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Marine No. 24
c/o FPO, San Francisco 96601

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1 October through 31 October 1965

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PART I: ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. Reporting Unit. 1st Battalion, 9th Marines.
2. Location of Command Post. Vicinity of Marble Mountain (BT 063718).
3. Period Covered by Report. 1-31 October 1965.
4. Commanding Officer and Staff

Commanding Officer
 Executive Officer
 S-1
 S-2
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 S-4 (1-16 Oct 1965)
 (16-31 Oct 1965)

LtCol LUDWIG
 Maj TOLLE
 1stLt MILLS
 1stLt MATTHEW
 Capt SCHUBERT
 Capt STOCKDALE
 Capt MARADA

5. Principal Subordinate Units

H&S Company (1-8 Oct 1965)
 (8-31 Oct 1965)
Company "A"
Company "B" (1-19 Oct 1965)
 (19-31 Oct 1965)
Company "C" (1-16 Oct 1965)
 (16-31 Oct 1965)
Company "D" (1-13 Oct 1965)
 (13-31 Oct 1965)
Company "E" (-), 3d Tank Bn
 1st Plat, Co "C", 3d AT Bn
Prov Plat, Co "E", 1st AmTrac Bn
Etry "D", 2d Bn, 12th Marines
2d Plat (-), Co "A", 9th MT Bn

1stLt KNUUSE
 Capt CLAWSON
 Capt MCDAVID
 Capt WELSH
 1stLt CARMELL
 Capt MARADA
 1stLt FOULKS
 Capt HARRIS (RAIC)
 Capt HART
 Capt LEE
 1stLt L'HUREAU
 2dLt STOCKDALE
 Capt WHIPPLE
 1stLt MURPHY

6. Command Structure. Normal.7. Average Strength for Month of October

Officers USMC: 35
 Officers USN: 3
 Enlisted USMC: 954
 Enlisted USN: 54

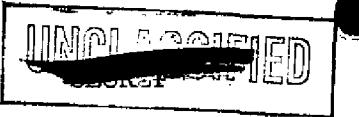
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PART II: GENERAL CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS DURING REPORTING PERIOD

1. 1st Battalion conducted clear and hold operations and aggressive patrolling within the TAOR, protecting the rice crop, liberating the populace from VC control, establishing control within the zone, and killing VC enroute. This was accomplished by utilizing the maximum number of squad size patrols possible, saturating the TAOR with patrols and ambushes, both day and night, searching out and killing the VC in his havens and safe areas. Control of the TAOR was maintained by use of platoon strong points and tank-infantry-LVT task forces. Attention was also directed to the psychological warfare effort, utilizing loud-speaker helicopters, leaflet drops, and face to face persuasion. Emphasis was also placed upon the civil affairs program.

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1. Personnel. Detailed personnel data is contained in the S-1 Journal submitted as a supporting document. The Battalion was involved in the Division reassignment program; 366 USMC personnel were joined and 353 were dropped and/or transferred for a gain of 13. However, the average on board strength for USMC officers during the month was only 35. The Battalion sustained 29 USMC WIA's and four KIA's.

2. Administration. Nothing significant.

3. Intelligence. The month of October was characterized by the completion of VC foodstuff gathering activities about 10 October; a slack period from 11 to about 20 October; a build-up of VC forces to achieve specific military aims commenced about 21 October to the end of the month. From 11 to 20 October it is assumed that the VC withdrew the majority of their forces in order to re-train and re-equip for their present military campaign in the I/9 TAOR.

a. Psychological Warfare. In order to combat VC political activities in the TAOR, and also to exploit the technique of political indoctrination, a vigorous campaign of psychological warfare has been adopted. The services of the HCA VANG Audio Team; the I Corps Audio Team and the 1st MAW psychological warfare helicopter have been employed with obvious inroads of success. The main theme of these techniques and the face to face persuasion conducted at the platoon level, through interpreters, has been to reiterate the need for cooperation with GVN and USMC forces.

b. Special Operations. None.

c. Employment of AN/TPS-21, SID/150, and the Infrared Sighting Device

(1) AN/TPS-21. The radar sets AN/TPS-21 were inoperable for about 20 days in October because of malfunctioning components. However, when operable they were used by the forward companies with negligible results.

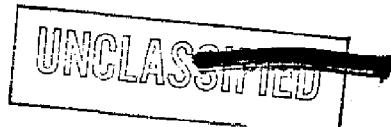
(2) SID/150. These were employed without success for the period. The loose sandy soil of the TAOR severely restricts the effectiveness of the SID/150.

(3) Infrared Sighting Device. These were employed without success throughout the period.

4. Training. The 60mm mortars were placed in service for tactical employment on 17 October 1965, all companies having completed the required training.

5. Special Operations. Nothing significant.

6. Nuclear, Biological, Chemical, and other Special Types of Warfare. Nothing significant.


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12. Air Defense. Nothing significant.

13. Combat Air Support. Nothing significant.

14. Medical and Dental Support. In addition to routine sick call this month, several combat casualties were treated. One group from the forward area and another from a land mine on the night of 28 October were the significant casualties treated in the BAS. Many local civilian personnel were given emergency treatment and referred to the civilian hospital in DA NANG.

People to people program was conducted an average of three times a week with the corpsman from Battery "D", 2d Bn, 12th Marines assisting.

We have had a moderate amount of dysentery during the last month. FMS has been notified.

Lectures on VD and general sanitation were conducted for the letter companies on 8 and 9 October.

1st Battalion, 9th Marines had its first corpsman evacuated because of combat wounds on 13 October. HN STONE received a missile wound of the shoulder and was evacuated to USNH, Guam.

On 25 October the VC attacked the local Village Chief's house wounding him and several members of his family. Arrangements were made by the Battalion Surgeon to obtain medical treatment at "C" Med for the Chief. His family is now being housed within the CF area and treated as outpatients by the Battalion Surgeon.

The Battalion Aid Station completed a medical bunker and trenches for self protection. The Seabees completed the Battalion Aid Station hard backs on 17 October. The Battalion Aid Station is now housed in three hard backs (one for BAS, one for records section and HMI quarters, and one for E-5 and below quarters). Medical supply is located in one GP tent with only a wooden deck, which is considered adequate at this time.

Other than the routine problems of supply, no other major problems have occurred.

15. Chaplain Support. During October, moral guidance lectures were given by the Chaplain to two line companies. Company "D" was visited in the field. Two memorial services were held with a combined attendance of 225 men. Special sermons were prepared for "Laymen's Sunday" and "United Nations Day." Regular church parties left the Battalion area for Jewish, Latter Day Saints, and Christian Science church services.

16. Civil Affairs. During the month of October the Battalion concentrated its civic action effort in the area of HCA LONG Village.

MedCap treatment was given three times weekly in the hamlet of NUI KIEN (BT 973704).

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PART IV: SUPPORTING DOCUMENTSTAB

- 1 ✓ S-1 Journal
- 2 ✓ S-2 Journal
- 3 ✓ S-3 Journal
- 4 ✓ 1st En, 9th Marines Frag Order No. 18-65
- 5 ✓ 1st En, 9th Marines Frag Order No. 20-65
- 6 ✓ 1st En, 9th Marines Frag Order No. 21-65
- 7 ✓ 1st En, 9th Marines Patrol Order No. 4-65
- 8 ✓ 1st Bn, 9th Marines After Action Report No. 3-65
- 9 ✓ 1st Bn, 9th Marines After Action Report No. 4-65
- 10 ✓ Weekly Operations Overlay Reports for Periods:
 - a ✓ 26 Sep-2 Oct 1965
 - b ✓ 3-9 Oct 1965
 - c ✓ 10-16 Oct 1965
 - d ✓ 17-23 Oct 1965
 - e ✓ 24-30 Oct 1965

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0001 0700			010001 010700	OPENED JOURNAL 1st Lt J.J. CARROLL, Cpl R.D. POTEAT, LCpl R.E. CARSON, LCpl C.F. BURNETT, PFC R.L. BOYER, PFC T.L. HAWKINS, to TAD conn w/R&R	
0730			010930	Cpl L.E. ZANDER WIA to sk C&C Fld hosp	
0930			010930	Dr Tr SgtMaj J.A. NASTASI to Hq Co 9th Mar Fordu	
1200			011200	PFC S.E. BRADLEY WIA to sk Bn BAS	
1200			011200	LCpl W. H. FREVER WIA to sk Bn BAS	
1200			011200	PFC T.E. THURMAN WIA to sk Bn BAS	
1500			011500	PFC R.R. COX, PFC K.D. MAJORS fr TAD conn w/R&R	
1100			011600	Sgt J.R. BOVEN to TAD Hq Bn 3d MarDiv	
2030			012030	Lt R. HODGES fr TAD Japan	
0600			020600	Sgt E.R. NEWSOM, Sgt M.F. FORSGREN to TAD Embarkation School	
0730			020730	LCpl R.K. ASH WIA to sk C&C Fld hosp	
1100			021100	Dr Tr Cpl G.S. BARBER to Co, 4th Mar Regt	
1235			021235	Cpl W.T. MOFFITTE WIA to sk BAS for evac to C&C Fld hosp	

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1600			021600	Capt J.R. MARADA to sk Clark AFB, PI	
1600			021600	PFC D.G. CHNEY, LCpl C.R. LOOPER, LCpl J.A. MARUS Dr Tr by SR to MB Great Lakes	
1630			021630	Dr Tr Sgt J.A. GORBELY to SU#2 Hq Co, by SR while sk	
1700			021700	PFC R.F. TAGLIALATELA fr TAD conn w/R&R	
2330			022330	LCpl W.C. NOIMES fr sk Nha Trang Army hosp	
0700			030700	Cpl T.J. KUEHN air evac to Clark AFB, PI for injuries sustained on 1 Oct 65	
0800			030800	LCpl M.B. CRANE to sk Clark AFB, PI	
0800			030800	LCpl T.J. KUEHN to sk C&C Fld hosp	
0900			030900	PFC T.E. THURMAN to sk C&C Fld hosp	
0700			040700	Sgt R.L. CHRISTENSEN, LCpl L.L. COOK PFC F. FISHER, LCpl R.D. HOLLIS, LCpl R. RODIQUEZ, PFC K.M. THARP to TAD conn w/R&R	
0800			040800	Dr Tr Sgt C.E. HOPPER by SR while on leave to 1-1-1	
0800			040800	PFC C.L. JONES fr sk C&C Fld hosp	
0830			040830	LCpl T.J. KUEHN air evac to USNH Yokosuka	

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0900			040900	Cpl L.E. ZANDER fr C&C hosp to USNH Yokosuka	
0900			040900	Dr Tr PFC T.R. YARR by SR to SU#2 HqCo, FMFPac	
1700			041700	Cpl D.L. BEVERSON, LCpl O.E. SPANGLER fr TAD conn w/R&R	
0700			050700	LCpl R.K. ASH fr C&C Fld hosp to USAFH Clark, PI	
1600			051600	PFC G.P. HICKS, PFC K.M. JOHNSON, PFC M.A. SAYEER fr TAD conn w/R&R	
2030			052030	SSgt J.I. WATSON, LCpl V.D. RANDALL fr TAD conn w/R&R	
0700			060700	Cpl D.L. BEVERSON to sk C&C Fld hosp for air evac to Japan	
0700			060700	PFC J. RAINES, PFC D. M. MERKEL, Cpl R.M. COMINSKI, LCpl D.R. GLIDEWELL LCpl D.J. BURGGRAFF, LCpl L. BANKS to TAD conn w/R&R	
0800			060800	LCpl S.H. KIDD, PFC L.G. JOSHUA, PFC P.S. CARLON Dr Tr by SR to NB, Yokosuka w/sk	
0930			060930	Capt G.W. HINTZ fr TAD conn w/air matters	

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0700			070700	LCpl D. J. SAROS To sk C&C Hosp	
0900			070900	1stLt C. W. BREWER, Sgt W. A. ANDERSON, Cpl R. J. POWLING, Cpl D. C. HOLMES fr TAD conn w/R&R	
0700			080700	Cpl P. R. LOGGINS, Cpl E. C. MARTIN, Cpl R. A. STOLEN, HN J. H. CONN & PFC R. E. CLARKE To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
0800			080800	1stLt D. K. NIELSRN, Sgt R. DELIRIV To TAD Saigon, Medical Matters	
0800			080800	Dr Tr GySgt P. L. STOUT while on Emergency Lv	
1030			081030	EFC D. F. FABEL fr TAD conn w/Emer- gency Lv	
1030			081030	Cpl J. C. GUTHERY WIA To sk C&C Hosp	
1100			081100	SSgt C. N. DORSEY To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1100			081100	HN J. N. COAN, Cpl R. A. STOLEN, Cpl E. C. MARTIN, Cpl LOGGINS, PFC R. E. CLARKE, HN S. A. THOMPSON To TAD conn w/R&R	
1900			081900	Jd PFC K. THOMPSON fr CONUS To "B"Co fordu	
2000			082000	HN G. H. BRYANT fr TAD conn w/R&R	
0630			090830	MSgt D. E. SHEPARD, Cpl R. J. DEAN, Cpl H. L. KING, HN J. M. EVARHART, HN H. BROWN & LCpl J. N. MORGAN To TAD conn w/R&R	

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	2300		092300	Sgt. R. J. GAULF To TAD in conn w/ Emergency Lv	
0700			100700	LCpl L. B. PULLINS Dr Tr by SR w/sk To USAFH Clark PI	
0700			100700	Cpl J. M. ATCHLEY, Cpl M. S. WILSON, PFC R. A. HOCKETT, Sgt G. N. THOMAS, PFC S. M. SHOFF & PFC R. T. AULITOWSKI To TAD conn w/F&R	
0800			100800	Dr Tr Sgt C. T. MARSH by SR while sk To USNH Yokosuka, Japan	
0900			100900	LCpl K. E. GRAHAM To sk C&C Hosp	
1000			101000	Sgt W. R. MILTON, LCpl R. L. HICKS WIA To sk C&C Hosp	
100			101100	PFC J. A. BATEMAN WIAME	
1300			101300	Pvt J. D. FISCHER Drop Tr To SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac for cnft at Base Brig Camp Butler	
1300			101300	Cpl T. J. KUEHN Drop tr To SU#2, HqCo H&SBn, FMFPac	
1300			101300	HN R. B. CRUZ, HN J. L. KRAMER Drop Tr To 3dMAW FMF El Toro	
1500			101500	LCpl J. R. SMITH To TAD SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac conn w/Marine Corps Matters	
0730			110730	SSgt J. M. KENT, Cpl R. G. SMITH, LCpl D. BOYD, PFC T. C. BATES To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	

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1000			111000	Capt E. R. STODDART Jr & HM3 A. L. OVERBY To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0700			120700	1stLt G. M. LEWIS To TAD 1stMAW(Rein) Iwakuni, Japan conn w/Air Matters	
0730			120730	SSgt G. N. DIXON WIANE	
0930			120930	PFC T. D. PORTER To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1000			121000	Capt M. J. HARRIS Drop tr To HqCo, 9thMar for du	
1300			121300	HN G. T. STONE To TAD C&C w/under treatment	
1500			121500	PFC R. K. KRALL To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1900			121900	PFC R. E. CLARKE, Cpl P. R. LOGGINS, Cpl F. C. MARTIN, Cpl R. A. STOBER, HN J. N. COAN Fr TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1900			121900	LCpl J. R. SMITH Fr TAD SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac conn w/Marine Corps Matters	
1900			121900	HN S. A. THOMPSON Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
2200			122200	Cpl R. C. OQUIST To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0730			130730	Capt R. L. CLAWSON, Cpl H. W. BRAULT, PFC G. R. CLEMENS, PFC. S. R. GABLES, Sgt T. P. GILLESPIE, Cpl J. R. HINTZ & Sgt A. L. WHITE To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	

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0800			130800	HN N. N. BOYD & HN R. R. FREEMAN Jd fr FldMedScol fordu Estab RTD Nov66	
0900			130900	LCpl C. N. TINLEY To sk C&C Fld Hosp; AIREVAC To USNH Guam	
1000			131000	HM3 A. L. OVERBY AIREVAC fr C&C to USNH Guam	
1030			131030	PFC J. M. GULUCCI WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1100			131100	LCpl R. K. ASH Drop DOW USAFH Clark	
1150			131150	HN H. N. BROWN & HM3 J. M. EVERHART Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1200			131200	PFC L. J. SHEEHAN To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1200			131200	LCpl K. A. SAVIV & PFC W. SLOCK Jd fr CONUS	
1230			131230	PFC W. J. GALLAGHER, PFC E. C. WHITE & PFC W. G. WHITNEY Drop KIA	
1300			131300	Cpl R. J. DEAN, Cpl H. L. KING & 1stSgt D. E. SHEPHARD Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0730			140730	LCpl W. R. ANDERSON, LCpl D. P. DUKAT, PFC T. LEWIS, LCpl C. F. REDNALL, LCpl G. W. SIMPSON & Cpl D. WALKER To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0800			140800	LCpl D. G. BOERAUF Jd fr NB Yokosuka fordu	

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0800			140800	LCpl E. W. LACEY to chg fr sk Nha Trang Hosp RVN fordu	
0900			140900	PFC P. L. TAMBURELLO SCM appr & ordered executed Sent to forfeit \$45.00 per mo for 1 mo & to be red to grade of Pvt Red to be red to Pvt 14Oct65 to rk fr 14Oct65 Pur Sent	
0900			140900	PFC G. VASQUEZ SCM appr & ordered executed Sent to forfeit \$60.00 per mo for 1 mo & to be red to grade of Pvt Red to Pvt 14Oct65 to rk fr 14Oct65 Pur Sent	
1330			141300	PFC S. E. SWEARINGEN To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1400			141400	Cpl L. E. ZANDER Drop tr by SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac w/sk USAFH Clark	
1500			141500	HM W. P. BENNEWITZ Jd fr FldMedScol Camp Lejeune Estab RTD Nov66	
1500			141500	HM D. M. SUND To TEM USNH Yokosuka, Japan under treatment	
1500			141500	Cpl D. L. BEVERSON Drop tr by SR to SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac w/sk USAFH Clark	
1500			141500	LCpl M. A. CRANE Drop tr by SR to SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac w/sk USAFH Clark	

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1600			141600	Pvt F. L. RUNSTROM SPCM appr & ordered executed Sent to forfiet \$25.00 per mo for 5 mos	
0730			150730	SSgt B. L. COCK To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0900			150900	HM3 A. L. OVERBY To TEM 130ct65 USNH Guam under treatment	
1300			151300	Cpl R. D. HATTON Drop tr to SU#2, HqCo H&SBn, FMFPac	
1500			151500	LCpl J. N. MORGAN Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1500			151500	HN G. T. STONE To TEM USNH Guam under treatment	
1600			151600	PFC D. J. SAROS To chg fr sk C&C Hosp Co C 3dMedBn	
1600			151600	LCpl R. R. CLARK WIA To sk C&C Hosp Co C 3dMedBn	
1700			151700	Cpl J. M. ATCHLEY, PFC R. T. AULITOWSKI, PFC R. A. HOCKETT, PFC S. M. SHOFF Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0900			160900	Pvt A. J. PLOZAI Jd 90ct65 fr SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac for du	
1700			161700	SSgt G. M. THOMAS & Cpl M. S. WILSON Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1800			161800	PFC T. C. BATES, LCpl D. BOYD, SSgt J. M. KENT & Cpl R. G. SMITH Fr TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	

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1000		171000 PFC J. L. PASCO To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1100		171100 Capt E. R. STODDART Jr. AIREVAC fr C&C Fld Hosp to USAH Kue, Okinawa	
1700		171700 HM3 H. E. PACE To emerg Lv to CONUS	
1730		171730 PFC T. D. PORTER Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0730		180730 PFC J. A. ACUNA, LCpl V. E. BAKER, Sgt T. DAVIS, LCpl G. L. GARRETT, Cpl W. T. MOFFITTE, Pvt F. W. ORTHMEYER & HN D. G. WOOD To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
0800		180800 PFC P. K. KRALL Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0900		180900 Capt R. L. CLAWSON Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1000		181000 Sgt A. J. SANCHEZ Drop tr 7Oct65 by SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn FMFPac	
1300		181300 PFC R. A. HOCKETT NJP imposed under Art 15 UCMJ Awd 14 day rest to Co area & to forfeit 7 day pay (\$23.00) at Co OH	
1300		181300 PFC J. P. PRINCE NJP imposed under Art 15, UCMJ Awd red to Pvt & \$124.00 at \$62.00 per mo for 2 mos detain at Bn OH	

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1800			181800	PFC R. F. MINES Fr TAD conn w/Marine Corps Matters	
1830			181830	PFC R. A. WORKMAN To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
2000			182000	Cpl R. C. OQUIST Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0900			190900	PFC S. E. SWEARINGEN Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1600			191600	Sgt L. L. PENNINGTON Jd 10Oct65 fr Co C BIL 1stMarBrig	
0730			200730	HN R. A. BOARD, HN D. J. BRETON, HN W. D. CURRY JD fr FldMedServScol Cal if	
0730			200730	HN D. A. CAMPBELL Jd fr FldMedServScol CamLej NC	
0800			200800	PFC R. L. REYNOLDS Fr Lv	
0830			200830	Sgt B. L. COON Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0900			200900	SSgt C. N. DORSEY Drop tr by Sr to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac w/sk	
0900			200900	LCpl E. G. KISH Drop tr by SR to MB GLAKES w/sk USNH GLAKES	
0900			200900	Cpl D LEWIS Jr Drop tr by SR to SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	
1300			201300	LCpl R. J. MORROW Drop tr by SR SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	
1300			201300	PFC R. W. SHOCKLEY, LCpl R. L. HICKS, Sgt W. R. MILTON Drop tr SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	

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1400			201400	16pl R. E. CARSON Drop tr by SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	
1400			201400	PFC J. R. HALVERSTADT Drop tr by SR to SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac MedEvac	
1400			201400	Cpl C. R. LERMA WIA 19Oct65 to sk C&C chg loc to USNH Yokosuka	
1500			201500	PFC R. A. WORKMAN chg loc to USNH Yokosuka	
0730			210730	Sgt S AJIFU, LGpl C. ANKTON, Sgt J. K. BRINKLEY, LGpl R. W. GILBRATH, LGpl H HERNANDEZ Jr. PFC J M. MELVIN to TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0730			210730	PFC W. F. KING to TAD Hong Kong conn w/R&R	
0900			210900	Cpl R. C. OQVIST to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1400			211400	PFC D. J. ALBRECHT, LGpl R. B. R. BRADLEY & Cpl R. V. HIGHTSHUE FR TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1430			211430	PFC D. D. PERKINS to sk 200ct65 C&C Fld Hosp	
1700			211700	Cpl M. T. BIANCHIMO, LGpl D. M. COLLINS, Cpl D. J. PIERSON, PFC G. M. STRODSMAN, PFC T. N. TACKER, PFC A. W. WALTERS, LCpl J. L. WIRICK, PFC D. E. ZIMMERMAN, Jd fr 1stReplCo MCB CamPen	
1700			211700	LCpl C. L. JONES Drop tr to MB TI SFRAN Calif	

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1800			211800	PFC W. H. KINER, LCpl LEETCH, PFC E. J. MALEC, PFC R. G. NIKON, LCpl R. L. PERAGALLO, Sgt S. R. GREENBERG, LCpl R. G. ERDELY, PFC R. A. FRANCOEUR, Cpl R. S. FIELDS, LCPL V. J. NEJMAN, LCpl R. R. PARRELL, Cpl N. PRESLEY, LCpl T. J. ASHFORD, Cpl J. L. PACHECO, Cpl J. L. PAIMER, Cpl M. K. HALL, PFC C. D. CASTLE & Cpl K. L. MONROE Jd fr 2ndRepCo MCB CamPen for du	
1900			211900	Sgt D. L. TAYLOR To emerg lv CONUS	
1900			211900	LCpl J. G. BREVIEGER, LCpl W. R. ANDERSON, Cpl D. P. DUKAT, PFC T. LEWIS, LCpl C. T. REDNALL Jr., LCpl C. W. SIMPSON & Cpl D. WIAKER Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
211900			211900	LCpl D. C. MAHAFFEY Drop tr By SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn FMFPac MedEvac	
211900			211900	LCpl L. B. PULLINS, PFC L. J. SHEEHAN, LCpl C. R. TINLEY Drop tr by SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn FMFPac MedEvac	
0900			220900	LCpl K. W. AKERS, LCpl T. R. BELCHER, LCpl GALLAGHER, PFC M SOTO Jr. & PFC D. A. WRIGHT To TAD conn w/R&R Okinawa	
0900			220900	PFC ANDERSON, Cpl C. R. ELLER, PFC W. A. JOHNSON & Cpl J. N. K. MOSSMAN To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1000			221000	PFC F. J. GAVALDON Drop tr by SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	
1100			221100	Sgt E. CRUZ To sk C&C Fld Hosp	

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1500			221500	1stLt W. T. SNYDER, PFC E. CACERES & Cpl J. R. NEWMAN Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1500			221500	LCpl E. J. MOORE Jd fr H&SCo StageBn MCB CamPen	
1600			221600	Cpl E. L. PAYTON NJP imposed Art 15 UCMJ to have \$45.00 per mo for 1 mo detained Detained pay payable on 19 Nov65 auth Art 15 UCMJ	
0900			230900	PFC D. R. PETERSON Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp to du	
1000			231000	PFC L. J. BRUCHMAN Ch loc to Clark AFB	
1000			231000	PFC P. R. DEES VIA GSW L KNEE AIREVAC C&C Fld Hosp trans to USNH GUAM	
1300			231300	PFC T. W. LAND SPCM dtd 40ct65 SA act dtd 230ct65 appr the sent appr by the CA act dtd 14Oct65 Sent will be duly executed	
1500			231500	Sgt S. F. HARRIS Jd fr USMCRS LOSA for du reenl 40ct65 for 2 yrs	
0900			240900	Sgt R. W. ESPINOLA, PFC R. L. HCHERVILLE, LCpl R. D. OGUNI Jd fr 1stReplCo StageBn MCB CamPen for du	
0900			240900	Sgt HUBBARD Jd fr 2ndReplCo StageBn MCB CamPen for du	
1000			241000	Cpl BAKER, Sgt T. DAVIS, LCpl G. L. GARRETT, Cpl W. T. MOFFITTH & Pvt F. W. ORTHMEYER Fr TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R PFC J. ACUNA	

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1100			241100	Capt E. R. STODDART Drop tr by SR to SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac w/sk	
1200			241200	PFC JOHGUA Jd fr MB Yokosuka	
1200			241200	HML H. J. RAUSON Jd fr FldMedServSco1 CamPen for du	
1300			241300	Cpl C. R. UNDERWOOD To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1300			241300	Pvt L. G. SWANSON NJP imposed under Art 15 UCMJ awd seven (7) days forfeit pay \$22.00 per mo for 1 mo Auth Art 15 UCMJ	
1400			241400	Cpl CLIPPER, LCpl F. R. COONS, PFC G. W. FENDER, Cpl L. D. FITCH & Sgt J. H. HAUGIAND To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1600			241600	Sgt E. CRUZ Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp AIREVAC to sk USNH Tripler Hawaii	
1600			241600	Cpl R. C. OQVIST Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp AIREVAC to sk USNH GUAM	
1600			241600	1stLt G. M. LEWIS Fr TAD 1stMAW(Rear) Iwakuni Japan conn w/AIR Matters	
0730			250730	PFC T. E. COMERFORD, PFC F. A. DELAHURRTA, Cpl R. L. FLANSIGAN, Cpl J. H. MORRIS, PFC C. S. COLRG & Sgt "A" "J" LOWS To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0800			250800	Cpl C. R. UNDERWOOD AIREVAC Fr C&C Fld Hosp to USNH Guam	
0900			250900	Cpl K. E. GRAHAM Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	

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1000			251000	PFC P. F. VANDVER Jd fr 1stRepl Co StageBn MCB CamPen fordu	
1200			251200	PFC L. M. WIGINTON To sk 23Oct C&C Fld Hosp AIREVAC to sk USNH GUAM	
1700			251700	Cpl C. ANKTON Jr. & Cpl N. W. GILBRATH Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1800			261800	Sgt E. AJTIFC, Sgt J. K. MRINWRLEY, Cpl H. NSRNANDRE & PFC J. M. MELVIN Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1800			261800	PFC W. F. KING Fr TAD Hong Kong conn w/R&R	
0730		270730		GySgt W. L. BOWEN To emerg lv	
0730		270730		Cpl L. B. PETERSON To TAD Hong Kong conn w/R&R	
0900		270900		PFC F. G. DANIELS Jr. NJP imposed under Art 15 UCMJ to forfeit \$16.00	
0900		270900		Pvt R. R. TAYLOR NJP imposed under Art 15 UCMJ to forfeit \$23.00	
1000		271000		LCpl R. R. CLARK Tr by SR to SU#2, HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	
1600		271600		Cpl R. N. CAREY, Cpl N. SMITH, Jd 26Oct65 fr HqCo, HqRegt MCB CamPen fordu	
1600		271600		Pvt F. A. REDWOLF Supervisory Auth action on SCM appr 5Oct65 Appr forf of \$88.00 per mo for 1 mo To be red to Pvt to rk fr 5Oct65	

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1600			270600	PFC G. D. HICKS Drop tr by SR to SU#2 HqCo, H&SBn, FMFPac	
1730			271730	Sgt R. C. CLEASON & PFC R. N. KASTER Jd fr HqCo 9thMar this Div fordu	
0900			280900	LCpl C. R. UNDERWOOD Drop tr by SR to Camp S. D. Butler Okinawa w/sk	
0730			300730	Sgt G. ARTIS, LCpl M. P. CORNISH, PFC H. J. HURT & HN P. G. SCIGRITINO To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1300			301300	PFC C. S. LOWE Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1600			301600	Cpl N. P. BROWN & PFC D. K. FRASER Drop tr to Hq 9th Mar this Div fordu	
0630			310630	1stLt WL. MILLS To sk USAFH Clark	
1400			311400	LCpl L. J. MOORE WIA To C&C Fld Hosp	

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
IN	OUT				
0001			020000H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0215			Wire	ID1/I2 Rpts TPS-21 has picked up three S,S2 people moving down the right side of the road coming toward water point. Req illum. (Comment: First rd fired at 0220H and last rd fired at 0314H. Total of eleven rds fired.)	
0315			Wire	ID1/I2 Result of Illum: Spotted two S,S2 or three figures move into treeline approx 366 meters from bridge, MA of 146 degrees. Negative contact.	
0630			010830H	RMG/RW2 No unusual people. Usual farming at S (BT 063663) to (BT 066628) about six trenches on an elongated sand dune.	
0836			010836H	RMG/RW2 WP being fired in coord (BT 102642). Do you have any knowledge.	S,S2,RWB
1055			011055H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWB2 Patrol B-010730H to 010930H C-GS (BT 1163) and (BT 1064) D-Made contact with est hard cord company throughout area. Est also company of LFVC. Had four or five auto wpns, many carbines and grenades.	S,S2
	1452		011452H	RW/RWB6 POW info reveals something very important going on at (BT 105640). Req you eyeball new subject.	S
LE 1410			011410H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-011200H C-054644 D-Booby trapped gate hit by patrol. E-Patrol returned to Plt patrol base, will evac three WIA by LVT. F-N/A G-Three H-M-N/A.	S,S2
1620			011620H	RWC/RW A-RWC2 B-011400H C-(BT 048671) S,S2 D-Man observed digging hole. Told to halt and attempted to escape. VC was killed. One VCS was picked up at this coordinates. E-Body brought to this position. Hole checked and some equipment was found in a five gallon can. F-E-N/A F-One J-K-N/A except for one VCS. L-N/A M-Military uniforms (khaki) notebook, and pictures.	
2155			Wire	ID1/I2 Received three sniper rds from vic coord (BT 072718). Fire was returned. No casualties reported.	S,S2
2400			012400H	JOURNAL CLOSED	

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IN	OUT				M—Maps T—Troops S—Staff F—File
0001			020001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0730			020730H	RW5/RW One round sniper fire, no casualty.	S,S2
0730			020730H	RMH/RW Each low pass on western side S,S2,T of village has drawn fire. Advise to keep your people off banks of river.	
0747			020747H	RW5/RW Discovered series of covered tS,S2 trenches. Are investigating.	
0750			020750H	RMH/RW Drew more fire from village. S Popped red smoke to try and flush out.	
0805			020805H	RMH/RW Have received one round in right gas tank will send new AO.	S,S2
0815			020815H	RW5/RW Discovered anti-helo stakes in S,S2 field.	
0920			020920H	RMH/RW Fired at from (BT 0536334) S,S2 west of river. Several VC moving North in (BT 069633).	
0923			020923H	RW5/RW Have two VC POW. Are blowing S,S2 caves at coords (BT 051644).	
0925			020935H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWBH02 B-020730H S,S2 C-(BT 094663) D-Patrol took three rounds from 250 meters to front. E-Returned fire. Hobos fled to southwest. F-N/A G-One, A, 2089261 H-M-N/A.	
0950			020950H	RW5/RW Stakes destroyed, anti-helo S,S2 at coords (BT 056640).	
0951			020951H	RW5/RW Have blown caves. No known S,S2 VC casualties.	
1151			021151H	RWB6/RW RWB3 has captured large cache S,S2 of rice and tobacco in house at coords (BT 069685). Rice evacuated on resupply. Was equivalent to four 55 gallon drums. Sixty bales of tobacco. (S-2 comment: Rice and tobacco was turned over to HOA HAI Village Chief.)	
1154			021154H	RWD3/RW SpotRep: A-RWD3 B-021130H S,S2 C-(BT 074700) D-LVT hit mine 300 meters from bridge. Damage to LVT is severe. E-Road will be swept from LVT to bridge and LVT will be towed back to CP. F-M-N/A.	
1627			020627H	RW2/RWB,C,A3 Challenge and Password S for period ending 031200H. (Encoupled).	
1830			Wire	S3/I2 From HOA VANG: Be advised there S will be no harvest on 3 Oct 1965.	

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0001			030001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
1125			031125H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-Company A B-030900H S,S2 and 031000H C-(BT 115632) and (BT 119638) D-Three VCS apprehended because they had no ID and one appeared to be military age. Two were apprehended at (BT 119638) because they were the only men in the village. E-Turned over to ITT. F-M-N/A.		
1515			031515H	RWB/RW A-RWB1 B-031000H C-(BT 119638)S,S2 D-L-N/A M-one box w/papers and one hollowed section of bamboo with papers enclosed. Also, one utility jacket.		
1625		Comment		Lt FEENY rpted at 1445H at coord (BT 100680), an AO plane was buzzing sampans this morning. AO was carrying and firing LMG (.30 cal). Fired 500-1000 rds and was wounding personnel on sampans. LVTs brought in one wounded. Req info as to why AO was firing.		
LE1355			031355H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWB B-031100H C-(BT 122629) D-RWB2 and CP group were at high vic LOA. RWB1A got his Plt lost and ended up in south end of LOA. They're crossing river to get to LOA. They were taken under fire from coord (BT 118627) and (BT 123628), est 20-25 VC with small arms.	S,S2	
1630			031630H	RW2/RW, Ref your 031355H. Int uniform S, of 20-25 VC and direction of retreat. Int number of auto wpns.		
1640			031640	RWB/RW2 Peasant, black uniform. Retreated S,S2 in southern direction. Approx 8 auto wpns.		
1818			031818H	RWC/RW2 Req to know if curfew is established this area. If so, what time. If anything moving after this time termed fair game?	S	
1836			031836H	RW3/RWC Curfew your area is 2000-0500. S No fair game. Illum and challenge still applies.		
2400			032400H	JOURNAL CLOSED		

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0001			040001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
1100			041100H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWBH4X B-040615H S,S2 C-(BT 096654) D-Patrol ran into three VC dressed in black carrying grenades. Patrol directed fire on the three VC and small arms fire was returned from two more VC in the area. E-The patrol assaulted the enemy position. F-H-N/A. I-Three J-N/A. K-Four; one of the VCS was killed when he pulled a booby trapped punji trap. L-Three CHICOM frag grenades. M-N/A.	
1915			041915H	Smokeroom B/RW SpotRep: A-Smokeroom B S,S2 B-041530H C-(BT 112618) D-Two tanks observing same bunker, one tank rptd three and the other tank rptd five VC in the bunker. Each tank fired one WP round and destroyed the bunker. E-Subsequent to the two WP rounds and 30 .30 rounds, a search provided negative results on enemy killed by body count. F-H-N/A. I-Five probable J-M-N/A.	
1938			041938H	RWD3A/RW Was fired on by sniper approx S,S2 300 meters to our east.	
2150			Wire	S2/I2 SpotRep: A-Relay from Shove S,T B-042130H C-(BT 055700) D-Two plts VC moving into area, came from south. Expect to attack Regional Force 591 or Marines in Marble Mt area. Two plts have 81mm mortar capabilities. E-M-N/A.	
2315			042315H	RWD3A/RW Radar has picked up movement S,S2 at coord (BT 074690) approx 800 meters from bunker. MA from position is 208 degrees.	
2320			042320H	S2/I2 Quang Nam Special Agent rpts: S,T VC plts moving from the south of THANH QUIT (BT 030620), DIEN BAN District to try and attack the RF Company 591 or Marble Mt Marines or DaNang Air Base. The DIEN BAN District Chief believes the VC will attack the HOA LONG (Marble Mt) Airfield, and they will cross the river at (BT 028684). VNAF is providing two aerial recon planes to check rpt. VNAF was informed there were two VC companies. The VC plts have 81mm capability.	
2345			042345H	RWD3A/RW Movement is now 650 meters. S.	
2400				(See reverse side for info) 042400H	

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0001		050001H		JOURNAL OPENED	
0010		Wire		Rosemont 2/I2 Inter if we had rpts of VC plts or companies. Also, if I22 could supply illum for aerial recon if necessary. Notified Rosemont illum would be available, but flare plane would be much better for observation.	S,
0250		050250H		RWC2/RW SpotRep: A-RWC2 B-050100H to 050130H C-(BT 047668) D-RWC patrol 4C departed CP and approx 250 yds northwest of IP three VC observed running. Hand grenade thrown at patrol or hit booby trap. Patrol fired on VC who were observed entering bunker. Small arms fire and one grenade were directed at the bunker but was not checked. Continued patrol and at approximately same coords, 11 VC spotted and fired directed on their position. VC returned fire with one auto and two semi-auto wpns. VC broke contact and patrol returned to CP. F-M-N/A.	S,S2
1210		Wire		Dream B4/I2 During transfer of A and B plts, LCpl LUNACER of LVTs had his rifle picked up accidentally. Rifle he has is #928033. His rifle is #817340. Req you check and try to locate this wpn.	
1612		051612H		RW2/RWB6 Imperative to have POW tags S, properly filled out.	
1632		051632H		RW2/RWA,B,C,D Very reliable source indicates one MF Plt plus 40 local VC in HAI AN complex. One MFVC Plt in MAN QUAN (1). Mission to collect rice tax, kill village chiefs and kill or kidnap USMC. Uniform is black clothing, cartridge belts, pith helmets and they are armed with auto and semi-auto wpns and one 60mm mortar.	S
1637		051637H		RW2/RWC Inter results of search conducted S this A.M. for VC KIA and wpns as result of firefight with VC from 0100H-0130H.	
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0115			060115H	RWB/RW Patrol 05B at approx CkPt #1 S,S2 came across five personnel crossing road. Fire on them with negative results.		
0355			060355H	RWD3/RW Present location is at Bk S,S2 bridge northwest IP. Point squad has encounter obstacle, bamboo fences with barb wire. Prefer to wait until morning to blast them with hand grenades. Obstacles are boarded on both sides by water and could be booby trapped.		
0755			060755H	RWC/RW Receiving small arms sniper fire S,S2 from across river. No casualties at this time.		
0944			060944H	RW2/RWD Notify S-2 scouts to be prepared S to return to this CP with AN/TPS-21. ETA your location approx 10 minutes.		
0930			060930H	RWC1/RW SpotRep: RWCl has one VCS. S,S2 Will be brought in. Shot two VC across river, were unable to retrieve bodies.		
1055			060955H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD3 B-060845H S,S2 C-(BT 048714) D-One rd fired by sniper location undetermined. E-Squad sent to search. F-None G-H 2058777, gunshot wound in left leg. H-N/A I-M-N/A.		
1100			061100H	RWB/RW A-RWB3 B-060730H C-(BT 072676) S,S2 D-Two houses which contained rice at above coord were relieved of the rice. E-Slaveborn units were dispatched to this unit to pick up rice and take to water point where it will be turned over to RW2. F-M-N/A.		
1427			061427H	RWC/RW A-RWC1 B-060845 C-(BT 043647) S,S2 D-RWC1 was receiving sporadic sniper fire from above coord. E-RWC1 took above persons under fire and observed two drop. The rest continued running north. F-I-N/A J-Two probable K-M-N/A.		
1606			061606H	RW2/RWB Ref your 060115H: How were S VC identified by patrol? Were VC armed? Did they return fire? Req direction VC fled. Advise ASAP.		
1616			061616H	RW2/RWC Ref your 061427H: How many S VC encountered, were they armed, did they return fire? Advise ASAP.		
1620			061620H	RW2/RWC Ref your 060930: Inter how S identified two VC KIA. Req circumstances of capture of one VCS. Advise ASAP.		

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1626		061626H		RWB/RW2 Ref your 1606H: VC were identified S,S2 because when they were told to halt, they ran in all directions. They didn't return fire.		
1700		061700H		RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD3 B-061330H S,S2 C-(BT 052713) D-Patrol was fired on by three different directions as they moved 100 meters in paddy. M-1s and carbines possible used. E-Patrol returned platoon patrol base. Investigation by patrol found blood trail possible enemy WIA. No body was found. F-M-N/A.		
1705		061705H		RWC2/RW2 In regards to your last msg S,S2 on VC: Seven men were seen running from village, coord (BT 047641) which was being swept by ARVN forces. They were taken under fire and two were observed to fall as if hit. They were not armed. VCS came down to the river to swim and walked into our lines. He had no ID.		
1753		061753H		RW2/RWB,C,D3 Rpt 81mm mortar and .50 cal MG in HAI AN. (Rated B/2).		S
1905		061905H		RW2/RWD3 Be advised any Viet male of S military age seen riding buffalos will be apprehended and treated as VCS.		
2300		062300H		I34/I2 IA received two rds small arms fire from front of holes #13 and 14 at 300 to 500 meters. Fire reported to be carbine.		S,S2
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0001			070001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0728			070728H	RWD/RW2 SpotRep: A-RWD3B B-070700H C-(BT 053714) D-Patrol saw two VCS 500-600 meters away. Challenged with four warning shots and two VC fled into village. E-At 0800H, scheduled patrol in vicinity of where two VC fled from RWD3B. F-M-N/A.	S, S2	
0830			070830H	RWC/RW A-RWC3 B-0400H-0700H C-(BT 067634) S, S2 D-Initial plan followed in position at 0530H. Action triggered when position discovered by four civilians. Civilians ran to southeast towards objective. Had no wpns. E-Snipers opened fire on objective. Received fire from (BT 061632). Tanks arrived. Infantry swept through (BT 061632). Tanks destroyed bunker at (BT 063634). F-M-N/A.		
0945			070945H	RW2/RWD3 Ref SpotRep dtg 070728H: S Int uniform of VC, also number of wpns and type.		
0946			070946H	RWD3/RW Rein sqd sent to pagoda at 0910H. At 0930H the squad fired small arms at six VC. They ran into the pagoda to escape fire. Upon exit of the VC from the pagoda, the squad fired two 3.5 inch rockets. First round fell short, second went into treeline. No assessment of damage.	S, S2	
1045			071045H	RWD3/RW Ref 0946H: Patrol found one VC KIA, one cartridge belt, one grenade and ammo.		
1035			071035H	RWC/RW SpotRep: RWCL B-061445H C-(BT 044649) D-While walking thru village, squad saw man sitting in house and attempted to hide. Patrol entered house thru both hatches and apprehended suspect. He had no wpn or ID. VCS was wearing black trousers with a green utility shirt. The second man was apprehended when he was observed watching the blocking position. When checked, suspect had grenade pin in pocket and possessed no ID. E-Both turned over to ITT. F-J-N/A. K-Two VCS L-M-N/A.	S, S2	

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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops	
1053			071053H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD3 B-071050H C-(BT 057706) D-Patrol was fired on by six VC using at least two auto wpns and semi-auto rifles. Took fire from three direction. E-Returned fire with auto and semi-auto wpns and M-79. No est of VC damage or casualties. F-N/A. G-One, med-evac not required. H-M-N/A.	S, S2		
1125			071125H	RW2/RWA6 Have reliable rpt three tons S VC rice cache at (BT 087681). Will send village chief to your position with resupply. Req you provide plt combat patrol and LVTs to make the pickup.			
1201			071200H	RW2/RWA6 Rice cache reported in 1125H S msg is rpted to have five VC sentries and the storage area is booby trapped.			
1216			071216H	RWD/RW A-RWD3A B-071015H C-(BT 043705) S, S2 D-Arriving at suspected enemy position, sighted six VCS and opened fire possibly wounding one. VCS went into treeline, patrol fired small arms and two 3.5 inch rockets. Six VC were challenged but the VC fled. E-Search of area by patrol discovered one body behind pagoda. F-H-N/A I-One by body count J-K-N/A L-One CHICOM grenade one cartridge belt, one clip CHICOM 7.62mm ammo. M-N/A.			
1216			071216H	RW2/RWD3 Int direction of fleeing VC. S (Comment: VC fled towards southwest.)			
1227			071227H	RWD3/RW Have spotted seven VC and VCS S, S2 at (BT 043705). Three have wpns, req to call 81mm mortar fire mission on those coord. (Comment: First rd fired at 1230H and last rd fired 1420H. Total of 25 rds fired.)			
1307			071307H	RW2/RWD3 Ref spotrep 0728H: Int how hobos were identified.			
1627			071627H	RW2/RWA6 VC will steal 100 pieces corrugated S tin from (BT 082670) for use in caves (BT 094656). Recommend area ambush.			
1706			071706H	RW2/RWG Req increased surveillance S on river traffic from (BT 032650) to (BT 030690). VC ferrying rice across.			

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
1904		071904H		RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC2 B-071840H C-RWC2 CP D-Received approx 20 rds sniper fire from three different directions by one auto and two semi-auto wpns. Fire coming from 260, 300, and 340 MA. E-Returned fire and sent out one squad to check area. Negative results at this time. Squad found abandoned house with over abundance of rice. G-One minor Marine WIA H-M-N/A.	S,S2	
2000		Wire		Rockfish 2/I2 Laundry man at MCB-8 rptd S,S2 WC setting up mortar at (BT 077723). Rated F/6.		
2058		072058H		RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA3 B-072035H C-(BT 074670) D-A3 received approx 25 rds sniper fire. Wpns believed to be carbine and M-1. Fire was received from northeast direction from approx 300 yds. E-One rd 7.62mm returned and sniper fire ceased. F-M-N/A.	S,S2	
LE2020		072020H		RWD3/RW Moving PPB to new PPB was S,S2 fired on by approx four snipers. Two of the snipers in treeline 250 meters southeast of old PPB; one or two snipers approx 450 meters in front. Returned fire. No casualties at this time.		
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0001			080001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0525			080525H	RWB1/RW Have located a mine at coord S,S2 (BT 071699) and are in the process of Blowing it up.		
0535			080535H	RWB1/RW Mine at coord (BT 071699) S,S2 was an AP mine. It was in middle of road.		
0724			080724H	RWC3B/RW Have found a house with concrete container of rice. Req instr.		
0756			080756H	RWC3B/RW Rice was found at coord (BT 059641). Approx 250 gal of rice.		
0842			080842H	RW2/RWA,C Use extreme caution in S checking rice caches. Several recently found have been booby trapped with grenades inside rice.		
0852			080852H	RW2/RWC3 Ref your msg 080724H: Pick S up rice and take to water point on resupply. Int possibility of using sand bags to trans rice. Req to know amount of rice and location found.		
084			080934H	RWB1/RW We have nine VCS: eight S,S2 picked up at coordinates (BT 074689) and one at LOD.		
0949			080949H	RW2/RWC Req SpotRep on three VCS apprehended 7Oct1965.		S
1026			081026H	RW2/RWD3 Be advised the AO has sighted boat traffic possibly VC ferrying rice coordinates (BT 038703) and (BT 033683). Also, 15 men on water buffaloes at coords (BT 035718).		S
1130			081130H	RWD3/RW2 Patrol rpt: Patrol was informed S,S2 Vietnamese male that approx one week ago, 15 VC with rifles and possibly 81mm mortars in BA TUNG (3).		
1204			081204H	RW2/RWD3,C6 DSS rpts two sqds VC vic S,T coords (BT 035687) and (BT 050713). Mission to attack and capture Marines.		
1229			081229H	RWD3/RW2 Ref 081130H: Patrol that returned and reported 15 VC in BA TUNG (3) produced negative results.		
1415		Wire		IB1/I2 Ref 080934H: Four of VCS turned S,S2 over to HOA VANG District headquarters as suspicious personnel. The remaining five were cleared by the HOA HAI Village chief and released by the Battalion S-2.		

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LE1000			Comment	Two VC were turned over to the Bn S-2 by Co C. One was captured by an attached ARVN interpreter at (BT 064667) 070600H. At (BT 066665) a Viet woman was apprehended. She was pointed out by the attached ARVN as being a VC cadre whose job is making liberty passes for VC and propaganda for local villagers. Both were turned over to ITT.	S,S2	
1836		081836H		RW2/RWA6 Rice party will arrive your S, CP about 0930H with two LVTs. New subj: Two mines between (BT 076702) and (BT 088683). Rated B/2.		
2155		082155H		RWA/RW SpotRep A-RWA B-082240H C-(BT 092667) D-Small arms sniper fire from 100 meters south of our position. E-Returned fire with four M-79 rounds and 25 small arms. Sniper fire ceased. F-M-N/A.	S,S2	
2400		082340H		RWB/RW A-RWB8A B-082230H C-(BT 068704) D-Patrol apprehended one suspicious person found in cave hiding under blanket. Male had no ID. E-Turned over to HOA VANG District Headquarters. F-M-N/A.	S,S2	
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0005			090001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0045			Wire	S2/I2 Relayed from Shove 2: At (BT 046633) one Plt VC in contact with ARVN. "D" Btry fired. There were est 5 VCKIA. ARVN have two VCKIA and one sub-MG.	S, T	
			1045 091045H	RW2/RWC6 AO rpts 090915H: 14 boats (BT Q29686), one man and one bundle hidden under tarp. (BT 028667), 15' boat unk size stopped in water.		S
			11201120 091120H	RW2/RWA/B/C/D Tomorrow is a VC holiday. S HANOI Liberation Day. VC may be looking for some minor victory for propaganda value.		
1300			091300H	RWA/RW A-RWA2 B-091000H-091230H C-(BT 084682) D-Approx 600 lbs of rice found in two jugs buried underground at above coords. Rice was buried 10 days ago on orders of VC who are to return later to pick it up. E-Rice turned over to Marble Mt chief. Will return to water point. F-M-N/A.		
1530			091530H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWAH9A B-091500H S,S2 C-(BT 092655) D-Patrol received sniper fire from 3-4 VC vic coord (BT 090653) believed one auto-carbine and two or three semi-auto wpns. E-Small arms and 3.5 rocket fire returned. F-J-N/A. K-Two VCS L-M-N/A.		
LE0615			090615H	Company A reported apprehending one suspicious male at coords (BT 089689). The man was apprehended on a foot trail during the curfew period and had no ID. The male was turned over to HOA VANG Dist Hdqtrs.	S,S2	
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0001			100001H	JOURNAL OPENED				
0200			Wire	OP rpts what a ppears what to be WP S burning in village at base of Marble Mt.				
0644			100644H	RW/RWC Req SpotRep of rice cache S found in your area and action taken. Advise ASAP.				
0645			100645H	RWC/RW Be advised RWC3 is now departing S for rice cache and is taking two LVT, two tanks, and two sqds.				
0823			100823H	RWC/RW RWC3 is down in position S picking up rice. No enemy contact.				
1059			101059H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA10A B-101030H S, S2 C-(BT 112651) D-Made contact with four VC snipers. E-Contact broken by VC and pursued with negative results. F-M-N/A.				
1117			101117H	RW/RWA Ref your 101059H: Int type S of contact made with four VC.				
1119			101119H	RWA/RW Ref your last: Sniper fire. S, S2				
	1145		101145H	RW2/RWC6 Have received report that S NGAN TRUNG (BT 049635) may be possible VC supply staging.				
1535			101535H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA10A patrol S, S2 B-101400H C-(BT 095655) D-Received several rounds of sniper fire from east edge of village. Fire returned with 7.62mm and 40mm, and 3.5 rockets. Enemy fire ceased. E-VC withdrew to the west and southwest and were undertaken with mortar fire at (BT 105645). Negative results rptd. F-M-N/A.				
1537			101537H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA3 B-101410H S, S2 C-(BT 093656) D-VCS apprehended fleeing from firefight. E-Turned over to ITT. G-M-N/A.				
1540			101540H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA3 B-101425H S, S2 C-(BT 095677) D-Sqd patrol tripped booby trapped AP mine. (S-2 comment: Probably consisted of grenade with plunger device) E-F-N/A. G-Two H-M-N/A.				
1550			101550H	RW/RWC6 OP spotted two boats travelling S north on S. VIEN DIEM. One stopped at (BT 052725), other at (BT 055720). Boats are covered and appear loaded. If possible, check this out.				

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1622		101622H		RW2/RWA Ref your 101559H: Int direction and distance of snipers from patrol's position. Also, int number of rds expended by both sides.	S	S-Staff
1630		101630H		RWA/RW2 Ref 101559H: Sniper fire came S,S2 from west 300 meters away. Enemy fired 30 rds semi-auto. Fire was returned with 300 7.62mm, six 40mm, and three 3.5inch rockets.		F-File
1642		101642H		RW2/RWA Ref your 1540H: Int number of incoming sniper rds. also, number of outgoing 7.62mm, 40mm, 3.5 inch and 81mm. Effect of 81mm.	S	
1724		101724H		RWA/RW Ref your last: 30 rds of incoming semi-auto. Patrol returned 300 rds 7.62mm, six 40mm, three 3.5 inch and eight rd of 81mm. Mortars good effect on target, neg casualties.	S,S2	
1800		Wire		RWC2/RW Have six VCS and two wounded Vietnamese at bridge.	S	
1800		101800H		Rosemont E/RW One large boat full of rice at coord (BT 056713). Its held up at a village and people are unloading it at this time. Also, a brush trench line at same coords.	S,T	
1855		101855H		RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-101820H C-(BT 038673) D-Received approx 20 rds of semi-auto sniper fire at 230 degree MA. E-Fire returned and sniper broke contact. Area checked out by Ontos. Neg results.	S,S2	
1913		101913H		RWC/RW A-RWC3 B-101910H C-(BT 037669) D-6-8 rd sniper fire from two directions. E-Fire returned. F-M-N/A.	S,S2	
1921		101921H		RWD/RW A-RWD2 B-101830H C-(BT 049717) D-Received one sniper rd. E-One squad sent to area of sniper. No enemy contact. F-N/A G-Two H-M-N/A.	S,S2	
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0830			110830H	Rosemont F/RW East-west (BT 0563) (BT 0564) S, F normal activity. (BT 062630) negative activity north of river. Three boats at (BT 032685) six mission boats (BT 032693) nine mission boats (BT 043710) (BT 061720). No activity in or around villages.			
1025			111025H	RW/RWC For the past several days the AOs have reported increased traffic on the Songr Vinh Dien River, especially in vicinity of (BT 0470) (BT 0369) (BT 0563) and (BT 0564). AO saw three boats at (BT 032685) and six boats at (BT 032693) this morning.	S, F		
1305			111305H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-111000H C-(BT 034685) S, F, S2 D-Patrol was checking river traffic. Checked six boats with negative results. At above time and location patrol observed one boat coming south on river, manned by two men. ARVN attempted to call boat to shore with negative results. Patrol fired warning shot in the air, then shot in front of boat. E-Boat continued on so patrol fired on boat and sank it. Two men swam to shore on opposite bank, then ran off. Do not know contents of boat. F-M- N/A			
1358			111358H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC B-111040H C-(BT 032678) S, F, S2 D-Patrol was moving south on river near above c coordinates observed man running with rifle at a distance of 500 meters. Pursued man and fired on him. Observed man take cover in hole. Fire team sent to investigate. Found man ready to throw grenade at fire team. Shot him. Grenade went off by VC. E-Hole checked after grenade went off. Took rifle and continued on patrol. F-H- N/A I-One J&K- N/A I-One 1963 Springfield rifle. Serial No 982175; four rounds of ammo M- N/A			
1402			111402H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC B-111200H C-(BT 035684) S, F, S2 D-Patrol observed Vietnamese male approximately 27 years old at coordinates (BT 035684). Stopped and checked ID ARVN with patrol said he was of military age and he should be brought in. Will bring VCS in on resupply run tomorrow. E-Will hold VCS and bring him in on resupply run tomorrow. F-J- N/A K-One VCS L&M- N/A			
1525			111525H	RW/RWC Request SpotRep on VCS turned over to water point this morning.	S, F		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops
1850		111850H		PS2/RW Do you hold the following III MAF S, F Intelligence bulletins - No. 65-1 dtg 2Sep1965, No 65-2 dtg 14Sep1965.		S-Staff
1950		111950H		RW/PS2 We hold III MAF Intelligence bulletin S, F 65-2 dtg 14Sep1965. Neg on 65-1 2Sep1965.		F-File
2000		112000H		RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA5 B-111940H C-(BT 091667) S, F, S2 D-Accidental discharge. Man wounded through left wrist. (tanks) E-MedEvac to C&C, good condition. F- N/A G-One H-M- N/A		
2024		112024H		RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA5 B-112020H C-(BT 091663) S, F, S2 D-Four rounds sniper fire into CP from two VC.		
2109		112109H		E-Fire returned, contact broken. F-M- N/A RW/RWA REF 112024H SpotRep. INT distance and direction of VC from CP. Also number of rounds fired outgoing.		S, F
2400		112400H		JOURNAL CLOSED		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
0001			120001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0610			Wire	S2/I2 Received rpt from Afterglow that a VC turned himself in to PF on 11Oct. VC stated that other VC would like to surrender but were afraid to do so to Marines.	S, T	
0810			120810H	Rosemont F/RW Movement on SONG VINH S in GS 0563 nothing unusual. Early AM traffic (BT 062630). Many trenches and evidence of tracked vehicles.		
0837			120937H	RWA/RW Found an abundance of food in village; Five crocks of potatoes and eight crocks of rice.	S, S2	
1430			121430H	RWA/RW SpotRep F-A-RWA B-120937H C-(BT 095658) D-During Company sweep through VIEN DONG, coordinates (BT 095658), Co A located approx one ton of rice and 200 pounds of potatoes. The cache was found in a house. While members of the company were loading the rice into an LVT, a male, approx 25 years of age, jumped from a hole behind the house, threw a grenade into the house, and continued to flee. Fire was directed on the VC at approx 20'. The company reported at least four rounds hit the VC knocking him down, but he got back on his feet and disappeared into the brush. E-A squad was sent out to search for the VC with neg results. The rice and potatoes were turned over to a local village chief. One VCS was apprehended in the vic of the rice cache and turned over to ITT. F-N/A. G-Two H-I-N/A. J-One K-One VCS L-M-N/A.	S, S2	
1600			121600H	PS2/RW2 Patrol 102 rptd that a QC 130 aircraft on its approach to the south end of the runway received 1-6 rds of small arms fire from VC (BT 012703), same area where aircraft was hit yesterday. One rd hit aircraft, neg casualties		
1754			121754H	Rosemont F/RW2 Village at (BT 062630), S, T evidence of bunkers and trenches.		
1920			121920H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-121905H C-(BT 038669) D-Received 20 rds sniper fire from 200 meters northwest of position, one auto and one rifle, 32 rds returned. E-M-N/A.	S, S2	

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0001			130001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0245			130245H	PS2/RW2 Relay from Monroe 2 received S,T 130145H: MAI HUNG DI has lead an assassination plt into SON THUY, coord (BT 070710), DONG HAI, TRUNG TAY (BT 027742), AP NAM and TAN LUU (BT 078704) hamlet, HOA LONG (BT 078695) village and XUAN NHAM TRA LO (BT 087682) hamlets, HOA HAI (BT 084672) village. This small unit is bent on assassinating gov't officials, gov't inclined units, and U.S. personnel in this area. Their meeting place every evening is DIEM TRUNG hamlet, THANH THUY (BT 060630) village, DIEN BAN Dist. They meet between 1700-1800H. They are armed with four Czech SMG, three Thompsons, four MAS-36, five Russian rifles, six M-26 grenades, 10 rudimentary made mines.	
0750			130750H	Polish 3/RW3 AO received auto wpns S,T fire in CS (BT 0468) and (BT 0568).	
0810			130810H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-0645H S,S2 C-(BT 033674) D-VCS found in rice paddy. No ID. Made no attempt to escape. E-VCS apprehended. F-M-N/A.	
0900			130900H	RW2/RW SpotRep: A-RW2 B-0715H-0800H C-(BT 035689) (BT 045689) (BT 108632) D-PsyWar helicopter received 20-30 rd auto small arms from MAN QUAN (2), 3-4 rds from HA BONG, and 10-15 rds from MAN QUAN. Theme of msg: "Many VC killed this area. VC are rice thieves. Help us to defeat the VC." E-M-N/A.	
1040			131040H	RWCH13/RW Have one WIA, receiving sniper S fire at check point three.	
1106			131106H	RWA5/RW Patrol observed 15 VC at coord S, PS22 (BT 119642). Target taken under fire by 81mm. Changed fire mission req to artillery.	
1125			131125H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWCH13 B-131100H C-(BT 055638) D-Sniper fire from (BT 053638). E-Returned fire. F-One W-086842 G-M-N/A.	
1420		Comment		Arty fire mission req'd at 1106H was completed with three adjusting rds and then cancelled by FOA because no longer could observe VC.	S,S2
1523			131523H	RW2/RWC Ref your 130810H: Int disposition S of one VCS apprehended this AM.	

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0001		140001H		JOURNAL OPENED		
1113		141113H		RWD/RW A-RWD B-1110H C-(BT 068693) S,S2 D-One VC broke and ran. Fired two shots over head and he continued to run. Patrol shot and killed VC. E-Body removed to (BT 069692). F-N/A G-One H-M-N/A		
1117		111117H		RWC/RW A-RWCH14 B-141110H C-(BT 035689) S,S2 D-Patrol received four rds sniper fire from vic coord (BT 036692). E-Sniper fire returned with small arms. VC broke contact and one was observed to fall as thought fatally wounded. Search of area produced negative results. F-H-N/A I-One probable. J-M-N/A.		
1234		141234H		RWC/RW A-RWCH14 B-141225H C-(BT 035683) S,S2 D-Five rounds ineffective sniper fire received from vic of (BT 037684) across river from patrol. E-Returned fire with small arms. Sniper fire ceased. No further action taken.		
1530		141530H		RWA/RW A-RWA2 B-141445H C-(BT 085667) S,S2 D-One VC opened fire on CP with approx six rds small arms fire. RWA2 returning from blocking position east of SONG CAU BIEN ran VC down. E-VC sniper was wounded but wpn was hidden before patrol ran VC down. Patrol reconnoitered area but unable to find wpn. F-H-N/A J-One K-N/A (see above) L-N/A M-VC was covered with charcol for night fighting.		
2400		142400H		JOURNAL CLOSED		

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0001			150001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0342			150342H	PS2/RW2 Following fpr received from Viet intelligence, rated C/3. At 141600H a VC battalion and numbering 700 in strength including a hvy wpns co which is armed with 60s and 80s and sub-MGs were located at HOA THAI vic (AT 980685), HOA PHNOS (BT 002688) and THANH TRUONG (BT 009645) along hwy #1 possible attack convoy on route #1 from DANANG to HOA AN and may be planning mortar attack on DANANG air base. Shove 2 rates C/3.		
0515			150515H	PS2/RW2 NAD rpt from Q3/13010-10-65 3, T2 complementary to rpt all 5-10-65 on plan to attack the air base. The main assault group is made up of a company element who is armed with two MG, three AR, plastic charger, 15 TNT explosives, 25 81mm rounds and 15 60mm rds. Coming from KHUE DONG woods they would shell rolls of sets at air base. Their security forces would be concentrated in THI AN hamlets (HOA LAN Village) and TRUNG LUONG Hamlets (HOA PHUOC Village) another assault group consisting of troops from THAN THUY, HOA HAI, HOA LAN, and HOA CHONG Villages, who would gather in PHE BINH Hamlet (BT 055706), HOA PHUNG Village to prepare to assault. Ambush would be from rein troops MIEU BONG Hamlets (HOA CHAU village). Troops would arrive to rendezvous point one by one disguised as mat and cloth sellers, with their wpns concealed under their goods. Action plan in support of airbase attack: A. Blow up the TRINH MINH Bridge. (Three plans are considered: Destruction of the bridge by suicide agents, by frogmen or by the use of time bomb hidden on an abandoned adrift sampan. B. DO XO Road against the approach of tanks rushing to the air base rescue. C. Ambush would be from CAM LE Bridge and HOA THO Village to THAN TRUONG Village; anti troop and tank mines would also litter the road. D. Harassment fire would be spent against DOC DONG KINH, Marble Mt. at CAM LE Bridge and also against the HOA VANG Dist Center. E. Block line A. HOA HAI Village and particularly the guerrilla force which holds many important VC installations.		

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0515		Cont'd	R. THT AN Hamlet (HOA LAN Village) where guerrillas gather at night at about 2000H. Regulars and guerrillas in the entire area of KHAI I DONG number some 300. Five are feeding us with info and quite a few more wish to surrender. In the political field, VC are spreading rumors the U.S. is about to withdraw from SVN; that north, center VN will soon be united and urge the families with enlisted relatives to call them back before they die as victims of U.S. terrorism. They charge the U.S. with trying to set up a dictatorial regime in Saigon. Three VC are in HUYNH HUONG; Battalion would attack the air base from inside the DANANG twnsp. The flight of families with relatives in the VC ranks to DANANG would anticipate the attack against the air base. Rpt from Q-3-H-10-65 these VC in HAI DONG has now reverted to guerrilla tactics instead of big scale attacks. Their gathering places are: HUYNH MTEN, and HUYNH CUONG. Are demanding to surrender through the good office of 2/3.
LE 1109		151109H	RWC/RW A-RWC15 patrol B-0930H, 0945, 1015H S,S2 C-(BT 027675), (BT 029669), (BT 035666) D-At 0930H, captured one VCS, male, no ID card. Also, two VCS females with no ID. At 1015H, captured four VCS, one female with no ID. E-Returned VCS to RWC3 position. F-J-N/A. K-Eight VC suspicious. L-M-N/A.
1158		151158H	RWA/RW Observed approx 10 VC moving south S,S2 at coordinates (BT 089658). Observed at least two wpns at sling arms. Request to fire 81mm fire mission. (Comment: Permission granted)
1215		151215H	RWC/RW Have three VCS will arrive at water point in 10 minutes.
1350		Comment	RWA did not fire 81mm fire mission because S,S2 no longer could observe VC.
1445		151445H	PS2/RW2 Piaster rpt today: What specific steps taken to try to disperse piasters. Probable S,T reasons for VN civilians refusing to except piasters. Comments on validity of piasters fund, or recommendations for modifications produce to effect improvement.
1538		151538H	RW2/PS2 Two VCS turned over to HOA Vang Dist Hdqtrs. Others released by Village Chief. S

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0001			160001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0100			160100H	RWC/RW A-RWC B-152330H C-(BT 047657) D-RWC15D observed light moving from house to house at above location and heard strange clicking noise. Patrol set up a hasty defence when they heard people coming toward their position. Opened fire on people when 25-30 meters away. E-Searched area and found one dead woman and a wounded boy of about 10 years old. Patrol returned to RWC position where they treated the boy. Will send boy in on supply run tomorrow. Turned over to Hoa Vang Dist Hdqtrs F-M- N/A	S, F, S2
0805			160805H	RWB2/RW A-RWB2 B-160805H C-(BT 051701) D-Patrol found 23 105mm duds. Also 1 CHICOM fragmentation grenade booby trapped and wired to a gate. Duds were duds. E-Security provided for duds and grenade. EOD has been notified. F-M- N/A	S, F, S2
0920			160920H	RWD3/RW Coordinates (BF 084685), captured one VCS. Apprehended at 0925H. Proceeding north west of road.	S, F, S2
1000			161000H	RWD/RW A-RWD16 B-160900H C-(BT 078694) D-Patrol taken under fire by estimated six VC with 2 automatic weapons and carbines. VC approximately 150 meters away in treeline. E-Returned fire, one platoon and three tanks committed as reaction force. VC broke contact prior to arrival of reaction force. F-N/A G-One H-J-N/A K-one VCS L-M-N/A	S, F, S2
1310			161310H	PS2/RW REF your SPOTREP 152330H How was Vietnamese boy wounded. REF your SPOTREP 160906H, action armed Huey took on troops. How was Marine WIA wounded? How many VCs? How many rounds received and returned?	S, F
1312			161312H	PS2/RW REF your SPOTREP 160900H. Location of VCT Number of rounds returned? How was VCS captured and where was VCS sent to?	S, F
1330			161330H	RW/PS2 REF your 161310H. Vietnamese boy wounded RWC ambush 152330H. His sister was WIA. Armed Huey took negative action. Man wounded automatic fire. 200 rounds received, 350 rounds returned.	S, F
1658			161658H	PS2/RW A-Wagon Master B-161600H C-None available D-Laundry man told interpreter at at Wagon Master that due to pressure exerted by	S, F

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0001			170001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
	1225		171225H	RW3/RWA6 The staff at the leprosarium has reported many duds on the leprosarium grounds. I6 desires we check out and eliminate. Coord of duds is (BT 099664).	S
1313			171313H	RWB2/RW Received three rds sniper fire from S, S2 coord (BT 042693). Am having difficult time crossing stream at (BT 038692). Also, RWG17 has reached CkPt #5.	S, S2
1100			171100H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC B-0800H - 0900H C-(BT 048678) - (BT 048685) D-Patrol spotted one male dressed green trousers w/green shirt. VC was carrying light auto wpn. Point fired five five rds at VC and VC ran into brush. No rds were fired by the VC. Search of area produced neg results. At 170900H, patrol searched series of bunkers. One contained 10 empty wooden boxes constructed for 81mm illum and 3.5 rocket rds. E-Ole man in house in area said three VC dressed in green and all carrying wpns had come to his house this morning. Boxes were destroyed. F-M-N/A.	S, S2
1435			171435	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA (six squads) B-0830H- 1300H C-CS (BT 0965), (0964), (0864), (0865) D-RWA2 contacted three snipers at (BT 092652) and chased them to (BT 094635) continually exchanging fire. Chase was given up and A2 swept west to (BT 080649) and linked with A6 with three squads, two tanks, and one lvt. All troops boarded vehicles for return when they were taken under fire at (BT 071692), dismounted and returned same, remounted and moved to (BT 0720653) received fire, dismounted and returned same. Six indigenous personnel were wounded in the exchange and evacuated to medical facility. All paddies and sand flats below GL 66 is under two and one-half feet of water. F-M-N/A.	S, S2
1522			171522H	PS2/RW2 Have you delivered two VCS at approx 171300H to ITT. VCS claim to have ID cards, wristwatch and money. Those items not forwarded to ITT. VCS were not tagged. Advise PS2 if your org apprehended VCS.	S
1720			171635H	RW2/RWA Ref your 171455H SpotRep: Int why contact was broken with three VC at coords (BT 094635). Also, int number of rds incoming and outgoing. Int number of VC encountered and rds fired.	

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0001			180001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0953			180953H	RW/RWB-C RW2 has available TPS/21 and tech S,F and operator. He could also double as interrogator and debriefer for patrols.		
1425			181425H	PS2/RW In view of cancellation of operation S,F scheduled for 19 Oct. PA portion of PSY-WAR activities cancelled, however, help still available for leaflet drop if you desire. Polish plans use at 190730H-191045H. Advise.		
1445			181445H	RW/PS2 REF Req for trafficability. Foot- S,F,S3 extreme difficulty GS (BT 0670). 2'-6' water GS (BT 0471). Trails under 6' water GS(BT 0469) 2'-6' of water area SW of Mau Quan (2) 600 meters under 3-5 feet water GS (0267)-(BT 0367). 3-5' ft water except for An Luu and Thi An (2) GS (BT 0366). 2'-4' water except for Tu Cau. GS (BT 0466) 2'-4' water GS (BT 0365) and (BT 0465) 3'-6' water except hamlets. GS (BT 0563) 3'-6' water except hamlets. GS (BT 0864)-(BT 0964) (BT 1064) 5'-7' water. GS (BT 0768) 3'-5' water. No wheeled traffic possible. LVI's passable everywhere. Tanks possible on trails only. Antos greatly restricted.		
2210			182210H	PS2/RW Trafficability require info on londition S,F of MSR. State if possible for wheeled vehicles, tonage specified, impassable areas indicated by coordinates. Best answer based on currently available info without ref to subordinate unit acceptable to allow you answer ASAP.		
2210			182210H	Rose Ann/RW 1915H, sighted 10 adults, 20 children S,F heading north on road north of My Thi. AT 1930H truck driver and assist told by Nun at Orphanage they should leave for their own safety. This warning occurred just after civilian whispered something into Nun's ear. MCB-8 also reports that there is inordinate amount of activity in whore house in front of their position.		
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0001			190001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
	1110		191110H	RW/RWA B-3 source indicates 35 VC hiding in S, F 6 houses in the vicinity of (BT 080668). Weapons include one BAR, three K-50s and 31 7.62mm CHICOM rifles. Req you conduct ops at earliest possible time, and by today if possible. Advise RW3 of plans and any support required.		
1303			191303H	RWA/RW Bringing three VCS in on resupply run. S, F		
	1315		191315H	RW/PS2 Trafficability of TAOR. On MSR all S, F wheeled and tracked and foot troops can operate with ease to bridge. After bridge MSR restricted to foot and all tracked.		
1650			191650H	RWA/RW SpotRep A-RWA B-191600H C-(BT 083668) S, F, S2 D-Marine detonated foot mine or unknown explosive device. Exact nature not known due to lack of communications. E-Medevac approximately 191615H. F-N/A G-two H-M- N/A		
2000			192000H	RWA/RW SpotRep A-RWA Minus B-191400H 191730H S, F, S2 C-(BT 083670)-(BT 080659) and (BT 079670)-(BT 065659) D-Searched mission based on Intelligence info E-No VC encountered addition info called to S 3 B		
2140			192140H	EPS/RW Req you contact Co A. Co A at 191300H S, F local intelligence soldier reported that 25 armed VC were at (BT 080663) Co A is investigating report at this time request you find out if Co A sent any patrols out in this area.		
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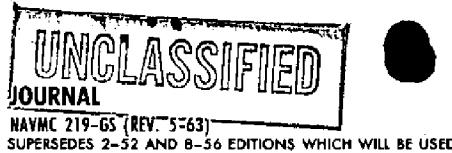
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0001			2000001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0023			200023H	RW2/PS2 Correction to INTSUM dtd 19 Oct 1965. S Under para B.1 add CHICOM after rifles. Under D.4 add tunnels 10' long.		
1117			201117H	Rosemont/RW Have spotted fresh trenches at S,T (BT 104649).		
1118			201118H	RW2/PS2 Can psywar copter be made available S ASAP to this command for use against demonstration. If so, advise time of arrival this CP.		
1215			201215H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC B-201030H C-(BT 043664) S,S2 D-Patrol 20 received three to five rds sniper fire from small arms wpn at coord (BT 042659) resulted in two Marine WIA. Patrol observed one man running from above coord into house at that position. E-Patrol returned fire approx 700 rds M-60, seven M-79, and two WP 3.5 inch. WIA were med-evac out of area. Patrol returned to CP; above house was left burning. F-N/A. G-Two H-M-N/A.		
1230			201230H	RWA/RW Trenches have been there for some time S We have been aware of them.		
1543			201543H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-201445H C-(BT 038661) S,S2 D-One man wearing green utilities with pack on wearing straw hat walking in rice paddy. Man was 100 yards from RWC3 when fired upon. 12 rds fired. E-Point made contact and fired. Man ran towards river, checked area and found nothing. F-M-N/A.		
1915			201915H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA B-201915H C-093668 S,S2 D-Received three rds from west. Did not return fire. E-M-N/A.		
2020			202020H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA1 B-201920H C-(BT 097639) D-Patrol was moving to ambush position when fired on by one auto and three small arms wpns. No casualties taken. Squad assaulted enemy position. E-VC withdrew, broke contact to the south. Patrol ldr thinks he may have gotten one or two as an M-79 round exploded over auto wpn just as it fired. Firing ceased and patrol found drag marks on the ground. F- I-N/A. J-Two probable K-N/A L-M-N/A. Enemy fired approx 200 rds. USMC fired 300 rds.		
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						S—Staff	
0001			210001H	JOURNAL OPENED			
0949			210949H	RWC/RW Have two VCS. Will bring them in with us. Req RW2 pick them up at water point.			
1325			211325H	RWC/RW SpotREP: A-RWC B-211030H and 211145H S,S2 C-(BT 043662) and (BT 053653) D-At 211030H one male suspect was apprehended. He was walking with three women. Male had barber equip in possession and seemed extremely nervous while being questioned. Two males suspected were apprehended at 211145H. The two were apprehended in a house with four .45 caliber rounds. The older of the two had an improper ID and the younger claimed to be the son, but later changed his story. Ten temporary ID cards were found in the adjoining house.			
1655			211655H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD19 B-211500H C-(BT 060650) S,S2 D-RWD21A patrol sighted three armed men. Patrol pursued men into village and received one rd of sniper fire. At (BT 049649), three more armed men were sighted; at (BT 052646) patrol observed helicopter drawing fire.			
1823			211823	RW2/RWD Ref your 211655H: Int patrol's position S while observing three armed VC at coord (BT 049649) and again while observing helo receiving fire from coord (BT 052646). Also, int number of rds fired at helo.			
2057			212057H	RWA/RW3 Patrol 21B picked up VCS at coord (BT 099662) at 1900H. Old man stated he was gathering wood. Patrol ldr believed he was tracking patrol. VCS held overnight at this CP.			
2057			212057H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA21C B-BT 096662) C-211920H D-Ambush patrol received three rds sniper fire from coord (BT 099659) while on the move. E- Fire was returned with 20 rds small arms. Sniper broke contact and headed south towards VIEN DONG. F-M-N/A.	S, S2		
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0001			220001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0828			220828H	RWD/RW Night activities: One VC with wpn spotted at (BT 048670) but got away. 2 ⁰ VC sighted vic (BT 052653) from approx 500 yds. 1 ⁰ vc proceeded towards NGAN CAU, (BT 067660) ; other half is believed to have headed west towards TU CAU (2), (BT 050656). Patrol was unable to make contact.	S, S2
1130			221130H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD2 B-221120H C-(BT 050654) D-Six sniper rds fired by four VC at 047649. The patrol returned 1 ⁰ rds with neg results. E-VC broke contact heading west. Patrol continued with mission. F-M-N/A.	
1305			221305H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA1 B-220900H C-(BT 093643) S, S2 D-Picked up VCS by AH21E patrol. VCS without ID. E-VCS turned over to HGA-VANG-Dist-Hactre ITT. F-J-N/A K-One. ^{VCS} Suspicious male. L- One book of VC poems, five USMC propaganda leaflets., paper with clothing sizes on it. M-N/A.	
1317			221317H	RW2/RWD Do you desire attachment of AN/TPS-21 S and scout when available. New Subj: Interpreter now available will be on resupply tomorrow.	
1320			221320H	RWD/RW2 Ref 221322H: Affirm on AN/TPS-21 and scout. Thanks a million on the interpreter tomorrow.	
1920			221920H	RW2/RWD6 ARVN deserter now VC. Name: HUHYEN LOC, S, T Home: KHAL TAY (2), three sisters, one brother. Age of LOC is 32 years.	
1900			221930H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD B-221430H C-(BT 045667) S, S2 D-Patrol apprehended one male when tried to hide Had no ID. E-Through interrogation, Battalion S-2 determined the male was a ARVN deserter and now VC. Turned over to ITT. F-J-N/A. K-One. L-M-N/A.	
1938			221938H	RWD/RW Recon patrol observed OE being fired S, S2 on by three auto wpns from TU CAU (4), and NGAN TRUNG (1) complex. Also, observed 1 ⁰ to 12 military aged men in vic. Most VC activity appears centered in above complex. Req arty fires prior to 222300H.	
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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops
0001			230001H	JOURNAL OPENED	S-Staff	F-File
0947			230947H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWB2 B-230947H C-(BT 059700) S, S2 D-One high powered sniper rd fired in vic (BT 057705). E-Returned fire and enemy fire ceased. One Marine WIA. F-N/A. G-One H-M-N/A.		
1055			231055H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA B-231000H C-(BT 083704) S, S2 D-Lead tractor of two returning from CoA CP hit a mine which was placed on the right side of the road normally travelled by the LVTs in that area. The mine blew the right rear sprocket wheel completely off. A secondary explosion in the right rear fuel cell started a fire in the engine area and troop compartment. The fire in turn set off small arms fire and grenades which were being transported to A3. E-A search of the area resulted in one VCS apprehended in the vic of the mine. He was turned over to HOA VANG Dist Hdqtrs. F-J-N/A. K-One VCS L-A box of misc gear was taken from the VCS' home and turned over to Regt S-2.		
1225			231225H	RW2/RWA Ref your 230947H: Int coord of VC sniper.		
1240			231240H	RWB2/RW Be advised have two VCS at this location. Will send in on helo supply.	S	
1245			231245H	RW2/RWA, B One MFVC Bn has moved into CAM SA S (1) and (2), QUANG HA, PHO HA, DONG THOI area. This battalion is in the area for R&R. They have many wounded and sick. They are staying three and four per house. They have two 60mm mortars. Rated C/3.		
1330			231330H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA2 B-231030H C-104648 S, S2 D-As patrol turned left, two snipers fired 5-8 rds. E-Returned fire, two M-79, and one 3.5 inch. Snipers were seen fleeing directly south. No physical pursuit. Patrol continued on patrol. F-K-N/A. L-Propaganda leaflets found at (BT 113649) M-N/A.		
1400			231400H	RWB/RW Ref 230947H: VC sniper at (BT 057705)		
1600			231600H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWB2 B-231235H C-BT 057697 S, S2 D-Viet male was challenged by patrol and fled. Marines ran the suspect down and apprehended. Another male was apprehended when patrol observed him run into house as Marines approached. Had no ID. E-The second male apprehended had no ID in his possession. Both were turned over to ITT. F-J-N/A. K-Two L-M-N/A.		

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0001			250001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0947			250947H	RWD/RW3 SpotRep: A-RWD3 B-250915H C-(BT 039651) D-Patrol encountered three VC who fled when fired on; one possible enemy WIA. At coord (BT 039654), patrol fired on by three snipers with semi-auto wpns. Approx 12 rds incoming from vic (BT 036654) sitting in hole. E-Patrol for returned fire; terrain did not allow pursuit. At coordinates (BT 038666), patrol found one VC scarecrow with bamboo rifle, straw hat, and black shirt. F-I-N/A J-One probable K-M-N/A.	S, S2	
1140H			251140H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD2 SS Team B-251115H	S, S2	
				C-VC with three wpns, one auto, fired at team from coord (BT 059648). Approx 10 rds from west to north at scattered times between 0800H-1030H. Team returned 40 rds and three rds M-79, VC were not visible. Team remained in position.		
1235			251235H	RWA/RW Eng blew one booby trapped 81mm.	S, S2	
1247			251247H	RW/RWA Int coord and time booby trap blown. S		
1351			251251H	RWA/RW Booby trap blown at (BT 097662) at 250830H.	S, S2	
1505			251505H	RW2/PS2 Ref 0947H : VC armed with carbines and fired total of 30 rds. The position of the patrol was (BT 039651) and the snipers' position was (BT 036654).		
1550			251550H	RWC/RW SpotRep: A-RWC B-250845H C-(BT 067681) D-Patrol located man hiding behind small shrine at edge of "D" Btry position. When approached, VC ran. E-VC apprehended. VCS was also observed talking to children who set off two flares in the btry perimeter. Turned over to ITT. F-J-N/A. K-One VCS L-M-N/A.	S, S2	
1703			251703H	RW/PS Ref 1140H : Wpns were identified by fire.	S	
1840			251840H	RW2/RWA VC cadre meeting last night vic vic (BT 083671). Perhaps another tonight. Rated C/3.	S, S2	
2222			252222H	RW2/PS2 HOA HAI Village Chief and daughter were wounded by VC in attack with small arms and grenades while in their house. Req you advise C&C to take them in view of semi-official status. VC fired 15 rds smalls and threw four grenades in house, (BT 071701). Reactionary squad sent out but unable to make contact with VC.		
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0001			260001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0200			260200H	RWD/RW SpotRep A-RWD3 B-252010H C-(BT 035666) S, F, S2 D-Patrol ran into 5 to 7 VC with carbines and high powered weapons. Point tripped VC alarm. Consisted of trip wire attached to nail on top of "c" ration can. Patrol was then fired upon. One M-1, 5 tracer rds, 40 or 50 semi-automatic carbines, 15 to 20 rds.	
0130			260130H	PS2/RW PS2 Actual much interested in present S, F status of ARVN Liaison Officer in light of Hoa Hia incident.	
0300			260300H	PS2/RW REF to RW msg 260030H. Who saw two men wearing helmets.	S, F
0851			260851H	RW/PS2 Req PsyWar copter be available on 27 Oct from 0630 to 0830 vice 0730 to 0930.	S, F
0940			260940H	RW/PS2 ARVN Liaison was not in camp when Hoa Hia incident occurred. He has orders to move to Polish for duty today.	
1200			261020H	RWA/RW SpotRep A-RWA2 B-260545H C-(BT 091665) S, F, S2 D-Squad ambush at above coordinates saw 15 armed VC moving southeast at coordinates (BT 088658) and took them under fire. E-VC fled to south firing back at sqd. Sqd consisted of 8 men. Sqd fired 200 rds 7.62mm. F-M- N/A	
1354			261354H	RW/RWA Request SpotRep on one male VCS brought in on helo. Also request SpotRep on wounded female.	
1410			261400H	RWA/RW SpotRep A-RWA B-261315H C-(BT 092667) S, F, S2 D-woman brought in by husband with wounds in lower stomach. E-Evac by copter woman from Nagn Cau (1) or (2). F-M- N/A	
1430			261430H	RW/PS2 Request PsyWar copter be available S, F on 27 Oct from 0630 to 0830 vice 0730 to 0930.	
1640			261640H	PS2/RW Beaver Skin 60 X-Ray spotted VC sqd at 261615H at (BT 026685). Is pursuing fast and requests help. Can you block (BT 042710) to (BT 032687)? Beaverskin 60 X-Ray is up 40.4.	
1840			261840H	RWA/RW SpotRep A-RWA B-261830H C-Company A CP S, S2 D-Received three sniper rds from 300 meters south of CP. E-Returned fire with eight rds of 81mm. F-M-N/A.	
1844			261844H	RWD/RW Be advise INTs returned from supply point without interpreter. Can you advise me as to why interpreter was not on INTs and where is he now.	S, P

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1908		261908H		RWA/RW SpotRep: A- RWA1 B-261830H C-(BT 093669) S,F,S2 D-Received one round sniper fire. E-Returned 29 rounds 7.62mm, one round M-79, three 60mm. Sd sent to investigate. Neg results. F-M- N/A		
1932	1932	261932H		RW/RWD Interpreter AWOL will send replacement S,F as soon as another is available. Possibly tomorrow.		
2000		262000H		PS2/RW REF National Police support for RW operation. Recommend you make immediate liaison with Hoa Vang Police Chief regarding availability subject police support. Request you take interpreter with you as policemen on evening duty speak very little english.		
2025		262025H		PS2/RW REF frag order received by PS 261930H S,F Shove requires AO request be submitted 24 hours in advance except on cases of emergency. AO scheduled to operate PS TAOR 271000H-271400H.		
2040		Wire		S2/I2 G-3 received info from Hoa An of VC S,F, T demonstrations tomorrow. Plan to assemble farmers at Thanh Mienh vicinity (BT 0863) and move to Thanh Thuy vicinity (BT 0466). G-2 comment: Quang Nam Special Sector rates B-2. G-2 rates F-6.		
2055		262055H		PS3/RW REF Quang Nam Special Sector intelligence S,F reports of VC demonstration vicinity (BT 0466) 59th PF Bn required. Located at Mieu Dong and would require guides. PsyWar copters which you have tomorrow night could also be employed.		
2250		262250H		PS2/RW REF your DTG 261830H. Request verification S,F on two reports both dated 261830H. If not the same need the origin of the one round of sniper fire.		
2315		262315H		RW/RWA REF your SpotRep DTG 261830H. Int origin of one sniper round received.		S,F
2325		262325H		RWA/RW REF your last coordinates (BT 092665). S,F		
2335		262335H		RW/PS2 REF your msg DTG 262250H. Two separate incidents. Origin of one sniper round received is (BT 092665).		
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1051				RW3/PS3 There are a number of house boats about S,S2 15 or 20 located vic of (BT 050743). RWB sweep elements were unable to check and boats did not respond to speaker instructions to move ashore. Req appropriate GVN authorities be contacted.		
1305			271305H	RWA (-) Rain/RW SpotRep: RWA(-) B-270400H S,S2 C-BT 115648 to BT 106649 to BT 107658 to BT 092658 D-Company search and clear of HA QUANG (4) and vic to VIEM DONG and vic no enemy contact. LVT ran over mine at coord (BT 098658). E-Numerous trench fortifications, 25 man traps, 50 punji traps and one CHICOM booby trap grenade northwest of HA QUANG. All destroyed. Nothing found in VIEM DONG. LVT had trac blown off by light AT mine. Now being repaired. F-L-N/A M-Found leaflets inciting negro Americans against the war.		
1305			271305H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWB B-270930H C-(BT 080592) S,S2 D-Rep from sweeping elements. Had wire cutters and wire in possession. E-Turned over to ITT. F-J-N/A. K-One VCS L-M-N/A.		
1310			271310H	RWB/RW SpotRep: A-RWB B-270915H C-(BT 055731) S,S2 D-TRAN SON and HUYNH AN picked up in sweep and search of AP NUOC MAN, (BT 055731).- Both were in Village Chief's Black list of VC personnel operating in the area. E-Turned over to ITT. F-J-N/A. K-TWO VCS L-M-N/A.		
1455			271255H	PS2/RW2 Req all info on LVT hitting land mine. S		
1440			271440H	RW3/PS2 See 1400H SpotRep of RWA Ops. S		
LE	1221		271221H	RW2/RWA,D Rpt from PS2: Demonstration today at S THANH THUY, coords (BT 060650). VC have inspired villagers to protest USMC destruction of farms and occupation of area.		
	1650		271650H	Rosemont D/RW2 Trench 30-40 feet long, S,T north end at coordinates (BT 086636). Heard two shots in two passes. One shot each pass fired from center of village, (BT 059634).		
1800			271800H	RWD/RW Located 1,000 pounds of rice and five canoes S,S2 at coord (BT 052652). Attached ARVN said all was VC. Unable to remove and destroyed with flame thrower. Tanks sighted 10 VC with wpns vic of (BT 058631) approx 700 meters south of their blocking positions. Taken under 90mm and MG fire with good effect. Est six VC KIA and four VC WIA.		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops	
						S-Staff	
						F-File	
0001			280001H	JOURNAL OPENED			
0001			Comment	Marble Mountain Airfield under what appears to be mortar attack.	S, S2		
0004			Comment	MCB-9 also appears to be receiving mortar fire.	S, S2		
0010			Comment	MCB-9 receiving small arms.	S, S2		
0012			Comment	Three explosions apparently incoming mortar rounds heard approx 300 meters north of tank CP.	S, S2		
0015			Comment	Mortar fire ceased at MCB-9, although sporadic small arms fire continues.	S, S2		
0030			Comment	Explosions and fires continue in MAG-16 and MCB-9 areas.	S, S2		
0035			280035H	RWCL/RW Received approx 10 rds from one carbine and one auto-wpn from approx 75 meters southwest. Fire was returned and VC broke contact. No casualties and all quiet now.	S, S2		
0045			280045H	RWA/RW3 Received approx 50 rds carbine fire from several directions from approx four VC. Fire was returned and VC broke contact. Engagement lasted from 0030H- 0045H.	S, S2		
0105			280105H	RWC3/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-280015H C-(BT 081697) D-Two auto-wpns opened fire with 10 rds from southwest direction. E-Returned three rds M-79, F-M-N/A.	S, S2		
0120			280120H	RWA/RW SpotRep: A-RWA B-280030H C-(Company Base) D-Eight to ten snipers around perimeter, approx 50 rds incoming small arms, returned fire approx 500 rds 7.62mm. D-M-N/A.	S, S2		
0330			280330H	RWD19/RW A-RWD19 B-2800230H C-(BT 042675) D-Ambush sighted four person moving from north to south 100 meters in west of their position. E-Patrol opened fire and upon cease fire sent out search party with negative results.	S, S2		
0342			280342H	PS2/RW2 Req you contact Rosemont Bravo AO on DAO and have him recon beach area and ocean for boat activity. Rpts indicate VC have entered area via this method. Also, additional VC may use same area.	S, S2		
0520			280520H	RWA6/RW3 Spotted boats southwest 500 meters fired three 90mm rds from tanks, caused large explosion.	S, S2		
0810			280810H	RWC3/RW SpotRep: A-RWC3 B-280015H C-----			
0826			280826H	RWA/RW From 280030 to 280045H, received eight to ten rds carbine sniper fire from three hundred 60 degrees.			

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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops
1047			281047H	RWA/RW SpotRpt: A-RWA B-280930H C-(BT 069692) S,S2 D-Tank on road struck some type of mine, blew escape hatch open and may have sprung a fuel cell. Tank entered road from south while eng were in progress of sweeping. E-Tank being towed to Battalion CP. F-M-N/A.	S-Staff	F-File
1107			281107H	PS2/RW2 Rpt from Shove: Anti-helo stakes located S,T (BT 034687) 15-20 feet apart and about 10 feet tall, in a 300-400 meter area.		
1200			281200H	RWB/RW3 Have completed a thorough search of HEM LOC hamlet vic (BT 054742). Found abundance of Navy-Marine Corps messages, medicine, 782 gear and batteries. Have also searched rice paddy to west of HEM LOC and found a full 20 rd clip of 9mm ammo, four rds of 57mm, batteries for PRC-10 and four "C" ration boxes of technical papers. Also, apprehended 7 VCS and one female VCS in area.	S,S2	
1307			281337H	RW3/PS3 Eng sweep of road from (BT 059740) to (BT 048765) revealed one M-422 from MAG-16 and one truck struck a mine vic of (BT 054750).		
1500			281500H	RWB/RW SpotRpt: A-RWB1 B-281400H - 281500H S,S2 C-(BT 058728) D-Five young males apprehended by plt conducting sweep because they were of military age. E-Suspicious males turned over to HOA VANG Dist Hdqtrs. F-M-N/A.		
1930-			281930H	PS2/I2 Rpt from Wing G-2: At 281500H in (BT 0472) and (BT 0471), two groups of about 50 people each standing in rice paddies sighted by crew chief.		
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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops
0001			300001H	JOURNAL OPENED		
0025			300025H	RWB3/RW Checked out temple, found one sack S, F and one large drum of rice. Have taken sack of rice.		
0125			301wireH	S3/I2 Spotted three boats at (BT 033735). S, F Two boats were empty, one on each side of the River and the third boat was moving in between the two boats.		
0225			301wireH	Orderly/I2 Will send men down in morning to S, F pick up rice.		
0842			300842H	RWD5/RW REF my 291025H. INT disposition of S, F request.		
0559			301059H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD B-300900H C-(BT 054644) S, F, S2 D-An ambush patrol was returning to its PPB when the point was wounded by a sniper armed with an automatic weapon. E-Casualty medevac sniper wounded in the initial exchange of fire and pursued and killed. Before being killed he hid his weapon and during the search for the weapon, which was not successful, one VCS was apprehended at 300915H coordinates (BT 054644) F- N/A G-One H- N/A I-One J- N/A K-One VCS L- N/A M-No ID, possessed narcotics, homemade maps and other papers. Comment: Articles on line M were found on VC KIA.		
1104			301104H	RW/PS3 Request one day delay in installing S, F TPS/21 at (BT 076710) until completion of platform for emplacement and helo drop.		
200			301200H	PS2/RW One pound of TNT located on bridge S, F to Da Nang East. ARVN has recovered it.		
1520			301520H	RWD2/RW 301507H RWD2 completed patrol neg S, F contact. At coordinates (BT 036668) one scarecrow surrounded by punji stakes, blew same. At coordinates (BT 052673) found one scarecrow on treeline booby-trapped with at least two hand grenades, blew same. Heard one sniper round estimated at least 150 to 200 meters off route approximate coordinates (BT 040685) unable to locate sniper, did not return fire.		
1600			301600H	RW/RWD REF SpotRep DTG 300900H. INT what S, F happened to material found on enemy KIA.		
1605			301605H	RWD/RW We have yet to receive material from S, F unit that found KIA. Will send to RW2 as soon as we get it and request disposition.		
1640			301640H	RW/RWD REF SpotRep DTG 300900H. INT number S, F of rounds fired by patrol and by the enemy.		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
1840			wire	OP/I2 Observed flash and white smoke at (BT 050732).	S,F	
1842			301842H	PS2/RW Primary Challenge and password compromised, refer to alternate.	S,F	
1940			301940H	RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD B-301845H C-(BT 062650) S,F,S2 D-Received sniper fire from southeast, southwest and west - 150 meters from CP. Sniper fired 8-10 rounds. E-Returned 50 rounds of small arms fire and two rounds M-79. F-M- N/A		
1955			301955H	PS2/RW At 301815H 3B: Dream discovered suspected VC mortar position at (BT 039729) complete with sunken hole for mortar tube and two triangular diagrams imprinted on surface. One diagram points to MAG-16 area and is in mortar range. Left intact.	S,F	
2004			302004H	PS2/RW Vietnamese will have two patrol boats S,F on river near Da Nang and Cam Le Bridge in GS (BT 0170).		
2032			302032H	RW/PS2 INT will patrol boats be in GS (BT 0473) (BT 0474) (BT 0472) (BT 0573) (BT 0574) or (BT 0572). If so what times.	S,F	
2034			302034H	RW/C1/RW RW2 is at our position employing the SID and claymore mines.	S,F	
2059			302059H	PS/RW REF A Msg 301935H. B. two patrol boats from dusk to dawn in tourane river and China Beach.	S,F	
2236			302236H	PS2/RW REF your Msg 301520H. Co D patrol received one round sniper fire in vicinity scarecrow positioned at (BT 052673), VC position (BT 040685). Coordinates given would indicate 1200 meters range. Request you check.	S,F	
2245			302245H	RW/PS2 REF your 302236H. One round of fire was heard and estimated to have emanated from (BT 048685).		
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IN	OUT				
0001			310001H	JOURNAL OPENED	
0155			310153H	PS2/RW HMM 263 reported hearing Vietnamese voices from LZ Comm flight of 15 UH34D when two Hueys came into land, Vietnamese voices became very excited at coordinates (AT 927627).	S, F
0155			310155H	PS2/RW HMM 263 reported seeing 17 junks clustered around MCB-9 on river bank. Junks were empty vicinity coordinates (BT 062723).	S, F
0835			310835H	RW/PS2 REQ the frame for valid Vietnamese ID cards. Understand cards older than 1965 invalid is this correct.	S, F
0845			310845H	RWC3/RW Have picked up one VCS south of CP #2. We are bringing him back.	S, F
0947			310947H	PS2/RW BEEF your 310830H: No cut off date. If card is similar to ones presently issued, they are valid. In any case where question arises to validity of ID, apprehend person.	S, F
1039			311030H	PS/RW A-Wing G-2 B-314940H C-(BT 1183) D-one unusually large fire.	S, F
1135			311135H	RWD/RW Req hand held sound amplifier for use our interpreter. This PM and 011000H	S, F
1125			311125H	RWC/RW SpotRep A-RWC1 B-310900H C-(BT 071700) S, F, S2 D-Female apprehended because of suspicious ID. Police Chief of HOA LONG advised Bn S-2 to send woman to HOA VANG Dist Hdqtrs. E-Sent to HOA VANG Dist Hdqtrs F-M- N/A	
1250			311250H	RWC/RW SpotRep A-RWC2 B-311035H C-(BT 049739) S, F, S2 D-Male apprehended because he was uncooperative towards patrol checking IDs. E-Sent to HOA VANG Dist Hdqtrs. F-J- N/A K-one suspicious L-M- N/A	
1335			311335H	RW/RWD Req type of VC booby trap found this AM.	S, F
1425			311425H	RWD/RW SpotRep A-RWD1 B-311400H C-(BT 048658) S, F, S2 D-Patrol hit by sniper fire approximately 200 meters north from PPB. One WIA hit in upper arm. Received approximately 15 rounds automatic incoming from the southeast. Returned to PPB. MedEvac accomplished. E-No fire returned. 1st element checking all holes in area. 2nd element completing patrol. F- N/A G-One H-M- N/A	
1747			261747H	RW/RWB Intelligence rating B-2 indicates two platoons MF presently located vicinity (BT 083667) and 300 meters surrounding. Also one VC Bn vicinity (BT 073637) to (BT 102645) to (BT 095630). Take immediate action against	S, F

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IN	OUT				M-Maps	T-Troops
		(cont.)		platoons and combat patrols for Bn. Advise RW3 ASAP of actions.	S-Staff	F-File
1817		311817H		RW/RWD There is reportedly 60 MF VC generally S,F in area bounded by following (BT 030660) to (BT 055667) to (BT 060697) to (BT 030690). Add emphasis north.		
1830		wire		S2/I2 Secret Agent report rated C-3. Approximately S,F 50 VC in vicinity coordinates (BT 035680) Activity unknown.		
1845		wire		S2/I2 Bridge buckled in center (BT 027733). S,F 1/4 ton and below passable only.		
1846		311846H		RWB/RW In regards to last msg concerning VC S,F RWB1 will conduct combat patrol in vicinity (BT 090665) to (BT 083676). RWB will conduct mobile combat patrols for other area in morning.		
1901		311901H		RW/RWD Relayed from Shove. Agent report S,F rated C-3, indicates 50 VC in the vicinity of (BT 035680). Mission unknown.		
013		wire		S2/I2 Shove reports that MG linkage pick up S,F by IB on 28 Oct is from a CHICOM RPD MG. The only known unit to have this weapon are MF units.		
2115		312115H		RWD/RW Be advised that Ngan Trung (1) is S,F considered VC hamlet to the point that children warn VC of patrols' approach. Had planned sweep in conjunction with round-up for PsyWar team planned use of LVTs with team and to bring out suspected rice caches. Int what are capabilities of team? This is third time question has been asked. New Subj: Does new policy on LVTs call for them to be at re-supply point prior to 1800 daily and remain over night. New Subj: ETR this position for Antos.		
2134		312134H		RWD/RW SpotRep: A-RWD B-311845H C-(BT 049676) S,F S2 D-Patrol discovered M-26 hand grenade set in booby-trap. E-Patrol deliberately detonated trap and continued route. Nearing IP patrol heard another explosion in approximately same area believe civilian or VC detonated another booby-trap. E-M- N/A		
2146		312146H		RW/RWD unrated source reported a VC company S,F moving east at 1900 today in vicinity of (BT 035637). No further info available at this time.		
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0100	1	010100H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0200	2	010200H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0300	3	010300H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0350		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3	
0400	4	010400H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0500		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3	
0530	5	010530H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0700		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3	
0700	6	010700H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0736	7	010736H	RWB/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
0915	10	010915H	R73/RWB. Continual WP being fired at coordinates (BT 102642). Do you have any knowledge?	S, F	
1000		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3	
1005	11	011005H	R73/RWB6. Plan a thorough combat patrol of grid squares (BT 0866), (BT 0867), and (BT 0868) for some time in the next couple of days.	S, F	
1030	12	011030H	R73/RWB6. Request time of RWB resupply. RW5 will be with resupply run. New Subj: Does RWB6 have tanks or LVT's with him?	S, F	
1040	13	011040H	RWB6/RW. Time of resupply run up to you. RWB6 has 2 tanks and 1 LVT at his CP.	S, F	
1100	15	011100H	RW3/RWB & C. Request you send in locations and time frames of scout-sniper teams for last 24 hours.	S, F	
1404	17	011404H	RW/RWC. Patrols and ambushes have been submitted to Senator 3 for 4 Oct and 5 Oct. Request you change patrols and ambushes submitted for 4 Oct to 6 Oct.	S, F	
1750	21	011750H	RWC/RW3. RWC1 and RWC CP located at (BT 053664). (new location)	S, F, S, S3	
1805		Wire	S3/I3. A Marine POW is being held near a pagoda at (BT 050645).	S	
1823	22	011823H	RW3/RWC. Be advised there is a Marine POW near a pagoda vicinity of (BT 050645). Request you prepare	S, F	

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			(Cont.)	for a snatch ASAP. Execute before dark if possible.	
1830			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, S3
	1923	23	011923H	RW3/RWC5. Marine POW is named RUSSELL and is from FSR. Advise you to go in at first light with all possible force. However, use maximum stealth and keep tanks and AT's in reserve. Six additional tanks will arrive your CP with one additional platoon at 0600.	S, F
	1952	24	011952H	RW3/RWC5. Be advised that Senator S. F. 6 Actual has expressed personal interest in this operation. We wish that you surround objective prior to dawn and move in at dawn. ETA for AT's at your CP is 0635. Advise this station of your plans.	S, F
1954			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, S3
2020		25	012020H	RWB/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3
2030			Wire	S3/Fertilizer 3 (Info I3). Establish S. F. platoon size blocking force from (BT 053640) to (BT 045645) and AT/infantry blocking position vicinity (BT 032647) by 030630H. Block for Irontree operation vicinity (BT 052645).	
2030	26		012030H	RW3/RWC5. ETA your CP for tanks and friendly forces is 0615H. Friendly forces are RWA1 and RWD3 actual as guide. Sharpshooter B-6 requests that your engineers sweep road prior to their arrival. Advise this station if this is possible.	S, F
2032	27		012032H	RWC/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3
2100	28		012100H	RWB/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3
2105			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, S3
2115	29		012115H	RWC/RW. Am not sure of which road to sweep.	S, F
2120	30		012120H	RW3/RWC5. Sweep road leading into your CP.	S, F

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	2130		Wire	I3/S3. IC has OpCon of snatch operation. Will surround area prior to dawn and close in with 2 platoons. One platoon (Rein) of RWA on 6 tanks will be at IC CP by 0630 and will be committed on order of RWC6.	S	S
2155	31	012155H	RWC/RW3.	Plans for 2 Oct. RWC1 to block from (BT 044649) to (BT 054650), in position by 0545H. 2 squads of RWC3 to block from (BT 053641) to (BT 059643), in position by 0530H. Move tanks and friendly forces arriving this position to vicinity (BT 060648) and sweep west at 0630H.	S, F	S, F
2156	32	012156H	RWB & C/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
2200		Wire	ID1/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S	S3
2200	33	012200H	RWD3/RW.	Now leaving IP.	S, F	S3
2215		Wire	Dream B-4/I3.	Request engineers sweep road south from old French fort to Co "B" CP in the morning.	S	
2217		Wire	I3/Dream B-4.	Negative on request.	S	
2235	34	012235H	RWD3/RW.	Now at check point 1.	S, F	
2246	35	012246H	RWD3/RW.	Now at check point 2.	S, F	
2345	36	012345H	RW3/RWC.	Operation Snatch on 1 Oct. S, F, IA, 3/9 will block vicinity (BT 044647) to (BT 034646) by 0615H. Utilize minimum of 2 platoons to encircle (BT 050645) prior to 0615H. One platoon (Rein) will be at (BT 065640) by 0600H and will be available on request of RWC6. Six tanks with 1 platoon will arrive RWC CP by 0630. RWC has OpCon. RW5 will accompany tanks.	PS3	
2400		Wire	ID1/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S	S3
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				At 0836 Rosemont Golf, the AO, reported continual WP being fired vicinity coordinates (BT 102642). This was in the general area of a Company "B" patrol. At 0920 Company "B" requested a MedEvac at coordinates (BT 118634). The patrol had run into a strong VC force estimated at one MF company. There was one friendly casualty and the enemy broke contact upon the patrol's being reinforced. There were 4 VC KIA (body count) and 3 VC WIA (probable).	
				At 1805 a report was received from Senator 3 that a Marine named RUSSELL from FSR was being held prisoner by the VC near a pagoda at (BT 050645). Plans for a snatch operation were immediately begun.	
				Battery "D", 2d Bn, 12th Marines reported 3 rounds of sniper fire at 2155 from vicinity of (BT 072718). Fire was returned and there were no casualties.	
				During this time all units remained in their current locations and executed a large number of patrols, ambushes, and LP's.	
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0001				Journal opened.	S
0001	1	020001H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0020	2	020020H	RWC & C2/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0100	3	020100H	RWC & B/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0153	4	020153H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0300		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, S3	
0300	5	020300H	RWB/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0315	6	020315H	RWC/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0358	7	020358H	RWB/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0413	8	020413H	RWC/RW. SITREP. all secure.	S, F, S3	
0540		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, S3	
0655	9	020655H	RWA3/RW. We are at helo pad. No one here seems to know who we are or why we are here. Request to know who we are to make liaison with.	S, F	
0705	10	020705H	RW5/RW. Sweep element in position and moving out.	S, F, S3	
0735		Wire	ID1/I3. Road was swept to 1500 meters south of bridge with negative results.	S, S3	
0804	11	020804H	Polish I3/RW. Now in blocking position.	S, F, S3	
0805	17	020805H	RW5/RW. Unfeasible to use tanks in river.	S, F	
0825	19	020825H	Rosemont H/RW. Have 1.5 hours on station. Can set up liaison if needed.	S, F	
0830	20	020830H	RW5/RW. Have almost completed sweep except for two buildings. Now preparing for sweep back.	S, F, S3	
0926	24	020926H	RW3/RWB6. Send platoon back tomorrow with supply run. Platoon from RWA will return with resupply.	S, F	
1000	28	021000H	Rosemont A/RW. Column of friendly troops moving north, about company size. Head of column-(BT 057658) rear-(BT 057649).	S, F, S3	
1000	29	021000H	RW3/RWB6. Request ETA of platoon to be transferred tomorrow at resupply point.	S, F	
1010	30	021010H	RWB/RW. ETA of platoon is 031200L	S, F	

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1107	31	021107H	RWB/RW. RWB will have an ambush S, F in village in grid square (BT 0866).
1310	34	021310H	RWB/RW. RWB has a recon patrol S, F, S in grid square (BT 1164) from 030300H until 030500H. Check points and route previously submitted to RWB. Request you coordinate for H&I's.
1325		Wire	S3/I3. S3 approves use of LVTE1's. S,
1331	35	021331H	RWB/RW3. Scout/sniper teams to S, F be employed as follows: 3 Oct- (BT 092665), 4 Oct-(BT 089667), 5 Oct-(BT 087674), 6 Oct-(BT 091071), and 7 Oct-(BT 093668). RWB will report on scout/sniper teams only when there is activity. LP's will be employed in conjunction with scout/ sniper teams and reported on under same conditions.
1613	36	021613H	RW3/RWB6. Some time between 1600 S, F and 1700 RW6 and a VIP may visit RWB positions. Will let you know if they decide to visit.
1740	39	021740H	RW/RWB3. LVT's will not leave S, F resupply point until 1800 for return to RWB3.
1812	40	021812H	RW3/RWC. Be prepared to have one S, F platoon attack with RWB tomorrow.
1945	42	021945H	RW3/RWB & C. WARNING ORDER: RWB S, F and RWA plus one platoon of RWC alerted for POW recovery mission vicinity grid squares (BT 1063) and (BT 1163) to commence 030600H. RWC will secure and block vicinity (BT 093643) and south. RWA and RWB will sweep from vicinity (BT 093647) to south. CAS will be available at 0630.
2000		Wire	I3/I3. SITREP. all secure. S, F, S3
2038	43	022038H	RWB6/RW3. Int. ETA and time/site S, F of contact with RWA elements.
2100	44	022100H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3

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2100			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
2140	45	022140H		RW3/RWB. Request you detach LVT ASAP for return to Tank Co CP. Need for RWA by 030400H.	S, E
2310	46	022310H		RWD2A/RW. Now crossing IP.	S, F, S3
2357			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL 020001H to 022400H Oct 1965:					
<p>Before dawn plans were put in action for the attempted rescue of of the Marine POW. Units from 3/9 scaled off the area to the west while Company "C", 1/9 surrounded the area from the east. One platoon from Company "A" was sent to the DA NANG EAST helo pad with the mission of quick reaction platoon. At 0730 Redwood 5, who was with Company "C", reported receiving one round of sniper fire. There were no casualties. The AO, Rosemont Hotel, reported at 0730 and 0920 having received small arms fire at (BT 069653) and (BT 053633). Redwood 5 reported having two VCS and at 0930 blew two caves in which they believed VC were hiding. They were not able to determine VC losses, if any. At 1000 the operation was secured.</p> <p>At 0730 a patrol from Company "B" was returning to the Company CP when they received three rounds of small arms fire from (BT 094663), seriously wounding one member of the patrol. Fire was immediately returned, but the VC broke contact and fled.</p> <p>Company "B", at 1151, reported capturing a large cache of rice and tobacco in the vicinity of (BT 069685). This material was</p>					

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0001		030001H	Journal Opened.	S
0035	1	030035H	RW3/RWB, C, & PS3 (Info). Frag Order S, F, S3 No. 16-65. Operations as follows: RWC- same as warning order. RWB move two platoons vicinity (BT 105647) by 0600. Two tanks will make contact with RWA vicinity (BT 100673) by 0610 and move to south with RWA. Three tanks including your two with RWB. Two squads will move vicinity (BT 122634). Remaining tanks and LVT's with RWA will proceed to RWB position. Request RWB provide guides vicinity (BT 113633) for RWA. RWB assume OpCon of RWA when contact is made. All units on 49.0. AO on Battalion TAC net at 0630. One squad of RWB remain vicinity (BT 106647) with four tanks as cover. One platoon of RWA will be moved by helo to LZ to be designated by RWB after con- tact is made with RWA. RWC LOA at (BT 098627). RWB and RWA LOA is north bank of river along grid line (BT 63). Tentatively plan to lift one platoon each of RWA and RWB to this location by helo after operation. LVT's will return to RWB ASA. RWC use two tanks with your unit west of sweep.	
0045	2	030045H	RWD2A/RW. Reentered perimeter. Request S, to secure from net.	S, F
0200		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, F
0255		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, F
0338	3	030338H	RWB6/RW. Now leaving CP.	S, F
0400		Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP. all secure.	S, F
0554	4	030554H	RWA/RW. Leaving CP.	S, F
0639	5	030639H	RWD2/RW. Now at helo pad.	S, F
0800	6	030800H	RW3/RWB. Request you submit patrols and ambushes for your area as you are familiar with area. RWA will pick up up your patrols and ambushes.	S, F
0950	7	030950H	RW/RWA, B, & C. Imperative that ele- ments do not bunch up when reorganizing.	S, F

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		Con't		RWB sends, upon arrival of all elements at LOA, execute previous plan to assemble. Maximum RWA elements return this location with tanks and LVT's. RWB and remaining RWA conduct patrol to RWB CP. Helos for planned lift are not available, LVT's will be returned to RWB2 and remaining RWA elements.	
1105	9	031105H		RWA/RW. SITREP, are at CP.	S. F
1110		Wire		IB/I3. SITREP, are at CP.	S. F
1400	11	031400H		RWD3A/RW. RWD3A at check point 3.	
1508	15	031508H		RWDH3A/RW. Have entered IP and am securing.	S. F
1540	16	031540H		RWD3A/RW. Am securing off net.	S. F
1640	17	031640H		RW3/RWB6. Do you have knowledge of Ontos stuck vicinity (BT 115645)?	S. F
1653	19	031653H		RWB/RW3. Ontos down at (BT 120640) at completion of sweep. Reported 30 minutes to repair. One tank remained to provide security.	S. F
1725		Wire		ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S. F
1725		Wire		Heavyfist C/I3. Ontos on beach has left and is on way back.	S. F
1735		Wire		S3/I3. Prepare two platoons for heli-lift immediately from DA NANG EAST.	S. F
1742		Wire		S3/I3. Warning order: On order two platoons at Marble Mountain airfield OpCon with Fertilize 6. Helilift (AT 960648). Net on frequency 47.8.	S. F
1748	21	031748H		RW22/RWC6. All H&E's in your area to-night will be south of Grid line (BT 62). Do you concur? Affirmative.	S. F
1750	22	031750H		RW22/RWB6. All H&E's in your area to-night will be south of grid line (BT 64). Do you concur? Affirmative.	S. F
1802	1802	23	031802H	RW3/RWE6. One platoon from RWA is waiting at the water point for pick up. Can you pickup?	S. F
1805		24	031805H	RWB/RW. Our LVT is still at water point. Unable to contact them so cannot pick up yet.	S. F

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1810	25	031810H	RW3/RWC. 2 tanks departed here for RWC approximately 5 minutes ago.	S, F	
1850	28	031850H	RWB/RW3. RWB will have a patrol in grid square (BT 0965) 4 Sep from 0500 to 1000.	S, F	
1955	29	031955H	RWBH03X/RW. Have reached check point 1.	S, F	S3
2015	30	Wire	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
2120	31	032120H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
2145		Wire	S3/I3. Friendly patrol in vicinity of water point.	S, F	
2205		Wire	RWD3B/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
2205	32	032205H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
2205	33	032205H	RWDH3A/RW. Now leaving CP.	S, F	S3
2205		Wire	S3/I3. Two platoons and one squad available. Troops will be at Marble Mountain airfield at 040630H. When committed to 3/9 area will be OpCon 3/9. Net on Delta 196.	S, F	
2255		Wire	I3/1D, 1A, & I34. One reinforced platoon of Delta plus remainder of D2 and one reinforced platoon of RW1 depart from motor pool at 040615H and 040700H respectively proceed to DA NANG EAST. Platoon leaders check in with flight operators. Platoons will be on standby for possible employment in 3/9 area. PRC-10's on 40.6. Polish. Take B/A ammo and 2 M61's per man. Platoon leader Company "D" platoon contact each hour VIA LL or Bn TAC commencing 0700H. I34 effect relief on RWA on CP perimeter by 0600H.	S, F	
2235	34	032235H	RWDH3A/RW. Reached Check point 1.	S, F	S3
2300	35	032300H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
2325	36	032325H	RWDH3A/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	S3
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0001			040001H	Journal Opened.	S
0012		1	040012H	RWD3A/RW. Have reached check point 3. S. F.	
0025			Wire	I3/Fertilize 3. Relay to Delta 2. S	
				2 heli-teams did not leave airfield.	
				Returned to CP area.	
0100		2	040100H	RWD3A/RW. Have reached check point 4. S. F.	S3
0101		3	040101H	RWD3A/RW. SITREP. all secure. S. F.	S3
0120			Wire	I3/ID & IA. Platoons slated to go to air-field this morning will not go, but will be involved in another operation. Frag Order forthcoming.	
0145			Wire	S3/I3. POW rescue mission aborted. Continue as before. Two platoons still required on alert at air strip.	S, F
0200		4	040200H	RWD3A/RW. Now entering IP. Checking out of net.	S, F, S3
0205		5	040205H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP. all secure. S. F.	S3
0300		6	040300H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP. all secure. S. F.	S3
0545		7	040545H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP. all secure. S. F.	S3
0720		8	040720H	RWA3/RW. We are now at helo point. S. F.	
0755		9	040755H	RW3/RWB6. Warning Order: Operation SNATCH is back on. Order will follow. S. F.	
0840		10	040840H	RWC/RW. LVT's scheduled to leave this position on resupply run at 1000. S. F. Will I need LVT's for SNATCH? If so, what time?	
0920		11	040920H	RW3/RWB. Request you send LVT's to water point to pick up D1 and two tanks for SNATCH ASAP. RWB6 request to return with LVT's. S. F.	
1000		12	041000H	RW3/RWB & C. Frag Order: POW believed to be located in vicinity of (BT 116-23) in house of Mr. VAN TINH. RWB assigned OpCon. Execute SNATCH ASAP. RWC will provide one reinforced platoon with tanks and LVT's to OpCon RWB as of 1000. Arty can block from (BT 100627) to (BT 110614) to (BT 120614) if requested by B6. Suggest RWC element can block to west. Helos on immediate requirement basis. RWA3 this location as reinforcements.	

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In	Out	Serial Number	DTG	Con't	Request you advise RW3 of plans ASAP. Monroe 6 has personal interest. CAB on strip alert at time specified by RWB6.
1507	13	041507H	RWC/RW. C2 in blocking position in 05 minutes.	S, F	
1540	14	041540H	RW3/RWB6. Do you require INT R-1. Understand INT's on OP's are down. Advise ASAP.	S, F	
1541	15	041541H	RW3/PS3. Troops approaching objective area from east. 3 INT's stuck (BT 120628). C1 will be in position approximately 5 minutes as blocking force. Unable to establish contact with RWB.		
1547	16	041547H	RW3/RWB6. Approximately 25 civilians moving southeast to northwest into village (BT 110619).	S, F	
1557	17	041557H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	
1610	18	041610H	RW3/PS3. 1600 SITREP: All elements in position. Negative results so far. Tanks vicinity (BT 124625) reported fire fight at their vicinity. Results unknown at this time.	S, F	S3
1655	19	041655H	RW3/PS3. 1630 SITREP: RWB6 reports he has completed search of objective area with negative results. Troops not withdrawing yet. Some INT trouble being taken care of now. Tanks report probably 5 VC KIA after 90mm fired on bunker. Not confirmed.		
1800	20	041800H	RW3/RWB6. Have two ontos waiting at bridge for escort to your CP.	S, F	
1816	21	041816H	RW3/RWB6. Ontos have already departed for B3 position with escort.	S, F	
1830	22	041830H	RWB/RW. RWB6 has returned to CP.	S, F	
1855	23	041855H	PS3/RW3. Request info on present status SNATCH patrol. Also request for Sunrise support from present forward position. Int. Status of troops placed OnCon Polish 03 October.	S, F	

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1905	24	041905H	RW3/PS3. RWB6 and RWB returned to RWB CP at 1830H. Operation had negative results.	S, F, S3
1915	25	041915H	RWD1/RW. Now back at this CP.	S, F
1959	26	041959H	RWC6/W. In regards to your last. Negative. Go south at least 500 meters.	S, F
2250	27	042250H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL for 040001H to 042400H Oct 1965				
<p>At 040615H a patrol from Company "B" ran into three VC dressed in black and carrying grenades at (BT 096654). The patrol fired on the VC and in turn received fire from other VC in the area. The patrol returned fire and assaulted the VC positions killing four VC.</p> <p>Company "B" conducted operation SNATCH this morning in an effort to recover a Marine who was captured by the VC and reported being held at (BT 116623).</p> <p>Company "D", reinforced with two tanks, provided blocking forces from (BT 110614) to (BT 120614). Operations was completed at 041630H with negative results.</p> <p>Four VCS were captured during the operation in the same vicinity. Three Chinese Communist grenades were captured during the encounter. The VCS were turned over to ITT.</p> <p>The day was concluded without further incident.</p>				
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0001		050001H		Journal Opened.	S
0025	1	050025H		RWD4A/RW. Now at check point 3.	S, F, S3
0052	2	050052H		RWD4A/RW. 200 meters past check point 3.	S, F, S3
0105	3	050105H		RWD4A/RW. Now at check point 4.	S, F, S3
0137	4	050137H		RWD4A/RW. Have reached IP. Request to secure from net.	S, F, S3
0145		Wire		ID3B/RW. SITREP, all secure. IB all S, F secure.	
0244	7	050244H		RWB/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0350		Wire		ID3B/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0400	8	050244H		RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0825	9	050825H		R/3/R/C5. Sitmap shows RW1 (BT 055664), S, F RWC2 (BT 048668), R/C3 (BT 062642). Are these incorrect correct? Is	S, F
1100		Wire		S3A/I3. Effective immediately. Dream B provide 3 LVT's OpCon 3/9. Company (-) OpCon 1/9. Smokeroom B provide 1 heavy section (3 mms and 1 search-light) OpCon 3/9. Company (-) OpCon 1/9. Can utilize ASP vehicles. Heavyfist C provide 2 platoons OpCon 3/9. 1 platoon OpCon 1/9.	S, F
1125	11	051125H		RW3/PS3A. Have contacted Smokeroom B5 on your LL message. Unable to contact Heavyfist C because of radio relay.	S, F
1125		Comment		Shove 6 arrived here by helo. Will visit MLR companies.	S
1245	12	051245H		RW3/HWB & C. On todays supply run there will be one scout sniper team for each company. Company Commander should make maximum use of these.	S
1248	13	051248H		R/C5/RW. Correction on position of RWC2. RWC2 is at vicinity (BT 047668).	S, F
1420	15	051420H		R/3/R/C. Operation overlay being sent sent on resupply today. Execute with 2 platoons. Advise RW3 of plans and size of units to be involved. Time of execution is 060500H.	S, F
1552	16	051552H		RW3/RWB. Pass to R/3. Advise Slavehorn S, Bravo 4 actual that RW3 suggests use of 2 LVT's to be at water point at 060900 for resupply run for RW3 tomorrow.	S, F

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1730	21	051730H	RW/RWB & C. Request concurrence to fire on (BT 080635). Squad of VC.	S, F	
1735	22	051735H	RW/RWB & C. Change of coordinates on squad of VC (BT 089634).		
1800	Comment		Fire mission fired at (BT 089634).		
1805	Comment		Second fire mission. Fired at (BT 089634).		
1815	Comment		AO who controlled fire missions reported excellent effect on target. All he can see in target area is what appears to be blood spots on the ground.		
2004	23	052004H	RWD5A/RW. Leaving IP.	S, F	
2022	24	052022H	RWD5A/RW. At check point 1.	S, F	
2105	25	052105H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	
2106	26	052106H	RWD5A/RW. At check point 2.	S, F	
2152	27	052152H	RWD5A/RW. At check point 3.	S, F	
2210	28	052210H	RWD5A/RW. At check point 4.	S, F	
2212	29	052212H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	
2250	30	052250H	RWD5A/RW. At check point 5.	S, F	
2253	31	052253H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F	
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL for 050001H to 052400H Oct 1965.					
<p>At 050100H a patrol from Company "B" observed three VC running at (BT 047668). The VC threw one hand grenade at the patrol and ran into the bunker. One hand fragmentation grenade was thrown into the bunker. The bunker was not checked out until the next morning. No evidence of any VC casualties was found. This patrol continued its mission and at 050130H they spotted 11 VC and fired on them. The VC returned fire with one automatic weapon and two semi-automatic weapons. The patrol returned fire with small arms and the VC broke contact. No friendly casualties were sustained. The patrol returned to the CP at 050145H without further enemy contact.</p> <p>At 051730H Company "B" requested an artillery fire mission at (BT 080635).</p>					

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0001			060001H	Journal Opened.	S
0010	1		060010H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0104	1		060104H	RWD3/RW. Now leaving IP.	S, F, S3
0300	5		060300H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0347	6		060347H	RWC4/RW. RWC is heading for their position.	S, F
0543	8		060543H	RWC4/RW. RWC has been in position for S, F 25 minutes. Unable to contact Beaverskin.	
0600	9		060600H	R/B/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0645	10		060645H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0715	11		060715H	RWD3/RW. Have reached PPR at (BT 049716). Will psychological warfare team come to RWD3's position and if so, what time.	S, F
0750	13		060750H	RW3/RWD3. Ref. your 0715H. Affirmative S, F on psychological warfare team. 2 LV's should arrive vicinity of (BT 050722) about 1000H.	
1000		Comment		Senator 6 visited this position.	
1020	20		061020H	RW3/RWD3. Int. Propriety of using psychological warfare team in view of enemy contact. Can probably get FO's to you by helo later today. Advise ASAP.	S, F
1107	25		061107H	RWD3/RW. Ref. your 061030H. Patrol has returned. Interpreter talked to 100 civilians. He estimates between 50 and 70 will be here by 1200. Would be advantageous to have team. LZ is secure. Approximately 25 civilians have already arrived.	S, F
1125		Wire		RW6/RW. Now departing Senator CP. ETA 1145H IT CP.	S, F
1145	26		061145H	RW3/RWD3. Be advised psychological warfare team will not be at your position. FO team and village chief will arrive approximately 1300H.	S, F
1154	27		061154H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
1220	28		061220H	RW3/RWD3. Be advised 81 FO team will arrive by helo at 061300H. Village Chief will not come. Ensure LZ is secure. Mark with green smoke.	S, F

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1237		29	061237	RWD3/RW. Ref. your 061221H. Be advised LZ will be marked with yellow smoke. Request to know what we are to do with 150 civilians at 1300H. Will any propaganda material be sent on Helo? RV3/RWD3. Ref. your 1237H. Have interpreter speak to people and pass current info to them. Psychological warfare team could not make it. No paper work available. Helos on way.	S, F
1322		32	061322H	RW3/RWD3. Ref. your 1237H. Have interpreter speak to people and pass current info to them. Psychological warfare team could not make it. No paper work available. Helos on way.	S, F
1555		35	061555H	RW3/RWB. RW46 requests you send LVT's to water point by 070800H. RW3 suggest 1 platoon return at that time.	S, F
1608		37	061608H	RW3/PS3. RWC was released by Beaver skin 56 at 061505H and is now back at their CP. Nothing unusual to report.	S, F
1629		40	061629H	PS3/RWB. Request patrols from Companies "B" and "C" for period 061800H to 091800H ASAP.	S, F
1755		45	061755H	R13/RWB & D. Request you send locations and times of employment of special scout sniper teams by 061800H.	S, F
1810		47	061810H	RWB6/RW. Ref. location, time, and employment (BT 098657) from 060400H to 061200H. Request you send info ASAP.	S, F
1930		52	061930H	RWC/RW. RWC6E will not run tonight due to communication problems.	S, F
2010		Wire		S3/13. Gen. KRULAK visits 9 October. Present plans do not include IronTree. Senator Brewster visit planned 100935H to 101050H. Briefing and tour at décretation of IronTree 6.	S, F
2030		53	062030H	RWD6A/RW. Leaving IP.	S, F
2105		54	062105H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2125		55	062125H	RWD6A/RW. At check point 1.	S, F
2130		56	062130H	RWB/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2151		57	062151H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2200		58	062200H	RWD6A/RW. At check point 2.	S, F
2252		59	062252H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2300		60	062300H	RWD6A/RW. At check point 3.	S, F
2330		61	062330H	RWD6A/RW. At check point 4.	S, F

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2347		62	062347H	RWB & C/HM. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL for 060001H to 062400H Oct 1965.					
<p>At 060845H the 1st platoon of Company "C" received sporadic sniper fire from (BT 043647). The 1st platoon took the snipers under fire and observed two fall. The remaining VC withdrew to the north. Two VC were possibly killed. The bodies were not recovered. The 1st platoon also apprehended one VCS in the same vicinity.</p> <p>At 060845H the 3rd platoon of Company "D" received one round of sniper fire at (BT 048714) wounding one Marine in the left leg. One squad was dispatched to investigate the area with negative results.</p> <p>At 060730H the 3rd platoon of Company "B" picked up approximately two tons of rice at (BT 072676). The rice was picked up by LVT's and taken to the bridge at (BT 072702) where it was turned over to the Village Chief.</p> <p>At 061330H a patrol from the 3rd platoon, Company "D" was fired on three different times by what they thought were carbines and M-1's in the vicinity of (BT 052713). The patrol returned fire and the VC broke contact. The area was investigated and a blood trail was found. No friendly casualties were sustained. The patrol returned to their CP with no further enemy contact.</p>					
2400			062400H	Journal Closed.	S

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			S-Staff
			T-Troops
			W-File
0001		070001H	Journal Opened. S
0130	1	070130H	RWD3, B, & C/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3
0154	2	070154H	RWC & B/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3
0200		Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3
0200	3	070200H	RWD3/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3
0253	4	070253H	RWD3/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F
0300		Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure. S
0353	5	070353H	RWC, D, & E/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F
0505	6	070505H	RWB & C/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3
0600	7	070600H	RWB, C, & D3/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F, S3
0650	8	070650H	RWB, C, & D3/RW. SITREP, all secure. S, F
1125	16	071125H	RW3/RW46. Have reliable report. 3 tons of VC rice cache at (BT 087681). S, F
			Will send Village Chief to your position with resupply run on 8 October. Request you provide platoon combat patrol and LVT's to make pick up.
1.1	1319	24	RW3/RWA. R/T will have friendly fire falling at grid square (BT 0868) and (BT 0869) from 0900H to 1400H 8 Oct. S, F
1445	25	071445H	RW3/RWA & B. Frag Order #16. Ref. S-2 Order of Battle of 6 Oct. 65 with overlay. RWB1 reinforced with lichi section of ontos, mine clearance team, and 81 FO team will search from LOD between (BT 069692) and (BT 068687) and (BT 080678) and (BT 062674). Upon arrival at LOA conduct combat patrol northwest of and north to (BT 072702). Cross LOD at 080600H. Sweep road from water point to LOD. R/A3 provide block from (BT 073676) to (BT 076674) from departure and be in by 0600H. Secure when Alpha 81 FO departs from LOA. Both elements on Battalion TAD net by 0500H. Ensure B/A all weapons adequate smoke. RON's kept with units until completed. S, F
1627	27	071627H	RW3/RWC. Send engineers with all equipment and rear on supply run to battalion CP 8 Oct. Info engineers to bring NEBITT'S gear too. S, F

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1735	32	071735H	R/A/RJ. SITREP, established CP at (BT 092667)	S, F
1741	33	071741H	R/5/R/C6. & A6. R/C and R/A each send 2 men to this location on supply run tomorrow. Men will be assigned to mess duty.	S, F
1747	36	071747H	R/22/R/C6. Request you send coordinates and concentration number for H&I fires ASAP.	S
1800	37	071800H	R/A6/R/5. RVA has one man on mess duty at present. Request to know if RVA can be exempt from any further requirements. Reply: Affirmative.	S, F
1840	38	071840H	R/C/R/5. Change plan for S. Oct. ie. read airburst at coordinates (BT 056618) from 060245H to 081830H. Tanks moved 1 squad plus to coordinates (BT 062633). Squad sweep south from coordinates (BT 060620) to (BT 080830). Tanks will move to coordinates (BT 059638) to provide support.	S, F
1900	39	071900H	R/W1/R/A6. Be advised due to transportation difficulties, R/AAB will return your position on resupply run 8 Oct.	S, F
1935	41	071935H	R/A4/R/C6. Be advised to change IZ numbers to the following: C-1 to 21, C-2 to 22, and C-3 to 23. Senator desires change ASAP. If H&I's are desired, send coordinates in prior to 1100H so they can be approved.	S, F
2007	42	072007H	R/3/RVA. Int. have you cancelled P/AB S, F commencing 080200H.	S, F
2035	43	072035H	R/3/R/C. Ref. your 071955H. Request to know how serious and what type of wounds T-2109345 received. Reply: Superficial wound to upper calf, will be evacuated on resupply run tomorrow.	S, F
2040	44	072040H	R/W1/RJ. Negative was postponed to 080600H.	S, F
2100	47	072100H	R/C/R/3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2101	48	072101H	R/R/7A/RJ. Now at check point 1.	S, F

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2125	49	072125H	R/D3/RJ.	Location of new PPR coordinates (BT 047713). Will send out local security patrols.	S, F
2200	50	072200H	R/A/RJ.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
2205	51	072205H	RUB7A/RJ.	We are now at ambush site.	S, F
2207	52	072207H	RWC/RJ.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
2210	53	072210H	ID2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
2245	53	072245H	TJ3/RJ.	For confirmation request you send TDC and TDR for R/AIR patrol.	S, F
2300	Wire		ID2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
2303	54	072303H	RWC/RJ.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
2304	55	072304H	R/A/RJ.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
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At 070530H a scout sniper team from Company "C" in a concealed position at (BT 067634) was discovered by four civilians who ran southeast away from the team, giving their position away. The team opened fire on a suspected enemy position and received fire from (BT 061632). Two tanks with one squad of infantry arrived and swept through the objective area destroying one bunker at (BT 063634). No VC were found. No friendly casualties were sustained.					
At 070700H a patrol from Company "D" fired on two VC at (BT 053714). The patrol chased the VC into a nearby village but was unable to find them. The patrol continued its mission without further contact.					
At 071050H a patrol from the 3rd platoon, Company "D" was fired on at (BT 057706) by six VC using two automatic weapons and semi-automatic rifles from three directions. The patrol returned fire with automatic and semi-automatic weapons and M-79 fire. The VC broke contact. One Marine sustained a minor wound which did not require evacuation.					

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0001			080001H	Journal Opened.	S
0001		1	080001H	RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0004			Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S
0014	2		080014H	RW3/RWA. Notify this station before sending out RWA8 due to possible interference with H&I's.	S, F
0030	3		080030H	RWB7A/RW. Now leaving ambushes.	S, F
0047	4		080047H	RWB7A/RW. Now at check point 2.	S, F
0100	5		080100H	RWB7A/RW. Have entered CP and am securing from nets.	S, F
0115	6		080115H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0158	7		080158H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0200			Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0255	8		080255H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0300			Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0400			Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0411	9		080411H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0500			Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0510	10		080510H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0526	11		080526H	RWC/RW. As of 0500H all secure. Have S, F lost contact with RWCH7C. They had firing coming from their position. They are approximately 25 minutes late.	
0532	12		080532H	RWC2/RW. RWCH7C has reached check point 2.	S, F
0600			Wire	ID2/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0602	13		080602H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0623	14		080623H	RWA3/RW. SITREP, are now in position.	S, F
0724	15		080724H	RWC3B/RW. Have found the house with concrete containers of rice. Request instructions.	S, F
0745	16		080745H	RWB1/RW. Left LOD 0730H.	S, F
0825	17		080825H	RWB1/RW. Now 300 yards from LOD.	S, F
0839	18		080839H	RWB1/RW. Starting patrol north.	S, F
0842	21		080842H	RW3/RWC & A. Use extreme caution in checking rice caches. Several recently found booby trapped with grenades inside rice.	S, F
0852	22		080852H	RW3/RWC3. RRF. your message 080724H Pick up rice and return to water point on resupply run. Int. possibility of using sand bags to transport rice?	S, F

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				Request to know amount of rice and location found.	
0838	0938	25	080938H	RW3/RWD3. Be advised resupply will arrive your position by helo at 081300H. Advise this station of dis-position.	
0944	26	080944H		RWD3/RW. Disposition of LZ is secure. S, F and dry. Will be marked with green star cluster.	
1038	31	081038H		RWB8C/RW. Have reached check point 1. S, F	
1055	32	081055H		RW3/RWA & C. Frag Order 17. No S, F change of enemy situation. Increased enemy activity in rear areas. Units will stabilize platoon and company CP's east to west generally between grid lines (BT 66) and (BT 67). Only change of present positions will be C3. Recommend they move to vicinity of grid square (BT 0366). Patrols, ambushes, and night ambushes will reflect emphasis on rear area and combat patrols south will continue. RWC place particular attention on river traffic. Reorganization to be completed by 9 October. Minimize north-south LVT and tank traffic. Helo resupply for period 10-13 October being planned with LZ's at B3, C1, and Bravo CP further info to be provided.	
1101	34	081101H		RW3/RWA6. Regarding tanks. Those S, F which returned yesterday were deadlined by Smokeroom B6. Am working on return to your location. Unable to arrange for village chief until later today. Will notify LVT's to return ASAP. Will give you info later on arrangements to snatch cache.	
1124	35	081124H		RWB8C/RW. Now at check point 2. S, F	
1137	36	081137H		RWA/RW. RWA will register mortars at S, F coordinates (BT 098668) and (BT 088648) at 1200H.	
1158	38	081158H		RW3/RWA & C. Ref. Frag Order 17 DTG 081055H. Change LZ's listed as B3, C1, to B3, C2. (Classification)	

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1213	40	081213H	RWB8C/RW. Returned to CP.	S, F	
1224	41	081224H	RW3/RWA6. Subject is 81 H&I's and registration. Prior approval must be obtained from RW to fire, except in combat emergency. Higher headquarters has to approve firing during periods of heavy air traffic. Message on H&I's being sent to you via FO net.	S, F	
1438	48	081438H	RW3/RWA6. Be advised no AT's or tanks available. All sick. Helo will arrive your CP at approximately 1600H with passengers. Button Maroon.	S, F	
1439	49	081439H	RW3/RWC6. Be advised no tanks available. S, F 2 AT's with LVT's will arrive your location.	S, F	
1522	50	081522H	RW3/RWD3. Submit patrols, ambushes, and LP plans for 081800H to 090800H.	S, F	
1529	51	081529H	RWD3/RW. Have no plans to run patrols, S, F ambushes, and LP's. Will run local security patrols.	S, F	
1555	52	081555H	RW3/RWD3. Be advised you are required S, F to conduct a minimum of 1 patrol, 1 ambush, and 1 LP per night. Advise this station of such plans ASAP. Must also know location of new PFB.	S, F	
1618	53	081618H	RWD3/RW. No min. for patrols, ambushes, S, F. S3 and LP's was imposed due to change and Operation Order. Location of PFB is changed from this morning. New location is (BT 076710).	S, F	
1900	54	Wire...	ID2/13. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
2034	57	082034H	RW3/RWC6. Dispatch LVT's with 1 squad S, F of D1 to (BT 053688) to arrive by 090800H to pick up D3. LVT's will then proceed to water point. Pick up new C2 and go to point designated by RWC6. Remainder of D1 will be returned on normal supply run. Acknowledge receipt.	S, F	
2100	59	082100H	RWA, C, & D3/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3	
2108	60	082108H	RWB8A/RW. Now crossing IP.	S, F	

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2145	61	082145H	EW3/RWG. Be advised arty will fire mission at platoon of VC vicinity of (BT 056633) ASAP. VC may try to escape across river into your area. Alert all elements in that vicinity.	S. P
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL for 080001H to 082400H October 1965				
<p>At 080430H the 1st platoon, Company "B" reinforced with two ontos, one engineer team, and one PO team conducted a mine detection/search and destroy mission.</p> <p>At 080535H the patrol uncovered an AP mine at (BT 071699). The mine was blown in place. After clearing approximately 1500 meters, the platoon reached the LOD and commenced the search and destroy portion of the platoon mission at 080730H. At this time the platoon apprehended one VCS. At 080900H the platoon apprehended eight VCS in a rice paddy at (BT 074689). The platoon returned to the LOD at 081015H. Five of the VC that were captured were cleared by the village chief. The remaining four were turned over to HOA VANG District Headquarters.</p> <p>The 3rd platoon, Company "C" found 250 gallons of rice at (BT 059641) at 080724H. The rice was loaded aboard LVT's and returned to the bridge at (BT 072702) where it was turned over to the village chief.</p> <p>At 082230H a patrol from Company "B" apprehended one suspicious person found in a cave hiding under a blanket. This man did not have an ID card and was turned over to HOA VANG District Headquarters.</p> <p>At 082240H Company "A" received five rounds of small arms sniper fire at (BT 092667) from 100 yards south of their position. Fire was returned with four 40 mm and 25 small arms rounds and the</p>				

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0100		Wire	ID2/13	SITREP. all secure.	S	
0200		Wire	ID2/13	SITREP. all secure.	S	
0300		Wire	ID2/13	SITREP. all secure.	S	
0310	1	090310H	RWA, C. & D3/RW.	SITREP. all secure.	S, F	S3
0400		Wire	ID2/13	SITREP. all secure.	S, F	S3
0405	2	090405H	RWA, C. & D3/RW.	SITREP. all secure.	S, F	S3
0459	3	090459H	RWA, C. & D3/RW.	SITREP. all secure.	S, F	S3
0515		Wire	ID2/13	SITREP. all secure.	S, S3	
0600		Wire	ID2/13	SITREP. all secure.	S, S3	
0603	4	090603H	RWD3 & C/RW.	SITREP. all secure.	S, F	
0708	5	090708H	RWD3/RW.	Now leaving PFB for RW CP.	S, F	
1030	6	091030H	RW3/RWAC & C.	RWA and RW/C will each have 2 tanks by 091700H. Because of extreme maintenance problems, their employment will be emergency only.	S, F	
1035	7	091035H	RWB9C/RW.	Now leaving Bn. CP. Checking into net.		
1040	8	091040H	RW3/RWC6.	Int. Relocations in compliance with Frag Order 17. Request you provide coordinates of all units ASAP.	S, F	
1110	10	091110H	RW3/RWA & C.	Subject is helo supply run period 10 to 14 October. Time to commence is 1300H daily. Order of delivery will be Alpha CP, Alpha 3, and Charlie CP. Will require supply run needs by LZ submitted 1800 daily. Effective 09 October. Loads will be internal only.	S, F	
1135	12	091135H	RWA/RW.	A2's mission is successful.	S, F	
1140	13	091140H	RWB9C/RW.	VIP in vicinity, will notify you when he is in immediate area.		
1150	14	091150H	RWB9C/RW.	Now at destination and laying out.	S, F	
1201	15	091201H	RW3/RWC.	Int. ETA of Delta 2 this position?		
1248	16	091248H	RWB9C/RW.	SITREP. all secure.	S, F	
1300	17	091300H	ROC/RW22.	RWC platoon coordinates are 1st (BT 055664), 2nd (BT 047668) and 3rd (BT 037673).	S, F	
1315	18	091315H	RW3/RWA & C.	Request info on number of VN civilians treated today. Due 091600H.	S, F	

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1417	20	091417H	PS3/RW3.	Request SITREP.	S, F
1658	21	091658H	RW3/RW4.	Int. Resupply requirements for tomorrow.	S, F
1750	22	091750H	RW3/RWD2.	Be advised it was reported by RWD3 that there are mines at (BT 049712). Take necessary precautions.	S, F
1810	23	091810H	RWD2/RW.	PPB located at (BT 057704).	S, F
1810	24	091810H	RW14/Rosemont F.	Request you check out grid squares (BT 0471, 0472, 0571, and 0572). Check for any unusual activity. Also check grid square (BT 0564 and 0664) for harvesting of rice.	S, F
1820	25	091820H	Rosemont F/RW14.	Checked grid squares S, F (BT 0471, 0472, 0571, and 0572). Found no unusual activity. Checked grid squares (BT 0564 and 0664) and found large stakes at (BT 067650).	
1845	26	091845H	RW3/RWA.	Your INT's will not return S, F to your CP tonight due to mechanical difficulties. Will return 10 October.	
1902	27	091902H	IB2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
1910	28	091910H	PS3/RW3.	This is to confirm Brewster S, F schedule. 100935 arrive RW CP, 100935- 101050 briefing, RWCP and helo tour of TAOR including landing at Marble Mountain. 101050 depart RW CP.	
1930	29	091930H	PS3/RW3.	Submit Command chronology S, F ASAP.	
1932	30	091932H	RW14/RW46.	Be advised all INT's have S, F been approved.	
1937	31	091937H	PS3/RW3.	No rice harvest tomorrow.	S, F
1955	32	091955H	RW4/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2000	33	092000H	IB2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2105	34	092105H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2105	Wire		IB2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2105	35	092105H	RWA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2205	36	092205H	RWA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2205	Wire		IB2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2205	37	092205H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2300	Wire		IB2/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F

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2400		Wire	182/13	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL for 090001H to 092400H Oct 1965					
<p>At 091000H the 2nd platoon, Company "A" found two large jugs of rice buried on the trail at (BT 084682). The rice was buried ten days ago on order of the VC, who were to return later and pick the rice up. The rice was picked up and turned over to the HOA HAI Village Chief.</p> <p>At 091500H a patrol from Company "A" received sniper fire at (BT 092655) from four VC from (BT 090653). The VC were believed to be firing one automatic carbine and two or three semi-automatic weapons. The patrol returned fire with small arms and two 3.5 rounds. The sniper fire ceased. Two VCS were captured and turned over to HOA VANG District Headquarters.</p>					
2400		092400H		Journal Closed.	S

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0001				100001H	Journal opened.	S
0002		1		100002H	RWD2/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0003		2		100003H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0100			Wire		ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
0100		3		100100H	RWD2, A, & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0110		4		100110H	RWH9A/RW. Now reentering perimeter.	S, F, S3
0200		5		100200H	RWD2, A, & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0300		6		100300H	RWD2, A, & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0300			Wire		ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
0410		7		100410H	RWA, C, & D2/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0644		8		100644H	RW3/RWC. Request SITREP of rice cache reported in your area and action taken. Advise ASAP.	S, F
0645		9		100645H	RWC/RW. Be advised RWC3 is now departing for rice cache and is taking 2 LVT's, 2 tanks, and 2 squads.	S, F
0740		10		100740H	RW3/RWC. Ref. my msg 100644H. Int. action taken last night. Keep this station informed on today's action.	S, F
0823		11		100823H	RWC/RW. RWC3 is down in position picking up rice. No enemy contact.	S, F
0900		13		100900H	RW14/RWA6 & C6. Heli resupply will commence at 1300 for RWA CP, RWA3, and RWC CP, respectively. Button MAROON or Battalion TAC Net. Use smoke.	S, F
0916		15		100916H	RW3/RWC. Patrols RWC10 and 10D have been cancelled due to change of RWC3. Request you send replacement ASAP.	S, F
0927		16		100927H	RWC/RW3. RWC3 still picking up rice with negative enemy contact.	S, F
1053		17		101053H	RW3/RWA. Request to know if you plan to send LVT's to water point today for water resupply. If affirmative give ETA at water point.	S, F, DBA

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(Cont.)				(Reply was affirmative and an ETA at water point of 1130 was given.)
1130	22	101130H		RWA/RW3. RWA3 has a woman with a wound in her thigh. They do not know what happened to her. Request to evacuate her by helo resupply. (Permission granted to do so.)
1140	23	101140H		RWC6/RW14. Request to know ETA of helo resupply at this position.
1210	25	101210H		RW3/RWC6. Ref. your msg 101140H. S, F Hilos will depart this position at 1300.
1220	26	101220H		RWD2/RW. Be advised LZ is at coordinates (BT 059709). S, F
1325	29	101325H		RW3/RWA. Be advised you will have S, F two LVT's, two tanks, and two AT's in your support.
1505	32	101505H		RW3/RWA. Request you send in two S, F LVT's for resupply run. LVT's will return ASAP.
1550	36	101550HQ		RW3/RWA. Request you use standard S, F SPOTREP format. Request to know more info on booby trap incident.
1610	38	101610H		RW3/RWA6 & C6. RW3 does not desire S, F to schedule patrols, ambushes, and night ambushes for companies of this Battalion. However when minimum requirements are not met or time of submission is not met, this Headquarters will schedule and inform companies. This requirement is laid on by higher Headquarters and must be met. Plans must be into this Headquarters at least 56 hours prior to time of execution. If helo or LVT's cannot deliver, then transmit via radio.
1750	45	101750H		RWD2/RW. New PPB at (BT 049717). S, F, M, S3
1847	48	101847H		RWD2/RW. Have changed PPB to (BT 040715). Patrol you requested to check out boat traffic on river has departed.

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1923		54	101923H	RWD2/RW. Patrol sent to check out S, F, S3 river traffic has returned with negative results.	
2035			Wire	S3/I3. 591st RF Co located vicinity S, F (BT 025679).	
2100			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S
2150		55	102150H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2155			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S
2222	2222	56	102222H	RW3/RWC. 591st RF Co is operating S, F in grid squares (BT 0267) and (BT 0268).	
2235		57	102235H	RWA/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S
2255			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S
2300		58	102300H	RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2355			Wire	ID1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S
2355		59	102359H	RWA/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL 100001H to 102400H Oct 1965:					
<p>The Battalion S-2 Officer received a report of a VC rice cache at (BT 059641) and that the VC were to pick up the rice the following night. At 150730H the 3d Platoon, Company "C" plus one squad, two LVT's, and two tanks went to (BT 059641) to pick up the rice. Security was set up at the location of the rice and the rice was collected and loaded into the LVT's and taken to the bridge at (BT 072712) and was later turned over to the village chief. This rice was collected from five different houses.</p> <p>At 101030H a patrol from Company "A" made contact with four VC at (BT 112651). The VC broke contact and the patrol pursued with negative results. No friendly casualties were sustained. At 101400H this same patrol received several rounds of sniper fire from the eastern edge of the village at</p>					

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		(Cont.)		(BT 095655). The patrol returned fire with small arms, 40mm, and 3.5 rounds. The VC withdrew to the west and were taken under fire by 81mm mortar fire from Company "A" s CP.
				At 101400H the 1st squad, 3d Platoon, Company "A" apprehended one VCS as he was fleeing from the 2d Platoon, Company "A". The VCS was turned over to ITT.
				At 101425H a patrol from Company "A" tripped a booby trap in the vicinity of (BT 075677) wounding two Marines. The booby trap was reported to be a booby trapped AP mine, probably a frag grenade that was booby trapped with a plunger device. The two wounded men were air evacuated and the patrol continued.
				At 101535H in the vicinity of (BT 092668) Company "A" received 30 rounds of semi-automatic sniper fire. Fire was returned with three 3.5 rounds, eight 81mm mortar rounds, and 30 7.62mm rounds. The enemy fire ceased.
				At 101820H the 3d Platoon, Company "C" received 20 rounds of sniper fire at (BT 038673) from an azimuth of 230 (magnetic). The platoon returned fire with small arms fire and the enemy fire ceased.
				A four day patrol dispatched by Company "D" received one round at 101830H in the vicinity of (BT 049717). The round wounded two Marines in the knees, both of which were evacuated by helicopter. One squad was sent to investigate the area but no enemy were found.
				At 101835H the 1st Platoon, Company "C" received one round at (BT 049717). The round wounded two Marines in the knees, both of which were evacuated by helicopter. One squad was sent to investigate the area but no enemy were found.
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0001				Journal opened.	S
0055		Wire	IB1/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
0100	1	110100H	R7A/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S
0111	2	110111H	RWC/RW..	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0200		Wire	IB1/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
0230	3	110230H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0230	4	110230H	RWA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0300	5	110300H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0300		Wire	IB1/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
0300	6	110300H	RWA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0404	7	110404H	RWA & C/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0405		Wire	IB1/I3.	SITREP, all secure.	S, S3
0504	8	110504H	RWA & C/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0557	9	110557H	RWA & C/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F, S3
0903	11	110903H	PS3/RW3.	Request status of Command	S, F
			Chronology that was to have been submitted on 8 Oct.		
0906	12	110906H	RWC/RW14.	Int. will helo resupply	S, F
			go as scheduled.		
0947	13	110947H	RW14/RWA6 & C6.	Helo resupply	S, F
			will commence at approximately 1300 today starting with RWA6, RWA3, and RWC6, respectively. Button MAROON or Battalion TAC. Use smoke.		
1005	14	111005H	RW3/PS3.	Ref. your msg 100903H.	S, F
			Plan to submit this afternoon.		
1025	15	111025H	RW3/RWC.	For the past several days	S, F
			the AO's have reported increased traffic on the SONG VINH DIEN River, especially in vicinity of (BT 0470), (BT 0369), (BT 0563), and (BT 0564). AO saw three boats at (BT 032685) and six boats at (BT 032693) this morning.		
1222	16	111222H	RW22/RWA6 & C6.	Request to register	S, F
			at (BT 085625) from 1245 to 1600.		
			Do you concur?		
1223	17	111223H	RWD2/RW.	Now at water point.	S, F
1225	18	111225H	RWA & C.	Ref. your 111222H. We	S, F
			concur.		
1310	20	111310H	RW6/RW3.	RWD2 has permission to	S, F
			return to CP.		

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In	Out					Taken: M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops F-File
1545	250	111545H	RW6/PS6. Am unable to make contact S, F on LL as requested. If urgent, can proceed via road. ETA-1600. Advise.			
1605	26	111605H	PS6/RW6. In regards to your msg 111545H. Trip not necessary. Contact when able on LL.			
1735	30	111735H	R7C/RW3. Will use overlays you sent out today for 14 Oct.			S, F
1945	33	111945H	RW3/RWC6. Provide continuous security for and cover by fire the river block vicinity (BT 032663). Suggest advisability of relocation of RWC3 to accomplish this mission.			S, F
2030	35	112030H	RW3/RWA. Request to know time of return of RWA11F ambush. Int. have any patrols been cancelled? Advise ASAP.			S, F
2040	36	112040H	RWA/RW3. RWA11F will return 120800H. S, F Patrol leaving this CP at 120300H has been cancelled.			
2043	37	112043H	RWB11A/RW. Leaving CP area.			S, F
2101	40	112101H	RWC & A/RW. SITREP, all secure.			S, F
2131	42	112131H	RW3/RWC6. Ref. msg 111945H. 3d Engineer Bn will install river block vicinity (BT 032663). Your mission will commence 120900H.			S, F
2155	43	112155H	RWB11A/RW. Now at check point 2.			S, F
2200	44	112200H	RWC & A/RW. SITREP, all secure.			S, F
2216	45	112216H	RWB11A/RW. Now at check point 3.			S, F
2325	46	112325H	RWB11A/RW. Now at check point 4.			S, F
2343	47	112343H	RWB11A/RW. Approaching Bn CP.			S, F
SUMMARY OF JOURNAL 110001H to 112400H Oct 1965:						
At 110940H a patrol from Company "C" observed a man armed with a rifle running at (BT 032678). The patrol pursued and fired at him causing him to jump in a hole. As the patrol approached the hole, the man attempted to throw a grenade, but was shot and the grenade detonated in the hole. The patrol took						

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weapon and continued along its e. other patrol from Company "C" was king boat traffic at (BT 034685) a boat with two men passed at and did not heed the ARVN soldier's r to halt and the warning shots l across its bow, so the boat sunk. The two men escaped on the site bank and the patrol was not to determine the cargo of the e VCS was apprehended by a any "C" patrol at 111200H in vicinity of (BT 035684) and was to ITT. ur rounds of small arms fire m- ed in the 3d Platoon, Company "A" (BT 091663) at 112020H. Contact broken when the platoon returned al closed.	S

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0001			120001H	Journal Opened.	S
0030	1	120030H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0050		Wire	1B1/13.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0105	2	120105H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0138	3	120138H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0145		Wire	1B1/13.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0245		Wire	1B1/13.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0255	4	120255H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0257	5	120257H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0355		Wire	1B1/13.	SITREP, all secure. Troops are mustering for operation.	S, F
0357	6	120357H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0358	7	120358H	RVA/RW.	SITREP all secure.	S, F
0450		Wire	1B1/13.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0453	8	120453H	RWC & A/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0512	9	120512H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, in position to move out.	S, F
0550	10	120550H	RWB12/RW.	Now leaving IP.	S, F
0600	11	120600H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0630	12	120630H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, just now in position.	S, F
0705	13	120705H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0715	14	120715H	RWB12/RW.	Now at check point 1.	S, F
0745	15	120745H	RWB12/RW.	Now at check point 2.	S, F
0750	16	120750H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, still sweeping.	S, F
0821	18	120821H	RWB12/RW.	Now at check point 3.	S, F
0849	19	120849H	RVA/RW.	SITREP, now searching and clearing village. Negative contact.	S, F
0904	20	120904H	RWB12/RW.	Now at check point 4.	S, F
0905	21	120905H	RVA/RW.	Request permission to evacuate with us a 10 year old child with hand wound.	S, F
0942	23	120942H	RWB12/RW.	We are back at IP and have completed patrol.	S, F
0945	24	120945H	RW3/RWA6 & C6.	Patrol and search ambush plans for period 131800H to 141800H were not received. RW3 has prepared necessary overlays and has submitted them. You will receive copies for execution. Plans for period 141800H to 151800H are due today. Submit and keep current.	S, F

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1030	25	121030H	RW14A/RW. Have TACP-A take helo lift. RW14A will be a little late.	S, F	
1049	27	121049H	RW14/PS14. RW14 Request helo resupply at approximately 1300. Pick up supplies at LZ Ostrich. Deliver to LZ at (BT 091667), wait 30 minutes, then pick up empty water cans and return to LZ Ostrich with cans. Marked with green smoke.	S, F	S3
1123	28	121123H	PW liaison/RW. Request command chrono- logy be delivered to PS3 ASAP.	S, F	
1300	29	121300H	RWC1/RW3. RWC squad unable to find engineer unit that was to construct river block.	S, F	
1400	34	121400H	RW3/RWA. Patrols, ambushes and night ambushes for period submitted to Senator 3 by RW3. Copies to RWA on supply run. Patrols, ambushes, and night ambushes submitted to RW3 will be run for period 151800H to 161800H.	S, F	
1615	36	121615H	PS3/RW3. Request patrols for period 141800 to 151800H ASAP.	S, F	
1635		Wire	Dream B4/I3. SITREP. 2 LVT's at Company "C", 2 LVT's preparing to go to Company "A", and 1 LVT in reserve. 1 LVT on dead line. 2 LVT's E-1 at tank park.	S, F	
1730	38	121730H	W6/RWAW1. Int: when you fired concentration 126. You will contact RW3 when you are going to request concentrations.	S, F	
1755	40	121755H	RW3/RWA. Send two tanks from outside perimeter to French fort to pick up RW6 ASAP. Request ETA. Reply: 1830.	S, F	
1830	41	121830H	Polish I/RW. Pass to RWC. Polish I has units supporting Peep Sight project. Request you coordinate your activities at area by contacting Polish I on frequency 51.4.	S, F	
1850	42	121850H	RW22/RW6. All R&I's in your area to night will be south of grid line (BT 64). Do you concur?? Affirmative.	S, F	

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1855	43	121855H	RW22/RWC6.	All H&I's in your area tonight will be south of grid line (BT 62). Do you concur? Affirmative.	S. F
1950	47	121950H	RWC/RW.	Negative results on attempted S. F contact with Polish.	
2120	48	122120H	RWA/RWA & C.	Request SITREP. RWA SITREP, all secure. RWC SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2200	49	122200H	RWA & C/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2250	50	122250H	RWBH12/RW.	Am leaving check point 1.	S. F
2257	51	122257H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2300	52	122300H	RWA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2323	53	122323H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2330	54	122330H	RWBH12/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2356	55	122356H	RWA/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F
2400	56	122400H	RWC/RW.	SITREP, all secure.	S. F

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Prior to first light this morning Company "A" surrounded the hamlet of VIEN DONG (BT 094658) and at 120705H, supported by one platoon of Company "D", two tanks, two LVT's, and one LVT E-1, commenced a search of this village in an effort to find a force of 80 VC, who were reported to be hiding in this area. At 130905H Company "A" reported they had found a Vietnamese boy with a hand wound. Cause of the wound was unknown. The boy was evacuated to the Battalich Aid Station and later evacuated to the ARVN Hospital. At 130937H the Company Commander of Company "A" reported that five crocks of rice had been found in the village. Rice was picked up and turned over to the HOA HAI Village Chief. At 130937H, while in the process of gathering rice found in a hut in the village, a Vietnamese male approximately 25 years of

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops F-File
0001		130001H		Journal Opened.	S, F
0100	1	130100H		RWC & A/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0115	2	130115H		RW12B/RW. Have reached check point 4.	S, F
0155	3	130155H		RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0156	4	130156H		RWA12/RW. Now back in CP.	S, F
0300	6	130300H		RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0359	7	130359H		RWA & C/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
0528	8	130528H		RWD3/RW. Now leaving the IP.	S, F
0540	9	130540H		RWD3/RW. Have spotted trucks.	S, F
0543	10	130543H		Beavershin 66/RW. Am in position for operation.	S, F
0650	11	130650H		RWB13/RW. Now leaving CP.	S, F
0703	12	130703H		RWB13/RW. Now at IP.	S, F
0750	13	130750H		Polish 3/RW3. AO received automatic weapons fire in grid squares (BT 0468) and (BT 0568).	S, F
0803	14	130803H		RWB13/RW. Now at check point 1.	S, F
0808	15	130808H		RW3/RWC & A. Int. your requirement for helo resupply today. If LVT's return this location. Negative requirement for helos.	S, F
0828	17	130828H		RWD3/RW3. Request 2 trucks this position.	S, F
0830	18	130830H		RWB13/RW3. Passed through check point 2 and continuing patrol.	
0847	19	130847H		RWB13/RW. Now at check point 4.	S, F
0912	20	130912H		RW3/Polish. Request you relay to Polish that RWC unable to establish contact with Polish 1 on 51.4 last night. Request you have Polish 1 listen up at 1000 tomorrow.	S, F
0913	21	130913H		PS14/RW14. Request time helos arrived and time they were finished. What was their call sign, flight number on 130700H mission.	S, F
0925	22	130925H		RWD3/RW3. We are in IP and checking out of net.	S, F
0938	24	130938H		RW14/PS14. Ref. your message 130913H. Helos arrived 130700H and finished at 130815H. Call signs were Deadlock 30 and Deadlock 32. Flight number not available.	S, F

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In	Out				M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops F-File
0942	25	130912H	RW3/RMA & C. A CO-Staff meeting at 1600H. S, F will be held at Bn. CP at 161000H.		
				RWA6 and RW06 required to be present.	
1002	27	131002H	RWB13/RW3. We are now at check point 5. S, F		
1006	28	131006H	RWLiaison/RW3. Request you send info S, F on 82mm mortar training program between 7 Oct. and 13 Oct.		
1055	29	131055H	FO "A" requested fire by 82mm mortars. S, F Mission at coordinates (BT 120638).		
1057	30	131057H	PS2/RW2. Request circumstance on one S, F US WIA at coordinates (BT 056638) in SPOTREP form.		
1057	31	131057H	PS3/RW3. Request sitrep on RW013. S, F		
1100	32	131100H	RWB13/RW3. Now entering IP. S, F		
1123	34	131123H	RW3/PS3. Ref. your 131055H. MedEvac S, F complete. patrol continuing on. This was unscheduled patrol. RW3 has no overlay or info at present on patrol. Will send you SPOTREP when we receive it.		
1250	36	131250H	RWA/RW3. We have in CP 2 Vietnamese. S, F One woman with shrapnel in stomach. Int. Air Evac.		
1425	37	131425H	RW3/PS3. Request permission to use reserve company in search and destroy operation from 141000H to 141800H. Vicinity XUAN TRA and TRA KHE (2), grid squares (BT 0669) and (BT 0768).		
1430	38	131430H	RW3/RWA6. Have blocking mission for S, F RWA3 in the vicinity of TRA KHE (3) in conjunction with Company "D" sweep from north. Commencing 141000H. Frag Order will follow.		
1430	39	121430H	RW2/RWC. Ref. your 121125H SPOTREP, Int. Direction and distance VC from patrols position. Also, inter number of incoming and outgoing rounds.		
1440	40	121440H	RW3/PS2. Request two dog teams for S, F sweep commencing 140800H. Realize this is short notice but feel dogs utmost importance to mission.		
1450	41	121450H	RW3/RWC. Submit patrols, ambushes, and S, F		

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				Con't night ambushes for period 151800 to 161800 before 131600H.	
1459	42	131459H		RW3/RWA & C. Possibility Monroe 6 may visit 131600H or later.	S, F
1513	43	131513H		PS/RW3. Ref. your message 131423H. Permission granted.	S, F
1543	46	131543H		RW3/RWA. Request to know if you fired S, F 81's or 60's at 1000H this morning. If affirmative, Int. Target and location.	
1547	47	131547H		RW3/RWA6 & C6. You are reminded that all 81's and 60's will be cleared by RW FSC. S, F Exception: Combat emergency only.	
1700	48	131700H		PS3/RW3. Request size and composition S, F RWC reserve force.	
1724	49	131724H		RW3/PS3. Request you contact HOA VANG S, F District regarding minimum of one ARVN company to provide block from (BT 031685) to (BT 034694) along west bank of SONG VINH DIEN early on 15 October. HOA VANG District Chief indicated he could provide during visit to this CP on 16 October. Plan to conduct operation with one reinforced company to fix MF Company reported vicinity of (BT 0368).	
1820	52	131820H		RW3/RWA. Efrag Order 18-65. RWD (+) S, F will area sweep from (BT 067699) south-east to (BT 076676) commencing 141000H. RWA provide block of one platoon between (BT 069676) to (BT 075676) and one squad each vicinity of (BT 084674) and (BT 083680) by 141000H. RWD will re-sweep areas after arrival at LOA at which time RWA elements may secure. RWA 81's be prepared to support on request of RWD. 81 FO in vicinity (BT 081697) will be calling in request. RWA platoon on Battalion TAG under Battalion OpCon. NFL's not established. Approximately 30 VC suspected in objective area. You are authorized to cancel patrols as	

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In	Out				Telcon: M-Maps S-Staff T-Troops E-File
				Con't required. Advise.	
1835	53	131835H		RWC/RW. Change RWC13C to following: Will be operating in grid squares (BT 0540 and 0665) from 132100H to 140120H.	S, F, \$3
1850	54	131850H		RW3/PS3. Int. Any PF's or RF's in vicinity of grid squares (BT 0574, 0573, or 0572)?	
2043	61	132043H		RWB13A/RW. Will be crossing check point 1.	S, F
2110	62	132110H		RWB13A/RW. Have crossed check point 1. S, F	
2125	64	132125H		RWA/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2126	65	132126H		PS3/RW3. Ref. Dog report for 14 October. S, F Negative.	
2127	66	132127H		RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2128	67	132128H		RWB1/RW. Land line is in. Request to S, F secure from net. (Permission granted)	
2130	69	132130H		RWB1/RW. Int. of possibility of patrol in vicinity of French bunker. (Negative on friendly patrols that area).	S, F
2140		Wire		IB1/I3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2140	70	132140H		RWC/RW. Ref. your last. (BT 043649) are correct coordinates.	
2148	71	132148H		RW3/PS3. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, \$3
2300	73	132300H		RWA/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F
2302	75	132302H		RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, \$3
2302	76	132302H		RWB1/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, \$3
2334	77	132334H		RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, \$3
2356	78	132356H		RWC/RW. SITREP, all secure.	S, F, \$3
				SUMMARY OF JOURNAL for 130001H to 132400H Oct 1965:	
				At 130645H the 3rd platoon of Company "C" picked up one VCS in a rice paddy at (BT 033674). This man was turned over to ITT.	
				This morning between the hours of 130715H and 130800H a psychological warfare helicopter received thirty rounds of automatic small arms fire at MAN QUAN (1).	

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