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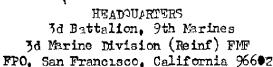


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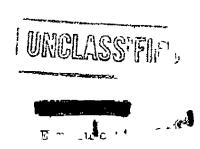
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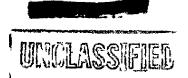
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#### ORGANIZ'TIONAL DATA

#### 1. DESIGNATION.

3d Battelion, 9th Marines

Lt. Col G. C. COOK 1-31 October 1967

#### SUBORDINATE UNITS

Company I

Captain V. 4. CONC IR 1-31 October 1967

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Captain R. W. AUSTIN 31 October 1967

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Captain J S. ADMS 1-31 October 1967

Company M

Captein F J. BRETT 1-31 October 1967

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Captain A. K. MRD 1-31 October 1967

#### 2. LUATION.

1-7 October 1967 - Con Thien, Republic of Vietnam
3-P October 1967 - Dong Ha, Republic of Vietnam
10-31 October 1967 - Thom Son Lam, Republic i Vietnam

#### 3. STAFF OFFICERS.

Executive Officer

Major R. J. JANES 1-31 October 1967

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-31 October 1967

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14:Ut, J L. PDNUL ND, JR. 1-19 October 1967

2dLt. B. E BRYAM, JR 20-31 October 1967

Major B, '' GARDIER 1-31 October 1967

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1stLt. J L. PENILAD, JR 20 3. October 1967

#### 4. AVERAGE STRENGTH.

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#### NARRATIVE SUM ARY

During the period 1-7 0 them 1967, this battalion continued in the occupation and defense of the CON THEN Complex (YD 11472) to include the mission of conducting ground surveillances and sporting attacks throughout assigned OA with assigned forces to detect and des roy infiltrating MIA forces. In addition, this unit maintained slow by on Route #561 by aggressive patrolling and the providing of security in Route #561 for the sweep teams.

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On 1009001 October 1967 this battalion commenced its move from DONG HA to T ON SON LAM (XD 982545). At 1018001 October 1967 this battalion relieved the 3d Battalion, 3d Marines and became OFCON to the 3d Marine Regiment. The last elements of this unit clo did OF SON TAM on 11 October 1967. Operation area were established at TYON SOLD D (XL 982545), the "FISUBULL" (3D 974565), and CALL (12 012455), with CP's on the "ROCKPILE" (XD 974565) and the "RICHBOW! (XD 965573). Immediately aggressive small unit patrolling and CDD decree were initiated.

In addition, during the period 11-31 October 1967, plation patrols and comp my operations were conducted. All activities were disconnections the missions assigned.

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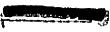


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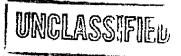
FMF-organization committed to combat.

- a. Combat missions assigned.
  - (1) Occupy and defend the CON TIEN Complex.
- (2) Be prepared on order to provide relief/reinforcement to GIO LINH artillery outpost and CUM VIET Facility in the event of enemy attacks.
- (3) Conduct ground surveillance and spoiling attacks throughout assigned TAOR with assigned forces to detect and destroy infiltrating NVA forces.
- (4) Maintain security of Route #561 in Only aggressive catrollar along flanks.
  - (5) Deny enemy access through "ROCKPILE"/THON SOM LAM area.
- (6) Conduct operations to maintain security of MSR +30'c #9 in OA.
- (7) Lantain Patrol Base at CA LU in conjunction with RF's to deny chemy occess through C/ LU and B/ LONG Valley.
- (8) Conductions to interdict nemy LOC? and istroy eremy forces in assigned CA.
- b. Significant operations conducted. Normal company operations in conjunuous nto Operation Ki. - ISTER

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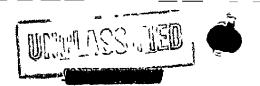




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- (4) 'TIA -----27
- (5) IA (NBC) ----- 6
- e. Mon techniques employed. None.
- f. Command relations. Command relations ith all supporting units continued to be excellent. Coordination and assistance received on all levels of command functions has been excellent. During the period 1-9 October 1967 this battalion functioned under the OPCON of the 9th Merine Regiment and from 10 to 31 October 1967, under OPCON 3d Marine Regiment.
- g. Equipment. During this period there we e no serious problems with equipment and normal Marine Corps issue was sufficient in all respects.
  - h. Logistics.
    - (1) Supply and Redistriution.
- (a) During this period all M16E<sup>1</sup> rifles had their buffer groups changed. File this buffer lowers the cyclic rate of fire, it reduces stoppages. All missing 32 gear was replaced and soiled and unscriticable utilities were surveyed
- (b) The armory obtained an index "hot-locks". This locker is 16'x8'x2' and has a denumid "er, two heaters and legats. His should allev ate weapon rust during the monsoon shoot. It is an a meetive that all vectors be in some said of heated locker.
- (c) The armony is in the process of checking all weapons in the bettelion. Then this is a complished to the June 1 to 5 or ad to the Joneshy Commanders Lat's than being all a currently by Battelion Supply.
- (d) October bogan a new quarter. For this quarter cars are tallon was allocated \$140,000.00. Last quarter the battalion spent \$208 094.10 on SFI items alone.
- (e) An inspection team which had prelicusly a spected this battalion's supply system, revisited this unit. The purpose was to check if amor discrepancies were corrected. All corrections had been or are being corrected.
  - (2) Transportation.
- (a) Shop space is presently available for 3d echelon maintenance.
- (b) The majority of the MT Section is located with this CP where greater control of vehicles can be maintained.





## (3) Liscellaneous.

- (a) Resupply is now being accomplished by truck convoy. This helps solve the motor resupply problems, however, detached company positions have been difficult to reach and will become more so as the monsoon season sets in. Consideration must be given for alternate resupply means to the outlying positions at this time.
- () There has been considerable difficulty in obtaining and using fort lifts for loading vehicles for convoys due to maintenance problems and problems. Every ingeniutive method has been attempted to alleviate was but so far to no avail. This one major defect in the logistics system has resulted in the convoys either being extremely late in departule or not being able to load at all.

#### i. Clyle Action.

- (1) The 3d Battalion, 3th Marines has been assigned Civic Action responsibility for the CA LU area. This area contains only three villages. CHAN RO and L C CAT are both Montagnard and B TAM is Vietnamese. A census is currently being conducted to determine the population and governmental structure of their villages.
- (2) The Bottolico Civil Afforms Officer has established liaison with the local leaders of all three villages. An initial invisitation has been conducted to determine the needs of the area in extensible methods of saistable and discorrony pot-milal proble the might arise in el tions between the resident company and the villagers. MedCap is currently being conducted as an initial step to make contact with people
- (3) A serious purble congletel of this treat a shortage of food. This is related to their invaling to the property to Colling to sell look products and purbles necessaries at present they have not at the product their vallages at note. The cause of this they are forced to assist VC/NVA at times and mabble to cooperate openly with Allied Forces for fear of reprisal.
- J. Iduntates ion. There were no administrative difficulties encountered during this period.
- k Personnel. Replacement personnel have not been available in sufficient quantities to fully replace losses due to combat and rotation to COMUS.
  - 1. Intelligence.
    - (1) enthem,

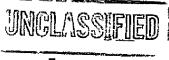








- (1) Temperature the mean maximum temperature ranged between 85 to 90 degrees fahrenheit. The mean minimum temperature ranged between 67 to 72 degrees fahrenheit.
- (b) finds the wirds were from the east to northerst at a mean speed of 5 to 8 knots.
- (c) Precipitation the precipitation increased until the middle of the north and then decreased.
- (d) Humidity the relative humidity averaged 87%, but the average is steadily decreasing
- (e) Clouds cloudiness increased after the first of the month. Clouds were at high artitudes except during rainy periods. The shines through 4 days out of ten. Usually clearing occurs between 0200 and 0500.
- (f) Visibility visibility was limited only during rainy period (2 to 3 days) and early morning hours during for.
  - (2) Terrain.
- (a) Rockpile USFC observation post at (XD 979558) is the most dominant terrain feature in the area and provides the best of ervation of the TAOR.
- (b) Road the north-south road (AD 999564) to (XD 980436) is an all we ther road and occurately marked on the map. (T'ON DOC KIMI, Sheet 6342II and 6342I.)
- (c) Villagos all villages exc pt t e r nd C' LU (II 013543) has destroyed but can recognized a suc. The villages around CA LU has present, occupied.
- (d) Obs rection and fields of fire the thick brush and vines which cover to a countains severly hamper observation and fields of fire. So is alones of the mountains are countain and the legal price from knee to held and. The low group of areas of the excellent observation and fields of fire. The low lands are either covered with which limits observation severely or is marshland or aid like paddies covered with knee high to wrist high grass and permits excellent observation and fields of fire.
- (c) Cover and concealment concealment, except in the areas of low grass, is e cellent to outstanding. There is excellent cover in the area.



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- (f) Obstacles the major obstacle for foot traces is thack brush, plats of which are almost immenetratable. The streams and rivers during and after rains become obstacles. Trucks and tanks is limited to road trivel be use of the wet pershy low-leads and steep hills ides
- ( $\ell$ ) Linding zones PL7's are limited to low grassy eress and rice podding.
- (a) Nounters the mounterns are mostly covered with thick vegetation, some of which is secondary jungle. This severely hambers movement of theories. The slopes of the mountains are not so steep that troops on now up them with full could tiger.
- (1) Effect on energy operations the excellent concealment of the waget tion in the area levers the enemy, but it also happens his movement are is plentiful from the many streng which ran into adole r.
  - (3) Energy Situation.
- (a) Composition from reports received, it is believed that elements of the 8th Battilion 29th Regiment, 3250 Division is observing in the origin. Lost known position of this unit was grid equal YD 9250 with elements over ting along Route#9 between 3d Battalion, 9th Lorinos CP (YD 982542) and (YD 012452). Estimated personnel strangth of the 8th Bat all on, 29th Regiment is 370
  - (4) Energy activity.
- (c) Enemy not\_vity in the norm of the "Rockpile" and C^ LU, has been consider bly 1 gat. total of 1/ 1ght as a cured nuring the period. In a far instances the enemy usu in a root of 4-5, were accordant as the far instance of that your country in the far to be at AD 281541 report was specified that YC were or one is we children 10 years and Midden to poison water and water case at and military installations.

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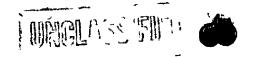
- (1' General. Te main events concerning special analogmentations for October we the nove from CON TIEN to DONG 14, the from BONG VA of THOM SON LAL.
- (2) here Section. The ware section of the communications placeon assisted in all the moves the bettelion made this month.
- (a) The section coordinated the placement or replacement of telephone and time gear with the 1st Battlion 9th North and of the most of the end of the section of the sectio



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from CON TITEN, and with 3d Battelion, 3d M rines in the pove to TUON SOF LAM.

(b) Upon return to the rear all equipment used value at CON THIST, was elemed and remained. The section repaired all OP lines which were not operating when we arrived at THOM SON LAM. After the old system of the 3d Battalion, 3d Marines was put into temporary working order, it was replaced by completely new system. The old system was told out and disposed of. A battalion directory and Third larine Division traffic diagram has been prepared. The section has continued to support the battalion in repairing broken lines, and replacing telephones which no longer meet correct operating standards.

### (3) Radio Section.

- (a) This section provided continuous communications for the moves from CON Them to DONG WA, then from DONG WA to THOM SON LAM.
- (b) Upon arrival at THON SON LAM, the section established four main nets used by this battalion Regimental TACT, Battalion TACT, and Battalion ADMIN, and a Pelay Not. The Admin net has been moved from the COC bunker to the S-1 test

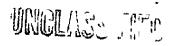
### (4) Hosange Conter.

- (1) 'n attornt was orde with madio reinvito met up a telebype circut it 3d larines but failed because of techinal problem. All message conver personal more instructed on the arconduces to set up a successful teletype circut and on the basic functions of the KY-8 and KYK-12.
- (b) This section is now crying a new cus for distribution within the britishion. By using messe as a contrastic with the Motor Transport Section, runs are mide twice delivest pocific times to the 3d Markins.
- (5) Tech Shop. During this period the tech shop has accomplished the following
  - (c) Major items
    - 1 Reprired 19 items.
    - 2 Evacuated to 3d echelon or beyond 12 items.
  - (b) Thenor stems
    - 1 Reprired 21 items.
    - 2 Evacuated to 3d achelon or beyond 12 items.









- n. Fire Support.
- (1) Units in direct support of this battalion during the month of Octob r were
  - (a) Britiary E, 2d Battelion, 12 th Marines.
  - (b) Mortar Bottery, 2d Battalion, 12th Marines
  - (c) Bottery D, 2d Bottalion, 12th Marines.
  - (d) Northr Bittery, 1st Bittalion, 12th Marines.
  - (c) Battery B, 1st Battalion, 40th rtillery (UGA)
- (2) During the month of October, direct fire support artillary fired 290 ussions. There were 75 unobserved and 215 observed missions. In addition there were 12 illumination missions fixed.
- (3) During the period a total of 11,680 rounds of UT and 224 rounds of illumination were expended. There were 498 WI concentrations with 6,704 rounds fired during the period.
- o. Air Support. A detailed breakdown by type of aircraft is listed below

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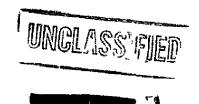
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  - (1) Divine Services Protestant
    - (a) Number of Services 17
    - (b) Total Attendance 454
    - (c) Number receiving Holy Communion 75
    - (d) Number of Ever ng Prayer Cervice, 16
    - (c) Total Attendance of Evening Prayer 94
    - (1) Hold 6 Choir r hersels with a tital attendance of 49.
- (2) Cottclic Services Cottolic Services were covered by 2/12 Chaplin.
  - (3) Lay Services
    - (a) Number of Services 6
    - (b) Total Attendance 117
  - (4) Hemorral So vices
    - () Number of Services 6
    - (b) Total Attendance 496
  - (5) Significant Events.
    - (a) Puspend ry and Hospital Visits 6
    - (b) Prayers for the Iend 2
    - (c) Condolonce Letters Written 28
    - (d) Letters fritten 6
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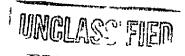




- (f) Red Cross Cases 3
- (g) Held 2 Troop Indoctrinations with an attendance of 52.
- (h) Private Communion 1
- (1) Marcotic Inventory taken for the month of October.

#### ga Modical.

- (1) The med cal status of the battalion is presently satisfactory.
- (2) There were 364 visits to sick call this month, 361 Marines and 3 Novy.
- (3) There were five of a callaborar my procedules performed this month.
- (A) The present strength of the medical department of this battalion is
  - (a) 1 Middle Officer
  - (b) 51 Corpsrun
- (c) 2 Corporer are presently under treatment at 4 Medical Company, 3d Medical Batta'ion
  - (5) Medical Supply is adequate.
  - (6) Modeon true at a rave ne de la l'entre
- (7) The so that is of the forward at the latest required standards and the showing sight of improvements. The rear is adequate and will improve when the move from tents to hardoacks, which is presently in progress, is completed.
- (8) There have been 10 cases of ver all dieses the battalian with the part north.





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	312115H		and YD 129692.  Possible ground attack, multiple breeching sapper attack, utilizing directional mines. Do not know time, place, or position. From SHOVE-2 via SENATOR-2.	
\$\$\$\$\$#H	010800H 010730H		JOURNAL OPENED YD 179592 Heard an explosion at this grid. TP3 sent patrol to check out area. Resulted in NEG Enemy contact. Found house with wall and part of roof blown out, believed to be caused by a large sachel charge 1 civilian Male child WIA.	1
	020800H Ф21315H	1	JOURNAL OPENED C-2, YD 136647 Engineer dozer had track blown from mine. Mine had been in position for months/	
	021345н		YD 068668, C-2 received 60 rds of 22mm rockets fired in vollies of 5. Called counter battery fire 1 KIA 8 W	TA .
	021400H 021900H	:	YD 127650 Enemy mortar position. YD 085616 Arty position YD 088593 OP YD 093605 & YD 092614 NVA Company	
	02	1	YD 093610 NVA Company 7 reinforced bunkers; 50 cal. MG and 57 recoiless at approx. YD 1268	
	030800H 031230H		JOURNAL OPENED YD 135614 I-2B Found 20 lbs TNT, 1 cap. Both VC type. Confiscated, returned to CP.	blasting
	032030Н		YD 105620 Perimeter observed what a reared to be out going rocket flashe at approx. the above coords. Rocket appeared to be imparting somewhere briwsen Dong Ha Mountain and Camp Carroll. Fired mostar mission at so	3
`	031950H 032045		Recon made heavy contact on Hill 70 YD 105619 and TD 110628 are suspectations.	
	032100H		TD 118666 Eriendly troops heard movement and received 5 small arms USMC fired 50 rds/5.56mm. 2079 and	
~ -	01.00000	2	1 M-26 grenade. Unknown results.	I WO SHELL
	040800H		JOURNAL OPENED Word passed from Regt Snipers on road to Con Thien.	
	050800H	_ 1	JOURNAL OPENED	1 (2

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TUR	ICLACSION	<b>051000H</b>	YD 132627 Engineer road building equipment hit mine at above coord.	
	The second secon	060800H 061130H	JOHNAL OPENED 2 VC spotted at YD 156609 & YD 166610 Enemy PLt. at YD 157605- last night	
		061305H	YD 123645 Found 1 NVA type tennis she	•
		061600H	in trail - not there 4 days ago (Regt. S-5) at <b>= 061100H</b> 1 Co. VC	
		062101H	coordinated with local VC with individual weapons at ID 158629. Five VOP's at YD 152609. Mission to infiltrate Cam Hieu village. YD 147643 MD-B Reported picking up at infra-red emmitting device. It was picked up by starlight scope at above coord.	
		070800H	JOURNAL OPENED	
		071400H	YD 160699 moving to YD 147692 - 150 VM spotted by Aerial Photo. VN wearing black PJ's and hats.	<b>P</b> g
		071752н	MD-E began receiving incoming rockets and mortars. Received 30 rds 122mm rockets, 20 rds 82mm mortars and possible Arty-makeoun type 3 WIA.	В
		O71850H	Convoy returning from Con Thien; one is ton truck tipped over on side of road. Convoy received S/A fire from Snemy. Truck left there because of activity in area. All Marines return to this Up. Truck possibly hit by RPG.	en emy
		071925H 080800H	Dong Ha took incoming.	
		080800H	TD 134623 Found 1 60mm rd. Can't be determined if ours or not. Blown in blace.	
		080730H	TD 165587 11th Engineers Jeep active mine (above coord) Civilian truck also damaged, 10 Civilian WIA, 1 Civil (three) USMC WIA	1
		080852H	200 meters North of U-2 MD-sweep found 1 chicom grenade.	1
		081150H	YD 071662 (enemy) Convoy received incoming 122mm rockets. Arty called on enemy position.	5
		- 081400H	From Senator 2 3/26 captured POW	
	MACL	المرد	16, PFc, 1st Co., 27 Bn. Infiltrated the property of the located between 2 hills at 0966 & 09 Mission to attack Con Thien - Regime	967
~ ,			encircle second to break defense.  Have been scheduled to TIME launch attack 3 times but postponed, as was to attack last night but engaged 3/2 instead. Possibly will attack tonig Regiment has 12 12mm rocket launched, rds each, 1/3 recruits, 2/3 veters	s 26 gh
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	0810/1 5H	YD 122637 Spotted 2 NVA called in	
The Poll of Contract	1	Whisky - fired 3/3.5 WP and 10 M-79	
MCLASSIFIE	081720H	Results mnknown. C-2, 126639 (enmey) received 4 rds	
	W 172011	122mm rockets from above coords.	
	090800E	JOURNAL OPENED	
	090940	Hoad sweep found large number of HO   CHI MINH sandle tracks heading S-E	<u> </u>
		at YD 132637.	
	091150	BAILANCE BRAVO, pulling SCB Sheeps	
	į	roller, hit mine ay YD 133635. EST. 50 lbs. TNT. TNT in the midele of t	be
		road, Minor damage to Dozer- NO	
		casualities.	1
	100800H	JOURNAL OPENED	-
	110800H 110800H	JOURNAL CLOSED NO INCLUENTS JOURNAL OPENED	1
	110700H	YD 108728 2 NVA in open. Simm fire	da.
		1 NVA KIA (prob)	
	111319Н	YD 100710 Wire laying & security received one 64mm rd and harrassing s	Ya.
		OP received 3 rds 82mm rds from Nort	
		direction.	
	111345H	Received 17 incoming 52mm mortars received 2 57 mm RR.	1
	111337	Received 1 rd incoming 85 mm Arty	
		from Northerly direction.	L
	1 10740H	AO observed 4 NVA at YD 111723. Fi	red
	120013H	OP #2 reported sighting rockets 600	
	40044077	from their position, about 6 000 mete	
	120110H	OP #2 reports 60mm mortars being wall in toward con Thien; 0600 mils 1800	rea
		meters. Firedmission.	
	120750H	YD 128667 Road sweep activated expl	†
		sive device near center of road.	1
		from suporting unit.	1
	1 20800H	JOURNAL CLOSED	
	1 20800H 1 20920H	JOURNAL OPENED   Received 7 60mm rds	1
	121050H	Received 10 rds 82mm mortar and 5 rd	ιφ.
		60mm mortar from YD 122720. Returns	4
<del></del>		40 rds 81mm (HE) and 3 rds (WP).	1
	121117H	neceived 3 incoming 6 com mortars	1
	1212102	from unknown position w/2 USho WiA	1
	1 21 240H	Heturned 81mm and 6 cmm Ulknown result	Les
		1 USM WIA.	Į.
	121320H	neceived 30 incoming 82mm mortars at 9 rds 60mm mortar from unknown locat	
		2 USM WIA NON MED EVAC	)-FO11
	- 121320H	100 sobserved 60mm position YD 11873	
まっちくり かのつつき	िम्म् है	Fired 5 rds 106mm HE W/good coverage on target.	*
430 LOUIS W W W W W W W W W W W W W W W W W W W	1214309	OP observed active Arty position at	
سد ا		YD 105725 UP received 3 incoming 85m	ed .
		Arty rds from above coords. Arty	
		mission of 105mm called w/2 secondar explosions.	Y
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INCLASSIFIED	11070 H	JOURNAL OPENED  YD 108728 2 NVA in the open 81MM fired. 1 NVA KIA (prob).  Hill 88-(YD 09 40) is suspected NV Bn Cp. A captured map (from 3/2) also confirms this to be NVA Bn CP.  Ao observed 4 NVA at YD 111723 fired 81MM mission.	A
	111319 H	YD 100710 Wire laying detail and seciroty received one 0 MM mortar and harassing S/A. OP received e received a manufacture from morthern direction.	pds
	111337 H	eceived 1 rnd incoming 85 mm arty fronthern direction.	m
**\ {	11†345 H	Rec'd 17 incoming 82 mm mortars . Re 2/57 RR.	a'd
Pri A	11 <b>074</b> 0 H	NO observed 4 NVA at YD 111723. JFir hission w/ unknown results.	ed 81
	120013 H	OP 2 sighted rockets 0,00 mils from to position about 6000 meters out.	is
	1201 to H	OP 2 reports 60 mm being walked in Con Thein from 1800 meters at 0600m	
	120750 Н	ID 128 7 Road sweep activated explodevice. Near center of road.	ive
	121 <b>0</b> 50 H	Received 10 rounds 82MM mortar and 5 Rds 6MM mortar from coord.  YD 122720 returned 40 "ds 81MM (HE) 3Rds (WP) unknown results.	Į.
- Andrews	121117 H	Received 3 incoming wo MM rounds from unknown position.	r
UNGLASSIFI	121240 Н	Received 12 rds 82 MM mortars retuing 81MM and 60MM unknown results.	ned
	121320 Н	Received 30 incoming 82MM mortars from unknown location.	1
N.	121300 H	106's observed 50MM position Cord YD 118735 fired 5 rds 10 FHE with good coverage on target.	
	121430 H	OP observed active arty podition Co YD 105725 Cp received 3 incoming 89 rds from above Cord. 105% fired on o position 2 secondary explosions.	emit
	121500оН	Received 15 rds incoming 6 0 morta	•





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	121504 H 121535 H 121610 H 121835 H 122245H 122345 H	from YD 110710.  Received 4 rds 85MM incoming from unknown positions returned 106 fere mission.  Received 12 rds invoming to MM from unknown position.  OP observed enemy NVA plateon at coord E YD 149712 35 to 50 NVA in khi uniforms 8i's calliddarty called. Good coverage. 15 prob KIA.(air obs) 1 incoming 82MM Received harassing sniper fire and observed enemy movement.  HARMFUL Have engineers be extra aler during sweep in AM for possibse surp. UP 2 YD 170725 OP using nod and telescope detected lights moving acr strip. Lights moved from south to no and blinked as if sighting green tra were also seen in this area. Arty mission called.  Follow up of 122345 after the first rnd of WP the lights on the N side w out but lights on S side of strip co to blink. After fire mission the S s lights moved up and down in a rapid manner VT mission was fired and 5 to lights on the trace moved in a scatt and confused manner.  A fire started on S. side and 20 se explosions resulted. Explosions were orange, yellow, orange red, and red. All explosions were very bright and some extended for 200 Main the air.  TPQ in the area produced 3 addition explosions, and some audible explosion buring the time the lights were spountil the last secondary explolion C received no incoming and no enemy flowere seen.	tise.  dss  rth  ders  ent  ide  condary  al
	130200 Н	Explosion 25 meters in front of the position. Second explosion 200 meters to left in wire and set off trip flat Called 81MM illumination in concentration observed nothing.	8 <b>F•</b> •
	1303 <i>2</i> 0 H	CON THIEN enemy positions 113709 MG, 114712 ME 008699 Arty Position 053689 087774 Possible arty 115713 Troop assembly area 115716 125715 Secondary explosion from 50 cal fire 09 7 82MM position	1 ACSUS





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10 7 82MM position 119704 MG position Received s/a 50 cal MG,RPG's, cMM, 82MM,85MM, arty. 0330 H ground attack by estimated Co reinforced began from north shifted in a westerly direction. 0357 H Enemy fired two red flares 0410 H. Enemy observed assembling cord ID 115716. 0432 incominbeased enemy withdrawing 6449 incoming resumed and continued until 0 10. Total est incoming 495 Rds of all types. Follow up on report also received 57MM RR, and 82 MM fire from B 10 recoillessigum. 10 b MM RR fired from this position had secondary emplosion, Enemy coord YD 122709. ENEMY POSITIONS 113709 MG 114712 " 0 8 99 Arty 053 82 " 087774 Poss Arty	TIE MTEED	DATE/TIME GLOUP	Journal	ACTION
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	131810 H	Received 4 rounds OMM and 12 rds 82 recoilless rifle fire with air bursts. 106 Fire mission secondary	
	131830 H	explosion at 123717.  Found tunnel YD12568 three 1001 diameter inside with opening of 5 diameter tunnel heads S E with air	
	131820 H	hole to north 40 meters.from opening Persevere C. Spotted troop movement around bunkers.Ran flights destroyed 100° of trenches and 4 bunkers at YD 131715 & 131717.	
	132020 н	Old River Whisky fired artillery mission on suspected enemy pampsite resulting in a secondary explosion. & fire YD 129724.	
	132325 H	fieceived 3 RR,82MM, arty mission calledresulting in two secondary explosions.	
	132325 Н	81MM H & I caused secondary explosion 117712.	ns
	132345 H	OP 1 observed flashing light (IU 100702) 81 mission called lights went out.	
	140307 H	Received four rounds arty. One bange torpedo exploded knocking out 10 met of wire.	
	140354 H	Received 2 rounds of 82 MM.	
	140400 H	Receoved 120 MM rockets and spotter flashes at YD 104715.	d
	140950 Н	Received 8 rounds & 0 MM and 4 rds of arty from unknown location.	
· %-	141010 H	Received long range small arms fir at least two locations. 10 s fired 2 rnds heat at YD 120711 1KIA prob.	from
	141030 Н	OP 1 coord YD 122190 received 4 rounds 85 MM incoming arty.	
	141035 H	AO observed 20 NVA in open YD 1257 moving bodies from air strike, 81 MM mission called 5 KIA conf 4 prob.	1 ·
	141120 Н	Received 11 rds incoming 82 MM rds Returned 81 mission with unknown res	
	141130 H	Co I Received 7 rnds b OMM incoming from YD 10668. arty called with neg results.	
	141218 H	Rord sweep YD 135666 received E8 rds incoming arty YD 052683 arty	
UNCI MSS	741222 H	and air called.  Received 3 incoming 60 MM rds from unknown location.	
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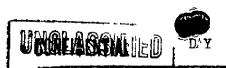




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	141325 H 141415 H	Received 5 rnds.82 MM from YD 104481 mission called negative results. Received 7 incoming 82 MM rnds from unknown position, also long range semi auto fire from westerly direction, 50 cal with unknown result Received rnds incoming 82 recoilled from YD 1286720 and 113725. Returned 81 mission with secondary explosion	ts.
	141612 H 141620 H	YD 113725. Intelligence report indicates poss attack by 2 Btns size unets with dere and time of attack unknown.  AO spotted 5 to 8 NVA in open & tr	ction
		line at yd 100702 81's called with unknown results.	
	141710 H	Received 2 82 MM recoilless rds from unknown position.	
	141755 H 142017 H	Received 6 incoming rockets from we direction estimated at 053 683.  I 3c received 2 incoming 60MM	sterly
		5 min later encountered 2 personnel wearing white pith helmets. Fired 20 rnds anto and searched ares with neg results.	
	150402 н	Received harassing semi automatic fire from sw returned 81 mission with neg results.	
	151255 Н	From 9th marines to 2/9 ineo 3/9 in view of enemy threat recommended you select night position close to UL 68.	
	151205 H	Received three rnds incoming 82 MM from Yu 099713 Returned 20 rnds 81 MM mortar with unknown results.	l l
	151300 н	Received 3 rnds incoming 60 MM from YD 112 83 and 2 rnds 82 MM, Recoilless rifle from YD 118722.	
	-344	Returned 81 MM mission with unknown results.	
	151325 н	AO observed 15 to 20 troops in bunkers and trench line YD6102 78.  Arty mission called, one bunker dest	roved
	151420 g	Received 24 rnds incoming 82 mm fro YD 110672,	
MALASOTE	151422 Н	Received beincoming 82 RM RM from YD 128722 and 4 rnds 85 arty from YD 112832 81 and arty returned fire	•
Allen 1991 - 2	151450 H	Received 3 rnds 82 MM RR Returned 81 MM.	
	151623 Н	Received six rnds incoming sixty MM mortar from YD 110b20.	



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151625 H 151845 H 151845 H 151845 H 151845 H 151846 H 152130 H 152258 H 162258 H 162	THE ETEKED	DATE/TIME GLOUP	journal	action
Heceaved 5 mds arty from unknown position unable to see because of weather.  152130 H  152258 H  152258 H  160218 H  160221 H  160222 H  16022 H  16022 H  160222 H  160222 H  160222 H  160222 H  160222 H  1		151625 H	Ubserved 2 NVA at Yu 119711 fired	
weather.  152130 H  152258 H  152258 H  152258 H  160218		151845 H	Received 5 rmds arty from unknown	
152258 H   Co K patrol reported that Ki patrol believe they were being surrounded.   ratrol returned to up and saturated ares with 61 mortars.   Began receiving small arms fire, 60   MM, 82 MM, and arty Seme automatic fire from N and NW, withenemy moving into wire on the N with sached charges.   160315 Semā automatic fire ceased and incoming mortar and arty allowed down.   160327 incoming ceased.   160335 all incoming ceased.   160335 all incoming ceased.   160335 all incoming ceased.   160336 all incoming ce		152130 H	weather.  to K Received two grenades & seme	
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wire on the N with sached charges. 160315 Semå automatic fire ceased and incoming mortar and arty slowed down. 160327 incoming ceased.160330 incoming hitting outside perimeter. 160335 all incoming ceased.  161200 H  161300 H  161300 H  161300 H  161300 H  161305 H  161306 H  161306 H  161306 H  161306 H  161307 H  161308 H  162300 H  162300 H  172015 H  172015 H  172015 H  172015 H  172015 H  172015 H  172016 H  172016 H  172016 H  172016 H  172017 H  172017 H  172018 H  172018 H  172018 H  172019 H		160218 н	Began receiving small arms fire, 60 MM, 82 MM, and arty Seme automatic fi	
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,		55 H 20 H		Received 3 rds HR fire from grid 104701. Fered 81 mission, 106's, arty on enemy position. Good coverage res unknown. Received 202 rounds of heave anyt	
	1907			from grid 115785. Called in 175 arty on enemy position.  AO observed troops in open at grid	
		40 H		102668 Ran fixed wing on enemy poswith unknown results.  Red 6 rounds 60 mortars from grid 104699, Returned 81 mission with	
	1913	45 H		unknown results.  OF 119845, 134708, Received 18 rds incoming arty, 191420, received 82 mortar, heavy arty, 26 rds mortars, 18 rds 85 arty, heavy arty still	
	1917	35 H		coming in. Fired 175, 81 mortars.  Received 135 rounds incoming 82 MM from 134711. 81mission called.	
,		20 H 35 H		Received 2 rounds 82 RR fire. India Co saw muzzle flashes at 107701, called in 4.2 mortar mission	
	2000	40 H		good coverage flaghes stopped. India co saw movement in front of lines, called in illem while firing 60 mortars. May be bangaloid torpedo in wire. Must wait for morning to give accurate regult.	
	2001	52 H		Began receiving heavy s/a fire,50 cal Mg, and 15 rds of 60 mortar fire s/a was from east, north, and west. 200206 4satchel charges into wire to the north east. 200235, all small arm fire ceased. Returned s/a 81 mortars 4.2, Mission. Result secondary exploon active 50 cal position. 106699,200 Heaby machine gun knocked out by law	s Ca.
	200	140	Ħ	Search of area around Con Thien revealed foot prints in area of prob Spot report 200152 also found 50 cal MG position coord 116705 and one block	
-	_2010	05 H	,	Received 6 rounds incoming 82 MM and 10 rounds 60 MMM from 107773 106 fired 4 rds 107713. Results white sm fire, and secondary explosions. 81 &	
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rnds of heavy arty and heavy mortars mixed. 20rds, 82 mortars, 24 rads of 60 MM. At least 3 rnds 120 mortars appeared to have delayed fuse all inc-

arty mission called with unknown result.

Received 7 60 MM Rnds from 11071081 mission called with unknown results.

Received 38 rds heavy mortar 108

oming from 113723 (heavy mortar) 108712, 072704, 82 MM 107714, 60 MM 1283 arty. Returned 81 MM, 4.2, and

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UNCLASSII	21 1905 21 1835	H	Received 95 rds incoming rockets from hill 174, called in arty.  Observed 10 enemy wearing flak jack and helmets. One HVA was carrying M, enemy was walking just inside tree line. Called 81 mission NVA scattered	<b>}.</b>
	04.0045		into trees dropping M.G. Still Obser M.G. for return of NVA.	ving
	212015		Received 3 rds recoilless rifle and 10 rds 60 MM from unknown position.	
	212030	H	Overved 10 NVA 75 meters from friellines. The NVA set off a trip flare	-
-	21 2205		and ran for tree line M-79,60 MM, an s/a fire produced 2 prob kim.  Received 5 rds 82 MM and 4 rds  RE fire from unknown location.	
	221545		Received 15 rounds of 60 mertars incoming from unknown position.	
	221850	i.	Received 7 rounds incoming 82 RR 60 mortar, YD 091686. 60 mortars were firing at carrot top. 81 mission call on recoilless rifle yd 103701 with	
<b>}</b>	<b>230715</b> 1	Ħ	secondary explosion, 90 millimeter fired on 60 mortars with one 60 morts destroyed. Prib I-2 wire sweep came upon command detonated mine, and received amall as fire. Ememy at 340 degrees from perim	nê
r P	07/010	-	yd 1127 0. Called in 81 fire mission?	
	230812		Received incoming 60 mortars cant tell direction because of wp being for	
	230715	Ħ	I-Co wire sweep ambushed with committee and received explosive device and received.	
٥		- 1	small arms and seme auto fire YD 1107 squad returned sema auto fire and cal B1 mission. I sqd I- Co, one tank, or twin 40 dispatched to rein aquad under attack. 81 mortars laid down smoke so	ied P
	230723	e J	and and returned to QP. 1 NVA Prob.  Enemy 82 RR position YD 099699. 81	1
- I		_	nortar mission fired w/secondary expl 106's returned fire with direct hit. less gum and two NYA were blown about 50 ft into air. 2 NYA Prob.	pecoil-
	230926	E	Received 5 rnds 82 morters from YD 103705, s/a from YD 13374,23094, received 5 rnds incoming 82 morters from 106714. Returned 81 mission	
UNCLASS	231225	Ħ	with unknown results.  Received 4 rds incoming 60 mortars	3
	231310		from unknown location.  OP observed 14 NVA in open ND 1056 Fired 81 mission w/unknown results.	_ }
,	231415	E .	A0 called in fixed wing on target.  Received 11 rnds incoming 120 mort and 45 rounds heavy artillery. Mort rom yd 106714. Returned 81 mission with enknown results.	
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	231145 Н	Observed 62 RR position YD 123724 81 morter mission fired with secondary	<del></del>
	252115 H	explosion and fire started.  Bangaloid torpedo blown, blew hole in wire, fixed law and called in 81 and arty mission. 81 and arty fired with	u
,	240045 Н	unknown results.  Received 100 rds 50 cal HG YD 102701 and 1 round 82 RR from unknown position called in 81 mission on MG with unknown	
	240150 н	Received two rounds 60 mortar from 11:1711 called in 61 mission w/2 secondar	<b>y</b>
	240210 H	explosions.  Received 14 rds 82 mortars from 109702 called in 81 mission. unk res.	
	240645 H	Received 6 rds arty from unknown northerly direction.	
	241115 日	Received A mids 60 mortars from YD 113716 and 18 rds 60 mortars from YD 105704. Returned 81 mission w/unknown results. A 106 mission on YD 105704 destroyed an enemy bunker with P NVA	
	241 <b>∯1</b> 0 H	KIA conf.  Received 30 rds incoming rockets from 042684,8rds heavy arty, and 2 rds 60 mortars,90 MM mission of nine rds was called on suspected rocket position 81 mortars on susp 60 mortar position	
	241615 H	at 108700 v/unk res.  Received 4 rds of heavy artillery from Grid 1178 and 2 rds 60 mortars from unknown Soc. arty mission fired	
	241900 н	which we will with the wind wind with the wind with the wind wind with the wind wind with the wind wind wind with the wind wind wind wind with the wind wind wind wind wind wind wind wind	ř
	2 <b>420</b> 00 H	Arty fired 4.2 mission w/1 secondary explosion, Allone mortar position 07470	4≅
	242219 H	links calved 1 bangaloid torpedo and 3/a fire. South of OP-1 approx 200 81's fired 10 mas of also franks of men	
	241915 H	direction refurned of and varty at composition of the control of t	ŷб
unclessi	₽50545 H	Received 12 rds 82 MM from YD 103707 called in 81 and arty mission. Unk res	
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	250715	Ħ	Received 250 rds incoming 120 MM mmortars, 82 mortars, 120 spin rocket 82 RR.	8,
	250834		Observed 1 NVA in partly destroyed at YD 105704. Fired 4 rds 106 w/all r	
•	242226	H	on target. Bunker almost destroyed.  Bangaloid torpedo in wire. Observe spards in wire. 5 M-26 grenades throfired hand illum. Torpedo ixploded:	
	) 		15 NVA near wire fired s/a, M-79, 5N fell. 5 Prob.	VΑ
	250920	H	Received 12 rds arty fire from nor 6400 mills grid 1284 and 15 rds 60 M from YD 122709 actibe arty 135805. Active rockets 125716. General arty support requested, 81 mission fired W/unk results.	М
	251117		Active mortar YD 111723 Received 2 rds 82 mortars, 81 mission w/unk res Received 10 rds 82 mortars from 11	P
	251130	Ф	712 received 7 rds 82 mortars from 17 712 received 7 rds 82 mR and 6 large rds with propogends pamphlets. return 81 mission.	
	251319	Ħ	Received incoming arty, martars an RR from west, north, and northeast Received approx 65 rds all type. 81	da I
	251614	H	morter and arty mission fired. Received approx 50 rds arty, morte and RR. Arty position reported. 260 degrees, 5000 meters, YD 116739,1007	Ţ
	251615	H	Observed object at YD 085680 believed enemy tank, arty mission called or object w/secondary explosion. Tank we blown on side. Believed to be completed attroyed.	red to
	252150	H	Received 5 rds incoming arty from unit position. 252220 Received 4 rds recoilless rifle and s/a fire. All	
	1,12 19	4.1	incoming ceased after 81 mission on 112715.	
	252305	Ħ´	Received 4 rds RR fire 81 mission celled on 110710 w/unk results.	
	260540		Received 4 rds 82 morter from unkr	i bwaz
MCLASCIE	261825	H	Persever Oscar spotted one bunker. Believed to be CP bunker YD 102684 called arty, damaged one enemy cp	
	261915	H	bunker.  OP-1 Reports receiving 3 rnds inc.  82 RR from YD 101699 called in 81 mills and arty.	







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	262116 H	Observed lights at 098737, 4.2 mission fired w/2 and 4 secondary explosions.	
	262210 H	Received 20 rnds 120 mortars from 125713 called in 81 and 4.2 mission.	
	262235 Н	Had 2 bangaloid torpedoed exploded in wire at northern section of perime	ter
	26 2340 н	Received 32 rds 82 or 120 mortar for 103703 . Fired 81 mission w/7 mecond and 4.2 with 3 secondary explosions.	
	280550 н	Received 2 rds RR fire op 1 receive one direct hat.	đ
	270700 н	Received 4 rds arty from northerly direction Called arty 108777 Wire detail found 2 5 Ft bangaloid torpedoes and one 3 Ft long also found	
	271214 н	20 blocks TNT.  Received 7 rds 57 RR from YD 11271; and 4 rds 82 mortars from unknown location. Returned 81 mission.	
	271418 H	Received 33 rds 82 martars, firing from 114718 Returned 81 mission.	
	271640 н	M Co received approx 100 rds s/a fire called in 81 mission firing st	ped
	271647 Н	M Co Received 1 rd arty fire, call in arty mission 094797 some sweep 200	led
_	29 1745 н	Received rds incoming 120 mortars firing at known mortar position in northestersy directon.	
	°271824 H	Received 1 rd of 120 mortars cont fire mission.	
	280140 H	Received 34 rds 82 mortars from 1 67 117. fired 81 missionand 4.2 arty mission.	
	280203 H	Received one round 82 RR from 1106 fired 81 mission.	5707
	290614 Н	Received 3 rds incoming 57 RR from 101679.	n
and the second s	280614 Н	Received 5 rds incoming 57 RR 106706 and 5 rds propogands leaflet.	8
MINGLASSIF	281231 H	Received 2 rds 82 RR 099714. Return 81 and 4.2 mission.	ed ed
	281940 н	I co 113698 Patrol on ambush mo to location activated an explosive May have been command detonated. Explosive only no fragmentation wou	levice.





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	301550 н 301158 н ,301842°н	Obserbed 60 morter position YD 105 and 3 NVA. 81 mission fired w/unknown results.  Received 6 rds incoming rounds of propogands leaflets. Height of burst about 500 ft. Leaflets carried outside this position by wind.  Ware switch detail received 12 round 60 morters and 3 rounds 82 morters for	e 8
e		an unknown southeasterly direction.  81 mission fired on 60 morter position w/unknown results.	m
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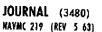


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	290600 н	Received 3 rds 82 HR.		•
	290929 н	Received 9 rds RR from coord 100719 and YD 111711. Returned 81 mertar		
	291059 н	mission W/unknown results.  Received 3 rds heavy mortars from YD 105779, 5 rds 60 mortars from		
		115713, and 7 rds receilless fire. Returned gen support arty and 81 mis	ei em .	
	291 210 H	Received 6 rds of large cal arty: YD 065751 w/air burst at aveut 200 P	rom	
	291355 н	Gen supporty arty requested.  Received 15 rds 60 Mortar from YD		
		114716 Unable to return fore because of air in area.		
,	291420 н	Received 6 rds incoming arty from YD 156763, received 4 air burst from		
,		coord YD 065651. Requested general support arty.		,
	296627 Н	Received 6 rds 82 RR and 1 rd 82 mertar from unk lecation.		
	291817 H	Observed small fire from 134718 with appeared to be NVA cooking chow 106 and 81 fired on above coord no	•	
	2 <b>91824</b> H	available fire was seen after mission 3 NVA in open at 139709 Fired 40 M		
	291830 н	and quad 50 unk results.  Received 20 rds 60 norters from 12	1	
	291815 н	Fired 81 mission with good coverage. An artillery piece of unknown type		
		was observed by OP at E 104768 an 8 inch fire mission resulted in 2 sicon		1+
	292150 П	explosions and one possible.  Received 4 rds 82 RR fire from E		
	300229 Н	and 094711 81 and arty fired with ure susts.  Received 2 rds incoming 82 mortar	1	
~	300945 н	unknown direction.  Received 1 rd RR from YD 055766 a	5	
	•	5 rds 82 mortars from YD 100733. Re 4.2 mission with unk results.		
	301101 H	Received 3 rds 85 arty from unkno locaton.	va	
to company the second to the s	301 347 Н	Received 5 rds incomibh arty w/ai burst at about 200 ft. Enemy fore ap	peared	
UNCLASS	NED	to be directed at helicopters in are enemy gun TD 055759. Received 6 rds	1	
The Property and the Party Street Party		incoming 60 mortars and observed 3 TD 103704. Returned 105 arty mission to target 91 mission for the TD 1037	n	
-		on target. 81 mission fired TD 1037 w/good coverage on target w/one sec explosion. Only 1 NVA was observed	ordary	
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			builders Engineers have not arrived	
			CA LU. As of 011800H.	
			bunkers completed, 1 bunker 95%, 1 b	unker
			50%. 4 sites prepared and waiting con	
			struction, mud has caused new access r	
			to be built to carry normal traffic, n	
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		ļ		562) called and firing 81mm's, recor	l also
		l I		has artillery going.	S-F, 3d Mar.
2039		2	055050H	Co. M reported movement at XD 981544 scanned area in front of lines visus	1,
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				and scattered	about the area.		S-1º,	3d Mar.	
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			00.00/11	4 bunkers complete, 1 bunker 98%, 1 bu	aker
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				half cleared. Land clearing and wire	
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				hauling bunker timbers, rough dirt and	
				stones for LZ road and LZ. Priority h	20
				been timbers and stones, nails. Compa	
				is suppose to get their own shovels.	S-F, 3d Mar.
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1840	1	071840H	CA LU Progres	s report:			-
				6, 3 gites prepared, to	otal 6		
			sites waiting	for construction. Ar	proxi-		
	<u> </u>			ters double apron fend		ļ	
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20 25	_ 2	071945H	OP WYN report	ted lights at XD 97253'	7•		
				nd dusters (dual 40's)			
			extinguished	search area at first	light.	<u>s-F,</u>	3d Mar.
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645		1	081 450H	Reference 071945H:				
				Co. M patrol found 2 possible 60mm pits.				
				They were located at XD 968537, and were				
Ì				approximately 2 to 3' in diameter and 1	8 nr			
				deep. Also found stone markers in a				
		<u> </u>		lerge trail. Stones were pleced in an				
		<u> </u>		arrow head point toward OF WYN. Stone h	⊒ <u>d</u>			
		<u> </u>		been put in place within the last 24-48		·		
		11		hours. 81mm H&I's planned throught the				
		ļļ		night,	S-F,	3d Mar		
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1845		2	081813H	CA LU Progress renort.				
	<del></del>	<u> </u>		4 bunkers 100%, 1 bunker 75%, 1 bunker 9				
				1 bunker that was previously reported as				
		1		100% was parsially destroyed by bulldoze		···-		
				pushing dirt. against the wall. Entire				
				wall collapased including 2 uprights.				
	···	\	<u>-                                    </u>	Jacks have been ordered to repair clear;	ng			
		<del> </del>		and wire laying progressing quite well				
				considering slippery field. 4 sights				
				prepared and all but 2 sights marked wit	h			
		ļ		dozer Request to know progress of				
			—·	minefield clearing ability. Bunker				
	·			construction beginning to reach out peri				
				meter. Within 3 days security will pres				
				consideration. Construction is very slo				
		-		to weather and its effects on roads Ha	ռե——			
		<del> </del>		ing supplies, etc. use front end loader				
		-		to haul trash, garbage and resurrly in a				
	<u> </u>			areas. Trucks useless on anything but m				
		+		routes. LZ ready for matting. Hauling	or			
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2358		3	082345H	Dusters had loud secondary explosion du	nng			
				normal H&T's. Burned for about 2 minute	_			
				repeated mission, search area at first				
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1500		1	090900н	Co. M patrol spotted foot prints, no more	
		ĺ		than 4 hours old. Appeared to be heading	
	,			in a westerly direction (XD 961, 963543).	
				81mm H&I planned in that area.	S-F, 3d Mar.
1706		2	091640Н	CA LU Progress report:	
1700			U91040H	4 hunkana completes (#1 17 20 27) 1	
		<u> </u>	<del> </del>	4 bunkers completed (#1,17,20,23), 1 bunker being repaire (#21), 1 bunker 90% (#2), 2 bunkers 50% (#3 & 14), 1 bunker	<del></del>
				(40) 2 hunka me 500 (42 p. 14) 1 hunkan	
	<del></del>	<del> </del>	ļ	40% (#4), 1 bunker 98% (#15), Clearing	
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		<del> </del>	<del> </del>	and wire progressing well about 30% with	
		<del> </del>		outer wiring only CB. Repaired 1 dozer	
				now have 2 operating, weather was conduc-	
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				5 bunker 100	% (add #15), 1 bunl	te <u>r 98% (</u> #	<u>‡</u> 2),	
				3 bunker 909	6 (#3, 4, 14), 1 bur	ıker rebui	Llt .	
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				oleared and	outer wire layed re	an again		
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1200		1	111 <b>3</b> 50H	Co. M patrol reported finding 2 cooking pots, bullet riddled About 2 months of also 1 dozen beetlenut possible enemy	
1810		2	111810H	mess area (XD 968522).  CA LU Progress report: 6 bunkers 100%, 3 bunker 98%, 1 bunker 4	S-F, 3d Ner.
				and 1 bunker to be rebuilt 4 sites have been prepared for additional bunkers.  Clearing and outer wire laying has been continued, with staging of material for	
				concenting construction. There are no major equipment difficulties, with the exception of a delay on matting which prevents mine delivery. Engineers have been asked that their request for	
				matting be followed up, the initial delivery can be dropped by helo sling.	S-F, 3d Mar.
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53		1	121857H	CA LU Progress	report:			
				8 bunkers 100%	including #21, 2 bu	ınkers 98%	,	
					bunker 10%. 3 sit			
\				pared CB front	end loader broken r	no parts		<u> </u>
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		<b></b>		wire and contin	nued clearing slow p	rogress		
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0010		1	130010H	Dusters had a fair sized secondary exp	losion
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	<u> </u>	-		that area.	S-F, 3d Por.
1108		2	131045出	Com L patrol at XD 995470 found 7 figh	
	<del> </del>			holes approximately 2 weeks old, holes	
	<del> </del>	<del> </del> -		aptroximately 2'x6'. Facing north wit clear view of this position, destroyed	n hr
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2030		3	131935H	Co M KAXXXX at XD 982529 bridge posit	;1.0n
				spotted figures at above coordinates.	
				small arms, personnel ran towards CA I	J.
	ļ	ļ		81mm mission in progress, will search	
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		T		8 bunkers 100%, 2 bunkers 98%, 3 bunkers	ers		
		T		75%, 1 bunkers 40%, 1 bunker 10%. Eng	giner		
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				stallations. Policy of 3/9 will be for	070		
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		<del> </del>		maximum of one aquad per day be assign			
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				All others effort will be directed to			
		<b> </b>		maintenance, police and tactical inte	resta.	S-F',	3d ['2]
2330		2	142145H	Co. L reported light believed to be f	rom	<i></i>	
				infa-red scope spotted through starli			
				scope at L's postion. Called artilles			
				with excellent coverage. Lights disa			
				Will search area at first light	D. 1/2	Q_IP	3d Man
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1705		1	161705H	CA LU Pregress	report.			
		<del>  -</del>	<u> </u>	8 bunkers 100%	, 2 bunkers 98%, 6 bun	kers		
				75%, 2 bunkers	50%. Double Apron -	1350		
				meters, 2 on 3	Concentina - 1200 met	ers.		
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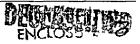
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0255		1	170130H	While setting up ambush sit	te, Co. L	ambush		
				observed two (2) enemy cros	ising bypa	ass_at		
				YD002453. 10 M-79 rounds w				
		<del>                                     </del>		a small burst of return fir enemy retreated and the are			<b>}</b>	<del></del>
				out with negative results,				
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				returned to the IF with no			S-F, 3	d Mar.
0920		2	170730H	Co. L ambush went out to ch	eck out a	eres of		
				early mornings contact (see				
				Received sniper fire from a	norther	ly di-		
				rection (998457) 50 meters				
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		ļ		with excellent target cover			OII	
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		ļ		east to NE at XD 970533. F				
				as far as possible - prints	s from 12.	-24 hrs.	1	
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		<b>├</b>		Total cleared 148			C 13 7	7.3 78
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				starlite scope. wo			<u> </u>	
				this position. Fi				
				scattered. Will s			S-F. 7	3d Mar.
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1242		1	191242日	Tank in convoy to CA LU reported receiving	R	
				RPG, one USMC VIA resulting.	S-F	
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1300		_2	191300H	Tanks and convoy report receiving mortars	1	
		<del>                                       </del>		(believe to be 60mm).	S-F,	
1315		3	191315н	Co. M advised to get reaction platoon	<del></del>	_
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1350		4	191350н	All vehicles (except damaged three) retur	ned	
				to this postion.	S-F	
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1 504		5	191242H	Convoy to CA In at 982508 received one (1	<del>}</del> }	_
		<del></del>		RPG wounding 1 man. Convoy continued on	<del></del>	
		<del> </del>		and received 10 rounds 60mm, rounds Landi along road. 1 tank and 2 trucks continue	ng	
		<del></del>		on to CA LU, others returned this IP with		
		<del> </del>		casualties. 7 medevaced, 2 non evac.	S-F, 3d M	— ler
1515		6	191515H	Convoy departed IP for CA LU	S-F, 3d M	
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1615	<del>  7</del>	191615#	2 trucks destroyed, one inoperable. Furt	ber		
		<del> </del> -		search of ambush site disclosed one (1)		
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1742		8	191742H	Convoy returning from CA LU reports recei	**	_
- 1-7-2			171424	ing mortars (60mm) and small arms fire.	S-F, 3d M	
<u> 1815</u>		9	191815H	Bridge received 3 rounds incoming 60mm,		
	·			convoy entered this position from CA LU.	S-F, 3d M	er
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1825		10	191742Н	CA LU convoy passing through this afterno		—
	·	<del> </del>		activity spot received incoming 60mm mort and small arms fire. Dusters destroyed	ars	_
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				position. When entering this position		_
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				meters, 2 on 3 consenting - 1650 meters.	<u> </u>	
	L			single apron - 2340 maters, tangle foot, 1600 meters. Clearing progress 151 acres 57% cleared.		
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				lights extingquished.	S-F, 3	d Mar.	
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			220030Н	Company M ambush spotted 6-8 people at		
				969582 moving 40-45 meters from ambush		
				in southeast direction. Ambush opened		
			<del></del>	fire. The search team found foot prints		
<del></del>				at ambush site, and will check out the		
1				area at first light 45 illum and 50 HE		
				81mm mortar were fired in support of		
				ambush. Negative results.	S-F,	d lier.
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	ļ	ļ		Single Apron 3200 meters Tangle foot 2100 meters		
				Warning fence 475 meters		
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		Clearing progress		
	<b>_</b>	<del>                                     </del>		162 acres cleared 60% complete		
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	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	1100 meters laid out	∵.r,	3d ler.
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2115		3	222100Н	OF EVE, OP TEXAS spotted what was received		
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	L	to be rocket being fired Rocket looked		
				as though traveling in a south westerly		
		ļ		direction CA LU not receiving incoming.		
				Varifying with other positions. Calling		
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2230		4	22230H	Fired zone sweep in suspected area, had		
	<u> </u>	<b> </b>		bright flashes possible secondary. Fired	<u> </u>	
		<u></u>		on grid again. Another bright flash,		
	<u></u>	<u> </u>		possible secondary. Fired mission again,		
	<u> </u>			had total of 5 bright fla shed, will be		
		<u></u>		firing artillery surpressive fires through		
				out the night.	S-F,	3d Mar
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1345		1	231345H	CA LU reported getting 60mm mortar fi	
				Rounds were lending outside of perime	ter. S-F, 3d Mar.
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1750_	<u> </u>	2	231750Н	COB Progress report	
				8 bunkers 100%	
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1032		1	241032H	Company M at 981521 found booby trapped	
				grenades (2) and 60mm mortar round (2).	
				Booby-trap blown in place. One (1) USMC	
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1 225		2	241 50 OH	Company L patrol at 930447 found approx.	
				12 NVA type fighting holes approximately	
				2'x2'x3'. Estimate holes to be 2-3 months	3
				old S-2 personnel on patrol believed	
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				over a nearby hill out of sight. Called in 81mm WP mission exact results unknown	
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