PLATFORM 20' HIGH WITH LADDER. L/3/9 DESTROYED IT.

C. AT 1400H, F/2/9 VIC YD 167105 FOUND 1 KIA FROM 2/12 AT SITE OF HELICOPTER CRASH. ALSO FOUND EMPTY CONTAINER MISSING COI. COI ASSUMED COMPROMISED. ADD 1 FR KIA.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

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6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 28 WIAE 22 WIAAF 16

B. ENEMY: RTA(C) 125 DETAINERS: TOTAL 9 PW(NVA) 1

C. INC 101 CSWC 3

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR	TMS	NR	TMS	EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
G/1/9	1		1			YD 161112	N/A
E/2/9	1		1			YD 131109	N/A
F/2/9	1		1			YD 161107	N/A
G/2/9	1		1			YD 189139	N/A
I/3/9	1		1			YD 207119	N/A

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DRAFTER: 3W/MEH: r jr

RELEASED BY M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 130137

Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

13FEB69 0200Z/ELA/CCN-816

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
 SITREP NR 78 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 112400H-120600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

NIGHT ACTS:

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS:

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 28 WIAE 91 WIANE 16

B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 125 DETAINEES: TOTAL 9 PW (NVA) 1

C. IWC 104 CSWG 3

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O 130137Z/FEB69

ACTN: G-3

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DRAFTED: W/ELW & JH

RELEASED BY: G.L. WIESCAM 1/LT.

IMMEDIATE

15 1144 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

SUPVR *ME*

A/R-6-3

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
BT

15FEB69/1130Z/R/CCN-990

PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 79 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 120600H-121200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

F/2/9 YD 151101

GP/3/9 YD 196120

I/3/9 YD 208118

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

K/3/9 YD 199114

L/3/9 YD 181124

M/3/9 YD 195114

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. THE CLEARANCE OF PSB RAZOR CONTINUED.

B. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. ADD 2 KBA'S VIC YD 192112 FOR 31 FEB. ADD 2 EN KIA(C).

B. LATE REPORT: AT 112030 M/3/9 VIC YD 193111 WHILE BRINGING
IN MEDEVAC BIRDS RECEIVED S/A FIRE AND 6 RDS OF 60MM MORTAR
FIRE NEAR THEIR PERIMETER. FIRED MORTARS & ARTY AT SUSPECTED
ENEMY POSITIONS. ADD 2 FR WIAE.C. AT 0700H, E/2/9 VIC YD 134108 REC'D A/W FIRE & RIFLE
GRENADES FROM ESTIMATED 4 NVA. RETURNED FIRE AND ENEMY BROKE
CONTACT. RES: 2 WIAE, AND 2 WIANE, 1 DETAINEE, 2 NVA KIA(C).D. AT 0900H, M/3/9 VIC YD 193111, AS M COMPANY MOVED OUT
THEY REC'D RPG RDS FROM UNDETERMINED NO. OF NVA IN BUNKER.
FIRED S/A, LAWS AND M-79'S. CHECKED AREA FINDING FRESH BLOOD,
1 AK-47 AND 2 RPG RDS. ADD 1 IWC.E. AT 1130H, M/3/9 VIC YD 199114 REC'D A/W FIRE. CALLED
IN FIXED WING. RES: ADD 1 FR WIAE.F. AT 1035H, M/3/9 VIC YD 196111 REC'D S/A FIRE FROM UNK
NUMBER OF NVA. FOUND 1 BOLT ACTION CARBINE. ADD 1 IWC.G. AT 1050H, K/3/9 VIC YD 199114 REC'D S/A FIRE FROM UNK
NUMBER OF NVA. ADD 2 WIAE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. IN REF TO M/3/9 CONTACT 10 FEB (SITREP NR 73 PARA 3D)
ADD 12 NVA KIA(C) AND 5 IWC.B. IN REF TO I/3/9 CONTACT 112000H, FEB (SITREP NR 77 PARA
3 E) ADD 13 NVA(C), 1 FR WIAE.C. MALE INDIVIDUAL MENTIONED IN SPOT REP 42 PARA 4C SHOULD
BE CARRIED AS A DETAINEE IN STEAD OF POW. DELETE ONE POW.D. AT 0900H, M/3/9 VIC YD 193111 FOUND 3 SHELTERS, 5 60MM
MORTAR RDS & GEAR TAKEN FROM M/3/9 PACKS ON NIGHT OF 10 FEB.
SHELTERS AND GEAR DESTROYED.E. AT 0915H B/1/9 VIC YD 161099 FOUND ONE NVA BODY UNDER
BRUSH & GRASS. APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED BY S/A APPROX 5
DAYS AGO. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

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7TH COM 2110/2 (4/68)

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F. AT 0845H, E/1/9 VIC YD 165103 FOUND TRAIL 2-4 FT WIDE ALSO 12 BUNKERS & LIVING AREA APPROX 1 WEEK OLD. AREAS NEAR RIVER SHOWED SIGNS OF RECENT OCCUPATION. AREA CLEARED 40x40 METERS WITH OVERHEAD CANOPY WOULD HOLD ESTIMATED COMPANY.

G. AT 0900H, E/2/9 VIC YD 134103 FOUND 2 HUTS 12x8 FT, 100 LBS OF GRAIN, 200 LBS OF CORN & HERBS AND OTHER ASSORTED GEAR.

5. PLANS:

A. CONCLUDE CLEARING OF PSB RAZOR & LIFT OF H/2/9 TO VIC YD 164107.

B. ALL OTHER UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 28 WIAE 104 WIANE 18

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 155 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 111 CSWC 3

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BT NINTH MARINES 0 151100Z FEB 69

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RELEASED BY: G.I. W. CAMP 1/LT.

Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

SUPVR *LINE**A/R -6-3*TO: CG, TF HOTEL
BT

15FEB69/1130Z/R/CCN-991

PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 80 CP DEWEY CANYON FROM 121200H-121800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

GP/1/9 YD 179093

F/2/9 YD 147100

A/1/9 YD 177093

G/2/9 YD 141084

B/1/9 YD 161097

H/2/9 YD 160103

C/1/9 YD 179095

CP/3/9 YD 199113

D/1/9 YD 163096

I/3/9 YD 213116

CP/2/9 YD 164107

K/3/9 YD 199113

E-1/2/9 YD 132108

L/3/9 YD 184136

E/2/9 PLT YD 135107

M/3/9 YD 207124

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. LIFT OF H/2/9 FROM PSB RAZOR TO ERSKINE COMPLETED AT 1520H.
FSB RAZOR CLOSED SAME DTG.B. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1230H, K/3/9 VIC YD 199113 RECEIVED A/W FROM 5-7 NVA
IN BUNKERS. CALLED IN FIXED WING. RES: 1 FR WIA. ADD 1 WIAE.
2 NVA(C).B. AT 1300H, I/3/9 VIC YD 208117 MADE CONTACT WITH UNK NUM-
BER OF NVA. CHECK OF AREA REVEALED 1 NVA(C). ADD 3 FR WIAE.C. AT 1300H, I/3/9 WHILE CHECKING ABOVE CONTACT REC'D S/A
& A/W FIRE RESULTING IN 1 FR KIA AND 3 WIAE. RAN FIXED WING AND
FIRED S/A FIRE WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.D. AT 1645H, I/3/9 VIC YD 212116 STILL IN CONTACT WITH UNDETER-
MINED NUMBER OF NVA. ADD 12 WIAE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. IN REFERENCE TO SITREP 69, PARA 4E AND SITREP 70 PARA
4C, RETAIN 1 CSW AS STATED. ADD 1 CSWC PREVIOUSLY DELETED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 29 WIAE 123 WIAE 18

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 158 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 111 CSWC 1

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TO: CG, 1ST HOTEL
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PERISHABLE INFO/CLASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 81 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 121500H-122400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 YD 179095	F/2/9 YD 147100
A/1/9 YD 177093	G/2/9 YD 123123
B/1/9 YD 161097	H/2/9 YD 157103
C/1/9 YD 179093	CP/3/9 YD 199113
D/1/9 YD 163096	I/3/9 YD 213116
CP/E-2/9 YD 138102	K/3/9 YD 199113
E/2/9 PLT YD 135105	L/3/9 YD 184136
	M/3/9 YD 207121

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. TEMP BOUNDARY CHANGE REQUESTED IN NORTHERN AO. EFFECTIVE 0600H WAS APPROVED.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1920H, L/3/9 VIC YD 184139 RECEIVED 4 RDS OF 122MM ARTY. 3 WENT OVER AND ONE FELL IN VIC WITH NEG RESULTS.

B. AT 1800H, M/3/9 VIC YD 205115 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF NVA. RES: ADD 4 FR WIA.

C. AT 1845H, E/2/9 VIC YD 147100 HAD LP AMBUSHED WHILE MOVING INTO POSITION BY 6-7 NVA..

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1920H, K/3/9 VIC YD 199113 FOUND 23-82MM RDS AND 2 57 RR RDS. ROUNDS WERE DESTROYED WITH DEMO.

B. BDA FOR 12 FEB INCLUDED 1 ARTY PIECE, 6 50 CAL POSITIONS, 2 PROBABLY OCCUPIED, ONE ARTY SITE AND VARIOUS HOOCHES, BUNKERS, AND TRENCH LINES. 2 CONFIRMED KBA'S. ADD 2 KIA(C) NVA.

C. AT 1600H, E/2/9 VIC YD 138102 FOUND AA SITE 3 FT DEEP BY 12 FT CIRCUMFERENCE, 3 5x5x5 FT FIGHTING POSITIONS, PARTIALLY DESTROYED BY AIR. DESTROYED POSITIONS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 31 WIAE 130 WIANE 19

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 160 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 111 CSWC 1

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
C/1/9	1	1	YD 163112	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 131109	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 164107	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 109139	N/A
I/3/9	1	1	YD 207119	N/A

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DRAFTER: 3W/DNR: JH

RELEASED BY: B.W. RAY 1/LT. *OMB Meyer for*

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FROM: NINTH MAR

SUPVR

ACTN G-3 A/R

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

15FEB69/1130Z/R/CCN-993

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SITREP NR 82 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 122400H-130600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 120900H, M/3/9 VIC YD 193115 FOUND 1 BODY AND 2 GRAVES (WITH BODIES) AT SITE OF EARLIER CONTACT, ALSO FOUND 2 MORTAR PITS, 1 RR POSITION, 2 82MM RDS, AND 2 57MM RDS AT YD 207110. TOOK FIRE FROM GUNSHIP WHILE SETTING UP PERIMETER RESULTING IN 1 FR WIA. ADD 1 WIAE FR. 3 NVA(C) KIA.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1630H, G/1/9 VIC YD 167094 CAME UNDER FIRE WHILE ON PATROL FROM A SNIPER. RETURNED FIRE. RES: 1 FR WIAE.

C. AT 1140H, G/1/9 VIC YD 167094 WAS CHECKING OUT ENEMY HOOCH, WHEN 2 NVA WALKED INTO THEIR PERIMETER. THEY WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE AND RETREATED INTO A CAVE WHERE THEY WERE KILLED BY FRAGS. 4 WPNS CAPTURED IN CAVE, 2 SKS'S AND 2 MAUSERS. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C), 4 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1500H, CP/1/9 VIC YD 167098 WHILE ON MOVE FOUND 8 GRAVES 6 MONTHS OLD. ADD 8 NVA KIA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY A GTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 31 WIAE 131 WIAE 20

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 173 DETAINEES TOTAL 16 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 115 CSWG 1

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RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

SUPVR *TIME* A/R 6-3

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

15FEB69/1130Z/R/CCN-994

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 83 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 130600H-131200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: -

CP/1/9 YD 188086	G/2/9 YD 124100
A/1/9 YD 188086	H/2/9 YD 151100
B/1/9 YD 168090	CP/3/9 YD 199113
C/1/9 YD 188086	I/3/9 YD 208117
D/1/9 YD 168089	K/3/9 YD 201110
CP/2/9 YD 164107	L/3/9 YD 184136
E/2/9 YD 134100	M/3/9 YD 206110
F/2/9 YD 147100	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0940H, K/3/9 VIC YD 195110 LEAD ELEMENTS MADE CONTACT IN LARGER BUNKER AND HUT COMPLEX RECEIVING S/A FIRE. "K" COMPANY RETURNED S/A FIRE, AO REQUESTED, SEARCHED COMPLEX. FOUND ONE BODY AND 1 AK-47. ADD 1 EN KIA(C), AND 1 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0815H, F/2/9 VIC YD 147100, SEARCHING AREA OF 12 FEB CONTACT, FOUND 1 BODY WITH SIGNALING DEVICE (POSSIBLY FOR MAKING BIRD CALLS), ALSO ONE AK-47, 4 AK-47 MAGAZINES. ADD 1 EN KIA(C), 1 IWC.

B. AT 1015H, M/3/9 VIC YD 206110 REPORTED 6 WIANE NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED FROM NIGHT OF 10 FEB. ADD 6 WIANE.

C. AT 0940H, K/3/9 VIC YD 197112 FOUND HUTS, 29 CHICOM GRENADES, 50 60MM RDS, 12 RPG RDS, ASSORTED 782 GEAR, BLOOD SOAKED CLOTHING, COMM WIRE CONNECTING HUTS.

D. AT 1035H, L/3/9 VIC YD 193142 FOUND 50 PRINTING TYPE ALPHABET LETTERS (NVA TYPE). THOUGHT TO BE FOR PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS. CHECKING OUT A REA, BRINGING IN LETTERS.

E. AT 1150H, AO WITH CALL SIGN "CHISEL 11" REPORTED A BDA VIC YD 063157: ONE NVA KIA(C), 6 WATER BUFFALO KIA, 115'x15' HUT BURNED. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 31 WIAE 131 WIANE 26

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 176 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 147 CSWG 1

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RELEASED BY: M.B. METL 2/LT.

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151110 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

SUPVR *2ME 4/26-3*

TO: CG, TP HOTEL 15FEB69/1130Z/R/CCN-995

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE.

SITREP NR 84 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 131200H-131800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/2/9 ERSKINE H/2/9 YD 141063
E/2/9 YD 132092 CP/3/9 YD 199114
F/2/9 YD 153096 I/3/9 YD 208117
G/2/9 YD 124114 K/3/9 YD 199106

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1230H, K/3/9 VIC YD 203107 LEAD ELEMENTS MADE CONTACT WITH UNK NUMBER OF NVA. RECEIVED & RETURNED S/A FIRE. RES: ADD 1 FR WIA.

B. AT 1330H, K/3/9 VIC YD 203107 STILL IN CONTACT. REC'D 60MM FIRE, RPG & S/A FIRE. "K" COMPANY FIRED 60MM & ARTY. RES: 2 FR KIA, 2 FR WIA, 5 EN KIA(C), 1 CSWC(MACHINE GUN).

C. AT 1610H, K/3/9 VIC YD 199106 ESTIMATED 1 NVA ATTEMPTED PROBE OF LINES, FIRED 1 BURST FROM AK-47. INDIVIDUAL WAS DRESSED IN BLACK AND WEARING A HELMET. "K" COMPANY FIRED 60MM & 81MM MORTARS AND ARTILLERY. NEG RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1235H, AO WORKING FOR 3/9 VIC YD 217105 RAN AIR ON BUNKERS, AND ON A/W POS. 2130 GRID SQUARE REPORTED COVERED WITH BUNKERS BY AO AT 1300H.

B. AT 1420H, AO WORKING FOR 3/9 VIC 193038 REPORTS DESTROYED TRUCK. DAMAGED TRUCK VIC YD 199038 LOADED WITH RICE TO BE DESTROYED.

C. AT 1330H, H/2/9 VIC YD 153096 TO YD 138097 FOUND A LARGE FRESH ROAD, 15 FT WIDE, RUNNING W TO E. FRESHLY DUG IN LAST 4 DAYS, FOUND 14 BUNKERS, 7 FIGHTING HOLES, 7 LIVING HOLES. ALSO NUMBE OF STAKES WITH MARKINGS ON THEM.

D. AT 1415H, I/3/9 VIC YD 213115 FOUND 15 SHELTERS, 10 BUNKERS, 30 FIGHTING HOLES, 1 BADLEY MANGLED HUMAN HEAD, 1 GRAVE WITH 2 BODIES IN IT, ASSORTED NVA 782 GEAR. -ADD 3 EN KIA(C).

E. AT 1230H, K/3/9 VIC YD 199106 FIRED ARTY, MORTAR, & AIR STRIKE AT ABOVE GRID. CHECKED OUT AREA, FOUND 2 DRUM TYPE MAGS 100 RDS PER DRUM, 2 CHICOM GRENADES, OTHER ASSORTED MILITARY GEAR. ALSO ADD 1 FR WIA NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED.

F. AT 1445H, AN AO WITH CALL SIGN "CHISEL 11" VIC YD 092122 SPOTTED 6 NVA IN WATER WITH 5 KNAPSACKS. CALLED IN FIXED WING RESULTS: ADD 3 NVA KIA(C).

G. AT 1425H, E/2/9 VIC YD 133091 FOUND 15'-20' WIDE ROAD, WELL CAMOUFLAGED. 12 NEW BUNKERS 3x5m FT ALONG ROAD, CAMOUFLAGED MATERIAL 3-5 DAYS OLD. ROAD RUNS SE TO NW.

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F. AT 1940H, L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM REPORTED SUSPECTED EN MOVEMENT IN DIRECTION 220-250. FIRED 60MM MORTARS & M-79'S. MOVEMENT STOPPED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-23, J-8, U-2, CC-3, GG-8

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 33 WIAE 138 WIANE 29

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 211 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 117 CSWC 5

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
G/1/9	1	1		1 NVA(C)
E/2/9	1	1		N/A
F/2/9	1	1		N/A
G/2/9	1	1		N/A
I/3/9	1	1		N/A

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 85 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 131800H-132400H FROM FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: -

CP/1/9 YD 188086

F/2/9 YD 151089

A/1/9 YD 188086

G/2/9 YD 124114

B/1/9 YD 168086

M/3/9 YD 114078

C/1/9 YD 188086

CP/3/9 YD 199114

D/1/9 YD 168089

I/3/9 YD 215113

HQ/9TH YD PSB CUNNINGHAM

K/3/9 YD 199106

CP/2/9 YD 164107

L/3/9 YD 184136

E/2/9 YD 133095

M/3/9 YD 206110

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE REPORT: AT 0913H, 2/12 VIC YD 234069 REPORTED ARTY FIRED ON 1 TRUCK AND 3 NVA CONTROLLED BY COLORADO "C" AO, RESULTED IN 1 NVA KIA(C) KILLED BY ARTY.

B. ON 13 FEB 69, BDA AT VIC YD 063157, ONE HUT DESTROYED AND 3 NVA KILLED WITH 50 EXPLOSIONS, POSSIBLY MORTAR RD COOK OFFS, AT YD 209099 ONE BUNKER DESTROYED WITH ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION & ONE FIRE: AT YD 214044 TWO TRUCKS DAMAGED IN TRUCK PARK; AT YD 193038 ONE TRUCK DESTROYED, 2 TRUCKS LEFT BURNING. ADD 3 EN KBA'S.

C. LATE REPORT: AT 1425H, C/1/9 VIC YD 194085 POINT SQUAD OF COMPANY MADE CONTACT WITH ENEMY ESTIMATED OF PLATOON SIZE SET IN ON LINE ON A RIDGE. POINT WAS FIRED ON WITH 4/W AND 60MM MORTARS. ENEMY WAS DRIVEN OFF RIDGE & WERE OBSERVED WEARING GRAY UNIFORMS, FLAK JACKETS AND HELMET COVERS. DURING TIME THE WOUNDED WERE BEING MEDEVACED, ONE ENEMY WAS SEEN OBSERVING THE AREA & WAS KILLED BY A SNIPER. ADD 6 WIAE, AND 12 NVA KIA(C).

D. AT 1650H, I/9 6-3A(ARTY) VIC YD 198078 REPORTED 3 ENEMY KILLED BY ARTY IN C/1/9 CONTACT. ADD 3 NVA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1840H, L/3/9 VIC YD 184136 REC'D 2 RDS OF NVA ARTY FROM 220 DEGREE AZIMUTH. RDS WENT OVER HILL AND INTO VALLEY ON OTHER SIDE. NEG RESULTS.

B. LATE REPORT: AT 1700H, I/3/9 VIC YD 215113 FOUND 12 BUNKERS ALONG 100 METERS OF TRAIL, ALL MADE IN LAST WEEK. ALSO FOUND 2 NVA BODIES KILLED BY S/A. ADD 2 NVA(C). BUNKERS DESTROYED BY DEMO.

C. AT 1815H, K/3/9 VIC YD 199101 FOUND 3 HUTS CONTAINING MISCELLANEOUS LIVING GEAR & ONE NVA HELMET. HUTS DESTROYED.

D. LATE REPORT: AT 0845H, M/3/9, 3 WIA FROM CONTACT NIGHT OF 10 FEB RECLASSIFIED AS NON EVAC. DELETE 3 WIAE; ADD 3 WIANE.

E. K/3/9 VIC YD 197112 AFTER INITIAL CONTACT REPORTED SITREP # 83 PARA 3A, SEARCHED AREA FINDING 2 HUTS 15'x20' AND OTHER MISC GEAR. ALSO FOUND 3 BODIES BADLY MANGLED. ADD 3 NVA(C).

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5. PLANS:
 A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 A. FRIENDLY: KIA 33 WIAE 135 WIANE 26
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 187 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2
 C. IWC 117 CSWC 5

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 SITREP NR 86 OF DENNEY CANYON FROM 132400-140600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LA TE REPORT: AT 132330H, C/CP/L/9 VIC YD 190084 WERE
 ATTACKED BY ESTIMATED CO(-) USING 60MM MORTARS, RPG'S AND S/A.
 RETURNED S/A AND A/W FIRE AND FIRED MORTARS & CALLED IN ARTY.
 RES: 3 PR KIA, 17 WIAE, AND 10 NVA(C).

B. AT 0115H, C/L/9 VIC YD 194085 WAS ATTACKED BY ESTIMATED
 NVA SQUAD. REPELLED ATTACK WITH S/A FIRE. ADD 2 NVA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES: -

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 36 WIAE 155 WIANE 29

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 223 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 117 CSWC 5

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SITREP NR 87 OF PEWEY CANYON FROM 140600H-111200H 2 FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: -

CP/1/9 YD 188086	G/2/9 YD 129110
A/1/9 YD 188086	H/2/9 YD 114078
B/2/9 YD 173085	CP/3/9 YD 206112
C/1/9 YD 188086	I/3/9 YD 215112
D/2/9 YD 168089	K/3/9 YD 206112
CP/2/9 YD 164107	L/3/9 YD 184136
E/2/9 YD 133095	M/3/9 YD 206110
F/2/9 YD 253087	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: FINAL FROM 132300H, TO 140130H, C/CP/1/9 WAS ATTACKED BY A GO(-) AT 2330H AND A SQD AT 0115H. TOTAL NVA KIA 22, TOTAL FR KIA 3, TOTAL WIAE 15, TOTAL WIAE 6. ADD 6 WIAE, DELETE 2 WIAE.

B. AT 0930H, K/3/9 VEC YD 204105 IN CONTACT WITH UNDETERMINED NUMBER NVA USING S/A AND 60MM. RETURNING S/A FIRE, MORTARS & ARTY.

C. I/3/9 STILL IN 0930H CONTACT RECEIVING MORTARS FROM GRID YD 209092. HAVE 2 FR KIA AND 7 WIA. ADD 2 FR KIA & 7 WIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 091700H, H/2/9 RECOUNTED IVC RESULTING IN ADDITION OF 16 WPNs TO TOTAL. ADD 16 IVC.

B. AT 110800H A RECOUNT OF ENEMY KIA(C) RESULTING IN 23 MORE THAN PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. ADD 23 NVA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 38 WIAE 160 WIAE 33
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 206 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2
C. IVC 133 CSWC 5

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SITREP NR 88 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 141200H-141800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

1/9/CP A 196082	2/9/CP 164107	3/9/CP 206110
1/9/B 186082	2/9/E 133095	3/9/I 216107
1/9/C 196082	2/9/F 153087	3/9/K 208108
1/9/D 186088	2/9/G 133093	3/9/L 184136
	2/9/H 144078	3/9/M 206110

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. 3/9 REPORTED CONST OF A LZ VIC 208110 MEASURING 40x40M OF LEVEL DIRT WILL ACCOMADITE 1 CH-53. DESIGNATED SUNHEAM

B. 2/9 REPORTED CONST OF A LZ 75x100M OF DIRT AND GRASS HOLDING 1 CH-46. 155077 DESIGNATED DEAD EYE.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0930H K/3/9 VIC 204105 HAD S/A AND MORTAR ATTACK. AT 1214H REPORTED 4 ADDITIONAL WIA'S. ADD 4 FR WIA'S.

B. AT 111730H A RECON TEAM "JOHN BROWN" VIC YD 170152 WAS EXTRACTED AFTER CONTACT WITH 2 NVA. AS TEAM WAS BEING EXTRACTED OBSERVED MORE ENEMY. HELO GUNNER OPENED UP KILLING 1 VC. ADD 1 EN KIA(C).

C. AT 1405H I/3/9 VIC 216110 REPORTED POINT WAS AMBUSHED BY 25 NVA. RETURNED S/A WITH 1 FR KIA. ADD 1 FR KIA.

D. AT 1530H G/2/9 VIC 134107 RECEIVED 15-20 RDS SNIPER FIRE. RETURNED FIRE AND CLEARING AREA. SUFFERED 1 WIA. ADD 1 WIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1345H F/2/9 VIC 155077 FOUND 4 BUNKERS WITH TRENCH SYSTEM. ONE POSIT HAD PLATFORM IN TRENCH APPEARED TO BE POSS F.O. POSIT FOR ARTY.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT T ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 39	WIAE 165	WIANE 33
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 217	DETAINEE'S: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2	
C. IWC 133	CSWC 5	

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SITREP NR 89 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 141800H-142400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

D/1/9 168089

G/2/9 133095

ALL OTHERS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. AT 208109 3/9 CONST A LZ 35x20M CAPABLE OF HOLDING 1 CH-46.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY AT 1530H A/1/9 VIC 196082 HAD A CHICOM DROPPED INTO THERE MIDST BY ONE NVA IN A TREE. S/A RETURNED RESULTING IN 1 FR KIA, 1 FR WIA, 1 EN KIA. ADD 1 FR KIA, 3 FR WIA, 1 FR WIA, 1 NVA KIA.

B. LATE ENTRY AT 0935H K/3/9 VIC 205105 TOOK 12 60MM RDS. K FIRED 60MM AND 81MM MISSILE AND CHECKED THE E AREA FINDING 3 BODIES. ADD 3 NVA KIA.

C. LATE ENTRY AT 1330H K/3/9 VIC 206104 FOUND 2 BODIES AT SITE OF THIS MORNINGS CONTACT. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C).

D. AT 1400H G/1/9 VIC 191085 WAS PROBED BY AN EST. ENEMY SQD FROM E, NW. "C" CO. EMPLOYED S/A FIRE, MG FIRE AND M-79 FIRE. RESULTS: 2 NVA KIA(C).

E. AT 1815H I/3/9 VIC 215110 PLATOON PATROL ENG'D S/A FIRE AND A/W FIRE FROM A NW DIRECTION FROM AN EST. ENEMY PLATOON. "I" CO. RETURNED FIRE, 60MM AND 81MM MORTAR FIRE, AN AO RAN A STRAFING RUN. RESULTS: ADD 2 FR WIA.

F. AT 1530H A/1/9 VIC 195081 ON TACTICAL MOVE CONTACT WAS MADE WITH ENEMY. "A" CO PROCEEDED ON MOVE WITH S/A FIRE, A/W FIRE 81 AND 60 MORTAR FIRE. FOUND 1 M-16 3 RPG RDS, 2 82MM RDS, 3 AK-47 MAGAZINES, 3 BODIES. ADD 3 NVA KIA(C), 1 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 205114 ON THE HIGH 3/9 REPORTED A SIGN CAVED INTO A TREE BESIDE A TRAIL READING RM21.

B. AIR BDA REPORT: VIC 215106 2 KBA: VIC 155034 1 23MM AA GUN DESTROYED. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 2205H I/9 VIC 196082 REPORTS 6 KBA ON 14 FEB 69 AND 1 KILLED BY ARTY. ADD 10 NVA KIA(C).

D. AT 2030H G/1/9 VIC 193085 L.P. REPORTED MOVEMENT TO THEIR FRONT AND REAR. L.P. FIRED S/A FIRE, NO RETURN FIRE. NEG RESULTS.

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A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

B. BUSHMASTER REPORT: D-17, J-8, U-6, CC-3, EE-4.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 10 WIAE 168 WIANE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 268 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW (NVA) 2

C. IWC 134 CSWC 5

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD -	RESULTS
C/1/9	1	1	YD 196086	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 133095	N/A
F2/9	1	1	YD 153087	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 133095	N/A
I/3/9	1	1	YD 216107	N/A

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SITREP NR 90 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 142400H-150600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: -

CP/A/C/1/9 YD 196082	G/2/9 YD 133095
B/1/9 YD 182079	H/2/9 YD 144075
D/1/9 YD 168089	GP/3/9 YD 206110
CP/2/9 YD 164107	I/3/9 YD 216107
E/2/9 YD 133095	K/3/9 YD 208100
F/2/9 YD 156076	L/3/9 YD 184136
	M/3/9 YD 206110

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 40 WIAE 168 WIANE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 268 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 134 CSWC 5

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SITREP NR 91 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 150600H-151200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

D/1/9 YD 182079

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0830H, 1/3/9 VIC YD 208107 TOOK SMALL ARM AND A/W FIRE AND 1 RD OF 60MM MORTARS. RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A AND 60MM MORTARS. NEG RESULTS OR CASUALTIES REPORTED SO FAR.

B. AT 0855H, K/3/9 VIC YD 208096 PATROL SAW 1 NVA WALKING SOUTH DOWN TRAIL. ENEMY TAKEN UNDER FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 110930H K/3/9 VIC YD 208105 REPORTED ONE ADDITIONAL WIAE NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. ADD 1 PR WIAE.

B. AT 0910H, L/3/9 VIC YD 189124 PATROL FOUND 1 NVA BODY ALONG TRAIL WHICH APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED BY SHRAPNEL

3-4 DAYS AGO. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

C. LATE ENTRY: FOR BDA-12 FEB 69 (REF SITREP NR 81 PARA 4B), VIC YD 053012, INCLUDE 6 ADDITIONAL KBA. ADD 6 NVA KIA(C).

D. AT 1030H, BD RELAY CHARLIE VIC YD 099378 REPORTED HEARING TREES BEING FELLED SOUTH OF THEIR POSITION. ARTY MISSION CALLED & AO REQUESTED.

E. AT 1130H, M/3/9 VIC YD 208117 FOUND 3 BUNKERS 5x8x10 FT, 2 5x10x20 FT, AND 3 SHELTERS 8x15x35 FT-AND 1 8x10x20 FT, AND MISC LIVING GEAR. AREA APPEARS TO BE 6 MONTHS OLD. BUNKERS & SHELTERS DESTROYED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 40 WIAE 169 WIAE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 275 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. INC 134 CSWC 5

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SITREP NR 92 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 151200H-151800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

9TH MAR CP YD 184136

G/2/9 YD 133095

CP/A/C/1/9 YD 196082

H/2/9 YD 144075

B/1/9 YD 183075

CP/M/3/9 YD 206110

D/1/9 YD 183076

I/3/9 YD 216107

CP/2/9 YD 164167

K/3/9 YD 208100

E/2/9 YD 133095

L/3/9 YD 184136

F/2/9 YD 156076

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1300H, I/3/9 VIC YD 217107 RECEIVED 8 60MM MORTAR RDS RESULTING IN 2 WIAE. FIRED 60MM MORTAR MISSION AND REQUESTED AO. ADD 1 WIAE.

B. AT 1230H, I/3/9 VIC YD 213105 POINT ELEMENT MADE CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED 10 NVA. RECEIVED S/A AND A/W FIRE AND RETURNED S/A FIRE AND 60MM MORTARS.

C. AT 1400H, K/3/9 VIC YD 215095 RECEIVED 5 60MM MORTAR RDS. ENEMY POSITION COULD NOT BE DETERMINED DUE TO DENSE VEGETATION; DIRECTION ESTIMATED 6200 MIL. NEG CASUALTIES.

D. AT 1445H, F/2/9 VIC YD 153082 RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE FROM 3-4 NVA WOUNDING ONE MARINE. CALLED IN ARTY. SWEEPING AREA AT THIS TIME. ADD 1 WIAE.

E. AT 1400H, CP/2/9 VIC YD 163111 SAW 3-4 ENEMY MOVING NW-SE. ONE WAS WEARING GREEN UNIFORM WITH RED, BLACK & GRAY SHOULDER PATCH & HELMET AND ONE WEARING BLACK SHIRT & GREEN TROUSERS AND WEARING CARTRIDGE BELT. ALSO HEARD AK-47 FIRE AT CHOPPER FROM SAME VICINITY. WILL SEND PATROL INTO AREA TO SET UP AMBUSH.

F. AT 1228H, CP/1/9 ARTY REP VIC YD 196076 REPORTED ARTY FIRED ON BUNKERS, RESULTING IN 3 NVA KIA(C), 4 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

G. AT 1400H-1500H 2/9 VIC YD 164107 RECEIVED 8 RDS OF ESTIMATED 120MM TO 130MM FROM DIRECTION 3900 MILS. ESTIMATED DISTANCE 8 KM OR MORE. FIRED ARTY ON SUSPECTED POSITION. NEGATIVE CASUALTIES.

H. AT 1545H, F/2/9 VIC YD 153075 WAS FIRED ON BY 3 AUTOMATIC WEAPONS. ENEMY BELIEVED TO HAVE WITHDRAWN TO SW. NEG CASUALTIES.

I. AT 1412H-1612H, COLORADO "M" AO VIC YD 069977 SPOTTED ACTIVE 122MM ARTY PEECE AND KILLING 3 NVA. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C). ARTY PEECE DEST.

J. AT 151416H-151616H PROTRACTOR "A" (2/12 AO) VIC YD 075031 SPOTTED BULL DOZER TYPE VEHICLE. RAN FIXED WING ON VEHICLE AND BUNKER AREA DAMAGING VEHICLE.

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K. AT 1700H, C/1/9 VIC YD 194085 RECEIVED ONE BURST OF A/W FIRE. RETURNED FIRE WITH 60MM MORTARS & M-79'S. ENEMY FIRE CEASED. NEG CASUALTIES.

L. LATE ENTRY: AT 1240H, A/1/9 VIC YD 194082 SPOTTED NVA IN TREE. SHIPER FIRED ON NVA RESULTING IN 1 EN KIA(C). ADD 1 EN KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1250H, "CHISEL 7" VIC YD 075134 REPORTED SIGHTING OF 5 HOOCHEES 40x20 FT AND 15x10 FT AND SMALL FOOTBRIDGE. HOOCHEES DESTROYED BY FIRE.

B. AT 1245H, M/3/9 VIC YD 151245 FOUND 2 SHELTERS 10x20x30 FT WITH BUNKERS INSIDE MEASURING 5x6x8 FT. SHELTER WALLS WERE APPROX 1 FT THICK. ALSO FOUND ONE E-TOOL, 1 AK-47 MAG & 1 ANIMAL PEN.

C. AT 1230H, I/3/9 VIC YD 213105 FOUND 12 FIGHTING HOLES, 1 NVA PACK WITH PERSONAL GEAR, BELT FOR RPD & 1 GRAVE WITH TWO BODIES. ADD 2 NVA(C).

D. AT 1649H, L/3/9 FSB CUNNINGHAM RECEIVED 2 ARTY RDS COMING FROM 260 DEGREES. RDS LANDED APPROX 300 METERS IN FRONT OF PERIMETER.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 40 WIAE 174 WIANE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 284 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 134 CSWC 5

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITH OUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 93 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 151800H-152400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 0130H, C/1/9 HAD ENEMY PROBE FROM ESTIMATED NVA, RECEIVING 2 RPG ROUNDS, WHICH WENT OFF IN AIR BLASTS. NEG CASUALTIES. ARTILLERY CALLED IN, NEG RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1820H, PROTRACTOR "A" REPORTED DESTROYING A 122MM ARTY PIECE AT YD 075032.

B. ON 15 FEB 24/2/9 REPORTED FINDING 1 NVA DECIMATED BY ARTY: ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 2015H, E/2/9 VIC YD 231092 HEARD DEFINATE MOVEMENT ON ROAD. CALLED IN 81MM FIRE MISSION ON ENEMY ESTIMATED 5-6 NVA.

D. KAT KILLER E2 SPOTTED 2 1/2 TON NVA TRUCK VIC YD 075032 DESTROYED SAME.

E. AT 1515H, SEAWORTHY 97-6 VIC YD 994032 SPOTTED NVA IN THE OPEN. AIR STRIKE WAS RUN. KILLING 3NVA KBA. ADD 3 NVA KIA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-19, J-5, U-3, CC-4, EE-7

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 40 WIANE 174 WIANE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 288 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 134 CSWC 5

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
A/1/9	1	1	YD 194082	N/A
C/1/9	2	0	YD 196082	N/A
E/2/9	2	0	YD 133095	N/A
F/2/9	1	0	YD 156076	N/A
G/2/9	1	0	YD 133095	N/A

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DRAFTER: 3W/BWR: JH

RELEASED BY: B.W. RAY 1/LT. *MBMayer for*IMMEDIATE 171019 ZFEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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1020Z/ACB/CCN-1193
SUPVR KSD

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 94 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 152400H-160600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATI CNS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WH ILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1245H, M/3/9 VIC YD 208119 FOUND 3 FRENCH CARBINES, 2 SKS RIFLES AND ONE AUTOMATIC WPN. ADD 6 IWC.

B. I/3/9 CONTACT OF 151230H, ERRONEOUSLY REPORTED 1 WIA. DELETE 1 WIA.

C. ADD 8 KBAS NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED FOR KILLS ON 12 FEB. ADD 8 NVA KIA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 140- WIAE 173. WIANE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 296 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 140 CSWC 5

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FROM: NINTH MAR

17 FEB 69

1020Z/ACB/CON-1192

TO: CG, TP HOTEL

SUPVR RDD

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SIGNED NR 95 OP DENNY CANYON FROM 160600H-161200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/6/1/9 YD 197079	0/2/9 YD 133095
B/1/1/9 YD 183075	CP/3/9 YD 206107
CP/2/9 YD 161107	I/3/9 YD 220100
E/2/9 YD 133095	K/3/9 YD 210099
E/2/9 YD 141075	L/3/9 YD 181136
F/2/9 YD 156075	M/3/9 YD 206107

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 2000H, C/1/9 VIC YD 191085 LP SPOTTED ESTIMATED ENEMY PLATOON MOVING TOWARDS THEM, OPENED UP WITH M-77 FIRE. ENEMY RETREATED, D RAGGING SEVERAL PERSONNEL. RES: 6 NVA KIA(C). AT 2310H, LP AGAIN HAD MOVEMENT, RECEIVED 1 CHICOM GRENADE. LP RETURNED FIRE WITH CLAYMORE, RESULTING IN 3 NVA KIA(C). AT 0115H, ENEMY COMMENCED ATTACK FROM SE WITH GRENADE FIRE. "G" COMPANY RETURNED M-79, 60MM AND M-26 GRENADES, RESULTING IN 3 NVA KIA(C). AT 0220H, 1 ENEMY OBSERVED. "G" COMPANY USED SMALL ARMS FIRE, RESULTING IN 1 NVA KIA(C). AT 0330H, LP TAKEN UNDER FIRE WITH CHICOM GRENADE. NO FR CASUALTIES. TOTAL: ADD 13 NVA KIA(C).

B. AT 0900H, K/3/9 VIC YD 207100 REAR ELEMENTS PROBED BY UNKNOWN SIZED ENEMY FORCE FIRING S/A FIRE. "K" COMPANY RETURNED S/A FIRE. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA.

C. AT 0930H, K/3/9 VIC YD 209099 STILL IN CONTACT. REAR ELEMENT WAS ATTACKED BY 15-20 NVA IN A WELL COORDINATED ATTACK. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA'S.

D. AT 1100H, I/3/9 VIC YD 220075 RECEIVED 10 RDS OF 60MM FIRE FROM YD 219097. "I" CO FIRED 81MM MORTARS AND RAN AIR STRIKE. RESULTS: ADD 3 FR KIA'S.

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 160116H, B/1/9 VIC YD 185078 HEARD MOVEMENT 15 METERS FROM PERIMETER. "B" CO THREW 2 HAND GRENADES. HEARD MOANING, 1 BODY BEING DRUGGED AWAY. ADD 1 EN KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0325H, I/3/9 VIC YD 218105 TOOK PORTIONS OF 2 SETS OF COMM WIRE.

B. AT 0930H, I/3/9 VIC YD 215105 SEARCHING AREA OF 1 5 FEB CONTACT FOUND 3 BODIES, 1 50 CAL POSITIONS, 2 BUNKERS, 15 BOXES OF 50 CAL AMMO, 9 RPG RDS WITH BOOSTERS. DESTROYED BUNKERS AND AMMO. ADD 3 NVA KIA'S(C).

C. AT 1015H, I/3/9 VIC YD 191104 FOUND TRAIL RUNNING NE TO SW, TWO BUNKERS, ASSORTED CLOTHING AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS. BUNKERS & GEAR.

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5. PLANS:
 1. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 DAY AGES.
 6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 A. FRIENDLY: KIA 1 WIAF 180 WIAHE 36
 B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 313 DETAINMENT: TOTAL 10 PW (NVA) 2
 C. TWO 212 CSWC 1

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IMMEDIATE 171021 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR 17 FEB 69 1024Z/AGB/CCN-113

TO: CG, TP HOTEL

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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
 SITREP NR 96 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 161200H-161800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/C/1/9 YD 197079	H/2/9 YD 156060
B-/1/9 YD 183075	CP/3/9(-) YD 208100
D-/1/9 YD 178062	I/3/9 YD 230096
CP/2/9 YD 164107	K/3/9 YD 215095
E/2/9 YD 128077	L/3/9 YD 184136
F/2/9 YD 130071	M-/3/9 YD 208100
G/2/9 YD 157055	M-/3/9 PLT & CP-/3/9 YD 208110

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D PCS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 2125H, D/1/9 VIC YD 182065 LEAD ELEMENTS TAKEN UNDER SNIPER FIRE. "D" CO RETURNED S/A, A/W, AND M-79 FIRE. AO CALLED A/W AND ARTILLERY. RESULTS: ADD 2 PR WIA.

B. AT 1015H, B/1/9 VIC YD 184075 CP HEARD 3-4 ENEMY, SAW 1 ENEMY IN GRAY CLOTHES. "B" CO FIRED M-16 AND M-60 FIRE. NEG RES. AT 1500H, B/1/9 FOUND 2 BODIES. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 1605H, D/1/9 VIC YD 177059 LEAD ELEMENTS OF COLUMN RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE. RETURNED WITH S/A, A/W & RAN FIRED WING. AREA TO BE CHECKED IN AM. ADD 2 WIAE.

D. AT 1740H, M/3/9 VIC YD 208100 WHILE SETTING IN PERIMETER REC'D SEVERAL RDS. OF S/A FIRE FROM 1 LOCATION RESULTING IN 1 PR WIAE.

E. AT 1500H, I/3/9 VIC YD 225098 OBSERVED 1 NVA, ONE CARRYING WEAPON & 3 WITH PACKS. FIRED ARTY MISSION WITH GOOD COVERAGE. RESULTS UNKNOWN.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: 152000H, C/1/9 VIC YD 194085 HAD 2 TRIP FLARES TAKEN BY ENEMY AND 1 CLAYMORE WIRE CUT.

B. AT 1430H, L/3/9 VIC YD 184138 LP SAW 3 MEN, WITH NO WEAPONS 1 MAN IN BLACK TROUSERS, NO SHIRT, 1 MAN IN GRAY SHIRT AND TROUSERS, NO PACK, THIRD NOT OBSERVED. MEN DISSAPPEARED BEFORE ACTION COULD BE TAKEN.

C. AT 1600H, E/2/9 VIC YD 128077 REC'D 7-8 SNIPER RDS FROM LONG RANGE (UP TO 400 METERS). REC'D WHAT IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN ARROWS FROM CROSS BOWS. USED "E" CO SNIPERS, NEG RESULTS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D PCS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 41 WIAE 185 WIAE 36

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 315 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. INC 140 CSWG 5

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FROM: NINTH MAR

18FEB69/RWF/1040Z/CCN:1299
SUPVRTO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 97 OP DIANEY CANYON FROM 161800H-162400H F EB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/2/9 YD 164107	G/2/9 YD 127079
E/2/9 YD 131070	H/2/9 YD 157055
F/2/9 YD 153070	ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1805H, G/2/9 VIC YD 130071 REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM 3 SNIPERS VIC YD 133096. RETURNED FIRE, RESULTING IN ONE PW WIAE. ADD 1 WIAE.

B. AT 1610H, E/2/9 VIC YD 126070 REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM ALL DIRECTIONS. RETURNED FIRE, CALLED IN ARTY, CALLED FOR AS ON STATION. SNIPERS FIRED ON REAR THEN ESTIMATED 18 NVA HIT FRONT OF COLUMN WITH S/A FIRE. RETURNED FIRE AND FLUSHED OUT SNIPERS, KILLING 8. MOST OF THEM SHOT OUT OF TREES. ADD 9 WIAE, AND 8 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 0845H, K/3/9 HAD CONTACT LASTING TO 1400H AT VIC YD 215095. WERE HIT WITH A/W F IRE & RPG, 60MM MORTAR FIRE FROM ESTIMATED NVA PLT OR LARGER UNIT, RESULTING IN 6 WIAE, 14 NVA(C), AND 5 IWC, 1 AK-47 & 4 SES'S.

D. AT 2210H, B/1/9 VIC YD 184076 SAW SMALL LIGHT 30 METERS IN FRONT OF LINES. FIRED M-79 & THREW M-26'S. ADD 1 NVA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. RECON REPORTS: AT 1705H, "HAYRIDE" VIC YD 118127, PRIOR TO INSERTION HELICOPTER GUNNER OPENED UP ON 5 NVA, KILLING ONE. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1055H-1300H "CHISEL 7" (AIR CAV) VIC YD 067152 SPOTTED 10 BUNKERS AND 1 HUT. AT 1255H-1455H "PROTRACTOR ALPHA" (2/12 AO), VIC YD 145024 SPOTTED 1 NVA AND 50 CAL POSITION WITH 100 METER TRENCH LINE. RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING GUN POSITION AND 100 METER TRENCH LINE. 2 NVA(C) AND 1 SECONDARY. AT 1055H-1300H "CHISEL 7" SPOTTED 4 HUTS VIC YD 072186 DESTROYING THEM WITH GUNSHIP STRIKES.

C. AT 2130H, A/1/9 VIC YD 208078 LIGHT WAS SPOTTED. APPEARED TO BE MATCH STRUCK 5 TIMES.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 11	WIAE 201	WIAE 36
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 301	DETAINERS: TOTAL 10	PW(NVA) 2
C. IWC 115	CSWC 5	

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7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
A/1/9	1	1	YD 197079	N/A
C/1/9	1	1	YD 197079	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 128077	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 156060	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 130071	N/A
I/3/9	1	1	YD 220100	N/A

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RELEASED BY: B.W. RAY 1/LT. *Donny W. Ray*

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FROM: NINTH MAR

18FEB69 1042Z/TEM/CCN;1300

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 98 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 162400H-170600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WH ILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WH ILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:A. FRIENDLY: KIA 41 WIAE 201 WIAHE 36B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 311 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2C. IWC 115 CSWC 5

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RELEASED BY: G.L. WLESCAMP 1 /LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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SITREP NR 99 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 170600H-171200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 YD 197079	G/2/9 YD 125075
AI/6/1/9 YD 197079	G/2/9 FLT YD 127079
BI/1/9 YD 183099	H/2/9 YD 156056
D/1/9 YD 177056	CP/M/3/9 YD 208100
CP/2/9 YD 163108	I/3/9 YD 230091
E/2/9 YD 127079	K/3/9 YD 215095
F/2/9 YD 153070	L/3/9 YD 184136

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACT S:

A. AT 170405H, FSB CUNNINGHAM WAS ATTACKED FROM 3 SIDES, NORTH SOUTH, AND WEST. PERIMETER WAS PENETRATED BY AT LEAST 13 SAPPERS WHO WERE KILLED. MANY SAPPERS WERE ARMED WITH RPG AND SACHEL CHARGES, B AMB00 MINES AND GRENADES. SAPPERS WERE PROCEEDED AND SUPPORTED BY 60MM AND 82MM MORTARS. GROUND ATTACK FOLLOWED WITH THE USE OF S/A, MACHINE GUNS, RPG'S AND MORTARS. SAPPERS WERE WEARING ONLY OLIVE GREEN SHORTS AND SKULL CAPS. ALL CARRYING PACKS OF GRENADES, RPG AND DEMO. FLARE SHIP WAS CALLED ON STATION AND HQ AT CUNNINGHAM AND ERSKINE. CONTACT WAS BROKEN AT 0700H HOW "E" BTRY HEAVY DAMAGED. ADD 1 FR KIA'S, 16 WIA'S (5 WIAE), 37 EN KIA (C), 11 DVC'S. ALSO CAPTURED 26 RPG RDS, 25 FRAG GRENADES, 25 CG GRENADES, 253 BAMBOO EXPLOSIVE DEVICES, 7 RIFLE GRENADES, 12 PACKS, 2 RADIOS, NUMEROUS SIGNAL FLARES.

B. AT 0900H, K/3/9 VIC YD 217091 HAD THEIR LEAD ELEMENT COME UNDER FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 5 NVA FIRING LIGHT MACHINE GUN S/A, AND RPG. RETURNED S/A AND WHILE SEARCHING AREA FOUND ONE RPG BOOSTER AND ASSORTED DOCUMENTS. HAD 2 FR WIA'S. ADD 2 FR WIA.

C. AT 0930H, G/2/9 VIC YD 125076 CAME UNDER FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 15-20 SNIPERS. RETURNING S/A FIRE HAVE CALLED IN AO AND ARTY MISSION. HAVE 2 F R KIA AND 1 NVA (C). ADD 2 FR KIA'S, 1 EN KIA (C).

D. AT 0945H, M/3/9 VIC YD 208100 REC'D S/A, CHIGOMS, AND RPG FROM UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF NVA. RETURNED S/A AND M-79. HAD 2 MARINES WOUNDED. ADD 2 FR WIAE.

E. AT 1030H, K/3/9 WAS ADVANCING ON BUNKER COMPLEX WHEN IT REC'D A/W FIRE ON POINT. BLOOD SOAKED BATTLE DRESSINGS FOUND AS WELL AS 1 B-40 ROCKET ROUND. BUNKER DESTROYED. NEG CASUALTIES.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1600H, L/3/9 VIC YD 185131 FOUND BLOOD ON TRAIL OUTSIDE LINES, ALSO FOUND SMOKING TOBACCO AND UNDETERMINED SUBSTANCE.

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5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 47 MIAE 213 WIAWE 71
 B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 378 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW (MVA) 2
 C. INC 156 CSWC 5

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 100 OF DEMETRY CANYON FROM 171200H-171800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

GP/A/6/1/9 YD 198060	G/2/9 YD 125075
B/1/9 YD 183075	G/2/9 PLT YD 127079
D/1/9 YD 177056	H/2/9 YD 158044
GP/2/9 YD 163108	GP/3/9 YD 208100
E/2/9 YD 127079	I/3/9 YD 230094
F/2/9 YD 158048	K/3/9 YD 215095
L/3/9 YD 184136	M/3/9 YD 208100

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. 3/9 REPORTED CONSTRUCTION OF A LZ VIC YD 208117 MEASURING 30x25 METERS, WITH CAPACITY OF 1 CH-46.

B. 3/9 REPORTED LZ CONSTRUCTED ON 14 FEB, VIC YD 215110 MEASURING 40x30 METERS WITH CAPACITY OF 1 CH-46.

C. 3/9 REPORTED LZ CONSTRUCTED ON 14 FEB VIC YD 217117 MEASURING 45x30 METERS WITH CAPACITY OF 1 CH-53.

D. 3/9 REPORTED LZ CONSTRUCTED ON 17 FEB, VIC YD 230094 MEASURING 30x30 METERS WITH CAPACITY OF 1 CH-46.

E. 2/9 REPORTED CONSTRUCTION OF LZ ON 17 FEB VIC YD 158048 MEASURING 50x50 FEET, CAN ONLY ACCOMMODATE DOUBLE SLING.

F. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1200H, K/3/9 VIC YD 218094 FOUND A 60MM MORTAR POS IN A 30 METER CLEARING. ALSO 60MM MORTAR RDS WITH 2 CANS OF INCREMENTS AND 2 CANS OF FOOD, 1 NVA SHOVEL AND 1 E-TOOL.

B. AT 1345H, H/2/9 HAD CONTACT WITH UNDETERMINED NO. OF NVA. CLOSING WITH NVA AT THIS TIME.

C. AT 1415H, H/2/9 VIC YD 158045 TOOK AUTO WPNS FIRE FROM 5 NVA ON LEFT FLANK. HAD 3 WIA WHO HAVE BEEN MEDEVACED. ADD 3 WIA.

D. AT 1445H, K/3/9 VIC YD 218094 REC'D 1 RD OF SNIPER FIRE. RETURNED WITH S/A FIRE. ADD 1 WIA.

E. AT 1425H, I/3/9 VIC YD 230094 WAS WAITING FOR INBOUND RE. SUPPLY BIRDS WHEN THE BIRDS CAME UNDER FIRE FROM APPROX 4 NVA. "I" CO RETURNED S/A FIRE AND FIRED A 60MM MISSION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

F. AT 1615H, 2/9 VIC YD 163108 REC'D 3 RDS OF NVA ARTY. DURING NEXT HALF HOUR REC'D 7 MORE ROUNDS FOR TOTAL OF 10 RDS.

G. AT 1630H, L/3/9 REC'D 9 RDS OF 122MM ARTY FROM SW. RDS WENT OVER POSITION INTO VALLEY AND ONE MADE IMPACT ON RIDGE.

H. LATE ENTRY: AT 0930H, A/1/9 PLT VIC YD 195084 TOOK S/A FIRE AND GRENADES FROM 3 OR MORE NVA. RETURNED S/A AND 60MM MISSION. ADD 1 FR WIA.

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4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
A. FRIENDLY: KIA 47 WIAE 28 WIAWE 74
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 378 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2
C. INC 156 CSWC 5

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DRAFTER: 3W/MMM;RJK

RELEASED BY :M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

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SITREP NR 101 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 171800H-172400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/G/L/9 YD 198060	H/2/9 YD 158045
B/1/9 YD 183075	CE/3/9 YD 208100
D/1/9 YD 177046	I/3/9 YD 230094
GP/2/9 YD 163168	K/3/9 YD 215096
E/2/9 YD 127079	L/3/9 YD 181136
F/2/9 YD 158048	M/3/9 YD 208100
G/2/9 YD 127079	G/2/9 YD 184136

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. EFFECTIVE AT 171700H, FEB 69, 9TH MAR ASSUMES OPCON OF G/2/3 AND PASSES OPCON TO 9TH MAR SAME LOC. 9TH MAR PASSES OPCON SAME DTG TO 3/9.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1830H, M/3/9 VIC YD 208100 REC'D 2 RPG RDS & AK-47 FIRE. "M" CO RETURNED S/A FIRE, 60MM FIRE, AO CALLED ON STATION. RESULTS: ADD 5 FR WIA.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1245H, B/1/9 VIC YD 191066 HEARD MORTARS FIRE, SIGHTED MUZZLE FLASHES, 2 TUMES AND 3 NVA. RDS LANDED AT YD 183072. "B" CO FIRED 60MM MORTARS, CALLED IN ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES. NEG RESULTS.

C. AT 1150H, A/1/9 VIC YD 198070 SAW 2 NVA IN GREEN UNIFORMS. "A" CO KILLED 1 WITH S/A FIRE, AND HE FELL OFF A CLIFF. "A" CO WOUNDED THE OTHER AND HE FELL OFF THE CLIFF. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C).

D. LATE ENTRY: AT 162300H-162400H, G/2/9 VIC YD 131100 HEARD MOVEMENT. CALLED IN ARTILLERY, WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 170805H, G/2/9 VIC YD 128079 POINT REC'D LONG RANGE SNIPER FIRE FROM 4 NVA, BEGAN TO MANEUVER, AND THE NVA MOVED TO SOUTH. "G" CO REC'D HEAVY SNIPER FIRE, FROM SOUTH & WEST. "G" CO CONTINUED TO MANEUVER. AO CAUGHT NVA IN OPEN, STRAFED AND ROCKETED THEM AT 1500H. AT 1630H, AO AGAIN OBSERVED NVA FLEEING WEST, AND RAN FIXED WING STRIKES. RESULTS: ADD 5 FR KIA, 12 FR WIAE, 39 NVA KIA(C). ALL NVA WERE DRESSED IN GRAY UNIFORMS.

F. LATE ENTRY: AT 1145H, G/2/9 VIC YD 133098 MARINE SNIPER OBSERVED 3 NVA IN THE OPEN. KILLED TWO. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C). IN GRAY UNIFORMS).

G. LATE ENTRY: AT 1640H, G/2/9 VIC YD 159038 REC'D LIGHT MACHINE GUN AND AK-47 FIRE FROM ESTIMATED PLATOON IN BUNKERS. "G" CO RETURNED M-72, AND M-79 FIRE. NO RETURN FIRE FROM THE ENEMY. RESULTS: ADD 2 FR KIA, AND 2 FR WIAE.

H. LATE ENTRY: AT 1700H, G/1/9 VIC YD 195059 REC'D FIRE FROM EAST, SOUTH, AND WEST BY SMALL UNITS ON GROUND AND SNIPERS IN TREES. TOTAL ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED TO BE PLT (-). 7 EN KILLED, 2 BN SNIPERS. RESULTS: ADD 2 FR WIAE, AND 7 EN KIA(C).

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1. LATE ENTRY: AT 1730H, C/1/9 VIC YD 195059 HAD 3 ENEMY APPROACH LINES ON TRAIL AND OPEN UP WITH S/A FIRE. "C" CO RE. TURNED S/A FIRE AND M-26'S. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIAE, AND 1 EN KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1715H, L/3/9 VIC YD 185134 HAD 3 MEN WOUNDED WHEN GRASS FIRE STARTED BY A TRIP FLARE AND BLEW A NVA 60MM RD. ADD 3 WIAE.

B. ADD 1 EN KIA NOT ADDED FROM SITREP # 99, PARA 3C. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 2015H, 2/9 REPORTS BRILLIANT FIRE AND FLASH LASTING 15 SECONDS VIC YD 118043, AS SECONDARY-FROM ARTILLERY MISSION.

D. AT 1930H, 9TH MAR VIC YD 184136 (FSB CUNNINGHAM) TOOK 1 INCOMING ARTILLERY RD. ROUND PASSED OVER HILL AND WENT OFF IN VALLEY TO THE EAST. NEG CASUALTIES.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 9, WIAE 246, WIANE 74

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 134, DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. INC 156 CSWG 5

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
A/1/9	1	1	YD 195060	N/A
C/1/9	1	1	YD 195060	2 KIA(C)
E/2/9	1	1	YD 127079	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 158048	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 125075	2 KIA(C)
I/3/9	1	1	YD 230094	N/A

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SITREP NR 102 OP DENEY CANYON FROM 172400H-180600H FEB 69

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1. UNIT LOCATIONS:-

D/1/9 YD 177056

H(-)/2/9 YD 158045

H/2/9 PLT 151050

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 4 WIAE 246 WIAHE 7B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 131 DETAINERS: TOTAL 10 PW(MVA) 2C. IWC 156 CSWC 5

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LITREP NR 103 OF DEMEX CANYON FROM 180600H-181200H FEB 69

UNIT LOCATIONS:

B/1/9 YD 177056

L/3/9 YD 230094

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: 171800H, 1/9 FO VIC YD 188068 FIRED ARTY MISSILE ON ACTIVE MORTAR POSITION, DESTROYING MORTAR AND KILLING 2 ENEMY. ADD 2 NVA(C).

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 180450H, C/1/9 VIC YD 199059 HAD LP REPORT LARGE AMOUNT OF ENEMY MOVEMENT COMING UP DRAW. FIRED 7 RDS OF 60MM MORTAR ON ENEMY POSITION. ENEMY WITHDREW. UNKNOWN RESULTS. AREA WILL BE CHECKED.

C. AT 0850H, A/1/9 VIC YD 197061 REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM 1-2 NVA, RESULTING IN 2 PR WOUNDED. RETURNED HEAVY VOLUME OF FIRE WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. ADD 2 WIAE.

D. AT 0900H, C/1/9 VIC YD 197061 SAW 2 NVA APPROACHING FROM SOUTHWEST. GRENADEIER OPENED FIRE KILLING 1 NVA. AN AK-47 WITH 4 MAGAZINES & ASSORTED 782 FOUND. ADD 1 NVA(C) AND 1 INC.

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 172315H, CP/1/9 VIC YD 163007 HEARD MOVEMENT NEAR PERIMETER. THREW ONE FRAG GRENADE. SEARCH OF AREA THIS MORNING DISCLOSED ONE NVA BODY. ADD 1 NVA(C).

F. AT 0940H, A/1/9 VIC YD 197062 PLATOON RAN INTO HEAVY RESISTANCE FROM ESTIMATED NVA PLATOON WELL DUG IN WITH A/W. TRAIL IN AREA HAD STEPS CUT IN IT INDICATING IT HAD BEEN USED OVER A LONG PERIOD OF TIME. CALLED AIR & ARTY ON ENEMY RESULTING IN 10 ENEMY KILLED BY AIR & ARTY AND 10 BY S/A FIRE. ADD 20 NVA(C), & 2 WIAE PR. ALSO FOUND MISC 782 GEAR & S/A RDS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 171800H, M/3/9 VIC YD 208100 TOOK 3 RPG RDS & RETURNED FIRE. CHECKED AREA IN AM FINDING 1 NVA BODY & 1 AK-47 RIFLE. ADD 1 NVA BODY AND 1 INC.

B. AT 171200H, L/3/9 VIC YD 184136 FOUND NEW TRAIL 125-150 METERS WEST OF PERIMETER. ALSO FOUND 7 BLOODY DRAG TRAILS & FOUND SEVERAL EMPTY PACKS, BAMBOO GRENADES, BATTLE DRESSINGS, & 1 KNIFE. CHECKED OUT TRAILS WITH NEG RESULTS.

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C. AT 171900H, L/3/9 VIC YD 184136 HEARD MOVEMENT TO FRONT OF LP. HAD ONE GRENADE THROWN AT THEIR POSITION, AND LP WAS WITHDRAWN. NEG CASUALTIES.

D. AT 180500H, L/3/9 VIC YD 184136 HEARD MOVEMENT AND 5 MINUTES LATER REC'D A GRENADE. RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A & M-79'S, WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

E. AT 172000H-180415H, C/1/9 VIC YD 195047 HEARD MOVEMENT OF TRACKED VEHICLE APPARENTLY PRECEDED BY TROOPS HACKING PATH FOR VEHICLE. IN VIC YD 196055 FIRED 105MM & 155MM ARTY MISSION WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. AN ESTIMATED 30 SECONDARIES WERE OBSERVED BY AN A0 AND BY "C" COMPANY. AT 0230H, "C" COMPANY HEARD SOUND LIKE VEHICLE PULLING BACK. AREA WILL BE CHECKED IN AM.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 51 WIAE 250 WIAE 7
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 152 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2
 C. IWC 158 CSWC 5

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SITREP NR 104 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 181200H-181800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

9TH MAR CT YD 184136	F/2/9 YD 149044
CP/A/6/1/9 YD 198060	H/2/9 YD 152043
B/D/1/9 YD 177056	CP/K/3/9 YD 215095
CP/2/9 YD 163108	I/3/9 YD 230094
E/G/2/9 YD 127079	L/3/9 YD 232092
M-/3/9 YD 218094	N/3/9 PLT YD 224089

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. HELICOPT OF L/3/9 FROM YD 184136 BEGAN AT 1100H, AND WAS COMPLETED AT 1455H TO VIC YD 230094.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1310H, CP/2/9 VIC YD 164107 RECEIVED APPROX 30 RDS OF INCOMING MORTARS, TWO OF WHICH HIT NEAR THE PERIMETER WOUNDING 2 MARINES. 81BS AND ARTY FIRING MISSIONS ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS (YD 135105). ADD 6 WIAE.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 0915H, C/1/9 VIC YD 197057 POINT ELEMENT OF SECURITY PATROL CAME IN CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED 4 ENEMY. THE ENEMY OPENED FIRE WITH A/W FROM ENTRENCHED POSITIONS, WOUNDING 2 MARINES. PATROL DEPLOYED & ATTACKED, KILLING 3 OF THE ENEMY. PATROL WITHDREW WHEN THEY PUSHED INTO A LARGE BUNKER COMPLEX AND CALLED IN FIXED WING AIRSTRIKES. ADD 2 WIAE AND 7 NVA CONFIRMED.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1230H, B/1/9 VIC YD 176055 RECEIVED ONE RPG ROUND WHILE SETTING IN RESULTING IN 3 WOUNDED MARINES. ADD 3 WIAE.

D. AT 1345H, G/2/9 VIC YD 124077 REC'D HEAVY SNIPER FIRE. AO STATION WILL MAKE SURVEILLANCE OF AREA. 3 WIAE, AND 7 NVA KIA (C).

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 1100H, D/1/9 VIC YD 176054 PATROL WAS ATTACKED BY ESTIMATED ENEMY PLT. "D" PATROL REC'D HEAVY A/W FIRE. PATROL WAS REINFORCED & WITHDREW TO IP & CALLED IN ARTY & AIR AND RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A. CONTACT RESULTED IN 3 PR KIA, 3 WIAE, AND 10 NVA KIA (C).

F. AT 1520H, A/1/9 VIC YD 198061 RECEIVED 8 60MM RDS FROM VIC YD 187053 WOUNDING 2 MARINES. CALLED ARTY MISSION ON ENEMY GRID AND HAD AO WORKING. ADD 2 WIAE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1600H, F/2/9 VIC YD 154043 FOUND AN AA POSITION, 1 HUT, AND 4 BUNKERS. WILL BE DESTROYED.

B. AT 1515H, L/3/9 VIC YD 231092 FOUND TUNNEL 75 METERS LONG. AT END IT DROPS OFF 20 FT TO ANOTHER TUNNEL WHICH RUNS 25 METERS, AT THE END OF WHICH IS AN EXIT. ALL TUNNELS HAVE MAKESHIFT RACKS AND THE TUNNEL IS 4-5 FT WIDE & REINFORCED BY BEAMS. INSIDE FOUND 3 HOME MADE LANTERNS, 222 60MM MORTAR RDS, 16 BOXES OF 60 MORTAR FUSES, AND 35 CANS OF INCREMENTS, 24 CHICOM GRENADES, 100 FT OF DET CORD, 100 VIALS OF PENCILLIN, 100 BLASTING CAPS.

TUNNEL FOUND HOLLOW TREE USED AS OF FOR DEFENSE
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6. SUMMATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 57 WIAE 269 WIANE 74
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 483 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 8
C. IWC 158 CSWC 5

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SITREP NR 105 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 181800H-182100H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:-

GP/1/9 YD 198060	H/2/9 YD 151043
A/1/9 YD 198060	CP/2/9 YD 215095
B/1/9 YD 177056	I/3/9 YD 230094
G/1/9 YD 198060	K/3/9 YD 215095
D/1/9 YD 177056	L/3/9 YD 232092
CP/2/9 YD 163108	M-/3/9 YD 218094
E/2/9 YD 127079	G/2/3 YD 184136
F/2/9 YD 149044	
G/2/9 YD 127079	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

✓ A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1510H, G/2/9 VIC YD 127078 STILL IN CONTACT RESULTING IN 2 ADDITIONAL WIAE AND 11 NVA CONFIRMED IN ADDITION TO THOSE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. ADD 2 WIAE AND 11 NVA KIA (C).

B. AT 1625H, M/3/9 VIC YD 223086 WAS PROCEEDING TO HIGH GROUND WHEN HIT WITH 8 RPG RDS AND S/A FIRE FROM 1 NVA. RETURNED FIRE, CALLING IN AIR SUPPORT. ADD 1 PR KIA, 6 PR WIA'S.

C. AT 2030H, G/2/3 VIC YD 183136 REC'D 1 INCOMING GRENADE. FIRED H&I INTO AREA. NEG CASUALTIES.

D. AT 2100H, CP/2/9 VIC YD 164112 AN LP FROM ERSKINE SPOTTED 3 NVA MOVING TOWARDS LINES. THREW FRAGS AND OPENED FIRE WITH S/A AND 81MM MISSION. ADD 1 NVA KIA (C).

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 0920H, SEAWORTHY 98-4 VIC YD 198055 SIGHTED PORTIFIED POS WITH NVA. AIR STRIKES RUN ON BUNKERS. DESTROYED 7 BUNKERS AND KILLED 3 NVA. ADD 3 NVA KIA (C).

F. AT 2330H, G/2/3 VIC FSB CUNNINGHAM REC'D ABOUT 30 ENEMY GRENADES & SPORADIC S/A FIRE, THROUGHOUT DURATION OF NIGHT. ESTI. MATED 2 ENEMY SQUADS. "G" CO RETURNED S/A FIRE, GRENADES, 60MM FIRE. NEG RESULTS, NEG CASUALTIES.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-28, J-4, U-8, CG-3, GG-7

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 58 WIAE 277 WIAE 71
B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 198 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW (NVA) 2
C. INC 158 CSWC 5

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT: 9 TEAMS EMPLOYED; NEG RESULTS.

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SITREP NR 106 OP DE WEY CANYON FROM 182400H-190600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. GP/2/9 LIFT FROM FSB ERSKINE TO VIC YD 132053Z

B. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSS ES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 58 WIAE 277 WIANE 71

B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 198 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

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SITREP NR 107 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 190600H-191200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/C/1/9 YD 198060	CP/3/9 YD 215095
B/1/9 YD 177056	I/3/9 YD 230094
D/1/9 YD 180054	K/3/9 YD 223088
CP/2/9 YD 184136	L/3/9 YD 236088
E/G/2/9 YD 127078	M/3/9 YD 228087
F/2/9 YD 139043	G/2/3 YD 184136
H/2/9 YD 149044	E/2/3 YD FSB ERSKINE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1845H, A/1/9 VIC YD 189056 REC'D S/A AND RPG FIRE, AND C/1/9 REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM 195058'. RETURNED 60MM AND ARTILLERY. RESULTS: ADD 2 NVA KIA(C), AND 9 PW WIANE.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 2315H, B/1/9 VIC YD 186062 OBSERVED

4 WHITE LIGHTS, 1 APPEARING TO LEAD OTHERS. ARTILLERY MISSION FIRED, EXCELLENT COVERAGE. RESULTS: 3 NVA KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 2117H, DELMAR 64 (D/1/9) REPORTED 11 KBA VIC YD 17100485. AT 1230H, DELMAR 64 (D/1/9) REPORTED 6 KBA'S VIC YD 17170506. ADD 17 ENEMY-KIA(C).

B. AT 0600H, 1/9 VIC YD 196037 REPORTED HEAVY TRACKED VEHICLE MOVEMENT THROUGH THE ABOVE GRID, RUNNING BOTH EAST AND WEST FROM 182400H TO APPROX 190530H. FIRED 155MM MISSION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 68 WIAE 277 WIANE 83

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 520 DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

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SITREP NR 108 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 191200H-191800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/C/1/9 YD 198060	CP/K/3/9 YD 223088
B/D/1/9 YD 182052	I/3/9 YD 230094
CP/E/2/9 YD 134070	L/3/9 YD 239094
F/2/9 YD 133048	M/3/9 YD 230086
G/2/9 YD 127079	H&S/(-)/3/9 YD 215095
H/2/9 YD 148044	E/2/3 FSB ERSKINE
G/2/3 FSB CUNNINGHAM	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. CP/2/9 LEFT FROM FSB ERSKINE TO VIC YD 134070 BEGAN AT 1520H, AND COMPLETED AT 1630H.

B. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 0920H, C/1/9 VIC YD 198077 PLATOON PATROL RAN INTO HEAVY ENTRENCHED ENEMY FORCE. "C" CO REC'D MACHINE GUN AND A/W FIRE, ASSAULTED POSITION, KILLING 9 ENEMY. AIR STRIKES CALLED IN, KILLING 10 ENEMY. ALSO FOUND ASSORTED 782 GEAR, 6 AK-47 MAGAZINES AND 2 AK-47'S. ENEMY DRESSED IN GREEN UTILITIES. RESULTS: ADD 19 NVA KIA(C) AND 4 FR WIAE, AND 2 INC.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 0900H, C/1/9 VIC YD 198078 ENEMY SNIPERS OPENED FIRE ON LINES FROM TREES. "C" CO SNIPERS EMPLOYED, KILLING 2 ENEMY. ADD 2 EN KIA(C).

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1105H, L/3/9 VIC YD 236088 POINT ELEMENT REC'D AK-47 FIRE AND CHICOM GRENADES. RETURNED FIRE, CALLED IN ARTY. NEG RESULTS.

D. AT 0945H-1210H, C/1/9 VIC YD 198077 CONTINUED ATTACK ON ENEMY BUNKER COMPLEX. BUNKER COMPLEX RAN ALONG ROAD, ON BOTH SIDES, DOWN RIDGE LINE. PLATOON COMPLETED ASSAULT, RESULTS: 1 FR KIA, 8 FR WIAE, AND 13 NVA KIA(C).

E. AT 1530H, M/3/9 VIC YD 229086 REC'D S/A FIRE AND RPG'S FROM ESTIMATED 12 NVA. "M" CO RETURNED S/A FIRE, 60MM & 81MM MORTAR FIRE, CALLED IN AN ARTY MISSION, AND AO ARRIVED ON STATION. NEG RESULTS.

F. AT 1620H, C/1/9 VIC YD 196065 REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM VIC YD 195058, SNIPERS IN TREES. "C" CO SNIPERS RETURNED FIRE, KILLING 2. RESULTS: ADD 2 NVA KIA(C).

G. AT 1530H, E/2/3 VIC YD 162116 SPOTTED ENEMY PATROL (6-10 MEN). VIC YD 162117, ENEMY TAKEN UNDER FIRE, 81MM MISSION CALLED IN, WITH NEG RESULTS.

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H. AT 1400H, D/1/9 VIC YD 182052 LEAD ELEMENTS AMBUSHED ON TOP OF HILL BY ESTIMATED SQUAD OF NVA IN BUNKERS USING A/W FIRE. "D" CO MANEUVERED, RETURNED S/A, A/W, M-79 AND GRENADE FIRE. CALLED IN 60MM & 81MM FIRE, ARTILLERY AND AIR. RESULTS: ADD 3 FR KIA, 17 FR WIAE, 2 FR WIANE, 8 EN KIA(C), 2 IWC(AK-47), AND FOUND 1600 LBS. OF RICE.

I. AT 1530H, M/3/9 VIC YD 230086 AFTER A LENGTHY FIRE FIGHT NVA BROKE CONTACT. RESULTS: ADD 2 FR KIA, 1 FR WIAE.

K. AT 1635H, A/1/9 VIC YD 196069 REC'D A/W FIRE AND RPG'S FROM ABOVE GRID. "A" CO MANEUVERED, FIRED M-60'S, 60MM AND 81MM MORTARS AND ARTILLERY. RESULTS: 4 FR WIAE, 11 EN KIA(C), 1 IWC(AK-47). ALSO FOUND 12 RPG RDS, 5 CHICOMS, 5 AK-47 MAGAZINES.

L. AT 1707H, A/1/9 VIC YD 197062 HAD A SMALL GROUP OF NVA ATTACK OP. "A" CO FIRED 60MM & 81MM MORTARS, SWEEPED THROUGH AREA. RESULTS: ADD 1 EN KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1130H, F/2/9 VIC YD 111404 FOUND 5 BUNKERS, 10 FIGHTING HOLES, 2 BOXES OF 60MM RDS, NUMEROUS 12.7MM RDS.

B. CORRECTION TO SITREP # 85, PARA 3C: C/1/9 CONTACT VIC YD 194085. ADD 1 FR KIA.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 181045H, 1/3/9 VIC YD 228089 FOUND A MASS GRAVE WITH 185 BODIES IN IT. GRAVES WERE IN AREA OF ARC LIGHT STRIKE. ALSO FOUND 8 BUNKERS 4x5x5 FT, 8 CASES OF 12.7MM AMMO. ADD 185 NVA KIA'S(C).

D. AT 1210H, A/1/9 VIC YD 196063 FOUND 5 BODIES OUTSIDE LINES PLUS EVIDENCE OF MANY MORE KILLS RESULTS OF LAST NIGHTS FIRE FIGHT. ALSO FOUND 2 RPG RDS, 2 B-40 ROCKET LAUNCHERS, 3 SATCHEL CHARGES, 1 CHICOM GRENADE, CLOTHING AND WALLET. ADD 2 IWC'S, 5 NVACI.

E. AT 1300H, G/2/9 VIC YD 123077 FOUND EXTENSIVE BUNKER COMPLEX, WITH EXCELLENT COMM. SYSTEM. CAPTURED DOCUMENTS INDICATE AREA WAS OCCUPIED BY 30TH NVA BN. ALSO FOUND ABOUT 1 TON EXPLOSIVES. ALL DOCUMENTS TO BE FORWARDED.

F. AT 1545H, H&S/3/9 VIC YD 215095 REC'D 7 60MM RDS, COMING FROM EAST. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIAE.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WH ILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 65 WIAN 302 WIANE 85

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 766, DETAINEES: TOTAL 10 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 164 CSWC 5

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FROM: NINTH MAR

25FEB69/0809Z/FPB/CCN:2003

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 109 OF DENEY CANYON FROM 191800H-192400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. RECON DEBRIEF: TEAM DESERT SANDS AT 281345H, VIC YD 156111 SPOTTED POSSIBLE ACTIVE ENEMY MORTAR. AT 191600H, VIC YD 158121 SPOTTED SEVEN NVA IN CAMOUFLAGE UTILITIES. TEAM SPRUNG AMBUSH KILLING 4. ADD 1 NVA(C).

B. AT 2240H, M/3/9 VIC YD 230087 REC'D APPROX 3 RDS RPG FIRE AND 2 CHICOMS. FIRED S/A AND 60MM MORTARS. FLARE SHIP ON STATION. ADD 2 WIAE.

C. 19 FEB BDA: AT 0836H, "SEAWORTHY 98-2" VIC YD 227043 DESTROYED 2 BUNKERS; SEAWORTHY 98-2 VIC YD 197053 RAN AIR STRIKES ON BUNKER COMPLEX IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ADDING 10 KGA'S(C); /2 AT 0950H, SEAWORTHY 97-6, VIC YD 197053 RAN AIRSTRIKES ON BUNKERS KILLING 2 NVA(C); 1000 SEAWORTHY 97-1 VIC RAN FIXED WING ON AREA DESTROYING ONE BUNKER; AT 1221H, SEAWORTHY 98-7 VIC YD 197057 DESTROYED 2 BUNKERS BY RUNNING FIXED WING; AT 1250H, SEAWORTHY 98-7 VIC YD 197057 WORKING WITH TROOPS IN CONTACT DESTROYED ONE BUNKER & OBSERVED ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION; AT 1405H, SEAWORTHY 97-4 VIC YD 196053 OBSERVED NUMEROUS SECONDARY FIRES WHILE RUNNING FIXED WING ON AREA; AT 1725H, SEAWORTHY 98-13 VIC YD 196052 SPOTTED TROOPS IN OPEN. RAN FIXED WING RESULTING IN 6 BUNKERS DESTROYED; AT 1806H, SEAWORTHY 97-6 VIC YD 238077 RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING 3 BUNKERS. AT 2240H, M/3/9 RECEIVED S/A & RPG FIRE RESULTING IN 7 FR WIAE AND 3 FR KIA.

D. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1200H, M/3/9 VIC YD 225092 REPORTED MAN MISSING. INDIVIDUAL WAS LEFT ON TRAIL FOR REAR ELEMENTS TO PICK UP BECAUSE HE HAD A HARD TIME KEEPING UP. GEAR AND WEAPON FOUND BUT NO TRACE OF INDIVIDUAL. ADD 1 MIA.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1530H, M/3/9 VIC YD 230086 CONTACT WITH ENEMY RESULTED IN 1 WIAE NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. -

C. LA TE ENTRY: AT 1130H, 4/2/9 VIC YD 123076 CHECKING OUT BUNKER COMPLEX ENCOUNTERED 18 FR FOUND BUNKER COMPLEX TO COVER AREA 100X100 METERS. PATROL SEARCHED & DESTROYED 16 FIGHTING HOLES, 22 STORAGE/LIVING AREAS, 7 LIVING HOODCHES 10x20 FT, AND 2 COOKING AREAS. ALSO MEDICAL SUPPLIES, NUMEROUS HAND TOOLS, 1 SKS RIFLE, 15 LBS OF DOCUMENTS, 12 NVA PACKS, 3 BOXES OF ELASTING CAPS, 300 FT OF DET CORD, 200 60MM MORTAR RD S, 40 GRENADES, AND EVIDENCE OF 7 BODIES. ADD 2 IUC, 7 NVA(C).

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D. LATE ENTRY: AT 1535H, RECON TEAM JOHN BROWN VIC YD 119266 FOUND 3 MALE INDIVIDUALS FISHING. DRESSED IN GREY, GREEN & BLACK CLOTHING. ONE ESCAPED BUT OTHERS WERE EXTRACTED WITH TEAM & ARE NOW AT 9TH MARINES POSITION. ADD 2 DETAINEES:

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-22, J-9, U-11, EC-8, EE-5

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES: -

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 68 WIAE 310 WIANE 85

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 789 DETAINEES: TOTAL 12 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 165 CSWC 5

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

DATE	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD -	RESULTS
HQ/9TH	1	1	YD 185136	N/A
HAS/1/9	1	1	YD 196060	N/A
G/1/9	1	1	YD 196060	4 KIA(C)
D/1/9	1	1	YD 182052	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 134070	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 133048	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 127079	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	YD 148044	N/A
HAS/3/9	1	1	YD 233088	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	YD 239094	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	YD 230086	N/A

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Barry W. Ray
for

DRAFTER: SW/GIN: JH

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 110 CP DEWEY CANYON FROM 192100H-200600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

H/2/9 YD 135043

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

B. AT 0350H, L/3/9 VIC YD 210096 REC'D 10 RDS OF 60MM MORTAR FIRE FROM 25 DEGREE AZIMUTH RESULTING IN 2 KIA FR. 2 FR WIAE. FIRED MACHINE GUNS & M-79'S AND CALLED IN ARTY WITH UNKNOWN RES.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA TO WIAE 312 WIAE 85 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 789 DETAINEES: TOTAL 12 PW(MVA) 2

C. IWC 165 CSNC 5

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ACTN:G-3

DRAFTER: W/ENR 3 JK

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IMMEDIATE 250749 Z FEB 69

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SITREP NR 111 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 200600H-201200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/1/9 YD 198060	G/2/9 YD 127079	
A/1/9 YD 198060	H/2/9 YD 135043	
B/1/9 YD 194050	CP/3/9 YD 233088	
G/1/9 YD 196056	I/3/9 YD 238090	
D/1/9 YD 194050	K/3/9 YD 233088	
CP/2/9 YD 134071	L/3/9 YD 239091	
E/2/9 YD 128068	M/3/9 YD 230086	
F/2/9 YD 133049	G/2/3 YD 104136	E/2/3 YD 14107

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SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS:

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0730H, H/3/9 VIC YD 215095 REC'D 10 HRS OF 60MM

ALL FADING SHORTLY

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0530H, H/2/9 H/2/9 VIC YD 144026 HEARD NOISES CLANKING AND GEAR CHANGING OF TRACKED VEHICLES MOVING EAST.

X B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1705H, 19 FEB A/1/9 FIRED A CONTACT ARMY MISSION RESULTING IN 3 NVA(C). ADD 6 NVA(C).

C. AT 0900H, I/3/9 FOUND ONE RPG-7 AND ONE H-E RD FOR IT. RETAINED LAUNCHER AND DESTROYED RD. ADD 1 IWC.

D. 1/9 REPORTED 2 EN KIA(C) BY AIRSTRIKE GRID 196036. 2 NVA ALSO KILLED AND 10 BUNKERS DESTROYED IN 1905 GRID SQUARE. 10 VERIFIED RESULTS. BULLDOZER ALSO HIT BY 20MM CANNON. ADD

NVA KIA(C).

X E. LATE ENTRY: AT 192330H, M/3/9 VIC YD 230088 WAS PROBED BY NVA USING RPG, CHICOMS AND S/A. ACTIVITY CONTINUED FOR 1 HRS, WITH ONE NVA PENETRATING LINES. FIRED 60MM ARMY, & PUFF. 1 NVA KIA(C), AND ALSO 1 AK-47 CAPTURED. ADD 1 NVA(C), 1 IWC.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS:

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 70 WIAE 82 WIANE 85 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 303 DETAINEES: TOTAL 12 PW(NVA) 2

C. IWC 167 CSNG 5

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ACTN: G-3

DRAFTER: J.W. EMB: J.M.

RELEASED BY: B.W. HAY 10/1/71

IMMEDIATE 250751 Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 112 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 201200H-201600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C/1/9 YD 197053

A/1/9 YD 197040

B/1/9 YD 183047

D/1/9 YD 185048

CP/G/2/9 YD 134071

E/2/9 YD 124053

F/2/9 YD 132048

G/2/3 FSB CUNNINGHAM

H/2/9 YD 135043

CP/3/9 YD 223088

I/3/9 YD 245090

K/3/9 YD 223088

L/3/9 YD 239094

M/3/9 YD 230086

E/2/3 YD FSB ERSKINE

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. EFFECTIVE ON 271800H, TFH ASSUMED OPCON OF HERITAGE E AND PASSES OPCON TO 9TH MARINES SAME DTG. 9TH MARINES PASSES OPCON OF HERITAGE E TO 2/9 SAME DTG.

B. 3/9 REPORTED CONSTRUCTION OF LZ MEASURING 25x30 METERS CAPACITY 1 CH-46 AT YD 224089.

C. H&S/3/9 HELOLIFT FROM VIC YD 215095 TO VIC YD 223088 BEGAN 1021H, COMPLETED AT 1206H.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1145H, C/1/9 VIC YD 196053 SIGHTED VEHICLES AND TAKING S/A FROM ITS VICINITY.

B. AT 1210H, RECON TEAM HAYRIDE VIC YD 128151 FOUND 2 TRAILS RUNNING NORTH TO SOUTH. WALKED UPON ENEMY KILLING ONE CAPTURED 1 AK-47. ADD 1 NVA(C), 1 IWC.

C. AT 1220H, 1ST PLT H/2/9 FOUND 20 HOCHES AND 5 NVA. KILLED 3 NVA, CAPTURED 1 AND HAD 1 FR WIAE. ALSO CAPTURED 1 SKS, 1 AK-47, 2 CHICOMS, PAPERS, AND UNIFORMS. ADD 3 NVA(C), 1 NVA POW, 1 FR WIA, 2 IWC.

D. AT 1200H, G/2/3 OBSERVED ONE NVA APPROX 25 METERS OUT. FIRED S/A WITH NEG RESULTS.

E. AT 0830H-1600H, C/1/9 VIC YD 198060 TO YD 197053 ATTACKED AND SEIZED BUNKER COMPLEX. FR CASUALTIES, 1 FR KIA, 22 WIAE, 2 WIANE ENEMY CASUALTIES, 27 KILLED BY "C" CO, 28 KBA, 16 KBARTY. CAPTURED 1 12.7MM AA GUN WITH TRIPOD AND TRAVERSING MOUNT, 2 RPD MACHINE GUNS, 1 AK-47, 5 SKS RIFLES, 2 B-40 ROCKET LAUNCHERS, 2 RPD AMMO DRUMS, 2 122MM TOWED HOWITZERS, 7 122MM RDS, 1 15-TON FULL TRACKED PRIME CARRIER, ASSORTED MEDICAL GEAR. DESTROYED 6 CHICOM GRENADES, 2 AK-47'S, 500 RDS OF 12.7MM RDS, 100 BUNKERS, ADD 1 FR KIA, 22 FR WIAE, 2 FR WIANE, 71 EN KIA'S(C), 5 CSWG, 8 IWC.

F. AT 1100H, H/2/9 VIC YD 119048 FOUND ROAD ON EAST SIDE OF RIVER WITH BUNKER COMPLEX. "H" CO IN CONTACT WITH NVA USING A CLAY. MORE AND A/W FIRE. "H" CO RETURNED FIRE, NVA FLED. RESULTS: ADD 1 F R KIA, 2 FR WIAE, 2 EN KIA(C). (ONE BODY HAD BOX MINES AROUND IT).

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4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1525H, 1/3/9 VIC YD 239096 FOUND 2 MORTAR PITS, 3 60MM RDS, 3 CANS OF INCREMENTS, 22 SAFETY CAPS, 1 MORTAR CLEANING ROD, APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN USED IN LAST 24 HRS.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 73 WIAE 337 WIANE 87 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 880 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(MVA) 3
 C. INC 178 CSWC 10

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DRAFTER: 3W/MEM: rjk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

IMMEDIATE 250752

Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

25FEB69/0809Z/FPB/CCN:1999

TO: CG, TF HOTEL
BTSUPVR 12

PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 113 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 201800H-202400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

B/1/9 YD 185048

E/2/9 YD 123053 ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

F/2/9 YD 129050

H/2/9 YD 134045

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. EFFECTIVE 202000H, 9TH MARINES ASSUMES OPCON OF E/2/3 FROM 2/9 AND PASSES OPCON TO 2/3 SAME DTG. EFFECTIVE 202000H, 9TH MARINES ASSUMES OPCON OF G/2/3 FROM 3/9 AND PASSES TO OPCON 2/3 SAME DTG.

B. BOUNDARY CHANGE WENT INTO EFFECT 202000H, GIVING AREA NORTH OF P.L. RD TO 2/3.

C. ALL OTHER UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1200H, B/1/9 VIC YD 181052 ENCOUNTERED HUT AND BUNKER COMPLEX WITH ONE ENEMY IN IT. KILLED ENEMY. FOUND 25 TONS OF RICE IN 100 LB BAGS. RIPPED OPEN BAGS, HAD NOTHING TO DESTROY EXCEPT RICE. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

B. AT 1515H, A/1/9 VIC YD 195042 DURING ASSAULT OF OBJECTIVE RAN INTO SPORADIC FIRE FROM ESTIMA TED PLATOON IN DEFENSE FIRING FROM TREES, BUNKERS AND SPIDER HOLES. "A" CO PUSHED ASSAULT WITH LAWS, M-30's, M79's, AND SMALL ARM FIRE, KILLING 17 ENEMY. FOUND 1 TRUCK, 2 20MM BARRELS FOR AA GUNS, 6 CASES OF 20MM RDS (241 TOTAL RDS), 80 122MM RDS, 8 SPENT 122MM RDS, 9 SMALL CASES OF 12.7MM RDS (60 PER CASE), 1 GUNNY SACK OF 12.7MM RDS, NIGHT FIRING DEVICE FOR 20MM GUN, VARIOUS OTHER MILITARY GEAR. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA, 2 FR WIA, 17 EN KIA(C).

C. AT 1830H, M/3/9 VIC YD 230086 OBSERVED 1 NVA IN GRASS AND FIRED 60MM MISSION VIC YD 227084. OBSERVED 3 NVA CARRYING OFF 1 BODY. FIRED AGAIN WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. RESULTS: ADD 1 EN KIA(C).

D. LATE ENTRY: AT 0627H-1031H 1/9 FO CALLED PREP FIRES IN VIC YD 186046, RESULTING IN 7 NVA KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1400H, H/2/9 VIC YD 119048 ALSO FOUND 1 SKS, 210 LBS OF RICE, 17 HUTS, 17 BUNKERS, 1 BAG OF MEDICAL GEAR, 209 UNOPENED LETTERS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS. ADD 1 IVC.

B. AT 2130H, H/2/9 VIC YD 135023 REPORTS FAST MOVING CONVOY, MOVING EAST TO WEST.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1030H, A0 VIC YD 215049 REPORTS 1 122MM GUN DESTROYED.

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5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-23, F-12, U-5, CC-6, EE-6

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 76 WIAE 339 WIANE 87 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 906 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3
 C. IWC 179 CSWC 10

7. SCOUT SNIPERS REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD -	RESULTS
9TH MAR	1	1	YD 184136	N/A
H&S/1/9	1	1	YD 197053	N/A
C/1/9	1	1	YD 197053	N/A
D/1/9	1	1	YD 185048	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 124053	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 132048	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 134071	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	YD 135043	N/A
H&S/3/9	1	1	YD 223088	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	YD 239094	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	YD 223088	N/A

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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 SITREP NR 114 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 202400H-210600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGES

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0530H, E/2/9 VIC YD 324053 REPORTED MOVEMENT ON LINES BY ESTIMATED 3 NVA. OPENED FIRE ON NVA AND FIRE WAS RETURNED BY ONE. AREA WILL BE CHECKED.

B. AT 0550H, C/1/9 VIC YD 197053 REC'D PROBE FROM ESTIMATED 7 NVA FIRING 7 RPG RDS INTO PERIMETER WITH NEG RESULTS. FIRE WAS RETURNED WITH M-79'S AND 60MM MORTARS RESULTING IN 3 NVA KILLED, AND 1 AK-47 AND 2 RPG-7 ROUNDS CAPTURED. ADD 3 NVA(C), 1 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES: -

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 76 WIAE 339 WIANE 87 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 909 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3

C. IWC 180 CSWC 10

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ACTN: G-3

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DRAFTER: 3W/HEM: Jk

RELEASED BY: M.B. MEYER 2/LT.

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Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 115 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 210600H-211200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C/1/9 YD 197053	F/2/9 YD 124050
A/1/9 YD 197040	H/2/9 YD 139043
B/1/9 YD 190040	CP/3/9 YD 228087
D/1/9 YD 197040	I/3/9 YD 245090 -
CP/G/2/9 YD 134071	K/3/9 YD 223088
E/2/9 YD 123053	L/3/9 YD 239094
M/3/9 YD 230088	CP/G/2/3 YD FSB CUNNINGHAM
E/2/3 FSB ERSKINE	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0830H, H/2/9 VIC YD 143045 HAD 1 NVA APPROACH THEM-DOWN A TRAIL. "H" CO SHOT HIM, CAPTURED 1 AK-47, 3 AK MAGS, 1 M-26, 2 RIFLE GRENADES, 4 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 RIFLE GRENADE ADAPTER, ADD 1 FR WIAE, 1 EN KIA(C), 1 IWC.

B. AT 1015H, M/3/9 VIC YD 232083, SEARCHING HIGH GROUND REC'D S/A AND A/W FIRE, "M" CO RETURNED 60MM AND ARTILLERY FIRE. NEG RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 201530H, M/3/9 VIC YD 229088 FOUND 1 SMALL BUNKER, 3 CANS OF 12.7MM RDS, (50 RDS PER CAN), 41 RPG BOOSTERS. ALL DESTROYED.

B. AT 0900H, G/1/9 VIC YD 197053, CHECKING OUT TRACKED VEHICLE, FOUND 7 AK-47 MAGAZINES.

C. AT 1120H, E/2/3 VIC FSB ERSKINE(164107) REC'D 27 RDS OF INCOMING 122MM RDS. NEG CASUALTIES. F/2/12 FIRED COUNTER BATTERY MISSION AT GRID S: YD 108099, YD 114101, YD 122107.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 26 WIAE 340 WIANE 87 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 910 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3
 C. IWC 181 CSWC 10

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Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 116 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 211200H-211800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C/1/9 YD 196053	CP/K/3/9 YD 230076
B/1/9 YD 191031	L/3/9 YD 245090
A/D/1/9 YD 197040	L/3/9 YD 230094
CP/G/2/9 YD 134071	M/3/9 YD 230086
E/2/9 YD 121050	G/2/3 YD 184136
F/2/9 YD 121050	E/2/3 YD 264107
H/2/9 YD 139045	

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1015H, M/3/9 VIC YD 232083 AFTER CHECKING AREA THAT S/A FIRE CAME FROM REC'D RPG FIRE AND MORE S/A FIRE AND SAW 2 NVA WITH PACKS. "M" CO RETURNED S/A FIRE AND FIRED 60MM MORTARS. RESULTS: ADD 3 FR WIAE'S.

B. AT 1220H, F/2/9 VIC YD 121053 MADE CONTACT WITH 2 ENEMY, FIRED S/A FIRE, FOUND BLOOD TRAIL AND 1 HELMET, 1 HAMMOCK. "F" CO PURSUING.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 0930H, SEAWORTHY 99-1&2(AIR) VIC YD 026362 WHILE ON WEATHER CHECK REC'D S/A FIRE FROM GROUND. FIRE WAS RETURNED RESULTING IN-1 NVA(C) KBA.

D. AT 1635H, I/9 CP&C VIC YD 197060 TOOK ESTIMATED 8-12 RDS 60MM. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0900H, A/1/9 VIC YD 195036 REPORTS TRUCK AT THEIR POS. APPEARS TO BE A 1 1/2 TON RUSSIAN MILITARY TYPE, LATE MODEL, GEAR SHIFT INSTRUCTIONS IN FRENCH, DROP TARDEN WHEELS, WOODEN TROOP RACKS IN BACK.

B. AT 1030H, A/1/9 VIC YD 195053 FOUND 35 SPENT BRASS CASINGS FROM 122MM RDS AND FIRING POSITION.

C. AT 1100H, A/1/9 VIC YD 196038 FOUND 2 PORTABLE GAS GENERATORS IN BUNKERS, RUSSIAN MADE, WITH NAME OF "NAVODKOPSLUZE" ON THEM. ALSO 2 POWER BOXES WITH MANY SWITCHES & BUTTONS ON THEM, ALSO RUSSIAN MADE.

D. AT 1100H, A/1/9 VIC YD 196035 FOUND 1 NOTEBOOK WITH DRAWINGS AND WHAT APPEARS TO BE A DIARY OF INDIVIDUAL UNITS.

E. AT 1200H, C/1/9 VIC YD 198053 FOUND 1 SKS IN BUNKER. ADD 1 IWC.

F. AT 1130H, M/3/9 VIC YD 232083 FOUND GARAGE 30' X 40' WITH LARGE ASSORTMENT OF MECHANICS GEAR IN IT. GARAGE

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G. AT 1130H, M/3/9 VIC YD 232081 FOUND 2 BUNKERS 5x10x4 FT, 8 BOXES OF 12.7MM RDS, 100 PER BOX, 20 BLASTING CAPS, 300 FT OF TIME FUSE AND 5 50 GAL DRUMS. DESTROYED GEAR.

H. AT 1230H, L/3/9 VIC YD 236089 FOUND 4 BUNKERS 5x5x4 FT, 1 50 CAL POSITION, 2 AIMING STAKES. ALL 6 MONTHS OLD. DESTROYED POSITIONS AND GEAR.

I. AT 1115H, A/1/9 VIC YD 193043 FOUND A HEAVY BUNKER COMPLEX OF ABOUT 100 A-FRAME BUNKERS, LARGE HUTS, AND AID STATION WITH 3 STRETCHERS, 12 BAGS OF RICE, 18 122MM ROCKETS, 1 RUSSIAN RADIO (DESTROYED), ASSORTED MILITARY GEAR. ROCKET ROUNDS, AND RICE AND OTHER GEAR TO BE DESTROYED.

J. AT 1500H, B/1/9 VIC YD 194033 FOUND 48 122MM ARTY ROUNDS. ALSO SENSED CS GAS IN AREA, NOT ENOUGH TO INHIBIT ACTIVITY. ROUNDS TO BE DESTROYED.

K. AT 1335H, F/2/9 VIC YD 121051 FOUND TRAIL, BUNKER & TUNNEL COMPLEX. WILL BE THOROUGHLY SEARCHED.

L. AT 1550H, A/1/9 VIC YD 201051 FOUND 142 60MM MORTARS RDS, 145 RPG RDS, 2 CASES OF TNT, 9 AK-47 MAGS. ENCOUNTERED SPORADIC S/A FIRE AND HEAVY A/W FIRE. RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A AND M-60'S WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. CONTACT NOW BROKEN. NEG CASUALTIES.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

- A. FRIENDLY: KIA 76 WIAE 343 WIANE 87 MIA 1
- B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 211 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW (NVA) 2
- C. IWC 182 CSWC 10

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 117 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 211800H-212400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

H/2/9 YD 139027

ALL OTHERS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1820H, CP/2/9 VIC YD 230076 REC'D 6 RDS OF 60MM MORTAR FIRE FROM VIC YD 232068. COUNTERED WITH ARTY MISSION ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION. NEG CASUALTIES.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1615H, SEAWORTHY 97-5 (AIR) VIC YD 172139 SAW ENEMY IN BUNKERS AND HOLES. RAN GUNSHIP STRIKE KILLING ONE ENEMY. ADD 1 NVA(C) KBA.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1615H, M/3/9 PATROL VIC YD 232083 FIRED ON 2 NVA WITH PACKS. ONE WAS KILLED AND CARRIED OFF BY OTHER NVA. ONE MAN WOUNDED SLIGHTLY IN CONTACT. ADD 1 NVA(C), 1 FR WIANE.

D. LATE ENTRY: AT 1350H, B/1/9 VIC YD 195030 WHILE ADVANCING ON ROAD SAW 2 NVA AND REC'D A/W FIRE FROM FRONT AND LEFT FLANK FROM ESTIMATED 4-5 ENEMY. RETURNED FIRE WITH M-79'S, M-60'S. SWEEP OF AREA REVEALED ONE NVA BODY. ADD 1 NVA(C), 2 FR WIANE.

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 1550H, A/1/9 VIC YD 201051 REINFORCED PLT PATROL MADE HEAVY CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED ENEMY PLT. CONTACT WAS TOO CLOSE TO EMPLOY ARTY AND WEATHER PRECLUDED USE OF AIR. UTILIZED 60MM & 81MM MORTARS AND SMALL ARMS KILLING 10 OF THE ENEMY. AREA OF CONTACT CONTAINED MULTIPLE REINFORCED BUNKERS & HUTS. ACTION RESULTED IN 2 FR KIA, 1 FR WIAE, 10 NVA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1530H, M/3/9 VIC YD 232083 FOUND SECONDARY ROAD RUNNING FROM MAIN ROAD AT 300 DEGREES AT ABOVE GRID, 6 BUNKERS 5x10x4 FT, 1 10x5x20 FT, 300 EMPTY 50 GAL DRUMS, 3 50 GAL DRUMS OF HEAVY GREASE, 3 50 GAL DRUMS OF GAS, 1 BULLDOZER WITHOUT TRACKS, (SIZE OF D-4), 4 GAS TANKS WITH BULLET HOLES, 1 BULL DOZER CAB, 12 TIRES, 12 HIGH PRESSURE HOSES 2' LONG, 60 LBS OF TNT, 1 FRONT END LOADER PARTIALLY DISASSEMBLED, 3 DISASSEMBLED GAS ENGINES (6 CYL), NEW AND USED LINKS FOR TRACKED VEHICLES, 6 REPAIR PITS 30x15x10 FT, 3 5-TON TRUCKS, FRESH VEHICLE TRACKS IN AREA. VEHICLES AND GEAR DESTROYED BY DEMO AND BURNING.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1515H, L/3/9 VIC YD 239089 FOUND LARGE ROCK STRUCTURE WITH FIGHTING POSITION IN FRONT OF IT. ALSO FOUND SEVERAL TOOLS AND FOOD CANS & 2 FIGHTING HOLES 1x3x1 FT.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1630H, M/3/9 VIC YD 234088 FOUND BOX OF 6 NEW RPG RDS, 90 RPG BOOSTERS, 3 BUNGALORE TORPEDOES IN OLD BUNKER COMPLEX. GEAR DESTROYED.

D. LATE ENTRY: AT 1430H, B/1/9 VIC YD 195035 FOUND 12 2-MAN BUNKERS ALONG ROAD. ALSO FOUND 18 122MM ARTY RDS, 3 RPG RDS WITH BOOSTERS, 12 EMPTY 50 GAL DRUMS.

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E. LATE ENTRY: AT 1700H, B/1/9 VIC-YD 191027 FOUND 2 REINFORCED 8-MAN BUNKERS, 2 6-MAN BUNKERS & 6 2-MAN BUNKERS, RIFLE RANGE. ALSO FOUND 2 DESTROYED 5-TON TRUCKS OF RUSSIAN MANUFACTURE, 1,000 RDS OF NEW AK-47 AMMO, 1 MEDICAL STRETCHER, 1,000 NVA PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS ADVISING US FORCES TO REFUSE TO FIGHT. ORDNANCE WILL BE DESTROYED.

F. LATE ENTRY: AT 1930H, A/1/9 VIC YD 196043 FOUND SEVERAL MORTARCELL BATTERIES AND SEVERAL INSTRUMENTS, POSSIBLY USED FOR SURVEILLING. INSTRUMENTS WILL BE TURNED OVER TO S-2 FOR IDENTIFICATION.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-21, F-6, R-2, W-3, GG-4, CC-3

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 78 WIAE 347 WIANE 90 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 924 DETAINEES: TOTAL 33 PW(NVA) 3

C. IWC 182 CSWC 10

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
9TH MAR	1	1	YD 184136	N/A
CP/1/9	1	1	YD 196053	N/A
C/1/9	1	1	YD 196053	N/A
D/1/9	1	1	YD 197040	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 121050	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 121050	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 134071	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	YD 139043	N/A
CP/3/9	1	1	YD 230076	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	YD 230094	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	YD 230076	N/A

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IMMEDIATE 250801 2 FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 118 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 212400H-220600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

H/2/9 YD 141035

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0240H, H/2/9 VIC YD 139027 INITIATED AMBUSH, KILLING 5
NVA AND DESTROYING 2 TRUCKS. 3RD TRUCK BELIEVED TO HAVE RUN OFF
ROAD, BUT COULD NOT BE LOCATED. 1 TRUCK LOADED WITH S/A AMMUNITION.
"H" CO PULLED BACK, GOING TO CALL IN MORE ARTY AND AIR ON AREA.

RESULTS: ADD 5 NVA KIA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 78 WIAE 347 WIANE 90 MIA 1
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 929 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3
C. IWC 182 CSWC 10

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SITREP NR 119 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 220600H-221200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

A/1/9	YD 198052	H/2/9	YD 139043
F/2/9	YD 118048	L/3/9	YD 230086

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 0240H, H/2/9 VIC YD 139027 IN NVA CONVOY AMBUSH COUNTED ADDITIONAL 5 ENEMY KILLED. TRUCK PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AS HAVING RUN OFF ROAD WAS FOUND TO BE DESTROYED BRINGING THE TOTAL NUMBER TO 3 TRUCKS DESTROYED. ONE TRUCK LOADED WITH 5 TONS OF S/A RDS WAS BURNED & ROUNDS COOKED-OFF. OTHER MISCELLANEOUS GEAR ON ANOTHER TRUCK BEING RETAINED BY "H" CO. ADD 5 NVA(C).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 0815H, K/3/9 VIC YD 230074 FOUND 4 BUNKERS ONE OF WHICH CONTAINED 33 ORANGE BAGS, POSSIBLY ARTY POWDER BAGS. ONE SAMPLE RETAINED, REST DESTROYED.

B. AT 0930H, K/3/9 VIC YD 231071 FOUND 8 BUNKERS, 2 HELMETS, 2 GAS MASKS, 17 UNIDENTIFIED ROUNDS, 106 POWDER BAGS MADE IN LAND AND 1 BOX OF 12.7MM TRACER RDS. RETAINING SAMPLE OF UNIDENTIFIED ROUND FOR IDENTIFICATION.

C. AT 0930H, B/1/9 VIC YD 193025 FOUND 52 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 5 CHICOM GRENADES & 1 AK-47 RIFLE. ADD 1 IWC.

D. AT 0900H, D/1/9 VIC YD 196040 FOUND 4 LARGE METAL LOCKERS & SMALLER CHESTS CONTAINING MANY MECHANICS TOOLS, SPRINGS, LUBRICANT, ELECTRICAL WIRE WITH PLUGS. SOME OF TOOLS APPEARED TO BE OF RUSSIAN MANUFACTURE. GEAR BEING HELD AT "D" CP.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 78 WIAE 347 WIANE 90 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 934 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3

C. IWC 183 CSWC 10

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SITREP NR 120 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 221200H-221800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/C/1/9 YD 196053

A/D/1/9 YD 196059

B/1/9 YD 196056

CP/G/2/9 YD 134071

E/F/2/9 YD 121050

H-/2/9 YD 139043

H/2/9 FLT YD 133039

CP/3/9 YD 230076

H&S-/3/9 YD 223088

I/3/9 YD 253096

K/3/9 YD 230076

L/3/9 YD 231067

M/3/9 YD 230086

CP/G/2/3 YD FSB CUNNINGHAM

E/2/3 YD FSB ERSKINE

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEP'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1715H, K/3/9 VIC YD 237071 CAME IN CONTACT WITH 6 NVA. POINT FIRED FIRST. NVA RETURNED S/A, A/W AND RPG FIRE. "K" CO KILLED 1 AT CONTACT. "K" CO ADVANCED 400 METERS, FOUND ONE BRESH BUNKER, 5 FIGHTING HOLES, 2 UNCOMPLETED FIGHTING HOLES, 1 AK-47, WITH 2 MAGAZINES, 2 CHICOM GRENADES, ASSORTED DOCUMENTS AND MILITARY GEAR. NVA THREW CS GRENADE WHILE BREAKING CONTACT. "K" CO FIRED 60MM MISSION. RESULTS ADD 1 EN KIA(C), 1 IWC.

B. AT 1100H, A/1/9 VIC YD 202052 MADE CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED ENEMY SQUAD IN BUNKER COMPLEX. "A" CO TOOK BUNKER COMPLEX WITH ORGANIC WEAPONS, KILLING 7 ENEMY, CAPTURING 1 AK-47 WITH 3 MAGS, 14 CHICOM GRENADES. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA, 2 FR VIANE, 7 EN KIA(C), 1 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1030H, B/1/9 VIC YD 19 1030 FOUND 28 RIFLE GRENADES, RADIO (EITHER RECEIVER OR TRANSMITTER), 10 RPG RDS & 7 BUNKERS. EVERYTHING DESTROYED EXCEPT RADIO.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 0930H, K/3/9 VIC YD 231069 FOUND BUNKER 3x4x3 FT, ASSORTED TOOLS, 200 RDS OF 37MM AMMO, 1 BLOCK & TACKLE HOIST, 11 SHOVELS & REMAINS OF 2 TRUCKS DESTROYED BY BOMBS.

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1000H, K/3/9 VIC YD 232068 FOUND 5 BUNKERS AND 50 RDS OF 12.7MM TRACER AMMO.

D. AT 1257H, M/3/9 VIC YD 235092 FOUND 4 DH-5 CLAYMORES. DESTROYED BY DEMO.

E. LATE ENTRY: M/3/9 VIC YD 236088 FOUND CAVE 7x6x6 FT, WITH 30 12.7MM CASINGS, 1 CASE OF TNT, 3 GAS MASK FILTERS.

F. AT 1200H, K/3/9 VIC YD 233064 FOUND TRUCK PARK, 1 50 GAL GAS DRUM, ROAD SIGN POINTING NORTH READING C-8 AND SOUTH READING C-9.

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- G. AT 1350H, K/3/9 VIC YD 234064 FOUND 12 60MM MORTAR ROUNDS AND 30 RDS OF 37MM AMMO IN SEVEN BUNKERS 3x3m FT. ALL DESTROYED.
- H. AT 1015H, H/2/9 VIC YD 137035 FOUND OLD BUNKER COMPLEX AND STAGING AND LIVING AREA NOT USED FOR 6-8 MONTHS. BUNKERS CONNECTED BY COMM WIRE. ALSO FOUND 50 RDS OF 12.7MM.
- I. AT 1500H, H/2/9 VIC YD 139022 SPOTTED 8 NVA NEAR LAST NIGHTS AMBUSH, CALLED IN ARTY, KILLING 2. ADD 2 NVA KIA (C).
- J. AT 1730H, H/3/9 VIC YD 223088 REC'D 20 RDS OF 60MM FIRE FROM EAST. NEGATIVE CASUALTIES.
- K. AT 1815H, 3/9 SPOTTED ENEMY IN BLACK & BROWN UTILITIES AND BLACK BERETS VIC YD 234052.
5. PLANS:
- A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
- A. FRIENDLY: KIA 79 WIAE 347 WIANE 92 MIA 1
- B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 941 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW (NVA) 3
- C. INC 185 CSWC 10

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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SITREP NR 121 OP DEW BY CANYON FROM 221800H-222400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/C/1/9 YD 197053

B/1/9 YD 196040

D/1/9 YD 200051

CP/G/2/9 YD 134071

E/2/9 YD 121051

F/2/9 YD 133048

H/2/9 YD 139043

CP/3/9 YD 230076

I/3/9 YD 253096

K/3/9 YD 230076

L/3/9 YD 233051

M/3/9 YD 233051

H&S-3/9 YD 223088

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E/2/3 FSB ERSKINE

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2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1727H, L/3/9 VIC YD 233051 REC'D S/A AND A/W FIRE, RPG, CHICOM GRENADES AND 60MM FIRE. FIRE CAME FROM TWO POSITIONS ON FLANKS AND FROM FRONT & REAR, ESTIMATED 20 NVA WEARING CAMOUFLAGED UNIFORMS, AND BERETS. "L" CO FIRED S/A FIRE, 81MM AND ARTY. NVA POSITION WAS OVERRUN. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR WIA, 9 NVA KIA(C).

B. AT 1300H, C/1/9 VIC YD 202053 PATROL TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY 60MM, RPG'S AND S/A FIRE. "C" CO RETURNED FIRE. KILLING 9 ENEMY. "A" CO CONTINUED ATTACK. RESULTS: 13 FR WIAE, 1 FR WIANE, 9 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 1500H, C/1/9 VIC YD 197053 SPOTTED 2 NVA AT VIC YD 202051. "C" CO FIRED M-60'S, KILLING ONE. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C).

D. AT 1300H, A/1/9 VIC YD 199049 CAME UNDER FIRE FROM RPG'S, 82MM, MACHINE GUNS, AND A/W FIRE, ESTIMATED NVA CO STRENGTH, NEW TROOPS. "A" CO ASSAULTED FIRST ENEMY POSITION AT VIC YD 198049 WHICH HAD 6 ENEMY MACHINE GUNS, "A" CO USED 81MM FIRE AND AIR STRIKES IN ASSAULT. AIR & ARTY CALLED IN ON SECOND ENEMY POSITION, VIC YD 204045. RESULTS: ADD 10 FR KIA, 52 FR WIA, 105 NVA KIA(C). 1 LMG, 2 B-40 LAUNCHERS, 17 AK-47, 2 SNIPER RIFLES, 20 PACKS, 47 CHICOM GRENADES, 13 RPG RDS, 2 75MM RR RDS ALSO CAPTURED. ADD 21 FWC, 1 CSWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1300H, M/3/9 VIC YD 233083 FOUND 1 12.7MM POSITION ABOUT ONE WEEK OLD, WITH 4 BOXES OF RDS (100 PER BOX), 48 LOOSE RDS, WELL CONSTRUCTED BUNKER 1x6m FT, CAMOUFLAGED CLOTH, MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS. ALL GEAR DESTROYED EXCEPT INTELLIGENT GEAR.

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B. AT 1248H, M/3/9 VIC YD 235093 FOUND 250 RPG BOOSTERS, 2 BOXES 12.7MM RDS (100 PER BOX), MISC OTHER MECHANICAL AND UTILITY GEAR, 4 GRAVES, ONE BODY PER GRAVE, DATED 22-6-67. ADD 4 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 1500H, K/3/9 VIC YD 244074 FOUND 1 POLE, 28 FT HIGH, 2 STRANDS OF HEAVY GAUGE WIRE HEADING EAST 300 METERS TO WHERE IT HAD BEEN CUT BY F/W. ALSO 2 STRANDS AT VIC YD 242074 HEADING NORTH TO SOUTH. ALSO ONE STRAND VIC YD 242074 HEADING NORTHWEST TO SOUTHEAST.

D. AT 0930H, G/2/3 VIC YD 184127 POINT MAN SAW GLIMPSE OF NVA IN WHITE SHORTS, NO WEAPON. NVA DISAPPEARED AROUND CORNER, NO PURSUIT BY FIRE POSSIBLE.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-26, J-12, U-3, CC-6, EE-8

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 89 WIA 413 WANE 96 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1072 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3
 C. IWC 206 CS WC 11

7. SCOUT SNIPERS REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD-	RESULTS
9TH MAR	1	1	YD 184136	N/A
GP/1/9	1	1	YD 197053	N/A
C/1/9	1	1	YD 197053	N/A
D/1/9	1	1	YD 200051	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 121051	N/A
F/2/9	1	1	YD 133048	N/A
G/2/9	1	1	YD 134071	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	YD 139043	N/A
GP/3/9	1	1	YD 230076	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	YD 230076	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	YD 233054	N/A

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 122 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 222400H-230600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
 - A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 89 WIAE 113 WIANE 96 MIA 1
 - B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1072 DETAINEES: TOTAL 13 PW(NVA) 3
 - C. IWC 206 CSWC 11

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SITREP NR 12 3 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 230600H-231200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

1/9/CP, A, C, D 197053
1/9/B 196040
2/9/CP, G 134071
2/9/E, H 139043
2/9/F 149044

3/9/CP 230076
3/9/I 253090
3/9/K 225087
3/9/L, M 235050
2/3/CP, G 184136
2/3/E 164107

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0750 A/1/9 VIC 197053 HEARD MORTARS TUBES VIC 196059. 3 ROUNDS IMPACTED WEST OF CO. POSITION. FIRED 60MM MORTARS AND CALLED 81 AND ARTY MISSION ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 2230H L/3/9 VIC 234050 OBSERVED 2 NVA IN FRONT OF PERIMETER. "L" CO FIRED S/A FIRE, AND THREW M-26. BOTH NVA FELL AND WERE DRAGGED OFF AFTER HEAVY FOG SET IN ADD 2 NVA KIA (C).

C. AT 0950H H/2/9 PEROL VIC 148045 MADE CONTACT WITH 3-4 NVA. FOUND 7 FIGHTING HOLES, 1 BUNKER, 2 E-TOOL. ADD 1 FR WIANE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. TOTAL FIGURES FOR A/1/9 CONTACT OF 22 FEB 69 FR WIA (51 EVAC, 10 NON EVAC) AND 11 FR KIA ADD 1 FR KIA, 10 FR WIANE, DROP 1 FR WIAE.

B. LATE ENTRY: 221600 B/1/9 VIC 196036 REC'D 40 60MM RDS FROM VIC 197030. ARTY COUNTER MORTAR MISSION FIRED. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA, 7 FR WIAE, 8 FR WIANE.

C. AT 1115H L/3/9 VIC 235046 SPOTTED 6 NVA ON ROAD VIC 226047. WEARING GREEN UTILITIES. "L" CO FIRED S/A, ARTY AND MORTARS. NEG RESULTS.

D. ADD 1 FR WIANE TO L/3/9 YESTERDAY CONTACT.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 94 WIAE 449 WIANE 115 MIA 1
B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 1075 DETAINEES TOTAL 13 PW (NVA) 3
C. INC 206 CSWC 14

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SITREP NR 124 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 231200H-231800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: -

9TH MAR YD 184136

CP/A/D/C/L/9 YD 197053

B/1/9 YD 196040

CP/E/2/9 YD 139035

F/2/9 YD 148044

G/2/9 YD 134071

H/2/9 YD 139043

CP/K/3/9 YD 230076

I/3/9 YD 253090

L/3/9 YD 233050

L/3/9 PMP YD 238039

M/3/9 YD 233050 -

CP/G/2/3 YD 184136

E/2/3 YD 164107

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MA INTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
DAY A OPS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1230H, L/3/9 VIC YD 235075 REC'D FIRE FROM 1 NVA. "L"
CO ASSAULTED POSITION, WOUNDED NVA WITH M-79 FIRE. RESULTS: ADD
1 FR WIANE, 1 NVA POW, 1 IWC(SKS).

B. AT 1604H, CP/G/2/9 VIC YD 126076 REC'D 2 MORTAR RDS &
S/A AND A/W FIRE WITH NEG CASUALTIES. FIRED 60MM & 81MM MORTARS
ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS.

C. AT 1645H, K/3/9 VIC YD 231076 PERIMETER RECEIVED 1 RD
OF S/A FIRE. RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 221515H, AO'S CALL SIGNS "SEAWORTHY 98-12 & 98-13"
RAN AIR STRIKE FOR 1/9 VICINITY YD 205055 TO YD 205045. ADD
5 NVA KBA.

B. AT 0915H, L/3/9 VIC YD 234057 FOUND 1320 RDS OF 7.62,
825 RDS OF 12.7MM, 2709 RDS OF 20MM, 14 RDS OF 40MM, 1 MEMEO-
GRAPH MACHINE, 3 ANTI AIRCRAFT POSITIONS WITH BUNKERS. DESTROYED
POSITIONS AND GEAR.

C. AT 1200H, B/1/9 VIC YD 189029 FOUND 2 MAN-MADE CAVES
4x5x30 FT LONG, 2 NVA CLAYMORES, 9 RIFLE GRENADES, 1 60MM RD,
75 LBS OF RICE, 1 AK-47 BAYONET, 2 NVA GAS MASKS, 2 NVA HELMETS,
ROUNDS BLOWN, RICE DESTROYED.

D. AT 1100H, H/2/9 VIC YD 150044 HAD 1 ADDITIONAL FR WIANE.

E. AT 1330H, G/2/3 VIC YD 182146 FOUND OLD NVA BASE CAMP,
2 HUTS 15x40 FT, 3 BUNKERS, PARTIALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

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5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 94 WIAE 119 WIANE 117 MIA 1
B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1079 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 1
C. IWC 207 CSWC 14

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SITREP NR 125 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 231800H-232400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

H/2/9 YD 137037

E/2/9 YD 136040

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1830H, CP/2/9 VIC YD 134071 REC'D 10-12 RDS OF INCOMING 60MM MORTAR FIRE FROM VIC YD 126076. RETURNED FIRE WITH 60MM & 81MM MORTARS & 106MM RR. KILLING 6 NVA AND DESTROYING 2 60MM MORTARS. ADD 6 NVA KIA(C).

B. BDA 23 FEB: AT 0910H, COLORADO "P" (AO) VIC YD 244043 SPOTTED BUNKERS & 2 122MM GUNS. RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING 1 122MM GUN, 16 BUNKERS, 1 50CAL GUN POSITION, DAMAGED ONE 122MM GUN AND KILLED 6 NVA KIA(C). AT 1600H, COLORADO "W" (AO) VIC YD 205054 SPOTTED BUNKER COMPLEX. RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING 4 BUNKERS, OBSERVING 4 SECONDARIES AND KILLING 2 NVA(C). AT 1630H, "SEAWORTHY 97-9" SPOTTED TRUCKS AT VIC YD 145020 AND YD 152021. RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING 3 TRUCKS & HEAVILY DAMAGING ONE. AT 1635H, COLORADO "C" (AO) VIC YD 244044 AND YD 243053 SPOTTED 122MM GUN. RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING 1 50 CAL GUN, DAMAGED ONE 122MM GUN AND 2 NVA(C). AT 1815H, COLORADO "I" (AO) VIC YD 122022 AND YD 145023 SPOTTED 2 TRUCKS, ONE WITH 23MM GUN MOUNTED. RAN FIXED WING DESTROYING 2 TRUCKS AND ONE 23MM GUN. AT 1830H, COLORADO "O" (AO) VIC YD 208048 SPOTTED BUNKER COMPLEX. RAN AIR STRIKES DESTROYING 7 BUNKERS & 3 NVA(C) KBA.

C. AT 2305H, A/1/9 VIC YD 197055 CAME UNDER FIRE FROM RPG'S, S/A AND CHICOMS FROM ESTIMATED 25 NVA. ORGANIC WEAPONS RETURNED FIRE AND ARTY CALLED. ADD 1 WIAE, AND 3 WIANE. ENEMY LOSSES UNKNOWN. ARTY PRODUCED NUMEROUS SMALL SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. TOTAL ENEMY KIA(C) SITREP 12 3 SHOULD READ 1074 VICE 1075. SUCCEEDING SITREPS CORRECT.

B. AT 1930H, E/3/9 VIC YD 2 35060 WHILE DISPOSING OF CAPTURED AMMO, EXPLOSION OCCURED INJURING 4 PERSONS. INVESTIGATIONS BEING CONDUCTED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-29, J-4, L-2, U-6, CC-3

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 94 WIAE 420 WIANE 120 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1098 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA)

C. IWC 207 CSWC 11

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>NR TMS</u>	<u>NR TMS EMPL</u>	<u>COORD-</u>	<u>RESULTS</u>
HQ/9	1	1	YD 184136	N/A
H&S/1/9	1	1	YD 197053	N/A
D/1/9	1	1	YD 197053	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 139035	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	YD 139043	N/A
H&S/3/9	1	1	YD 230076	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	YD 233050	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	YD 230076	N/A

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SITREP NR 126 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 232400H-240600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

GP/G/2/9 YD 134071 H/2/9 YD 137027
 E/2/9 YD 136040 A CMD/2/9 YD 139035
 F/2/9 YD 148044 ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
 DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 91 WIAE 120 WIAE 120 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1098 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 1
 C. INC 207 CSNC 14

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SITREP NR 127 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 240600H-241200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/3/9 YD 233051 L/3/9 YD 241039

K/3/9 YD 233050 H/2/9 YD 142024

ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 0530H, L/3/9 VIC YD 240039 SPRUNG AMBUSH ON 10-15 NVA RESULTING IN 3 NVA KILLED. NVA RETURNED FIRE WITH A/W FIRE AND CHICOMS RESULTING IN 4 PR WIANE. ADD 3 NVA(C) & 4 WIANE.

B. AT 0730H, L/3/9 VIC YD 240039 SIGHTED 5 NVA IN THE OPEN WEARING BLACK UNIFORMS AND CARRYING WEAPONS. FIRED 60MM MORTARS, & M-60 MACHINE GUNS RESULTING IN 2 NVA(C).

C. LATE ENTRY: AT 231008H 3/9 FO FIRED ARTY MISSION VIC YD 226047 RESULTING IN 2 NVA(C).

D. LATE ENTRY: AT 231005H, 3/9 FO FIRED ARTY MISSION VIC YD 225041 AT NVA IN THE OPEN RESULTING IN 2 NVA(C).

E. LATE ENTRY: AT 230950H, H/2/9 VIC YD 150044 MADE CONTACT WITH 3-4 NVA. (SEE SITREP NR 123 PARA 3C) ADD 1 NVA(C).

F. AT 1145H, G/2/9 VIC YD 135078 PATROL REC'D 15-20 S/A RDS FROM 2-3 ENEMY. RETURNED FIRE & CHECKING AREA. ADD 1 WIANE.

G. AT 1100H, H/2/9 VIC YD 139025 SIGHTED 6 ENEMY ON ROAD. SET UP HASTY AMBUSH & OPENED FIRE AND REC'D S/A FIRE IN RETURN. ENEMY BROKE CONTACT & "H" CO CALLED IN BMM & ARTY FIRE RESULTING IN 4 NVA(C), ONE BELIEVED TO BE AN OFFICER. ALSO FOUND 1 AK-47, 1 SES, AND 2 9MM PISTOLS AND 4 NVA PACKS CONTAINING PERSONAL GEAR, TOILET ARTICLES, MEDICINE AND 1000 RDS OF AK-47 AMMO. ENEMY HAD FRESH HAIR CUTS & CLEAN UNIFORMS WITH NO MARKINGS. ADD 4 NVA(C), AND 4 IWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1100H, A/1/9 VIC YD 197055 CHECKED AREA OF 232305H CONTACT AND FOUND ONE MACHINE GUN TRIPOD, 1 GAS MASK AND 8 NVA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 94 WIANE 121 WIANE 121 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1118 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 4

C. IWC 211 CSWC 14

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SITREP NR 128 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 241200H-241800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/C/D/1/9 YD 197053

B/1/9 YD 196040

CP/E/2/9 YD 135040

F/2/9 YD 219045

B CMD/G/2/9 YD 134071

E/2/9 YD 212024

CP/X/L/3/9 YD 239039

1/3/9 YD 253090

M/3/9 YD 204045

CP/G/2/3 YD 184136

E/2/3 YD 14407

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1200H, H/2/9 VIC YD 118022 SIGHTED 2 NVA ON ROAD. CALLED 81MM MORTAR MISSION RESULTING IN 2 NVA (G).

B. AT 1230H, A/1/9 YD 196055 SIX NVA OP PREPARING TO SET IN REC'D A/M AND RPG FIRE FROM BRUSH LINE TO THEIR LEFT RESULTING IN 2 WIAE. RETURNED FIRE ON 10-15 ENEMY IN GREEN UNIFORMS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1315H, E/2/3 VIC YD 167107 FOUND 3 WELL CONSTRUCTED BUNKERS NEAR DRY STREAM BED. BUNKERS DESTROYED.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1030H, L/3/9 VIC YD 240040 FOUND 20 BUNKERS 6x6x4 FT CONTAINING 8 140MM ROCKETS, 5 122MM ARTY RDS, 5 UNIDENTIFIED ROUNDS (APPROX 80MM), 240 RDS OF 12.7MM, 2800 RDS OF 7.62MM, 2 RPG RDS AND OTHER ASSORTED GEAR. BUNKERS & ORDNANCE DESTROYED. SAVING ONE IDENTIFIED ROUND FOR BD-2.

C. AT 1610H, C/1/9 VIC YD 197057 FOUND BUNKERS, 50 SPENT 122MM ARTY RDS, 10 ASSEMBLED FOR FIRING BUT APPARENTLY HIT BY ARTILLERY, 10 CASES OF 12.7MM AMMO (100-200 RDS PER CASE), BRIEF CASE FULL OF DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING SOME THAT APPEAR TO BE FIRING TABLES. "C" GO LOOKING FOR PDC AT THIS TIME. -ORDNANCE TO BE DESTROYED.

D. AT 1600H, B/1/9 VIC YD 196040 REC'D 68 60MM RDS FROM VIC YD 216055. COUNTER MORTAR FIRE WITH 81'S AND ARTY. GUNSHIP REPORTED DESTROYING MORTAR TUBE AT SAME TIME VIC YD 209059. RESULTS: 1 PR WIAE.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 94 WIAE 123 WIAE 125 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA (C) 1120 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 4

C. IWC 211 CSWC 11

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SITREP NR 129 OF NEW EY CANYON FROM 241800H-242400H

IMMEDIATE1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. BOUNDARY CHANGE WENT INTO EFFECT 242000H BETWEEN 1/9 & 3/9.

F. BOUNDARY CHANGE WENT INTO EFFECT AT 242400H BETWEEN 1/9 & 2/9.

C. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1840H, H/2/9 VIC YD 135025 TOOK 2 RPG RDS AND 6 60MM RDS OF INCOMING FROM ABOVE GRIDS. "H" CO FIRED 3 RDS OF 106MM RR FIRE. ALL 3 RDS RIGHT ON TARGET. MORTARS SILENCED, UNK ENEMY CASUALTIES.

B. AT 1500H, M/3/9 VIC YD 243043 FOUND 2 122MM ARTILLERY PIECES, 1 FULL TRACKED VEHICLE, WHICH HAS BEEN DESTROYED, ASSORTED S/AM, MORTAR, ARTILLERY AMMO AND INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS. "M" CO CAME IN CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED ENEMY SQUAD FIRING S/A FIRE & RPG'S. "M" CO RETURNED S/A FIRE, 60MM & 81MM MORTAR FIRE, AND 106MM RR FIRE. AREA WILL BE THOROUGHLY SEARCHED TOMORROW. RESULTS: 2 PR WIAE, 4 EN 33A(C), 2 CSWC (122MM ARTILLERY PIECES).

C. AT 2030H, CP/3/9 VIC YD 239039 REC'D 12 60MM RDS, LATER ABOUT 50-60 60MM RDS, RPG'S, RIFLE GRENADES, S/A FIRE, AND LINES WERE HIT BY GROUND ATTACK FROM N, W, AND S. CP/4/3/9 RETURNED S/A FIRE, 60MM & 81MM MORTAR FIRE, ARTILLERY AND FLARESHIP ARRIVED ON STATION. RESULTS: 1 KIA FR, 14 FR WIAE, 14 NVA(C).

D. AT 2150H, E/2/3 VIC YD 164111 LP HEARD MOVEMENT AND SPOTTED 2 NVA TO THEIR FRONT. THE LP FIRED S/A, 81MM MORTARS FIRED ON ESCAPE ROUTES WITH UNK RESULTS.

E. AT 2300H, E/2/3 VIC YD 164107 REPORTED LINES TOOK APPROX 3 MAGAZINES OF AK-47 FIRE AND ONE RIFLE GRENADE IN APPROX 3 MIN. LP RETURNED FIRE WITH M-79 WITH UNK RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1715H, E/2/9 VIC YD 120034 REPORTED RESUPPLY HELICOPTER REC'D FIRE FROM ABOVE GRID, HELICOPTER REPORTED BEING HIT AND DEPARTED AREA.

B. AT 1715H, G/2/9 VIC YD 124085 REC'D 12-18 RDS. NEG CASUALTIES. COUNTER-MORTAR FIRE CALLED IN.

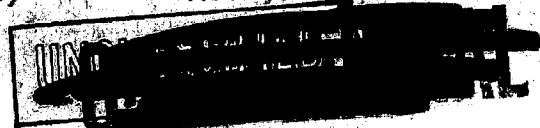
C. AT 1900H, E/2/3 VIC YD 151112 AND YD 147108 FOUND 10 BUNKERS, 10 HUTS AND DOCUMENTS, 2 TONS OF RICE & POTATOES, 3 SKS'S, 3 BOLT ACTION RIFLES, 3 AK-47 MAGAZINE, 150 RDS OF AK-47 AMMO. BUNKERS HUTS, RICE AND POTATOES DESTROYED. WEAPONS AND DOCUMENTS RETURNED. ADD 11 IWC.

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D. AT 2110H, B/1/9 ADD 2 FR WIA TO SPOT REP 211600H. ADD 2 FR WIA.

E. AT 1610H, B/1/9 VIC YD 218033 SIGHTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE ARTY FLASHES & ELEPHANT AT ABOVE GRID. ARTILLERY MISSION CALLED IN.

F. ADDITION TO 1610H, C/1/9 SPOT REP VIC YD 197057 ADD 20 CASES OF 12.7MM AMMO, (100 RDS PER CASE), 2 RPG RDS, LARGE AMOUNT OF DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO FDC OF ARTILLERY INCLUDING FIRING TABLES AND SKETCH MAP OF FSB CUNNINGHAM, PLUS LARGE ASSORTMENT OF MILITARY GEAR.

G. AT 1500H, G/2/3 VIC YD 193120 TO YD 187128 FOUND BUNKER COMPLEX OF 40 BUNKERS AND 2 LARGE GARDENS RUNNING ALONG STREAM. APPEARED NOT TO HAVE BEEN USED FOR 3-4 WEEKS.

H. RECOUNT OF NVA(C) ON SITREP NR 127 BRINGS TOTALS TO 1120 ON THA T SITREP. ADD 2 NVA (C) TO SITREP NR 128. CORRECT COUNT ENTERED ON THIS SITREP NR(129).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-31, J-8, U-6, CC-8, GG-7

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 95 WIAE 441 WIAE 125 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1110 DETAINEES: TOTAL 11 PW(NVA) 1

C. INC 222 CS WC 16

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
HQ/9	1	1		N/A
H&S/1/9	1	1		N/A
D/1/9	1	1		N/A
E/2/9	1	1		N/A
H/2/9	1	1		N/A
H&S/3/9	1	1		N/A
L/3/9	1	1		N/A
K/3/9	1	1		N/A

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SITREP NR 130 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 242400H-250600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:
 - A. AT 0300H 6/2/9 LP VIC YD 136075 OPENED FIRE ON 2 NVA AND REC'D S/A FIRE IN RETURN WOUNDING ONE MAN. AREA WILL BE CHECKED AT FIRST LIGHT. ADD 1 WIAE.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE
5. PLANS:
 - A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 95 WIAE 142 WIAE 125 MIA 1
 - B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 11-0 DETAINEES: TOTAL 11 PW(NVA) 1
 - C. IWC 222 CSWC 16

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SITREP NR 131 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 250600-251200H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

C/1/9 YD 196056

K/3/9 YD 238038

OTHERS NO CHANGE.

2. SUMMA KY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 0300H G/2/9 VIC YD 136075 LP WAS ATTACKED BY 4-5 NVA FIRING S/A FIRE AND THROWING CHICOM GRENADES. "G" Co LP. DROVE OFF THE NVA WITH FRAG GRENADES KILLING ONE. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA AND 1 NVA KIA (C).

B. AT 0845H I/3/9 VIC YD 250093 FOUND 2 50 CAL. POSITIONS, 600 RDS 12.7MM AMMO, 5 60MM RDS. ORDNANCE DESTROYED.

C. AT 0825 H/3/9 VIC YD 138045 PATROL KILLED 1 NVA AT ABOVE TIME AND GRID. ADD 1 NVA KIA (C).

D. AT 0900H K/3/9 VIC YD 242038 MADE CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED 4 NVA FIRING A MACHINE GUN. "K" Co MOVED THROUGH AREA, FOUND 18 RIFLE GRENADES, 720 RDS 7.62MM, 1 RPG RD, 1000 RDS 7.62MM SHORT IN BELTS, 400 LOOSE RDS S/A, 1 AK-47 MAGAZINE. AMMO DESTROYED. RESULT ADD 1 FR KIA.

E. AT 1015 h K/3/9 VIC YD 247035 POINT ELEMENTS MADE CONTACT WITH 1 NVA WITH LMG. POINT FIRED FIRST, NVA RETURNED FIRE, POINT UNIT ADVANCED AND CONTACT WAS BROKEN. RESULTS: ADD 1 FR KIA (E).

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 241307 M/3/9 VIC YD 133017 SPOTTED NVA IN OPEN FIRED ARTILLERY MISSION RESULTING IN 2 NVA KIA (C).

B. AT 0800 E/2/3 VIC YD 164107 REPORTS FINDING 1 NVA BODY, 1 AK-50, 2 MAGAZINES, 2 GRENADES (SPOON TYPE POSSIBLY RUSSIAN), 1 ID CARD, MONEY AND DOCUMENTS. ADD 1 IVC, 1 NVA KIA (C).

C. AT 0800H B/1/9 VIC YD 196039 FOUND 2 BARRELS FOR 20MM AA GUNS. TO BE EVACUATED.

D. AT 1030H K/3/9 VIC YD 242038 REC'D 2 INCOMING ARROWS. SEARCHED AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

E. AT 0900H M/3/9 VIC YD 243043 FOUND 2 U-SHAPED TUNNELS RUNNING INTO MOUNTAIN SIDE. FOUND 16 MODEL 1944 CHICOM CARBINES, 4 PPS, 43 MACHINE PISTOLS (CONDITION OF WEAPONS FROM WORKABLE TO VERY RUSTY), 300 LOOSE AK RNDs, ASSORTED CLOTHING AND COOKING GEAR. AMMO AND GEAR DESTROYED. ADD 63 IVC.

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F. AT 0845H 1/3/9 VIC YD 254093 FOUND 1 BUNKER 25x10x5 FT, 9 BUNKERS 5x5x4 FT, 1 TUNNEL 4x4x30 FT LEADING TO ROOM 25x10x5 FT. FOUND 1 ADAPTOR FOR AN AK GRENADE LAUNCHER, 1,575 12.7MM RDS, 200 AK-47 RDS, 100 LBS RICE, 1 ROLL COMM WIRE. ALL GEAR DESTROYED.

G. AT 0930H 1/3/9 VIC YD 234043 FOUND 20 60MM RDS STILL IN SHIPPING CRATE, 21 RIFLE GRENADES STILL IN CONTAINERS, 1 RIFLE GRENADE ADAPTER, ALL NEW. AMMO DESTROYED.

H. AT 1100H 1/3/9 VIC YD 230044 FOUND 2 60MM RDS, 30 GALLONS GASOLINE, 6 BUNKERS 5x5x5 FT, 1 GARAGE 6x12x12 FT, WITH LOG ROOF. GEAR DESTROYED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN \$ DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 97 WIAE 443 WIAE 125 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 1115 DETAINEES: TOTAL 11 PW (NVA) 4

C. IFG 286 CSWC 16

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 132 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 251200-251800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

079 184136	2/9/B CID 135040
1/9/CP, A, D, 197053	3/9/CP, K, L, 239029
1/9/B 196040	3/9/I 252090
1/9/C 197055	3/9/M 244044
2/9/CP E 141025	2/3/CP, G 184136
2/9/F 149045	2/3/PLT 164136
2/9/G 134071	2/3/E 164107
2/9/H 149024	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1210H K/3/9 VIC 245029 POINT UNIT CAME INTO CONTACT WITH 10-12 NVA, THE ENEMY OPENING UP WITH RPG'S 2 IMG'S AND S/A FIRE. "K" CO RETURNED FIRE AND ADVANCED UNDER COVER OF A 60MM AND AN ARTY MISSION. RESULTS 2 FE KIA.

B. AT 1320-1600H 1/9 14 AND AO VIC 210053 CONTROLLED FIXED WING STRIKES ON BUNKER COMPLEXES PRODUCING 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND AN KILLING 6 NVA. ADD 6 NVA KIA (C).

C. LATE ENTRY: 1000H H/2/9 VIC 148022 MADE CONTACT WITH EST. 10 NVA. PATROL WAS REINFORCED AND ENEMY POSITIONS WERE OVERRUN. ONE 122mm ARTY PLCE, 2 40MM AA GUNS WITH MOUNTS, 1 12.7 MACHINE GUN AND 2 TRUCKS CAPTURED AND 8 NVA KILLED. ADD 2 FR KIA, 4 WIAE D 2 WIAE, 8 NVA (C) 4 CSAC.

D. AT 1555H K/3/9 VIC 242022 WHILE MOVING HEARD MOVEMENT AND RECOGNIZED AREA BY FIRE. APPROX 5 NVA RETURNED FIRE WITH S/A RESULTING IN 1 WIAE. SEARCH OF AREA REVEALED 2 PACKS, MISC 782 GEAR, NOTEBOOK AND 28 RPG RDS.

E. AT 1600H B/1/9 VIC 196030 REC'D 20 RDS 82MM MORTARS FROM VIC 206027. CALLED 81'S AND ARTY AND HAD AO ON STATION. NEG RESULTS.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1215H L/3/9 VIC 228044 FOUND 20 82MM RDS, 28 RIFLE GRENADES, 50 PICK HEADS, 1 TRUCK HIT BY AIRCRAFT BOMB, 4 BICYCLES. DESTROYED ROUNDS AND GEAR.

B. AT 1400H G/2/3 VIC 171131 FOUND 1 GRASS HUT WITH SMALL AMOUNT OF CORN AND ABOUT 750 LBS OF RICE (100LBS IN 2 SACKS AND REMAINDER IN BAMBOO BASKETS.) DESTROYED.

C. AT 1500H L/3/9 VIC 240039 FOUND 18 CHINESE MADE BICYCLES (PARTIALLY DESTROYED) ALSO 140 RDS 7.62MM RDS.

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D. AT 1415H K/3/9 VIC 242029 FOUND 3 HOOTCHES 10x35', 5x10' AND 15x15 AND REINFORCED TUNNEL 65' HIGH AND WIDE AND 125 METERS LONG. FOUND 300 LBS RICE, 200 AMPULES MORPHINE AND OTHER MISC. MEDICAL. 9 RIFLE GRENADES AND ONE LAUNCHER, 3 SKS RIFLES, 1000 RDS 7.62, 3000 RDS AK AMMO, 12 FIRST AID PACKS MISC MILITARY GEAR AND TOOLS. ALSO FOUND 1 CAVE 10x2x2 METERS WITH COOKING GEAR AND 4 NEW GRAVES WITH BODIES ALSO FOUND 6 ADDITIONAL ENEMY BODIES FROM MORNINGS CONTACT. ADD 10 NVA(C), 3 IWC.

E. AT 1515H G/2/3 VIC 184136 FOUND ONE NVA BODY OUTSIDE WIRE. APPEARED 5 DAYS OLD. ADD 1 NVA (C).

F. AT 1430H M/3/9 VIC 243043 FOUND 1 STORAGE HUT 4x6x10', ONE COOKING HUT 7x10x20' AND 1 USED FOR EATING 10x12x3', ONE TUNNEL 3x1x10'. 400 LBS RICE, 1 HYDRAULIC PUMP, 1000 RDS AK AMMO, 4000 RDS 7.62 LONG, 100 RPG BOOSTERS, 12 RIFLE GRENADES, 5 DH-10 MINES AND ASSORTED CLOTHING, COOKING GEAR AND HARDWARE.

G. AT 1700H G/2/9 VIC 129074 A GUNSHIP MADE AN EMERGENCY LANDING AT ABOVE GRID FROM UNKNOWN CAUSES. CREW PICKED UP BY ANOTHER AIRCRAFT. ONE SQUAD DISPATCHED FROM "G" TO PROTECT AIRCRAFT.

H. LATE ENTRY: 0830-1630H C/1/9 VIC 196057 FOUND ENEMY BATTERY POSITION WITH 3 GUN PITS AND BUNKER COMPLEX DESTROYED BY A IR CONTAINING 2 BODIES AND 3 AK-47'S, 37 122MM RDS (20 DESTROYED BY FRIENDLY ARTY), 7 CHICOM GRENADES & 7 60MM RDS., & MISC 782 GEAR. VIC 198060 FOUND ONE ENEMY BODY ADD 3 NVA(C) & 3 IWC.

I. AT 1630H L/3/9 VIC 240039 FOUND 2 SOVIET 7.62 HEAVY MACHINE GUNS WITH 2 EXTRA BARRELS, 1 E&T MECHANISM FOR 12.7MM M G, 4 WHEELS AND CARRIAGE FOR M.G., 14-DH-10 MINES. ADD 2 CSWC.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 101 WIAE 447 WIANE 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 1173 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW (NVA)

C. IWC 292 CSWC 22

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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BT~~CONFIDENTIAL~~: PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 133 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 251000-251100H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:
 - A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1730 H/2/9 VIC YD 146021 PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH NVA AMBUSH A LONG ROAD. ATTEMPTED TO USE SUPPORTING ARMS BUT TARGET HARD TO LOCATE AND TOO CLOSE TO FRIENDLIES. RELIEF FORCE SENT OUT FROM "H" POS. CONTACT RESULTED ON 3 FR KIA, 5 WIAE, 2 NVA KIA.
 - B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1300 M/3/9 VIC YD 250043 MADE CONTACT WITH 8 ENEMY WHO FIRED S/A, MACHINE GUNS AND RPG'S. S/A, MORTARS & ARTY RETURNED. UPON REACHING THE OBJECTIVE "M" FOUND FIGHTING HOLES AND CLOTHING COVERED WITH BLOOD, 40 82MM RDS, 70 FUSES, 600 BOTTLES OF PENICILLIN, 17 RIFLE GRENADES AND ASSORTED 12.7 MM RDS AND DOCUMENTS. CONTACT RESULTED IN 1 NVA KIA.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. AT 2050H F/2/9 VIC YD 145067 SPOTTED LIGHT 2-3 KM AWAY AT 355 DEGREES. FIRED 81 MISSION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.
 - B. LATE ENTRY: AT 241730H M/3/9 VIC YD 243043 WHILE ON MOVE FOUND 71 RDS 122 MM AMMO. DESTROYED SOME WITH DEMO.
 - C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1000H H/2/9 VIC YD 145022 FOUND FIGHTING BUNKERS APPROXIMATELY EVERY 80 METERS ON AXIS OF ADVANCE. AT VIC YD 145021 FOUND TRUCK TRACKS LEADING UP RAVALINE. FOUND 2 TRUCKS: DESTROYED BY AIR AND 1 DAMAGED. AT VIC YD 149023 FOUND 3 BUNKERS 4x4 TO 6x6. ALSO FOUND 2 AK-47, 2 SKS, 1 PB 44, 830 AA RDS, 3500 AK-47 RDS, 82 LBS TNT AND MISC. TOOLS AND 650 LBS OF RICE. ADD 5 IWC.

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A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-31, E-3, J-6, L-1, U-4, CC-5, CG-3

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 104 WIAE 452 WIANE 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 1179 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 4

C. IWC 297 CSWC 22

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
HQ/9	1	1	184136	N/A
H&S1/9	1	1	197053	N/A
D/1/9	1	1	197053	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	141025	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	149024	N/A
H&S3/9	1	1	239039	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	239039	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	239039	N/A

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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SUPVRTO: CG, TC HOTEL
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SITREP NR 134 OF DEWY CANYON FROM 252100-260600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS: ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE.
4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:
 - A. TOTAL BDA FOR 25 FEB 69: 2 APC, 3 TRUCKS, 2 122MM GUNS,
 - 14 KBA. ADD 14 NVA KIA (C).
5. PLANS:
 - A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 104 WIAE 452 WIAHE 128 MIA 1
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 1193 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW (NVA) 4
 - C. INC 297 CSUC 22

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SITREP NR 135 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 260600-261200**IMMEDIATE**

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE
2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:
 - A. NEW LZ VIC YD 239039 NAMED MADISON. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
3. ENEMY CONTACTS:
 - A. AT 1000H E/2/9 VIC YD 150020 PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH 5-6 NVA. PATROL LAYED DOWN BASE OF FIRE TO PERMIT ELEMENT OF PATROL TO ENVELOPE ENEMY. A.O. IN AREA AND CALLING 81 MISSION AND RUNNING A IR. ADD 2 WIAE.
 - B. AT 1020 H/3/9 VIC YD 247025 RECEIVED S/A AND RPG FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 8-10 NVA. RETURNED S/A, 60 & 81 MORTAR FIRE. KILLING 1 ENEMY. RESULTS: ADD 3 WIAE, 1 NVA KIA.
4. A. LATE ENTRY: AT 251630H H/2/9 VIC YD 159023 FIRED "F" BATTERY 2/12. RESULTING IN 1 NVA KIA.
 - B. AT 0800H L/3/9 VIC YD 239039 FOUND 1 AK-47 WITH BLOOD TRA IL LEADING AWAY. APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN IN PLACE 1-2 DAYS ADD 1 IWC.
 - C. AT 0900H K/3/9 VIC YD 244038 FOUND ONE COOKING HUT 8x10x15 HUTS DESTROYED, 2 CAVES 10x3x5M & 1 HUT 10x8x5'. HUTS DESTROYED.
 - D. AT 0945 K/3/9 VIC YD 244078 FOUND 5 HUTS 20x30x6'. ALSO LADDER UP A TREE USED AS OP. AREA DESTROYED
 - E. AT 1030H D/1/9 VIC YD 204036 FOUND 16 BAGS OF RICE AND 2 CANS OF FUEL. RICE BURNED.
 - F. AT 1030H H/3/9 VIC YD 251050 FOUND SEVERAL FIGHTING HOLES, 3 HUTS 6x10x8', A TUNNEL 4x5x50' AND SEVERAL PAPERS. HUTS AND TUNNEL DESTROYED.
 - G. AT 0900 K/3/9 VIC YD 244038 FOUND CAVE 6x6 RUNNING NORTH INTO SIDE OF HILL APPROXIMATELY 50' THEN DROPS DOWN 20' AND RUNS SOUTH EAST APPROXIMATELY 60'. INSIDE WERE 10 RACKS, 26 60MM MORTARS RDS, 34 FUSES, 17 82 MM RDS, 1500RDS 7.62, 1000 LBS OF RICE. GEAR DESTROYED.
5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
 - A. FRIENDLY: KIA 104 WIAE 57 WIAIR 128 MIA 1
 - B. ENEMY: KIA 1195 DETAINEES: TOTAL: 14 PW(NVA) 4
 - C. IWC 298 CSWC 22
7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT: NO CHANGE

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IMMEDIATE 020354

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FROM: NINTH MARINES

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SUPVR. *[Signature]*TO: CG TF HOMEL
BTPERISHABLE INFO/PASS WITHOUT SERVICE
SITREP NR 135 OF DEMLEY CANYON FROM 260600-261200H FEB 69**IMMEDIATE**1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:A. NEW LZ VIC YD 239039 NAMED MADISON. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED
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FROM ESTIMATED 8-10 NVA. RETURNED S/A, 60 & 81 MORTAR FIRE.
KILLING 1 ENEMY. RESULTS: ADD 3 WIAE, 1 NVA KIA.4. A. LATE ENTRY: AT 251630H H/2/9 VIC YD 159023 FIRED "F"
BATTERY 2/12, RESULTING IN 1 NVA KIA.B. AT 0800H L/3/9 VIC YD 239039 FOUND 1 AK-47 WITH BLOOD
TTA IL LEADING AWAY. APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN IN PLACE 1-2 DAYS
ADD 1 IWC.C. AT 0900H K/3/9 VIC YD 244038 FOUND ONE COOKING HUT 8x10x15
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LADDER UP A TREE USED AS OP. AREA DESTROYEDE. AT 1030H D/1/9 VIC YD 204036 FOUND 16 BAGS OF RICE AND
2 CANS OF FUEL. RICE BURNED.F. AT 1030H H/3/9 VIC YD 251050 FOUND SEVERAL FIGHTING
HOLES, 3 HUTS 6x10x8', A TUNNEL 4x5x50' AND SEVERAL PAPERS.
HUTS AND TUNNEL DESTROYED.G. AT 0900 K/3/9 VIC YD 244038 FOUND CAVE 6x6 RUNNING NORTH
INTO SIDE OF HILL APPROXIMATELY 50' THEN DROPS DOWN 20' AND RUNS
SOUTH EAST APPROXIMATELY 60'. INSIDE WERE 10 RACKS, 26 60MM
MORTARS RDS, 34 FUSES, 17 82 MM RDS, 1500RDS 7.62, 1000 LBS OF
RICE. GEAR DESTROYED.5. PLANS: ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
DAY ACTS.6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 104 WIAE 57 WIAIR 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 1195 DETAINEES: TOTAL: 14 PW(NVA) 4

C. IWC 298 CSWC 22

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT: NO CHANGE

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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SUPVR ~~MBM~~TO: CG TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 136 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 261200-261800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP1/9, A&B YD 196040
C/1/9 YD 197053
D/1/9 YD 216033
CP3/9, K&L YD 239039
I/3/9 YD 252090
M/3/9 YD 244044

CP2/9, E&H YD 149024
B/2/9&G PLT+ YD 135046
F/2/9 YD 157036
G(-) YD 134071
CP2/3G(-) YD 184136
G PLT YD 160134
E/2/3 YD 164107

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1240H E/2/3 VIC 135092 OP SPOTTED 8 PEOPLE MOVING NE.
CALLED ARTY. RESULTS UNKNOWN.B. AT 1400H K/3/9 VIC 244022 REC'D 3 60MM MORTAR ROUNDS.
CALLED AIR STRIKE AND ARTY O SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.C. AT 1545H E/2/3 VIC 144109 SAW 2 ENEMY IN CULTIVATED AREA.
CALLED 81MORTARS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.D. AT 1330H D/1/9 VIC 216033 DURING ATTACK ON OBJ "G" TWO PLATOONS
CAME UNDER FIRE FROM AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND RPG FIRE FROM FRONT
AND RIGHT FLANK FROM EST 2 ENEMY PLATOONS. FRIENDLY LEAD ELEMENTS
ASSAULTED THRO GH RIGHT FLANK. RESERVE S/A FIRE CAUSED 5 LARGE
SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND ENEMY AMMO CONTINUED TO COOK OFF.
CONTACT RESULTED IN 2 FR KIA, 9 WIAE, 34 NVA (C), 5 AK-47's AND
2 60MM MORTARS AND SPARE BIPOD. ADD 2 FR KIA, 9 WIAE, 34 NVA (C)
5 IWC AND 2 CSWC.E. AT 1530H H/2/9 VIC 149024 REC'D 8 RD S 60MM RD S AND S/A FIRE
FROM 147044 WHILE HELICOPTERS WAS DROPPING PAX. HELICOPTERS RETURNED
FIRE, "H" CO CALLED 60 MORTARS AND ARTY. E/2/9 REC'D 60MM INCOMING
RDS AT 145023, CALLED IN 60MM AND ARTY ON OBSERVED MORTAR SITE.
RESULTS 3 WIAE.

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4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY 0900H K/3/9 VIC 214038 FOUND MISC 782 GEAR AND TOOLS—INCLUDING 2 BA YONETS, 3 MAGAZINES, 6 E-TOOLS AND 40 BLASTING CAPS, 6 PADDED VESTS, MEDICAL GEAR, 3 55 GAL DRUMS, ONE WITH WA TER. ALL GEAR EXCEPT MEDICAL GEAR DESTROYED.

B. LATE ENTRY: 1130H B/1/9 VIC 200035 FOUND 2 ARTY RANGE FINDER 2 DESTROYED 20MM AA GUNS, 2 NVA PACKS, 50 LIVING BUNKERS, 100 LBS FLOUR, 2 CANS LARD, 2 NVA ROSTERS & CHARTS. GEAR OF INTELLIGENCE VALUE KEPT, REST DESTROYED.

C. 1105H I/3/9 VIC 253093 PATROL FOUND 2 HUTS 6x6x5', 4 BUNKERS AND MISC. GEAR. AREA DESTROYED.

D. 1500H M/3/9 VIC 213043 ADDITION TO EARLIER SPOT REPORT 1 FULL TRACKED VEHICLE ALSO DESTROYED, VEHICLE ABOUT 10 TONS.

E. 1100H B/1/9 VIC 201022 TOOK 10 RDS 82MM FROM ABOVE GRID: COUNTER BATTERY MISSION FIRED SILENCING MORTAR TUBE.

F. 1100H M/3/9 VIC 251051 FOUND 3 HUTS, 2 FIGHTING HOLES, 2 BUNKERS, 2 TUNNELS, 6 BOXES FUSES, 12 82MM RDS, 2 CANS MORTAR INCREMENTS, OTHER MILITARY GEAR. APPEARED TO BE 1 YEAR OLD. GEAR AND SHELTERS DESTROYED.

G. 1200H K/3/9 VIC 214040 FOUND 1 MESSEHALL 12x15' WITH LARGE ASSORTMENT KITCHEN GEAR, 200 LBS RICE, CLOTHING, TOOLS, LARGE ASSORTMENT OF MECHANICS GEAR, 1 CAVE 4x3x150' WITH 85 60MM RDS COMPLETE, 6 PACKETS INCREMENTS, 2000 AK RDS, 10 RPG RDS WITH BOOSTERS, 11 RIFLE GRENADES, 3 AP MINES, 3 122MM SHELL CASTINGS AND 1000YD COMM WIRE. AMMO AND GEAR DESTROYED.

H. 1530H F/2/9 VIC 157031 FOUND 2 GUN PITS, POSSIBLE 122MM arty positions, and numerous fighting holes, and bunkers in a perimeter alignment, MANY BRASS CASIN S, BELIEVED TO BE 122MM CASTINGS, 2 RUSSIA N FULL TRACKED VEHICLES, WHICH HAD BEEN HIT BY AIR AND 38 COMPLETE 122MM RDS. ALSO 1 BOX OF RUSSIAN MADE ELECTRONICS PARTS, 1 LB OF DOCUMENTS, 160 122MM RDS, 1500 12.7MM RDS, 50 AK-47 RDS, 180 EXPANDED 122 MM CASINGS.

I. 1730H E/2/9 VIC 145024 FOUND 1 25MM AA GUN COMPLETE. DESTROYED. ADD 1 CSWC.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MA INTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 106 WIAE 469 WIANE 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1229 DETAINEES TOTAL: 14 PW(NVA) 14

C. IWC 303 CSWC 25

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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SITREP NR 137 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 261800-262400H FEB 69

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1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING
NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 2020H K/3/9 VIC YD 238037 LP MADE CONTACT WITH 2-3
NVA FIRING A MACHINE GUN WHILE SETTING IN. CONTACT BROKEN ALMOST
IMMEDIATELY. RESULTS 1 FR KIA, 1 FR WIAE.B. AT 2115 C/1/9 VIC YD 196057 RECEIVED 8-15 RPG RDS AND
6 60MM RDS FROM ABOVE GRID. NEG CASUALTIES. ARTY MISSION CALLED
IN ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.C. AT 2200H K/3/9 VIC YD 238039 LP OBSERVED 3 NVA APPROACHING
THEIR POSITION. LP FIRED S/A, NVA RETURNED S/A FIRE AND THEN
THREW CHICOM GRENADES. THE LP WAS WITHDRAWN, A 60MM MORTAR
MISSION WAS FIRED AND THE LP WAS REPLACED WITH A REINFORCED
SQUAD. RESULTS 2 FR WIAE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1100 L/3/9 VIC YD 243038 FOUND 1 BUNKER
10x10x5', 110 DH-10 MINES, 7 AP MINES, 7 CHICOM GRENADES PINE-
APPLE TYPE, 69 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 82MM RD, 100 BLASTING CAPS, 3
RIFLE GRENADES, 1 LAUNCHER. DESTROYED RDS AND GEAR.B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1630H L/3/9 VIC YD 221039 FOUND 1 1962
MODEL HEAVY DUTY FLAT BED TRUCK WITH MOST PARTS STILL ON IT.
ALSO FOUND 2 TRUCK BODIES COMPLETELY DESTROYED, 6 RPG RDS WITH
BOOSTERS, 30 RDS 12.7 MM, 12 LBS OF TNT, 9 AA RDS, MISC PARTS
FOR TRUCKS. DESTROYED GEAR AND AMMO.C. LATE ENTRY: AT 1200H K/3/9 VIC YD 244040 FOUND 6 AP
MINES, 3500 SIS RDS, 4000 AK-47 RDS, 1 60MM RD, 1 FRENCH CARBINE,
1 RPD DRUM, ASSORTED 782 GEAR AND CLOTHING. DESTROYED AMMO AND
GEAR. ADD 1 INC.D. LATE ENTRY: AT 1500H L/3/9 VIC YD 241040 FOUND 300 DH-10
MINES WITH BLASTING CAPS, 2 SIS BARRELS, 1 50 CAL RECEIVER GROUP,
1 7.62 RECEIVER, 20 BICYCLES FRAMES, MISC BICYCLE PARTS. RDS AND
GEAR DESTROYED.E. LATE ENTRY: AT 1500H M/3/9 VIC YD 251038 FOUND 8 FRESH
GRAVES, 1 BODY PER GRAVE, 32 60MM RDS, 5 RIFLE GRENADES, 40 MORTAR
FUSES. ALL RDS NEW. RDS DESTROYED. ADD 8 NVA KIA.F. LATE ENTRY: AT 1630H K/3/9 VIC YD 244040 FOUND 1 FULL
TRACKED VEHICLE OF SAME TYP AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AND APPEARED
TO HAVE BEEN DESTROYED BY AIR STRIKESG. LATE ENTRY: AT 1700H L/3/9 VIC YD 217017 FOUND TUNNEL CON-
TAINING 2 CAGES FOR HOMING PIGEONS 20 LBS OF BIRD FEED, 2220AK AMMO
600 RIFLE GRENADES NEW AND IN CANS, 14 60MM RDS, 150 LBS OF RICE, 10
LBS OF RICE, 24 CHICOM GRENADES, ASSORTED 782 GEAR. TUNNEL 120x4x5'
DESTROYED GEAR AND RDS, INTELLIGENCE RETURNED.

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H. LATE ENTRY: 1330 D/1/9 VIC 216033 REPORTED 15 NVA KBA, ENEMY MOVING IN COLUMN TO SUPPORT NVA FORCES OPPOSING D/1/9 AT THA T TIME. ADD 15 NVA KIA (C).

I. AT 1900H E/2/3 VIC 151099-154096 FOUND WELL CONSTRUCTED ROAD 12-15' WIDE, VIC 145096-152098 14 2 MAN BUNKERS ALONG RIVER WITH FIGHTING HOLES, 150099-149102 TRAIL WITH 6 BUNKERS, 149102 SMALL MESSHALL, 3 BUNKERS, 8 FIGHTING HOLES, ALSO DONISC 782 GEAR AND CLOTHING

K. AT 1615H AO CALL SIGN "SEAWORTHY 98-14" VIC 218033 REPORTED 30 KBA IN E/1/9 CONTACT. 15 ALREADY REPORTED KBA BY D/1/9. RESULTS ADD 15 NVA KIA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNIT WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

B. BUSHMASTER: D-29, J-14, U-8, CC-7, CG-6

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 167 WIAE 472 WIAE 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1267 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 4

C. TWC304 CSWC 25

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
HQ, 0/9	1	1	YD 184136	N/A
GP/1/9	1	1	YD 196040	N/A
D/1/9	1	1	YD 216033	N/A
E/2/9	1	1	YD 149024	N/A
H/2/9	1	1	YD 149024	N/A
GP/3/9	1	1	YD 239039	N/A
L/3/9	1	1	YD 239039	N/A
K/3/9	1	1	YD 239039	N/A

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SITREP NR 138 OP DENNEY CANYON FROM 262400-270600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 0515H G(-) VIC 133077 LP HEARD MOVEMENT AND ILLUM WAS CALLED. OVER 30 NVA SPOTTED AT ABOVE GRID. REQUESTED FLARE SHIP AND FIRED 60 MORTARS AND CALLED ARTY. HAVE REQUESTED FIXED WING FOR FIRST LIGHT. RESULTS OF ARTY UNKNOWN.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

5. PLANS:

A. G(-)/2/9 TO LIFT FROM VIC 134071 TO VIC 135040.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 107 WIAE 472 WIAVE 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1267 DETAINEES: TOTAL 11 PW(NVA) 4

C. IWC 304 CSWC 25

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SITREP 139 OP DENY CANNON FROM 270600H-271200H FEB 69

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1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP, A, 5/1/9	YD 196040	W/3/9	YD 211045	G(-)/2/9
C/1/9	YD 197053	GP, B/2/9	YD 119024	GP, G(-)/2/9
D/1/9	YD 216033	B CMD, G	PLAT/2/9	YD 135040
CP, K, L/3/9	YD 239039	E/2/9	YD 160021	E/2/9
I/3/9	YD 253020	F/2/9	YD 157036	

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACT:

A. AT 0517H, G/2/9 VIC YD 134076 OBS 30 NVA VIC YD 134077 APPROACHING THEIR POS. NVA WEARING BLACK SHIRTS AND SHORTS, NEG WFNS, BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN ARMED WITH CHICOMS AND EXPLOSIVES. A 60mm MORT AND ARTY MSH WAS CALLED IN WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE, AREA TO BE SEARCHED.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 261329H, D/1/9 VIC YD 215034 FIRING ARTY REPORTED 5 KILLED BY ARTY. ADD 5 NVA KBA(C).

B. RECON REPORT: 26 FEB VIC YD 170152 MADE CONTACT WITH 2 NVA. AO'S CAME ON STATION, OBS EST EN PLAT. RECON TM HAD 3 NVA (C). ADD 3 NVA KIA(C).

C. AT 0900H, L/3/9 VIC YD 233047 FOUND 6 RPG RDS AND BOOSTERS, 4 60mm RDS, 6 60mm FUSES, 300 LBS OF TNT, 400 LBS OF BLACK POWDER. DEST IN PLACE.

D. AT 0945H, E/2/9 VIC YD 153022 HOUSE 1 BULLDOZER IN EXCELLENT CONDITION. BULLDOZER COULD NOT BE STARTED SO WAS DEST.

E. AT 0945H K/3/9 VIC YD 238067 FOUND VIC OF LAST NIGHTS CONTACT, 1 5 LB SATCHEL CHARGE, BLOOD POOLS AND DRAG MARKS WITH MORE BLOOD. ADD 1 NVA KIA (C).

F. AT 1100H, I/3/9 VIC YD 256095 FOUND 3 HUTS, 2 BUNKERS 10'X5'X6'. DEST.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 107 WIAE 472 WIAE 128 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 1276 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW (NVA) 1

C. IWC 304 CSNC 25

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TO: CG, TF HOTEL
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SITREP NR 140 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 271200H-271800H FEB 691. UNIT LOCATIONS:

0/9 184136
1/9/CP, A, B 196040
1/9/C 197053
1/9/D 216033
2/9/CP, H 169028
2/9/E 173025

2/9/F 166041
2/9/G 134071 PLT 135040
3/9/CP, K, L 239039
3/9/I 252090
3/9/M 244044
2/3/CP, G 184136
2/3/E 164107

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1600H E/2/3 VIC 164107 RECEIVED APPROX 8 RDS 82MM MORTAR OR 75MM PACK HOWITZER FIRE LANDING IN A STRAIGHT LINE SW-NE AND COMING FROM SW. COUNTER MORTAR FIRE CALLED INTO GRID 1408.

4. OTHER SIG IFICANT EVENTS:

A. 0700H G/2/3 VIC 151131 FOUND 2 HUTS, 2 BUNKERS, 300 LBS RICE, COOKING GEAR AND 50 SNIPER RDS. ALL 2-3 WEEKS OLD. BUNKERS, HUTS, RICE, RDS, AND GEAR DEST.

B. 1230H H/2/9 VIC 158025 FOUND 1 SMALL BULLDOZER DESTROYED, AND AT VIC 159025 FOUND 1 122MM ARTY GUN. TO BE DESTROYED. ADD 1 CSWC.

C. 1200H F/2/9 VIC 164036 FOUND BUNKER COMPLEX AND POSSIBLE PDC. FOUND 8 GRAVES 1 BODY PER GRAVE, 200 7.62 MM ROUNDS (SHORT), 1 BOX AK-47 RDS, 1 LB DOCUMENTS, 53 122MM RDS, MISC CLOTHING, COM1 GEAR, AND FOOD, 100 LBS RICE, 2 BOXES 12.7MM RDS. ADD 8 NVA KIA(C).

D. 1330H G2/3 VIC 163137 PATROL FOUND OLD POSITION, BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN FRIENDLY, APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN USED LAST NIGHT BY F.O. GOOD OBSERVATION OF FRIENDLY POSITION-FROM AREA.

E. 1100H I/3/9 VIC 256095 FOUND 26 BUNKERS, WITH FIGHTING HOLES, 7 HUTS, 100 LBS RICE, 2 CHICOMS, 1 60MM RD, 6 RIFLE GRENADES, 600 AK RDS, ASSORTED 782 GEAR AND TOOLS, ASSORTED DOCUMENTS. ALL DESTROYED EXCEPT DOCUMENTS.

F. 1130H M/3/9 VIC 243042 FOUND 500 AK RDS, 2 RPD DRUMS, 9 BUNKERS, ASSORTED TOOLS, 1 231MM RD, 180 CHICOM GRENADES, 2 SKS, RECEIVER FOR A 50 CAL M.G., 1 82MM MORTAR TRIPOD, 1 571MM RR BARREL, 25 122MM ARTY RDS, 1 BREACH BLOCK AND SIGHT FOR 122MM ARTY PIECE, 232 60MM RDS, 114 POINT DETONATED CAPS, 30 60MM FUZES. ALL WILL BE DESTROYED. ADD 2 IWC.

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- G. 1325 E/2/9 VIC 164024 FOUND AA POSITION AND A 12.7MM AA GUN COMPLETE WITH 3000 12.7MM RDS. ADD 1 CSWC.
- H. 1430 E/2/9 VIC 165024 FOUND 1 12.7MM AA WEAPON WITH MOUNT AND SIGHT, AND 2000 RNDIS-AMMO. ADD 1 CSWC.
- I. 1410H E/2/9 VIC 166024 FOUND 6 A FROME BUNKERS 4x6', 1 82MM MORTAR TUBE COMPLETE, 21 82MM RDS, 16 122MM RDS, 425 RNDIS 12.7MM ADD 1 CSWC.
- J. 1420 I/3/9 VIC 853090, BULLDOZER WORKING ON PSB TRUNAGE HIT A MINE DAMAGING BLADE AND RADIATOR. ADD 1 WIANE ENGINEERS.
- K. 1400 I/3/9 VIC 233043 FOUND 1400 GALS OF OIL AND GASOLINE IN 50 GAL. DRUMS IN A TUNNEL AND 1540 RIFLE GRENADES. GEAR AND TUNNEL DESTROYED.
- L. 1630 E/2/3 VIC 152096-162098 FOUND EXTENSIVE BUNKER COMPLEX AND ROAD PORTFOLIO FAMILIARITY DETRAIDS ALL ROAD CONTINUES TO NE FROM ABOVE GRIDS.
- M. 1630 H/2/9 VIC 167032 FOUND ARTY POSITION AND EXTENSIVE BUNKER COMPLEX. AREA SEARCHED RESULTING IN 2-85MM ARTY PIECES WITH BREECHES BLOWN, 1 NEW TYPE MACHINE GUN 2 NEW AK-47's, 148RDS 85MM AMMO, 4 GA S MASKS AND 3 DRUM MAG. FOUND ADD 3 CSWC AND 8 IWC. (6 SKS)
- N. 1430 F/2/9 VIC 167042 FOUND CP BUNKERS AND BARRACKS AREA. LARGE ENOUGH FOR 100 MEN. COM WIRE RUNNING TO EACH BUNKER AND TO TREE USED AS OP. FOUND 10 BLACK BOARDS IN BUNKERS SET UP AS CLASSROOM. OP IN TREE ALSO SET UP A S INSTRUCTIONAL AREA. GUN PITS ALSO CONNECTED WITH COM WIRE. AREA APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN USED IN LAST 2 WKS.
- FOUND FOLLOWING GEAR IN A REA: 16 GAS MASKS, 38 STICKS DYNAMITE 2 MILLION UNITS PENICILLIN, 5 MILLION UNITS STREPTOMYCIN, 1 RUSSIAN STOPWATCH, 1 CHICKEN COMPASS, GUININE TABLETS, 1 PROTRA CTOR AND MISC DDOCUMENTS AND TORN UP MAPS & 1 CHINESE SUB MACHINE GUN. ADD 1 IWC.
5. PLANS:
- A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.
6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:
- A. FRIENDLY: KIA 107 WIAE 472 WIANE 132 MIA 1
- B. EN MY: KIA 1284 DETAILIES: TOTAL 14 PW(MVA) 4
- C. IWC 315 CSWC 32

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SITREP NR 141 OP DEWRY CANYON FROM 271800-272000Z FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS: NONE

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. LATE ENTRY: AT 1100-1700H D/1/9 VIC YD 215032 FOUND CACHE CONTAINING 214 SKS RIFLES, 38 BOLT ACTION RIFLES, 8 AK-47'S, 2 AK-50'S, 5 12.7 MACHINE GUNS, 1 20MM MACHINE GUN, 26 7.62 MACHINE GUN, 3 57 RR, 10 MACHINE GUNS, 1 60MM MORTAR, 5 82MM MORTARS AND 3 EXTRA BARRELS, 1 120 MM MORTAR, 5502 60 MORTAR RDS, 5501 82 MORTAR RDS, 1000 120 MORTAR RDS, 7883 RPG RDS, 990 CHICOM GRENADES, 1205 RIFLE GRENADES, 500 37MM RDS, 5 12.7 BARRELS, 1 TOWED COMPRESSOR. SOME GEAR BLOWN MUCH LEFT TO BE COUNTED AND BLOWN. ADD 272 IWC AND 45 CSWC.

B. LATE ENTRY: AT 1130 A/1/9 VIC YD 205035 FOUND 5 CHICOMS, 2 23MM AA BARRELS, 1470 23MM RDS, 1 57 RR RD, 27 LBS DYNAMITE, 700 LBS OF RICE, 800 GAL FUEL OIL, 3 BOMBED OUT TRUCKS AND IN VIC YD 211038 FOUND ONE TRUCK IN RUNNING CONDITION. GEAR DESTROYED EXCEPT FOR LAST TRUCK WHICH WILL BE DESTROYED.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-35, E-3, J-7, U-4, CC-7, EE-4.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 107WIAE 472 WIAE 143 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 1284. DETAINEES: TOTAL 11 PW (NVA) 4

C. IWC 587 CSWC 77

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
0/9	1	1	180136	NEG
1/9 CP	1	1	196040	NEG
D/1/9	1	1	216033	NEG
E/2/9	1	1	173025	NEG
H/2/9	1	1	169028	NEG
3/9 CP	1	1	239039	NEG
L/3/9	1	1	239039	NEG
K/3/9	1	1	239039	NEG

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SUBJECT: PERISHABLE INFO/PASS WINDOWN SERVICE

SITREP NR 112 OF DIXIE CANYON FROM 272400-280600H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

B. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1300-2100H 2/2/69 VIC YD 123037 SQUAD PATROL TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY ESTIMATED 25 ENEMY WITH S/A A/W AND MACHINE GUN FIRE. PLATOON WAS SENT OUT TO REINFORCE, RECEIVED SAME HEAVY FIRE. MORE REINFORCEMENTS SENT OUT BY "B" CMD GROUP. ARMY CALLED IN WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE SILENCING ENEMY. RESULTS: 3 FR KIA, 12 FR WIA, 12 EN KIA.

B. AT 2203 H/3/69 VIC YD 237011 AMBUSH INITIATED CONTACT DETONATED ALL CLAYMORES, THREW FRAGS AND FIRED 60 MORTAR MISSION. SQUAD AMBUSH WAS REINFORCED WITH REST OF PLATOON AND RECEIVED S/A, CHICONS, RPG'S AND RIFLE GRENADES. FOUND 7 BODIES, 2 AK-47, 1 RPG LAUNCHER (B-40) AND PAPERS OFF BODIES. RESULTS: 2 FR KIA, 4 FR WIA, 7 EN KIA, 3 DFC.

C. AT 0055H 2/3/69 VIC YD 134078 LP HEARD MOVEMENT TO NORTH AND NORTH WEST. KVA PROCEED WITH ESTIMATED 8-10 ENEMY. G CO LP OPENED FIRE AND ENEMY RETURNED S/A AND CHICONS. SAW 5 ENEMY FALL AND KILLED 1 MORE. LP WITHDRAWN TO LINES WITH WOUNDED. RESULTS: 4 FR WIA, AND 6 EN KIA.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY KIA 112 WIA 101 WIA 102 KIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA 110 WIA 110 DFC 110 TOTAL 110 FW (NVA) 110

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SITREP NR 143 OP DEWEY CANYON FROM 280600H-281200H FEB 69

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UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. EFFECTIVE 281200H G(-) 2/9 WAS CHOPPED OFFCON FROM 2/9 TO 2/3.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. 0930H K/3/9 VIC 235055 FOUND 13 BUNKERS. A SHORT DISTANCE FROM THE BUNKERS "K" PATROL HEARD MOVEMENT AND OPENED FIRE AND CONTACT RESULTED IN 3 ENEMY AND 1 AK-47 CAPTURED. ALSO FOUND SEVERAL PAPERS RETAINED FOR S-2. ADD 3 NVA(C) AND 1 IWC.

B. LATE ENTRY: 270723H 2/9 P.O. VIC 135079 CALLED IN ARTY MISSION ON 30 ENEMY IN OPEN RESULTING IN 3 NVA (C).

C. 1045H D/1/9 VIC 225035 SIGHTED 50 ENEMY MOVING NORTH ON THE ROAD. TOOK UNDER FIRE AND ALERTED 3/9 UNITS OF THEIR PRESENCE.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. 0830H B/1/9 VIC 200035 FOUND 3 BARRELS FOR 20MM AA GUN. WILL BE RETAINED FOR S-2.

B. 1000H H/2/9 PATROL VIC 167032 FOUND 2 85MM GUNS AND GUN PITS, 10 LBS OF FDC CHARTS, MAPS AND TABLES & 2 BURIED MAP CASES AND ASSORTED GEAR. ADD 2 CSWC.

C. 1000H G/2/9 VIC 136078 FOUND 25 NVA BODIES IN MORTAR & ARTY IMPACT AREA. PROFUSE BLOOD TRAILS & DRAG MARKS LEADING NORTH. ALSO FOUND 1 SKS & 1 AK-47. ADD 5 NVA(C) AND 2 IWC.

D. 1135H E/2/3 VIC 164107 RECEIVED 3 INCOMING ROUNDS. POSSIBLE ARTY FROM SW. FIRED ARTY MISSION ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION.

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN A ND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING DAY ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 112 WIAE 491 WIANE 132 MIA 1

B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1320 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 1

C. IWC 593 CSWC 79

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DRAFTER: 3W/MEM: r jr

RELEASED BY: M.B. LAY 1/LT.

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FROM: NINTH MAR

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SUPVR: *[Signature]*

TO: CG, TF HOTEL

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SITREP NR 114 OF DEWEY CANYON FROM 281200H-281800H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

CP/A/B/L/9 YD 196040

C/L/9 YD 197053

D/L/9 YD 216033

CP/H/2/9 YD 169029

E/2/9 YD 173025

F/2/9(-) YD 167042

B CMD/G PLT/F PLT/2/9 YD 142037

CP/C-/2/3 YD 184136

E/G/2/3 PLTS YD 164107

E-/3/2/9 YD 130090

CP/K/L/3/9 YD 239039

I/3/9 YD 253090

M/3/9 YD 244045

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS MAINTAINED & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING

DAY ACTS.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 1600H, E/2/3 VIC YD 131091 WHILE SEARCHING OUT AREA MADE CONTACT WITH 5 NVA. "E" CO OPENED FIRE QUICKLY, KILLING 1. SEARCHED AREA, FOUND BLOOD TRAILS, 2 AK-50'S. FIRED A 60MM AND AN ARTY MISSION. ADD 1 NVA KIA(C), 2 MWC.

4. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. AT 1215H, I/3/9 VIC YD 255096 FOUND BUNKER COMPLEX & SEVERAL FIGHTING HOLES AND 3 NVA BODIES IN GRAVES. ADD 3 NVA(C).

B. AT 1215H, K/3/9 VIC YD 234034 POINT OF PATROL, SIGHTED 1 ENEMY ON TRAIL. OPENED FIRE WOUNDING HIM. PATROL FOLLOWED BLOOD TRAIL, TO VIC YD 235024 WHERE THEY FOUND 3 12.7MM GUN POSITIONS AND 715 RDS OF 12.7MM AMMO. ROUNDS & POSITIONS DESTROYED.

C. AT 1310H, K/3/9 VIC YD 233028 FOUND 2 12.7MM AA POSITIONS AND 200 RDS OF 7.62 AMMO.

D. AT 1215H, M/3/9 VIC YD 246045 FOUND A CAVE CONTAINING 15 120MM MORTAR RDS. ROUNDS DESTROYED.

E. AT 1000H, F/2/9 VIC YD 169043 FOUND 15 HOOCHES WITH BUNKERS UNDERNEATH CONTAINING 200 GAS MASKS, 15 HELMETS, MISCELLANEOUS TOOLS, 6 OIL LAMPS, COOKING GEAR, 2 RDS OF 75 RR AMMO, SMALL AMOUNT OF MEDICINE, AND SMALL NUMBER OF S/A ROUNDS.

F. AT 1225H, I/3/9 VIC YD 255094 FOUND 20 BUNKERS, 30 BEDS, 7 SHELTERS, 5 RIFLE GRENADES, 5 CHICOMS, 60 60MM RDS, 1 RPG RDS, 1000 AK-47 RDS, ASSORTED MILITARY GEAR. ALL DESTROYED.

G. AT 1530H, L/3/9 VIC YD 235045 FOUND A U-SHAPED TUNNEL 4x5x50 FT. DESTROYED TUNNEL.

H. AT 1040H, H/2/9 VIC YD 166037 FOUND EXTENSIVE TRENCH AND TUNNEL SYSTEM, ASSORTED TOOLS, MILITARY GEAR, 460 85MM RDS, MEDICAL GEAR, AND 1 56 TYPE MACHINE GUN. ADD 1 CSWG.

I. AT 1045H, H/2/9 VIC YD 178033 FOUND 10 BUNKERS, ROAD JUNCTION, 1 BULLDOZER, 1 TRUCK, ALL DESTROYED BY AIR.

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K. AT 1530H, K/3/9 VIC YD 226014 OBSERVED 8-10 NVA MOVING NORTH ON A TRAIL. "K" CO CARRIED AN 81MM MISSION, KILLING 2 NVA. CONTINUED TO OBSERVE AREA, WITH NEG. FURTHER RESULTS. ADD 2 NVA KIA(C).

5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN & DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 112 - WIAE 491 WIANE 132 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA(C) 1326 DETAINEES: TOTAL 14 PW(NVA) 4
 C. EWG 595 CSWC 80

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RELEASED BY M.B. MEYER 1/11

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2 FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MAR

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1515Z/PMH/CCN:0159

TO: 0215 HONOL

SUPVR: *P. M.*

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SITREP NR 145 OF DEMEX CANYON FROM 281800-282400H FEB 69

1. UNIT LOCATIONS:

E/2/9 ID 155029

F(-)2/9 YD 169021

B CMD/P FIC/6 FIC/2/9 YD 145037

2. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS:

A. ALL UNITS WERE MAINTAIN AND DEFEND POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT AGES.

3. ENEMY CONTACTS:

A. AT 2130H E/3/9 VIC YD 241039 AMBUSH SAW 6-8 NVA ABOUT 25 METERS AWAY. TRIGGERED AMBUSH BY THROWING M-26 AND FIRING AN M-60 KILLING 6. AMBUSH RECEIVED SOME S/A FIRE FROM LEFT FLANK, THEN FIRED A PREPLANNED 60MM MISSION. RESULTS: ADD 6 NVA KIA(C).

A. OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

A. 28 FEB A/D/1/9 VIC YD 215032 CONT. TO EXPLOIT CACHE. CAPTURED: CSWG: 3 20MM AA GUNS, 2 82MM MORTARS, 11 12.7 AA GUNS, 12 57MM RE, 20 LIGHT MACHINE GUNS (7.62) 2 .30 CAL MACHINE GUNS, 1 MEDIUM MACHINE GUN, 2 60MM MORTARS. TOTAL 63 CSWG. IWC: 305 SKS RIFLES, 28 BOLT ACTION 7.62MM RIFLES, 4 AK-50, 17 AK-47's, 13 SUB MACHINE GUNS. TOTAL: 357 IWC. ROUNDS: 410 122MM ARTY RDS, 770 122MM ROCKETS RDS, 4000 120 MORTAR RDS, 3160 RPG RDS, 20,000 37MM AA RDS, 10,000 82MM MORTAR RDS, 6540 RIFLE GRENADES, 500 ANTI TANK MINES, 800 ANTI PERSONAL MINES, 950 75MM RECOILLESS RIFLE RDS, 11,500 12.7mm RDS, 20,000 CHICOM GRENADES.

B. AT 1700H E/1/9 VIC YD 205029 RECEIVED 15 RDS. 82MM RDS IN FRONT OF PERIMETER. A COUNTER MORTAR MISSION WAS FIRED WITH 81 MORTARS AND ARTILLERY WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. ADD 1 PR WIAE.

C. AT 1215H E/(-)2/9 VIC YD 180075 AT AN LZ WHILE CH-53 WAS INBOUND TOOK 8-10 82MM RDS, HITTING CH-53 WITH SHRAPNEL. THE CH-53 LEFT THE AREA. THE LZ ALSO TOOK 4 60MM RDS. AN ARTY MISSION WAS CALLED IN ON THE 82 MORTAR POSITION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. RESULTS 3 PR WIAE.

D. BDA FOR 26 FEB 69: AT 1815H VIC YD 828238 REPORTS 1 KBA. AT 1930H VIC YD 142028 REPORTS 1 KBA. ADD 5 NVA KBA(C).

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5. PLANS:

A. ALL UNITS WILL MAINTAIN AND DEF'D POS WHILE CONDUCTING NIGHT ACTS. D-37, J-11, U-5, CC-8, GG-10.

6. CUMULATIVE LOSSES:

A. FRIENDLY: KIA 112 WIAE 494 WIANE 133 MIA 1
 B. ENEMY: KIA 1337 DETAINEES: TOTAL 11 PW (NVA) 1
 C. IWC 952 CSWC 113

7. SCOUT SNIPER REPORT:

UNIT	NR TMS	NR TMS EMPL	COORD	RESULTS
HQ 0/9	1	1	184135	NEG
CP/1/9	1	1	196040	NEG
D/1/9	1	1	216033	NEG
E/2/9	1	1	169029	NEG
H/2/9	1	1	169029	NEG
CP/3/9	1	1	239039	NEG
K/3/9	1	1	239039	NEG
L/3/9	1	1	239039	NEG

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 13 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 311800H JAN - 011800H FEB 1969

SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 011100H, F/2/9 (YD 143134) DISCOVERED 4 STRAND OF COMM WIRE ONE ATOP THE OTHERS, RUNNING 230 DEGREES, 50 DEGREE DIRECTION. WIRE IS ON POLE 50 METERS APART. USED TRAIL RUNS ALONG WIRE. DID NOT DESTROY WIRE. (SOR # 2, 4).

(2) 011115H, L/3/9 (YD 183116) OBSERVED 6 NVA IN OPEN. FIRED SAF, 1 NVA RETURNED FIRE FROM ESTIMATED 300 METERS, SQUAD WAS REINFORCED, THEN FIRED 81MM MSN AT NVA. (SOR # 38).

(3) 011252H, G/2/9 (YD 104116) 4-5 NVA FIRED ON G/2/9 WITH CLAYMORES, AW, SAF. RETURNED FIRE AND CHECKING AREA. (SOR # 38).

(4) 011440H, M/3/9 (YD 191180) DISCOVERED 1 MILITARY RADIO, 2 GENERATORS, 150 82MM RDS. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR # 2, 7, 54).

(5) 011130H, K/3/9 (YD 195132) DISCOVERED 4 CROSSBOWS, WITH ARROWS POSSIBLY POISONED, 1 AMMO DRUM, 1 NEW FUEL LINE FILTER (US), 68 18550 REV B, 12 CHICKENS, 138 PERSONAL LETTERS, SOME NOT OPENED, 1 RIFLE 1936, 3 TUBEX CARTRIDGE 19 GAUGE NEEDLES. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR # 7, 54) 1 IWC.

(6) 011130H, K/3/9 (YD 145132) DISCOVERED 1 STRUCTURE WITH 2 ROOMS, POSSIBLE MEETING PLACE, ROOMS WITH BENCHES AND SPEAKER PLATFORM, 1 BUNKER 4X12X4 FT, 1 US .30 CAL CARBINE, 1 LUGER PISTOL, HOLSTER AND MAGAZINES, 1 .45 CAL MAGAZINE, 6 M-16 MAGAZINES WITH RDS, SA RDS, 1 BAYONET, (US) CLOTHES, LETTERS, 1 RECORD BOOK, 30 LBS PROPAGANDA PAMPHLETS, PRINTING AND WRITING MATERIAL, MEDICAL GEAR, 3 STEEL KETTLES, WITH COVERS. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR 4, 7, 54). 2 IWC.

(7) 011245H, K/3/9 (YD 202145) DESTROYED 5 STRUCTURES 20X30 FT, 7 BAYONETS, 2 NVA COVERS, CARTRIDGE BELTS, 200 LBS RICE, 100 LBS CREAM, 1 BOX 300 RDS 7.62MM HEAVY MG AMMO, 1 AK MAGAZINE, 1 LIGHTER "SP 403", 100 LBS POTATOES, 20 LBS TOBACCO, POTS AND PANS. (SOR # 7, 54).

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(8) 011455H, H/2/9 (YD 125157) DISCOVERED 9 GRAVES WITH ONE BODY EACH, 6-8 MONTHS OLD. 9 NVA KIA (C).

(9) 011302H, M/3/9 (YD 184194) DISCOVERED 3 STRUCTURES 12X30X9 FT, 150 LBS RICE, 1 GRENADE, 12 SA RDS, 1 AK MAGAZINE, CLOTHING, 3 PIGS, 1 SKS RIFLE BOLT, POTS AND PANS, BASKETS, BROKEN BOTTLES, 3 LBS UNKNOWN SEED, 10 LBS FLOUR, 20 LBS CORN, 3 CROSSBOWS, 1 E-TOOL, 6 SICKLES, 6 MACHETTES, 1 HELMET, 1 HAT. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR # 7,54).

(10) 011500H, M/3/9 (YD 191183) DISCOVERED 4 STRUCTURES: 1-6X6X4 FT, 3-20X40X8 FT, 3 "A" FRAME, 5 STRUCTURES 3X3X3 FT, 9 BUNKERS: 4-5X4X3 FT, 3-4X6X3 FT, 1-15X12X5 FT, 1-5X6X3 FT, 2 RPG BOOSTERS, 3 BLOODY DRESSINGS, 30 CERAMIC INSULATORS, COOKING GEAR, 1 PACK, 100 FT COMM WIRE, (NVA), 100 FT COMM WIRE (US), 5 BANNERS, 3-10 LB STICKS TNT, 1 NVA EE-8, 1 SWITCHBOARD, 2 SIGNAL MULTIPLEXERS, DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR 2,4,7,54). COMM GEAR FLOWN TO QUANG TRI FOR DELIVERY TO DIVISION G-2.

(11) 011545H, H/2/9 (YD 124158) DISCOVERED BURNED HOSPITAL, 3 "A" FRAME COMMAND BUNKERS: 1-4X10X5 FT, 2-5X8X4 FT, 1 AK-47 OFFICERS MODEL (RUSTY), 3 CANTEENS, 3 EMPTY MEDICAL BOXES, OLD PLASMA BOTTLES,

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 64
 DETAINEES: 5 POW: 1;
 WEAPONS: 50 IWC: 48, CSWC 2

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DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 14 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

011800H - 021800H FEB 1969

SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 020845H, K/3/9 (YD 198123) DISCOVERED 10 NVA ENCAMPMENTS SET SET EXTENDS ON HILL TO WEST TO EAST, ALSO EXTENDS TO HILL SOUTH TO WEST, ALSO ACROSS STREAM TO WEST APPROX 25 BUNKERS 4X8 FT, APPROX 25 STRUCTURES 1 YEAR OLD. DESTROYED SAME. (SOR # 4).

(2) 021430H, H/2/9 (YD 125153) DISCOVERED 16 GRAVES (16 NVA KIA (C)) ALL OLD. SEVERAL PIECES OF INTELLIGENCE MATTER AND MAP OF UPPER QUANG TRI WITH WRITING, PAPERS OF PERSONAL HYGIENE, LIST OF PEOPLE KIA IN THEIR UNIT, PAPERS DEALING WITH PROMOTIONS, FIELD HOSPITAL (88). 16 NVA KIA (C).

(3) 021508H, K/3/9 (YD 207136) DISCOVERED 1 PACK WITH 2 GRENADES, 1 BAG RICE, 1 BAG BEANS, 1 PAIR GOGGLES, 100 7.62MM RDS, CLOTHING, EATING UTENSILS, PERSON WAS PROBABLY FIXING CHOW SHORTLY BEFORE GEAR WAS DISCOVERED. (SOR # 7,54).

(4) 021130H, K/3/9 (YD 197123) DISCOVERED 2 STRUCTURES 15X30 FT A 6X10 FT WITH BUNKERS 4X8 FT, 1 PACK, 2 BOXES PENCILLIN, 10 VIALS PER BOX, 500,000 UNITS PER VIAL, 11 BOXES GUAZE, 10 ROLLS PER BOX, 12 TETRACINE, 5 CONTAINERS IODINE PILLS, 500 PER CONTAINER, 60 VIALS VALK MEDICINE, 3 VIALS VITAMIN K, 1 VIAL THEANTAN, 200 TABS VITAMIN B, 7 VIALS PIEGOANAZEN, 10 VIALS ADRENALIN, 15CC SYRINGE, 10 NEEDLES, 7 VIALS OF NIKETHAMIDE, 7 VIALS QUININE, 24 VIALS MORPHINE, 30 VIALS HTROPINEG, 10 VIALS SPACTOHTROPING, 50 MALARIA TABLETS, 2 THEREMETERS, 1 PAIR TWEEZERS, 1 PAIR OF SCISSORS, 6 VIALS SALVE, 10 CONTAINERS IODINE, 2 ROLLS GUAZE, 1000 QUININE TABLETS, 1 1000 CC ENEMA, 2 ROLLS ADHESIVE TAPE, 2 BOTTLES BUG SPRAY, 3 ROLLS COTTON. 1 NURSE (POW), 3 STRUCTURES 10X25 FT WITH BUNKERS: 1-7X4X3 FT, 2-4X4X3 FT, CLOTHING, DOCUMENTS, SA RDS, 4 AK MAGAZINES IN COSOMOLINE, COOKING POTS WITH FOOD IN THEM. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR # 4,7,54).

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(5) 021400H, K/3/9 (YD 205137) DISCOVERED 1 82MM MORTAR BIPOD AGAINST A TREE BY TRAIL. BIPOD WAS RUSTY. CHECKED AREA. CONTINUED MISSION. (SOR # 7).

(6) 021525H, M/3/9 (FSB CUNNINGHAM) RECEIVED 2 RDS. SHORTLY AFTER RECEIVING 30-35 RDS, PROBABLY 75MM PACK HOWITZER, RETURNED FIRE, OBSERVED 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION. (SOR # 38).

(7) 021600H, I/3/9 (YD 180126) DISCOVERED 4 STRUCTURES 25X10X6 FT AND 45X10X6 FT, 4 BUNKERS 4X10X16 FT, 6X6X4 FT, 2200 LBS RICE, CLOTHING, SA RDS, EXPLOSIVES, 1 NVA OFFICERS UNIFORM, 1 UMBRELLA. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR # 4, 7).

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 80
 DETAINEES: 5 POW: 2
 WEAPONS: 50 IWC: 48, CSWC 2

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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 15 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 021800H - 031800H FEB 1969

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 030910H, K/3/9 (YD 209135) FOUND STAKES ALONG TRAIL 2 FT LONG, FLAT ON ONE SIDE, NUMBERS 1 THROUGH 8, DIFFERENT DISTANCE APART FROM 50 TO 100 METERS. (SOR #).

(2) 030815H, AIR (YD 209034) DESTROYED 2 VEHICLES, DAMAGED 1 VEHICLE. 3 NVA KIA (C).

(3) 031045H, H/2/9 (YD 130165) DISCOVERED 2 STRUCTURES 12X30; 12X15 FT WITH CHIMNEY, 1 BUNKER 3X8X5 FT, TRAILS FROM AREA ENDED ABRUPTLY. CHECKED AREA FOUND 5 - 82MM FUSES AND 1 RUSTY 82MM RD. DESTROYED SAME. (SOR # 54).

(4) 031140H, L/3/9 (YD 183124) DISCOVERED 1 STRUCTURE 5X4X4 FT, 3 FT OFF DECK, 1000 LBS RICE, 20 LBS CORN, 15 LBS TOBACCO, 20 YARDS OF CLOTH, 3 MACHETES. DESTROYED SAME. (SOR # 7,54).

(5) 031030H, H/2/9 (YD 130165) FOUND STRUCTURES WHICH LOOKED LIKE MESS AREA, TRAILS SERVED AS ESCAPE ROUTES, A SYSTEM OF CHIMNEYS, 3 COOKING STOVES (STILL WARM), 1 WEEK SUPPLY OF WOOD, A URN OF FLOUR, CORN IN SACKS ON SHELVES, 119 AK RDS, 2 SHOVELS, 4 E-TOOLS, 4 AK MAGS, 2 BATTERIES, 1 CANTEN, 1 (US) GAS MASK, 1 AK-47 POUCH, 1 FISH LINE, 1 NVA K-BAR, 4 (US) CANTEENS, 42 MACHETES, 1 (US) BAYONET, 1 PLOW, 1 PAIR SANDALS, 1 PAIR SHOES, 1 FIRST AID KIT, 6 PAJAMA TROUSERS, 2 PAIR WOMEN PANTIES, 2 HATCHETS, 2 FILES, 1 US K-BAR, 3 PIGS, 1 HAMMOCK, 5 GALLONS KEROSENE. DESTROYED ALL BUT INTELLIGENCE GEAR. (SOR 7,54).

(6) 031220H, G/2/9 (YD 108103) DISCOVERED 4 STRAND WIRE, ONE ATOP THE OTHERS, RUNNING EAST-WEST, INSULATORS WITH UPPER 2 STRANDS, RUNS DOWN TRAIL 12 FT OFF DECK, EXCELLENT SHAPE. ALSO HEARD PEOPLE LAUGHING, ESTIMATE MOVING WEST. WILL DESTROY WIRE. (SOR # 2).

(7) 031100H, I/3/9 (YD 174126) DISCOVERED 4 STRUCTURES 40X10X6; 15X10X6; 25X15X6 FT, 2000 LBS RICE, 30LBS TOBACCO, 50 LBS POTATOES, 1 NVA MESS GEAR. DESTROYED SAME. (SOR # 7,54).

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4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 83
DETAINEES: 8: 1 POW, 6 DETAINEES, 1 CHIEU HOI
WEAPONS: 50 IWC 48; 2 CSVC

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 16 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 031800H - 041800H FEB 1969

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 040700H, F/2/9 (YD 164107) RECEIVED SAF AND 1 RIFLE GRENADE FROM PROBABLE 4 NVA. RETURNED FIRE, CHECKED AREA WITH NEGEAGATIVE RESULTS. (SOR # 38).

(2) 041042H, M/3/9 (YD 198124) WITH DOG TEAM OBSERVED 3 NVA APPROX 100 METERS AWAY, FIRED SAF, 1 NVA PROBABLY HIT. CHECKED AREA, FOUND 1 OLD AK-47. (SOR #38) 1 IWC.

(3) 040955H, L/3/9 (YD 167151) DISCOVERED FRESH BUNKERS WITHOUT TOPS, 3 PICKS, 1 SPEAR. DESTROYED BUNKERS, BRINGING IN PICKS AND SPEAR. (SOR # 54).

(4) 040930H, G/2/9 (YD 108103) CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED 20 NVA, FIRED SAF, ARTY, MORTAR MSN. FOUND BLOOD IN AREA AND 1 NVA KIA (C). CONTINUED MISSION. (SOR # 38). 1 NVA KIA (C).

(5) 041120H, L/3/9 (YD 191124) OBSERVED 4 NVA GOING SE. FIRED SAF, 1 NVA PROBABLY HIT. ADVISED M/3/9 THAT NVA WERE MOVING TOWARDS THEIR SITION. (SOR # 38).

(6) 041130H, L/3/9 (YD 176152) DISCOVERED 6 STRUCTURES 30X10X6 FT, 3 BUNKERS 10X3X3 FT, 4 FRENCH RIFLES, 4 CROSSBOWS, 75 LBS WHEAT, 75 LBS RICE, SPEARS, 50-60 HEADS FOR PICKS AND SHOVELS. DESTROYED SAME. (SOR # 7, 54).

(7) 040930H, F/2/9 (YD 161106) RECEIVED 4 GRENADES AND 1 RIFLE GRENADE. FOUND FOOTPRINTS SHOWING 5-6 NVA WERE IN AREA. NVA WENT WEST. CHECKED AREA, DISCOVERED 1 AK-47 MAGAZINE. (SOR # 38).

(8) 041340H, G/2/9 (YD 102100) OBSER VED 2 NVA. FIRED SAF. 1 NVA KIA (C). 1 AK-47 1 IWC. (SOR # 38).

(9) 041345H, E/2/9 (YD 102155) OBSERVED 6 NVA GOING NORTH. FIRED 1 NVA KIA (C), 1 SKS, 1 IWC. (SOR # 38).

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(10) 041045H, G/2/9 (YD 102102) CONTACT WITH NVA AMBUSH, RECEIVED SAF AND 1 RIFLE GRENADE. CHECKED AREA. 3 NVA KIA (C). (SOR # 38).

(11) 041600H, L/3/9 (YD 188124) CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN NUMBER OF NVA. RECEIVED SAF. RETURNED SAF AND 60MM MORTAR. 1 NVA KIA (C). (SOR #38).

(12) 041015H, E/2/9 (YD 099148) DISCOVERED 4 STRUCTURES: 12X25, 8X12, 6X10 AND 10X12 FT, 6 BUNKERS: 4X12, 3X5, 4X5, 4X6 FT, 10 LBS CORN, 2 CHICKENS, AREA IS OLD AND UNUSED LAST 1-2 WEEKS. RECEIVED LIGHT AW FIRE FROM 150 METERS TO SOUTH. RETURNED FIRE, 250 SA RDS, AMMO PATCH, 1 .30 CAL TRIPOD, 1 M-16 BIPOD. CONTINUED MISSION. (SOR # 7,54).

(13) 041530H, F/2/9 (YD 168104) DISCOVERED 3 STRUCTURES IN POOR SHAPE, INCOMING HOLES, 2 CROSSBOWS, 2 AK-47 MAGAZINES, 1 RUSTED .30 CAL RIFLE, 1 WOODEN AK-47 TRAINING MODEL, 2 ROLLS 1/4 INCH BRASS WIRE - 20 FT PER ROLL, GUNNY SACK FULL OF WOOD AND CORN, 1 WIRE SNARE AND MONTEGNARD TRINKLETS. (SOR # 7,54) 1 IWC.

(14) (YD 151564) AIR OBSERVER OBSERVED 2 KBA IN EARLIER AIR STRIKE. 2 NVA KIA (C). (SOR #38).

(15) 041600H, F/2/9 (YD 166103) DISCOVERED 6 STRUCTURES HALF BUILT, FLOOR SPACE 30X12 FT WITH BUNKERS AND FIGHTING HOLES BESIDE RIVER, 2 COOKING AREAS THAT COULD HOLD 150 MEN. DESTROYED. (SOR # 7,54).

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 92

DETAINEES: 8: 1 POW, 6 DETAINEES, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 58: IWC 56, CSWC 2

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 17 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 041800H - 051800H FEB 1969
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 041640H, A/1/9 (YD 118286) OBSERVED 2 SMALL SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS PROBABLY FROM SA CACHE. (LATE ENTRY)

(2) 051000H, M/3/9 (YD 202115) RECEIVED SAF FROM 1 NVA. SEARCHED AREA, FOUND 1 BELT WITH PLAIN STAR, 2 AK MAGAZINES WITH RDS, CARRYING POUCH, 2 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 PONCHO, 1 BAG OF RICE. DESTROYED GEAR. (SOR # 38, 7, 54).

(3) 051145H, M/3/9 (YD 205115) DISCOVERED 2 INCOMING HOLES 10X4X4 FT 2 MORTAR PITS 8X4 FT, 5 - 57MM RR CANNISTER, 1 - 57MM RR PIT, 3 - 57MM RR CASINGS, 1 EMPTY GREEN CAN, 1 AIMING STAKE, FOOTPRINTS GOING SOUTH. (SOR # 7, 54).

(4) 051300H, L/3/9 (YD 185107) DISCOVERED 4 STRUCTURES 20X20 FT, 3 HAND TOOLS, 4 CROSSBOWS, 40 LBS RICE, 25 LBS CORN, 1 M-16 MAGAZINE, 1 PIG PEN, 3 TUNNELS. BRINGING IN HAND TOOLS AND CROSSBOWS. (SOR # 7, 54).

(5) 051400H, G/2/9 (YD 104100) CONTACT. RECEIVED FIRE FROM RIGHT AND LEFT FRONT BY ESTIMATED 15-20 NVA DUG IN. ENEMY WITHDREW TO WELL CONSTRUCTED SUPPLEMENTARY POSITION. 1 NVA KIA (C). (SOR # 38).

(6) 051315H, F/2/9 (YD 107127) CONTACT WITH 5 NVA MOVING EAST. TRYING TO REGAIN CONTACT. (SOR # 38).

(7) 051545H, G/2/9 (YD 104100) BROKE CONTACT, NVA WENT WEST. CP MOVING DOWN. 1 NVA KIA (C). (SOR # 38).

(8) 051515H, K/3/9 (YD 221135) DISCOVERED TRAIL ESTIMATED 4 METERS WIDE GOING EAST TO HIGH GROUND AT (YD 226136), SPOTTED WITH FENCES AND ELEPHANT TRACKS, 2 WEEKS OLD, NOT IN RANGE OF PATROL, ONLY CHECKED 200 METERS OF TRAIL.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 94

DETAINEES: 8: 1 POW, 6 DETAINEES, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 58 IWC 56, 2 CWC

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE _____ Z FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
CG THIRD MARDIV
FIRST BN NINTH MAR
SECOND BN NINTH MAR
THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 18 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 051800H - 061800H FEB 1969
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES
A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:
(1) 061600H, F/2/9 (YD 107138) DISCOVERED BOOBY TRAP.
4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:
ENEMY KIA: 94
DETAINEES: 8: 1 POW, 6 DETAINEES, 1 CHIEU HOI
WEAPONS: 58: IWC 56, CSWC 2

5-14 NEGATIVE
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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO. DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 19 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 061800H - 071800H FEB 1969

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 070945H, E/2/9 (YD 108132) INITIATED CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED
 3 NVA. ENEMY FLED, FRIENDLY TRIGGERED BOOBY TRAP.

(2) 070945H, K/3/9 (YD 188123) FOUND 5 BUNKERS 4X6X3 FT, 3 BUNKERS
 2X2 FT, 3 BUNKERS 3X3 FT, 2 UNFINISHED SHELTERS 20X20 FT, 2 FISHNETS,
 2 SHIRTS, 1 EMPTY 60MM BOX (US), 2 BOTTLES OF UNKNOWN MEDICINE. ALL
 GEAR DESTROYED. (SOR # 7,54).

(3) 071145H, K/3/9 (YD 194123) FOUND 3 BUNKERS 6X4 FT, 1 SHELTER
 10X20 FT, 2 CULTIVATED AREAS, MISC. MILITARY GEAR. DESTROYED BUNKERS,
 SHELTER AND GEAR. (SOR # 7,54).

(4) 071325H, K/3/9 (YD 185118) FOUND SEVERAL PARTS OF SUSPECTED
 DOWNED AIRCRAFT. DURING SEARCH RECEIVED SEVERAL RDS OF AK-47 FIRE FROM
 ABOUT 150 METERS NORTHWEST. NEGATIVE RESULTS. (SOR #38).

(5) 071530H, E/2/9 (YD 107125) WHILE SETTING UP AN AMBUSH, HAD ONE
 PERSON TRIP A CHICOM GRENADE RIGGED AS A BOOBY TRAP.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 94

DETAINEES: 8: 5 DETAINEES, 2 POW, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 58: IWC 56, CSWC 2

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION: 2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE _____ Z FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 20 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 071800H - 081800H FEB 1969

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 072100H, 3/9 (YD 184136) REPORTED RECEIVING APPROX 5 82MM MORTAR RDS AND 3 ARTY RDS. ARTY MSNS FIRED ON SUSPECTED ARTY AND MORTAR SITES WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).

(2) 081030H, A/1/9 (YD 100267) FOUND DUD 500 LB BOMB. B LOWN BY ENGINEERS.

(3) 081100H, L/3/9 (YD 189139) FOUND 2 SHELTERS 15X20 FT AND 10X15 FT, 50-75 LBS OF RICE, 50 BASKETS AND MISC CLOTHING AND COOKING GEAR. ALSO FOUND 20 CHICKENS AND 1 CHICOM RIFLE. 1 IWC. (SOR #38).

(4) 081100H, E/2/9 (YD 101144) SEARCHED ABANDONED HUTS FINDING 3 RPG BOOSTERS, SMALL AMOUNT OF MEDICINE AND 2 RESISTORS. (SOR #54)

(5) 081330H, 3/9 (YD 184136) REPORTED APPROX 3 RDS OF 82MM MORTAR COMING FROM A SOUTHERN DIRECTION. ARTY MSN BEING FIRED. (SOR#38).

(6) 081600H, 3/9 (YD 184136) RECEIVED 6 RDS OF ARTY BELIEVED TO BE 122MM. ENEMY GRID (YD 143077). FIRED ARTY MSN ON AREA. (SOR#38).

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 94

DETAINEES: 8: 5 DETAINEES, 2 POW, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 58: IWC 56, CSWC 2

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION 8-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 21 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 081800H - 091800H FEB 1969

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

(1) 081915H, 3/9 VIC (YD 184136) RECEIVED 3 RDS OF 122MM ARTY FROM (YD 143077). 2 RDS HIT POSITION, 1 RD WENT OVER POSITION. FIRED ARTY ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #3 8).

(2) 090915H, F/2/9 (YD 163100) WAS ON CO(-) PATROL, POINT WAS AMBUSHED BY 5-6 NVA. RETURNED SAF, PUSHED THROUGH AMBUSH. NVA FLED SW. (SOR #38).

(3) 091010H, K/3/9 VIC (YD 187124) RECEIVED SAF FROM EST 2-3 NVA. RETURNED SAF, CONTINUED MSN WITH NEG RESULTS. LATER WHILE CHECKING OUT AREA, NVA FIRED ON REAR ELEMENTS. SAF RETURNED, 60MM MORTAR MSN CALLED RESULTS: 1 NVA KIA (C). (SOR # 38) 1 IWC (AK-47). ALSO FOUND 2 AK-47 MAGAZINES, 2 CHICOM GRENADES.

(4) 090720H, 3/9 VIC (YD 184136) RECEIVED 4 RDS OF 122MM ARTY. AN ARTY MSN WAS FIRED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).

(5) 091440H, H/2/9 (YD 154185) DISCOVERED 1 STRUCTURE 10X20 FT, 1 STORAGE BUNKER 10X20 FT APPROX 1 MONTH OLD, FOUND 1 CHICOM G RENADE, MAUSER RIFLE, 1 SKS RIFLE, 25 7.62MM RDS, 1 SPEAR, 1 MAGAZINE, 60 LBS RICE, DOCUMENTS, HOUSEHOLD GEAR. (SOR # 7, 54) 2 IWC.

(6) 091445H, M/3/9 (YD 174154) FOUND 1 SHELTER 15X10X10 FT, 1 BUNKER 15X3X4 FT, 2 RUSTY FRENCH CARBINES, 2-3 YEARS OLD. 2 IWC. (SOR # 54).

(7) 091530H, 3/9 (YD 184136) (FSB CUNNINGHAM) RECEIVED 3-5 RDS 122MM ARTY FIRE FROM SE. ARTY WAS FIRED AGAINST SUSPECTED POSITION WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. (SOR # 38).

(8) 091510H, K/3/9 (YD 191120) OBSERVED 1 NVA ON TRAIL. FIRED SAF, CHECKED OUT AREA. 2 NVA KIA (C), 2 IWC. (SOR # 38).

(9) 091320H, L/3/9 (YD 170122) FOUND WELL USED TRAIL 2 FT WIDE RUNNING SW TO NE, FIGHTING HOLES ALONG TRAIL. TRAIL WENT FOR 250 METERS THEN TURNED OFF 100 AZIMUTH. CONTINUED MSN.

(10) 091230H, F/2/9 (YD 163101) CONTACT WITH NVA WHICH FLED NE. 2 NVA KIA (C), 1 IWC. (SOR # 38).

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(11) 091710H, H/2/9 PATROL (YD 151185) POUND 3 STRUCTURES 10X20 FT, 3 BUNKERS 4X6 FT, 1 LIGHT MACHINE GUN, 1 60MM MORTAR TUBE, 3 NEW SKS RIFLES, ASSORTED MAGAZINES AND ROUNDS. (SOR # 7,54).

FOLLOW UP REPORT: TOTAL FOUND WERE 13 NEW SKS RIFLES, 1 USED SKS RIFLE, 2 GERMAN MAUSERS, 1 60MM MORTAR TUBE, 2 SK-44 RIFLES, 104 CASES 7.62MM AMMO (100 RDS PER CASE), 15 CASES RPG RDS, W/BOOSTERS, 14 CASES 12.7MM RDS (100 RDS PER CASE), 17 STICKS TNT, 49 82MM MORTAR RDS, 1 SCOPE, 3 BAYONETS, 17 MAGAZINES (AK-47 TYPE), 6 AMMO BELTS, 6 LBS OF DOCUMENTS. 18 IWC, 1 CSWC. (SOR # 7,54).

(12) 091155H, F/2/9 (YD 161100) MADE CONTACT WITH 4-5 NVA WHICH MOVED SW. CONTACT BROKEN, COMPANY PURSUING. 2 NVA KIA (C), 1 IWC. (SOR # 38).

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 99

DETAINÉES: 8: 5 DETAINÉES, 2 POW, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 72: IWC 68; CSWC 4

BOMB DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR 9 FEB 69 INDICATE ONE AW POSITION AND TRUCK DESTROYED IN VIC (YD 231081) BY HELLBORNE 276.

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION: 3 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 22 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 091800H - 101800H FEB 1969

SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 091600H, F/2/9 (YD 162097) FOUND ROAD RUNNING NE/SW ALONG RIVER. PORTIONS 30 FT WIDE WITH DRAINAGE DITCH ON SIDE. APPEARS ABLE TO SUPPORT NEARLY ANY VEHICLE, CLEARANCE 12-13 FT. WILL CHECK OUT FURTHER IN MORNING. (LATE ENTRY)

(2) 091920H, 3/9 (YD 184136) RECEIVED APPROX 20 RDS 82MM MORTAR FROM A POSITION SOUTH OF FSB CUNNINGHAM. FIRED ARTY AND MORTAR MSN ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION. TWO SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS OBSERVED VIC (YD 194109). (SOR # 38).

(3) 091945H, L/3/9 (YD 185134) RECEIVED 2 RDS OF 82MM MORTAR FROM SOUTH. FIRED COUNTER MORTAR FIRE WITH MORTARS AND ARTY. (SOR # 38).

(4) 100830H, E/2/9 (YD 108136) HAD A SMALL GROUP OF NVA APPROACH LINES AND OPEN FIRE. RETURNED FIRE. 81MM AND ARTY MSN CALLED. (SOR # 38).

(5) 100845H, E/2/9 (YD 113124) HAD A LIGHT CONTACT WITH A SMALL ENEMY UNIT ACROSS RIVER. RETURNED FIRE, ENEMY FLED. (SOR # 38).

(6) 101050H, L/3/9 (YD 180150) RECEIVED SAF FROM EST 5-6 NVA. RETURNED FIRE, FIRED 91MM MORTAR MSN. (SOR # 38).

(7) 101130H, H/2/9 (YD 155179) DISCOVERED AND DESTROYED LARGE STRUCTURE (STORAGE TYPE) 15X20 FT WITH AMMO, ORDNANCE AND GEAR. FOUND 363 RPG RDS, 120 60MM MORTAR RDS, 12 82MM MORTAR RDS, 10 CASES TNT, 32 BOXES CANNED FUSES, (15 PER BOX), 4 CANS INCREMENTS FOR 82MM MORTAR, 69 CASES 7.62MM AMMO, 9 SK-44 RIFLES, 6 BAGS RPG BOOSTERS (50 PER BAG) 16 BATTERIES, 60 MESS KITS, 300 BARS OF SOAP. 9 IWC.

(8) 100930H, H/2/9 (YD 150180) FOUND 4 SKS, 1 AK-47, 6 SK-44 W/ MAGAZINES AND CLEANING GEAR, 34 CASES 7.62MM (100 PER CASE), 12 CASES 12.7MM (100 PER CASE), 25 82MM MORTAR RDS W/WARHEADS AND INCREMENTS, 2 BOLTS FOR LMG, 1 RIFLE GRENADE LAUNCHER, 60 LBS TNT, 4 CHICOM GRENADES, AND DOCUMENTS. (SOR # 7, 54). 11 IWC.

(9) 101145H, L/3/9 (YD 180153) RECEIVED SAF FROM EST 6-8 NVA. SET AN AMBUSH, RETURNED SAF AND 81MM MORTAR MSN, ESTIMATE 15 NVA AT THIS TIME. REQUESTED AO AND GUNSHIPS. (SOR # 38).

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(10) 101440H, E/2/9 (YD 111121) CONTACT WITH 2 SNIPERS PUSHING THROUGH AREA. NEGATIVE RESULTS. (SOR # 38).

(11) 101630H, 3/9 (YD 184136) RECEIVED 4 122MM ARTY RDS, RETURNED ARTY FIRE. UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).

(12) 101700H, M/3/9 (YD 169112) RECEIVED SAF AND AWF FROM NVA DUG IN. REINFORCED PLATOON ALSO TOOK FIRE. FIRED ARTY AND MORTAR MSN WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR # 38).

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 101

DETAINÉES: 8: 5 DETAINÉES, 2 POW, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 92: 88 IWC; 4 CSWC

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: P. W. LEACH

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE 2 FEB 1969

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 23 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

101800H - 111800H FEB 1969

SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES:

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES:

- (1) 101810H, 3/9 (YD 184136) RECEIVED 14 MORTAR RDS FROM NW. RETURNED MORTAR FIRE AND ARTY MSN WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR # 38).
- (2) 111325H, M/3/9 (YD 199126) DISCOVERED 3 NVA KIA (C), 3 INC, RESULTS OF PREVIOUS NIGHT CONTACT. 3 NVA KIA (C), 3 IWC. (SOR #38).
- (3) 110650H, D/1/9 (YD 163110) RECEIVED 4-5 RDS RPG. RETURNED SAF, ARTY, AND MORTARS, UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).
- (4) 110915H, I/3/9 (YD 201122) RECEIVED SAF FROM WEST FROM EST 5 NVA. RETURNED SAF, REQUESTED AO AND GUNSHIPS. (SOR #38).
- (5) 111020H, 3/9 (YD 185134) RECEIVED 2 RDS 122MM ARTY FROM SW. RETURNED ARTY MSN WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).
- (6) 110800H, D/1/9 (YD 162108)-(YD 164108) TRAIL RUNNING EAST TO WEST. TRAIL UNDER OBSERVATION.
- (7) 110740H, 3/9 (YD 185134) RECEIVED 2 RDS 122MM ARTY FROM SW. RETURNED ARTY WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).
- (8) 101510H, 3/9 (YD 185134) RECEIVED 60 82MM MORTAR RDS FROM NW ALL OF WHICH LANDED OUTSIDE WIRE. (SOR # 38).
- (9) 101130H, I/3/9 (YD 184124) RECEIVED FIRE FROM 3 NVA, CHECKED AREA AND FOUND 1 RPG WITH 2 RDS. MEDEVAC HELICOPTER TOOK FIRE. (SOR #38).
- (10) 110630H 3/9 (YD 191124) MEDEVAC HELICOPTER HIT. RECEIVED SAF, GRENADES, 60MM MORTAR. GUNSHIPS AND ARTY ON STATION. (SOR #38).
- (11) 110800H M/3/9 (YD 199118) RECEIVED SAF, RPG AND GRENADES FOR ESTI MATED 3 HOURS. RETURNED FIRE, CHECKED AREA. 1 NVA KIA (C), 1 POW. (SOR #38).
- (12) A/C/D/1/9 (YD 163110) RECEIVED GRENADES, RPG RDS, SAF FROM BOTH SIDES BATTALION PERIMETER FROM ESTIMATED COMPANY. RETURNED SAF, GRENADES, ILLUMINATION, ARTY MSN. 25 NVA KIA (C). (SOR # 38).
- (13) 111500H, I/3/9 (YD 205120) CHECKED AREA, FOUND POOLS OF BLOOD, LOADED AK-47. 1 IWC. (SOR #38).

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(14) 110915H, 1/3/9 (YD 201122) RECEIVED SAF FROM WEST FROM EST
 5-6 NVA. REQUESTED AO AND GUNSHIPS. (SOR #38).
 (15) 111055H, E/2/9 (YD 166144) DISCOVERED AND DESTROYED WIRE
 RUNNING IN EAST-WEST DIRECTION. DESTROYED 150 METERS OF WIRE. (SOR 2).
 (16) 110725H, 3/9 (YD 184136) RECEIVED 2 RDS 122MM ARTY FROM SW.
 RETURNED FIRE WITH ARTY WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (SOR #38).
 (17) 111440H, 1/3/9 (YD 207119) CHECKED AREA, DISCOVERED 2 NVA
KIA (C). (SOR #38).
 (18) 110945H, 1/3/9 (YD 183141) OBSERVED PLATFORM WITH LADDER.
 DESTROYED. (SOR # 15).

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 113
 DETAINEES: 9: 5 DETAINEES, 3 POW, 1 CHIEU HOI
 WEAPONS: 107: IWC 104, CSWC 3

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SECTION : S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 24 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 111800H - 121800H FEB 69
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

- (1) 120800H YD 192112 2 KBA
- (2) LATE ENTRY 101700H M/3/9 (YD 191115) REC'D S/A FROM FRONT ON FLANKS, EST 25 NVA, RECEIVED 30-6-MM MORTAR ROUNDS, ALL NIGHT PROBE BY EST 20 MAN TEAMS WITH S/A AND MORTARS AND RPG, AND GRENS. NVA PULLED BACK WITH DEAD AND WOUNDED, WILL CHECK AREA AT FIRST LIGHT. (SOR 38)
- (3) 120830H E/2/9 (YD 134106) DISCOVERED AND DEST 1 STRUCTURE WITH FRESH CUT BAMBOO, 1 BAG OF COFFEE, 200 LBS OF RICE, AND 40 LBS OF CORN AND MISC 782 GEAR. (SOR 7. 54)
- (4) 112030H E/2/9 (YD 134108) MEDEVAC BIRDS REC'D S/A AND 60 MM MORTARS OUTSIDE OF WIRE. (SOR 38)
- (5) 120700H E/2/9 (YD 134108) REC'D A/W FIRE AND RIFLE GRENADES FROM 4 NVA, NVA BROKE CONTACT AND FLED. (SOR 38)
- (6) 120900 M/3/9 (YD 193911) REC'D FIRE FROM UNK NUMBER OF NVA IN BUNKER, RETURNED FIRE WITH LAAW, S/A, M-79, CHECKED AREA AND FOUND BLOOD TRAIL AND 1 AK -47 AND 2 MAGS, 2 RPG ROUNDS. (SOR 38. 7)
- (7) 120700 E/2/9 (YD 105165) CAPTURED 1 DETAINEE, AND 2 NVA KIA. (SOR 38)
- (8) 120900H M/3/9 (YD 193111) DESTROYED 3 STRUCTURES, 1 GRENADE 5-60MM MORTARS AND USMC GEAR TAKEN FROM PACKS ON THE NIGHT OF THE 10TH. (SOR 7)
- (9) 120915H 3/9 (YD 161099) FOUND 1 NVA KIA 5 DAYS OLD, KILLED BY SMALL ARMS FIRE. 1 KIA
- (10) 120845H B/1/9 (YD 165103) FOUND TRAIL 2-4 FT WIDE, UNDER HEAVY CANOPY, 12 BUNKERS 1 WK OLD, SEVERAL FOX HOLES, DEST BNKS.
- (11) 121300H I/3/9 (YD 209127) FOUND 1 NVA WHILE CHECKING AREA. 1 NVA KIA
- (12) 121230H K.3.9 (YD 100113) CALLED FIXED WING ON BNKS
- (13) 121130H M/3/9 (YD 199114) CALLED FIXED WING ON AA POST.

(14) 120900H E/2/9 (YD 134108) FOUND 2 STRUCTURES 12x8, 400LBS GRAIN EST 1 HOUR OLD, 50LBS POTATOES, 200LBS CORN, 200LBS OF BEANS 1 CHICKEN, MISC GEAR. (SOR 51)

(15) 111225H D/1/9 (YD 161110) FOUND SMALL SLEEPING AREA, DEST AREA.

(16) 120900H M/3/9 (YD 193121) FOUND 3 STRUCTURES, 1 GRENADE, 5-60MM MORTAR RDS, 2 BUNKERS AND MISC 782 GEAR. (SOR 7)

(17) 121230H I/3/9 (YD 209117) REC'D SMALL ARMS FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(18) 121050H K/3/9 (YD 199114) REC'D S/A, A/W FIRE, RETURNED FIRE AND CALLED AO AND FIXED WING WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(19) 121300H I/3/9 (YD 211118) REC'D S/A FIRE FROM U/I NVA ELEMENTS ALSO FOUND 1 BOLT ACTION WPN, 1 IWC. (SOR 38)

(20) 121530H K/3/9 (YD 205115) FOUND TRAIL MARKINGS: KM-21-22 -0 TARY CONG C5-D 46-R 4. 5-D-46-A1.

(21) 121130H K/3/9 (YD 25115) REC'D FIRE FROM EST 5-7 NVA, A/W FIRE FROM BUNKERS ON BOTH SIDE OF TRAILS, SECURED AREA WITH 2 KIA (SOR 38)

(22) 121600H E/2/9 (YD 138102) FOUND A/A PSN 3x12', 3 5x5x5 FT FOXHOLES, 3x4x4 FT BUNKERS ALL OLD AND PARTLY DESTROYED, DEST ALL REMAINS.

(23) 121845H E/2/9 (YD 147100) LP WAS AMBUSHED WHILE MOVING INTO POSITION, EST 6-7 NVA FIRED FROM NORTHEAST WITH AK-47 AND GRENADES, LP RETURNED FIRE PULLING IN. (SOR 38)

(24) 121500 2/9 CP (YD 167098) FOUND 8 GRAVES EST 6 MONTHS OLD, ALSO FOUND 1 SKULL EST 6 MO OLD NEAR GRAVES.

(25) 121630H C/1/9 (YD 167094) WHILE CHECKING STRUCTURES AND HARBOR SITE REC'D SNIPER FIRE, RETURNED FIRE AND SENT SQUAD TO CHECK AREA, WITH NEG RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(26) 120900H M/3/9 (YD 193115) FOUND 1 NVA KIA, 2 GRAVES WITH 1 NVA EACH. 3 KIA, AT 203114 FOUND 2 FRESH MORTAR PITS, 1 RR PSN 28-80MM MORTAR RDS, 2 RR RDS AT 207110, WHILE SETTING UP PERIMETER TOOK A/W FIRE FROM US GUNSHIPS, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AS ENEMY FIRE, GUNSHIPS WERE TAKING FIRE AT SAME TIME. 3 KIA, 2 IWC 1 AK-47, 1 BRITISH MAUSER (SOR 7)

(27) 121100H 2/9 SECURITY ELEMENTS WERE AMBUSHED BY 4 NVA, ALSO TOOK FIRE FROM NORTHEAST AND SOUTHEAST, RETURNED FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(28) 121800H H/3/9 (YD 205115) REC'D S/A FIRE FROM U/I NVA ELEMENTS. (SOR 38)

(29) 121600H U/1/9 (YD 167094) FOUND STRUCTURES WITH COOKING AREA, SMALL HARBOR SITE SET UP 360° AROUND SITE WITH AMBUSH ON AVENUE OF APPROACH, FIRED ON 2 NVA 1 DROPPED WEAPON AND BOTH FLED LEAVING HEAVY BLOOD TRAIL, PRESUED ENEMY INTO CAVE, THREW FRAGGS 2 NVA KIA, 4 IWC, 2 FRENCH MAUSERS, 2 SKS

(30) 121920H K/3/9 (YD 199113) FOUND 23- 82MM MORTAR RDS, 2-57 MM RDS, DESTROYED AMMO. (SOR 7)

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 170

DETAINES: 10 7 DETAINEES, 2 POW, 1 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 123 IWC 120 GSWC 3

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SECTION: 3-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE _____ Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO. DO NOT SERVICE

S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 25 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 121800H - 131800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 130940H K/3/9 (YD 197112) FOUND 29 GRENADES, 50-50MM MORTAR RDS, 12 RPG RDS, MISC 782 GEAR, 4 PICES OF BLODDY CLOTHING, COMM WIRE CONNECTING STRUCTURES, AND OLD RUN DOWN TRAIL. (SOR 7)

(2) 131035H L/3/9 (YD 203107) FOUND 50 PRINTING TYPE ALPHABET LETTERS (NVA TYPE) WILL RETURN TO REAR.

(3) 130940H K/3/9 (YD 195110) REC'D S/A FIRE FROM LARGE BNK AND STRUCTURE COMPLEX. 1 KIA, 1 IWC. (AK-47)

(4) 131230H K/3/9 (YD 203107) CAME IN CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE NVA FORCE, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(5) 131330H K/3/9 (YD 203107) STILL IN CONTACT, REC'D 60MM MORTARS FROM (YD 211104) ALSO S/A AND RPG FIRE, RETURNED FIRE WITH 60MM MORTARS AND CALLED IN ARTY MISSION, 5 KIA 1 CSW.

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(6) 130845H F/2/9 (YD 147100) CHECKED AREA FOUND 1 NVA KIA, 1 AK-47 W/MAGS, 1 SIGNALING DEVICE, POSSIBLE FOR IMITATING BOB WHITE CALL. 1 KIA, 1 CSWC. (SOR 7)

(7) 131330H H/2/9 (YD 153096) TO (YD 138097) FOUND NEW ROAD 15FT WIDE FROM WEST TO EAST TO DAKRONG RIVER, FOLLOWING SMALL STREAM AT (YD 138093), ROAD HAS BEEN DUG OUT WITH IN LAST 4 DAYS, ALSO FOUND 14 BNKS, 7 FOXHOLES 2X3X6 FT, 7 LIVING HOLES 3X5X3, STAKES 18 INCHES LONG 3 INCHES WIDE BELIEVED TO BE SURVEY STAKES, NO # AS FOLLOWS: TC 99, TD 99, H 3, THESE STAKES WERE 50 METERS APART FACING EAST AT (YD 15200965), H3 AT (YD 15050976) I8 AT (YD 157093) AT 90°AZ, H8 AT (YD 144093), H6 AT (YD 143094) AND 12 AND D89 AT (YD 143094) ALSO SURVEY STAKES AT (YD 137092) MARKED 12 KILOMETERS.

(9) 131415H I/3/9 (YD 213115) FOUND 5 STRUCTURES 40X20 FT EST 3 FT OFF DESK, 10 BNKS 8X5X5 FT, EST 30 FOXHOLES, MANY BLOOD POOLS, 1 HEAD, PARTS OF NVA BODY, 1 GRAVE WITH 2 BODIES, 3 KIA.

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- (10) 131750H K/3/9 (YD 199106) EST 1 NVA PROBED LINES WITH 1 BURST FROM AK-47, ENEMY WAS DRESSED IN BLACK W/HELMET FIRED 60MM MORTAR, 81MM MORTARS AND ARTY, NEG RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(11) 131840H L/3/9 (YD 135185) FSB CUNNINGHAM, REC'D 2 RDS FROM 222° AZ RDS WENT OVER HILL INTO VALLEY ON OTHER SIDE. (SOR 38)

(12) 131435H E/2/9 (YD 133091) FOUND ROAD 15-20 FT WIDE, 3 TO 5 DAYS OLD, 12 NEW BNKS 3X5M ALONG ROAD, A ROCK WHERE ROAD CROSSES RIVER HAD HOLE DRILLED FOR EXPLO TO BLOW ROCK, WRITTEN ON TREE 320 WITH ARROW POINTING TO ROAD, BE 11-1500 SAY FN. ROAD RUNNING SE 0° NW.

(13) 131425H C/1/9 (YD 194085) CONTACT WITH EST REINFORCED PLT NVA WORE GRAY UNIFORMS ANH HATS WITH GRAY FLAK JACKETS, 12 KIA. (SOR 38)

(14) 131615H DM 63A (YD 198078) CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE NVA FORCE, 3 KIA. (SOR 38)

(15) 131800H K/3/9 (YD 199105) FOUND 1 KIA WHILE CHECKING AREA WITH NO WPN OR ID TAGS. 1 KIA

(16) 131700H I/3/9 (YD 215113) FOUND 12 BNKS, 100 METERS ALONG RAIL 1 WK OLD, 2 GRAVES WITH BODIES KILLED WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE, 2 KIA

(17) 130930H K/3/9 (YD 197112) FOUND 2 STRUCTURES 15X20, 4 STRUCTURES 8X5 ALL WITH BUNKERS AND 2 STRANDS OF COMM WIRE CONNECTING STRUCTURES, WIRE RAN ALONG TRAIL FOR 400 METERS THEN ALONG STREAM, 8 CANS OF INCREMENTS FOR 60MM MORTARS, 10 CANS OF FUSES FOR RPG, 25 LBS OF RICE, 400 BBS OF 7.62 200 RDS OF AK AMMO, 7 GAS MASKS, 3 FIRST AID KITS AND 2 BLOODY BATTLE DRESSINGS, MARKS ON TREES E/36 AT (YD 199106) AND MISC 782 GEAR, 3 KIA. (SOR 7)

(18) 131704H 2/9 (YD 163107) FSB ERSKIN REC'D 3 RDS OUT SIDE OF WIRE, 120MM OR 130MM.

(19) 131600H 2/9 GP (YD 164107) REC'D 3 RDS OF INCOMING OUTSIDE OF WIRE, TYPE OF ROUNDS UNK.

(20) 130911H COLORADO "C" (YD 23430691) 1 KIA

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANOYN:

ENEMY KIA:	220			
DETAINEES:	10	7 DETAINEES,	2 POW,	1 CHIEU HOI
WEAPONS:	139	133 IWC,	6 CSWC	

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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO. DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2 9TH MARINES, INTSUM / 26 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 141300H - 141800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIESA. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 131815H K/3/9 (YD 199101) FOUND 3 STRUCTURES 8X12X10, 3 BNKS 5X6X3, AND MISC 782 GEAR. (SOR 7)

(2) 132105H BD 1/4 (YD 092122) 1 KBA

(3) 132330H C/1/9 (YD 190084) CONTACT WITH NVA W/ 60MM MORTARS, NEG AND S/A, RESULTING IN 10 KIA. (SOR 38)

(4) 140115H C/1/9 (YD 194085) CONTACT WITH EST SQUAD, RESULTS 2 KIA. (SOR 38)

(5) 140930H K/3/9 (YD 204105) CONTACT WITH NVA W/ S/A AND 60MM MORTARS, RETURNED FIRE AND ARTY MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(6) 132330H C/1/9 & H&S (YD 190084) CONTACT WITH COMPANY SIZE NVA, RESULTING IN 12 KIA. (SOR 38)

(7) 111730H RECON TEAM JOHN BROWN (YD 170152) 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

(8) 132400H CHISEL 11 AIR CAV (YD 092122) 3 NVA KIA. (SOR 38)

(9) 141405H L/3/9 (YD 094302) CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE OF ENEMY, RETURNED FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(10) 141415H L/3/9 (YD 168138) FOUND 1 STRUCTURE, 1 ACRE LOT WITH FENCH 3 FT HIGH, POTATO PLANTS EST 1 WEEK OLD, CHECKED AREA WITH NEG RESULTS. (SOR 7)

(11) 140930H K/3/9 (YD 205105) STILL IN CONTACT REC'D MORTARS FROM (YD 134107) SEE AIR STRIKE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(12) 141530H G/2/9 (YD 131107) REC'D 15-20 RDS OF SNIPER FIRE, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(13) 141530H A/1/9 (YD 196082) 1 NVA IN TREE DROPPED GRENADE ON USMC PATROL, RETURNED FIRE. 1 KIA (SOR 38)

(14) 14 FEB 69 BD 1/4 (YD 215106) 2 SBA

(15) 140935H K/3/9 (YD 205105) CONTACT WITH EST 8 NVA, REC'D 2-60MM MORTAR RDS, RETURNED FIRE, RESULTS 3 KIA (SOR 38)

(16) 141330H K/3/9 (YD 206104) CHECKED AREA AT (YD 206104) RESULTING IN 2 KIA FROM CONTACT AT (YD 205105) AT 140935 2 KIA (SOR 38)

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- (17) 141837H 3/9 (YD 205114) FOUND SIGNS ON TREE BESIDE TRAIL (KM21).
- (18) 140820H AO COLORADO "C" (YD 129023) DESTROYED 37MM AA GUN POST, 1 CSWC
- (19) 141400H/1/9 (YD 191085) EST NVA SQUAD PROBED FROM WEST, EAST AND NORTH, RESULTING IN 2 KIA. (SOR 38)
- (20) 141800H L/3/9 (YD 215110) REC'D S/A AND A/W FIRE FROM A NORTHWEST DIRECTION BY EST NVA PLT, RETURNED FIRE AND CALLED AO AND AIR WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)
- (21) 141530H A/1/9 (YD 195081) CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE OF ENEMY FORCE, CAPTURED FOLLOWING GEAR: 3 AK MAGS, 3 RPG RDS, 2-82MM MORTAR RDS. 3 KIA, 1 IWC. (SOR 38.7)
- (22) BD 3 W 14 FEB 1969
 DELMAR 2/4 (YD 196082) 4 KIA (ARTY)
 DELMAR 1/4 (YD 196082) 6 KIA (AIR)

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 270			
DETAINEES: 10	7 DETAINEES,	2 POW,	1 CHIEU HOI
WEAPONS: 141	134 IWC,	7 CSWC	

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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE _____ Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM #27 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

141800H - 151800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIESA. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 141815H I/3/9 (YD 215110) REC'D S/A AND A/W FIRE FROM NORTH-WEST, EST NVA PLT, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(2) 141530H A/1/9 (YD 195081) CONTACT WITH ENEMY, CAPTURED 1 M-16 3 AK MAGS, 3 RPG RDS, 2 82MM MORTAR RDS, 3 KIA, 1 IWC. (SOR 38, 7)

(3) 14 FEB 68 (YD 196082) BD 3W DELMAR 27/4 4 KIA

14 FEB 69 (YD 196082) BD 3W DELMAR 1/4 6 KIA

(4) 150430H G/1/9 (YD 194085) REC'D EST 4 RPG RDS, CALLED ARTY WITH UNK RESULTS, AFTER CONTACT HEARD WHIRLING SOUND LIKE MODEL AIRPLANE. (SOR 38)

(5) 150940H L/3/9 (YD 189124) FOUND 1 KIA APPROX 3-4 DAYS OLD 1 KIA.

(6) REF TO MSG R 121940 ADD 6 KIA TO BDA (YD 053012), 6 KIA

(7) 151245H M/3/9 (YD 208119) FOUND 2 STRUCTURES 8X6X5, 1 MAG,

FRENCH CARBINES, 2 SKS, 1A/W. (SOR 7)

(8) AIR 151412-151612 3 KBA, 1 122MM GUN DESTROYED, 3 KBA, 2 CSWC

(9) 151228H 151425H ARTY DM61 (YD 196076) 3 KBA.

(10) 151230H I/3/9 (YD 213105) FOUND 12 FOXHOLES, 1 NVA PACK AND GEAR, 1 GRAVE WITH 2 BODIES. (SOR 54) 2 KIA

(11) 151240H A/1/9 (YD 194082) OBSERVED 1 NVA IN TREE, DEPLOYED SNIPER, 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

(12) 12 FEB 69 TACP (YD 053012) DESTROYED 1 ARTY PIECE AND 6 KIA.

(13) 152215H 1/9 2/4 (YD 197083) FOUND 1 KIA

(14) AIR 151430H TO 151515H 3 KBA

(15) 151820H PROTOCLA A (YD 151820H ARTY PSN AND 122MM GUN DEST.

(16) 151800H G/1/9 (YD 194085) OBS EST 1 NVA PLT, FIRED ON PLT 3 KIA, ATTACKED NIGHT PSN AND ANOTHER LP, TOTAL OF 13 KIA. (SOR 38)

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4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANTON:

ENEMY KIA: 309

DETAINÉES: 7 DETAINÉES, 2 POW, 2 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 151 140 IWC, 11 CSWC

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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE _____ Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MAR DIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO. DO NOT SERVICE

S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 28 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

1. 151800H - 161800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 160900H K/3/9 (YD 207100) REC'D PROBE, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(2) 160930H I/3/9 (YD 215105) FOUND 3 KIA, 2 .50 CAL PSN, 2 BNKS, 15 BOXES OF .50 CAL AMMO, 9 RPG RDS WITH BOOSTERS, DESTROYED GEAR, 3 KIA. (SOR 7)

(3) 161045H L/3/9 (YD 194144) FOUND TRAIL FROM 194144 TO SILVER ON A 40° AZ, 2 BNKS 13X5X5 AND MISC CLOTHS.

(4) 160930H K/3/9 (YD 209099) MADE CONTACT WITH 15-20 NVA, WITH NEG RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(5) 161015H B/1/9 (YD 184075) AND (YD 185075) OF HEARD MOVEMENT EST 3-4 NVA, OBS 1 NVA WITH GRAY UNIFORM, FIRED S/A WITH NEG RESULTS (SOR 38)

(6) 161125H D/1/9 (YD 182065) REC'D SNIPER FIRE, RETURNED FIRE CALLED AO AND FIXED WING, AND ARTY MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(7) 160116H B/1/9 (YD 185078) THREW FRAGS AT MOVEMENT ON LINES HEARD MOANING AND BODY BEING DRAGGED OFF, 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

(8) 161100H I/3/9 (YD 220075) REC'D 10 REDS OF 60MM MORTAR RDS FROM (YD 219097) RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(9) 161430H L/3/9 (YD 184138) LP HEARD MOVEMENT EST 3-4 NVA WITH NO WEAPONS.

(10) 161015H B/1/9 (YD 184076) HEARD MOVEMENT APPROX 3 NVA FROM YD 184076 TO 185074 OBS 2 NVA WITH GRAY HELMETS AND UNIFORMS, FIRED S/A WITH 2 KIA. (SOR 38)

(11) 161600H E/2/9 (YD 128077) REC'D 7-8 RDS FROM SNIPER AND ARROWS FORM CROSSBOWS.

(12) 161705H RECON TEAM HAYRIDE (YD 118127) OBS 5 NVA WITH GREEN UNIFORMS, 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

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- (13) 161800H E/2/9 (YD 133095) REC'D SNIPER FIRE AND MADE CONTACT WITH 16 NVA, 8 KIA. (SOR 38)
- (14) 161255H TO 164555H BD 1/4 (YD 145024) OBS 1 NVA, 1 .50 CAL POST, EST 100 METERS OF TRENCH LINE, 2 KBA
- (15) 160845H K/3/9 (YD 215095) CONTACT WITH HEAVY A/W, RPG AND 60MM MORTARS, RETURNED FIRE, 14 KIA, FOUND MISC 782 GEAR. (SOR 38) 14 KIA
- (16) 161745H G/2/9 (YD 127079) REC'D SNIPER FIRE, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)
- (17) 161500H I/3/9 (YD 225098) OBS 4 NVA 1 WITH WEAPON AND 2 WITH PACKS, CALLED ARTY MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)
- (18) 161805H G/2/9 (YD 133095) REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM 3 NVA, RETURNED FIRE WITH 1 KIA. (SOR 38)
- (19) 161425H K/3/9 (YD 220105) STILL IN CONTACT
- (20) 161740H M/3/9 (YD 208100) REC'D S/A FROM 1 NVA, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)
- (21) 161605H D/1/9 (YD 177059) REC'D SNIPER FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 341

DETAINÉES: 10 6 DETAINÉES, 2 POW, 2 CHIEU HOI

WEAPONS: 156 145 IWC, 11 CSWC

5-14 NEGATIVE

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SECTION: S-2 NINTH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: C3 TASK FORCE HOTEL
 C3 THIRD MAR DIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO, DO NOT SERVICE

S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 29 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 161800H - 171800 FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIESA. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 16210H B/1/9 (YD 184076) OBS SMALL LIGHT APPROX 30 METERS IN FRONT OF LINES, FIRED S/A WITH 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

(2) 161130H A/1/9 (YD 208078) OBS MATCH BEING STRUCK 5 TIMES, CALLED ARTY MISSION WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(3) 170900H K/3/9 (YD 217094) REC'D FIRE FROM EST 5 NVA, WITH LIGHT MACHINE GUN, RPG, RETURNED FIRE W/UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(4) 170400H FSB CUNNINGHAM (YD 184137) REC'D GROUND ATTACK FROM 3 SIDES, NORTH, SOUTH, AND WEST AT LEAST 13 SAPPERS WERE INSIDE WIRE ARMED WITH RPGS SACHEL CHARGES, SUPPORTED WITH MORTARS, NVA WERE WEARING GREEN SHORTS AND SKULL COVERS, THEY WERE ALSO ARMED WITH BAMBOO EXPL SIVES AND CHICO'S FOUND FOLLOWING GEAR: 1 26MM FLARE PISTOL, 271 BAMBOO GRENADES, 31 CHICOMS AND RIFLE GRENADES, 11 SHACHEL CHARGES, 4 RPG PACKS FOR CARRYING ROUNDS AND 26 RPG RDS, 300 AK ROUNDS AND 17 BATTLE DRESSINGS, 11 MAP, 2 PONCHOS, 7 AK 47, 3 RPG LAUNCHERS, 2 RADIOS, 10 IWC, 37 KIA. (SOR 38, 7-54, 4)

(5) 171200H K/3/9 (YD 218094) FOUND 60MM PSN, 46 60MM MORTAR RDS 2 CAN OF INCREMENTS, AND MISC 782 GEAR. (SOR 7)

(6) 171415H H/2/9 (YD 158045) REC'D A/W FIRE FROM EST 5 NVA, RETURNED FIRE, 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

(7) 171425H I/3/9 (YD 980304) RESUPPLY BIRDS REC'D A/W FIRE FROM 4 NVA, S/A AND A/W FROM EAST AND WEST, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(8) 171615H 2/9 (YD 171625) REC'D 2 RDS OF INCOMING, ALSO 5 RDS FROM (YD 171630) (SOR 38)

(9) 171700H L/3/9 (YD 171630) REC'D 4 RDS FROM 240° AZ OVER POSITION INTO VALLEY.

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(10) 170930H A/1/9 (YD 195084) REC'D 4 RDS OF SMALL ARMS AND GRENADES, RETURNED FIRE WITH NEG RESULTS, (SOR 38)

(11) 170805H G/2/9 (YD 128079) TO (YD 126079) TO (YD 127078) (YD 128076) (YD 130077) REC'D SNIPER FIRE FROM 4 NVA, NVA FLED SOUTH, AO OBS NVA SLEEPING AREA RAN A/S WITH 39 KIA, NVA WERE WEARING GRAY UNIFORMS. (SOR 38)

(12) 162300H G/2/9 (YD 131100 AND 131099) HEARD NVA, CALLED ARTY MISSION WITH 4 KIA, NVA WORE GRAY UNIFORMS, (SOR 38)

(13) 162300H C/1/9 (YD 195059) OBS 3 NVA ON LINES, THREW FRAGGS WITH 1 NVA KIA. (SOR 38)

(14) 171730H C/1/9 (YD 195095) REC'D S/A FIRE FROM SMALL UNIT AND FIRE FROM SNIPERS IN TREES, RETURNED FIRE WITH 7 KIA, (SOR 38)

(15) 171640H H/2/9 (YD 159083 TO 160039) REC'D LIGHT MACHINE GUN FIRE AND AK-47 FIRE FROM EST PLT IN BUNKER, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS. (SOR 38)

(16) 171530H (YD 208100) REC'D 2 RPG RDS AND AK-47 FIRE, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS, (SOR 38)

(17) 171350H A/1/9 (YD 198070) OBS 2 NVA WITH GREEN UNIFORMS IN CONTACT WITH NVA, RESULTS 2 KIA, (SOR 38)

(18) 171630H PSB CUNNINGHAM M/3/9 REC'D 1 UNK TYPE ARTY ROUND.

(19) 171445H G/2/9 (YD 133098) UCMS SNIPERS OBS 3 NVA IN GRAY UNIFORMS, 2 KIA. (SOR 38)

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	435		
DETAINEES:	6	DETAINEES,	2 POW,
WEAPONS:	166	155 IWC,	11 CS90

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SECTION: 3-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: J. R. DINANT

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE 2 FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MAR DIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO, DO NOT SERVICE

1. 3-2 9TH MARINES IN ISUM # 30 OPERATION DENEY CANYON

2. 171800H - 181800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIESA. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 180900H G/1/9 (YD 197064) OBS 2 NVA, FIRED S/A AND MORTARS 2 KIA, 1 AK-47, 4 MAG, AND 1 KNIFE, MISC 782 GEAR. 1 KIA, 1 TWC, (SOR 38)

(2) 171800HDM 62 ARTY (YD 188068) 2 KIA. (SOR 38)

(3) 171800H M/3/9 (YD 208100) REC'D 3 RDS OF RPG FIRE, FIRED S/A AND MORTARS, 1 AK-47, 1 KIA, 1 TWC. (SOR 38)

(4) 172315H G/2/9 (YD 163107) HEARD MOVEMENT, FIRED S/A, 1 KIA (SOR 38)

(5) 180940H A/1/9 (YD 195062) CONTACT W/EST FLT SIZE NVA FORCE WEARING GREEN UNIFORMS, 20 KIA, 1 OFFICER COMPANY GRADE, 1 RPG DRUM, 3 CHICOMS, 2 AK-47 MAGS, 20 KIA. (SOR 38)

(6) 181045H 1/3/9 (YD 228089) FOUND LARGE MASS OF GRAVES, AREA WAS HIT WITH ARTY AND AIR, 185 GRAVES (DID NOT COUNT AS KIA), 8 BNKS, 8 CASES OF .50 CAL AMMO, DESTROYED ALL ORDNANCE. (SOR 7)

(7) 180915H G/1/9 (YD 197057) CONTACT WITH EST 4 NVA IN FOX-HOLES, BNKS WITH A/W, 7 KIA. (SOR 38)

(8) 181100H D/1/9 (YD 176054) CONTACT WITH EST PLE OF NVA FROM SOUTH DIRECTION, 10 KIA. (SOR 38)

(9) 181530H G/2/9 (YD 126077) CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE OF ENEMY PULLED BACK INTO PERIMETER TO USE ARTY AND AIR, 7 KIA. (SOR 38)

(10) 181115H G/2/9 (YD 127079, 127080) (YD 127077, 126078) REC'D SNIPER FIRE AND MACHINE GUN FIRE RETURNED FIRE, 11 KIA. (SOR 38)

(11) 181515H L/3/9 (YD 231092) FOUND A TUNNEL 75 METERS LONG, AT THE END OF TUNNEL A 20 METER DROPP, TUNNEL HAS ROCKS THE ENTIRE LENGTH, REINFORCED BY BEAMS AND CROSSBEAMS ALSO FOUND 222-60MM MORTARS, 24 CHICOMS, 15 CANS OF INCREMENTS, 16 BOXES OF 60MM WARHEADS, 20 BUSTERS FOR 60MM RDS, MISC MEDICAL GEAR, AND 1 RPG RTR, 20 DN 10 MINES, AT MOUTH OF TUNNEL A HOLLOW TREE USED FOR SNIPER OUTPOST. (SOR 7.54)

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(12) 182100H 2/9 (YD 186165) FSB ERSKIN OBS 3 NVA NEAR WIRE,
FIRED S/A AND FRAGS, 1 KIA. (SOR 38)

(13) 180920H BD 1/4 (YD 189055) FOUND 7 BNKS, 3 KBA. (SOR 38)

(14) 181045H A&C 1/9 (YD 189056) REC'D FIRE, RETURNED FIRE WITH
2 KIA. (SOR 38)

(15) 182315H B/1/9 (YD 186062) OBS 4 LIGHTS, FIRED ON LIGHTS,
LIGHTS WENT OUT, 3 KIA. (SOR 38)

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 300

DETAINEES: 6 DETAINEES, 2 POW, 2 CHIEU HOI

DETAINEES: 168 157 IWC, 11 CSWC

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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES
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 RELEASER: L.L. ETOHO

IMMEDIATE-- Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM #31 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON.
2. 180000 - 191800 FEB 69
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES
 - A. GROUND ACTIVITIES
 - (1) LATE ENTRY 181417H 1/9 (YD172048) 11 KBA. (SOR 38)
 - (2) 190720 G/1/9 (YD198077) CONTACT W/NVA IN TRENCHES W/MG AND AW. 19 KIA. CAPTURED MISC 782 GEAR AND 6 AK MAGS. NVA WORE GREEN UTILS AND PIT HELMETS. ONE W/WHITE SHIRT W/RED EPAULTS AND 3 STARS. (SOR 38)
 - (3) 190920 G/1/9 (YD198078) RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE. FRIENDLY SNIPER RETURNED FIRE. 2 KIA (SOR 38)
 - (4) 191230 G/2/9 (YD123077) DISC BNK COMPLEX W/COMM SYSTEM RUNNING IN N TO S DIRECTION. AREA WAS OCCUPIED BY EST 30 NVA SOR 3
 - (5) 190925 A/1/9 (YD198077) CONTACT WITH NVA IN BUNKER COMPLEX, ALSO NVA IN TRENCHES ON FLANKS OF COMPLEX. 13 KIA SOR 38
 - (6) 191210 A/1/9 YD196063 DISC 5 KIA OUTSIDE LINES AFTER PROBE ALSO 2 RPG AND MISC GEAR. SOR 38
 - (7) LATE ENTRY 181045H 1/3/9 YD228089 DISC MASS GRAVE OPENED BY AIR AND ARTY. BODIES BADLY BURNED AND DECAYING. 8 BNKS, 8 CASES 12.7 AMMO. 185 KIA. SOR 38
 - (8) 191620H G/1/9 YD196065 RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE. RETURNED FIRE. 2 KIA SOR 38
 - (9) 191400H D/1/9 YD176504 AMBUSHED BY SQUAD OF NVA. RETURNED FIRE 8 KIA, 1600 LB RICE, FRESH BNKS, 1 AK17, 2 E-TOOLS AND ONE PICK. SOR 38
 - (10) 191707 A/1/9 YD197062 MADE CONTACT W/NVA 1 KIA SOR 38.
 - (11) 191435H A/1/9 YD196069 RECEIVED AW AND RPG FIRE. 11 KIA, 1 AK17, 5 CHICOMS, 12 RPG RDS. SOR 38
 - (12) 190925H YD197053 10 KIA BY AIR. SOR 38
 - (13) 190950H YD197053 2 KIA BY AIR. SOR 38
 - (14) 191800H RECON YD119166 DISC 3 PEOPLE FISHING, CAPTURED 2, 1 ESCAPED. 2DET ONE WAS WEARING BLACK SHORTS AND ARMY SHIRT 1 WITH GREEN UTILS AND ONE WITH KAKI UNIFORM.

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(135) 191130H G/2/9 YD123076 CHECKED AREA AFTER CONTACT OF
18 FEB 69 DISC BNK COMPLEX 400M BY 100M ON A FINGER RUNNING SE TO
NW AND 16 FOXHOLES, 22 STRUCTURES, 20 BY 10FT, GRAVES AND
BLOOD TRAILS. 7 KIA, 1 SKS, 3 HELMETS, 15 LB DOCUMENTS, 12 PACKS
W/2 SETS UTILS EACH (24 TOTAL), MED GEAR, 4 SHOVELS, 2 SAWS, 6
CROSS BARS, 9 PICKS, 2 HOLES, 2 SLEDHAMMERS, 8RPD RDS, BLASTING
CAPS, 450LB TNT, 200 60mm RDS, 40 CHICOMS, COOKING GEAR, SLEEPING
BAGS, HAMMOCKS. DEST ALL BUT INTELL GEAR.

(116) 191800 RECON YD158121 OBSERVED VEG GARDEN AND 7 NVA,
PULLED HASTY AMBUSH. 4 KIA

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	789
DETAINEES:	8
POW:	2
CHIEF HOI	2
IWC:	162
CSWC:	11

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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE- 2 FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MARDIV
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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 32 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 191800H-201800H FEB 69
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES
 - A. GROUND ACTIVITIES
- (1) 191528H ARTY YD189060 6 KIA. LATE ENTRY
- (2) 200900HL/3/9 YD161437 DISC 1 RPG W/ROUNDS.
- (3) 200550 H/2/9 YD144026 HEARD NOIS: LIKE VECH MOVING AND CHANGING GEARS.
- (4) 192330H M/3/9 YD230068 RECEIVED PROBE W/SA, RPG, CHICOMS, LASTED 4 HOURS. 4 KIA, 1 AK 47 W/MAGS.
- (5) 201145H C/1/9 YD196053 OBS VECH TAKING FIRE FROM POSITION.
- (6) 201200H RECON ~~XXXXXX~~ YD130114 AO OBS STRUCTURES AND BNKS, 1 KIA, 1 AK 47.
- (7) 201220H H/2/9 YD126037 DISC 20 STRUCTURES, 5NVA SET AMBUSH, #3 KIA, 1 POW, 1SKS, 1 AK 47, 2 CHICOMS, PAPERS 3 SETS OF UTILS W/NO PATCHES.
- (8) 201300H C/1/9 YD197052 CONTACT W/REIN PLT DEFENDING GUN PSNS AND VECHS KILLING UNK AMMONT OF NVA AND UNK AMOUNT OF GEAR CAPTURED.
- (9) 201200H C/2/3 YD198060 LP OBS 1 NVA W/BROWN HAT AND CAMOUFLADGE UTILS, TO SOUTH. DISC ASSEMBLY AREA W/FOUR SHIRTS, 3 LEAFLETS, 1 WHISTLE, 1 RED BUTTON.
- (10) 201600H C/1/9 YD198060-YD197053 CONTACT AT 201300, ATTACKED AND CAPTURED NVA ARTY PSN, TOTAL KIA 71. 1 12.7MM AA GUN W/TRIPOD, 15 BLASTING CAPS, 2 RPD MG, 1 AK47, 5 BKS, 2 BLO ROCKED LAUNCHERS, 2 RPD DRUMS, 5 CHICOMS, 2 122MM GUN W/7 rds, 15 TON FULL TRACK VECH, PRIME CARRIER TANDOMS W/TROOP RACKS, 2 AK MAGS, 2AK47, DEST 8/A AMMO.
- (11) 201400H H/2/9 YD119048 DISC ROAD ON E SIDE OF RIVER W/BUNKER COMPLEX, POINT AMBUSH WITH CLAYMORE AND A/W FIRE 2 KIA.
- (12) 201300H H/2/9 YD126037 AFTER CONTACT DISC 1 SKS, 210LB RICE MISC MED GEAR, PERSONAL LETTERS, DOCUMENTS, 1 CLASS ROOM, MISC 782 GEA R, 1 GENERATOR.

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- (13) 201525 L/3/9 YD239096 DISC 2 MORTAR PITS W/3 60MM RNDs, 100 caps
 # CASES OF INCREMENTS, 22 SAFETY CAPS, 3 WARHEADS, 1
 CANTENERS, 1 CLEANING ROD, TRAIL GOING S, USED RECENTLY.
- (14) 201200H B/1/9 YD181052 DISC STRUCTURES AND BUNKERS, 1 KIA
 25 TONS RICE, RIPPED OPEN BAGS.
- (15) 201030H AIR YD215049 DESTROYED 1 122MM GUN.
- (16) 201800H M/3/9 YD230086 OBS 2 NVA IN TALL GRASS, FIRED AND
 OBS 3 NVA W/1 BODY. 1 KIA.
- (17) 202138H H/2/9 YD135023 OBS FAST MOVING CONVOY GOING E TO W.
- (18) 200627H ARTY YD186046 7 KIA.
- (19) 201530H M/3/9 YD229088 DISC SMALL BKK COMPLEX, 3 CANS .50
 CAL AMMO, 41 RPG BOOSTERS MADE IN POLA WD.
- (20) 201600H 1/9 YD196036 MADE CONTACT 1 KIA.
- (21) ~~XXXXXX~~ 201515H A/1/9 YD195042 DISC 2 BARRELS FOR 20MM AA
 GUN AND AMMO, 3 OLD BATTERIES, 60 122MM RDS. 12.7 RDS,
 3 MAGS AND MISC MEDICAL GEAR.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	906
DETAINEES:	8
POW:	3
CHIEU HOI:	2
IWC:	179
CSHC:	18

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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 33 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 201800H - 211800H FEB 69
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES
 - A. GROUND ACTIVITIES
 - (1) 210550H C/1/9 YD197053 RECD PROBE EST. 7NVA ALSO RECD 7 ARTY RND. 3 KIA, 1 AK47, 2 RPG-7.
 - (2) 211100H A/1/9 YD196035 DISC 1 NOTEBOOK W/DRAWINGS COULD BE A DIARY.
 - (3) 211015H M/3/9 YD232083 RECD S/A FIRE. RETURNED FIRE.
 - (4) 211120 G/2/9 YD166104 RECD INCOMING RND.
 - (5) 210900 C/1/9 YD197053 CHECKED AREA OF TRACK VEH ACTY. DISC 7 AK MAGS.
 - (6) 211200H C/1/9 YD198053 DISC 1 SKS IN BUNKER.
 - (7) 211000H A/1/9 YD196038 DISC 2 PORTABLE GAS GENERATORS IN BNK W/NAVODKOPSLURE ON THEM MADE IN RUSSIA.
 - (8) 210900 A/1/9 YD195036 TRUCK LOOKED TO BE 1 1/2 TON, RUSSIAN, LATE MODEL, TIRES ARE MARKED MADE IN RUSSIA, IN ENGLISH WRITING. INSTRUCTIONS FOR GEAR SHIFT ARE IN FRENCH, VECI HAS DROP DOWN TANDEN SINGLE WHEELS, 10FT WOODEN BIN, W/TROOP RACKS.
 - (9) 210830 H/2/9 YD143045 OBS B N VA. FIRED, RESULTS 1 KIA.
 - (10) 211115 A/1/9 YD193043 DISC Hvy BNK COMPLEX, EST 100. MANY STRUCTURES IN AREA. 1 HOSP W/3 STRUCTURES. 1 LARGE KITCHEN, POTS, PANS, 18 122MM RDS, 1 RADIO RUSSIAN, 12 BAGS RICE, MISC TOOLS, 783 GEAR AND CLOTHING.
 - (11) 201200H B/1/9 YD181052 DISC BNK COMPLEX, 2 KIA, 410 LBS RICE.
 - (12) 211500H B/1/9 YD194044 DISC 48 RDS OF 122MM. DESTROYED.
 - (13) 211335H F/2/9 YD121051 DISC TRAIL AND BNK COMPLEX ALSO MANY TUNNELS IN AREA. DESTROYED.
 - (14) 210930 AIR YD026362 1 KIA.
 - (15) 211220H F/2/9 YD121053 DISC 1 BLOOD TRAIL, 1 HELMET, 1 hammock. DESTROYED.
 - (16) 211030H A/1/9 YD195053 FD 35 SPENT 122MM RND.
 - (17) 211230H M/3/9 YD232083 RECD RPD AND MORTORS. OBS 3 NVA W/PACKS.

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- (18) 211130H M/3/9 YD232081 DISC 2 BNKS W/COMM WIRE INTO EACH, 8 BOXES 50 CAL AMMO(800 RDS) 20 BLASTING CAPS, 330FT DET CORD, 5 EMPTY 50 CAL DRUMS, MISC VEH PARTS. DESTROYED.
- (19) 211130H M/3/9 YD232083 DISC 1 GARAGE 30X15X2, 1 GAL GREASE TORTION BAR, VEH TRACKED TYPE LINKS.
- (20) 211515H L/3/9 YD239089 DISC LARGE ROCK STRUCTURE W/FIGHTING PSN IN FRONT, 1 SHOVEL, FRUIT AND MILK CANS, 6 MO OLD, W/ENGLISH AND CHINESE WRITING, 2 BUNKERS WELL CAMOFLAGED.
- (21) 211615H AIR YD172139 OBS NVA IN BNKS AND HOLES. 1 KIA.
- (22) 211015H M/3/9 YD232083 AFTER DEBRIEF DISC 1 NVA WAS SHOT, OBS DRAGGING AWAY BODY. 1 KIA.
- (23) 211530H M/3/9 YD232083 DISC 2ND ROAD RUNNING 300 DEG FR MAIN ROAD, 6 BNKS 5X10X4, 1 10X20X5, 300 EMPTY 50 GAL DRUMS, MOST USED FOR DIESEL, 3 HY GREASE, 3 GASOLINE, 1 BULLDOZER CAB, 12 TIRES 6X6 TYPE, 1 BULLDOZER WITH TRACKS OFF, SIZE OF US D4 TYPE, 4 GAS TANKS W/BULLET HOLES, 12 HIGH PRESSURE HOSES, 6 USED FAN BELTS, 60LB TNT, 1 FRONT END LOADER, ENG AND PAINT GOOD SHAPE, 3 DISSEMBLED ENGINES, GAS 6 CYLINDER TYPE. NEW AND USED TRACKS, ENOUGH FOR 3 VEH, 6 REPAIR PITS 30X15X10, 3 5TON TRUCKS, FRESH VEH TRACKS APPROX 24 HRS OLD, SIGN IN TREE ROAD M.R.O/5 M.
- (24) 211800H 3/9 YD232068 RECD 6 RDS 60MM. RETURNED FIRE.
- (25) 211550H A/1/9 YD201051 DISC 142 61MM RDS, 45 RPG RND, 2 CASES OF TNT, 3 LBS TNT, 9 AK 47 MAGS, RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM S.
- (26) 211635H C/1/9 YD197060 RECD EST 12 RDS 60MM FIRE.
- (27) 211800H H/2/9 YD110028 OBS CONVOY OF VEH, STRETCHED FOR 800-900 METERS ALONG ROAD, WILL WAIT FOR CONVOY TO START MOVING BEFORE SPRINGING AMBUSH.
- (28) 211550H A/1/9 YD201051 CONTACT W/EST BLT, 10 KIA AREA WELL POPULATED POS LOC FOR 122MM GUNS.
- (29) 211630H M/3/9 YD234088 DISC 1 BOX RPG RND, 90 RPG BOOSTERS MADE IN POLAND, 3 USA BANGALOR TORPEDOS.
- (30) 211350H B/1/9 YD195030 OBS 2 NVA WHILE ON ROAD. 1 KIA.
- (31) 211430H B/1/9 YD195035 DISC 12 2 MAN BNKS, 1 STRAND COMM WIRE, ENEMY TEAR GAS IN AREA, 48 122MM RND, 1 250 LB BOMB 100 S/A RND, 12 EM 55 GAL DRUMS, VEH PARTS.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	925
POW:	3
IWC:	183
CSWC:	18
DET:	8
CHIEU HOI	2

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S-2 9th MARINES

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PERISHABLE INFO, DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 34 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 211800H-221800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 220300H H/2/9 YD140028 SPRUNG AMBUSH, GOT 2 TRUCKS. 3D TRUCK RAN OFF ROAD, COULD NOT FIND. 1 TRUCK WAS LOADED W/SA AMMO. ROAD BLOCKED BY BURNING TRUCKS. 5 KIA

(2) 220730H H/2/9 YD150023 GOT 2 TRACKED VEH IN AMBUSH. 5 KIA

(3) 220900H D/1/9 YD196040 RETRIEVED 4 LARGE METAL BOXES, 2 SMALL WOODEN CHEST, 1 HARDWOOD TRIPOD USED TO SUPPORT AJHNG CIRCLE, CHEST WITH WRENCHES, COIL SPRINGS, A GUNNER QUADRANT, PRESSURE GAUGE, 1 CAN OF GREASE, ELECTRIC WIRE WITH PLUGS, FIRING PINS, LOCKERS HAD MARKINGS BUT WERE ALL SCRATCHED OFF, READABLE LETTERS AS FOLLOWS: CCCP-

(4) 220930H B/1/9 YD193025 FOUND 52 82MM RND, 5 CHICOMS,

1 AK 47, DESTROYED ALL ORDNANCE.

(5) 220845H K/3/9 YD230074 FOUND 4 BNKS. 1 WITH 33 ORANGE PAGES WITH GRAY POWDER APPROX 8" X 14" WITH 32MM WRITTEN ON SIDE. POSSIBLE ARTY INCREMENTS. DESTROYED.

(6) 220930H K/3/9 YD231071 FND 8 BNKS, 2 HELMETS, 2 GAS MASKS, 17 BUNK TYPE RND, 106 POWDER BAGS WITH B-150, 32MM 150G MADE IN POLAND, 1 BOX 50CAL TRACERS, DESTROYED ALL GEAR.

(7) 221030H B/1/9 YD190030 FD 28 RIFLE GRENADES, 10 RPG RDS WITH BOOSTERS, 7 BUNKERS.

(8) 220930H K/3/9 YD231069 FD BUNKERS, 1 KNIFE, 13 ASSORTED WRENCHES, 1 DISTRIBUTOR, 2 TRUCK REMAINS, 1200 RDS 37MM AMMO, 1 TRUCK 5 TON, 1 HOIST BLOCK AND MISC NVA 762 GEAR.

(9) 221100H A/1/9 YD202052 CONTACT W/EST NVA SQUAD IN BUNKER COMPLEX, 7 KIA, 1 AK 47, 14 CHICOMS AND 3 AK MAGS. DESTROYED.

(10) 221100H K/3/9 YD 232068 FND 5 BUNKERS, 1 BUNK CONTAINED 1 BOX 50 CAL AMMO (TRACERS) 50 RDS PER BOX, DESTROYED ORDNANCE.

(11) 221155H M/3/9 YD236088 FD 1 CAVE INTO MOUNTAIN, 30 EXPENDED 50 CAL RDS, 1 CASE TNT, MISC NVA 762 GEAR, DESTROYED

(12) 221257H M/3/9 YD235092 FD 4 CHICOMS, CLAYMORE TYPE, 6" IN DIA (DH-5 TYPE) DESTROYED.

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(13) 221200H K/3/9 YD233064 FD 1 TRUCK PARK, 1 .50 GAL GAS DRUM EMPTY, 1 ROAD SIGN POLE STUCK IN GROUND WITH BOARD ON SIGN WAS C-8 POINTING SOUTH, NORTH, C-9 POINTING SOUTH, 1 BUNKER, MISC NVA 782 GEAR AND COOKING POTS.

(14) 221354H K/3/9 YD234064 FD 12 60MM RDS, 7 BNKS, 3x4x3, 1 CAVE 30 37MM RDS, DESTROYED ORDNANCE.

(15) 221300H M/3/9 YD233083 FD 1 .50 CAL POSITION, 12X43 W/100ND MOUND HAD TRIPOD, 848 RDS .50 CAL AMMO, 20 LBS TNT, DESTROYED.

(16) 221500H H/3/9 YD139022 OBS 8 NVA NEAR LAST NIGHTS AMPUSH. CALLED ARTY MISSION. 2 KIA

(17) 221845H 3/9 YD234082 OBS ENEMY WEARING BLACK AND BROWN CAMO UTILITIES WITH BLACK BERETS.

(18) 221045H H/3/9 YD137035 FD OLD BUNKER COMPLEX FOR STAGING AND LIVING, USED 6-8 MONTHS AGO. GOOD TRAILS IN AREA, ALSO COMMWIRE. 50 RDS 12.7 AMMO

(19) 221715H K3/9 YD237071 CONTACT W/6 NVA, 1 BNK, 5 FIGHTING HOLES 1 AK 47, 2 MAGS, 2 CHICOMS, 1 KIA, MISC 782 GEAR.

(20) 221727H L/3/9 YD233054 RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM THE FLANKS, ALSO A/W, RPG, CHICOMS, 60MM, EST 30 NVA WEARING CAMO UNIFORMS AND BERETS, RETURNED FIRE, (9 KIA)

(21) 221300H A/1/9 YD199049, YD198049, YD204045 CONTACT W/NVA COMPANY CALLED IN ARTY AND AIR, ENEMYBROKE CONTACT, 4 LIGHT MG, 2 B40 RK 17 AK 47, 2 SNIPER RIFLES, 20 PACKS FULL OF NEW GEAR AND CLOTHING, 47 CHICOMS, 13 RPG RDS, 2 75 RECOILES RDS, 105 KIA. MISC DOC AND DIARYS. 105 KIA, 21 IWC, 4 CSWC.

(22) 221248 H/3/9 YD235098 FD 250 OLD BOOSTERS FOR .50 CAL AMMO, 160 PER BOX, 3 NVA 60MM MORTARS, NEW AND COMPLETE. 200 105 CANISTERS, 1 50 GAL DRUM. GRAVES DATED 22/6/67, 1 BODY PER GRAVE. 2 LBS RICE AND MISC NVA GEAR. 1 KIA

(23) 221300H C/1/9 YD202053 CONTACT W/UNK SIZE ENEMY FORCE, 9 KIA.

(24) 221500H C/1/9 YD202051 SIGHTED 2 ENEMY XXXX AT ABOVE GRID. TOOK UNDER FIRE W/MG, KILLING 1 1 KIA

(25) 221500H K3/9 YD244074 FD 1 POLE 25FT HIGH W/4 INSULATORS WITH 2 STRANDS WITH HEAVY GAUGE WIRE, CHECKED OUT WIRE TO EAST FROM 300 METERS AND WAS CUT BY AIR STRIKES, ALSO FD 2 STRANDS OF COMM WIRE INTERSECTING TRAIL AT YD242074 LEADING N-S ALSO FD 1 STRAND OF COMM WIRE RUNNING PARALLEL TO TRAIL SE-NE.

(26) 220930H G/2/3 YD184127 POINT MAN WAS CHECKING OUT A DRAW AND TRAIL WHEN HE FACED FORWARD HE SAW AN NVA DRESSED IN WHITE SHORTS, DISAPPEARING AROUND CORNER OF ROCKS. ROCKS BLOCKED PURSUTE BY FIRE.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	1073
POW:	3
IWC:	207
CSWC:	22
DET:	8
CHIEU HOI:	2

5-14 NEGATIVE
GP 4
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SEC REF: 3 2 3TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHE

IMMEDIATE _____ Z FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASE FORCE HOTEL
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 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
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PERISHABLE INFO, DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2, 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 35 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 221800H-231800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 231600H B/1/9 YD196036 TOOK EST 40 60MM RND FROM ABOVE GRID. COUNTER FIRE W/ARTY.

(2) 230750H A/1/9 YD196059 TO 197069 HEARD TUBES POP, RND LANDED WEST OF POSITION, COUNTER FIRE W/60 AND 81'S AND ARTY.

(3) 230835H L/3/9 YD234050 OBS 2 NVA IN FRONT OF PERIMETER, FIRED S/A AND THREW FRAGS, BOTH NVA FELL, BODIES DRAGGED OFF AFTER HEAVY FOGG SEEN IN. 2 KIA

(4) 230950H H/2/9 YD148045 CONTACT WITH 4 NVA AT ABOVE GRID. NEG RESULTS.

(5) 231100H H/2/9 YD150041 FD 7 FIGHTING HOLES, 1 INCOMPLETE BUNKER 1X3X2, CHECKED AREA W/NEG RESULTS.

(6) 231242H YD065350 ARMY HELOS SPOTTED 3 IND, NO ACTION TAKEN.

(7) 231210H AIR YD205055 TO YD265045 5KIA BY AIR.

(8) 231108 RECON YD185162 SPOTTED 3 GROUPS OF 6 ENEMY WEARING KAKKI UNIFORMS. CALLED ARTY MISSION.

(9) 221200H B/1/9 YD189029 FD 2 MAN MADE CAVES, 1X5X30 FT, 1 CAVE HAD 3 NVA CLAMMORS, 9 RIFLE GRENADES AND 1 60MM RND, 75 LBS RICE, 1 AK 47 BAYONET AND MISC NVA GEAR. DESTROYED.

(10) 230915H L/3/9 YD234057 FD 1320 RND 7.62, 825 .50 CAL, 2709 20MM RND, 14 40MM, 1 MANUAL OPERATED MERO MACHINE, DESTROYED ALL GEAR.

(11) 231230H L/3/9 YD235046 RECD FIRE FROM 1 NVA, ASSULTED POSITION, WOUNDED NVA 1 POW. 1 SES W/RIFLE GRENADES.

(12) 231330H RECON YD182146 AND 182145 FD OLD NVA BASE CAMP 15X10, THATCHED HUTS AND 3 OVERHEAD BUNKERS AND MISC GEAR. DESTROYED.

(13) 231604H G/2/9 YD126076 RECD 2 MORTARS RND AND SA/AW FIRE. RETURNED FIRE.

(14) 231244H YD231076 PERIMETER RECD SNIPER FIRE, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

(15) 231800H 2/9 YD126076 RECEIVED 12 RND OF 61MM FIRE. RETURNED FIRE WITH MORTARS AND ARTY.

(16) 232052H H/2/9 ADD TO PREV CONTACT, 5 KIA, 2 61MM MORTARS.

(17) 232045H AIR YD244042 SPOTTED BUNKERS WITH 2 122MM GUNS, 16 BNKS, DEST 2 122MM GUNS, AND 50 CAL GUN, 16 BNKS, 1 SEC FIRE.

(18) 231417H AIR YD131115 SPOTTED SUSP HARPER SITE, CALLED MISSION.

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- (19) 232245H AIR YD20804 RAN FIXED WING, 3 KIA.
 (20) 232033H AIR YD122022-YD145023 SPOTTED 2 TRUCKS WITH 1 23MM MOUNTED. DEST 2 TRUCKS AND 23MM GUN.
 (21) 232025H AIR YD205054 SPOTTED BNKS COMPLEX. DEST 4 BNKS, 2 KIA.
 (22) 232045H AIR DEST 1 122MM GUN AND 6 KIA.
 (23) 232010H AIR YD145020 and YD152021 SPOTTED TRUCKS AT ABOVE COORD, RAN A/S DESTROYING 3 TRUCKS AND HEAVILY DAMAGING 1.
 (24) 230500H A/1/9 YD197055 CAME UNDERFIRE BY HICOMS, RPGS, AND S/A, EST 25 NVA, REID FIRE. RESULTS UNK.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	1098
POW:	4
IWC:	207
CSWC:	27
DET:	8
CHIEU HOI:	2
5-14	NEGATIVE
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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

RELEASER: L. L. ETCO

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PERISHABLE INFO, DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2, 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 36 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 231800H-241800H FEB69
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 240530H E/3/9 YD240039 SPRUNG AMBUSH ON 15 NVA, TOOK FIRE FROM AK CHICOMS AND A/W. RETURNED FIRE. 3 KIA

(2) 240845H L/3/9 YD240039 SIGHTED APPROX 5 NVA IN OPEN, NVA WERE WEARING BLACK UTILITIES, NO PACKS CARRYING AK'S, CALLED ARTY AND 60MM MORTARS. 2 KIA

(3) 241100H H/3/9 YD150054 CONTACT WITH 6 NVA IN FRESH FIGHTING HOLES 1 LIGHT MACHINE GUN ON TRAIL FACING WEST, 1 NEW BUNKER HALF FINISHED. DESTROYED BUNKER. 1 KIA

(4) 231005H AIR YD225041 (LATE ENTRY) OBS NVA IN OPEN, 2 KIA

(5) 231008H AIR YD 226097 (LATE ENTRY) SIGHTED UNK ENEMY FORCE. 2 KIA

(6) 241145H G/2/9 YD163078 PATROL REC'D 20 RND'S OF S/A FROM 3 SNIPERS, RETURNED FIRE W/UNK RESULTS.

(7) 241100H A/1/9 YD197055 IN REFERENCE TO SPOT REPORT 232305H, FOUND 1 MACHINE GUN TRIPOD, 1 NVA GAS MASK, 1 CLAYMORE, 1 79 FLARE, ALSO BLOOD TRAILS AND DRAG MARKS. 8 KIA.

(8) 241315H G/2/3 YD167107 FD 3 WELL CONST BNKS, ASSORTED COOKING GE. DESTROYED BUNKERS AND GEAR.

(9) 241030H L/3/9 YD240040 FD 20 BNKS 6x64, 8 140MM ROCKET RDS, 5 RPG RND'S, 122MM ARTY RND'S, 3 60MM RND, 4 CHICOMS, 5 UNDET RND'S, (APPROX 80-85MM) 2 RPG RND'S W/BOOSTERS, 2 82MM RND'S, 2 CASES 12.7 AMMO (144 PER CASE) 2 WARHEADS FOR 60MM, 1 AK MAG, DESTROYED ALL GEAR.

(10) 241230H A/1/9 YD196055 6 MAN OP RECEIVED A/W FIRE AND RPG RND'S EST 10-15 NVA IN GREEN UTILITIES, 2 PACKS, 3-61MM RND'S, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS.

(11) 241200H H/2/9 YD148022 SIGHTED 2 NVA ON ROAD, 2 KIA.

(12) 241100H H/2/9 YD139025 PATROL SIGHTED 6 NVA ON ROAD, SET UP AMBUSH, AND CALLED ARTY MISSION, 4 KIA.

(13) 241305H H/2/9 YD139025 FD 1 MAP 1:50,000 WITH RT 922 MARKED IN RED, 1,000 RND'S AK 47, 1 UNIT LEADERS NOTE BOOK, 2 LBS SUGAR, 80 LBS RICE, 2 COMPASSES, MISC NVA 782 GEAR, AND MEDICAL GEAR, 1 AK 47, DESTROYED, 1 SKS, 2 9MM PISTOLS, UNIFORMS WERE NEW AND HAD NO MARKINGS, ENEMY BELIEVE TO BE MOTOR TRANSPORT PERSONNEL.

(14) 241610H C/1/9 YD197057 PATROL FD 50 EXPENDED 122 MM AMMO, 10 ASSEMBLED 122MM RND'S, 10 CASES OF .50 CAL (200 RND'S PER CASE), ALSO A BRIEF CASE FULL OF DOCUMENTS INCLUDING SOME THAT LOOK LIKE FIRING TABLES. DESTROYED ALL GEAR EXCEPT INTELL ITEMS.

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- (15) 241600H B/1/9 242033 SIGHTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE ARTY GLASH AND ELEPHANTS AT ABOVE GRID, CALLED ARTY MISSION.
- (16) 241900H G/2/3 YD151112 WD SEVERAL BNKS AND LIVING QUARTERS AREA, MANY DOCUMENTS, 2 TONS OF RICE AND POTATOES, 8 SKS, 3 BOLT ACTION RIFLES.
- (17) 241500H M/3/9 YD243043 FD 2 122MM ARTY GUN POSITIONS, 2 FULL TRACKED VEH W/GUN ALREADY DESTROYED. ~~CONTACT~~ CONTACT WITH EST SQUAD OF NVA. 2 KIA, 2 IWC.
- (18) 241800H H/2/9 YD135025 TOOK INCOMING FROM ABOVE GRID, RETURNED FIRE.
- (19) 242030H 3/9 YD239039 RCD 12 60MM RNDs, LATER RECEIVED 30 MORE RNDs, RPG FIRE AND RIFLE GRENADES, S/A, ALSO LINES WERE HIT WITH GROUND ATTACK, RESULTS UNK AT THIS TIME.
- (20) 241500H G/2/3 YD193120 FD BUNKER COMPLEX CONSISTING OF 40 BNK, 2 LARGE GARDENS, CORN, BANANAS, AND OTHER PLANTS, BELIEVED TO BE OLD STAGING AREA. DESTROYED.
- (21) 242300H FSB ERSKIN TOOK APPROX 3 MAGS OF AK FIRE, RIFLE GRENADES, RETURNED FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS.
- (22) 242150H E/2/3 YD164111 LP HEARD MOVEMENT, SPOTTED 2 NVA TO THERE FRONT, OPENED UP ON POSSIBLE ESCAPE ROUTE W/UNK RESULTS.

4 CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	1128
POW:	4
IWC:	224
CSWC:	224
DET:	8
CHIEU HOI:	2

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- (17) 251000H H/2/9 YD240022 CONTACT WITH 10 NVA, 1 KIA, 1 ARTY GUN DESTROYED BY AIR, 2 AA GUNS, W/MOUNTS, 1 .50 CAL GUN, 2 TRUCKS, PERSONNEL PAPERS. DESTROYED GEAR.
- (18) 251415H K/3/9 YD212027 FD 3 STRUCTURES, 3000 LBS OF RICE, 200 AMPOLES OF MORPHINE, 9 RIFLE GREN., 5 AK MAGS, 15 CHICOMS, 3 SKS, 100 RND 7.62, 300 RND AK AMMO, 10 KIA.
- (19) 251500H L/3/9 YD242022 FD 18 BICYCLES, 140 RND 7.62, DESTROYED GEAR.
- (20) 251515H K/3/9 YD242022 CONTACT W/5 NVA, FD 6 CHICOMS, 3 AK MAGS, 28 RPG RND AND BOOSTERS, 2 PACKS CONTAINING RICE.
- (21) 251430H M/3/9 YD243043 FD 3 STRUCTURES, 400 LBS OF RICE, 1 PUMP 1 CROSS CUT SAW, 1000 AK RND, 400 7.62 AMMO, 100 RPG BOOSTERS, 12 GRENADES, 69 60MM RND, 4 CHICOMS, 5 DH-10 MINES, DESTROYED.
- (22) 251600H B/1/9 YD206027 RECD 20 RND of 82MM RETURNED FIRE.
- (23) 251630H L/3/9 YD 240034 FD 2 MG (SOVIET) HEAVY, W/2 EXTRA SG-43 BARRELS, 1 EXTRA MECHINISM FOR .50 CAL, 14 DH-10 MINES.
- (24) 250830H C/1/9 YD206027 CONTACT W/UNK SIZE NVA FORCE, FD 3 GRAVES, 1 BODY PER GRAVE. 3 KIA, BELIEVE TO BE CORPSMAN.
- (25) 252230H FOLLOW UP. 2/9 FD 2 TRUCKS REPORTED BY AIR. 1 122MM RND, 2 AK 47, 82 LBS TNT. DESTROYED GEAR.
- (26) 251730H H/2/9 YD146021 CONTACT WITH 15 NVA. RESULTS 2 KIA.
- (27) 251300H M/3/9 YD250043 CONTACT WITH 8 NVA FD 40 82MM RND, 600 BOTTLES PENCILLIN, 17 RIFLE GRENADES, 9 CHICOMS, 500 AK RND, 3 AK MAGS, 3 PRG BOOSTERS, 2 FULL BELTS .50 CAL AMMO. 4 KIA. DESTROYED.
- (28) 251805H AIR YD162033 DEST 1 VEHICLE AND 2 KIA.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	1181
POW:	4
IWC:	297
CSWC:	39
DET:	8
CHIEU NOI:	2

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SECTION 2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

RELEASER: L. L. ETUHO

IMMEDIATE 2 FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
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PERISHABLE INFO. DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2, 9TH MARINES INTSUM #38 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON
2. 251800H-261800H FEB 69
3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES
 - A. GROUND ACTIVITIES
 - (1) 260900H K/3/9 YD244038 PD 1 NVA STRUCTURE, 15x10x8, ALSO 2 CAVES 10x3x5. DESTROYED.
 - (2) 251900H AIR YD212050 DEST POSSIBLE DUMP, 2 122MM GUNS, 1 TRUCK, 2 BNKS, 4 KIA.
 - (3) 251900H AIR YD162033 SPOTTED TRUCK PARK, RAN A/S DEST 2 APC, 2 BNKS, 4 KIA.
 - (4) 251500H AIR YD150053 SPOTTED TROOPS ON OPEN RAN AIR STRIKE. 4 KIA.
 - (5) 261000H H/2/9 YD150020 CONTACT WITH 6 NVA, NEGATIVE RESULTS.
 - (6) 251214H AIR YD210053 (LATE ENTRY) AO SPOTTED TRENCH LINE. RAN A/S 2 KIA.
 - (7) 251115H AIR YD210053 (LATE ENTRY) SPOTTED TRUCK ON ROAD. RAN A/S DEST 2 BNKS, 2 TRUCKS, 4 KIA.
 - (8) 261030H D/1/9 YD 204036 PD 2200 LBS OF RICE AND 2 CANS OF FUEL.
 - (9) 260945H K/3/9 YD 244078 PD 5 STRUCTURES 20x30x6, 1 TREE WITH BUNKER. DESTROYED.
 - (10) 261020H K/3/9 YD244078 CONTACT WITH 7 NVA. RETURNED FIRE, NEGATIVE RESULTS.
 - (11) 261020H K/3/9 YD247025 ASSULTED THREW ENEMY POSITION, FOUND 1 RPG RND, 1 PACK RICE. DESTROYED GEAR.
 - (12) 261030H M/3/9 YD251050 PD 3 STRUCTURES 6x10x8, 1 TUNNEL 4x5x50, 1 EMPTY .50 CAL BOX, 12 PACKS, . DESTROYED GEAR.
 - (13) 261235H K/3/9 YD243023 ASSULTED THREW ENEMY POSITION. 1 KIA.
 - (14) 260900H K/3/9 YD244038 PD 2 BAYONETS, 550 SKS RND, 10 RPG M/BOOSTERS, 3 AK MAGS, 2 55 GAL DRUMS OF WATER, 25 CHICOMS, 3 SETSM NVA UNIFORMS (OLIVE DRAB) PLUS MISC NVA 782 GEAR.
 - (15) 261130H B/1/9 YD200035 PD 2 20MM GUNS, 2 CHICOMS, 50 BNKS, MISC DOCUMENTS AND MISC NVA 782 GEAR. DESTROYED.
 - (16) 260900H K/3/9 YD244038 PD 1 CAVE, 26 60MM RND, 34 60MM FUSES, 28 60MM DETENATORS, 17 82MM RND, 32 82MM FUSES, 20 82MM DETENATORS. 1500 AK RND, 350 SKS RND, 100 LBS RICE.
 - (17) 262258H K/3/9 YD238039 OBS 3 NVA APPROACHING THEIR POSIT, AND FIRED S/A NVA RETURNED FIRE, NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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(18) 261825H M/3/9 YD251038 WHILE SEARCHING AREA FD FRESH GRAVES, 1 BODY PER GRAVE, 32 60MM RNDs, 36 PROMERS, 40 FUSKS, 5 RIFLE GRN. 8 KIA.

(19) 261650H L/3/9 YD241046 FD 300 DH-10 MINES W/BLASTING CAPS, 20 BICYCLE FRAMES, 52 RIMS, 38 TIRES, 1 .50 CAL RECEIVER, 2 SKS BARRELS DEST ALL ORDNANCE.

(20) 262200H AIR YD218033 15 KIA.

(21) 261330H D/1/9 YD216033 CONTACT W/UNK SIZE ENEMY FORCE, CALL IN FIXED WING, 15 KIA.

(22) 262205H AIR Y D218033 AO SPOTTED BNKS AND TROOPS RAN A/S WITH 15-20 SECOND ARY EXP.

(23) 262115H L/3/9 YD238037 MADE CONTACT WITH 3 NVA FIRING MG. RETURNED FIRE WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

(24) 262145H AIR YD085008 AO SPOTTED 3 CRATES OF SUPPLIES, RAN A/S DESTROYING SUPPLIES.

(25) 262115H C/1/9 YD196057 TOOK 8-15 RPG RNDs, 6 61MM RNDs, CALLED IN ARTY ON SUSPECTED ROUTE OF ESCAPE.

(26) 270515H G/2/9 YD133077 HEARD MOVEMENT, PUT UP ILLUM AND SAW 3 NVA. FIRED 60MM MISSION AND ARTY WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

(27) 261925H L/3/9 YD217017 FD 1 CAVE CONTAINING 1 MUSICAL INSTRUMENT, 2 TIME FUSES, 1 50 GAL WATER CAN, 2220 AK RNDs, 1 5 GAL FUEL CAN, 600 RIFLE GRNEADES, 14 RNDs 60MM, 150 LBS RICE, 24 CHICONS, 2 RIFLE STOCKS, ASSORTED DOCUMENTS AND MEDICAL GEAR. DESTROYED AMMO.

(28) 261200H K/3/9 YD241048 FD 4000 AK RNDs, 1 FRENCH CASPINE.

(29) 261630H K/3/9 YD241044 FOUND 1 FULL TRACKED VEHICLE.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWET CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	1267
POW:	4
INC:	304
CSWC:	46
DET:	8
CHIED HOI:	2

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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE 2 FEB 69

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM #39 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 261800-271800H FEB 69

SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

- (1) 261329H D/1/9 YD215034 PREP FIRING AREA WITH 105/106. 5 KIA
- (2) 270517H G/2/9 YD134076 SPOTED 30 NVA APPROACHING POSIT, NVA WERE WEARING BLACK SHIRTS AND SHORTS, FIRED ARTY WITH NEG RESULTS.
- (3) 270900H L/3/9 YD234077 FND 6 RPG RND, 6 60MM RND, 300 LBS TNT, 400 LBS BLACK POWDER, 50 AK RND, 2 CROSS CUT SAWS AND MISC 782 GEAR. DESTROYED ALL AMMO
- (4) 270945H E/2/9 YD153022 FND 1 BULLDOZER IN GOOD CONDITION, WILL USE IF POSSIBLE, IF NOT, DESTROY.
- (5) 270945H K/3/9 YD 238067 CHECKED AREA, LAST NIGHTS CONTACT, FND 1 5LB SATCHEL CHARGE, BLOOD POOLS AND DRAG MARKS, 1 KIA.
- (6) 270700H G/2/3 YD151131 FND 2 BNKS, 300 LB RICE, 50 S/A RND.
- (7) 271230H H/2/9 YD158025 FND 1 SMALL BULLDOZER DEST, 1 122mm ARTY GUN AND STAKE ALONG ROAD READING H-6.
- (8) 271425H 2/9 BULLDOZER WAS NOT IN WORKABLE ORDER. DESTROYED.
- (9) 271130H M/3/9 YD243042 FND 500 AK RND, 9 BNKS, 2 PRG DRUMS, 1 37MM RND, 5 BLASTING CAPS, 480 CHICOMS, 2 SKS, RECEIVER FOR .50 CAL 1 57MM BARREL, 1 BREACH AND BLOCK, SIGHT FOR 122MM ARTY PIECE, 232 60MM RND, 30 60MM FUSES. DESTROYED GEAR.
- (10) 271325H E/2/9 YD164024 FND 1 AA POSIT, 1 12.7 GUN COMPLETE W/3000 RND. DESTROYED AMMO.
- (11) 271430H E/2/9 YD165024 FND 1 12.7 AA GUN W/MOUNT, AND 200 RND DESTROYED AMMO AND MISC GEAR.
- (12) 271410H H/2/9 YD154024 FND 1 82MM TUBE, 21 RND 82MM AMMO, 425 12.7 RND, 15 BLOCKS TNT, 16 122 RND, DESTROYED AMMO.
- (13) 271200H F/2/9 YD164036 FND BNK COMPLEX, 53 122MM RND, 260 7.62 RND, 100 AK 47 RND, 1 LB TNT, 2 PHONE AND LAND LINE, MISC DOCS, 50 BLASTING CAPS, 100 LBS RICE, 20 LBS LARD, 1,000,000 UNITS STREPTOMYCIN AND 24,000,000 UNITS PENICILLAN, 2 BOXES 12.7 RND 8 KIA. DESTROYED ALL AMMO.
- (14) 271100H I/3/9 YD256095 FND 26 BNKS, 50 BLASTING CAPS, 100 LBS RICE, 2 CHICOMS, 1 60MM RND, 6 RIFLE GRENADES, 600 AK RND, ASSORT DOCUMENTS AND 7 STRUCTURES. DESTROYED AMMO, BNKS, STRUCTURES.
- (15) 271400H L/3/9 YD233043 FND IN TUNNEL 1400 GAL OF OIL AND GAS, IN 50 GAL CONTAINERS. 1540 RIFLE GRENADES. DESTROYED ALL GEAR.
- (16) 271600H E/2/3 YD164110 RECEIVED 8 RND 82MM OR 82MM HOW. COUNTER MORTAR FND W/UNK RESULTS.

(17) 271630H H/2/9 YD162096 FND BNK COMPLEX, LEVLE ROAD APPROX 20' WIDE, PARALLELED BY 2 TRAILS.

(18) 271630H H/2/9 FND ARTY PSN, 2 85MM ARTY PIECES, BREACH BLOWN, 1 NEW TYPE 56 MG, 2 NEW AK 47, 6 NEW SKS, 148 85MM RND, 3 DRUM MAG FOR MG.

(19) 271130H H/2/9 YD167040 FND BNKS AND BARRACKS AREA, CLASSROOM, AREA INDICATES USE OF CARRIER PIGONS, COMMINT CONNECTING BNKS, AND GUN PITS, 25 RUSSIAN CARBIN RND, 38 STICKS TNT, 5 MILLION UNITS STREPTOMYCIN, 5 MILLION UNITS OF PENICILLIN, 5 LBS TNT, 1 LB DOCS, TORN MAPS, 1 CHINESE WEAPON, ASSORT COMMUNIST LITERATURE BOOKS. DESTROYED ALL GEAR.

(20) 271100H D/X/9 YD215032 FND CACHE, 214 SKS, RIFLES, 38 BOLT ACTION 26 7.62 MG, 5 82MM MORT, 3 82MM TUBES, 1-82MM BIPOD, 1 61MM COMPLETE, 8 AK47 RIFLES, 2 AK50, 3 57MM RR, 1 57MM TRIPOD, 1 50CAL MG, 10 SUB MG, 1 120MM MORTAR, 5 BARRELS FOR 12.7 MG, 1 20MM MG, 6 MANUALS, 4 12.7MM DUAL PURPOSE AA GUNS, 1 AIR COMPRESSOR, 1000 120MM RND, 500 37MM RND, 7883 RPG RND, 5501 82MM RND, 1205 RIFLE GRENADES, 5502 61MM RND, 990 CHICOMS. DESTROYED ALL AMMO.

(21) 272205H K/3/9 YD237044 SPRUNG AMBUSH RESULTING IN 1 RPG LAUNCHED, 2 AK47 WITH MAG, 7 KIA.

(22) 280055H G/2/9 YD134078 HEARD AND OBS MOVEMENT ON LINES, 10 MINS OPENED FIRE, 6 KIA.

(23) 271130H A/1/9 YD205035 FND FOLLOWING GEAR: 5 CHICOMS, 2 AA BARRELS, 1470 23MM RND, 27 LBS TNT, 700 LBS RICE, 800 GALS FUEL, 3 TRUCKS DEST.

(24) 271300H G/2/9 YD123037 WHILE CONDUCTING LOCAL SECURITY PATROLS, RECEIVED FIRE FROM EST 25 NVA. RETURNED FIRE 14 KIA.

4. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA:	1309
POW:	4
IWC:	590
CSWC:	98
DET:	8
CHIEU HOI:	2

5. ~~●~~ NEGATIVE
GP 4
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SECTION S-2 9TH MARINES

DRAFTER: G. E. VAIL

RELEASER: L. L. ETCHO

IMMEDIATE 2 FEB 69

FROM: NINTH MARINES
 TO: CG TASK FORCE HOTEL
 CG THIRD MAR DIV
 FIRST BN NINTH MAR
 SECOND BN NINTH MAR
 THIRD BN NINTH MAR

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PERISHABLE INFO, DO NOT SERVICE

1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 39 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 271800H-281800H FEB 69

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

- (1) 280830H B/1/9 YD200035 FND 3 BARRELS FOR 20MM AA GUN.
- (2) 270730H AIR YD134079 30 NVA IN OPEN FIRED ARTY MISSION, 3 KIA.
- (3) 280930H K/3/9 YD235055 FND 4 BNKS, 10x4x3, 9 BNKS 8x6x4, 2 BNKS 10x10x4 WITH WOOD FLOORS RECD FIRE FROM 6 NVA RETURNED FIRE, 3 KIA. 2 AK 47, 3 AK MAGS, 6 RPG RND, 6 CHICOMS, AND ASSORT DOCUMENT TS.
- (4) 281045H D/1/9 YD225035 SIGHTED 50 ENEMY MOVING SOUTH, TOOK EN UNDER FIRE, NEG RESULTS.
- (5) 281135H E/2/3 PSB ERSKIN RECD 3 RND, INCOMING, BOSS ARTY FROM SW FIRED ARTY MISSION ON SUSP ARTY OR ~~REKREK~~ MORTARS WITH UNK RESULTS.
- (6) 281100H G/2/9 YD136078 FND 1 NVA BODY IN MIDDLE OF ARTY IMPLACEMENT AND NUMEROUS BLOOD TRAILS TO THE NE, 5 KIA.
- (7) 281100H H/2/9 YD167032 FND 2 85MM GUNS, 10 LBS FDC DOCUMENTS, CHARTS AND MAPS, 2 BURIED MAP CASES, MISC 782 GEAR AND AMMO DESTROYED.
- (8) 281215H I/3/9 YD255096 FND BNK COMPLEX W/FIGHTING HOLES, 3 BODIES IN GRAVE K-25, 3 KIA.
- (9) 281215H K/3/9 YD234034 POINT SIGHTED 1 NVA ON TRAIL FIRED AND WAS HIT, BUT FLED, FND ~~REKREK~~ BLOOD TRAIL AND 1 .50 CALPSM AT YD235034. 700 RND, 12.7 AMMO DESTROYED AMMO.
- (10) 281000H 2/9 YD 169043 FND BNK COMPLEX, 15 STRUCTURES, 220 OLD STYLE GAS MASK, 15 HELMENTS, 8 STICKS TWT, 2 MILLION UNITS PENACILLEN AND STRIPTOMYCIN, ARTY PLOTTING GEAR, MISC 782 GEAR, 1 PAY ROOSTER, 3 PLASTIC ARTY FIRING TABLES, 60 HELMETS, MISC DOCUMENTS, 4 CHICOMS 2 AK MAG. 1 RPG RND, 2 75MM PACK HOW RND. DESTROYED AMMO.
- (11) 281320 K/3/9 YD233028 FND 2 .50 CAL AA PSN W/BNKS AND 200 RND, 7.62 DESTROYED AMMO.
- (12) 281600H E/2/3 YD131091 WHILE SEARCHING AREA RAN INTO 5 NVA. OPEN FIRE AND FND D HEAVY BLOOD TRAIL, 2 KIA, 2 AK 50.
- (13) 281225H I/3/9 YD255094 FND 20 BNKS, 5 RIFLE GERN, 60 60MM RND, 48 FUSES, 5 GAS MASK, 50 FT DET CORD, 4 RPG RND, 1000 AK RND, ASSORT MED GEAR, 1 FIELD ~~REKREK~~ PHON E. DESTROYED GEAR.
- (14) 281045H H/2/9 YD178033 FND 10 BNKS, 1 DEST BULL DOZER AND TRUCK.
- (15) 281040H H/2/9 YD166037 FND TRENCH SYSTEM, 15 GAS MASK, 6 HELMETS, 1 56 TYPE MG, 50 BLASTING CAPS 1000 FT COMMWIRE, 460 85MM RND, ASSORT MEDICAL GEAR. DESTROYED AMMO.
- (16) 281530H K/3/9 YD226014 CONTACT WITH 10 NVA MOVING NORTH ON TRAIL CALLED 81MM MISSION, 2 KIA.

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(17) 281705H B/1/9 YD215029 200K 15 RND8 OF 82MM AA FRONT OF PERIMETER, COUNTER FIRE W/ARTY, UNK RESULTS.

(18) 281820H A/1/9 YD215032 FND BELOW LISTED GEAR:

15 TRIPEDS FOR 57MM RR, 5 SPARE BARRELS FOR 12.7 AA GUN, 1 YOKE FOR 87MM GUN, 2 SIGHTS, FOR 57MM RR, w2 WHEELED CARRIAGES FOR 12.7MM AA GUN, 410 122MM ARTY RND8, 770 122MM ROCKET RND8, ~~XXXXXX~~ 4080 120MM RND8, 3160 RPG RND8, 20,000 37MM AA RND8, 10,000 82MM RND8, 19900 60MM RND8, 6540 RIFLE GRENADES, 500 AT MINES, 800 AP MINES, 950 75MM RND8, 11500 12.7 RND8, 20,000 CHICOMS, 3 20MM AA GUNS, 2 82MM MORD, 11 12.7 AA GUNS, 12 57MM RR RND8, 30 LIGHT MG, 2 30 CAL MG, 1 MED MG, 2 60MM MORT, 30 5 SKS, 18 BOLT ACTION, 4 AK 50, 17 AK 47, 13 SUB MG, TOTAL: 63 CSWC, 357 IWC.

(19) 281215H G/2/9 YD134075 CH 53 LANDED IN LZ, RECD 10 RND8 82MM CH 53 WAS HIT BUT ABLE TO FLY OUT, CALLED FIXED WING AND ARTY.

(20) 281930H AIR YD 828238 SPOTTED 2 TRUCKS, DEST 2 TRUCKS AND 4 KIA.

(21) 281815H AIR YD 241039 SPOTTED ENEMY PSN RAN A/S 1 KIA.

(22) ~~XXXXXX~~ 282130H L/3/9 YD241039 SPRUNG AMBUSH ON 8 NVA, 6 KIA.

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 1337
 POW: 4
 IWC: 592
 CSWC: 163
 DET: 8
 CHIEU HOI: 2

5-14 NEGATIVE
 GP 4
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SECTION: S-2 9TH MARINES

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IMMEDIATE 2 FEB 69

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1. S-2 9TH MARINES INTSUM # 41 OPERATION DEWEY CANYON

2. 281800H FEB - 011800H MAR

3. SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES

A. GROUND ACTIVITIES

(1) 011120H M/3/9 YD252033 FND 2 GRAVES DATED 2 FEB69, 1 BODY PER GRAVE, GRAVE HAD STICK FENCE AND HAD BEEN BURIED W GREAT HONORS. ALSO 1 NOTE BOOK. 2 KIA.

(2) 011105H C/1/9 YD202019 TOOK 8 RND 61MM MORTARS, ALL RND LA NDED 75 METERS TO THE SE OF PSN. FIRED 81MM COUNTER FIRE, ENEMY GUNS WERE SILENCED.

(3) 011540H A/1/9 YD205055 OBS 30 NVA MOVING UP TRAIL TO THE EAST TOOK NVA UNDER FIRE RESULTING IN 12 KIA, REST OF NVA SCATTERED INTO BRUSH, NVA FELL OFF STEP CLIFF, 12 KIA.

(4) 011400H M/3/9 YD258029 FND 2 PARALLEL WIRES RUNNING THROUGH TREES BELEIVED TO BE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, CUT STRANDS OF WIRE WHILE SEARCHING AREA 5 NVA OPENED FIRE. RETD FIRE WITH UNK RESULTS, 100 LBS RICE, AND MISC GEAR. DESTROYED.

(5) 011800H E/2/9 YD178033 FND TRAIL RUNNING N-S DIRECTION, FND STRUCTURES AND BUNKERS, 4 TONS RICE AND 8,580 LBS RICE.

(6) 011755H L/3/9 YD244045 FND 2 COMPRESSION GWAGES, POSS FOR 122MM, ASSORT TOOLS, 2 POWER LIGHT, 1 GREASE GUN, 1 HYDRALIC JACK, WITH ASSESORIES.

(7) 011620H AIR YD205055 2 KIA.

(8) 011150H AIR YD119071 1 KIA.

(9) 011250H AIR YD119071 TOOK FIRE FROM ABOVE PSN RETURNED FIRE AND DESTROYED 3 MG.

(10) 011120H AIR YD104084 2 KIA.

(11) 011130H AIR YD260016 TOOK FIRE AT ABOVE GRID, RAN A/S AND DAMAGED 1 .50 CAL AND 1 SEC EXPL

(12) 011830H K/3/9 YD256025 FND 4 STRANDS OF COMMWIRE RUNNING NE-SW ALONG FINGER, DESTROYED BY CUTTING.

(13) 011515H A/1/9 YD209043 FND WHAT APPEARED TO BE A NVA HOSPITAL AND MOTOR POOL, HOSP WAS 5 BNKS WITH STRUCTURES, 1 JEEP TRUCK RUSTED, 50 EMP ME BARRELS, 1 HV TRUCK BODY, 6 TIRES, 20 RND 7.62 AMMO, 1 HELMET, 2 CHICOMS, 1 AK MAGS.

(14) 011500H K/3/9 YD248024 RECD FIRE FROM 4 NVA FIRING LIGHT MG, NVA WERE WEARING BLACK AND BROWN UTILITIES WITH BLACK BELT, RETURNED FIRE WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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(15) 020930H D/1/9 YD2 37 FND WEAPONS AND AMMO CAME:
 1 7.62 LIGHT MG, 74 SKS, 1 B40 ROCKED LAUNCHER, 6 AK 47, 1 140MM
 ROCKED ROUND, 1 12.7 MG TRIPOD, 1 82MM MORTAR BIPOD, 1 82MM WP RND,
 1 57 AA RR, 182 MORTAR TUBE, 1 50 CAL MG, SIGHTS FOR AA MG IN
 WOODED CASE, 1 20MM AA GUN, 17.62 MM AA GUN, 1 RPG RND AND 1 CHICOM
 GEAR BLOWN: 456 CHICOMS, 180 RPG RND, 20 BOXES AA 12.7MM (50 PER CASE)
 264 RIFLE GRENADES, 15 120MM PROJECTILES, 50 CASES, 120MM RND (1 PER)
 75 60MM MORTARS RND,
 GEAR LEFT AT EACH SITE: 15 20AA GUNS, 4 82MM MORTAR TUBES, 2 82MM
 YOKES, 2 AA BIPODS, 1 7.62 LIGHT MG, 1 AA GUN WITH MANUALS,
 1 AA GUN WITH OUT BARREL

4. CUMULATIVE LOSSES FOR OPERATION DEWEY CANYON:

ENEMY KIA: 1356
 POW: 4
 IWC: 1033
 CSWC: 199
 DET: 8
 CHIEU HOI: 2

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HEADQUARTERS
9TH MARINES
3D MARINE DIVISION, (REEM), FMF
APO SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 96602

24 FEB 69

PRAG ORDER 05-69

FROM: 9TH MARINES

TO: FIRST BATTALION, 9TH MARINES
SECOND BATTALION, 9TH MARINES
THIRD BATTALION, 9TH MARINES
SECOND BATTALION, 3RD MARINES
SECOND BATTALION, 12TH MARINES

1. SITUATION: NO CHANGE2. MISSION:A. 2ND BN, 9TH MAR.

(1) WILL CONDUCT SEARCH & DESTROY OPERATIONS
TO INCLUDE APOUM AREA VICINITY YD 170047 AND
NORTH & EAST IN AO.

3. EXECUTION:A. COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS.

(1) BOUNDARY CHANGE: FROM PREVIOUS BOUNDARY
VICINITY YD 185033 NORTH ALONG TRAIL TO INTERMIT-
TANT STREAM. NORTH ALONG INTERMITTANT STREAM TO
05 GRID LINE, NORTHWEST TO HILL 813, CONTINUING
NORTHWEST DOWN DRAIN TO PRESENT BOUNDARY VICINITY
YD 166066.

(2) BOUNDARY CHANGE EFFECTIVE 24200H.

4. ADMIN & LOGISTICS: NO CHANGE5. COMMAND & COMM-ELECTRONICS: NO CHANGE

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HEADQUARTERS
9TH MARINES
3D MARINE DIVISION (REIN), FMF
FPO SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 96602

27 FEB 69

FRAG ORDER 06-69

FROM: 9TH MARINES

TO: FIRST BATTALION, 9TH MARINES
SECOND BATTALION, 9TH MARINES
THIRD BATTALION, 9TH MARINES
SECOND BATTALION, 3RD MARINES
SECOND BATTALION, 12TH MARINES

1. SITUATION: NO CHANGE
2. MISSION: NO CHANGE
3. EXECUTION:

A. 9TH MAR.

(1) CONTINUE PRESENT OPS WHILE EXTENDING OPERATIONS SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST IN AO, AND ESTABLISHING A POSTURE FAVORABLE FOR EXPEDITIOUS EXTRACTION OF BD UNITS UPON TERMINATION OF CURRENT OPS.

B. 1ST BN, 9TH MAR.

(1) BE PREPARED ON ORDER TO ASSUME A DEFENSIVE RESPONSIBILITY FOR FSB'S CUMMINGS AND ERSKINE AND ADJACENT AO'S. BE PREPARED ON ORDER TO SECURE & OPEN FSB RAZOR AND A 4.2 MORTAR POSITION.

C. 2ND BN, 9TH MAR.

(1) CONTINUE OPERATIONS EAST ALONG ROUTE 922 AND AF BAHN (VIC YD 1604) TO THE 19 NS GRID LINE.

D. 3RD BN, 9TH MAR.

(1) CONTINUE ASSIGNED MISSION. CONDUCT DETAILED SEARCH & DESTROY OPS SOUTHEAST IN AO. BE PREPARED ON ORDER TO SECURE LZ TO BE DESIGNATED FOR THE INSERTION OF 2/3 UNITS, FOR PLANNING PURPOSES, FSB TURNAGE.

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E. 2ND BN. 3RD MAR.

(1) BE PREPARED ON ORDER TO CONDUCT HELO LIFT INTO SECTOR 12 TO BE DESIGNATED FOR PLANNING PURPOSES FOR TORAGE.

F. COORD. INSTRUCTIONS.

(1) BOUNDARY CHANGE (3/9 & 2/3), FROM JUNCTION OF TRAIL AND EASTERN 9TH MARINES BOUNDARY VIC YD 289020 UP TO FORK IN TRAIL VIC YD 279033, CONTINUE NW ALONG RIGHT FORK OF TRAIL TO POINT WHERE TRAIL INTERSECTS WITH ROUTE 548.

(2) EFFECTIVE TIME OF BOUNDARY CHANGE AS DIRECTED.

(3) 2/3 ASSIGNED RESPONSIBILITY FOR ROUTE 548.

(4) TROOP LIFTS AND ASSOCIATED LOG LIFTS ORIGINATING IN 9TH MARINES AO WILL BE PRACED THROUGH 9TH MARINES 11.

(5) ALL CAPTURED GEAR WILL BE DESTROYED UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY 9TH MARINES 6.

(6) ALL UNITS ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A HIGHLY MOBILE POSTURE.

4. ADMIN & LOG:

A. ALL LOG REQUIREMENTS FOR FOLLOWING DAY MUST REACH 9TH MARINES 4 BY 2000H DAILY. THIS REPORT IS TO INCLUDE "DAYS ON HAND" AS OF 0800H THE FOLLOWING DAYS CLASS I, WATER, RA-386'S, AND CLASS V.

B. ALL 9TH MARINE UNITS WILL CONCENTRATE MAXIMUM EFFORT TO PROGRAM LOG REQUIREMENTS SO AS NOT TO DELAY TACTICAL OPERATIONS.

5. COMMAND & COMM-ELECTRONICS: NO CHANGE

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**DEWEY
CANYON**

P/SECRET

2, FEB. 1969

FM CA 9TH MARINES

TO CG TFH

INFO CG 3RD MAR. DIV.

SUBJECT: TERMINATION OF OP. DEWEY
CANYON

REF: (A) 9TH MARINE FRAG ORDER 4-69

1. INITIAL PLANNING FOR DEWEY CANYON

POINTED TOWARD TERMINATION PRIOR TO TET.

SUBSEQUENTLY, CERTAIN FACTORS HAVE

IMMERGED WHICH IMPINGE ON INITIAL PLANS.

THESE ARE:

A. POSSIBILITY OF EXTENDING DEWEY
CANYON TO INCLUDE ALUOI AREA,
THIS TRANSLATES TO EXTENDING
CURRENT OPERATIONS THRU TET
OR RENEWAL AFTER TET.

B. OPERATION TO DATE WHICH, WHILE
PROFITABLE, HAS CONSUMED
CONSIDERABLE TIME. THIS IMPACTS
ON REF (A).

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